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STABLE'S GROCERY

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WHERE SATISFACTION IS GUARANTEED

Rev. S. J. Macarthur Farewells

Goes to Chalmers Church in Historic Quebec City.—Will Be Much Missed on the North Shore

Rev. S. J. Macarthur who has been the pastor of St. James Presbyterian church in Newcastle for the last ten and one half years and who has been all that time a tower of strength to the religious and moral reform life not only of Newcastle but of the whole county and North Shore, as well as a genial member of the Curling Club and other societies, has gone to Quebec City to take charge of Chalmers church there. The best wishes of all his own people and of the whole community go with him and his helpful and popular wife and family to their new home in a larger and more important place.

Farewell Address
Rev. Mr. Macarthur preached his farewell sermon on Sunday evening, the large church of St. James being filled. The address was a most impressive one not soon to be forgotten.

Rev. Mr. Macarthur said he was sorry to leave because he would not be here to welcome back the brave boys who have gone forth to defend their country. He had hoped to see tablets erected to those men in the church. That would doubtless come.

He had hoped to see a memorial window for Miss Jane Mitchell, who had been a most devoted and helpful member of the church and also to her brother, Hon. Peter Mitchell. It does not stand to the credit of the province that his name is inscribed on a monument intended for someone else.

He was pleased to see the tablet that had been erected to the memory of Rev. Wm. Aitken, which completed the tablets to the three ministers who had died in this ministry and congregation.

The men who have gone out from this congregation had done well. He had prayed for all of them. Not a day in his life that he had not thought of them and wished them well.

He had taken much interest in the temperance problem now happily solved. Also in recruiting. The supporting of the men who have gone overseas had brought him very near to people.

He had enjoyed his ministerial services because of the good he saw coming out of them. He trusted some thing had been attained in the ten and one-half years he had been their pastor.

The congregation and community were peaceful, harmonious and pleasant, more so than when he came here, and he hoped he had contributed in some degree to this improvement. There is a good feeling among the denominations. There ought to be. We win not by abusing, but by commending the good we see in others. In all small communities all narrowness and bitterness between denominations is always an evil and never a good. There are too many churches here. If more of the community spirit were developed, it would be better for many a man and woman who now stand outside of church influence. Almost invariably the best spirits are closely connected with the church. He advised all to get in touch with the church, and help make it a power to uplift and enlighten.

He was leaving the community and church with a deep sense of appreciation of the great and many kindnesses he had received. He urged all to solidly support their next minister and give him their best co-operation. The ministry was the most trying of all occupations.

There is only one thing that matters, and that is Jesus Christ. He is the only one to believe in and follow. Jesus fed the hungry, clothed the naked, healed the sick and lifted up the outcast. Those who feed and clothe the hungry and naked preach Christ. But He must be preached not only that way but also to the heart.

He asked the prayers of the people. He sent greetings to the soldiers overseas. He commended all of them and himself to God.

In concluding he wished that the kindly relations that had obtained between the other ministers and himself might obtain between them and his successor.

Presentation
A congregational social was held

UNION GOVERNMENT CARRIES COUNTRY

Civilian Canadian's vote Three to Two in Favor of Immediately Sending Help to the Mother Country

Election Day in this county was fine, and all available voters, men and women got to the polls. Never before was such interest taken, the roads being lined with sleighs and autos bringing voters to the polls or taking them home. The good effects of Prohibition were very marked. Good order prevailed everywhere, and in spite of the intense interest of all the workers, there was no disturbance of any importance.

The Result

1917	1912
Loggie Morrissy	364
Northumberland	3571
W S Loggie, U.	3450
Hon John Morissy, L.	
Carlton-Victoria	
Lion F B Carvell, U.	Acclamation
York-Sunbury	
Col H F McLeod, U.	6349
N W Brown, L.	3159
St John-Albert	
S E Elkin, U.	10,658
R W Wigmore, U.	10,619
Dr Broderick, L.	5411
Dr Emery, L.	5223
Royal (Kings-Queens)	
Gen H H McLean, U.	3925
F E Sharpe, L.	1980
Charlotte	
Hart, U.	2821
Todd, L.	2457
Westmorland	
A B Copp, L.	5752
C B Price, U.	4147
Kent	
A Legere, L.	by 1000 majority
Gloucester	
O Turgoon, L.	by acclamation
Restigouche-Madawaska	
P Michaud, L.	by 2500 majority
Gov't.	Opp'n
Ontario	71 11
Quebec	3 62
Nova Scotia (two deferred)	5 9
New Brunswick	7 4
Manitoba (one deferred)	13 1
Prince Edward Island	0 4
British Columbia	12 1
Saskatchewan	15 0
Alberta two in doubt	9 1
Yukon—One deferred	
Total	136 93
Government majority—43	
In doubt, 2; deferred 4	
The result in N. B.:	

Majority for Loggie, 1917—121

by St. James' Congregation in St. James Hall Tuesday night. James Hall Tuesday night. John Williamson presided over the large gathering, and after a very interesting program a substantial cheque was presented to Rev. Mr. Macarthur, by Mr. Williamson, on behalf of the men of the congregation.

On Monday night, Mrs. Macarthur was remembered with an address and large purse by the ladies of the congregation.

Mr and Mrs Macarthur left on the Maritime Express for Quebec.

RAN INTO AN OPEN SWITCH
A narrow escape from fatal accident occurred at the Newcastle Railway Station on Saturday evening, when the northbound Ocean Limited ran into an open switch and into a number of box cars on the siding. The switch had been left open by a shunting crew and as the Limited was clowing up for the station, it ran into the switch and dashed into a freight train on the siding. Four cars of the freight were reduced to splinters, the large engine of the Limited was badly twisted, the front portion being practically destroyed. No one was hurt, but several passengers in the Limited were shaken up.

