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HIS LOVE AFFAIR ENDED RATHER DISASTROUSLY

Lees Afash Better Known As John O'Brien, Lost Handsome Young Bride.

SHE LOVED ANOTHER.

So John Quit After He Had Spent Thousands On Her.

Friday's C. P. R. express brought to Moncton a matrimonial party consisting of Fardine and Christian Harley, Kaiser Abouakad and Lees Afash (John O'Brien) all of Assyrion. They were bound for Newcastle the home of Lees Afash, the would-be groom, where the marriage ceremony according to Assyrion custom, was to be consummated. At Moncton however, a hitch occurred in the programme all because the bride elect, Christian Harley, refused to go any further and expressed her determination to withdraw from the arrangement that had been made before the party left Boston.

The action of the girl with whom Afash wished to share his joys and sorrows was the cause of all the trouble that followed. It was intended to proceed to Newcastle on Friday night's maritime express, but all the persuasion of the would-be husband could not move the prospective bride from her determination to break the contract. Afash appealed to the I. C. R. police but in vain. They could do nothing for him. He avowed that the girl was his wife and invoked the I. C. R. police to compel her to accompany him to his home on the north shore. As the girl resisted the man's pleadings and threats and informed him that she would go no further with him the officers were helpless. The incident created some excitement. The maritime express was three or four hours late and the would-be groom used every means to change the girl's mind in time to continue the journey. But the latter remained obdurate and finally telegraphed to her mother in Boston to come to Moncton at once.

The girl had the sympathy of her sister in her action and the two women accompanied by Kaiser Abouakad, who appears to have been commissioned to see that all the terms of the agreement were carried out, repaired to the American hotel, where they are still stopping.

Afash is a man about forty or forty five years of age, and the girl he calls his wife is about seventeen. Afash contended that the girl cost him a large sum of money and refused to entertain a proposal to allow her to return to her home in Boston. In plain language the Assyrion claims that he bought the girl and the young lady herself admits that this is the case. The mother, it is said, received \$500 and an uncle, who acted as the girl's guardian, received \$300. In addition to this Afash says he bought hundreds of dollars worth of jewelry for his prospective bride and spent considerable money on her relatives and friends in various ways.

The girl was quite willing that all this should be returned to the man selected as her husband, if she could only obtain her release from the agreement. She offered Afash his jewelry, but he declined to take it. He claimed the girl had married him and he does not propose to give her up.

This was the state of things Saturday morning when Afash and about a dozen of his countrymen, who live in Moncton, invaded the American hotel in search of the woman and their attendant. The woman refused to see Afash and the latter and his friends then busied themselves with guarding the trains and keeping a watch on the hotel to see that the girl and her friend did not elude them. The latter however, remained quietly in the hotel during the day and made no effort to leave town. An answer was received from the girl's mother asking why her presence was required in Moncton and inquired for further particulars. Later in the day, after an exchange of telegrams, the girl's mother replied that she was leaving for the scene of the trouble.

Afash has engaged the legal services of Mr. R. W. Hewson, to look after his interests. The outcome of a conference between Mr. Hewson and the girl and her sister was the return of all the valuables to Afash. On Saturday afternoon Afash received reinforcement from Newcastle. In response to telegrams a number of his relatives and friends arrived on the scene to lend what

CURTAIN EXPENSES THIS MAN HANDS IS EMMERSON'S POLICY

Minister Will Not Spend Any More Until L. C. R. Pays Better

SO INFORMS MR. LOGGIE.

Little Hope Held Out For Early Establishment of Short Run.

Mr. W. S. Loggie, M. P., who is at present at his home in Chatham, told a reporter for the Advocate over the telephone yesterday that he could say nothing definite regarding the petition to extend the Indian town branch and to establish the short run. He stated that he had been in communication with the Minister of Railways on both subjects but that little encouragement had been held out. The policy of the Minister at the present time was to curtail expenses as much as possible and the short run was regarded by the Minister as a project which would involve a large additional outlay. Mr. Loggie went on to say that the operation of the Ocean Limited had proven expensive to the road although it had proven of great benefit to the travelling public. He was of the opinion that no further outlay would be made until the road was in a better condition financially.

In the House last week Mr. Loggie presented a petition to incorporate the British Empire League.

THIS MAN HANDS ALD. MORRISON BOQUETS

Declares He Is The Man To Be Returned Mayor Next April.

PROVEN CAPABLE

This Writer Thinks He Is The Man Best Qualified For The Position.

To the Editor of the Advocate.
Two weeks ago you referred to the complexion of the next council. It is not too early to set the ball a-rolling.
It will hardly be disputed that it is a matter of prime necessity that we should have at the head of the Council a man of the Mayor—a man of proved intelligent business capacity, with a broad outlook and capable in every way of conserving and promoting the interests of this town.

It is said by some that it is not well to have the same man occupy the highest position in the gift of the people for several years. There is no force in that. The contention is too weak to "field water." No large business firm thinks of dispersing with the services of the manager simply because he has held that position for a number of years. The simple question they decide is has he proved a capable manager? Has he promoted the interests of the firm? Is his work satisfactory? If he fulfils all the requirements he is retained. So should it be in municipal affairs. Ald. Morrison appears to me to have "filled the bill" so well in the past that the ratepayers would make no mistake in again placing him in the Mayor's chair. He has proved his capacity for hard work; he has given more of his time than any other man in the town to promote the interests of the community; he is conversant with every detail and routine of municipal business—has it at his fingers ends—he is energetic, intelligent and wide awake. He has the confidence of a great majority of the people.

Mr. Morrison and I are radically opposed to each other on some questions; politically, we are pretty near as wide as the poles asunder. But politics should not enter into municipal government. Let us have the most capable man we can get for Mayor. Honor to whom honor is due, and that honor falls to Ald. Morrison and is to the composition of the council. It will scarcely be disputed that there is some room for improvement in the calibre of some of the members. Some members of the Board, you say, will not seek re-election. Probably this is a wise move on their part. It is better to retire than to be retired by the people. A man retiring by his own volition can do so with better grace than to retire by the will of the people.

If Alderman Morrison is elected to the Mayoralty and the people give him a board of capable, progressive members, the moral tone of the town will be elevated to a higher plane to what it occupies at present. There are evils in the town; there are degrees of immorality in our midst of which the people are not cognizant. With a strong Board of Aldermen, supported by a strong body of public opinion we may hope to see these evils abated and the perpetrators ferreted out. They will be able, backed by the moral, enlightened sentiment of the town, to make it easy to do right and hard to do wrong.
Yours truly,
NEWCASTLE.

HAVE DIPHTHERIA

Indians At Church Point Affected With The Dread Malady

The Board of Health was notified yesterday by telephone that diphtheria existed among the Indians at Church Point and the request was made that the Indian commissioner Mr. Carter, be notified. Colonel Malby, head of the Board of Health left for the Point to make preparations to prevent the spread of the disease. It is said the Indians object to the use of anti-toxins and steps are being taken to overcome this prejudice.

A MOOSE HEAD

Number of Premier Tweedie's Friends Presents Him With Fine Head.

Messrs. John Robinson Jr., R. T. D. Aitken, E. H. Sinclair, Edw. Menzies and Samuel Russell went to Chatham, Saturday evening and presented Premier Tweedie with a handsome moose head, the spread of which was 54 inches. The presentation was made by Mr. Aitken in a few well chosen words. Premier Tweedie made a very happy reply. He dwelt on the game laws of the province and compared them with those of Maine. He expressed his intention of preserving the game of New Brunswick as long as possible. He said the chief advantage to be derived from the abundance of game was the notoriety which it gave the Province. It brought New Brunswick to the attention of the outside world and besides there was a large revenue derived from it.

ABANDON MUKDEN

(Special to the Advocate)
LONDON, March 7.—Fighting still goes on near Mukden in favor of the Japanese. A bulletin this morning says the Russians are about to abandon Mukden and retreat to Trepass. The Japanese have a half million men pressing Kuropatkin. The losses are enormous.

assistance they could in extricating the would-be groom from his matrimonial difficulty.

It seems there is a reason for the refusal of the Assyrion girl to become the bride of Afash. It is said by members of the party that she was formerly engaged to a handsome young Greek and it was not of her doing that the Greek was abandoned for one of her own nationality. The Greek in fact is the man she wishes to marry and it is for the purpose of seeking a reconciliation that she now desires to abandon the present matrimonial entanglement and return to her home in Boston. The girl is pretty and very refined and lady-like in her manner and those who have heard her story have had their sympathies enlisted in her favor.

