

Liver Pills



JOHNSON'S Anodyne Liniment
Internally or externally.

enough. There must be coarse sand mixed in their feed once per day in the proportion of one cup to each five quarts of feed. It is also well to put the same proportion of powdered charcoal in the feed twice each week. Water deep enough for them to immerse their bills above their nostrils is needed. Swimming holes are necessary for young ducks, and in fact are rather a detriment to fast fattening. The less exercise they get the faster they put on fat. They do not require a great amount of green food and, contrary to some opinions, they will thrive, if given reasonable range, on corn meal alone.—Emma Clearwaters, in Ann. Ag.

FARMER'S INSTITUTE WORK.

Mr. Simpson Rennie, of Toronto, in speaking of his recent trip through New Brunswick in connection with the Farmer's Institute work of the Province says that the meetings were generally well attended and a lively interest taken in the discussions. Mr. Rennie also attended the Nova Scotia Dairywomen's meeting at Amherst, on the 23rd, 24th, and 25th, of January, and the meeting of the New Brunswick Farmers and Dairywomen's Association at Fredericton, on the 25th, 26th, and 27th, delivering addresses on the "Cultivation of corn, field roots and potatoes" and "The requirements of the feed markets." At both these meetings, the delegates and others present, appeared to take a great interest in the proceedings. Judging from what I could see when travelling through the country," continued Mr. Rennie, "Very much more should be done in the breeding and feeding of both cattle and hogs, but before very much is done, a better class of animals should be introduced. Sheep raising should be more extensively gone into especially where the land is dry and rolling. Dairying is carried on somewhat extensively and with fair success, but in some localities the isolated condition of the patrons is found to be a great drawback to the industry. From my observations, thousands of acres of land are only yielding small returns for want of underdrainage but when these things are better understood, considering the intelligence of the people, we may look for great things in the near future."

AYRSHIRE CATTLE AT THE ST. LOUIS EXPOSITION.

The breeders of Dairy Cattle in the United States are already beginning to prepare for the Louisiana Purchase Exposition to be held in St. Louis in 1903. At the recent meeting of the American Ayrshire Breeders' Association, held at Providence, R. I., it was voted to appropriate money from the Treasury to pay the expense of placing a herd of Ayrshire cows in the breed test at that Exposition, and a committee was appointed to take charge of the same. Canadian breeders who intend to exhibit at St. Louis, should at once begin to back up their stock, so that they will not be taken at a disadvantage, when the time for this great international contest arrives.

A good many farmers in Eastern Ontario are still adhering to the very foolish policy of marketing hogs that are too light in weight, and quite unsuitable for packing purposes. The Geo. Matthews Company, Limited, report that during the month of January their receipts of hogs graded as follows:

Selects	1398
Light	1840
Light fats	699
Heavy fats	27
Sows	50
Stags	6
Cripples	21
Stores	123

A total of 4154 hogs, of which only 1398 or about 33 per cent, were suitable for the manufacture of first class export bacon. If the trade in Canadian hogs is to be increased or even maintained at its present volume, it is absolutely necessary that only hogs of proper weight and quality be sent to the packing houses.

MESSES. C. C. RICHARDS & CO.

Gentlemen,—After suffering for seven years of inflammatory rheumatism, so bad that I was eleven months confined to my room, and for two years could not dress myself without help. Your agent gave me a bottle of MINARD'S LINIMENT in May, 97, and asked me to try it, which I did, and was so well pleased with the results I procured more. Five bottles completely cured me and I have had no return of the pain for eighteen months.

The above facts are well known to everybody in this village and neighborhood.

Yours gratefully, A. DAIRY.
St. Timothy, Que., May 16th, 1899.

Your throat, cough, cold, etc., is cured by the use of the following medicine. It is a powerful expectorant, and will cure the most stubborn cases of whooping cough, croup, and all other diseases of the throat and lungs. It is sold by all druggists.

RAW FUR
Highest Price Paid In Cash for all kinds of Raw Fur at the Salter Brick Store, JOHN FERGUSON, Proprietor.
Newcastle, Dec. 3rd, 1901.

The Surest Remedy is Allen's Lung Balm
It never fails to cure a SIMPLE CASE of BRONCHITIS, COUGH, COLD, AND ALL AFFECTIONS OF THE THROAT AND LUNGS.

FACTORY
The very finest grade of raw fur, including all kinds of skins, is sold by the factory at the lowest prices. The quality is guaranteed, and the prices are the lowest in the market.

WARE, NEWARE.

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A large stock of raw fur and heavy goods at prices that will give you a cheap competition. The usual stock of tinware, etc.

Emulsion
A few pains in the back, a cold, or a cough, is cured by the use of the following medicine. It is a powerful expectorant, and will cure the most stubborn cases of whooping cough, croup, and all other diseases of the throat and lungs. It is sold by all druggists.

LAN'S SHOE STORE.

PROFESSIONALS.

F. L. Pedolin, M. D.
Telephone 10. Pleasant Street. NEW CASTLE.

O. J. McCarty, M. A., M. D.
Graduate Royal College of Surgeons, London, England. SPECIALIST. Diseases of Eye, Ear and Throat. Office of the late J. H. St. John, N. B.

Davidson & Atke
Attorneys, NEWCASTLE, N. B.

Dr. H. & G. J. Sprout

DR. CATES, Dentist
Teeth extracted without pain. Artificial teeth set in gold, celluloid, or rubber. All work guaranteed. Newcastle office, 100 Queen Street, Chatham, Season Hotel.

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BAIRD, BIRD, SOLIDORS, TABLE, PAPER, CONVEYANCE. Claims collected and prepared. Offices, County Building, Newcastle.

W. H. Irvine
BOJESTOWN. Special attention given to all cases of rheumatism and throat.

Dr. C. B. Mc
DENTIST. Rooms corner, D. C. Street. Is prepared to attend to all cases of dental surgery. Satisfactory treatment guaranteed. All work guaranteed.

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THE UNION ADVOCATE, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 16, 1902

The Country

An Epitome of Events
Gathered by
ADVOCATE Reporters

LOWER BLISSFIELD.

(Crowded out last week.)

The weather for the past three weeks has been very rainy and disagreeable.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Cunnors are visiting friends at Upper Blackville.

Miss Clara Robinson is visiting Mrs. T. S. Hickey.

Miss F. H. Mowbray spent a few days of last week visiting her aunt Mrs. Levi Mowbray.

All of our young men have come to the drive. It cannot be remembered when the driving was as early as this season.

Mat looking is the order of the day.

The snow has all gone and we are having very pleasant weather at present.

Most of the boys have gone to the drive, we hope to see their smiling faces among us again.

Mr. Frank Bartlett went to Houlton Me. Monday, his genial countenance will be very much missed.

Mr. R. Ames is visiting at Mrs. Jas. Fowler's.

Mr. Willard Macdonald left for Boston Wednesday morning where he will spend a few weeks visiting his sister. We hope soon to hear of his return as he is much missed.

Miss Sadie Bamford is visiting in Doaktown.

Miss MacLean, our former teacher returned to take charge of the school here. All are glad to see her back again.

Miss B. Macdonald was to Doaktown, Saturday. Glad to report she found her guests.

There was quite a change in the weather in this section of the country last week. On Thursday a cold wind changed from west into the north and began to snow early continued on Friday morning in it some six inches which makes our roads very muddy.

Our highly esteemed school teacher Miss Josephine McNeil has returned after spending her Easter holidays at her home in Chatham and the trustees report that through her scrupulous attention the school has been very progressive, and here give you a list of the pupils having highest general standing for the month of March.

Miss Ronald Weaver, 2, Kenneth Arbeau, 4, Sadie Weaver, 4th, James Weaver, 4th, B. Donald, merchant of Upper Blackville paid us a flying visit on Monday.

Mr. Nora Hurley spent Saturday night at Peter Lyons.

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That's what you need, something to cure your biliousness and give you a good digestion. Ayer's Pills are liver pills. They cure constipation and biliousness. Gently laxative. 25c. All druggists.

Want your monotone or dead a beautiful brown or rich black? Then use BUCKINGHAM'S DYE for the hair. It is of the highest quality and is of the highest quality and is of the highest quality.

GRAND ANSE.

Nicholas Chaisson had one of his fingers badly cut while working at a wool cutter on Thursday that he had to go to Bathurst to procure medical attendance.

Mrs. P. Crowley who died at her home in Pokeshaw on the 9th inst was the oldest and most respected residents of that place.

Her funeral to the R. C. Church on Saturday was largely attended.

A. J. W. McKinnis of Bathurst and W. P. Sullivan of Waterloo shipped a carload of seagrams to the American market on Friday.

Mr. Kennedy Foley left for West Virginia last week, he was escorted to the station by a large number of friends.

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Creaghan

Spring Clothing and Hats for Men and Boys. Men and Boys who want fashionable clothing made from reliable fabrics with extreme care should not hesitate to take swift advantage of this most excellent opportunity.

Boys' Natty Vestee Suits.

These are jaunty fabrics in mixtures as well as blues; pretty designs, good fitting.

\$2.75, \$3.50, \$3.75 to \$5.00.

Boys' Norfolk Suits

made of standard woolen materials in proper patterns and colors, perfect fitting.

\$3.75, \$4.50 to \$5.75.

Boys' Fine Serge Suits.

Fine grade through and through worsted fast indigo blue serges.

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Fine grade strictly all woolen materials in mixtures and plain effects, made along manish ideas, nicely tailored, perfect fitting.

\$4.00, \$4.75, \$5.50 to \$6.75.

Men's Very Fine Suits.

In most part these are exclusive made-to-order designs of the finest imported materials.

Prices \$11.00 and \$12.00.

Men's Strictly Wool Suits

These are high grade fabrics, all made-to-order designs.

Prices \$4.95 to \$5.95.

Spring Hat Showing.

It is the greatest hat showing we have ever made—the greatest, we believe, that any store, anywhere, has ever attempted. Great as our window display is it pales into insignificance before that wealth of style on the second floor.

15 cases of the well-known Wilkinson Hat, manufactured in London, England.

Hard and soft hats, Fedoras and all up-to-date styles.

8 cases American hats. In this grand collection you will see a correct reflection of what is being worn in Boston and New York today.

J. D. CREAGHAN, - - - NEWCASTLE AND CHATHAM.

SCHOOL REPORT.

Continued from page 1.

March 31.

Printing and Postage 14.60

Incidentals 14.98

Insurance 17.30

Cash in Royal Bank 88.02

\$6402.96

From March 31, 1901 to March 31, 1902.

Interest on Debentures \$160.00

Insurance 12.00

Printing 30.50

Teachers' salaries 2826.73

Janitor's 267.51

Secretary's 100.00

M. Hennessey's Bond 3120.00

Real Estate 16.00

Incidentals 15.60

Misc 14.75

Furniture 104.75

Supplies 7.04

Repairs and Lumber 253.99

Trustee's Note 2062.00

R. T. D. Aiken, Act of legislature 40.00

Fuel 363.30

Rent Harkins Academy \$200.00

\$6666.23

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand April 1 1901 86.02

E. P. Williston back taxes 70.00

Tuition Fees 5.00

Chief Supt. 7.04

Sale of Debentures 8105.69

Rebate—Interest on Note 4.23

Co. Treasurer Aug. 1901 342.81

" " Feb. 1902 307.39

Royal Bank of Canada, overdraft 735.10

\$6666.23

By order of School Board.

R. NICHOLSON, M. D. Chairman.

P. F. MONAGHAN Sec'y.

Board of School Trustees.

Newcastle, N. B., April 14, 1902.

City Restaurant

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ICE CREAM and CAKE.

BEER and CIGARS.

Ice Cream, etc., supplied for picnics and parties at reasonable prices.

Allan Russell

THE BOURNE HOUSE.

To invade Turkey.