DON'T FORGET THE HOSPITAL.
At this Christmas Season, when gifts are being sent everywhere from everyone, there is no better place to which to send articles of Xmas cheer than the public Hospital. It is to be hoped that many will generously remember this in the season of good will.

WILFRED WALSH
Wilfred, the four-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Walsh of Chelmsford, died of pneumonia, on Tuesday morning. He is survived by his parents and two sisters. The funeral was held yesterday afternoon, interment in the Roman Catholic cemetery at Chelmsford.

Mr and Mrs W R MacMillan and daughters Helen and Gwendolyn of Jacques River, attended the funeral of Mrs MacMillan's aunt, the late Miss Elizabeth MacLachlan, on Tuesday afternoon. They were guests of Mr and Mrs Thomas A. Clarke.

Halifax Benefit A Big Success

The returns from the Halifax Benefit Night at the Happy Hour last Thursday night, more than exceeded the expectations of the management, the amount realized being \$259.66, which was forwarded on Friday to the Secretary of the Relief Committee in the stricken city.

Which credit for the success, is due to the untiring efforts of Miss Emma Stewart and Mrs. William Richards, who visited Nelson, Douglastown and Bridgetown to dispose of the tickets of the entertainment; some 771 of which were sold, bringing in \$192.75; but generous citizens in some cases, returned the tickets to the ladies to be disposed of again, and in every case this was done, bringing the gross receipts up to the sum of \$259.66. The following acknowledgment was received this morning by Manager Richards, Halifax Relief Committee, Halifax, N. S., Dec. 18, 1917.

The Happy Hour Theatre, Newcastle, N. B.
Dear Sir:—The Relief Committee deeply appreciates your very generous contribution of \$259.66 received today.

It is impossible to adequately express to you our thanks for such a tangible expression of sympathy. We can assure you that the need exists for every dollar that we can get, and that we have an organization now completed that will utilize the last cent to the best advantage. Again expressing our sincere thanks, I am,

Yours very truly,
RALPH P BEEL,
Sec Relief Committee

PROHIBITION OFFICERS
The following have been appointed Inspectors under the N. B. Prohibition law:

Newcastle Town—Chief of Police Fred Lucas.
Northumberland County outside of the towns—John H. Ashford, former Scot. Act Inspector of Newcastle.
Vendors for Newcastle Town—Dickson and Troy.

A Kidney Remedy

Kidney troubles are frequently caused by highly digested food which overtaxes these organs to eliminate the irritant acids formed. Help your stomach to properly digest the food by taking 15 to 30 drops of Extract of Roots, sold as Mether Seigel's Curative Syrup, and your kidney disorder will promptly disappear. Get the genuine.

Second Lesson

"You Next"

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N. B.—Out of town one week beginning the last Monday of each month. 15-377.

PRESENTATION TO MISS ALICE HARRISON

At Marysville on Saturday, Miss Alice Harrison, organist of the Methodist church there, and formerly of Newcastle, was presented with an address and a purse of \$50 by the Quarterly Board. Sunday evening she received an address and \$20 from the Choir and Bible Class, of both of which she has charge.

IF YOUR CHILD IS CROSS, FEVERISH, CONSTIPATED

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Extract from a letter of a Canadian soldier in France.

To MRS. R. D. BAMBRICK:

The Rectory, Yarmouth, N.S.

Dear Mother:—

I am keeping well, have good food and well protected from the weather, but have some difficulty keeping uninvited guests from visiting me.

Have you any patriotic druggists that would give something for a gift overseas—if so do you know something that is good for everything? I do—Old MINARD'S Liniment.

Your affectionate son,
ROB.

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GERMANS TRYING TO REACH PARIS

Heavy Reinforcements Arriving on Western Front—Allies Holding Firm—Jerusalem is Taken

London, Dec. 10—Jerusalem has surrendered to the British. The Suez Canal is now safe from the Turks. Jerusalem, which was ruled by Emperor Frederick II of Germany from 1229 to 1244 had ever since then been in the hands of Mohammedans. It had been ruled by the Ottoman Turks since 1517.

Paris, Dec. 10—The garrison of Lisbon, Portugal, rose last week, and after two days fighting overthrew the government, which resigned. The rising is thought to be of a Bolshevik nature. The high cost of living had something to do with it.

Jassy, Roumania, Dec. 10—Official announcement was made today of the signing of an armistice in accordance with which hostilities were suspended at 10.30 p.m. yesterday until further notice.

Washington, Dec. 11—The Japanese have occupied Vladivostok, the Russian port on the Pacific in order to prevent the great quantity of military stores there reaching Russians in favor of the enemy.

London, Dec. 12—The British hold over half of the 40 square miles gained from the Germans near Cambrai in Northern France on Nov. 21st. Each side captured about the same number of guns and the British are slightly ahead in the number of prisoners taken. The enemy has succeeded in neutralizing the effect of the whole British success by the breach through on a comparatively small area in the south. This is the first reverse the British have had on the west front since 1915.

The Germans have moved vast masses of reinforcements to the West from Russia. On the Italian front there has been no important change from last week. The Germans twice made an effort to cross the Piave, but in vain. They gained a little ground in the mountains.

London, Dec. 12—In connection with the report of November 22, that large chemical works at Griesheim

Elektion near Frankfurt had been destroyed, owing to an explosion, it is authoritatively stated now that it is certain that the explosion completely destroyed one of the great ammunition factories in the world, and through which Germany suffered a disaster comparable to a very serious military defeat in its effect on the issue of the war. The factory covered over 54 acres and was of prime importance as a source of synthetic nitrates. It also played a prominent part in the production of poison gas tear shells and poison shells, of which it was the greatest center of manufacture in Germany, producing nearly 600,000 cubic feet of poison gas daily in 1916.

