

GREAT DRESS GOODS SALE

Wednesday, Thursday, Friday & Saturday AT R. N. WYSE'S.

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NOTE—No Samples given. Ready-to-Wear and Trimmed Hats.

We are now making a clean sweep in this department, preparatory to opening new goods for the Fall season. Prices are cut in two for quick selling purposes.

R. N. WYSE, NEWCASTLE, N. B. Wholesale and Retail.

SOME JULY BARGAINS AT CLARKE'S.

- MEN'S SUMMER UNDERWEAR, 25c per piece.
MEN'S FINE BALBRIGGAN UNDERWEAR, 45c per piece.
MEN'S COLTON SOCKS, 10c per pair, 3 pairs for 25c.
MEN'S CASHMERE SOCKS, 22c and 35c fine quality.
MEN'S HATS, such as were shown in our window last week, 98c. A few left yet. Great Snaps.
MEN'S REGATTA and WHITE SHIRTS, 59c, 2 for \$1.00. Don't miss these. They won't stay long at these prices.
MEN'S PANTS, about 30 pairs different kinds and qualities, some worth \$1.50 and \$1.75, now all one price \$1.00 per pair.

LADIES' RUSTIC, KNOCK-ABOUT and WALKING HATS. All this season's goods, correct in style and shape, but we have too many for this time of year, so down goes the price.

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Bicycle Repairing, Sundries, etc., etc.

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In our window case we place on view to-day the following goods.

- 1 Cabinet Clock, regular price \$8.00.
1 Pickle Dish \$4.00.
1 Butter Dish \$2.00.
1 Mirror in Gilt Frame \$1.75.
1 Cut Glass Bon-Bon \$4.00.
1 Mantel Clock \$5.00.
1 Sugar Bowl \$3.00.
1 Set Carvers, 3 pieces, \$4.00.
1 Set Sugar and Cream—Bisque—\$6.00.
1 Camera \$8.00.

For 1 week only we will receive offers for the price you are willing to give for the above mentioned articles and on Wednesday, July 22nd, the person offering us the highest amount will receive the article or articles desired, upon payment of the amount of their offer.

Call and see the goods and make an offer for what you would like.

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ORANGEMEN CELEBRATE.

Lodges Attend Divine Service Sunday, July 12

Grand Demonstration at Campbellton Monday, July 13



The Largest Demonstration of this Character Held On the North Shore for Years. Campbellton Crowded with Visitors.

Wherever there is an Orange Association, the 12th of July is celebrated in a manner particularly its own.

This year the Chatham and Newcastle Lodges attended service in the Baptist church, Newcastle and listened to an eloquent sermon preached by the retiring pastor, Bro. A. F. Brown.

For weeks preparations have been going on among Northumberland Orangemen to go to Campbellton and together with friends assemble at that town when fitting ceremonies would take place.

The arrival of the excursion train which arrived at its destination at 12:45 o'clock.

At 14 o'clock the parade which was as follows, was formed up by Messrs. J. W. Clarke, Grand Director of Ceremonies, R. G. Duff, County Director of Restigouche and J. Brooks, County Director of Northumberland.

- Two Mounted Guides
Grand Master P. Heine
Newcastle Band
Newcastle Lodge No. 47 with Banner
Chatham Lodge No. 90
Blackville " " 110
Elm Tree " " 108
New Bandon " " 94
Fowler (Bath) " " 112
Charles " " 89
Flat Lands " " 13
Heine (Camp) " " 61

After passing through the principal streets, the procession, which was nearly one thousand strong and which received hearty applause from the crowds that thronged the line of march returned to the parade grounds. Here they were halted and counter-marched, going through the manoeuvres very nicely, after which county

mounted the platform which had been erected for the occasion and called upon the Mayor of the town to welcome the visiting lodges and friends.

Mayor William Murray made a neat speech in which he congratulated the Orangemen on their fine turnout and assured them that they were more than welcome to the town.

The next speaker was Mr. M. Lestey, M. P. He made, as usual, a very interesting speech. Messrs. Rev. A. F. Brown and Parke and Grand Director of Ceremonies, J. W. Clarke also made appropriate remarks holding the attention of the audience till the last word was uttered.

The speech making was brought to a close by a rousing speech from Grand Master P. Heine.

Bro. Devereaux, County Master of Restigouche, then thanked his Worship the mayor and others for the courteous and cordial reception that had been extended the visiting brethren and their friends.

Out door sports were indulged in during the afternoon, there being jumping, running and other sports, also a base ball game which was much enjoyed by a large and interested crowd of spectators.

In the evening the Newcastle Minstrels gave an old fashioned minstrel show. The house was crowded and each number received well merited applause. One of the best hits of the evening was the tumbling and acrobatic work of Messrs. M. Keen and Brooks. The show was pronounced by a great many to be the best of its kind ever seen in Campbellton.

HON. A. G. BLAIR RESIGNS.

Disagreement With Colleagues Over Grand Trunk Bill.

His Course Upheld by Friends on the North Shore.

Yesterday morning a telegram was received from James Robinson, M. P., stating that Hon. A. G. Blair had resigned his position in the cabinet through disagreement in the Grand Trunk Bill.

The following are late press despatches:

OTTAWA, July 13.—Hon. A. G. Blair has resigned his position in the cabinet. Efforts were made tonight to get a statement from Mr. Blair but he refused to be interviewed.

That he has resigned, there is no doubt. The difficulty between himself and his colleagues appears to have arisen over the eastern section of the Grand Trunk Pacific proposition.

Mr. Blair has been all along opposed to the Grand Trunk Pacific extending to Moncton, as he said this meant paralleling the government line, and thereby injuring the road.

When it was noticed last Thursday that Mr. Blair did not take any part in the caucus which was called to consider the Grand Trunk Pacific, it was suspected that the agreement under consideration was not satisfactory to him. On Saturday he left the city with his daughter and returned at noon today. It is said that on reaching the city he learned that the cabinet had decided to adhere to the arrangement with the Grand Trunk Pacific to carry out the eastern section as proposed, and therefore he had separated on this question, and most probably on this one alone, from his

colleagues, and left the cabinet.

There are some who say that his resignation has been in the hands of the premier for two or three days, but so far no official statement is obtainable, and it is not likely that there will be any until such time as the premier makes one to parliament and Mr. Blair will reply, if the precedent is followed, the premier will have first to communicate with his excellency the governor general, and to acquaint him with the facts before making any formal announcement.

If the above is true Mr. Blair has taken the right course and by this action will gain many friends on the North Shore, who look at the government proposal to build a road in opposition to the present government road, (the Intercolonial) as the height of folly.

Fuller details will be awaited with interest.

BORN.

On July 12th to Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Caldwell, a son. At Chelmsford July 8th to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert E. McKel, a daughter.

MARRIED.

At the church of the Sacred Heart, East Boston, Mass. June 14th, by the Rev. Father McClur, Mr. Chas. Wm. Magras of East Boston, to Winnifred A. Gilles of Newcastle, N. B.

DEATH OF REV. DR. READ.

Rev. John Read, D. D., pastor of the Methodist church at St. Stephen, died suddenly of neuralgia of the heart at 7 o'clock Friday evening. He participated in the services of this church on Sunday last, but had since been confined to his home. He leaves a wife, one daughter and three sons. Rev. Dr. Read was one of the leading ministers in the Methodist denomination and had many warm friends in St. John and throughout the province who will hear of his death with sincere regret. Rev. Dr. Read was a native of Albert county, and was educated at Mount Allison. He entered the work of the Methodist ministry in 1857, and ever since has been active. He has at various times served at Nashwaak, Gagetown, Parrabero, Berwick, Truro and Halifax. In 1870 he came back to the New Brunswick circuit and served successively at Queen Square and Exmouth street churches in this city and then went to Marysville, Charlottetown, Moncton, and in 1896 took charge of Centenary church, and remained until 1899, when he went to St. Stephen, where he has since been located. Rev. Dr. Read was a representative at the general conference held in Toronto in 1886, and was also a member of the Evangelical Alliance which met in New York in 1874. He was president of the N. B. and P. E. I. Conference in 1884, the year that the union of the Methodist bodies in Canada took place. He has also been chairman of the Charlottetown, Sackville, St. John, St. Stephen and Fredericton districts. He took an active part in the proceedings at the recent conference in this city. Rev. Dr. Read was an able speaker, and an excellent pastor who worked his circuits to great advantage. He was thoughtful and studious, and was generally regarded as one of the foremost men the Methodist church in this province. One of Dr. Read's sons is in the Gibson employ at Marysville, one is with the Summer Company, Moncton, and one is in the West. His daughter lives at home with her mother, formerly Miss Sterling, of Nashwaak.