Vienna, 12.—The Neue Freie Presse to day publishes a despatch from Sofia, Bulgaria, announcing that a proclamation has been issued by M. Saraff, the Macedonian leader, calling on the Macedonian in Bulgaria to join in a general rising April 27. Bands collecting on the Turkey frontier are to co-operate and invade Turkey at different points.

You Can't Be Attractive

An Offensive Breath and Disgusting Discharges, Due to Catarrh, Blight Millions of Lives Yearly. Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder Relieves in 10 Minutes.

Enlightened nose and throat specialists in daily practice highly recommend Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder as safe, sure, permanent, painless and harmless, in all cases of Cold in the Head, Bronchitis, Headache and Catarrh. It gives relief in 10 minutes and banishes the disease like magic.

For sale by F. R. Dalton.

Bicycles and Sundries

We sold more wheels last year than any firm on the North Shore. Simply because we gave the customers the very best values for the smallest amount of money. You certainly should call at our Bicycle Rooms and examine our stock. We have 15 samples now in stock. Remember, if anything goes wrong we make it right without any grumbling about it. Here are some of the lines we have:

MASSEY-HARRIS, PASTIME.

IVANHOE.

20th CENTURY.

EMPIRE.

HYSLAP.

CRESCENT.

ANTELOPE.

Everything in the Bicycle line can be had here at right prices. Write for catalogue, or drop a card and we will call on you, and attend to your wants.

McMurdo & Co.

SEEDS! SEEDS!

Seed time has arrived a little earlier this year than usual but not before we are ready for it. We have in stock a full assortment of choice seeds for field and garden. Plant your seed now to insure an early crop.

WE ALSO OFFER.

Good Salmon at 10c. a can, a 3 pound can of Peaches 20c. Package Teas at 5c. a pound less than regular price.

All other goods in our store at proportionately low prices.

GEO. STABLES.

Oranges, Lemons, Bananas and Cranberries.

FRESH BUTTER AND EGGS.

BOBBING

BEEMER'S
ELL
ES
A TRAVIS
Richardson
better go. The
is better.

dismissed his secret to the window. The
cast a dazzling light on
the many fall, and above the clang
of metal sounded the faint
popular notabells on the boulevard.
from this overcoat to the throat,
the coming down the music corridor,
client pictures cages behind which the
resented were casting up the day's
dragon, and threw open the door,
without which had been tightly
and was apt stood on the threshold
was figured came into his shrewd
spots on its head the corner, with
bleed a crown. It was a jangle of
of basilisk, but a favorite team of
possessed a counterpoint of
counterpoint of her husband's
wishes and tastes. Sleight was one
of the banker's keenest pleasures, and
he had remembered the fact.

But as the horses stopped before the
door, Mr. Shepard noted the absence
of the big English coachman. A tall,
little, shouldered figure sprang out and
backed the fur robes, then waved
a familiar greeting to the man on the
step. It was Reginald.
"Come on, father, for a dash on the
speedway! Everybody's out."
"Where is James?" inquired Shepard
as he climbed into the cutter.
"At the stables. I thought—we
might have the first ride of the season
together."

If the elder Shepard had not been
so absorbed in studying the set of the
depression, he might have observed
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And that thrilling word of three letters
which seemed to change his whole
life—it carried him away from the old
farm to the busy city above the river,
where he meant to make a name for
himself and wealth for Kitty. It was
harder than he had anticipated.
He was almost ready to give up and
return to the farm when she wrote
that she thought she could help him,
and she was such a dainty, fragile
thing. After the chase it was easier.
It was Kitty's encouragement and
good advice that smoothed out many
a business wrinkle, just as her soft
hand rubbed away the frowns and the
sadness at night.
By and by her hands were less soft,
the work became heavier when the
horses arrived. And when, after he
had achieved his first little success,
he came to the point to sweeten everything
with it, it was Kitty's wise head planned the
foundations for the new work, and

Kitty's small economies, enabled by
her great love, made the upward climb
easier. He could see her now making
red fannel mittens for Reggie and the
wee checked pinafores she sewed for
Kathie under the green shaded lamp.
He drew in his breath quickly. The
picture changed to the day when he
brought home her first silk dress. How
her blue eyes shone when he threw the
gleaming folds over her shoulders!
Later came the sealskin and the dia-
monds, but nothing that made them
half so happy as that first silk dress.
And day by day as he prospered he re-
alized that there was something which
his wealth could not buy back—the
fading health of his quiet, fragile life.

When it was all over and for one
long, weary year Kitty had been asleep
under the graceful, white shaft, a
handsome mistress came to the newly
furnished mansion on the avenue.
Thoughtless people said it was so for-
tunate all round, for the first Mrs.
Shepard was not the sort of woman to
preside over such a home or to culti-
vate the people who would be useful
to a rising man like Amos Shepard.
The second Mrs. Shepard was admir-
ably adapted to the position. She
knew the schools which would give
the children the best social standing.
She presided over a dinner table with
indescribable grace and tact, and when
Shepard was elected to congress it
was freely circulated that his wife's
diplomacy had been worth more for
campaign purposes than his ready
check. Kathie's social debut was set
for next week. Already the society
papers were singing of her prospects,
her comings and her beauty, and she
looked like—his Kitty of the sleigh
ride years ago.

"Father, I want to tell you some-
thing."
They were almost home, and the
young fellow was getting desperate.
Stocks and bonds might be of im-
portance to men of fifty, but when
the blood runs riot in the veins of
youth life holds other more vital
interests.

Mr. Shepard roused himself with an
impatience shrug—a check, of course.
A physician's practice in the first year
is not profitable even when backed by
influential parents and friends.

"Yes?"
Reginald lifted the whip nervously,
and the blacks sprang forward.
"Well, father, I want to get married.
I know I'm young and have my way to
make, but if you love a girl as I do,
why, it gives you something to work
for besides mere money."

Amos Shepard's lips closed firmly.
Was it that butterfly Bessie Clay,
who had shared their opera box the
night before? Reginald Shepard, M.
D., read the sign aright, but plunged on.
"I suppose it sounds silly, because if
it wasn't for you I couldn't keep up
appearances, but I'll probably spend
less money when we're married than
I do now. Mabel doesn't care about
show."

"Mabel who?"
"Don't you remember Mabel Brewer,
Aunt Helen's adopted daughter? I met
her two years ago when I was
visiting on the I. R. and—well, I love
her; that's all. I know she's not as
swagger as the girls in Kathie's set.
She won't shine in society, but I don't
give a rap. I don't want a career.
One in this family is enough, and
Kathie's going to cut a big swath. I
just want a nice little home—and
Mabel. She has her ideals of what a
physician should be, and if I live up
to them I reckon you won't have cause
to be ashamed of me."

"They were under the porte cochere.
Without a word Amos Shepard tossed
aside the fur robes.
"I say, dad, you're not angry?"
His father stood beside the cutter
gazing up at a window screened by
flimsy lace. Suddenly he wheeled
around and faced his son. Something
the latter had never seen shone in
Amos Shepard's eyes.

"Reginald, you remember that Van
Tweller place on Grant avenue? It's
not large or showy, but it's a mighty
pretty little house. Why I'll decide that
over to Mabel on your wedding day.
And now I've got to write a line to
your Aunt Helen."

And Amos Shepard, banker and
member of congress, ran up the granite
steps like a boy.

Cursed Words of the Yezidees.
The Yezidees, a peculiar Turkish
sect, are perhaps the only people in the
world which consider certain letters,
words and phrases as being cursed and
the person who pronounces them a
worthy subject for immediate destruc-
tion. They attach no value to human
life, and to these ordinary dangers are
added those arising from the embar-
rassing etiquette of conversational in-
tercourse with them. For if any one
inadvertently speaks the word "devil,"
"Satan" or anything with the same
meaning he commits a mortal offense,
and to cut off his head is a God pleas-
ing act, a sacred duty of the Yezidee,
the fulfillment of which will insure
him a place in paradise.

In a like manner several letters are
wholly banished from their language,
chiefly those which contain the sound of
"shun." The Arabian word nalleh,
"Thou art damned," is also expunged
because it is believed by the Yezidees
to have been the word uttered by God
when the fallen angels were thrown
into hell. These and similar words and
phrases are set aside and combinations
which do not belong to any language
used instead.

ground. He had only fired one or two
shots when he was suddenly pounced
upon from behind and his gun wrench-
ed away. Then kicks and blows were
showered upon him until he fell down
half insensible. The highlander then
walked away quietly, and when the
gentleman recovered sufficiently he
crawled back to his bed for two weeks.
He has now no doubts as to whether the
man can perform his duty or not—Pearson's.

Kind of Toothache.
For ordinary nervous toothache,
which is caused by the nervous system
being out of order or by excessive fati-
gue, a very hot bath will soothe the
nerves that sleep will naturally fol-
low, and upon getting up the patient
will feel very much refreshed, and
the toothache will be a thing of the
past. For what is known as "jumping
toothache," hot dry fannel applied to
the face and neck is very effective. For
common toothache, which is caused by
indigestion or by strong sweet, acid or
anything very hot or cold in a decayed
tooth, a little piece of cotton steeped in
strong camphor or oil of cloves is the
best remedy.

Rain Without Clouds.
We have it on the authority of Sir J.
C. Ross that in the south Atlantic it
rained on one occasion for over an hour
when the sky was entirely free from
clouds. In the Mauritius and other
parts of the southern hemisphere this is
not a rare occurrence, but in Europe
it is, and the greatest known length of
its duration was ten minutes at Con-
stantinople—All the Year Round.

BOBBING
ON BEEMER'S
BEND
By
JAMES ALLISON
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"Did you ever meet such a prig?"
exclaimed Madge Turner as she jerked
at the laces of her skating boots. "If
Tom had hunted his class over, he
couldn't have found anything more
stupid."

"He would say 'could not'! This is
a mischievous tone from Katherine
Crozier, who was spending the Thank-
sgiving holiday with Madge at the lat-
ter's home in Vermont. "I believe your
father is enjoying his visit tremendously," Mr. Turner was principal of
the school.

"Well, I do think," snapped Madge,
tugging at the buttons on her fur trim-
med jacket, "that in view of the fact
that I'm buried alive in this town nine
months in the year Tom might have
brought home a real jolly college chap,
some one who would make things lively
for us all."

"You need not complain," suggested
Katherine. "You have Harry Martin,
and he probably would not welcome
any rival."

"That's quite enough, Kit. When
will you learn that there is absolutely
nothing between Harry and me?"
"No thanks to Harry for that state
of affairs," laughed Katherine as the
two girls left the room.

A party of merry young people had
gathered round the great fireplace in
the hall, waiting for Madge and
Katherine to join them on a bobbing
trip to Beemer's hill. Madge ran out
to the kitchen for a farewell word with
her mother, who was never happier
than when entertaining her children's
friends. Tom was standing near the
table enjoying a hot doughnut, and as
Mrs. Turner disappeared in the direc-
tion of the hall laden with a plate of
the toothsome cakes Madge turned to
him impatiently.

"Who is to ride with your beloved
Mr. Brome?"
Tom turned to his sister in surprise.
"Madge, that doesn't sound like you.
I hoped you'd show him the cour-
tesy!"

"Don't preach, brother mine. I treat
him decently when I'm with him, but
to save my life I don't understand why
you brought him home for the vacation
when there are so many other
chaps to choose from."

"So long as you put the question so
bluntly, I'll tell you why, Madge—be-
cause while most of the fellows in my
class could go home for their holidays
Brome felt that he ought not to spend
the money for the trip to Illinois. Then
I knew he wanted to come. When my
little sister came down to the junior
room this fall, Brome thought she was

the most charmingly unaffected and
the connection girl he had ever met,
and with his usual frankness confided
this opinion to me. Now!"
Madge's cheeks flamed brilliantly,
and the twinkles faded from Tom's
eyes.