LATER.

Shortly before the Advocate went to press it was learned that Mr. O'Brien had received the consent of his betrothed to marry him and that the happy couple accompanied by the bride's mother and uncle were expected here on the Maritime express.

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Great Britain and Germany Almost at War.

Simultaneously with the recent significant speech of Arthur Hamilton Lee, civil lord of the admiralty, in which he explained the reasons for the redistribution of the British navy, there appeared in the current number of the National Review a remarkable article on the attitude of Germany towards Great Britain called the "German Emperor's War Scare." The writer, who hides his identity under the non-de-plume of "Custos," states that last Christmas Eve official Germany actually anticipated and prepared for war. The German Emperor thought he saw looming through the foggy channel, Lord Charles Beresford's bulldogs with their noses pointed towards Germany. The German navy, always mobilized, expectantly waited orders to sail. In the dock yards feverish haste was displayed day and night, the men's Christmas leave was stopped, and inquiring journalists in Germany began to scent the trouble. Fortunately, though a severe strain was placed upon it, the wire between London and Berlin did not break down, and after the German ambassador in London had hastened to Berlin and assured the German Emperor that the British Admiralty was absolutely innocent of any fell design upon the German fleet the crisis subsided, and Germany breathed freely again. The scare was over on Christmas Eve, 1904.

The Kaiser's war scare was unknown in the outside world, and unknown till quite recently to the Germans themselves. The German Government had been the victim wittingly or unwittingly, of a veritable war panic, such as has not been witnessed in that country since Prince Bismarck nearly succeeded in administering a second death blow to the recuperative genius of France. It may be recorded with absolute truth, continues the writer that nobody, from Lord Lansdowne downwards, had, or has the remotest idea of attacking Germany, with whom our relations are normal and friendly. Accordingly to all practical standpoints our official relations with Germany are excellent. Indeed, so little were we in England prepared for war at the time of the crisis that had the German navy precipitately descended upon us the possibilities are

that half of our ships would have been holed in much the same way that the Russians were one night last February and the long-talked-of German invasion of England would have been given a practical trial. The German navy is taught to attack first. Had it, under the influence of fear or panic, done so in the week before Christmas, it might have gone half with England, and a new chapter in the world's history would have been opened. Turning to the cause of the scare, Custos, states that the reasons were threefold. The first was an article in Vanity Fair, which the German Government considered to be inspired and the second another article in the Army and Navy Gazette, which appears to have been regarded as equivalent to the German official service organ, which, of course, it is not. The Army and Navy Gazette article was generally regarded as heralding war. Then came the climax the redistributing of the British navy. This very natural and wise step was immediately construed in Berlin as denoting the preliminary steps to hostilities. The withdrawal of four ships from the Mediterranean, it was thought, could signify nothing else than that England desired to concentrate an overwhelming force near Germany in order to pounce down upon the inferior German fleet and effect its total destruction.

The alarm at Potsdam was great. The German Emperor made official diplomatic inquiries as to the significance of the singular move on the part of England, and in a roundabout way England was asked whether she intended to attack Germany or not. Needless to say the most reassuring answers were given by Great Britain, and gradually, but only gradually, the German Government came to the conclusion that it had been the victim of a hoax. As January wore on the tension subsided, and in Berlin court society the affair soon became the subject of polite conversation, and very soon the whole pother leaked out.

Discussing the third cause, the writer refers to the fact that for the past ten years all German writers or politicians and they are many have taught that England is Germany's foe and latterly that an invasion of England is a practical undertaking. It is pardonable, he concludes, if Germans thought England was about to depart from her own insular traditions by means of the redistribution scheme.

"Shure, Hogan, Oi know a mon that is on th' water wagon who drinks loike a fish."

"Tis possible. How kin a mon drink loike a fish if he's on th' water wagon?"

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"Yes, mias," related Col. Bluffen the battle of Gettysburg was a great struggle. Why, the smoke from the cannons caused the armies to be invisible."

Yes, spoke up Miss Sharpe. I heard the major say you were invisible.

CANADIAN TIMBER SUPPLY

(Continued from page 3.)

Though we have lost vast quantities of timber by fire, still Canada undoubtedly stands at the head of those countries from which a future supply may be expected. It is true that our virgin white pine cannot last very many years longer, but we have other varieties of great value. In British Columbia we have the Douglas fir, the cedar, the western white pine, and a hemlock, but above all we have the spruce, the most widely distributed of all our forest trees. If we visit the mills of the Maritime Provinces we find them cutting that for export to Europe, and so fast is its natural reproduction in the moist climate of the coast that the same territory can in the ordinary way of lumbering be recut about every twenty years. Starting west from the Atlantic to Nova Scotia we find the white and black spruce in all the other provinces and in all the districts of our Northwest Territories, while in the interior of British Columbia another variety, the Engelmann spruce, a very useful tree, is found in great abundance and west of this and extending to the coast, the giant of this species is found in the Meziens or Sitka spruce which almost rivals in size and utility the giant Douglas fir of the same district.

Not only in the range of different varieties of the spruce bounded only by the Atlantic and Pacific on the east and west, but it also extends over more degrees of latitude than any other of our native trees, reaching practically across the whole country from its southern boundary up to the limit of the tree-growth, in some places extending beyond the Arctic circle. It must not be inferred that the whole of this vast area is covered with merchantable timber, but on the other hand there can be no question that this country possesses an immense quantity of spruce timber which probably no other country can equal. A very large portion of it is growing on land which, from its rough character and also from its severe climate, is unsuited for the growth of agricultural products and should be kept permanently for the production of timber.



Sparkling, bright eyes indicate vigor and health. Drooping, weak and watery eyes show some internal ailment which in ninety cases out of one hundred is a weak heart. When the heart becomes weak, the blood thickens and moves sluggishly and the organs become diseased for want of a proper stimulant. Some invariably trace these ills to a weak heart.

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duction of timber. In other words it should be Canada's wood lot.

In addition to the utility of spruce for lumber it is of all varieties the one best adapted for pulp, an article which is now being applied to such a variety of purposes that the demand for pulpwood is enormously increasing every year, and there seems little question that this industry is only in its infancy and that our northern forest regions with the unlimited water powers they possess will in the not distant future be the home of important and lasting industries.

The eyes of the European nations are turned to Canada for their future supply of timber. Are their expectations to be disappointed?

This question can only be answered on certain conditions. If we fail to realize that we possess vast wealth in our wooded wilderness and take no means, first, to preserve the virgin growth, and second, to frame our policy so that growth and reproduction may go on indefinitely, we will not only disappoint less favoured countries in this respect but also prevent the realization of the hopes of our own people who have a right to demand the preservation of a really great heritage.

We must not forget that we possess in those uninhabited wildernesses more than the merchantable timber now existing there. We too often overlook the potentialities of the forest and forget that great life forces are constantly at work by which reproduction and growth are maintained so that the sapling of today will be the timber tree of tomorrow, and it in turn will cast its seed on the soil for another crop in the still more distant future. Mr. J. R. Booth a year or two ago ventured the prediction that if correct forestry methods were adopted in the pine regions of Canada our grandchildren would have a larger quantity of that variety of timber than we possess today. This opinion is probably correct.

Taking as a whole, there is no doubt whatever that she possesses a first place among the timber producing countries of the world and it is to be hoped that this position in the future may not only be maintained but relatively advanced.

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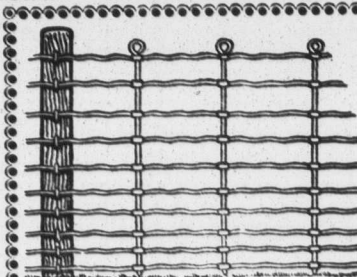
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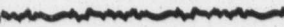
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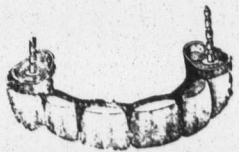
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Canada in Relation to the World's Future Timber Supply.

The free gifts of Nature are seldom appreciated or even considered so long as the supply is sufficient for the demand and in no case is this more apparent than with respect to the virgin forest which to this country deserves to rank foremost among the many natural resources we possess. We cannot conceive a more beneficent gift than is exhibited by one of those large white pine forests of the older provinces, or the giant Douglas firs and cedars of British Columbia. They represent great wealth where man has contributed nothing whatever to produce it.