DIED.

At Millerton on the 27th June Cecil G. son of James A. and Annie K. Langie, died of heart trouble, his age was 6 years and 7 months.

At Newcastle, Friday, July 10th, Miss Isabella Murray, daughter of the late Wm. Murray.

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 NEWCASTLE, JULY, 15, 1903.

BEAUTIFY OUR TOWN.
 We have one of the prettiest little towns in New Brunswick. Nature and art have combined to make it so, but in our opinion most of the credit is due to Nature. Much could be done, at very little expense, that would add to the comfort and appearance of Newcastle and we would make a few suggestions which we trust will be taken in the right spirit.
 First—Could not the heaps of gravel raked off the streets into the gutters be carted away.
 Second—Why not have the men working on the roads take a half day or more if need be and cut down the weeds along the side walks before they go to seed.
 Third—To add to the comfort of all the Park and Fire Committee might have the drinking fountain in the Park repaired and have water flowing therefrom. If one now wishes a drink of cold water he must approach a friend and beg of him the desired refreshment, or perhaps indulge in a mug of beer. Let us have pure Adam's ale so that all can be refreshed.

MERCHANTS' DAY.
 A popular and paying demonstration has been frequently tried in towns in our sister province of Nova Scotia whereby much new business is gained for the town. This is what is known as Merchants' Day.
 An enterprising committee of live merchants is given charge of the affair and they make plans to have a good programme of sports, amusements, etc. to attract visitors. They also provide means of refreshment and rest to the shoppers they wish to induce to town and lastly every merchant for that special day marks down his prices to the bottom shelf and these attractively sets before the public. Thus our country neighbors, besides having a variety of sports to attract them can also rely on doing a good days shopping at a saving of dollars and cents.
 Excursion rates must be obtained on all railways and boats, and the merchants must honestly give the reductions they advertise. In this way a large number of people may be attracted to town for the day.
 Why not start the movement.

CANADA'S CREDIT.
 New Zealand recently received a setback when a new loan was offered to the British public. All Australian loans are now regarded suspiciously also, because they have been flying their kites rather high under the Southern Cross. In Canada more modesty has been shown. The franchise has not been given to woman, nor has the Government assumed the general debts and obligations of the citizens. A few millions are given to favoured individuals occasionally, and another divide will be announced soon with Senate Cox as the recipient of the largest slice of cake. Yet our credit has been kept at Lloyd's or some other part of London, and our loans are well regarded by investors. This year Canada has already collected eleven million more than she has spent and the year is not yet closed. The national debt will be reduced a few millions shortly just as an object lesson to the other parts of the Empire.—Canadian Magazine.

THE NEW CANADA.
 Canada is looked upon as a narrow strip of fertile country bounded on the north by a wide strip of frozen

and barren lands. It was once thought that Edmonton was the farthest habitable point in the Northwest, but strange as it may seem, the Hudson Bay Co. last year built a flour mill 400 miles north of Edmonton. In other words, this new flour mill for grinding wheat is 600 miles north of Calgary on the main line of the Canadian Pacific Railway. The Peace River Valley promises to be a very prosperous part of the Northwest.—Canadian Magazine.

EDITORIAL NOTES.
 Pope Leo XIII., that remarkable old man continues to improve in health and bids fair to survive for some time yet.

The British North Atlantic Squadron is at St. John and is being warmly welcomed. The officers were entertained by Governor Snowball Saturday evening. The Governor should induce the officers to pay the Miramichi a visit.

Surely after the recent test of our water service the New Brunswick Fire Underwriters will condescend to give Newcastle a new rating. It was a mistake not to have had an official here while the test was being made.

PERILS OF A DIVER
 DIVER F. S. HENRION TELLS OF SOME INTERESTING EXPERIENCES.

Repairing the Steamer Minto—Working Hundreds of Feet Below the Surface of the Water—The Diver's Uniform—Six Hours Under Water—A Sad Duty—A Narrow Escape.

During last winter for sixty-four days the steamer Stanley was imprisoned in the ice fields and for thirty-nine days the Minto was in similar jeopardy. It was a demonstration of the dangers and difficulties of all diving, up communication between Prince Edward Island and the mainland.

When the steamship was first approached, and relieved by coal and provisions from the Minto, she had only eighteen tons of coal left and very few provisions.
 Many strange stories and adventures are recorded of such experiences, but few are as interesting as the interview given by Diver F. S. Henrion, who placed the new blades on the Minto propeller shaft.

The Diver's Uniform.
 "The suit I wore weighs 200 pounds," he said. "Eighty pounds of lead are carried on the shoulders to keep me down in the buoyant salt water. My boots weigh thirty pounds. A large hose tube conveys the air to my helmet, and is pumped down by two men above the surface, through means of a special air pump."
 "It is extremely hard to pump the air down rather than a hundred feet, but I have frequently worked at a much greater depth. The safety rope acts both as a signal and life preserver. The men on the surface frequently pull the rope once. If no answer comes after repeating the signal three times, they draw me to the surface, knowing well that something has gone wrong at the bottom."

Six Hours Under Water.
 "I have on one occasion worked six hours below the surface without once coming up to take a rest."
 "In repairing and placing in position the new propelling blades on the steamer Minto I was not more than two hours submerged at any one time, and I completed my task in about a week. The task of placing the Minto's blades in position was a fairly hard one. I broke several chisels, and I found the nuts and cement very difficult to get off."
 "As a result of the steamship's hard work in the ice, I found only the stumps of the blades left on the shaft. Sometimes I find it necessary after examining the bottom of a ship, to come to the surface and make a sketch of the work which must be done. This must be accomplished, of course, from memory."

A Sad Duty.
 "One of the saddest duties which I have ever had to perform was in bringing to the surface the Davidson family, of Halifax. As a result of a yachting accident in that harbor eight of the family were drowned."
 "Last year there was a very interesting wreck near Canso, N. S. It was a large German steamship which went ashore at that point, and I worked there for three or four weeks, salvaging \$100,000 worth of cargo, which was afterwards sold in New York. While the steamer proved a total wreck, a considerable part of the cargo, consisting of crockery—

ware, tinware, etc., was safely brought to the surface.
A Narrow Escape.
 "I had a very narrow escape for my life some three years ago, when working off the coast of Yarmouth, N. S. It was in connection with the beautiful new Allan liner Castilian, which went ashore on the ledges at that point. I was in the hold of the ship, under water, when a number of the barrels of apples, forming part of the cargo, suddenly shifted, rolling me to the top of the under deck ceiling, and pinning me there for upwards of an hour, until rescued by another diver."
 "The air during all that time was pumped faithfully to me from the surface, and it was a lucky thing that the rubber hose tube was not severed in the accident."
Just Arrived From the Island.
 A native of Prince Edward Island had come forth to see the world. When he reached Boston he engaged a room at a modest hotel, intending to remain there while he hunted for work.
 "Will you register?" asked the clerk, handing him a pen.
 "Register?" said the traveler, "what's that?"
 "Write your name."
 "What for?"
 "We are required to keep a record of all our guests."
 The man wrote his name, and was about to lay down the pen when the clerk added:
 "Now the place, if you please."
 "The place you come from. Where do you live?"
 "I live on the island."
 "Well, but what island?"
 The other man looked at him in amazement. Then he said, with an emphasis that left no doubt of his feelings, "Prince Edward Island, man. What other island is there?"
 Youth's Companion.