"Madge, dear, it isn't always the fel-
low who talks the most brilliantly, who
goes in for sports and social gaieties,
who finally scores best in college.
There's lots in Brome that neither you
nor I have ever fathomed, and I'm
proud to call him my friend. He's
quiet and rather delicate and not half
so stylish as Harry Martin, but—"
"This will do," exclaimed Madge
cutting. "Never mind the list of vir-
tues. The crowd is waiting."

But when she swept into the great
hall the fresh had not entirely faded
from her cheeks. It seemed to Char-
ley Brome that she had never looked
so pretty as at this very moment.
He trudged along at her side, pleased
because she had quietly fallen behind
the merry throng to talk about some
new fittings for Tom's room at college.
Brome thought it must be very delig-
tful to have a sister to make the dainty
knickknacks which she had never
found their way into his den. His
mother was managing a small farm
in Illinois and with three other boys
to clothe and send to school had little
time for fancy work. Mrs. Brome tried
to think that she was simply doing her
duty by her brother's guest, but before
the mile to Beemer's hill had been
covered she became deeply interested
in her companion. If it did not belong
to the football eleven, he knew the
record of every man in the team. If
he had never tobogganed or helped to
build an ice castle or played polo, he
could talk entertainingly on the latest
new books, of which he seemed to pos-
sess a surprising number.

But after the first trip on the bobbed
illusion, as she termed it, seemed to
fade again. He was just what he
had first pronounced him—a prig; more
than that—yes, a coward!

Beemer's hill was the most noted
coasting ground in the county. It was
a public highway, steep and smooth,
with a gorgeous incline that kept the
sleds plunging downward at an ex-
hilarating speed. To be sure, wisec-
reds in the neighborhood had long
presided in the snow day reckless coast-
ers would meet with an accident at
the bend below Mr. Beemer's house,
where the road rounded above a great
cliff. But Tom Turner's bob was the
best in all the country round, heavily
weighted to give it speed and steered
by a well adjusted wheel, and the
young people on this particular morn-
ing boarded it without a tremor.

Tom steered, and skated as well to
the rear and in front of Brome. Sev-
eral times during the mad ride she felt
his hand close almost convulsively on
her arm, but she fairly reveled in the
wild moment. She was strongly ath-
letic in her tastes and afraid of nothing.

When the party reached the brow of
the hill for the second plunge, Brome
looked very grave, and while he made
no effort to induce the others to give
up the trip he fruitfully declined to make
it again. Instead he would build a fire
and have it jolly and comfortable on
their return. Madge gave Katherine a
significant glance, but she could not
catch her brother Tom's eye.

On their return from the run they
found Brome chatting pleasantly with
Harry Martin, who had driven over in
his smart new cutter. Katherine and
Madge sprang into the sleigh and en-
dured down under the fur robes, while
Harry stood beside them, his hand
resting lightly on the reins.

Suddenly a shout of laughter from
the group around the brushwood fire
startled the horse, and he plunged for-
ward, jerking the reins from Harry's
hands. Straight down the hill he tore,
headed for Beemer's bend and the
sheer cliff. What if his foot should
slip on the bend!

The two girls did not scream, and
Madge made a vain effort to snatch at
the reins dragging on the ground. Her
brother groaned and suddenly threw
his hand in front of his face. That
was why he did not see a slender,
little figure throw itself on the bobbed
and send it shooting after the run-
away. It was Brome, skillfully steer-
ing the great sled so that it kept be-
tween the runaway and the outer edge
of the road. The two vehicles, the
swaying cutter and the jerking bob-
bed, rolled the fatal cliff, with just a
few inches to spare on its edge for
the brave fellow who handles the
wheel. Now the horse galloped, but the
road is safe and level. Brome steers
his unwieldy sled to the inside of the
road. He gains more. As he
shoots past the cutter he leans forward
and clutches the reins. The sled darts
from under him. He is on his feet,
swaying on the lines, but with the blood
flowing from a cut on his head.

In the twilight Madge Turner sat by
the lounge in her father's library.
Brome, with an aching head and a
bruised body, was lying there con-
tently watching the dancing flames
in the grate.

"Would you mind," suggested Madge
in a subdued voice, "telling me why,
if you were not afraid to take that
awful ride after us, you would not
board the bobbed for fun?"
"Because," said Brome, a slight flush
spreading over his pale cheeks—"be-
cause my mother has sacrificed a great
deal to send me to college. I want to
repay it some day, and I have no right
to run unnecessary risks!"

"Oh!" said Madge, with an eloquence
which only a woman can throw into
her voice.
Katherine appeared at the door half
an hour later and remarked:
"If you're going to the church social
with us, Madge, you'd better get dress-
ed!"

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THE UNION ADVOCATE WEDNESDAY, APRIL 16, 1902.

THE WHIRL of the TOWN

May 2nd has been appointed.

Dr. Mackintosh preached St. James' vacant last Sunday.

The mills here will probably start saving next week.

Extensive repairs are being made to the wharf.

Norwegian steamer Fakso sailed from April 9th for Miramichi to load for Neale.

The weather during the latter part of last week was very disagreeable, snow and rain for three days. It cleared up on Sunday.

The bark Valous, Cape Burnley sailed for Liverpool on April 9th with a cargo for Chatham. She will load for Ritchie & Co.

The steamer Miramichi made her first down river yesterday morning. She has been thoroughly overhauled and looks like a new ship.

An Indian at Col. Ground, ploughed a piece of ground last Tuesday April 8th. This is the earliest ploughing in the history of the village.

The steamer Miramichi made a trip from Chatham to Negus on Monday. She had heavy cargo of freight.

The drives are coming along slowly. James Warden Robinson, Jr. returned from a cruise to the heat waters and reports all drives in and moving.

The steam fire engine has been sent to Chatham for repairs and one of the Chatham steamers has been borrowed to take its place.

As predicted in our last issue the Board of Aldermen and Mayor were returned to power for another year by acclamation. The Board consists of Mayor Morrison, Ritchie, Hickson, Hennessey, Willis, Stables, Pedoff and Fish.

Episcopal fathers who convened the last week of March delivered a lecture in St. Andrew's church on Monday evening. On Monday evening a number of fathers who assembled. These fathers are highly respected and are highly respected.

Mr. McMurdo has been appointed the celebrated Cleveland Bicycles. The firm also have about twenty bicycles in stock including the Mendenhall-Bicycle. The Antelope machine frame also several wheels fitted with Cassette brakes and other late improvements. The buying public should ever use them as their motto has always been fair dealing, quick sales and small profits.

Mr. D. Carter, Indian Superintendent at Miramichi, visited the Miramichi reserve last week and found things in first class condition. At Col. Ground he visited the school and examined the scholars in their different studies and was pleased with the progress they were making. He was pleased on driving back to Newcastle to meet a number of scholars who had been to town and were the worse for liquor. He instructed the Indian constable to endeavor to find the parties who sold them spirits and procure them to the full extent of the law.

Prior to her leaving the school at Chatham Mrs. Mabel Elliott, the popular teacher, who leaves for Chatham on Friday, was presented with an address and a large photo of the school and scholars, and an address and purse of \$20. by the parents. A large number assembled at the school to bid Mrs. Elliott farewell and all expressed sorrow at her leaving but wished her success in her new work in distant Africa. Mrs. Elliott in feeling terms thanked the parents and pupils for their kindness and good will. The members of the Baptist Sabbath school, of which she was a teacher also presented her with an address and purse. Mrs. Elliott's many friends on the Miramichi wish her success in her new field of labor.

The members of Northumberland Lodge, No. 27, A. F. & A. M. entertained their friends at an "At Home" in their Lodge Room last Thursday evening and the room was crowded. Mr. Geo. B. Williams of New York, the eminent reader and impromptu comedian was engaged to entertain the company and this he most certainly did. His Shakespearean pen pictures of the Battle of Shrewsbury was much enjoyed but his humorous selections were more to the taste of his audience and were very amusing. Among the latter were "McDonald's System," "Whop de Folks is Gone" and the "Sleeping Car." The entertainment was much enjoyed by all who attended. The Newcastle Orchestra rendered a number of selections. In St. Andrew's church, Newcastle, April 14th, by the Rev. T. H. Cuthbert, St. Boniface William of Newcastle, to Miss Maggie Lavelle of Newcastle.

Tenders are asked for the installation of water works and sewerage. Read adv.

The sprinkling cart made its first round of the season last Wednesday.

Steam was raised in Mr. Hickson's mill yesterday and it will commence sawing today if logs can be procured.

There will be practice for band concert in Prof. Layton's rooms at 8 o'clock Thursday night. All are requested to attend.

Mr. John McLean of Ellinstown lost his house and most of its contents by fire on Wednesday last April 9th. Fire was discovered about two o'clock but was beyond control and the house was soon reduced to ashes. Loss about \$700, no insurance.

The snow and rain of last week was just what the lumbermen required to make good stream driving. It is said that about a foot of snow fell on the up river districts which will naturally aid in keeping the water to a good driving depth.

A slight fire on the roof of Mr. McGowan's house caused a little excitement last Thursday but it was extinguished without the aid of the department. This building has been on fire several times lately and the authorities ought to give it their attention as it is in a dangerous condition.

The death of Mrs. Carter, wife of Mr. A. T. Carter, of Bathurst, occurred after a lingering illness at her home on St. Georges street on Friday afternoon. The deceased was sixty-two years of age and was the eldest daughter of the late Robert Ogden, of Sackville, N. B. Mrs. Carter was a member of the Methodist church, and was held in high esteem by a large circle of friends.

The spring Millinery openings of the Newcastle milliners were held at their respective stores on Friday and Saturday and despite the very disagreeable weather were fairly well attended and the milliners report that considering the weather, this year's opening was a very successful one. The predominant style in colors this year seems to be whites and blacks. Some very stylish knockabout hats were shown which are to take the place of sailors, and they are very becoming and are receiving great demand. A number of the pattern hats are still on exhibition but a number of the prettiest have been purchased and will grace the heads of our fair ladies.

MARRIED.

At the Baptist Parsonage, Newcastle, on Tuesday, April 8th, by Rev. A. F. Brown, Mr. Thomas Cassidy to Martha Pospody, both of Newcastle.

At St. Andrew's Rectory, Newcastle, April 9th, by the Rev. T. E. October, Mr. Lorca McLean of Northport, to Miss Ella Hallinan of Blackville.

TALMAGE IS DEAD.

The Famous Preacher Passed Away Saturday Night at Washington.

WASHINGTON, April 12.—Rev. Dr. Dwight Talmage, D. D., the noted Presbyterian divine, died at 9 o'clock tonight at his residence in this city. It had been evident for some days that there was no hope of recovery and the attending physicians so informed the family. The patient gradually grew weaker until life passed away so quietly that even the members of the family, all of whom were watching at the bedside, hardly knew that he had gone. The immediate cause of death was inflammation of the brain.

Dr. Talmage was in poor health when he started away from Washington for Mexico for a vacation and rest six weeks ago. He was then suffering from influenza and serious catarrhal conditions. Since his return to Washington some time ago he has been quite ill. Until Thursday, however, fears for his death were not entertained. The last rational words uttered by Dr. Talmage were on the day preceding the marriage of his daughter, when he said: "Of course I know you, Maad." Since then, he had been unconscious. At Dr. Talmage's bedside, besides his wife, were the members of his family: Rev. Frank Dewitt Talmage; Mrs. Warren G. Smith, Brooklyn; Mrs. Daniel Magnus, Brooklyn; Mrs. Allan E. Doman, Richmond, Va.; Clarence Wycoff and Miss Talmage, Washington.

Washington, April 13.—Arrangements were completed today for the funeral services in this city over the body of Dr. Talmage. The funeral will take place at 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon from the church of the Covenant. The services will be very simple. There will be no funeral sermon but short addresses concerning the life and works of Dr. Talmage will be made by men who have been intimately associated with him. At 9 o'clock Wednesday morning the internment will take place in the family lot at Greenwood cemetery, Brooklyn.