For ages after the last glacial visitation had passed away Nature was active in restocking the denuded land, so that when the transatlantic invaders landed on our eastern shores about four centuries ago they found the whole country bordering on the Atlantic and extending for about a thousand miles inland one vast forest. This wilderness contained a great abundance of larger variety of wood valuable for economic purposes than could be found in any part of the world of the same extent. Beyond this forest belt for another thousand miles stretched the treeless plains of the interior, corresponding to the pampas of South America and reaching to the foot hills of the Rocky Mountains.

But is not for us to question the wisdom of Providence, and perhaps a little consideration will show that the result would have been more serious and detrimental to the pioneer and would have caused him greater inconvenience even than he had to encounter under existing conditions. If the land along the west coast of the Atlantic where settlement began had been prairie instead of woodland we can easily fancy the hardships that would have confronted the pioneer when he landed on the bleak shores of the ocean over which he had sailed, with no timber on hand to supply material for his new home, for fuel, for fencing his land, and for a thousand other uses to which wood is applied by the backwoods settler.

Instead of having this great staple right at hand he would have been compelled to bring it with him across the sea, and operation in these days so expensive as to render it impracticable. As it was, he used what timber he required for his own purposes and burnt up the rest, and this went on for years and centuries till to-day in one one belt in the United States, extending from the eastern seaboard right across to the prairie, the work of the axe has been so ruthless that the line between the prairie and the once forest wilderness is indistinguishable, and the shelter of the one district is just as dependent as that of the other on outside sources for his supply, and what is true in this respect of our neighbors across the line holds good with the settlers in the older parts of Canada. Each has now to go far afield for his timber supply.

The inhabitants of the eastern states when their home supply became scarce or exhausted invaded Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota and the Canadian provinces on the north and the southern states on the south, and now as the supply from certain of these sources is giving out, while from ours the cost is greatly increasing, they are turning their eyes to the Pacific Coast states as a last resort, and the question of a future timber supply for the United States, which until yesterday was looked upon as a field upon which the older nations could depend, is now engaging the serious attention of the far-seeing citizens of that country.

A few figures from our trade returns will show how rapidly the importations of wood into the United States from Canada is increasing. The value of our exports

of home produce of wood and manufactures thereof to the United States was:

During the fiscal year ending June 30, 1898, \$9,840,525
During the fiscal year ending June 30, 1899, \$10,511,019
During the fiscal year ending June 30, 1900, \$14,087,088
During the fiscal year ending June 30, 1901, \$13,176,717
During the fiscal year ending June 30, 1902, \$16,682,183
During the fiscal year ending June 30, 1903, \$18,823,878
This shows an increase in 1903 over that of 1898 of \$8,983,354, even surpassing our export for the same period to Great Britain by \$30,001 and this in the face of the American duty. This certainly indicates the great market for wood material that the United States alone will afford us in the future.

Space will not permit of a review of our exports to all other countries of the world which receive more or less from us. Suffice to notice that our total exports under this head in 1903 amounted to \$40,742,641, being an increase over the previous year of \$5,567,167.

Taking a review also of the forestal conditions of older European countries and of those of South America and the Orient, and the great home market now being created by the rapid settlement of the prairie country, and the only conclusion that can be drawn is that the future demand for all classes of wood material will be so great as to tax severely all the sources of supply, and that as a consequence prices, though they may waver, will show a gradual if not rapid advance. Notwithstanding the increased use of brick, iron, stone and concrete in structural works, the consumption of timber goes on increasing faster than it ever done before. Such being the case, any country possessing an available supply will assuredly have an abundant market.

The question then for us to answer is, has Canada such a supply? If this question had to be answered in the negative it would be as much deplored by those countries that are in constant need of supply and which are holding out their hands to us for it, as it would be by ourselves.

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This seems to be a sweeping statement of the condition of Canadian women. Yet how many do you know who are perfectly well and do not have some trouble arising from a derangement of the female organism which manifests itself in headaches, backaches, nervousness, that bearing-down feeling, painful or irregular menstruation, leucorrhoea, displacement of the uterus, ovarian trouble, indigestion or sleeplessness? There is a tried and true remedy for all these ailments.

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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between as the undersigned, under the name of Farrah & Alteen, retail dry goods merchants in the Town of Newcastle, County of Northumberland has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to the said partnership are to be paid to Abraham D. Farrah of the town of Newcastle aforesaid, and all claims against the said partnership are to be presented to the said Abraham D. Farrah, by whom the same will be settled.

Dated at Newcastle, N. B., this 13th day of February, A. D. 1905.
ABRAHAM D. FARRAH,
FERIS NICOLAS ALTEEN.

CARACQUET RAILWAY COMPANY

Notice is hereby given that the Caracquet Railway Company will apply to the Legislature at its next session, for an Act authorizing the Directors to make a new issue of Bonds for the sum of \$200,000, to provide for such of the present Bonds as have been lost or destroyed, and for power to lease or sell the said Railway and for other purposes.

Dated at Bathurst this 24th day of February 1905.
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NEWCASTLE, MARCH 8, 1905.

"MUTUAL LOYALTY."

There is a ring of steel in the following sentiments expressed by Collier's Weekly in its last issue:—

As years go on it will matter less if the political map shows Canada in one color and the United States in another. The systems of government are quite similar, and the same language and identity of thought make these peoples one. Opportunity and optimism make for both nations a common cornerstone. Flag sentiment and political isms will be spasmodic rather than prevailing influences. Ambition to do and to be will ever draw the wholesome, energetic youth over the border line. Canadians who come into the States may not become American voters, and Americans who cross the line may not naturalize as British subjects, but wherever there is found the best returns for their kinds of skill, there will their best talents be given. The loyalty of these peoples is already the loyalty of best endeavor. In every industrial and professional walk of American life proud sons of Canadian soil are found and that almost without exception every great Canadian railway is directed by a genius of American birth shows how well the good rule works both ways. We impose some injustices upon each other; we have differences and issues to solve, but happily the parallel forces of prosperity and progress lift us above the breach and make us one.

Collier's has declared that Victor Hugo wrote the history of all nations when he said:—"The wooden shoe ascends while the polished shoe descends." When we look at the relative positions of the United States and Canada today we are inclined to believe that Victor Hugo's glittering generality is not more than half true.

TARTE, BLAIR AND SIFTON

It is worthy of note that the three members of Laurier's cabinet who were so roundly denounced by the Tories a few years ago as tricksters, schemers, etc., have one after the other resigned, because of principles and policies which would not permit them to agree with their leader. Messrs. Tarte, Blair and Sifton—the wicked trio—have been the only members of the cabinet who have had the courage to differ with Laurier on any important question. Did they deserve all or any of the abuse heaped upon them? Posterity may yet do much for them.

OVERESTIMATED.

Hon. Clifford Sifton, minister of the interior in the cabinet of Sir Wilfrid Laurier has resigned because of the educational clause in the North West Anthony bill. It has always been a deep and unfathomable mystery to us why there is such bitter opposition to separate schools. While we do not approve of the separate school system for any community or country we see no reason to condemn it in such loud voiced fashion. The importance of the question has been overestimated.

A LOST OPPORTUNITY.

As Messrs. Morrissey and Morrison have not called a convention of the party that elected them, or put forward a candidate of the political faith of the colleague they have lost, it looks as though they don't intend to try to hold all the ground that was gained at the last provincial election.

Now the World shouldn't talk that way. The editor of that paper was urged a few days ago to accept the nomination of the opposition party but emphatically declined. He had every opportunity to become the savior of his party.

UTTER FOLLY.

The opposition can accomplish nothing by producing a candidate to contest this constituency at the forthcoming by-election. Mr. Murray's election is assured, with or without opposition and if the opponents of the government have any money to spend we would advise them to wait until a general election. Doubtless they will recognize the folly of attempting to put up a candidate next week.

Ald. Morrison made the observation at the meeting of citizens Friday evening that Mr. Loggie was

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consistent prohibitionist. Mr. Morrison should have had up his coat sleeve a bottle or two of that highly flavored Scotch which was the cause of so many headaches in Northumberland the day after the election, to illustrate the truth of his remarks.

Mr. Emmerson stated in the House last week that the Canada Eastern would have to work out its own salvation. We are ready to help save the dear old thing from the ignominious fate which the Minister would permit it to suffer.

Mr. Demers' amendment that no Labor Union should be entitled to registration of its label unless it was incorporated was carried in the House of Commons last week. That is A. I. legislation for the laboring man if he only knew it.