The disaster affects every concern in Germany, both by cutting off supplies which many of them drew from Griesheim by necessitating making good the loss of these supplies from a plant already working at maximum and by the deaths of scores of trained workmen and specialists in the factory will make the task of coping with this deficit all the more difficult.

The works cannot be reconstructed in war time, and sooner or later Germany must show on the fighting front the effects of this staggering blow.

London, Dec. 13—An official Turkish statement reports a victory in Mesopotamia over the British. The Turkish troops were said to be pursuing the opposing forces.

London, Dec. 13—Bitter fighting lasted almost the entire day on Wednesday east of Bellecourt, where the Bavarians attacked the British positions, according to a Reuter despatch from British headquarters in France. As a result of the attack the enemy remained in possession of some ground he had taken early in the assault.

Paris, Dec. 14—Heavy artillery fighting occurred last night in the Champagne, the war office announces. Geneva, Switzerland, Dec. 14—Swiss travellers crossing the frontier from Germany tell of immense preparations going on on the western front. Ammunition, provisions and materials of all kinds are being concentrated in upper Rhine towns, through which military trains pass frequently bound west. Ordinary freight traffic has been suspended for ten days.

Washington, Dec. 17—It is denied that Japanese have landed at Vladivostok.

London, Dec. 17—London newspapers forecast that the "Allies will recognize the de facto rule of the Bolsheviks in order to prevent Russia from passing under the political and economic heel of Germany."

Washington, Dec. 18—Two Italian torpedo boats, under Lieutenant Commander Rizzo, composed the force which made a daring raid into the inner harbor at Trieste Sunday night December 9, and torpedoed two Austrian battleships, one of which was seen to sink.

DOAKTOWN

Doaktown, Dec. 12—Mrs. Karl Hildebrand and sister Miss Bessie Wathien visited Fredericton friends on Friday last.

The Misses Collins from Marysville are guests of their cousin, Mrs. Walter Betts this week.

Mrs. Ellis Mesereau attended the funeral of her cousin, Mr. William Campbell which was held on Monday from deceased's home in Boles-town.

Mrs. Jennie Ogilvie and daughter Mae who have been visiting relatives in town returned to Mrs. Ogilvie's home at Carroll's Crossing on Saturday. They are soon to leave for a trip to the West.

The many friends of Mrs. (Col) G. W. Mesereau and daughter Helen (Mrs. Dodds) will be pleased to learn that they have escaped uninjured after the dreadful Halifax disaster. The home of Mr. and Mrs. Dodds was quite badly damaged.

Dr. Freeman McDonald of Boston who has been visiting his father, Mr. John McDonald of Blissfield was in town on Saturday.

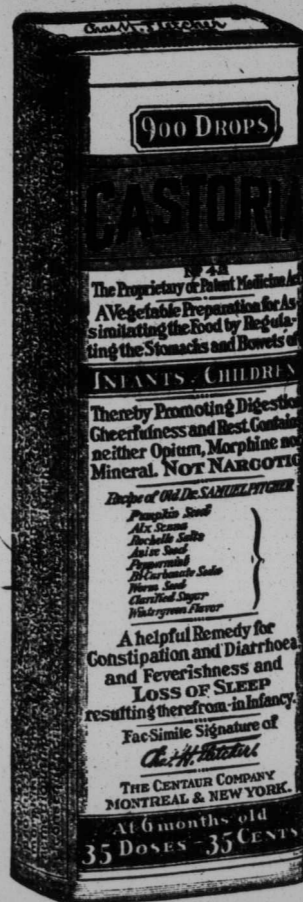
We are sorry to learn that Mrs. David Holmes is quite ill at the home of Mrs. Alex Amos.

Rev. A. J. Paterson had to cancel his services at Carrolle and Ludlow on Sunday, owing to the heavy storm on Saturday.

Miss Faye MacDonald, graduate nurse of Boston, will leave on Tuesday evening's express with several other nurses for Halifax where they will assist in looking after the sick and injured.

Miss Hazel Holmes has returned home after visiting friends at Chatham.

See Marguerite Clarke in "The Amazons" Friday and Saturday at the Happy Hour.



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In certain districts a homesteader may secure an adjoining quarter section as pre-emption. Price \$3.00 per acre. Duties—Reside six months in each of three years after earning homestead patent and cultivate 50 acres extra. May obtain pre-emption patent as soon as homestead patent on certain conditions.

A settler after obtaining homestead patent, if he cannot secure a pre-emption may take, a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$3.00 per acre. Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate 50 acres and erect a house worth \$300.00.

Holders of entries may count time of employment as farm laborers in Canada during 1917, as residence duties under certain conditions.

When Dominion Lands are arrested or posted for entry, returned soldiers who have served overseas and have been honorably discharged, receive one day priority in applying for entry at local Agent's Office (but not Sub-Agency). Discharge papers must be presented to Agent.