Social & Personal

Messrs. Bean and J. H. Dale of Blackville were in town last week attending a meeting of the Presbytery of Miramichi.

Mrs. John Quinn of Campbellton is visiting in town, the guest of Miss M. Craig.

William D. Carter, Indian Superintendent, was in town last week.

C. A. C. Bruce Esq. left Chatham yesterday morning for St. John's, Newfoundland to assume the management of the Canadian Life Insurance company for that colony.

Mrs. W. S. Moore arrived here Saturday to join her husband who is the manager for the Bank of Nova Scotia.

Mr. Joseph Keating of Boston, is spending a short vacation at his home here.

Miss Mabel Elliott leaves for St. John to take the steamer from that port to Cape Town, South Africa, where she goes to teach the Bove children. The steamer is due to sail on Friday.

Mr. John Connell, the veteran hunter and guide of Bartibogue, was in town Friday.

Messrs. Jas. Murray and Herb Robinson returned last week from Rangor, Me.

Mr. Wm. Fraser has returned from Lawrence, Mass. where he was spending the winter.

Mrs. Fred Chesman leaves this morning for her home at Halifax.

The "At Home" given by Mrs. Chesman and the Misses Elliott at their home last Friday evening was a most enjoyable event. About seventy-five guests were present.

FOURTH CONTINGENT.

Orders For Recruiting Issued.

OTTAWA, April 9.—Orders were issued this evening in connection with the recruiting of the fourth contingent for South Africa. There will be four contingents, to be known as the 3rd, 4th, 5th and 6th Canadian Mounted Rifles. They will be armed, clothed and equipped as the Imperial Yeomanry of His Majesty's forces. The conditions of service will be for twelve months or until the termination of the present war in South Africa. The pay will be the same as that of the Second Division, namely: Cavalry rate from date of enlistment to embarkation, the Imperial Yeomanry rates from that day on; the age not under 20 years nor over 40; the standard height has been changed to not under 5 feet 4 inches, nor more than 5 feet 11 inches, and the weight not more than 180 pounds, instead of 185, as previously stated. The chest measurement will be not less than 34 inches. The medical requirements and qualifications are the same as those of the Mounted Rifles preference to be given to men who have had previous service in South Africa, and single men; married men and widowers with children will be accepted conditional on no separation allowance being issued.

The establishment will be: Regimental staff—One lieutenant, 1 major second in command, 1 adjutant, 1 medical officer, 1 sergeant-major, 1 quartermaster, 1 cook, 16 privates, 2 clerks, 2 orderlies, 2 medical officers, 16 bat-men. Squadron establishment—One major or captain, 4 subalterns, 1 squadron major, 1 squadron quartermaster-general, 1 farrier sergeant, 4 sergeants, 8 shoeing smiths, 1 saddler, 2 buglers, 6 corporals, 97 privates, total, 121.

The reorganization will be: Squadron establishment—Eighty officers, 112 staff sergeants, 64 artificers, 32 buglers, 1,648 rank and file, total, 1,936.

Regimental staff—Twenty-four officers, 12 staff sergeants and sergeants, 64 rank and file, total 100.

Total—Officers, 104; staff sergeants and sergeants, 124; rank and file 1,712; grand total, 2,036 officers and men, with 2,174 horses.

In the case of this contingent, the privilege will be granted to officers, non-commissioned officers and men to assign part of their pay to relatives, such assignments will be issued monthly from the department of militia.

Recruiting in the Maritime Provinces will commence April 15, and continue until ordered to cease. The recruiting station with the recruiting and medical officers are: New Brunswick—Fredericton district, officer commanding, officer in medical charge. Moncton—Capt. W. H. Watts, 74th Regiment; Sergt. Major, F. White, 74th Regiment.

Newcastle—Major Malloy, 12th Field Battery; Sergt. Major J. M. Baxter, 73rd Regiment.

St. John—Lieut. Colonel McLean, 62nd Regiment; Major MacLaren, A. M. S.

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My wife, Alice Maria, having left my bed and board, I hereby give notice, I will not be responsible for any debts she may contract in my name, after this date.

ANDREW CONNORS.

Newcastle, April 11th, 1902.

TO LET.

The store of James Fish lately occupied by James Lyder. The premises are now being renovated and will be ready for occupation about the 1st April.

For further information apply to JAMES O. FISH.

Newcastle, March 4th, 1902.

For Sale or To-Let.

The Hecla Foundry in Newcastle. Fully equipped for work. For terms and particulars apply on premises to Miss Sarah Murray, or to Mrs. Dr. Freeman, Bridgetown, N. S.—Feb. 26—1902.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

All persons having any just claims against the estate of Geo. A. Lounsbury, late of Newcastle, will please file the same with the undersigned, duly attested according to law within three months, from date, and all persons indebted to the said estate will please make immediate payment at our office, Newcastle.

Dated, March 20th, 1902.

William G. Clark, Anne E. Lounsbury, Executors.

NOTICE.

The undersigned owns half the logs, pulp wood and sleepers browed on Norton's Point in the parish of Northesk, and no one has authority to dispose of them.

AMOS MULLIN.

Newcastle, March 31st, 1902.

TEACHER WANTED.

For School District No. 9, Parish of Nelson a second class female teacher, apply to A. E. P. ARKS.

April 7th, 2c.

SECOND-HAND

BICYCLES

In First Class running order.

We have them from

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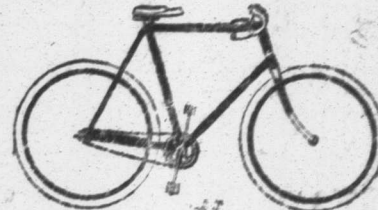
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These bicycles have a record and they could not be made better.

The 1902 models are fitted with HYGENIC CUSHION FRAMES that make new roads old and rough roads smooth.

Write for catalogue.

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Agents.

HAY, HAY, HAY.

To accommodate the residents of the upper district I will place a car of Hay at each siding, Decty Junction and Saccara. Cow Hay at \$12.25 per ton. Loose Hay at my store if you want it.

J. G. KETHRO.

Newcastle.

RELIABLE AGENTS WANTED.

We want at once trustworthy men and women, locally, local or traveling, to introduce and sell our new and improved bicycle in the town and country. Salary, commission and salary, \$400 per year, and expenses not to exceed \$2.50 per day. Write for particulars to J. G. KETHRO, International Medicine Co., London, April 1902.

THE CHEAP CASH STORE CLEARANCE SALE

We are now prepared to offer the best values in Dry Goods, Hats and Caps, Boots, Shoes, over seen in Miramichi. We have a very heavy stock, which we are clearing out and in order to do this we are selling at prices which will satisfy any and every customer. We give the following list of specialties for this week:—DRESS GOODS, PRINTS, GINGHAM, HOSIERY.

DRESS GOODS.

We have an enormous stock of these, consisting of all the latest styles, Lustrous, etc., etc., figured and plain in great variety of color. Many lines which sold for from 10c to 35c per yard, we are now clearing out at 5c, 6c, 7c, 8c, 9c, 10c, 11c, 12c, 13c, 14c, 15c, 16c, 17c, 18c, 19c, 20c, 21c, 22c, 23c, 24c, 25c, 26c, 27c, 28c, 29c, 30c, 31c, 32c, 33c, 34c, 35c, 36c, 37c, 38c, 39c, 40c, 41c, 42c, 43c, 44c, 45c, 46c, 47c, 48c, 49c, 50c, 51c, 52c, 53c, 54c, 55c, 56c, 57c, 58c, 59c, 60c, 61c, 62c, 63c, 64c, 65c, 66c, 67c, 68c, 69c, 70c, 71c, 72c, 73c, 74c, 75c, 76c, 77c, 78c, 79c, 80c, 81c, 82c, 83c, 84c, 85c, 86c, 87c, 88c, 89c, 90c, 91c, 92c, 93c, 94c, 95c, 96c, 97c, 98c, 99c, 100c.

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Apron and Shirting Gingham from 10c per yard up to 50c per yard. Our gingham for 50c per yard is better than any obtained elsewhere for double the money.

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R. N. WYSE.

Newcastle.

PRIESTLEY'S CRAVENETTES.

The popularity of this fabric is coming into prominence more and more. A cloak made from this beautiful cloth will last for years, look very stylish, thoroughly waterproof, and at the same time throw off no disagreeable odor like common water proof cloth.

We have them in the pretty shades of Fawn and Oxford Gray and can make them according to the latest styles on the premises. Prices \$6.00 to 12.00 per garment.

ABOUT CLOTHS.

We seek only the reliable to put on sale. This year we have Whipcord, Vionas, Worsted, Serges, Scottish Tweeds, etc. also 50 patterns of new Patterns which make very presentable garments.

HAMMOCKS.
Summer will be here shortly. Hang one or two of these around the place and give the youngsters a chance of enjoyment.
Prices \$1.25, 1.50, 2.00.

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Suitable for tents, verandah shades, etc. In red and white.
Prices 20c and 25c.

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We are leaders in the line of Blue and Black Serge Suits, purchasing more of these garments than any other store in town, consequently we pay less for them than others do and sell at a lower price.

See these. The price is \$9.00 and 15.00. If they are not better value than can be had elsewhere don't buy.

We carry a full line of samples from a large custom tailoring establishment. We furnish suits to measure at from \$12.00 to 20.00. Fit guaranteed. You can have your suit in 10 days and save 25 per cent, by leaving your order here.

And now it is a Gentleman's Watch

Only \$8.00 for an American Waltham Watch in a Solid Silver case. If you want a Watch see this one before you buy or let us send you one by mail, if not satisfactory it can be returned.

We have opened up a new stock of Watch chains and finding that we have bought too many we have picked out a few patterns which we will sell at a bargain price of \$1.50 regular prices would be \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00.

H. WILLISTON & CO.

LACE CURTAINS.

We place on exhibition this week an elegant range of

WHITE LACE CURTAINS.

Prices ranging from 50c. to \$4.00 per pair. Also bed room curtains of White Swiss Muslin with lace insertion. A fine range of art muslins by the yard, Draperies of various kinds and qualities from 7c per yard upward.

Curtain Poles with wood or brass ends, 25c. each.

Window Shades, cloth, spring rollers, from 25c. upward. Oil finished shades on Hartshorn rollers, guaranteed, 50c. Blinds made up for schools or private dwellings on short notice.

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Hats in Gent's Spring Hats, Ties, etc., etc.

of Cloths for spring suitings, new and nobby.

of suits.

A large assortment of Muslin for ladies dresses.

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D. MORRISON

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may puzzle you at first to understand what this heading means. But commence at the right and you will soon understand that I do UPHOLSTERING in all its branches. If you have a piece of old furniture that is worn out bring it along. I will fix it as good as new and at a very reasonable figure.

ALSO CHAIRS RE-CANED, ETC.

E. CARTER.

IN REAR OF JOS. INGRAM'S BARBER SHOP

Alaskan Rebellion Against Licence Tax.

London, Wash., April 12.—Mail advices from Alaska say that the business men of Sitka and Juneau are planning rebellion against the authority of officers of the United States treasury. The merchants are banding together to refuse to pay the special licence tax which is levied on all business enterprises in Alaska, under authority of congress, in order to bring into the federal treasury money to partly meet the expenses of maintaining the territorial government. Fishing companies and other corporations have already refused to pay the tax, on the ground that the law imposing it is class legislation and unconstitutional.

REV. WM. AITKEN

Resigns his Pastorate of St. James' Church.

PASTOR FOR 22 YEARS.

A Memorial Read at Meeting of Presbytery. Mr. Aitken's Reply.

The presbytery of Miramichi met in St. James' Church, on Thursday the 10th to take into consideration the resignation of his charge by the Reverend William Aitken.