An Ontario hockey player is dead from wounds inflicted by a fellow player. Here is a chance to administer an object lesson to those youths who mistake scuffles for sport.

By the death of Mr. E. F. Clarke, M. P. for Centre Toronto, Canada has lost one of its brightest parliamentarians and Mr. R. L. Borden one of his greatest obstacles.

The school question or any other question cannot effect the prosperity of Canada's North West.

March came in like a lamb—dear little thing.

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REDBANK

Local and Personal

Miss Burnetta Sullivan entertained a large number of her friends on Monday. Drive wheel was in order and a very enjoyable time was spent by all. The lady prize winners were Miss Helena Shannon, first and Miss Edith Parks second. The first honors among the gentlemen were won by Mr. Wm. J. Murphy, and the second by Mr. Joseph Chaplin, while Dr. Coleman and Miss Gertrude Murphy won the consolation.

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GULF SHORE RAILWAY COMPANY.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made on behalf of the Gulf Shore Railway Company at the next meeting of the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick for an Act authorizing such Company to amalgamate with or lease, or sell its Railway and property of the Caraquet Railway Company or any other Railway Company, or the Government of Canada as the Gulf Shore Railway Company shall think fit, and for other purposes, incidental thereto.

Dated at Bathurst this sixth day of March 1905.

GEORGE GILMORE,

Solicitor for Gulf Shore Railway.

CARAQUET RAILWAY COMPANY.

TAKE NOTICE that a special meeting of shareholders of the above Company will be held at the office of the Company in the Town of Bathurst, New Brunswick, on Friday the 24th day of March, 1905, for the purpose of authorizing an application to the Provincial Legislature for an Act to enable the Company to issue new bonds to take the place of and to be exchanged for the present bonds; also for power to lease or sell the railway and for other purposes. Your attendance is requested.

Dated at Bathurst this 6th day of March 1905.

PETER RYAN, President.

B. C. MULLINS, Secretary.

CARAQUET RAILWAY COMPANY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Caraquet Railway Company will apply to the Legislature at its next session for an Act authorizing the Directors to make a new issue of bonds for the sum of \$500,000 to provide such of the present bonds as have been lost or destroyed, and for other purposes.

Dated at Bathurst this eighth day of February 1905.

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Secretary

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COONEY'S ACCOUNT WAS INACCURATE HE DECLARES.

Prof. Ganong Points out Discrepancies in Report of Miramichi Fire.

AN EXAGGERATION.

Fire Not so Great as Has Been Generally Imagined Here.

The following paper by Prof. Ganong was recently read before the Natural History Society, entitled "On the limits of the great fire of Miramichi, 1825."

Some observations upon the extensive burnt country at the head of the northwest and other branches of the Miramichi, together with some attempts to determine the locality of natural forestation on our burnt lands have led me to attempt to determine the limits of the great Miramichi fire, which occurred in 1825.

The best extant account of that fire is by Robert Cooney, who was living near Newcastle at the time, and who describes it elaborately, and somewhat luridly, in his History of Northern New Brunswick and Gaspe of 1832. But his reference to its extent are unsatisfactory. In one place (page 66) he mentions the approach of the fire from the Northwest Miramichi, whence it extended apparently, to the Bartibogue. Later (page 69) he says the entire northern side of the river from the Bartibogue to the Nashwaak, a distance of over 100 miles and an area of nearly 6,000 square miles, became enveloped in an immense sheet of flame.

In yet another place (page 76) he says that the whole cultivated parish of Ludlow (including in 1825 all of Blissfield and Blackville), with Newcastle, Douglastown, Moorefields, Bartibogue, Nappan and Black River, including some 400 square miles of settled country, were a burnt waste.

Cooney's references thus pertain chiefly to settled districts, and he gives us little idea of the extent of the forest land burnt over. Seeking further information upon this point, it occurred to me that an observant and well-informed lumberman, thoroughly acquainted with the Miramichi country, would probably know, in part from the ages of the trees growing there, the approximate limits of the great fire. Accordingly I wrote to E. Hutchinson, of Douglastown, well-known as one of the leading lumbermen of the Miramichi, and placed my problem before him. He has had the kindness to reply fully. He gives it as his opinion that the extent of the fire has commonly been greatly exaggerated; that Derby, for instance, was partially, if at all, burnt, and that the limits of the fire were about from Protag River south to the main Miramichi, and from the northwest east to Bartibogue.

His evidence is derived from the relative ages of the timber trees cut within and without those limits. When I called his attention to the positive statements of Cooney, seeming to show a much greater extent for the fire, he replied that he was aware of this discrepancy, but that his judgment was based upon the unassailable testimony of the age of trees standing on the area in question, and that, while the matter is somewhat complicated by the occurrence of local fires, it is possible to trace the limits of the great fire with some accuracy in this way.

He called attention to the well-known fact that Chatham was not burnt, and adds that the occurrence of abundant and large old logs all along the south side of the Miramichi, including Cains River, Barnaby River, Black River, and Nappan, show that there could have been no extensive fires at that time south of the Miramichi, and that if the great fire did cross the river at all, it must have been only locally and without doing any material damage to the woods.

Further, since much of Derby, together with the basin of the Renss, Dunganon, and Bartholomew's Rivers have all produced immense quantities of logs much older than could have grown since the great fire there could have been no extensive burning in that region as Cooney, implies. The same is true of the districts east of the Bartibogue.

With reference to the age of these logs he adds: "Black spruce, which is our principal export, does not make logs fit to cut as much under a 100 years, and I have counted 265 rings on a black spruce. The white spruce and pine grow quite twice as fast."

Summarizing the facts so far available they appear to show that the great fire destroyed completely an area of some 400

CITIZEN'S FAVOR LAW AND ORDER LEAGUE.

Action Taken at Largely Attended Meeting on Friday Evening.

ALD. MORRISON SPEAKS.

Judging from the observations of some of those who attended the public meeting in the Town Hall on Friday evening the moral tone of Newcastle is not exactly what it might be.

The meeting was called to order at 8.30 and in the absence of Mayor Brown, Ald. Russell, was called to the chair.

Mr. James Troy briefly explained the object of the meeting.

Ald. Morrison, on being called on by Mr. Wm. Murray, told of the Town Council's efforts to enforce the Scott Act and expressed the opinion that every man at the Board was anxious to have the act carried out. He paid a tribute to Mr. Menzies, and called him an exemplary officer.

Mr. Troy submitted a number of resolutions which were adopted principal among which was one forming a Law and Order League.

A large number of those present handed in their names and the Law and Order League was duly formed.

CHELMSFORD Social and Personal.

Mr. Joseph Hayden of Poukmoche is the guest of his uncle Mr. John Hayden.

Miss Bessie Williams of Nelson paid a flying visit to her friend Miss Kate Harper last week.

We are pleased to see the beaming countenance of Miss Mary N. F. Yeo of Pleasant Pt. among her friends again.

Miss Ella Bryenton of Bryentonville, was visiting her sister Mrs. Everett Clarke of Upper Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Carnahan are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a baby girl.

We are overjoyed to see Mr. Robert Harper and Mr. Robert Yeo home again.

We hear that Miss Vickers has intentions of going to see her brother who is very ill in Maine.

Miss Ella Clarke entertained a number of her friends at her home on Wednesday evening dancing was the chief amusement.

We are sorry to hear that Mr. Wesley Lyons is about to take his departure for the West; his many friends wish him success.

Mr. and Mrs. George Knight are about to remove to Millbrook.

Mr. James Harper has returned from P. E. Island bringing with him a very handsome horse. Watch out for Jimmie.

Mr. Lester McKinley is about to attend business college.

Valentine season is over, I guess all the fair ones have been remembered.

We are sorry to learn of Miss Ida M. Garbett's illness. We hope she may soon recover.

Miss Charity Payne was visiting her friends in Upper Nelson.

Miss Millie Bryenton carried off the prize in the snowshoe contest here last week. Well done, Millie!

Two popular young men of Douglas Brook were calling on their friends here last week, and were warmly welcomed.

William Carey intends running a restaurant here next summer. Don't keep anything hotter than Ice Cream Willie.

Miss Mattie Harper is taking vocal lessons from Professor McKel.