W. W. CORY, Deputy Minister of the Interior, N. B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for. 17-1-18

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Caps	Suits
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Braces	Trunks
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Large Shipments of Game This Season

But on Account of the War and Other Causes Only Half as Much as Last Year

The Dominion Express Company, Mr. A. H. Cole agent, has shipped the following game trophies this season:

John T. Hoover, Uniontown, Pa.—2 deer, 1 caribou, 2 bears
Chas. Hoover, Uniontown, Pa.—2 deer, 1 caribou
John Hoover, Uniontown, Pa.—2 deer, 1 caribou, 2 bears
H. G. Moore, Uniontown, Pa.—2 deer
J. H. Hiss, Baltimore.—2 deer, 1 caribou, 1 moose
J. F. Ryley, Baltimore.—2 deer, 1 moose
J. S. Milton, Boston.—2 deer
Geo. Mathews, Brownville, Me.—1 caribou
J. D. N. Wessner, Hartford City.—2 deer, 1 bear
J. L. Davis, LaFonain Ind.—2 deer, 1 caribou, 1 moose, 1 bear
F. M. Burditt, Boston.—2 deer, 1 moose
Robt. Marron, Jersey City.—1 deer, 1 moose
J. G. Stuckey, Prospect, Ohio.—2 deer, 1 moose, 1 bear
David Hughes, Prospect, Ohio.—2 deer, 1 moose, 1 bear
G. J. Van Vechten, Scranton, Pa.—2 deer, 1 moose
E. W. Bill, New York.—2 deer, 1 moose
Marshall Adams, New York.—1 moose
W. H. Chase, Leominster.—1 deer, 1 moose
Sydney Furtz, Lockhaven, Pa.—1 deer
R. P. Parks, New York.—1 deer, 1 moose
F. Ewing, Greenwich Ct.—1 deer, 1 moose, 1 bear
W. Ewing, Greenwich.—2 deer, 1 moose, 1 bear
T. A. McCann, Dayton Ohio.—1 caribou, 1 moose
E. C. Rogers, Putnam.—1 deer, 1 moose
C. H. Walker, Central Village—2 deer
Geo. C. Teitzer, New York.—2 deer
H. B. Canby, Dayton, Ohio.—1 deer
F. Canby, Dayton, Ohio.—1 caribou
A. J. Bauers, New York.—1 moose
R. P. Cushing, New York.—1 moose
E. F. Kestler, New York.—1 moose
E. M. Bellford, Palm Beach.—1 moose, 1 bear
J. H. Byers.—2 deer
H. Kestler, New York.—1 bear
C. A. Lyon, New York.—2 deer
C. E. Waring, Warren, Ohio.—1 bear
E. C. Chambers, Warren, Ohio.—1 moose, 1 bear
H. E. Craig, Warren, Ohio.—1 moose
N. A. Walcott, Warren, Ohio.—1 moose
R. P. Cushing, Boston.—1 deer
C. H. Edgerton, New York.—1 deer
F. H. Winston, Chicago.—1 deer, 1 bear
C. H. Jenkins, Chicago.—1 deer, 1 caribou
F. G. Delbon, Brooklyn.—1 moose
E. Wilson, Brooklyn.—1 bear
W. G. Cafiero, Brooklyn.—1 moose
Totals—49 deer, 8 caribou, 29 moose, 14 bears
Besides the above, there were shipped for local sportsmen the following: 30 deer, 3 caribou, 7 moose, and 14 bears
This was about half the amount shipped last year

FIRST WOUNDED THEN GASSED

Capt. Lawrence MacDonald has received word that his son Alex, No. 901033 who went overseas long ago in the 28th Battery was admitted to No. 42 Casualty Clearing Station on December, 8th, having been gassed. He had been wounded on Nov. 1st but had been discharged from the hospital on the 10th of the same month. While in hospital he wrote his father: Dear father, don't worry about me being wounded. I expect to regain my Battery in a day or two as fresh as a trout.
Pte. Cornelius Gormely of Newcas- tie saw Alec in France the day he was discharged from the hospital.
Capt. MacDonald has another son, Russell McDonald at the front. He went over to France in April, but did not meet his brother until June. Ever since they have frequently seen each other. It is to be hoped that Alex will soon be well again.

10 CENT "CASCARETS" FOR LIVER AND BOWELS

Cure Sick Headache, Constipation, Biliousness, Sour Stomach, Bad Breath—Candy Cathartic.

No odds how bad your liver, stomach or bowels; how much your head aches, how miserable you are from constipation, indigestion, biliousness and sluggish bowels—you always get relief with Cascarets. They immediately cleanse and regulate the stomach, remove the sour, fermenting food and foul gases; take the excess bile from the liver and carry off the constipated waste matter and poison from the intestines and bowels. A 10-cent box from your druggist will keep your liver and bowels clean; stomach sweet and head clear for months. They work while you sleep.

The Miramichi Presbytery

Loses with Deep Regret two able and Popular Ministers—Some Interesting Figures

The Presbytery of Miramichi met in quarterly session in St. James' Hall here Tuesday, Dec. 11th.
The members present were: G. P. Tattler, Moderator, Tabusintac; A. Rettie, Milleron clerk; F. L. Jobb, New Mills; S. J. MacArthur, Newcastle; Hugh Miller, Campbellton; W. McN. Matthews, Bathurst; Jas. F. McCurdy, Redbank; J. H. McLean, Dalhousie; Alex. Firth, Douglastown; L. J. King, Escuminac (P. Q.); E. J. Rafter, New Richmond; P. Q.; W. B. Rossborough, Loggieville; James Fraser, Black River; G. S. Gardiner, Rexton; John Harris, Chatham; and A. J. McNeil, Doaktown; also Rev. Mr. Wright of Lewis, P. Q.

The representative elders present were: John Williamson, Newcastle; J. A. Roberston, Metapedia; and Robert Loggie, Loggieville.
Two matters of more than usual personal interest were before presbytery, the resignation of his congregation by the Rev. W. B. Rossborough, and a call to Chalmers Church, Quebec city, in favor of Rev. S. J. MacArthur of Newcastle.

On behalf of the Presbytery and congregation calling, Rev. Mr. Wright of Lewis addressed the Presbytery and urged the translation eloquently and cogently.
For the Newcastle congregation D. W. Stohart, John Williamson, E. A. McCurdy, John Brander, and James Falconer appeared to express their attachment to Mr. MacArthur and appreciation of his ten years ministry. Nevertheless they had resolved not to oppose the call, inasmuch as they understood he believed it to be his duty to accept the call.