The night was stormy, but notwithstanding, there was a good attendance of Trustees and congregation of St. James'; and also of the members of Presbytery. After a few preliminary points, Mr. Aitken's resignation was read and laid on the table.

Mr. Aitken adhered to the resignation of his charge. In his past and recent state of health he could not do otherwise.

The St. James' people were then summoned to appear in their own interests. It was then stated by them that trustees and congregation had met together, and after full consideration, had come to a unanimous conclusion, and had appointed commissioners to represent them at Presbytery. The commissioners were present and were supported by James Falconer, Esq. who acted as chairman of the congregation.

Mayor Morrison on behalf of the commissioners, then stood up and stated that the memorial in his hand contained their unanimous agreement. This memorial he then read before the Presbytery and congregation. It runs as follows:

At a Congregational Meeting of St. James' Church, Newcastle, held in the Church Hall, on the ninth day of April, 1902, and called for the purpose of considering the resignation of our Pastor the Rev. William Aitken, as per Citation of Presbytery, it was unanimously resolved to adopt the following expression of the feeling and decision of the congregation:

It is with feelings of the deepest regret and sorrow that we approach the consideration of the resignation by our minister, the Rev. Mr. Aitken, of his sacred office as minister of this church and congregation. Through his long and faithful service of twenty two years, we have come not only to know the active love and tender sympathy of his nature, but also to respect and trust his judgment and decisions, and we feel that he has not taken this step without fullest consideration. We know too, that in tendering his resignation to Presbytery, Mr. Aitken has been actuated and guided by his steady and constant study of what he conceives to be the interest of the church. He has given us the best of his life and of his strength, and now that he fears failing health may not allow him to take to the full, all the duties of his office, it is in keeping with his life-work, that he should seek, not the benefit of himself, but of his people.

We deplore the cause which has led him to this decision, and we are filled with grief that it means the partial severance of the ties which so long have bound pastor and people.

As our minister, Mr. Aitken has always given us unparagoning of his best. The high order of his pulpit work is known and appreciated throughout the whole Canadian church. He has shared our sorrows and our joys; in all things he has been a true friend and earnest pastor. Not once throughout his long ministry have minister and people been at variance, and we proudly point to these twenty-two years as the imperishable record of loving, faithful and high-minded discharge of office on his part and of love, confidence and respect on ours.

We are glad that Mr. Aitken will continue to live among us, and that we are still to have the advantages of association with him.

Our earnest hope and desire is, that he may be long spared to go out and in among us, and that he may be cheered and satisfied by seeing in us and in this community, fitting evidence of his faithful life-work for our temporal, moral and spiritual welfare.

Owing to our pastor's long service among us, and recognizing that ill health has early overtaken him, we the congregation here assembled, hereby order and ordain that the Trustees do each and every year during Mr. Aitken's life, set apart out of the funds of the Church the sum of two hundred dollars, as a yearly retiring allowance for him, and that they annually pay the same to him.

JAMES FALCONER, Chairman.

Mr. Aitken, feeling deeply the kindness of his congregation spoke in the following manner.

Mr. Moderator, I stand here under deep and strong feelings to which I dare not venture to give expression. The occasion is a solemn one. The resignation of my ministerial charge is a serious matter. It points me distinctly to the past. Deep responsibility lies there. Eternal issues have been the result of every action; the embodiment of every thought, the echo of every word. This is a solemn thought. Mr. Moderator I must not

Mayor Snowball Resigns

In the Chatham civic contest, which took place yesterday, Mayor Snowball was elected by a Majority of eighty-five votes. 800 votes were polled and he worked hard all day to induce electors to vote for their respective candidate.

SHOT HIS FATHER.

The Act of an Insane Young Quebec Man

MONTREAL, April 12.—The police have received information from Varennes that Albert Lussier, Seigneur of Varennes, formerly a member on the Quebec Legislature, was shot and fatally injured this morning. His son, Aime Lussier, has been arrested charged with the crime. The story told by the police is to the effect that the family were aroused early this morning by the strange actions of young Lussier, who showed unmistakable signs of insanity and attempted to eject his mother and sister from the house. The father interfered and it is said was shot twice.

enter now upon this phase of the matter. My people have met me tonight in a more genial spirit; they have spoken, it is true, in a sad and serious spirit—but they have especially spoken to their retiring pastor in words of kindness and love and sympathy. That memorial read by the Mayor is a master piece. It is so full of love and kindly pathos that I cannot restrain the onrush of my warmest thoughts. It makes me feel how deeply and earnestly a people may become attached to their minister. My ministry here has been a long one, as ministries go at the present time. I have been minister of St. James' church during the past twenty-two years. That is a long time, but in many respects it has been a happy time. During the first fifteen years, I was blessed with perfect health and strength. Then came a season of sickness when I was laid aside for nearly a year. After this long rest I was able to return and take up my work again. That continued during the following seven years, and it was only in the fall of the past year that my health again failed. It was then I decided to tender this resignation of my charge. I felt clearly that whatever sacrifice was involved, it should fall upon the minister and not upon the people.

After this I resolved to build a house and asked the Trustees to sell me a lot of land. With their usual generosity they freely presented me with a very desirable lot.

My people have been kind and respectful to me, and always ready to help on with the good work of building up Christ's Kingdom. I have every reason to love them warmly in return. During these twenty-two years I have never had an unkind or disrespectful word from man woman or child in my congregation. I bless God who in His Providence led me to such a charge.

And now Mr. Moderator, I must say a few words in regard to St. James' church. I must speak very shortly of its past and its present. Some people have been ready enough to say St. James' church ought to have given more money for this purpose, and more money for that. Such people know little or nothing about St. James' church. Why she has been the very mother of churches. In the ministry of my predecessors, she fostered and equipped Red Bank church, and sent forth to spread the gospel in that western district. In the beginning of my own ministry, Douglastown which was part of St. James' church, went forth on her own responsibility. Then Nelson which was also a part of St. James' church, built a church, and recently uniting with Douglastown, called a minister and became an independent and self-sustaining congregation. These three congregations are composed of people who formerly belonged to St. James' church. I claim therefore that St. James' church has always been a liberal church. I claim that she has done more than any other church within the bounds of the Presbytery of the Miramichi, in spreading the gospel and building up the Kingdom of Christ in the surrounding districts.

And now Mr. Moderator, I must speak briefly of the noble spirit with which my people have met me here tonight.

My friends, the words of that memorial just read are dear to me. Your expressions of love and kindness are of the warmest nature. And may I not receive them in their fulness? Certainly I may and must. The proof is at hand. They are accompanied by an annual gift of the most munificent character. Your retired pastor leaves with an annual allowance which cannot fail to stir every feeling of gratitude. I sincerely wish you all great success in the future. I hope you may get an excellent, talented and thoroughly Christian young minister. That is what you want. A minister who is equipped for every branch of the ministerial work. My earnest prayer is that you may all be highly blessed in your church, in your homes and as individuals.

Financial Statement of St. James' Church

Below are added financial statements for two periods one from October 1899 to March 31st, 1901 and the second for the year ending March 31st, 1902.

From Oct. 1899 to March 31, 1901.

RECEIPTS.
Note of Board of School Trustees \$ 2000.00
1900. Cash Co. Treasurer 312.00
March 31, " E. P. Williston back taxes 4.00
June 16, " Bess Regent St. School 27.00
Aug. 25, " Co. Treasurer 234.00
Oct. 6, " E. P. Williston back taxes 23.00
Dec. 1, " Town Treasurer 2714.00
Oct. 6, " Tuition Fees 5.00
Dec. 31, " Tuition Fees 8.00
1901. " Co. Treasurer 220.75
Feb. 26, " Town Treasurer 268.00
March 31, " 6402.00

EXPENDITURES.
March 31, Teachers sal. Oct. 1899 to March 31, 1901 \$4180.00
Sec'y salary Nov. 30 1899 to March 31, 1901 135.00
Janitor's sal. Oct. 1899 to March 31, 1901 389.83
Fuel 235.22
Real Harkins Academy one year 270.00
Putney Adams School 284.20
P. Henney Nole-Bal 254.00
Discounts and Interest 100.12
Interest on M. Hennessey's Bond 1450.00
School Supplies 123.00
Repairs 38.12

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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 16, 1903

LAST DAY OF SESSION.

Legislative Term Made Five Years.

FREDERICTON, April 10.—The House met at ten o'clock. Mr. Tweedie laid on the table the report of the governor of the Boy's Industrial Home. Mr. Tweedie introduced a bill to make provision for the payment of expenses in connection with the suppression of the smallpox epidemic. He explained that the sum fixed in the bill for this purpose was \$ 0,000; \$40,000 had been placed in the estimates, but the amount expended in St. John was larger than expected.

The House went into committee Mr. Porter in the chair, on a bill relating to the legislative assembly.

Mr. Hazen saw no reason why the House should be asked to extend the term of the legislature to five years. The four-year term was fixed at the time of Confederation and if we look over the length of life of New Brunswick parliamentarians we will observe that it is the first one since 1882 that took advantage of the full four-year term. Dissolution usually takes place at the end of the third session. There was, therefore, no necessity to extend the term and legislation of this sort should not be passed unless something was to be gained by it. Moreover, the press of the country is not aware that a change of this kind is to be made, and there should be no change in the constitution until we know what the opinion of the country is.

Mr. Tweedie said there was a feeling in the country in favor of an extension, for there is an opinion abroad that we have too many elections. The bill does not ask that the term of this parliament be extended, and if the opposition are returned to power as they predict they will be the ones to be benefited by the change. There is no disadvantage to anybody. The bill was agreed to.

The smallpox bill was also agreed to.

Mr. Tweedie said he had been consulting with several members and also the leader of the opposition in regard to a change in the rule which required private bills to be filed three days before the opening of the legislature, or to pay double fees. He thought that rule too drastic and would move that it be changed imposing double fees only where the bills were not introduced within ten days.

Mr. Hazen thought this was a very proper move to make and he thought they might well abolish the rule requiring bills to be introduced within ten days, as it was never observed.

Mr. Tweedie accepted the suggestion and the rules were changed accordingly by unanimous consent. Mr. Tweedie moved, seconded by Mr. Hazen, the following address to the King:

To His Majesty King Edward VII. Most Gracious Sovereign: We, Your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the legislative assembly of the province of New Brunswick, Dominion of Canada, in parliament assembled, desire in our own names and in behalf of the people we represent to assure Your Majesty that we have thought it advisable to fix the day now rapidly approaching for the formal assumption of the crown of the great empire inherited from your ancestors.

Three Operations Failed to Cure Itching Piles.

News of a Marvellous Cure Piles Across the Continent—Father and Son.

Some cures effected by Dr. Chase's Ointment seem like miracles. Here is a case where doctors labored in vain and operations failed to cure. I have had itching piles for four years and did not know of any medicine until I received a letter from my son in Winnipeg, who said that three doctors treated him and operated for piles, but failed to cure him. He now thanks God and Dr. Chase's Ointment for a perfect cure. He had piles in the worst form, and suffered terribly, and does not feel any symptoms of piles returning. You are at liberty to use this letter for the benefit of others. There is little use trying to cure piles unless you use Dr. Chase's Ointment. It is certain to afford quick relief and ultimately thorough cure. Get it at all chemists or Edmundson Bates & Co., Toronto.

or over which you have been called upon by Providence to bear sway. For though we require from Your Majesty neither definite promise nor solemn oath that you follow in the foot-steps of your illustrious and ever to be lamented mother in preserving in their fullest integrity the rights and liberties of your subjects, yet we feel that the utmost splendor and solemnity should accompany the assumption by Your Majesty of the most ancient and glorious crown among the nations of the globe. We trust that Your Majesty's royal consort may long be spared to reign by your side to rejoice with you in joys to comfort you in your sorrows and to continue and extend the many works of charity and mercy with which her name has been so intimately associated. Though a distant and comparatively unimportant part of Your Majesty's mighty dominion, we assure you that the stream of loyalty to your throne and person flows as deeply and strongly in this province as in any part of the empire, and we are proud to feel assured that even if we were numbered by units instead of tens of thousands, Your Majesty's strong arm will always be willing and promptly extended to project us from all encroachments of foreign nations or from any who might seek to tear us from our allegiance to the British crown.