Miss Mary Yeo was visiting her sick uncle of Millerton accompanied by Miss McKel.

square miles, about as mapped by Mr. Hutchinson; and that it probably crossed the Miramichi east of Chatham and did some damage to the settlements on the lower Nappan and Black Rivers. It is very doubtful if it crossed the river elsewhere; and if there were any fires along the south-west Miramichi they must have been local and near the settlements, without involving the forest to any considerable extent.

Further exact information upon this subject, which is important from both scientific and historical standpoints, would be very welcome.

MAGISTRATE JOINES IS A RATE PAYER OF COUNTY.

Therefore County Contends He Cannot Try Suit of Town Vs. County.

TOWN SAYS HE CAN.

County Thinks Lights Were Put On Wharf For Convenience of Individuals.

The case of the Town vs. the County was resumed before Magistrate Jones on Monday morning and after a morning and afternoon session the town practically finished its case. It seemed to be the object of the defence on cross examination to bring out that the lights were placed on the public wharf for the convenience of those doing business on this wharf.

The witnesses examined on Monday were Ald. Morrison, Town Electrician Waddell and Edward Hickey. The minute book of the Town was also put in evidence to prove that application had been made for the lights and that the Council had ordered them to be installed.

It seems to be the intention of the county to contest the case on the ground that the Magistrate is a ratepayer of the County. But the town contends that provision has been made for such cases by act of legislation.

The case has been adjourned for one week. The town may possibly call one more witness.

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The Concert will commence precisely at 8 o'clock p. m. Doors open at 7.15.

Entrance, - - - 25 cts.

Reserved Seats, - - 50 cts.

Tickets to be had at the stores of Messrs. Hennessy, Creaghan, Bannan, and Dalton's Drug Store, and at the door on entering.

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CARD.

To the Electors of the Electoral District of Northumberland.

GENTLEMEN:—

Having been nominated at the Convention of the friends of the local Government in the County as a Candidate to fill the vacancy in the representation of said County caused by the resignation of William S. Leggie, Esquire, a former Member, and having accepted such nomination I beg to announce myself as a Candidate for your suffrages.

Having an intimate knowledge of the wants and requirements of the County I feel that if elected I can fairly represent your interests. Believing in the policy of the present administration and will support it—always reserving myself however, the right (which every representative ought to claim) of voting against any measure which I may consider to be in the interest of the Province. If elected I will use my best endeavors to promote the Agricultural policy of the Government and will give due attention to the requirements of the County for better roads. I will be at all times ready to receive suggestions from the Electors in any portion of the County and will do the best I can to promote their interests, and it will always be my aim to make myself worthy of your confidence.

ROBERT MURRAY

Dated February 27th, 1905

Thirtieth Annual Sale Clearing Out

Remnants of Dry Good from every department of our two stores at Newcastle and Chatham. Odds and Ends of textile goods, garments and articles left over during the past season at less than **HALF PRICE** at

J. D. CREAGHAN'S.

Linens, Cottons, Sheetings, Pillow Ducks, Ribbons, Laces, Embroideries, Linings, Towelling, Napkins, Silks, Velvets, Flannels, Carpets, Hosiery, Gloves, Clothing, Underclothing, Household Articles Ladies' and Gents Furnishings.

A FEW SPECIALS

- 127 Pairs Perrins Kid Gloves at 79c. former price \$1.45, odd sizes and shades left over.
- 3000 yards Hamburg Embroidering and Laces 27c, 5c, 10c, formerly 5c to 30c.
- 4000 yards Laces and Edgings 1c formerly 5c to 5c.
- 98 pairs White and Grey Cotton Blankets, large size 79c, formerly \$1.25.
- 37 pairs White Wool Blankets, large size \$2.95, worth \$4.00.
- 58 White Cotton Quilts \$1.15, worth \$1.50.
- 500 yards Ladies' Dress Goods 27c former price 50c to \$1.00.

THIS SALE

will run concurrently in our Chatham and Newcastle Stores and is bona fide. A rare chance to get Bargains for **SPRING SEWING**. The goods are **SACRIFICED** to create new customers and procure **CASH** for Spring Engagements. In thanking the public sincerely for their patronage for the past 30 years, we point with pleasure and pride to our record of that long time, which will insure reliable merchandise and ample satisfaction **NOW** and in the **FUTURE**.

J. D. CREAGHAN Newcastle and Chatham.

Free Distribution IN NEWCASTLE, THURSDAY, MARCH 9TH.

300 bottles of

SHILOH'S CONSUMPTION CURE - The Lung Tonic

will be distributed from house to house.

We want everyone to secure a bottle and try it. We know the value of our Lung Tonic—what it has done for those who have suffered from colds, coughs, consumption and lung troubles generally. We know it will cure you, and therefore give you this opportunity to try it at our expense, knowing that it will ever afterwards find a place in your home and your confidence.

If you do not receive one of these samples write to
S. C. WELLS & CO., TORONTO, CANADA; or LeROY, N.Y.
and they will send you one free.

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GOOD HOPE REMEDY CO., Dept. B-4 MONTREAL, Can.

We are giving away Gold Watches, Rings, Jewelry and other valuable premiums to those who help us introduce our medicines. We trust you. Send us your name and Post Office address and we will mail you at once one of our boxes of our remedy to sell at 25c a box. Our pills are a grand remedy—they build up the system, regulate the bowels and beatify the complexion. Good Hope Pills are easily sold and we intend by our liberality to introduce them into every home. When you have sold our remedy send us the \$1.00 received from its sale, and we will promptly send you a beautiful ring finished in 14c gold and set with large magnificent stones. If you promptly dispose of our pills, result to us in payment for our remedy we will give you an opportunity to secure as well one of our Elegant Watches, ladies or gents size, in addition to the ring. You will be delighted with your premiums. Write today.

Our "ADVANCE GUARD"

Of Spring goods has arrived and boys they are beauties. The like of them were never shown in town before, or in the cities either, and the **PRICE** Well it could hardly be any lower unless you got them for a song, and we can't afford that.

Have a look at them, even if you don't buy. It costs nothing.

J. S. WILLIAMSON,

Mailor Block, Opp. P. O.

The Up-to-Date Tailor.

HALL'S VEGETABLE SICILIAN Hair Renewer
Why not stop this falling of your hair? At this rate you will soon be without any hair! Just remember that Hall's Hair Renewer stops falling hair, and makes hair grow.

REASON No 9 WHY YOU SHOULD USE Red Rose Tea

Because it is accepted as a standard of quality.

Red Rose Tea can be found in the sample room of nearly every tea firm in Canada. It is used as a standard of quality by which they judge their own tea.

A large London, Eng. Tea firm recently asked their correspondents in Montreal to send them samples of the best brand of tea sold in this country—city sent Red Rose.

This is a very high tribute to Red Rose Tea. If you will try the tea you will feel like endorsing this tribute.

T. H. ESTABROOKS, St. John. N.B.
BRANCHES: TORONTO, WINNIPEG.

ELECTRIC POWER.

ELECTRICITY WILL BE USED TO OPERATE NEW RAILWAY.

Details of Big Projects Attending Proposed Development.

(St. John Telegraph)

The project for development of the Grand Falls water power, referred to in The Telegraph yesterday in an interview with Premier Tweedie, looms even larger than indicated by Hon. Mr. Tweedie.

It includes not only the manufacture of ferro-manganese at the falls but also operation of pulp, paper, and saw mills, the operation of the Intercolonial railway by electricity and the transmission of electric power down the St. John River valley to be utilized for lighting and manufacturing as far as St. John.

The Intercolonial railway is that now being built by Thomas Mulcain from Campbellton to Edmundston.

The whole project, here briefly outlined, is calculated to involve \$3,000,000 to \$4,000,000 outlay and as a guarantee of good faith the capitalists interested have deposited \$50,000 with the receiver-general of the province. Those financially interested are the United States capitalists who comprise the Electro-Manganese Company and they include Barton E. Kingman, of New York, and Frederick Sayles, of Philadelphia (R. I.).

The capitalists have been investigating the water power at Grand Falls and conditions in general in relation to the projects they had in mind and are greatly

pleased to find that all has proved satisfactory and they are depositing \$50,000 as a forfeit in case they do not proceed with their work.

WATER POWER GREAT.

The Telegraph learns that the experts who have been carefully examining the falls have reported that the minimum horse power is 40,000 but during a large portion of the year there is many times that amount. The company proposes to expend a very large sum, estimated at \$3,000,000 to \$4,000,000 in development of the water power and providing the necessary electric plant, etc.