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The Power of Thought.
 Beware of what you think, for what you think quite as much as what you say makes your character. Wrong acts practiced in will wreck any life, but wrong thoughts have just as sure an effect. It not infrequently happens that people who live fairly good lives, so far as their actions go, do not feel it necessary to set so close a guard on their thoughts. These are hidden, and of what harm is it to occasionally cherish a vulgar thought if one does not allow it to escape in action? Of what harm to hate if one does not show it? To imagine oneself committing wrong acts if one does not actually commit them? But the laws of life say that every thought affects the whole being. As a man's heart is, so will he be. Evil thoughts gradually undermine the character and some day these thoughts will burst into action which is irremediable.—Woman's Home Companion.

Humors of Agham Fight.

It was during a sham fight between two volunteer corps, at a point in Ontario which shall be nameless for obvious reasons. One of the opposing forces was retreating before the other.
 Sergeant Major (to captain)—We are going too far away from the railway station, sir. If we retreat any more, we'll never get back in time to catch the train.
 Captain—How absurd of the colonel to drive us so far! Orderly, run over to the officer in charge of the enemy and ask him, with my compliments, if he will please retreat toward the railway station.

Camera Shows Twins to Be Unlike.
 "It is a curiosity of photography that two persons who look alike in the flesh look entirely unlike in a picture," said a photographer. "I saw that peculiarity of the human countenance strangely exemplified in the case of two girls whom I photographed a few weeks ago. The girls were twins. Each was the dead image of the other, and I felt positively uncanny when posing them, for I expected the result to be two pictured faces startlingly alike. But they did not turn out so. The features were the same, to be sure, but in the photographic process the underlying expression had been brought to the fore and had given to each girl an individuality of her own which diminished the resemblance wonderfully."
 "I have noticed the same peculiarity in other cases of photographing doubles, although never in so pronounced a degree. In some faces expression counts for much more than feature, even in photography, and although the cheeks, nose and mouth may be cast in the same mold, the camera gives results widely different."

Thackeray Didn't Wear Spurs.
 Thackeray was not a vain man, and he disliked vanity in others and made it the subject of his ridicule and sarcasm.
 After long pleading his family indebtedness to have his portrait painted, and Lawrence, a famous London artist, gladly undertook the task.
 Soon after the picture was completed Thackeray chanced to be dining at his club when a pompous officer of the guards stopped beside the table and said:
 "Haw, Thackeray, old boy, I hear Lawrence has been painting your portrait."
 "So he has," was the response.
 "Full length?"
 "No; full length portraits are for soldiers, that we may see their spurs. But the other end of the man is the principal thing with authors," said Thackeray.

A PRECOCIOUS BOY.

The Essay on Man That Was Written by a Child of Eight Years.

I remember, writes a correspondent of a London paper, hearing Lord Dufferin tell the following story of the late Sheridan Le Fanu: Sheridan's father—the archbishop of Meath, I think—was a great stickler for punctuality, and his son did not share. One morning young Sheridan, then about eight years old, descended unusually late for breakfast and was met at the door by his father, watch in hand. "Is this right, sir; is this right?" demanded the prelate in stern tones. "I don't know, sir," replied Sheridan, looking at the watch and pretending to think the question applied to it and not to his conduct, "but I rather think it's fast."
 For this impudence young Sheridan was condemned to write an essay on "The Three Ages of Man." Here is what he wrote:
 "There are three ages of man.
 "First—When he is engaged in planning every conceivable mode of wickedness. This is known as the age of impudence.
 "Second—When he is putting his wickedness into operation. This he called the prime of manhood.
 "Third—When he becomes anxious about his soul and turns to religion. This is done."
 And this from a child of eight!

Scholarly Men and the Pulpit.
 If scholarly men more and more reject the church as the means by which they will influence opinion and conduct and replace it by educational, editorial and administrative agencies, the next century may be altogether guided in its intellectual decisions and in those of its actions which depend on intellectual judgments by forces outside the church. Our grandfathers looked to the minister for advice not only upon religious beliefs and moral practice, but also upon matters outside their own direct acquaintance. The minister prescribed for the education of sons, solved social problems and acted as the source and judge of truth in matters of general knowledge. Our sons seem likely to regard the ministry as a body of men fitted to deal with men's religious welfare, but less fitted to be generous mentors in other things. The direction of the people in education purely religious activities may pass wholly out of the hands of the church.—Professor E. L. Thorndike 1. Century.

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DOAKTOWN.

We are having another spell of very dry weather but no forest fires. The crops look fine generally. The grain crop is far above the average at this time of the year.

Wm. Mitchell is building a barn which adds to the appearance of his farm. As the schools are now closed we are very glad to see our teachers arriving home from their different fields of labor.

Doaktown school is closed for the remainder of the summer, and we hope our teachers will have a good time.

Among the Blissfield folks in town today were: E. Mersereau, Jas. Weaver, W. Sutherland and Alex. McKee.

Mr. J. McLaughlin and Mr. F. Mahony of Cains River were in town last week.

The I. O. O. F. of this place are again sounding their picnic trumpet and are going to hold their annual picnic on July 22nd. The committee indeed deserve special credit for the way they are working to make it the grandest affair ever held here.

TABUSINTAC.

TABUSINTAC July 6.—The tea given by the ladies of Tabusintac Presbyterian church on the 1st of July was probably the most successful in the history of the congregation. The day was an ideal day for an outing and the number of kind friends that gathered on the meadow grounds from Church Point, New Jersey, Tracadie and other neighboring districts seemed with the people of Tabusintac to tax the resources of the supply department to the utmost. From the manse verandah Mr. Wendall McCosh of Douglastown, by bringing a gramophone into operation entertained the arriving guests till late in the evening when all retired to the church which had been artistically decorated by the Misses Wishart, to enjoy an excellent programme of sacred songs, recitations, reading addresses, &c.

The proceeds of the tea and concert which amounted to \$105.00 go to the fund which is being raised for contemplated alterations on the church building this summer. The managers here-by convey their thanks to Miss Nellie Wishart for the efficient training of the choir and presiding at the organ; to Mr. Wendall McCosh for gramophone selections; to Messrs. Graham and Pallin for the use of tents and other favors; and to all parties who helped to make Dominion Day so pleasant and profitable for the people of Tabusintac. The following is the programme reader.

- Opening remarks, Chairman, Rev. J. R. MacKay.
Selection, by Choir.
Instrumental Selection, Messrs James Ross and George McLean.
Recitation, Miss Lida Wishart.
Solo, Miss Amanda Munroe.
Recitation, Mr. Alexander McCosh.
Solo, Ida Palmer.
Recitation, by Choir.
Selection, Miss Alma Wishart.
Reading, Miss Jessie Johnstone.
Recitation, Miss Jessie Johnstone.
Deat, Misses M. Buchanan and McCernick.
Recitation, Miss Janie Simpson.
Reading, Mr. Charles Palmer.
Selection, by Choir.
Recitation, Miss Myrtle McCalmum.
Solo and chorus, Rev. J. R. MacKay and choir.
Dialogue, Misses Janie and Lida Wishart.

Recitation, Miss Annie McIntosh.
Duet, Mrs. Wm. Simpson and Mr. A. McCosh.
Recitation, Miss McCormack.
Address, Rev. J. A. MacLean.
Recitation, Miss Olive Jardine.
Solo and Chorus, Miss Myrtle Murray and choir.
Address, Rev. Mammond Johnstone.
Reading, Rev. J. R. MacKay.
Closing selection by choir.

The following gentlemen have been appointed a committee to attend to the alterations to be made on the church this summer: Messrs. Simon Simpson, convenor, Robert Buchanan, Murdoch, MacLeod and George McLean.—World.

TRACADIE.