When the call was put into his hands, Mr. MacArthur in a feeling address announced his decision to accept it.

Thereupon Presbytery acquiesced in this decision, and parted with Mr. MacArthur with great regret and many expressions of lasting regard.

The resignation of Rev. W. B. Rossborough was next considered. Mr. Rossborough is a nephew of Rev. Dr. Jack of North Sydney, who has been seriously ill, and resigns that he may give help to his uncle, J. W. S. Babkirk. D. McKenzie, Robt. Loggie and Mr. Simpson urged the attachment of all the people to Mr. Rossborough and offered six months leave of absence. Presbytery agreed to this, but Mr. Rossborough, with deep regret, adhered to his resignation, and Presbytery acquiesced.

A resolution of deep sympathy with Rev. Dr. Jack was also adopted. At the afternoon adjournment the budget for 1918 was adopted. The missionary fund allocations are as follows:

Families	Commun- icants	Commun- icants	Amounts
Bathurst	93	215	\$300
Bass River	123	140	210
Black River	163	328	500
Blackville	75	136	200
Campbellton	230	377	1000
Chatham			
St. Andrew's	150	212	850
Chatham			
St. John's	70	157	225
Dalhousie	125	200	410
Douglastown	100	168	210
Escuminac	71	116	150
Harcourt	82	111	160
Loggieville	97	167	350
Milleron	50	105	150
Matapedia	36	38	160
New Carlisle	100	172	200
Newcastle	116	188	650
New Mills	160	347	800
New Richmond	165	216	650
Redbank	130	154	300
Restigouche	85	150	200
Rexton	154	162	500
Tabusintac	128	161	320
Upper Miramichi	89	157	100
Kouchibouguac	50	57	25
Miscou	44	70	15
Caraguet	80	123	35
Millbank	48	66	50

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Practically the same missionary allocations were made as last year.

Presbytery next discussed the raising of the Minimum stipend of Ministers to \$1200 a year. Strong remarks were made on this subject.

A motion was passed that a letter signed by the Moderator and clerk be addressed to the Board of management and session of each congregation that now pays a stipend less than \$1200 a year, calling their attention to the minimum and that there be an exchange of pulpits in such pastorates, between now and January, 31st, each pastor exchanging to take with him two laymen to place the budget and minimum stipend before the people.

In the evening a resolution endorsing Union Government was unanimously passed.

Rev. John Harris was appointed interim moderator of Millbank. Next regular meeting will be held at St. James' Hall, Newcastle, on the second Tuesday of next March at 11 a. m.

Adjourned.
See Marguerite Clarke in "The Amazons" Friday and Saturday at the Happy Hour.

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The Advocate wishes all its readers a Merry Christmas

THE ELECTION

The Election on Monday gave the Borden Unionist Government a majority of 43, without counting the vote of the overseas soldiers at all. Sir Wilfrid Laurier has less than 40 per cent. of the new House of Commons, with the prospect of losing the two Cape Breton seats and those of Picton, Cumberland and others in N. S., and also several in Ontario when the soldiers' votes are counted.

The Government swept Ontario and the West, while the Opposition swept Quebec, P. E. I. and most of N. S.

Only the French counties of Restigouche-Madawaska, Gloucester and Kent and the nearly half French Westmorland returned the Opposition candidate in this province.

Northumberland rose splendidly to the occasion and re-elected Mr W S Loggie by a narrow but safe majority. This result, without recourse to the overseas vote, is very satisfactory and is a fitting reward for Mr Loggie's faithful service as a member and his courageous and patriotic stand on the vital questions that have recently come up in parliament.

Prince Edward Island elected no Government supporters and, with the exception of Hon Messrs Doherty and Ballantyne, members of the Government, and Sir Herbert Ames, all from Montreal City, Quebec province returned no Unionists. The two French members of the Government were snowed under by the votes of their own compatriots, and no French man, except one or two elected in English-speaking districts, appear among the Unionist members-elect. All of the Government but Messrs Blouin and Sevigny were triumphantly returned, either by acclamation or by large majorities.

The Central and Western provinces gave the Government an almost solid contingent.

The result is a decisive victory for the principles of the Union Government, and as such will have great influence upon the whole empire and indeed, upon the world.

We congratulate Mr W S Loggie, we congratulate Hon F B Carvell and Hon R L Borden and the county upon the results. May peace and unity come to the country. May the victors treat their erstwhile opponents fairly and generously and the opposition accept their reverse in a sportsmanlike manner and all unite to bring the country through the great war successfully and honorably.

**Annual Meeting
Of U. B. Church**

The annual meeting of the Newcastle Baptist church and congregation was held on Wednesday evening, Dec 12th, and was full of good cheer.

Rev. S. Gray reviewed the church year, which terminated on Nov 30th, accenting the improvement in attendance, and the presence of new comers from other towns, faces familiar and unfamiliar. He also spoke of favourable features of the church at Derby.

The financial statement was presented by the treasurer, Mr C. C. Hayward, who remarked that the year's income touched a higher mark than ever before.

The Sunday School report presented by Mr. Locke, showed a balance on hand of \$25.50, and an attendance of about the same as last year. The Home Department of the S. S. in the hands of Mrs. T. A. Scribner has a circle of 65, and, as that lady remarked, there was encouraging interest taken in the houses visited by herself and her two helpers, Mrs. Ryan and Miss Mitchell.

The Mission Band has been well maintained, in the capable hands of Mrs C. C. Hayward.

Mrs. Astles gave details of the W. M. A. There are 19 members, and \$81 was raised during the year. Two new life members had been created, Mrs S Gray and Mrs Scribner.