It is understood the gentlemen back of this important enterprise propose to utilize the electricity for the manufacture of ferro-manganese from bog ores which have been found in enormous quantities in several counties of the province.

When the matter was before the legislature the premier explained that by taking the authority to lease the water power, the government would be able to deal with the subject in the interests of the province in a much more effective way than if a company were given the power by the legislature which might result in tying up the water power as had been done by previous legislation. The result is looked on as showing the wisdom of the act of the government in this particular.

The possibilities of the development of this enormous water power are very great. Not only will there be sufficient electric energy produced for manufacture of the ferro-manganese but also for operating proposed pulp and paper mills and saw mills, while it is altogether in the range of possibility that the trains of I. C. R. Railway, now under construction from Campbellton to the St. John River, will be operated by electricity developed at Grand Falls. It is learned that negotiations to this end are already in progress.

The electricity can also be conveyed down the valley of the St. John and utilized for lighting and manufacturing even as far as this city. It has been demonstrated that electricity developed by water power on a large scale can be used at so low a rate within distance of 100 or 200 miles as to put steam produced by coal entirely out of the business.

NEARER THE CITY.

It is also suggested in this connection that there are good water powers near St. John which have

not been utilized to supply lighting power in the city. The water powers at Musquash, Mispec, and Black River could, it is held, be utilized to enormous advantage and if an intelligent effort were made in this direction that much cheaper electricity both for lighting and motive power would be had here. While the quantity of water might not be as great as might be advisable, it is to a large extent made up, these who have looked into the matter say, by the great head which could be obtained on these rivers. It has been found that both at Musquash and Mispec it would be possible to obtain heads of water of 60 to 150 feet. What could be had at Black River is not just known but there are precipitous banks there and probably an equally good head could be secured, and with the transmission of electricity from these powers to the city a great advantage to the people is calculated.

At the Grand Falls work, it is understood to be the American capitalists' intention to begin the work of development this year.

HOWS THIS?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any one of "Catch that can't" cured by H. J. Cheney & Co. Toledo O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in his business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.

W. A. MANN, KENNEDY & MANN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Take H. J. Cheney's Family Pills for constipation. F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. Sole Druggists, Price 25c.

Take H. J. Cheney's Family Pills for constipation.

"So Jack and you had a little quarrel?" ventured the petite blonde.

"Yes, admitted the tall brunette, but he says he likes to kiss me after all."

"After all? I wonder if he means after all the rest of the other girls."

**Broken and Sad
Weary of Life
Ground to the Dust With
Weakness Too Nervous
to Nervous to Sleep A
Pitiable Wreck!**

**FERROZONE.
Raced—Invigorated,
Toned and Strengthened.**

Men and women, married or single, whether old or young, will find abundance of health in Ferrozone. It completely vitalizes Mrs. F. Levine, a well known resident of Point Alexander, Ont., who writes:

"I was on the verge of nervous prostration. When I got up in the morning I had to force myself to go to work. I felt blue and depressed, took no real comfort out of life."

"Drazing weakness and lack of spirit seemed to be killing me."

"How I wished for strength!"

"Kind Providence brought Ferrozone to my notice and I commenced to take it. The change was wonderful. I picked up every day. Strength developed, appetite increased. I grew cheerful and strong. Ferrozone made me feel like a woman. My case is complete and I recommend it as an unsurpassed."

The one medicine that's sure to lift you from a weak, miserable condition is Ferrozone. 50c. per box, or six boxes for \$2.50, at all dealers in medicine, or Polson & Co., Hartford, Conn., U. S. A. and Kingston, Ont.

A. E. Shaw Will Buy It Back.

You assume no risk when you buy Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. A. E. Shaw will refund your money if you are not satisfied after using it. It is everywhere admitted to be the most successful remedy in use for bowel complaints and the only one that never fails. It is pleasant, safe and reliable.

"For gracious sake, doctor, give me something for my nerves I am worked to death."

"H'm. Been adding to your accounts for the past year?"

"No, trying to keep a diary for the past few weeks."

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

Constipation and Stomach Trouble

The most common ills of life, are quickly cured by Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills.

By enlivening the action of kidneys, liver and bowels Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills entirely overcome constipation and ensure the proper working of the digestive system.

Mrs. OWEN CUMMINGS, Deseronto, Ont., states:—"I was in very poor health when I began to use Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. I had been a great sufferer from constipation and stomach trouble and was weak and run down in strength. I was gradually growing worse every day, and finally decided that I would have to do something. Hearing of many being cured by Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills I began using them, and soon noticed a marked change for the better. I continued this treatment until I was cured of constipation and my stomach was restored to a healthy condition. It only took about three boxes of pills to entirely cure me."

Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills (one pill a dose, 25 cents a box). The portrait and signature of Dr. A. W. Chase, the famous receipt book author, are on every box.

A Cough that Hangs-On

Is one to be afraid of—there is danger in it. You can cure it quickly with Shiloh's Consumption Cure, the Lung Tonic. Your money back if it doesn't cure you.

25 cts., 50 cts. and \$1.00

ROGERSVILLE.

Local and Personal.

Mr. J. P. Lepante, P. M. Rogersville, who has been visiting his sister Mrs. R. Bonheur, returned home last week.

J. Maloney, J. D. Buckley, and M. O'Brien attended the provincial government meeting at Charlottetown Friday last.

Rev. Mich. Provincial, who has been visiting the convent, returned to Quebec on Monday.

Accompanied by Mother St. Mary de Louisa Gardin who has been on the teaching staff since the convent opened, but on account of ill health had to resign, Mother St. Elvira has taken her place in the primary department.

Mrs. J. McArthur, Charlottetown, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Maloney this week.

The many friends of our efficient station master Mr. P. Sheehan regret to hear he is confined to his room with a severe cold.

Miss T. Comeau who has been visiting Mrs. Fildie Richard for a few weeks left in the Maritime for Quebec on Monday night to enter the Convent of the daughters of Jesus.

A meeting of the Agricultural Society was held here during the past week for the purpose of producing good seed for the land. Much credit is due Rev. M. E. Richard for the keen interest he takes in encouraging and assisting the farmers in tilling the soil.

Miss E. Marr who has been visiting her sister Mrs. P. Sheehan returned on Wednesday last, to her home in Dorchester.

Jas. Harrigan, Chelmsford and George Harper, Derby government seeders are in town.

A number of our business men are arranging to have telephone connection with the neighboring towns in the near future.

DELICATE BOYS AND GIRLS.

Are altogether too numerous. Our schools are full of them. Chances are your own children are weaklings. It is a shame so many children grow up without health when they could be made strong by Ferrozone, the best tonic growing, boys and girls can take. Ferrozone invigorates the whole body, helps digestion, makes the blood pure and rich. It supplies more nourishment than children can get in any other way and soon establishes a reserve of force and energy. Give your children Ferrozone and watch them grow strong. Price 50c. per box.

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, etc.

Chicago Girl—How do you New England people get around the fact that your ancestors believed in witchcraft.

Boston Girl—Oh, we call that Chadwickism now.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The first child is born in every village.

Messrs. C. C. RICHARDS & Co. Gentlemen—My daughter, 13 years old, was thrown from a high and injured her elbow so badly it remained stiff and very painful for three years. Four bottles of MINARD'S LINIMENT completely cured her and she has not been troubled for two years.

Yours truly,
J. B. LIVESQUE
St. Joseph P. O., 18th Aug. 1900.

Highwayman—How much money have you got?
Heldup—I couldn't guess.

Highwayman—You can't guess the amount.
Heldup—No.

Highwayman—Then give it up.

A GUARANTEED CURE

For All Forms of Kidney Disease.

We the undersigned Druggists, are fully prepared to give the following guarantee with every 50 cent bottle of Dr. Pettinelli's Kidney-Water Tablets, the only remedy in the world that positively cures all troubles arising from weak or diseased kidneys—

"Money cheerfully refunded if the sufferer is not relieved and approved after use of one bottle. Three boxes bottles effect astonishing and permanent cures. If not relieved and approved after use of three boxes, we will refund the money."—F. R. Duggan, New York, N. Y.

The Nebraska farmer with whom I was staying over night grew considerably enough during the evening to tell me that he was going to town next day and begin a suit for breach of promise for his daughter laying damages at \$75,000.

"Aren't those figures rather high?" I queried.

"Yes, indeed," he replied, "but you see I have an object. I begin big so as to have a chance to fail. If Sally can't get \$75,000 she is willing to take \$50 in cash and a second hand bike."

Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere.

Steen Father—What? You got teased for that suit of clothes?

When I was a young man I never bought anything I couldn't pay cash for.

Smart Son—Why, dad, do you mean to say your credit was so bad as all that?

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take LAXATIVE BROMO-PHOSPHATE. All brands of the name that fall to mine.

B.W. Grace's signature is on each bottle.

Brown—What did your wife say last night when you began to explain why you didn't get home earlier.

Green—She said my originality compared favorably with the jokes in an almanac.

To prove to you that Dr. Chase's Ointment is a certain and absolute cure for each and every form of itching, bleeding and sore throat, piles, hemorrhoids, etc., we will refund the money in the daily press and ask your neighbors what they think of it. You can use it and get your money back if not cured, for a box at all dealers of EDMANSON, DUGAN & Co., Toronto.

Dr. Chase's Ointment

LYTTLETON.

Mrs. William Tozer has recovered from her long illness.

Mr. Albert Astles paid a flying visit to Mr. John Payne on Sunday.

Quite a number of young people surprised Mr. Edward Travis on Monday evening, a very enjoyable evening was spent.

Mr. Daniel Foran was the guest of Mr. Edward Tozer on Sunday.

Albin Murphy is busily engaged hauling hay.

Mrs. George Foran was the guest of Mrs. Robert Holmes on Wednesday last.

Mr. Archie Silliker purchased a valuable horse.

Mr. John Payne is hauling up his summer's wood.

Mr. Alexander Johnston is very ill.

Mr. Fred Johnston found a valuable pearl.

Mrs. Loggie who has been spending the winter with her sister Mrs. Clarke has returned to her home here.

HELPLESS WITH SALT RHEUM

"For many months my wife was unable to serve herself with her hands because of salt rheum, Dr. Chase's Ointment has entirely cured her and we strongly recommend it to any who suffer from similar ailments, believing that it is no equal."—MR. LUDGER DUGAN, Pigeon Hill, Missisquoi Co., Que.

Vapo-Resolene

Established 1879.
Whooping Cough, Croup, Bronchitis, Cough, Grip, Asthma, Diphtheria.
Creosote is a boon to Asthmatics.

It is a powerful expectorant, and is used by the most skillful physicians in the world.

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FARM FOR SALE.

I wish to sell my farm at Whitneyville, Parish of Northesk lying 5 miles from town of Newcastle.

For terms and particulars apply to J. D. McALEY.

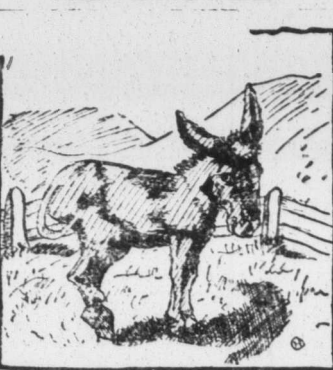
Union Hotel, Newcastle.

Coal and Wood.

We have in stock a large quantity of Lehigh Valley Hard Coal, also Scrub and Green Hard and Soft Woods.

DELIVERIES

Promptly Attended to.
John Russell & Co.,
NEWCASTLE.



IT IS DANGEROUS

to neglect Catarrh. Severe and fatal cases of Pneumonia, Bronchitis and Consumption, all develop from what many people term an insignificant attack of Catarrh. The mind becomes dull and stupified, you cannot think clearly, you cannot sleep well. All food tastes alike, your senses of taste, touch, hearing and seeing are all affected. Catarrh envelopes your entire system. It is a dangerous malady, why delay treatment. Nip it in the bud with DR. AGNEW'S CATARRHAL POWDER.

It cures instant relief, and positively cures the severest cases after a short steady treatment.

Rev. F. J. Prop. 20 E. North St., Buffalo, writes: "I am pastor of the Made St. Baptist Church in Erie, Pa. I have used your Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder, and it has done wonders for me. Be the public to me as to the worth of this remedy. It has cured me of the worst form of Catarrh."

UP, BLACKVILLE.

Social and Personal.

Breaking roads is the order of the day, but it is rather discouraging work with wind and snow combining to obliterate a road faster than it can be made, but road master Davidson and his crew have done good work.

Your scribe heard a traveller, during a discussion regarding social rarities as snow-blockades, relate an incident of a train being four hours going twenty-four miles, but the I. C. R. encountered a harder proposition along here last Sunday.

The express from Fredericton stalled at Weaver's on Saturday night. About ten a. m. Sunday, two engines with a plow and gang of shovellers arrived but were until ten p. m. breaking through a drift from there to a mile east of here, a distance of six miles.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Comeau Bathurst, called here on Wednesday, returning the following day.

Mr. Walter Shaw, Woodstock, was in the village on Thursday.

Mrs. Bert Donald entertained a number of the young people at a party Wednesday evening. Among those present were Misses Bessie Cameron, Mable Donald, Bessie Peterson, Grace Donald, and Millie Arbeau, and Messrs. Donald Cowie, James Duncan, Gordon Donald, Charles Cugan, a Charles Donald, George Coughlan and John Donald.

Quite a distance from Arbeau's to Orleans to say nothing of the difference between the two places.

"Some copies of the Blackville Advertiser" dropping along. Mr. Grindlay is an enterprising gentleman and merits support in the undertaking. May the paper increase in circulation and size.

COUGH NO MORE

SPRUCINE

THE REMEDY OF THE DAY

A definite preparation of Spruce Gum, Wild Cherry, Hoarhound and Tar.

Scientifically combined in the form of agreeable and palatable Syrup.

One of the most reliable preparations yet introduced to the public for the immediate Relief and Cure of Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Whooping Cough, Croup, Asthma, and all diseases of the Throat and Lungs.

Taken with Cod Liver Oil in the first stages of Consumption, it will be found invaluable.

For sale everywhere. Price 25 cts. or by mail on receipt of price.

Sole proprietors, THE WINGATE CHEMICAL CO. Limited, Montreal, Canada.

MCGALE'S BUTTERNUT PILLS FOR YOUR LIVER AND BOWELS.

DIAMOND DYES

FOR PERFECT HOME DYEING.

EASY TO USE, BRIGHTEST AND BEST.

ASK FOR THE "DIAMOND."

All Drugs. TAKF

Local and General News

*Of Special Interest to Our Readers, Gathered
By Our Reporters from Many Sources.
Whirl of the Town.*

Lumbermen have begun to come out of the woods.

A number of the ladies of the town are making preparations to put on an elaborate minstrel show. They expect to make their debut in minstrel next June.

Dr. McCully who limits his practice to diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose, and Throat, will be in Newcastle Friday, March 17th, and can be consulted at the Hotel Miramichi.

A pocket book containing a sum of money found in front of F. R. Dalton's drug store by Wm. Black, driver of R. H. Grenley's, hack may be had at the Advocate office by the owner.

The Newcastle 12th Field Battery under command of Major Lawlor leaves this morning for Fredericton to fire the salute at the opening of parliament. The House opens Thursday afternoon.

Mr. A. Peters, the popular manager here of the Singer Sewing Machine Coy, has been promoted to the management of the Cape Breton office. Mr. Peters' many friends here will regret to learn of his departure.

Mrs. Louis Babineau, met with a very painful accident this morning while coming home from church; she fell on the slippery sidewalk breaking her wrist. Dr. Robinson, was immediately summoned and set the injured limb.

Willie Galian, the eight year old son of Mr. and Mrs. William Galian, died on Thursday last after a four weeks illness. The funeral held on Saturday was very largely attended. Interment took place in St. Mary's cemetery.

The factory commission have finished their labors and will submit a report to the government in a few days. While the members of the commission are rather reticent, it is learned on pretty good authority that their report will be against the proposed factory act.

The Dalhousie Mercantile Store was burglarized last week and several articles stolen. The robber entered by sawing a wood on bar closing the warehouse door to the general store. Last week Alex. Christolm of Dalhousie, general merchant, was robbed in the same way. The thieves also tried to enter the store of A. & R. Loggie, and Daniel McDonald.

Arthur Leger, aged 9 years, son of Mr. John P. Leger, of Bathurst, was accidentally shot in the right leg Friday evening. The bullet a 22 long, entered the front of the leg, about half way between the knee and ankle. Dr. Duncan, was quickly in attendance. Mr. Leger, under advice of local physicians, has taken the injured child to Moncton for treatment by the X ray in order to locate the bullet.