The Tracadie Lumber Company, of which Mr. Wing is manager, first built their mills here in 1898. The mill has a capacity of over 10,000,000 feet of lumber a year. It is fitted up with all modern machinery for converting the logs into all kinds of lumber with machine shop, blacksmith shop, dry house, warehouses, store and office, with the large hotel with its beautiful grounds. Its lumber yard is said to be the largest in the Maritime provinces. There is also the box mill and factory, which require 2,000,000 to 3,000,000 feet of pine annually. Most of the lumber has been in the past years shipped to New York and Boston markets. A lot of last year's has been shipped to St. John, N. B., by rail.

The St. John Baptist Church (Catholic) was erected in 1875 by Rev. J. A. Babincau. It is a large building, capable of holding over a thousand people. Its perfect symmetry of interior, with the three beautiful altars and four large steeple spires, attracts the attention of its numerous visitors. The main altar with its fine smaller statues, is over 30 feet in height from the top cross to the floor, while the plastering and woodwork is worth special observation. This building is made of sandstone, with a gilded roof and steeple.

The Lazarette, established in 1892, is one of the largest buildings, if not the largest in Northern New Brunswick counties, built of sandstone. It comprises the Hospital, Orphanage, Pharmacy, Chapel and Convict, of which Mother Brown is Superior of the sisters in charge, who belong to the Sisters of Providence. These nuns are at present about fifteen in number. The number of patients (lepers) is about seventeen or so. This magnificent building is situated near the main village, not far off the shore.

The Superior school, a new building built in 1900, provided with large, well lighted rooms, and play ground, is built of wood, two stories high, of which the first floor is the Superior department.

LeBreton Hotel, situated in the village, is three stories high. Mr. Charles LeBreton the proprietor, has had this building enlarged this summer. It is one of the best hotels in Gloucester. There is also a general store in connection, the head office of which is Bathurst, known as Holdens & Rosenberg. These two buildings are next to the railway station. A. R. Loggie, dealers in dry goods, groceries, etc., have at present a new store in operation, which is a hundred and ten feet long. This company is doing a great business, especially in the blueberry trade. They have been established here since 1899. The buildings include store, warehouse, and a large freezer. Mr. John E. Dixon is the manager. The J. B. Snowball Co. has a large saw-

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mill, situated on the northern part of the village. This mill is the first mill built in Tracadie. Mr. Robert Loggie, the manager is from Chatham.

Mr. Philip Arsenault has also a lumber mill of fair capacity. Mr. Arsenault is a manufacturer of shingles and bricks.

The Lounsbury Company, Ltd., is represented here by Mr. James Archer, who is doing an extensive business in farm machinery, wagons, plows, etc. Their warehouse is opposite A. & R. Loggie's.

The Miramichi Farm Implement Co., a branch of the Newcastle local office, has built a warehouse and is represented here by Mr. J. M. Bourgeois. This firm has been established here this summer next to Lounsbury's.

Mr. J. C. Goughlan, general dealer and hotel keeper, has a good boarding house where travellers will always find good accommodations.—World.

BATHURST.

Strangers who are not accustomed to our summer weather on the Bay Chaleur are often surprised at the relief, after a sultry day, which the evening brings. As soon as the sun sinks behind the horizon, that lovely cool sea breeze comes in from the Bay, rendering our summer nights delightful.

All last week we experienced these warm days, and lovely nights, but strange to say while the nights are cool this summer, very little dew or moisture is apparent, and the crops have been suffering for rain. The heavy thunder shower which swept over Bathurst on Sunday, was therefore a great and welcome relief to the farmers, who have about given up hope of having even an average hay crop this year, and this coming after a comparative failure of the important harvest last year, and a very light crop the season before is a very serious matter for our people to contemplate.

In Gloucester County, where lumbering operations call for a large consumption of fodder, there is always a good market for hay and oats; and the weather conditions make or mar the prosperity of our farmers, therefore it is to be hoped the weather from this time forward will help the grain crop, which up to date is hardly as far ahead as it should be. A failure of both grain and hay would be a great misfortune.

The warm weather of the past fortnight is beginning to drive the summer tourists from their city homes. They are however much later in coming to the sea shore this season than usual, and we fear our summer hotels all along the coast will hardly reap their usual harvest.—No doubt however a hot July and August if they appear, may yet compel many to seek our cool shores.—By the newspapers we notice that the hot weather which generally appears weeks earlier than this date, is only now being felt to any great extent in the large American cities.

Are our people grumblers by nature we wonder? Now we were thinking that working men generally and wages for the working men, were fairly good in Bathurst and along the North Shore this summer, but yesterday we listened to a merchant and a mechanic bewailing the fact that any other country was better than this, and in fact wishing they were both far away from Bathurst, in some Country where no doubt they think money can be picked up in the streets. Sometimes we fancy it would do some people good to actually have a glimpse of the poverty and misery which are every day scenes in a large city like New York or London. Here in New Brunswick people hardly feel the pressure of the world known as poverty, and in Bathurst particularly at present, times are very good.

The lumbering firms are paying really all cash; there is quite a boom in building operations, and in fact labor is scarce, and larger wages are being paid than for some years, yet we grumble, some people will not doubt grumble at Heaven, if they ever get there, for not being quite up to their expectations. Of course we have not all the amusements and attractions which a large city can offer, but then we should remember that we have many things which are not to be obtained in that same large city. We have pure air and good healthy food for ourselves and children, and have hundreds of little comforts here which only the rich in a city might be able to obtain. The fact is our people many of them have an idea that living here in New Brunswick is only wasting their time.—They read of great wealth being obtained by a fortunate few in other places, some lucky man whom they once knew has struck good luck in the West perhaps and they know quite well that if they had been there this great good luck would have been theirs also. They do not remember or perhaps do not know, that for one man who makes a fortune, or is a decided success in the great world, thousands are miserable worn out failures. Our people, particularly the people of the North Shore of New Bruns-

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wick, should be the happiest and most contented in the wide world. Where in the whole world can a man with a family live more comfortable than on the shores of the lovely Bay Chaleur.

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A young Englishman who spent a few years in the West made a business trip through Gloucester county a few weeks ago, and told the writer that he had seen no country excepting perhaps the Islands of the Pacific, where in his opinion a man with a small family could live as easily as here. He remarked that the West worked ten times as hard for much smaller returns for many, many years, though perhaps after those many years of hard work, it might happen in more cases than here that comparative wealth came. Still they were old men always when it did come, and there was no such opportunity of enjoying life in their prime, and yet have comparative comfort as there appeared to be in this country.

Fishing along the coast, particularly the salmon fishery, still keeps rather better than up to the average. Large quantities are being shipped all the time and the prices appear to be all right. The litigation initiated by the Agents of the Angling Club against the fishermen for not observing the Fishery Regulations still continues before the Magistrate. It is understood that the fishermen have appealed to the Dominion Government, through the officers of the Fishery Department, asking that an investigation into the matter be held, and that some satisfactory answer has been returned, which will likely be acted upon very soon.

A few maskeral are making their appearance in the Bay, and it is to be hoped that many more will follow. No person seems to be able to understand anything at all about these strange fish, and there is no accounting for them. In years gone by the Bay teemed with them, and it happens every few years that great quantities of them appear showing conclusively that they are not, like some other fish, all killed out; but where they disappear to in the meantime no person can tell. Fishermen say that maskeral are the most mysterious fish that swim in the deep sea.

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THE MYSTERY OF GRASLOV

By Ashley Towne
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Neslerov was carried to the car by the villagers. The backs of two seats were turned down, a bed was made for him, and he lay there quiet and seemingly content.

"Of course, I know that you are seriously wounded," said Denton to him, "and the possibility of your doing any mischief is small, but I want to tell you before we start that if I catch you at any tricks I will kill you as I would a dog."

Neslerov nodded, and Denton went on the engine.

It was an exciting start, though the audience was small. The villagers stared, then laughed as the little old engine puffed and screeched and scraped as it got under way.

But it had a man in charge of it who was accustomed to overcoming difficulties. And the way he made it groan and work would have made glad the heart of the man who had abandoned it on the siding six months before.