The Flower Committee, with its convener, Mrs Alex McKay, had rendered good service.

The 5 Year Programme of the Baptist Convention will receive regular attention in the ensuing year by its four local committees.

The undennamed were unanimously elected to serve for 1917-18:
Trustees—C C Hayward, E O'Donnell, T V Tozer, T A Scribner, William Lewis, Malcolm Amos, Jas D. Lyon.

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Clerk—F E Locke
Organist—Miss M J Dunnett
Tellers—T A Scribner, H S Tozer, F Locke, W R Melanson, Florence and Jessie Lyon, C S Amos

Sick and Strangers Com.—Mrs John McCormick, Mrs H A Vye, Mrs Burton Somers, Mrs T A Scribner, Miss Alice Mitchell, Miss Ella O'Donnell, Mrs T V Tozer, Mrs W A Russell

A cordial expression of thanks was voted to Miss Dunnett for her valued services as Organist; and warm appreciation of the acceptable lead of Mr D Piggott as choir leader, was ordered to be conveyed to him.

During the meeting the pastor incidentally mentioned the lamented decease of Mrs Mitchell. He also took notice of the Guild for boys, meeting weekly in the parsonage for the purpose.

The Doxology and benediction brought the engagements to a hopeful and cheery close.

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Any druggist will supply three ounces of orchard white at very little cost and the grocer has the lemons.

Mr William Russell was a visitor to Amherst this week.

Mrs. H. H. Stuart, and master Henry W Stuart spent the weekend with relatives at Fredericton and Fredericton Junction.

Miss Helen McMichael, student at Mt. Allison Ladies' College is home for the holidays.

Mrs. Howard Cassidy returned on Saturday from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Ernest Ryan, Fredericton.

Mrs. Almer Gordon of Marysville is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Kehro.

Mrs. Elizabeth Clarke of St Stephen is the guest of Mr and Mrs T A Clarke

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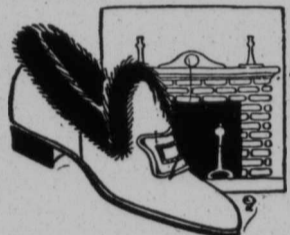
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LOGGIEVILLE

FUNERAL OF THE LATE MISS JANE MITCHELL

Loggieville, Dec. 11.—The funeral of the late Miss Jane Mitchell, whose death occurred at the home of Mrs. John Robertson, as the evening shadows began to gather in on the 2nd inst. took place on Wednesday, the 5th, at noon. Miss Mitchell was in her 83rd year. She came to this town from Newcastle about two and one half years ago. She was a person of winning personality, and had many strongly attached friends. She was well endowed by nature. Her education and refinement, her zeal and devotion as a Christian, her readiness to help in every good work, her self-sacrificing spirit, her faith and fortitude made her a light and blessing, and a special gift of God to the friends and acquaintances whom she came in contact with. Miss Mitchell possessed scholarly tastes, was a great lover of the best literature. She could converse intelligently on the great subjects of the day. She was deeply interested in Temperance reform, Sabbath Observance, and missionary work at home and abroad. She had a rare combination of intellect, learning and deep spiritual insight into the truth, and simple undulterated saintliness. Soon after her arrival here, she identified herself with the life of the place, and she did not spare herself in ministering to those whom she found it possible to visit. The children in homes where she went awaited her coming with eager interest. She did not allow advancing years to hinder her from keeping in touch with friends, for when unable to get around among them she resorted to her pen, which she could handle skilfully. Although departed the late Miss Mitchell will speak to those who knew her best for many years to come. Her last illness was only of a day's duration. Up until the day of her death she was able to attend to her usual duties. The funeral service here was conducted by Rev. Wilmer Rosborough, assisted by members of the Presbyterian church choir. Three favorite hymns of the deceased were sung, viz:—Come Holy Spirit, Our Best Redeemer and Just as I am. The remains were taken to Newcastle, for interment in the St. James' Cemetery.

Arthur McDonald, who has been in the States for an extended period of time, is now at his home here. Miss Lottie Loggie arrived home from Halifax on Saturday. She has been attending the musical conservatory there, and had a very narrow escape from injuries in the recent great disaster. Several other Loggieville people were in Halifax at the time of the explosion, but all have been heard from. Mr. and Mrs. William Matthews have returned from a visit to out town relatives. Mrs. Donald Johnstone's many friends are glad to know that she is recovering, from her recent serious illness.

SILLIKERS NOTES

Sillikers, Dec. 8.—Rev. S Gray of Newcastle will preach in the church here to-morrow evening. As there has been no minister here for some time, his visit will be much appreciated. Rev. W. C. Carpenter of P E I who intended coming here, has been prevented from doing so by sickness in his family.

Mr. Derton Tozer while working in the woods last week, was injured quite badly about the face and head, by a falling limb. We are sorry to hear Mr. Walter Murphy has not been so well lately. Mr. Edward Tozer's son, Harry who is in a convalescent home in England since he was gassed is improving rapidly, and expects to go back to the front after Christmas. Mr. Derton Tozer is back to the front after Christmas.

Mrs. Edward Silliker is spending a few days with her mother Mrs. William Stewart.

Miss Marcella Burns of Redbank is spending the winter with Mrs. Claude Somers.

Mrs. Edward Tozer spent a few days in Newcastle and Miller's.

Mrs. Daniel Estey is spending the winter with her mother Mrs. Irvine McAllister.

Mr. Moses Travis who was quite ill is much better.

Mrs. Nancy Stewart is spending a few days with her daughter Mrs. DeWitt Silliker.

SUNNY CORNER

Sunny Corner, Dec. 11.—Mrs E Cain is visiting her daughter Mrs David Mullin, here.