We wish that Your Majesty may enjoy a long, happy and glorious reign until the heavens envying earth's good hap add an immortal title to your crown.

The reading of the address was followed by the singing of God Save the King.

His Honor the Lieutenant Governor arrived at 12 o'clock and prorogued the House.

A PRINCE ALBERT LADY SAYS 'I Have Great Faith in Diamond Dyes.'

To the wise woman who buys good material, Diamond Dyes are a necessity to economy of the household, and by using these dyes many perplexing problems are solved. It is here that good judgment and management can save much, while the thoughtless and extravagant keep themselves hopelessly poor. Mrs. G. S. Pook, Prince Albert, N. W. T., says: "I am very much pleased with the success I have had with Diamond Dyes. I have used the Black for Wool on many occasions, and always got a lovely fast black that keeps its bright and full color as long as the goods held together. I tried a beautiful cashmere dress for my little girl; it took a rich Cardinal, very even in color, and that stands washing. I have great faith in Diamond Dyes."

If you delight in home Mat and Rag making, send your address to The Walls & Richardson Co., Limited, 200 Mountain St., Montreal, P. Q., and be supplied free of cost with the new designs of the Diamond Dye Mat and Rag Patterns which are ready for hooking.

A Warren county man was subpoenaed as a witness on a trial for assault. When asked by a lawyer what distance he was from the parties when the assault happened, he replied: "Just thirteen feet, eleven inches and a half. How came you to be so exact? I inquired the lawyer, because I expected some fool to ask me and I measured it."

Piles

Minard's Liniment Cures Disasters

We know of some parents in this town whom if they would give the same time to the proper rearing of degenerate bearing their own names, that they devote to the critical supervision of the conduct of other people's children, their lives would be so sweet that heaven would have no charms.

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Because the kidneys were over-worked and weakened and could not do their whole duty, South American Kidney Cure cleared the diseased parts—made a sick-to-death man well. One of the happiest men in the County of Huron today is Mr. James McBride, of James town. He was suddenly attacked with most severe kidney disease which culminated in a complication of bladder troubles. He tried the best physicians in the County, without avail. Attracted by testimony of most marvellous cures by South American Kidney Cure he procured it, and before he had used one bottle was completely cured.

For sale by F. R. Dalton.

Minard's Liniment for Rheumatism.

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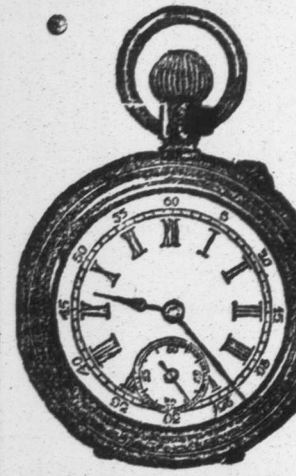
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The great Rheumatic Cure.

It will relieve you as an external medicine will.

Should you DRUGGIST or DEALER not have E. R. O. send 25c. in cash, order or stamps to the Egyptian Rheumatic Oil Co. Ltd. P. O. Box 367, Montreal, and they will mail you a bottle postpaid.

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There is no danger of heart burn or heart troubles from the use of Chewing Tobacco, if it has been properly manufactured. Great care is taken by the manufacturers of "Old Fox" and "Bobs" Chewing Tobacco, to use only pure and wholesome ingredients which will leave no bad effects. If you are not already using these brands, try them. Even the tags are valuable. Save them. And ask your dealer for our new illustrated premium catalogue. Tags are good up to January 1st 1903.

There is said to be a girl in this town who has been in love so often that she don't pay any more attention to a new case than she does to Christmas.

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Live Soldier's Monument in Halifax.

part, which resulted in the capture of Cronje, "the lion of the West," and 4,000 Boers, the battles of Whitport and Mafeking. These medallions will also be cast in New York. There is no place in Canada where the work can be done. But notwithstanding this fact, the Canadian government will collect over \$750 duty on the statue and medallions when they reach Halifax. The statue has been formally accepted by a committee from Halifax consisting of George H. Murray, prime minister of Nova Scotia; William Dennis, secretary-Treasurer of the memorial fund, and the sculptor, Hamilton McCarthy.

MR. ANDREW CARNEGIE ADMIRES THE SCHEME

Points to Future of United Race Being Found on Banks of America's Rivers.

Mr. Andrew Carnegie yesterday expressed his admiration of the will of Cecil Rhodes, but said the provisions did not surprise him greatly, as he was somewhat acquainted with the ideas of Mr. Rhodes.

Speaking of the German scholarships provided for by Mr. Rhodes, and the close blood relations between Germany and this country, Mr. Carnegie said that the only trouble about Germany's entering into a union at present with the United States was that President Roosevelt and the German Emperor were as like as two peas.

The will of Cecil Rhodes, said Mr. Carnegie, is great, but I am not altogether surprised. You see, Mr. Stead knew him well, and I had heard through him something of the ideas of the man.

He saw as I see, and as I published twelve years ago, that if the other branch of the English speaking race was not to be pushed into the eddy it must become part of the larger branch.

Green, the historian, tells us that the future of our race is to be found not on the banks of the Thames or the Clyde, but on the Hudson, the Ohio, the Mississippi. Lord Rosebery has just started, in his rectorial address to the students of Glasgow, that, for the sake of a united race, he would be willing that the capital be transferred to Washington.

He is one of Cecil Rhodes' trustees, very properly. He is also a trustee of the Carnegie fund, very properly, and I suspect he does not differ much from the race imperialists.

There is no other destiny possible for the United Kingdom, and she must look across the Atlantic to the children of her own blood, and finally enter the union as six or eight states—Scotland, Ireland and Wales, each one, and England divided into two, perhaps, or three.

Of course, as I said in my article upon this subject, twelve years ago this is looking ahead. But it is a look ahead that Cecil Rhodes had taken. As for the value of the scholarships and whether they will be utilized, we must await further details.

But the idea is in the right direction—a drawing of the English speaking races together, not only for its own good, but as I believe, for the good of the world. What do you think of Mr. Rhodes' references to a closer union of Germany with the English speaking nations? I asked.

A great man has arisen in Germany, replied Mr. Carnegie. The Emperor. Not long since he called attention to the fact that Germany was Saxon. It is a fact that Germany is nearer in blood to our race than any of the principal Powers.

The only trouble about taking in Germany at present is that President Roosevelt and the German Emperor are so much alike that I am afraid we should have to sacrifice one of them.

No one country could hold two such mental and physical athletes. One of them might continue living the strenuous life, but I think the other would have to emigrate to another land.

The Country. An Epitome of Events Gathered by ADVOCATE Reporters

LOWER BLISSFIELD.

(Crowded out last week.)
The weather for the past three weeks has been very rainy and disagreeable.
Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Connors are visiting friends at Upper Blackville.
Miss Clara Robinson is visiting Mrs. T. A. Hurley.
Miss Ethel Merseureau spent a few days of last week visiting her aunt Mrs. Levi Morehouse.
All of our young men have gone to the drive. It cannot be remembered when the driving was as early as this season.
Mat hooking is the order of the day.

The snow has all gone and we are having very pleasant weather at present.
Most of the boys have gone to the drive, we hope to see their smiling faces among us again.
Mr. Frank Bartlett went to Houlton Monday, his genial countenance will be very much missed.
Mr. R. Amos is visiting at Mrs. Jas. Fowler's.
Mr. Willard MacDonald left for Boston Wednesday morning where he will spend a few weeks visiting his sister. We hope soon to hear of his return as he is much missed.
Miss Sadie Bamford is visiting in Doaktown.
Miss MacLean, our former teacher returned to take charge of the school here. All are glad to see her back again.
Miss B. MacDonald was to Doaktown Saturday. Glad to report she found her purse.

There was quite a change in the weather in this section of the country last week. On Thursday last winds changed from west into the north east and began to snow and continued for two days, snowing in all some six inches which makes our roads very muddy.
Our highly esteemed school teacher Miss Josephine McNeil has returned after spending her Easter holidays at her home in Chatham and the trustees report that through her scrupulous attention the school has been very progressive, and here will give you a list of the pupils having the highest general standing for the month of March.
1st Ronald Weaver, 2, Kenneth Arbeau, 3rd, Sadie Weaver, 4th, James Weaver.
Mr. B. Donald, merchant of Upper Blackville paid us a flying visit on Monday last.
Miss Nora Hurley spent Saturday visiting Mrs. Peter Lyons.
It has been reported that on account of the low water in the Ungarston river the drivers are unable to move a stick. But we hope the water will soon rise and that all the lumber will get to the boom.

SEVOGLE

Death has lately paid us an unwelcome visit and took from among us an old and highly esteemed resident in that of Mrs. Anthony Cain who died at her home at Trout Brook, Chaplain Island Road, on Sunday morning, March 30th. Although only called up to pay the common debt of nature at the advanced age of four score years and now that war and generous heart lies cold in the grave the memory of its merits must still remain warm in the midst of the funeral community.
The deceased whose maiden name was Isabella Russell came to this country with her parents while young. Shortly after her marriage about 56 years ago became a resident of the above mentioned place. At that time the road was but newly opened up. At that time settlers were very few in consequence of which made the trips through from Northwest to Newcastle very tedious and sometimes perilous, how many weary travellers sought and received refuge under her hospitable roof as it is said. To them this gift was given.
Their home was always the scene of cheer and plenty, a cheerful fire side and a sumptuous table always awaited on all those that occasion sent the way. Her kind and generous hand was always ready to release all those whom fortune bared a heavy hand if such has laid up treasures in heaven, we must expect her reward is great in habits of life. She was vigilant

and industrious a model to be looked upon as a wife and mother. On Tuesday April 1st, her remains were removed from her late home under the directions of undertaker R. L. Maltby and followed to the Methodist burying ground by a large concourse of sorrowing relatives and friends. The Rev. Mr. Esty officiated at the house and grave. The sermon was spiritual and impressive. She leaves four sons and two daughters and a large circle of relatives and friends to mourn their loss.

DOAKTOWN

We have had very stormy weather for the last few days and the roads are very muddy.
There is another foreigner started store keeping here. He is a Jew from Fredericton. This makes six stores here and they are kept by foreigners. We wish them all success.
Miss Boice who was clerk for Mr. Kelly was called home on account of the illness of her mother and her place is filled by Miss Freeze.
Wm. McCormack of York County was visiting his sister Mrs. Hannan last Saturday and Sunday.
Swims' mill is ready to start and it will commence this week.
H. A. Doak's mill is going to start sawing today.
Mr. Archibald McDonald who had his toe jammed off three weeks ago is able to be out. We are glad to see him around again.
Many of the farmers have begun ploughing and most of them have got a Frost & Wood plough showing that Jas Holmes the agent is doing a good business.

PROTECTIONVILLE.

Several of our young men who spent the winter in Baggor have returned. We are pleased to see them again, but sorry to say that Mr. John Petrie is suffering from the effects of vaccination.
Mr. Richard Baker who has been away five years has returned.
Mr. and Mrs. E. Smallwood spent a few days in Newcastle.
We are glad to say that Mr. John Mullins who has been ill for the past few days is recovering.
Messrs. N. Mullins, A. McCormick, A. Mullins and C. King were lost over night in the woods, but glad to say it was a fine night and not very cold.
Mrs. Petrie and her son Cameron spent Thursday in town and did not return on account of the storm until Friday.
Messrs. Joe Sobey and P. Gunn are hauling the remainder of their pulp.