In the car was silence. Neslerov was too weak to talk; Frances would not talk to him if he wished. She remained at the end of the car, save to go in mercy to him and offer him water at intervals. At such times he would look up at her with an earnest, furtive expression on his face. She would not speak, nor he.

Suddenly at a siding toward which he had been aiming Denton turned the engine to the right and brought the little train to a standstill. They had been on the road sixteen hours and had traveled 210 miles.

Frances and Neslerov both looked up as the train stopped and saw the grimy engineer enter the car.

"There is a village near here," he said, "and just beyond this siding there is a small signal box. I have just visited it, and there is a train coming this way from Tomsk. Undoubtedly, as there is no regular train due, this is a searching party out after Frances Gordon. Now, I have no wish to start an international controversy. What story shall we tell?"

"Tell the truth," said Frances. "It does not, as a rule, harm any person who is innocent."

"No," said Neslerov; "not as a rule. But we are in a part of the world where customs are different from yours. If you tell the truth, you will never make the world believe you. But you will not understand; I cannot tell you."

"I know what you mean," said Frances scornfully. "You mean that your reputation is so bad that if it were known that you had that car left behind to compare me to marry you every body will be sure I am your wife. Is that it?"

"Yes; something like that."

"But, then, there is my word," said Denton.

"Your story will be believed by your people, my story by mine," said Neslerov. "Let us each tell what we please, and let the world start."

The whistle of a speeding locomotive was borne to him in the breeze. It came one engine and a car, the same as that he was on, but a modern locomotive of American make. Gordon was in the car with some officials from Tomsk.

"Hey! That you, Denton?" he gasped as the grimy bridgebuilder stepped into the car, which was stopped at the side of the connection engine. "My girl and the governor of Tomsk got left behind in a car. Seen?"

"I'm all right," said Frances as she emerged from her car and drew to her father's arms.

"Did Denton save you? What was it? Where is Neslerov?" asked Gordon.

"Oh, he is in there," said Frances

coolly. "We've had a lively experience. I thought at one time we'd be killed by some savages. But Mr. Denton and the prince, oh, let's get on; I'm tired out and hungry."

Denton heard and wondered.

In every new experience he had had with Frances Gordon he had been made more and more astonished by the uncertain moods, the whims, the strange turns her caprice would take.

"Hitch on to this train and haul her back to the Obi," said Denton. "If the road doesn't want this engine, I can use it at the Obi bridge."

This attachment was soon made, and Mr. Gordon, after visiting the prince and congratulating him upon his escape from the savages, assisted in



At the sight of the engine she understood, transferring to him some of the comforts to be found in the other car. The Russian officials swarmed around him and praised his courage.

"And that American! He is a brave one too!" they said.

"Yes; he is brave—braver than I," said Neslerov weakly.

The train started back toward Tomsk. It had about ninety miles to go to reach the Obi. During the journey Denton and Frances found themselves side by side in the rear car, with no one near enough to hear their low spoken tones.

"I cannot understand you," said Denton. "You first said tell the truth, then you yourself told the first deliberate lie. Why?"

Frances looked at him coolly.

"Because I thought it over. There was a good deal in what Neslerov said. Then, again, you and my father have work to do, a career to make, money to earn, and with the enmity of Neslerov you would be ruined. I studied it well. It is better as I said it. Let it pass."

"Here we are at Vashlov," he said. "For the time being you are home again."

"Yes," she replied, with the slightest tremor in her voice. "Thanks to you, I am home again—in my temporary home."

CHAPTER X.
JANSKY, SUPERINTENDENT OF POLICE.

NESLEROV lay in his palace in Tomsk, slowly recovering. His heart was filled with rage, and he longed for vengeance.

His closest confidant now was Jansky, who, owing to his meritorious conduct in the apprehension of so great a gang of conspirators as the Paulpoffs, was promoted at the request of Neslerov to a post where he could assist his superior in his plans and ambitions.

He had told Jansky the story of the ride from Moscow, and it was of course colored to suit his purpose. Jansky had received his commission—the first important one since his arrival at Tomsk—to watch the American and find an opportunity to wreak vengeance.

About twenty miles from the city of Tomsk was the village of Tivolofsky, a small mining town peopled by convicts. To this town the Paulpoffs had been sent. Vladimir was useful in the mines. With his tremendous strength he could do the work of two, and in his simple obedience to the mandates of his superiors he never uttered a complaint. The old people did menial work, cooking for the convicts who had no families or cleaning in the houses of the officers.

This new life came hardest upon the old people, and it was their sufferings that made Vladimir curse under his breath.

One day Jansky entered the room where Neslerov sat or half reclined.

"Well, what is it? I see you have something to say," said Neslerov.

"I have, your excellency," replied the superintendent of police. "It concerns him—your enemy."

"The American?"

"Yes. I have obeyed your commands—he has been constantly watched. And at last we are in a position to strike."

Neslerov sat up straight.

"What? Tell me at once."

"It is not yet revealed what the man's object is, but he and the Paulpoffs are plotting again."

"The Paulpoffs?"

"They and the American. He has visited them twice. It was overheard

that he and Papa Paulpoff had a long conversation about a picture."

Neslerov glanced at a painting that hung on the wall. It was the painting he had taken from the Paulpoffs' house at Perm.

"What can he know about the picture?" asked the governor.

"I do not know. That is, as I said, not yet revealed."

"Jansky," he said, "I know what the object is if you do not. Listen carefully now to what I say. It is quite possible the American has discovered the existence of the original of that picture you see there. It is a small metalion, probably in a locket. It was lost some years ago by a member of my family and bears relation to a great mystery—the mystery of Graslov."

Jansky shut his eyes and seemed to be thinking.

"Jansky, your life and mine depend on your action now. Do you understand?"

"I understand nothing."

"That picture, if it is the one I mean, must be brought to me. The American, if he proves to be interested in it, must know or suspect something I do not wish him to know. There are ways whereby even an American could appear in Siberia. And Jansky, Vladimir Paulpoff is a most dangerous plotter even here. He ought to be placed where he can do no more mischief."

"I begin to understand," said Jansky grimly.

He bowed and left the palace and rode toward Tivolofsky.

Two days passed, during which Jansky watched and kept himself in readiness to act. Then, while Mamma Paulpoff was alone in her hut, she heard an imperative knocking at the door. Papa Paulpoff and Vladimir had just gone to the mine. Denton, the American, had left the hut but a short time before.

"Mamma Paulpoff had been through so much trouble of late that the slightest sound jarred upon her. She turned white and stopped backward as she saw the dark and forbidding face of Jansky. Behind Jansky were two of the Tomsk police.

"You are Mamma Paulpoff," said Jansky, slipping his foot in the door and working his way inside.

"I am; you know me; I was at Perm," faltered the trembling old woman.

"I am quite well aware that you were at Perm, old woman, and also that conspiring son of yours. It shows the mercy of the czar that you received no worse punishment. This is heaven compared to what you deserved."

"We had done nothing, your excellency."

"What! You still persist in that lie! You were all in the game, and you are still at it, let me tell you."

"It is not so," wailed the old woman, having visions of horrible punishments of which she had heard.

"Don't tell me," said Jansky, brandishing a whip he carried. The other two did the same, but their whips were heavier.

The old woman crouched against the wall.

"Don't lie to me again," thundered Jansky. "I have been watching you every day since you came to this place. I say you are still conspiring."

"It is not so! I swear it in the name of God!" cried Mamma Paulpoff.

"Let me tell you, it will be worse for you if you do not tell the truth. You are receiving a visitor who is suspicious."

"A visitor! I know no one!" gasped Mamma Paulpoff.

"Oh, do you not? But you were here when he came. Did he come to see you, your husband or your son?"

"Who—of whom do you speak?" asked the frightened old woman.

"Of whom would I speak save that accursed American! He has twice made attempts upon the life of the governor of Tomsk. Yet the governor in the kindness of his heart has not molested him. But he was warned if a third attempt was made it would go hard with him."