Miss Rose Tozer was the guest of her cousin Miss Hattie Tozer Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. James Hyland was a visitor in Boom Road Monday.

Miss Martha McKenzie spent last week with relatives at the corner. Pte. Willie O'Shea's numerous friends were shocked to hear he was killed in action Nov 29th His parents Mr and Mrs. James O'Shea have the sympathy of the entire community in their sorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Masterson, Nelson were visitors at the latter's former home Sunday.

There was no service in the Presbyterian church Sunday, owing to our pastor's Mr McCurdy's anxiety regarding his daughter who was in the City of Halifax at the time of the terrific explosion, however news has since been received here to the effect that Helen is quite safe and we all hope to see her home again in the course of a few days.

SUNNY HILL

Sunny Hill, Dec. 13.—Mr Charlie Robinson of this place spent last week in Bicestown.

Mrs. Arthur Ballard and Mr. Stephen Robinson was calling on Mrs. Jessie Robinson last week.

Miss Olive Robinson was the guest of her cousin Edith Mitchell of South Road on Sunday last.

Mrs. Harry Phillips of Fredericton was visiting Mrs. Irvine Robinson on Friday.

Mr. Sandy Parks of Indiantown was visiting Mr. Freeman Robinson on Saturday.

Mr. Wm. Robinson was visiting at Mr. James Ballard the past week.

Miss Katie Arbeau is visiting her sister Mrs. Roy Sims of Doaktown.

Mrs. Wm. Mitchell of Doaktown is visiting Mrs. Jessie Robinson.

Miss Rena Russell of South Road was visiting Mrs. Jessie Robinson last week.

WHITNEYVILLE WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

N. B. W. I met at the home of Mrs. Allen Whitney, Dec. 4th.

Three new members enrolled namely: Mrs. Fred Whitney, Miss Jessie Whitney, Mrs. David Mullin.

Next place of meeting Mrs. Chas. MacKay, 1st Wednesday in January.

Programme: Discussion—"Labor Saving Services."

Paper—"The Child Mind."

Recitation

Roll Call—Responded to by a New Years Resolution.

All ladies are welcome to attend.

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It is claimed that a quarter of an ounce of frezone obtained at any drug store will cost very little but is sufficient to remove every hard or soft corn, or callus from one's feet. Cut this out, especially if you are a woman reader who wears high heels.

BOOM ROAD

BOOM ROAD SCHOOL REPORT

Boom Road School Report for November.

Pupils enrolled 80 average attendance 54. Perfect Attendance: Mable Mullin, Lottie Howe, Kathleen Menzies, Dorothy Mutch, Gladys Mullin, Mary E. Allison, John Stewart, Elmer Sherard, Katie Howe, Irven Howe, Doreen Menzies, Ruby Whitney, Jack Sherard, Ina Mullin, Angline McDonald.

Missing not more than two days: Annie Mullin, Jessie Jardine, Blair Menzies, Allan Sherard, Olga Mutch, Evelyn Harris.

Grade V.—(a) Ina Mullin, Jessie Jardine, 1; Grade V.—(b) Mark Mullin, 1; Evelyn Harris, 2.

Grade IV.—Lottie Howe, 1; Harry Thibideau, 2.

Grade III.—Dorothy Mutch, 1; Burton Whitney, 2.

Grade II.—Angline McDonald, 1; Ruby Whitney, 2.

Grade I.—(a) Kathleen Menzies, 1; Elmer Sherard, 2.

Grade I.—Irven Howe, 1; Olga Mutch, 2.

DERBY SCHOOL REPORT

Report of Primary Department of Derby Superior School for November.

Grade I.—Howard Burrill, 1; Gladys Langan and Ruby Carter, 2; Marie Doran, 3.

Grade II.—Earle Parker, 1; Bernice Gillis, 2.

Grade III.—Kenneth Brown and Allan Carter, 1; Walter McLean, 2; Agnes McLean, 3.

Grade IV.—Frances Parker, 1; Arthur Archibald, 2; Graham Campbell, 3.

Grade V.—Nora McLean, 1; Annie Langan and Genevieve Doran, 2; Roberta Parker, 3.

Miss Lillian Miller of Bathurst spent the week-end at her home here.

Nerves of the Stomach

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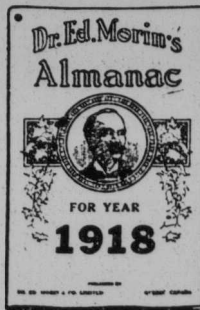
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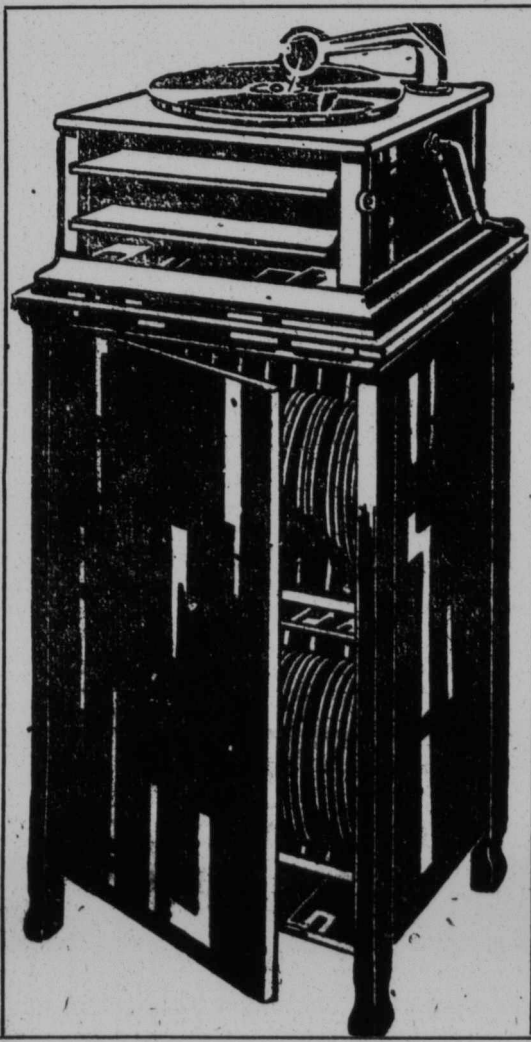