BATHURST.

We extend a welcome to Miss Maggie McKendry of Doaktown who has come to spend the summer months here.
Her friends are grieved to hear of Mrs. P. J. Burns' illness.
Miss Bell Mullins who has been ill is recovering.
Mrs. F. Foley has returned from a visit to her home in Nelson.
Miss Annie Burns returned to Chatham on Saturday to continue her studies at the Hotel Dieu.
Rev. Father Dugal of St. Basil was in town last week.
Jacob White, Jr. went to Boston on Monday.
W. L. Horsey of Summerside, P. E. I. has been appointed manager of the Carqueet Branch of the Royal Bank of Canada. Mr. Harold Girvan lately of that bank here has been assigned to the position of teller in Carqueet.
Michael Power has been appointed to the position of Government Surveyor of lumber made vacant by the death of H. Chalmers.
The concert, which some time ago was announced to be given by the Base Ball Club on Easter Monday failed "to materialize." We understand however, that though unavoidably delayed in may be presented to the public if the security of the historic talent among the young men prove not an insurmountable obstacle.
Harry Bishop, one of our bright young men left on Saturday for New York where he has accepted a very lucrative position with Messrs. Adams & Co. We wish him much success.—Events.

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GRAND ANSE.

Nicholas Chaison had one of his fingers badly cut while working at a wool cutter on Thursday that he had to go to Bathurst to procure medical attendance.
Mrs. P. Crowley who died at her home in Pokeshaw on the 9th inst was the oldest and most respected resident of that place. Her funeral to the R. C. Church on Saturday was largely attended.
A. J. W. McKenzie of Bathurst and W. F. Sullivan of Waterloo shipped a carload of seagrass to the American market on Friday.
Mr. Kennedy Foley left for West Virginia last week, he was escorted to the station by a large number of friends.
Work on the R. C. church was resumed on Tuesday.
The ice has all disappeared from the Bay and fishing will commence as soon as the wind that has been blowing this last week calms down.

MEETING OF PRESBYTERY.

The Presbytery of Miramichi met in St. James' church, Newcastle, on the evening of April 10th. There were present eight ministers and three elders. The first business was the consideration of the resignation of Rev. Wm. Aitken. Mayor Morrison, A. A. Davidson and E. A. McCurdy appeared as commissioners from the congregation as per citation of Presbytery. Mayor Morrison read a lengthy and feeling resolution which had been adopted at a congregational meeting, expressive of the feeling and decision of the congregation. This resolution expressed deep regret at Mr. Aitken's continued ill health which has made his retirement from the active duties of the ministry necessary, and referred in fitting terms to the high order of Mr. Aitken's pulpit work, his faithfulness and sympathy as a pastor, and the uniform good feeling and mutual confidence that all these years had existed between pastor and people; and also intimated that the congregation had agreed to pay Mr. Aitken a retiring allowance of two hundred dollars (\$200) per year during his life. The other commissioners also spoke in terms of high appreciation of Mr. Aitken and his work. Mr. Aitken in an address marked with deep feeling briefly reviewed his ministry of twenty-two years in Newcastle, and spoke of the kindness he had always received from the people and his appreciation of the liberal retiring allowance they had provided. The state of his health would not allow him to remain longer in charge of the congregation. After remarks by the members of Presbytery, the following resolution was unanimously adopted: Resolved that the resignation be accepted, and that Mr. Aitken's application to be allowed to retire from the active duties of the ministry be forwarded to the General Assembly with the request that his name be allowed to remain on the vote of Presbytery. While expecting that Mr. Aitken will still remain a member of this court, yet, the Presbytery would at this time express its deep regret at the unsatisfactory state of his health which has made his resignation necessary and would record its high esteem for Mr. Aitken as a man and as a Christian Minister, and his appreciation of his able and faithful pastorate of nearly twenty-two years in this congregation, and also of his faithfulness and wise counsel in connection with the general work of the Presbytery, our prayer is that Mr. Aitken may be long spared and may yet be permitted to do much work in the Master's vineyard. The Presbytery would also highly commend the excellent and feeling addresses of the commissioners from the congregation and the liberal annual retiring allowance set apart for Mr. Aitken's use. Rev. D. Mackintosh was appointed interim moderator of the session and also to declare the pulpit vacant on Sabbath the 13th inst, and was given permission to moderate in a call when the congregation is prepared to proceed. Rev. A. M. McLeod was also given leave to moderate in a call to Blackville. A statement from Dr. Campbell was read showing that in a few congregations of the Presbytery some subscriptions to the century fund still remain unpaid. A resolution was passed urging that every effort be made to have all outstanding subscriptions to the fund paid at once. Mr. Henderson obtained leave of absence from his congregation for three months to visit the old country, his congregation generously offering to provide supply for their pulpit during his absence. Messrs. Mackintosh and Henderson resigned their appointments as commissioners to the Assembly, and Messrs. H. M. Clark and H. R. Read were appointed.

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SCHOOL REPORT.

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March 31.

Printing and Postage	14.60
Incidentals	14.98
Insurance	17.30
Cash in Royal Bank	86.02
	\$9402.96

From March 31, 1901 to March 31, 1902.

Interest on Debentures	\$160.00
Insurance	12.00
Printing	30.50
Teachers' salaries	2826.73
Janitor's "	297.51
Secretary's "	100.00
M. Hennessy's Bond	3129.00
Real Estate	16.00
Incidentals	15.60
Mys	14.75
Furniture	8.90
Repairs and Lumber	255.99
Trustee's Note	2062.00
R. T. D. Aitken, Act of legislature	40.00
Fuel	383.30
Rent Harkins Academy	\$ 200.00
	\$9666.23

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand April 1 1901	86.02
F. P. Williston back taxes	70.00
Tuition Fees	8.00
Chief Supt.	7.00
Sale of Debentures	8105.68
Rebate—Interest on Note	4.23
Co. Treasurer Aug. 1901	342.81
" Feb. 1902	307.39
Royal Bank of Canada, overdraft	735.10
	\$9666.23

By order of School Board.
R. NICHOLSON, M. D. Chairman.
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Board of School Trustees.
Newcastle, N. B., April 14, 1902.

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Vienna, 12.—The Neue Freie Presse to day publishes a dispatch from Sofia, Bulgaria, announcing that a proclamation has been issued by M. Sarafoff, the Macedonian leader, calling on the Macedonian in Bulgaria to join in a general rising April 27. Bands collecting on the Turkey frontier are to co-operate and invade Turkey at different points.

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the most charmingly unaffected and gentle mannered girl he had ever met, and with his usual frankness confided this opinion to me. Now—"

Madge's cheeks flamed brilliantly, and the twinkle faded from Tom's eyes.

"Madge, dear, it isn't always the fellow who talks the most brilliantly, who goes in for sports and social gayeties, who finally scores best at college. There's lots in Beemer that neither you nor I have ever fathomed, and I'm proud to call him my friend. He's quiet and rather delicate and not half so stylish as Harry Martin, but—"

"That will do," exclaimed Madge curtly. "Never mind the list of virtues. The crowd is waiting."

But when she swept into the great hall the flush had not entirely faded from her cheeks. It seemed to Charles Beemer that she had never looked so pretty as at this very moment.

He trudged along at her side, pleased because she had quietly fallen behind the merry throng to talk about some new fittings for Tom's room at college. Beemer thought it must be very delightful to have a sister to make the dainty knickknacks which somehow never found their way into his den. His mother was managing a small farm in Illinois and with three other boys to clothe and send to school had little time for fancy work. Madge tried to think that she was simply doing her duty by her brother's guest, but before the mile to Beemer's hill had been covered she became deeply interested in her companion. If he did not belong to the football eleven, he knew the record of every man in the team. If he had never tobogganed or helped to build an ice castle or played polo, he could talk entertainingly on the latest new books, of which he seemed to possess a surprising number.

But after the first trip on the bobbed illusion, as she termed it, seemed to fade again. He was just what she had first pronounced him—a prig; more than that—yes, a coward!

Beemer's hill was the most noted coasting ground in the county. It was a public highway, steep and smooth, with a gorgeous incline that kept the sleds plunging downward at an exhilarating speed. To be sure, wise-aces in the neighborhood had long predicted that some day reckless coasters would meet with an accident at the bend below Mr. Beemer's house, where the road rounded above a great cliff. But Tom Turner's bob was the finest in all the country round, heavily weighted to give it speed and steered by a well adjusted wheel, and the young people on this particular morning boarded it without a tremor.

Tom steered, and Madge sat well to the rear and in front of Beemer. Several times during the mad ride she felt his hand close almost convulsively on her arm, but she fairly revelled in the wild moment. She was strongly athletic in her tastes and afraid of nothing.

When the party reached the brow of the hill for the second plunge, Beemer looked very grave, and while he made no effort to induce the others to give up the trip he firmly declined to make it again. Instead he would build a fire and have it jolly and comfortable on their return. Madge gave Katherine a significant glance, but she could not catch her brother's eye.

On their return from the run they found Beemer chatting pleasantly with Harry Martin, who had driven over in his smart new cutter. Katherine and Beemer sprang into the sleigh and cuddled down under the fur robes, while Harry stood beside them, his hand resting lightly on the reins.

Suddenly a shout of laughter from the group around the brushwood fire startled the horse, and he plunged forward, jerking the reins from Harry's hands. Straight down the hill he tore, headed for Beemer's bend and the sheer cliff. What if his foot should slip on the bend!

The two girls did not scream, and Madge made a vain effort to snatch at the reins dragging on the ground. Her brother groaned and suddenly threw his hand in front of his face. That was why he did not see a slender, lithe figure throw itself on the bobbed sled and send it shooting after the runaway. It was Beemer, skillfully steering the great sled so that it kept between the runaway and the outer edge of the road. The two vehicles, the swaying cutter and the jerking bobbed sled, round the fatal cliff, with just a few inches to spare on its edge for the brave fellow who handles the wheel. Now the horse gains, but the road is safe and level. Beemer steers his unwieldy sled to the inside of the road. He gains once more. As he shoots past the cutter he leans forward and clutches the reins. The sled darts from under him. He is on his feet, sawing on the lines, but with the blood flowing from a cut on his head.

In the twilight Madge Turner sat by the lounge in her father's library. Beemer, with an aching head and a bruised body, was lying there contentedly watching the dancing flames in the grate.

"Would you mind," suggested Madge in a subdued voice, "telling me why, if you were not afraid to take that awful ride after us, you would not board the bobbed for fun?"

"Because," said Beemer, a slight flush spreading over his pale cheeks—"because my mother has sacrificed a great deal to send me to college. I want to repay it some day, and I have no right to run unnecessary risks."

"Oh!" said Madge, with an eloquence which only a woman can throw into her words.

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the most charmingly unaffected and gentle mannered girl he had ever met, and with his usual frankness confided this opinion to me. Now—"

Madge's cheeks flamed brilliantly, and the twinkle faded from Tom's eyes.

"Madge, dear, it isn't always the fellow who talks the most brilliantly, who goes in for sports and social gayeties, who finally scores best at college. There's lots in Beemer that neither you nor I have ever fathomed, and I'm proud to call him my friend. He's quiet and rather delicate and not half so stylish as Harry Martin, but—"

"That will do," exclaimed Madge curtly. "Never mind the list of virtues. The crowd is waiting."

But when she swept into the great hall the flush had not entirely faded from her cheeks. It seemed to Charles Beemer that she had never looked so pretty as at this very moment.