"Ah, it is impossible! He is so good—so kind!"

"Good and kind, eh? In what manner does he display it?"

"Oh, he came—he came!"

The old woman stumbled and floundered. It had been borne in upon her understanding by Papa Paulpoff that on no account must she breathe a word to any person concerning the visit of which Jansky spoke.

"Come, out with it!" stormed Jansky.

"He came—I do not know why he came," murmured the old woman in despair.

"I will tell you. He came to conspire against the life of Neslerov, governor of Tomsk."

"No, no! I swear he did not."

"Good! Then if you know he did not, you must know why he did come here. Out with it, now, if you value your life."

"My life! Ah, you would not harm a hapless old woman!"

For answer Jansky brought his whip down on her bony shoulders.

"Have mercy!" cried the unfortunate.

"Will you tell why the American visited this house?"

"I know not."

"Take her; tie her thumbs—there, over the door!" he commanded savagely.

His two gallant men needed no further bidding. The aged woman was seized, cords were fastened to her thumbs, and she was placed standing in the doorway Jansky had indicated, with her thumbs being always her head.

"Tie the rags from her back!"

A rude hand tore away her garments to the waist.

"Now, then, old hag," said Jansky, "understand I have come for the truth and will have it. If you do not give it to me, I will kill you. I will get the truth from Paulpoff, who has more sense than you. Now, what was the business that brought the American here?"

"I know not," whispered the woman, with a great sob.

"The lash!" roared Jansky.

One of his police swung his heavy whip, and the lash came down across the naked shoulders. A livid mark told the course, and Mamma Paulpoff cried out in agony.

"This must be known!" said Jansky. "Either you or some one must tell. What brought the American here? Was it concerning a picture?"

"I know not," said the woman.

"The lash!" roared Jansky.

A white line and a red one marked the blows of the whip. Mamma Paulpoff screamed in her awful torture. Her limbs grew weaker, and she hung by the cords tied to her thumbs. The thumbs were black.

"You will learn!" said Jansky. "The officers of the czar must take these steps to protect his empire. With the lesson you have had, tell the truth. What brought the American here?"

"I know not," answered the woman.

"Hell's furies upon her!" said Jansky, almost beside himself. "The lash! Three times!"

"Let me cry," said the police officer who had done no whipping.

"Your arm is weak," said the police officer who had done no whipping.

"Let me cry."

A smile of horrible cruelty crossed his face as he stepped by the side of the woman. His whip whistled in the air. It fell—once—twice—thrice, and with a scream, her head fell back. Her eyes glazed.

"Hold! Quick! Release her and restore her to consciousness!" ordered Jansky. "She is unconscious and cannot feel our punishment."

They cut her down, laid her on the floor and poured liquor down her throat.

Groans came from her as they worked.

"God, take me from this awful pain!" she murmured.

"She feels again!" said Jansky in savage glee. "String her up!"

Again she was raised and the cords were fastened to her thumbs.

"Now, hag, tell me why the American came here? Was it to kill the governor or to kill the czar?"

"No, I do not know."

"You lie. The charge against him and Vladimir is that they are conspiring to kill both the American and Vladimir will be taken to the prison at Tomsk and shot. Tell the truth. It will save them and you."

"I know nothing!" said the old woman, remembering her husband's warnings.

"The lash, both of you! Kill the old beast!" yelled Jansky.

"It was but a picture—to take a picture!" cried Mamma Paulpoff in tones that pierced the air.

Her weakness had come too late. Both whips coiled round her shrunken breasts. The withered skin was cut as with a knife. One scream came from her writhing lips, and she was still.

"Cut her down. Leave her," was Jansky's curt remark. He watched them lay the still form upon the floor and then led the way to their horses.

"It was a picture," he muttered.

Then Neslerov was right, and the American is on the trail. Both he and Vladimir must die!

That night Vladimir came home from the mine with Papa Paulpoff. He was the first to step across the threshold.

"My God!" he said. "Who has been here?"

Papa Paulpoff stood stupefied, looking at the upturned face of his wife—bruised—bruised—her breast covered with blood.

"The police!" wailed the old man, wringing his hands pitifully. "They have killed Mamma Paulpoff! They will kill you—and me!"

Vladimir's gentle, placid face became distorted with heaving rage. He stooped over the dead body of his mother, touched her blood with the tips of his fingers and wiped them on his own brow.

"If this is Neslerov or the order of the czar," he thundered into the ears of the terror-stricken old man, "I will rend them all! From this moment I live for vengeance!"

He brought his clinched fist down on a wooden table and wrecked it completely.

"So will I crush them who have done this thing!" he cried. "So will I smash their hearts!"

While he roared Papa Paulpoff sank by the side of Mamma Paulpoff and wept.

CHAPTER XI.



THE PRINCESS OLGA.

THE train from Moscow came snorting and screeching into the station, and among the passengers, mostly oficers and convicts or men connected with the railway, were two women. One of these was about fifty years of age, thin and subdued in appearance, and her face bore the marks of suppressed anxiety. The other was scarcely more than a girl—twenty at most—but her carriage was noble, and her entire appearance that of one born to command. Her lovely face and well shaped head rose above a collar of emine, although it was not winter.

"To the palace of Neslerov, governor of Tomsk," she said to a drosky driver, and she and her companion were soon on the way.

Neslerov was at dinner when a servant announced the Princess Olga.

"What about the Princess Olga?" he asked.

"The princess is here—she has asked to see your excellency."

"Here! Olga Neslerov, here!" rising from the table. He had improved much in the last few days, and his face wore a calm look that had not been there since his meeting with Denton.

He found the princess in the reception room.

"Princess Olga!" he exclaimed, kissing her hand. "Fair cousin, what happy circumstance brought you here? And why have you come unannounced and unattended?"

"I saw no reason to hefid my approach," she answered, "and I am not unattended. This is my attendant."

The woman courtesied and looked uncomfortable, but Neslerov paid her not the least attention.

"Well, since you are here, I am pleased to see you," said the governor. "Your branch of the Neslerov family and mine have not been too friendly. I am glad that at last one of you has had the grace to begin a reconciliation."

Princess Olga smiled.

"Whatever feeling my branch of the family may have for yours could scarcely be said to interest me," she said. "Remember, I have spent much of my time out of Russia, and it happened twenty years ago."

Neslerov turned to the door and then stopped.

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THE PRODUCTION OF CLEAN CLOVER SEED.

The investigation into the conditions of the seed trade conducted by the Dominion Department of Agriculture during the past two years has clearly shown that there is vast room for improvement. The outcome has been the introduction into Parliament by the Minister of Agriculture of a bill to improve the conditions that have been shown to exist.

The bill has aroused great interest among the seedsmen, as should it become law, much greater care will be required in grading than is at present the case. A debatement of prominent Canadian seedsmen waited upon the Minister of Agriculture a week or two ago to protest against the passing of the bill as drafted, claiming that if enforced would cause undue restriction and possibly suspension of trade.

The demand this year has been much greater than in any previous year for the best re-cleaned seed, due largely to the preaching of the gospel of good seed by the Agricultural Department. In fact, it was stated by one of the leading seedsmen that as far as demand for good seed was concerned there had been more improvement in the last two years than in the previous twenty. Unfortunately, however, the quality of seed received from the producers has not improved.

This is as it should be, because there is no excuse for the production of clover seed foul with weed seeds. The weeds most common in red clover fields are—canada thistle, cutled dock, ragweed and white cockle; while will mustard,

ox-eye daisy, sow thistle and several others are found less frequently. In Alsike fields, also, black white cockle, sheep sorrel, curled dock, mayweed and lamb's quarters are frequently found. All of these may be readily seen while growing and before the seed ripens is the proper time to remove them. They may be either spaded or pulled and removed from the field. This system is practised by some of our most successful growers of clover seed, and when once given a trial is found to be not only practicable, but also thorough, fairly rapid and very profitable.