Mr. J. Flanagan, has sold his stock of Dry Goods, Clothing, etc., to Mr. J. D. Creighton, of Newcastle, who invites tenders for the same on bloc, or in lots to suit purchasers, as per advertisement in another column. The stock will be open for inspection in the forenoon of each day until the 8th, when the tenders will close. Mr. Flanagan has also disposed of the Caledonian Building, so called, to Mr. Creighton.—World

The Chatham railway station has been broken into twice within a few days. The burglars got a full barrel of bottled whiskey (\$40 worth) belonging to a local dealer the first time, and broke open and rifled a commercial traveller's trunks, taking a considerable quantity of fancy goods, the second time. The Dalton store, which workmen are fitting up for a tenant, was entered the other night with a key, and tools belonging to Mr. John W. Campbell, and stamped with his name, were taken.—World

The funeral of the late Mr. John Henderson who was for many years in the staff of The New York Herald, took place this afternoon in St. James Cemetery. The chief mourners were his brother Mr. George Henderson, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Mr. W. N. Eastwood, son in law; Mr. H. Parry and Mr. C. Blair, brothers in law; Mr. H. J. Brown, Mr. W. G. Brown and Mr. C. C. McCully, nephews, all of Toronto. Mr. W. Banks, sen., by request, represented The New York Herald. There were also several old comrades and friends present. The floral offering included beautiful wreaths from the widow, from Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Eastwood, daughter and son in law; the grandchildren, Mr. H. B. V. Parker of Brooklyn, N. Y., a nephew; Mrs. S. G. Peatty; a magnificent cresset of the rarest and most beautiful flowers, with the card "From The New York Herald staff," and an exquisite anchor with the card "From The New York Herald composing room." The religious services were conducted by the Rev. G. Sherlock Faircloth of Sherbourne Street Methodist Church.—Toronto Globe Feb. 28.

Our genial friend Bob Barker, is in town. He is representing one of the best cigar manufacturers in Canada viz. A. & I. Isaacs, of St. John, N. B. We have had the pleasure of sampling his samples. We were much taken with three of his lines. Their small Queens are too well known as the best five cent cigar in the market for us to make any criticism on them. The Bachelor put up in three sizes are up to date. But a small cigar he has called Juan Percy are extra fine and fully equal if not better than many imported cigars.

St. John Times:—Among the passengers on the Boston express today was W. L. Crighton, the advertising agent of the I. C. R. Mr. Crighton, who is always given the glad hand of welcome here, is on his return from the Sportsman's Show at New York. He says the Canadian railways, the Intercolonial, Grand Trunk, and Canadian Pacific, make a brave showing. They occupy one entire end of the Madison Square Garden. This is the first experience of the Intercolonial at such a show, but judging from the amount of interest its exhibit has created, it should not be the last.

The day freight, No. 38 train, which left Campbellton, for Moncton, Saturday morning, was derailed at New Mills. All the cars left the track and ran along on the sleepers for some distance before the train stopped. The engine did not leave the rails. Some of the trucks of the freight cars were damaged considerably. The track was torn up a little and one of the rails split, but beyond this very little damage was done. An auxiliary train left Campbellton for the scene and the work of replacing the cars on the rails occupied all their time till about seven o'clock. The rails spreading is said to be the cause of the accident.

A New York newspaper man writing to the Advocate pays the following tribute to the late John Henderson:—"Jack" will long be remembered in the Herald. He was probably the pioneer of New Brunswick newspaper men to New York where his energy and executive ability soon won him a place of distinction. He had a big heart and though strict as a disciplinarian his kindness and sympathy for the men under him always won their loyalty and support. In the 'off hours' his buoyancy of spirit, geniality and general goodwill to all made him a delightful companion on all occasions, and among the printers and newspaper men of Printing House Square, the name of "Jack" Henderson will always stir the fondest recollections. He was of the old school of newspaper men, and Bohemian in nature, yet punctual in honor and upright in his dealings with his fellows, and he won the respect of employer and employee alike.

Resolution Of Condolence

To Bro. Samuel Miller Miller.—Dear Bro. Whereas it has pleased Almighty God to remove by death your loving Mother. We the members of Newcastle Lodge No. 93 I. O. O. F. take this opportunity of assuring you of our deepest sympathy, in your extreme sorrow and sad bereavement. And we pray that the Heavenly Father who knows our every sorrow, may sustain you in this your hour of trial. Signed on behalf of the Lodge, Wm. Corbett Chas. M. Dickson H. Kethro.

DR. A. W. CHASE'S 25c. CATARRH CURE. Is sent direct to the diseased parts by the Improved Blower. Heals the ulcers, clears the air passages, stops drooping in the throat and permanently cures Catarrh and Hay Fever. Blower free. All dealers or Dr. A. W. Chase Medicine Co., Toronto and Buffalo.

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BORN

At Newcastle, on Feb. 24th to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Foran a son.

DIED.

At Newcastle, N. P., Feb. 26th. Mildred Myrtle, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hare, aged 4 mos. and 10 days.

At Moncton, on Monday 6th inst. Ellen, eldest daughter of the late Wm. Stothart, aged 69 years. Interment in Moncton cemetery Wednesday at 2.30 p. p.

CASORIA. Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

Social Personal

Mr. Thomas Foley, went to Campbellton, on Monday.

Miss Jessie Geikie, is recovering from a severe illness.

Rev. Father Varrily, of Bathurst was here last week.

Rev. J. G. A. Colquhoun, of Millerton, was here on Monday.

Mr. W. Underhill, of Blackville, was at the Miramichi this week.

Mr. D. J. Buckley, of Rogersville was here on Monday on his way north.

Mr. E. N. Jones, and Mr. A. A. McCaskey, St. John are here this week.

Mrs. Vye, and Miss Vye, of Indiantown, were at the Miramichi on Thursday last.

Mrs. W. Parker Hickey, and son of Montreal are visiting Mrs. Thos. Hickey.

Miss Margaret Elliot, of Sussex, is visiting her brother, Mr. T. J. Elliott, jeweller.

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Kirk, of Kirkwood are being congratulated on the arrival of a girl.

Miss Katie Wiseman, who has been spending the winter in Derby, has returned home.

Mr. John I. Jones, who has been employed for some time in Newcastle, returned to Halifax last week.

Mrs. (Dr.) Mesahan, of Bathurst spent a few days here last week the guest of her brother Father Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Moroney, of Barnaby River, are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a baby boy.

Mr. James Robinson, ex. M. P. Mrs. Robinson, Miss Robinson, and Miss Campbell, all of Derby, were at the Miramichi on Wednesday last.

Mrs. Hugh J. Morris, who has been confined to the house for many weeks is much improved, and is able to be out again.

Mr. George McWilliams who was for a number of years on the Sydney Post arrived here last week to assume charge of the mechanical department of the Advocate.

Miss Dora Beatrice Wood, second daughter of Senator and Mrs. Wood, Sackville was married at her home on Friday last to Mr. Edward Nicholls, assistant editor of the Toronto World.

NO OPPOSITION

Mr. Robert Murray Will be Elected Next Week by Acclamation

A prominent leader of the Opposition told a reporter for the Advocate yesterday that Mr. Murray would go in unopposed. He said that his party did not have a man available at the present time. Mr. J. L. Stewart of Chatham had been tendered the nomination but declined it. March 11 is Nomination day.

SHILOH'S FREE DISTRIBUTION.

In another column announcement is made of a free distribution of Shiloh's Consumptive Cure, the lung tonic, to be held in Cobourg on Wednesday, November 23rd.

Readers of The Star are doubtless aware that Shiloh's Cure has been on the market for over thirty two years, and that nothing has ever been offered that takes its place as a family remedy for Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, and all diseases of the air passages.

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WANTED:—Good live agents in every locality to represent the Canadian Casualty & Boiler Insurance Company. Apply giving reference to MANAGER P. O. Box 303 St. John N. B.—22-3

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NOTICE OF BILL.

Notice is hereby given that the town of Newcastle will apply at the next session of the Local Legislature for the passage of an act to empower the said town to reissue its uncollected Water Works, Sewerage and Electric Light Debentures at a rate of interest not exceeding 5 per cent. and for any term of years, not exceeding the original term of said debentures, as to the Town Council of said town may seem expedient; also to empower the said Town to renew the said debentures from time to time at a rate not exceeding 5 per cent. the term of such issue and renewal not to exceed the original term of said Debentures.

Dated this 21st day of February, 1905. R. T. D. AITKEN. Town Clerk.



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