He trudged along at her side, pleased because she had quietly fallen behind the merry throng to talk about some new fittings for Tom's room at college. Beemer thought it must be very delightful to have a sister to make the dainty knickknacks which somehow never found their way into his den. His mother was managing a small farm in Illinois and with three other boys to clothe and send to school had little time for fancy work. Madge tried to think that she was simply doing her duty by her brother's guest, but before the mile to Beemer's hill had been covered she became deeply interested in her companion. If he did not belong to the football eleven, he knew the record of every man in the team. If he had never tobogganed or helped to build an ice castle or played polo, he could talk entertainingly on the latest new books, of which he seemed to possess a surprising number.

But after the first trip on the bobbed illusion, as she termed it, seemed to fade again. He was just what she had first pronounced him—a prig; more than that—yes, a coward!

Beemer's hill was the most noted coasting ground in the county. It was a public highway, steep and smooth, with a gorgeous incline that kept the sleds plunging downward at an exhilarating speed. To be sure, wise-aces in the neighborhood had long predicted that some day reckless coasters would meet with an accident at the bend below Mr. Beemer's house, where the road rounded above a great cliff. But Tom Turner's bob was the finest in all the country round, heavily weighted to give it speed and steered by a well adjusted wheel, and the young people on this particular morning boarded it without a tremor.

Tom steered, and Madge sat well to the rear and in front of Beemer. Several times during the mad ride she felt his hand close almost convulsively on her arm, but she fairly revelled in the wild moment. She was strongly athletic in her tastes and afraid of nothing.

When the party reached the brow of the hill for the second plunge, Beemer looked very grave, and while he made no effort to induce the others to give up the trip he firmly declined to make it again. Instead he would build a fire and have it jolly and comfortable on their return. Madge gave Katherine a significant glance, but she could not catch her brother's eye.

On their return from the run they found Beemer chatting pleasantly with Harry Martin, who had driven over in his smart new cutter. Katherine and Beemer sprang into the sleigh and cuddled down under the fur robes, while Harry stood beside them, his hand resting lightly on the reins.

Suddenly a shout of laughter from the group around the brushwood fire startled the horse, and he plunged forward, jerking the reins from Harry's hands. Straight down the hill he tore, headed for Beemer's bend and the sheer cliff. What if his foot should slip on the bend!

The two girls did not scream, and Madge made a vain effort to snatch at the reins dragging on the ground. Her brother groaned and suddenly threw his hand in front of his face. That was why he did not see a slender, lithe figure throw itself on the bobbed sled and send it shooting after the runaway. It was Beemer, skillfully steering the great sled so that it kept between the runaway and the outer edge of the road. The two vehicles, the swaying cutter and the jerking bobbed sled, round the fatal cliff, with just a few inches to spare on its edge for the brave fellow who handles the wheel. Now the horse gains, but the road is safe and level. Beemer steers his unwieldy sled to the inside of the road. He gains once more. As he shoots past the cutter he leans forward and clutches the reins. The sled darts from under him. He is on his feet, sawing on the lines, but with the blood flowing from a cut on his head.

In the twilight Madge Turner sat by the lounge in her father's library. Beemer, with an aching head and a bruised body, was lying there contentedly watching the dancing flames in the grate.

"Would you mind," suggested Madge in a subdued voice, "telling me why, if you were not afraid to take that awful ride after us, you would not board the bobbed for fun?"

"Because," said Beemer, a slight flush spreading over his pale cheeks—"because my mother has sacrificed a great deal to send me to college. I want to repay it some day, and I have no right to run unnecessary risks."

"Oh!" said Madge, with an eloquence which only a woman can throw into her words.

Katherine appeared at the door half an hour later and remarked:

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asked for the installation of
and beverage. Read adv.
sprinkling cart made its first round
season last Wednesday.

steam was raised in Mr. Hickson's mill
yesterday and it will commence sawing
today if logs can be procured.

There will be practice for hand concert
Prof. Laytons rooms at 8 o'clock
Thursday night. All are requested to
attend.

Mr. John McLean of Ellinstown lost his
house and most of its contents by fire on
Wednesday last April 9th. Fire was dis-
covered about two o'clock but was beyond
control and the house was soon reduced to
ashes. Loss about \$700, no insurance.

The snow and rain of last week was just
what the landowners required to make good
stream driving. It is said that about a foot
of snow fell on the up river districts which
will naturally aid in keeping the water to a
good driving depth.

A slight fire on the roof of Mr. McGowan's
house caused a little excitement last Thurs-
day but it was extinguished without the aid
of the department. This building has been
on fire several times lately and the authori-
ties ought to give it their attention as it is
in a dangerous condition.

The death of Mrs. Carter, wife of Mr. A.
T. Carter, of Bathurst, occurred after a
lingering illness at her home on St. Georges
street on Friday afternoon. The deceased
was sixty-two years of age and was the
eldest daughter of the late Robert Ogden,
of Sackville, N. B. Mrs. Carter was a
member of the Methodist church, and was
held in high esteem by a large circle of
friends.

The spring Millinery openings of the
Newcastle milliners were held at their
respective stores on Friday and Saturday
and despite the very disagreeable weather
were fairly well attended and the milliners
report that considering the weather, this
spring's opening was a very successful one.
The predominating style in colors this
year seems to be whites and blacks. Some
very stylish knockabout hats were shown
which are to take the place of sailors, and
they are very becoming and are receiving
great demand. A number of the pattern
hats are still on exhibition but a number of
the prettiest have been purchased and will
grace the heads of our fair ladies.

MARRIED.

At the Baptist Parsonage, Newcastle, on
Tuesday, April 8th, by Rev. A. F. Brown,
Mr. Thomas Cassidy to Martha Peapody,
both of New Brunswick.

At St. Andrew's Rectory, Newcastle,
April 9th, by the Rev. T. H. Cuthbert,
Mr. Loran McLean of Northesk, to Miss
Ella Hallinan of Blackville.

TALMAGE IS DEAD.

The Famous Preacher Passed
Away Saturday Night at
Washington.

WASHINGTON, April 12.—Rev. T. Dewitt
Talmage, D. D., the noted Presbyterian
divine, died at 9 o'clock tonight at his resi-
dence in this city. It had been evident
for some days that there was no hope of re-
covery and the attending physicians so in-
formed the family. The patient
gradually grew weaker until life passed
away so quietly that even the members of
the family, all of whom were watching at
the bedside, hardly knew that he had gone.
The immediate cause of death was inflam-
mation of the brain.

Dr. Talmage was in poor health when he
started away from Washington for Mexico
for a vacation and rest six weeks ago. He
was then suffering from influenza and
serious catarrhal conditions. Since his
return to Washington some time ago he has
been quite ill. Until Thursday, however,
fears for his death were not entertained.
The last rational words uttered by Dr.
Talmage were on the day preceding the
marriage of his daughter, when he said:
"Of course I know you, Maud." Since
then, he had been unconscious. At Dr.
Talmage's bedside, besides his wife, were
the members of his family: Rev. Frank
Dewitt Talmage; Mrs. Warren G. Smith,
Brooklyn; Mrs. Daniel Magnus, Brooklyn;
Mrs. Allan E. Dounan, Richmond, Mrs.
Clarence Wycoff and Miss Talmage, Wash-
ington.

Washington, April 13.—Arrangements
were completed today for the funeral ser-
vice in this city over the body of Dr. T.
Dewitt Talmage. The funeral will take
place at 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon from
the church of the Covenant. The services
will be very simple. There will be no
funeral sermon but short addresses con-
cerning the life and works of Dr. Talmage.
will be made by men who have been inti-
mately associated with him. At 9 o'clock
Wednesday morning the interment will
take place in the family lot at Greenwood
cemetery, Brooklyn.

Social Personal

Misses Dean and J. H. Dale of Blackville
were in town last week attending a meeting
of the Presbytery of Miramichi.

Mrs. John Quinn of Campbellton is
visiting in town, the guest of Miss M.
Craig.

William D. Carter, Indian Superintendent,
out, was in town last week.

C. A. C. Bruce Esq. left Chatham yester-
day morning for St. John's, Newfoundland
to assume the management of the Canadian
Life Insurance company for that colony.

Mrs. W. N. Moore arrived here Saturday
to join her husband who is the manager
for the Bank of Nova Scotia.

Mr. Joseph Keating of Boston, is spend-
ing a short vacation at his home here.

Miss Mabel Elliott leaves for St. John to
take the steamer from that port to Cape
Town, South Africa, where she goes to
teach the Boer children. The steamer is
due to sail on Friday.

Mr. John Connell, the veteran hunter and
guide of Bartibogue, was in town Friday.

Messrs. Jas. Murray and Herb. Robinson,
returned last week from Bangor, Me.

Mr. Wm. Fraser has returned from law-
rence, Mass. where he was spending the
winter.

Mrs. Fred Chesman leaves this morning
for her home at Halifax.

The "At Home" given by Mrs. Chesman
and the Misses Elliott at their home last
Friday evening was a most enjoyable event.
About seventy-five guests were present.

FOURTH CONTINGENT.

Orders For Recruiting Issued.

OTTAWA, April 9.—Orders were issued
this evening in connection with the recruit-
ing of the fourth contingent for South Africa.
There will be four regiments, to be known
as the 3rd, 4th, 5th and 6th Canadian
Mounted Rifles. They will be armed,
clothed and equipped as the Imperial
Yeomanry of His Majesty's forces. The
conditions of service will be for twelve months
or until the termination of the present
war in South Africa. The pay will be the
same as that of the Second Rifles, namely:
Cavalry rate from date of enlistment to
embarkation, the Imperial Yeomanry rates
from that day on; the age not over 20
years nor over 40; the standard height has
been changed to not under 5 feet 4 inches
nor more than 5 feet 11 inches, and the
weight not more than 180 pounds, instead
of 185, as previously stated. The chest
measurement will be not less than 34 inches.
The medical requirements and qualifications
are the same as those of the Mounted Rifles
preference to be given to men who have had
previous service in South Africa, and single
men; married men and widowers with
children will be accepted conditional on no
separation allowance being issued.

The establishment will be:
Regimental staff—One lieutenant, 1 major
second in command, 1 adjutant, 1 medical
officer, 1 sergeant-major, 1 quartermaster,
1 cook, 16 privates, 2 clerks, 2
orderlies, 2 medical officers, 10 batt-men.

Squadron establishment—One major or
captain, 4 subalterns, 1 squadron major,
1 squadron quartermaster-general, 1 farrier
sergeant, 4 sergeants, 8 shoeing smiths, 1
saddler, 2 buglers, 6 corporals, 97 privates,
total, 121.

The reestablishment will be:
Squadron establishment—Eighty officers,
112 staff sergeants, 64 artificers, 32 buglers,
1,648 rank and file, total 1,836.

regimental staff—Twenty-four officers,
12 staff sergeants and sergeants, 64 rank
and file, total 100.

Total—Officers, 104; staff sergeants and
sergeants, 124; rank and file 1,712; grand
total, 2,036 officers and men, with 2,174
horses.

In the case of this contingent, the privi-
lege will be granted to officers, non-com-
missioned officers and men to assign part of
their pay to relatives, such assignments will
be issued monthly from the department of
militia.

Recruiting in the Maritime Provinces will
commence April 15, and continue until or-
dered to cease. The recruiting stations
with the recruiting and medical officers are:
New Brunswick—Fredericton district, of-
ficer commanding, officer in medical charge,
Moncton—Capt. W. H. Watts, 74th Reg-
ment; Sergt. Major, F. White, 74th Reg-
ment.

Newcastle—Major Maltby, 12th Field
Battery; Sergt. Major J. M. Baxter, 73rd
Regiment.

St. John—Lieut. Colonel McLean, 62nd
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Dated, March 29th, 1902.
William G. Clark,
Annie E. Lonsbury,
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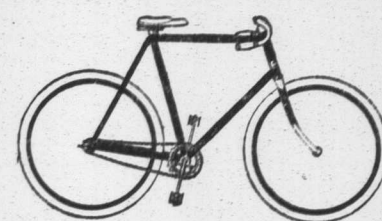
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