It may be claimed that to do this where weeds are very plentiful is out of the question, that it would take a great deal of time, and the tramping would injure the crop. A field in which the weeds are too plentiful to be handled in this way should not under any consideration be devoted to the production of clover for seed. It is absolutely folly to grow seed which is ten or fifteen per cent weed seeds, as there is no other way of widely disseminating weeds than to have the seeds mixed with otherwise good grades of small commercial seeds, such as those of the grasses and clovers. To sell seeds adulterated with ten per cent of sand would be regarded by many people as criminal, but how much more criminal should it be regarded to sell seed containing ten per cent of noxious weed seeds.

In the former case the only injury is an increase in price; in the latter, the enhanced price of the good seed is a small matter compared with the injury done by the introduction of new weed pests. It is impossible to effectively enforce legislation to prevent the growth of impure seed. We must teach the producers to see the folly of growing anything but the best. Seedsmen find it necessary to make differences in price in order to protect themselves, and there is no doubt that the increased price for good seed will more than repay the extra trouble involved in its production. It is therefore to every farmer's interest to grow only the highest quality, not only because it is a gross injustice to neighbour farmers to continue the production of weed seeds, but also because he is sure to be amply rewarded for any increased trouble.

TREASURE TROVE. Diamond and Coins Found.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., July 3.—An interesting discovery was made late this afternoon at the Y. M. C. A. grounds, formerly known as Treasure Island. One of the boys at the camp, James Wilson, was climbing some rocks and in doing so he accidentally dislodged one of them. Beneath where the rock had rested was a cavity, and in this he discovered a hermetically sealed wooden box. When the box had been opened, a smaller one sealed in the same manner was found inside. This contained a valuable unset diamond and a beautiful diamond bracelet. There was also in the box some newspaper clippings concerning the assassination of President Lincoln, and a paper which announced that if the directions written thereon were followed more valuables could be found. Under the box in the cavity in the rocks were scattered a number of American coins.

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Summer School of Science.

The Summer School of Science which meets in Charlottetown on July 21st and 22nd for three weeks, will be one of the most important for the teachers of Northern Nova Scotia. It is the only one of the kind in the province and it is convenient to attend, to acquire a large amount of information in a condensed form. The lectures will be thoroughly practical and every afternoon there will be a tour for field work so that all can get practical illustrations of the lectures issued from Nature's workshop. The course especially that have the object of the instruction of youth will be of great interest to the people in their own minds. Every speaker in this course has his own field of study and it is wonderful what we are learning under one roof each day while we gaze at the stars or wander into woods.

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Small Tommy—Cause he wouldn't have boxed 'em if he hadn't wanted to.

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Why is it you can't get away from the foot of your class, Johnny? asked the father of a precocious youngster.

Because explained Johnny, by the time the teacher gets down to me I've forgotten my lesson.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, etc.

What do they do when they install a minister? inquired a small boy. Do they put him in a stall and feed him? No said the father they harness him to the church and expect him to draw it.

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Little Dot—Mamma says 'th cat is full of electricity.

Little Dick—Of course. Put your ear down on 'er an' you can hear the trolley.

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Jokely—It's a fact; if you tell me what a man eats, I'll tell you what he is.

Poecly—Well, for instance, I know a man who eats sauerkraut, codfish and potatoes, spaghetti, frogs' legs and, in fact, everything Now what is he.

Jokely—He's alive.

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You are twins, are you, Dicky? How can you call yourself twins. Cause the other one died, ma'am. E'everything that was his'n is mine an of course I'm both of us now.

Smith— I hear about the coal man has come into a large fortune.

Jones—Well, he's entitled to it.

Smith—Oh, he ought.

Jones—Yes, but why is it that he's got it? For it is a good many years.

There is a pleasure in doing good which sufficiently pays itself.

What color does flooring make a boy?—It makes him yell.

Why is a water like a rascally fellow?—Because he often runs for stocks (saunders) plates or cups.

Mrs. Pretty—That is strange. Mrs. Beautiful has not put on mourning for her husband.

Mr. P.—I understand that her late husband particularly requested that she should not.

Mrs. P.—The brutal I suppose, but how lovely she would look in it.

Did you say a chicken chews food with its gizzard?—No, the food is chewed by the gizzard. You that is practically the process.

That is the case, he queried, how can a chicken tell whether it has the toothache or stomachache?

She—You never hear of women cashiers embazzling or running on with their employers' money.

He—Not (I am) for when it does happen they take the employer's eye.

Faith and Works. One's faith is often wonderfully strengthened when some calamity strikes with works. We are told that one hard winter, when sickness came to the poorly paid pastor of a certain country church in one of our newer Northwest settlements, his flock determined to meet at his house and offer prayers for the speedy recovery of the sick ones and for the material blessings upon the pastor's family. While one of the deacons was offering a fervent prayer for blessings upon the pastor's household there was a loud knock at the door. When the door was opened, a stout farmer boy was seen. "What do you want, boy?" asked one of the elders. "I've brought in my prayers," replied the boy. "Brought your prayers?" "What do you mean?" "Yep, brought his prayers an' they're out in the wagon. Just help me, an' we'll get 'em in." Investigation disclosed the fact that "his prayers" consisted of potatoes, flour, bacon, cornmeal, turkeys, apples, warm clothing and a lot of jellies for the sick ones. The prayer meeting adjourned in short order.

A Queer Victoria Memorial. The Riviera memorial to the late Queen Victoria is to take the form of a cottage hospital at Nice.

YES SHALL NOT DIE. It is a common belief that the only way to avoid death is to live a life of moderation and to avoid all excesses.

Trees of Europe and North America. Forest vegetation is much richer in North America than in Europe and comprises 412 species, of which 175 are native to the Atlantic region, 100 to the Pacific, 10 are common to both, 46 are tropical species near the coast of Florida as against 158 species in Europe. Six North American species of forest trees—the Judas tree, persimmon, hickberry, plane tree, hop hornbeam and chestnut—are also indigenous in Europe, all now growing there naturally south of the Alps.

Nature's Toilet. The West Indian negro need not buy soap. He picks a bulb from the "soap tree" in the jungle, which makes a beautiful lather.

If he wants a shave or broken glass and it answers as well as a razor. To clean his teeth he picks a twig of "chewstick," which is better than the best camel's hair brush and dentifrice.

The Correct Reply. At an examination held at the agricultural college the question was put, "When is the best time to sow barley?" The "examinee," a sharp country lad from the district of Alicant, promptly replied: "Three days before a gentle rain, sir."

A Lender No Longer. "Never lend Burroughs any money?" "Never did."

"But you have."

"No; used to think I did, but found I was making a gift every time." Boston Post.

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The WHIRL of the TOWN

SUBSCRIBERS will kindly watch the date opposite their names on the **ADVOCATE** each week, for two reasons—to note when they are in arrears, and help the Publishers by paying up promptly, and when paid up to see that the date is changed.

For prize list of St. Mary's Convent see page two.

Hickson's mill was down on Thursday and Monday.

We are enjoying warm summer weather with pleasant showers.

The 12th Field Battery broke camp Saturday morning after a very favorable ten days.

Good progress is being made with the new Orange Hall. The brickwork is well advanced.

Rev. T. H. Cuthbert will preach in St. Peter's church, Derby, Sunday the 19th, at 3 o'clock.

A large number of excursionists went down river on the steamer Alexandra yesterday morning.

The S. S. Bangor finished loading in the holds as Messrs Ritchie's Monday evening and went to Snowball's, Cnatham, to take on her deck load.

Mr. John C. Miller's gasoline launch John W. made the run on Saturday from the public wharf, Newcastle to the lower end of Birtbogoe Island, twelve miles in just sixty minutes.

Messrs. Paris & Hart, Minstrels, circulated bills for a show in the Temperance Hall, Saturday, but the expected crowd did not show up with the exception of the usual small boys.

The members of St. Margaret's Mission Guild will hold a sale of needlework, etc., on St. Andrews S. S. grounds on Friday next. Strawberries and cream, ice cream, etc., will be served. Tea 10 cents. Admission 5 cents.

The B. C. congregation of Douglstown will hold their annual picnic on the grounds adjoining the church on Wednesday next, July 22nd. An energetic committee has all arrangements in charge and a good time is assured. Read adv. for particulars.

Miss Charlotte McFarlan has a curiosity in the shape of a fig tree which this year has a well developed fig growing thereon. About ten years ago Miss McFarlan planted a fig from which a tree grew and has been carefully looked after. It is now about five feet tall. Early this spring it was set out but a late frost damaged it, despite which it blossomed and a fig formed.

We notice Mr. Denis Doyle driving about town in a handsome pneumatic tired piano box carriage. This carriage is from the factory of Mr. M. Falconer and bestows great credit on its maker besides proving that just as good articles can be put up right at home as are obtained in other markets.

There is a story afloat regarding the officers of a steamer in port, which states that the gentlemen, having been stopped from bathing on this side of the river, went to Nelson for their swim. Disappointment was their fate for a gentleman cow, whose field they passed through was much averse to having his territory invaded and immediately gave chase, with the result that some tall sprinting was done and the swim declared off.

The circus has come and gone and we regret to say found in Newcastle quite a number of easy cases who would not profit by former experience or the advice of others but determined to beat the fakirs at their own game. One cannot sympathize very much with people who lose their money in that way as they are equally guilty in the eyes of the law with the ones who take their hard earned wages from them. Next time a circus comes to town we are under the impression that several of our people to sports will have had enough experience to steer clear of the smooth, oily tongued "sharks".

John Sobie, of Prestonville Wm Crow Wm Matchet of Northesk were before Police Magistrate Connors a few days ago on complaint of Warden Robinson, charged with violation of the Forest fire protection laws. They were convicted Crow and Sobie were fined \$10, and \$10 costs each or 30 days gaol; Matchet \$30 and costs, or 35 days gaol. As these were the first offences of the kind against the parties and they paid the cost the execution of the remainder of the penalties was suspended for the present. There is a determination, however, that the carelessness or worse of people who are guilty of such violations of the law as were committed by these men, shall hereafter be promptly and severely punished in order that the communities in which they live may be protected. Advance

Rev. Hammond Johnston, the new pastor of the Methodist church occupied the pulpit on Sunday last.

A grand dance will be held at Redbank on Thursday evening July 16th on the R. C. grounds. Admission 70 cents a couple.

Mr. R. T. D. Aitken, Town Clerk has received the Assessment book corrected. The date limit for discount has been extended to the 25th of the month. See notice of Discount in another column.

On account of the improvements being made in the Methodist church this week no preaching service will be held there next Sunday. Sabbath school and Epworth League services as usual.

The Newcastle Minstrels gave a dress rehearsal in the Temperance hall Friday night. Quite a few of their friends availed themselves of the opportunity of again hearing their concert, which was pronounced very much improved.

When there are repairs to be made to any of the water mains in any of the streets it would be well if the consumers were notified so that they might be prepared with a supply.

Although it was to be expected that there would be a large number of visitors in town Thursday, (circus day) and that the circus parade would stir up the dust yet the streets were not sprinkled and it was very disagreeable. The 12th Field Battery also paraded and the heavy guns and horses made the dust very thick. If the corporation driver does not know when the streets should be wetted some committee should instruct him. The same might be said of Saturday evening. Although parts of the town were sprinkled yet the upper portion of Pleasant street, the one on which there is the most traffic, and dust, was not touched and residents along that street were obliged to keep doors and windows closed in the extreme heat. Some arrangement ought to be made to have the streets sprinkled late Saturday evening for Sunday.

THE SUSSEX RACES

The mid-summer race meeting on Sussex track Wednesday, July 22nd, will see some of the best racing of the first part of the season. The time chosen is late enough to catch most of the new horses which have come out this year and have given promise of speed. The reputation of the Sussex track as par excellence the fastest track in the three provinces makes it a drawing card to both owners and spectators. Although but four years old this track has already had three Maritime records, the last being 2:15 1/2 made last year by Ituna, which now stands.

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Entries close on July 18th and should be made with J. T. Prescott.

CARNEGIE SLANDERS CANADA.

Compelled by London Paper to Admit it Reported him Truthfully.

MONTREAL, July 10.—The Star's London cable says: Andrew Carnegie has been compelled by the Editor of the Ironmonger to admit that the Ironmonger interview belittling Canada was quite accurate. Carnegie's recent disavowal in Canadian papers referred to quite another interview. Therefore, Carnegie still stands as declaring Canada has no future, except as part of the United States, that Cape Breton is a mere mirage, and the Canadian steel industry a figment; that Canada standing alone can never become a greater industrial nation, and that the empire is only a catchword for politicians.

Notice of Discount.

To the Rate payers of the Town of Newcastle:— Take notice that I have received the Assessment List of the Town of Newcastle for the year 1903. All persons assessed in the Town shall be entitled to a DEDUCTION or DISCOUNT OF FIVE PER CENTUM on the amount assessed against them respectively upon payment of their respective rates to me within ten days from this date, after which time no discount will be allowed; and ALL RATES AND TAXES MUST BE PAID WITHIN THIRTY DAYS from this date.

Dated this 15th day of July: A. D. 1903. R. T. D. AITKEN Town Treasurer.

N. B.—Time for giving discount lasts till evening of Saturday July 25th.

When greasy dishes, pans, etc., are washed with Lever's Dry soap powder, it will move the grease with the greatest ease. 26

Social and Personal

Mr. M. T. Dalton the popular representative of the Mutual Life of New York was in town last week.

Mrs. Oliver Williamson, with her two children of Chicago, is visiting her father Mr. Gavin Copeland.

Mr. and Mrs. John McKeen have returned from a visit to Quebec.

Miss Jessie Roy is visiting friends at Moncton, N. B.

Mr. Charles Corbett spent a few days with friends here on his return to Amherst.

Mrs. J. C. MacDonald and little daughter Catherine have returned to their home in Boston after spending two weeks with her sister Mrs. J. R. MacDonald.

Mrs. C. G. DeMill of Moncton is visiting her parents.

Mrs. Kenneth McKenzie of Charlottetown is visiting her sister Mrs. Henry Price.

Mrs. Moss and Miss Moss of Amherst, and Miss Williston of Halifax are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williston.

Miss Jean Clark of St. John is visiting friends here.

Mrs. Ramsay of Bathurst is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. M. H. MacMillan.

Mrs. Glendinning and daughter of Manchester-by-the-Sea, Mass. are visiting Mrs. Glendinning's parents, Rev. and Mrs. George Harrison.

Rev. J. D. Murray of Redbank, who was attending the Presbyterian Assembly at Vancouver, has returned home and is much benefited by his trip.

Miss Georgie Harrison has returned from a pleasant visit to friends in St. John.

Mr. E. W. Chandler of the Wm. Richards Co. Ltd. of Campbellton was in town yesterday.

Mrs. Arnott will receive at The Manse on Tuesday and Wednesday of next week.

Mrs. Hurley of New York arrived on Saturday to spend the summer with her sister, Mrs. Parker.

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THE DESIGNER FOR AUGUST.

Accordion plaiting and smocking will again aid in beautifying garments for women and children. To know all about either process one should read THE DESIGNER for August, which, in addition to illustrating and describing the above, pictures all that is stylish in millinery and fashions for this season of the year. "How and Where Perfumes are Made," by Katherine Louise Smith, "Women Who Make Money," by London Knight, and "Floral Stands of Honolulu" are three interesting articles to be found in this issue which also contains three excellent short stories, "A Sunflower Drill," illustrated pages on "Women's Fads and Fancies," "Fashions and Fabrics," and "Fads and What to Make of Them." Opportunities for money making are supplied in the departments "What Women are Doing," "Helps Along the Way" and the Puzzle Page, while practical and helpful suggestions are given in "Etiquette Hints," "Toilet Table Chat," "In Motherland," "Floriculture" and "The Kitchen Kingdom."



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