Rome, Dec 17—According to the belligerent countries, declaring that if any Christian state aids the Turks in an attempt to retake Jerusalem it

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LOCAL ITEMS

NEW LUNCH COUNTER AT HOTEL MIRAMICHI
The proprietor of the Miramichi Hotel has opened an Oyster Bar and Lunch Counter, where lunches of all kinds, coffee, etc., will be secured from noon until midnight, daily except Sunday. This will be a great convenience to the travelling public.

IMO'S HELMSMAN SUSPECTED SPY
Halifax, N. S., Dec 13—Charles Jacobsen, helmsman on the Norwegian steamer Imo, the Belgian relief ship, whose collision with the ammunition steamer Mont Blanc led to the disaster of the 6th instant, was detained as a German spy suspect today. He was turned over to the military authorities by officials of the Massachusetts relief hospital, where he has been under treatment.

MATTHEW T McLEAN
There died November 20th ult., at Boyers, Pa., Matthew T. McLean, son of the late Michael and Nancy McLean of Newcastle. Deceased leaves to mourn his loss five brothers; Samuel of Michigan; Robert of Alberton, P. E. I.; Henry of Newcastle, and James of Chatham, and one sister Mrs. Annie S. Knox of Lawrence, Mass. Mr. McLean spent his boyhood days in Douglastown, N. B. and is kindly remembered by many people on the Miramichi.

TOWN COUNCILS AID HALIFAX
Newcastle Town Council met in committee of the whole on Friday, Dec 7th and recommended that \$1000 be spent on behalf of the Halifax sufferers. The following supplies were forwarded by next train: 60 pairs blankets, 2400 lbs Tar paper, 15000 feet Beaver Board, 2000 laths, 200 lbs. nails, 300 lbs putty, 11 boxes glass.

All the town councils of the Maritime provinces have also granted assistance to the stricken city

HALIFAX DEAD NUMBER 1226
Official figures of the death toll exacted by the explosion of the cargo of the munition ship Mont Blanc at Halifax, Dec 6th, is put at 1,226, which takes in the dead, identified and unidentified, and the missing. Identified in various mortuaries 450 Dead, who can be identified from effects 225 Unrecognizable remains 125 Missing 400 Dartmouth—Identified 26 Total 1,226 Final figures of the missing are not yet available. Fifty were killed at Dartmouth.

SAPPER THOS. YOUNG OF DOUGLASHOWN IMPROVING
Mr and Mrs Young of Douglastown whose heroic young son enlisted in the 132nd, received the following from Ottawa on the 17th instant: "Referring to headquarters telegram of the 29th, cable received from England states that the officer in charge of the Canadian Convalescent Hospital at Bearwood Park, Berks, reports 793851 Sapper Thomas Joseph Young, gunshot wound in right thigh, pains sciatica, nerve condition fair, wound, healing, dressing daily." Tommy's many friends will be glad to hear that he is improving and will rejoice when he is able to be out of the hospital.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System thereby destroying the foundation of the disease giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Cure that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials Address: F. J. Cheney & Co. Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

LATE WM CAMPBELL
The funeral of the late William Campbell took place from his home at Boiestown on Dec. 10th at two o'clock. Impressive services, were conducted at the house by Rev Messrs McNeill and Smith and there was a large gathering of friends from the surrounding districts to pay their respects to the memory of the deceased gentleman. There were many beautiful floral tributes among which were a pillow from the family; wreaths, Mr and Mrs John Kilburn, Mr and Mrs C K Palmer and Mrs Brewer, Miss Vesta Webster, Members of Lodge No 17, Mr and Mrs C J McCloskey and Miss Vida McCloskey; gates ajar, James Robinson; crescent, Dr and Mrs Ryan; cut flowers, Mrs McConnell, Mr and Mrs A M Holt and Mrs C Nelson

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Acrobats, Swords, Barking Dogs, Dancing Coons, Garden Sots; Fancy Boxes; Man Punching Bag; Plates; Universal Tops; Tin Whistles; Magnets, Air Torpedos; Pop Guns; Iron Toys; Go-Carts; See-Saws; Butter flys; Horse and Wagon; Telephones; Hook and Ladders; Water Towers; Mahine Guns, Fire Engines; Monkey on Sticks; Soldier Suits, 6, 8 and 10 years; Sand Pails; Wool Dags; Books Toy Books all prices; Boy Scouts, nice assortment of cloth bound books Handkerchiefs and Glove Boxes; Nests of Baskets; Dolls in all sizes; Crying Dolls; Toy Cradles; Toy Carts; Toy Chairs; Rockers, and large variety Santa Claus Masks

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Rev. Mr. Mingt from Montreal will conduct the morning and evening services in St. James Church next Sunday the 22nd. inst.

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Where you will find a first class line of Xmas Cake, comprising:

- Fig Cake
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We also have a large assortment of

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Gravensteins, Baldwins
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Save your Hair! Get a small bottle of Danderine right now—Also stops itching scalp.

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Get a small bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store. You surely can have beautiful hair and lots of it if you will just try a little Danderine. Save your hair! Try it!



ST. JOHN'S DAY

The officers and members of Northumberland Lodge No 17 R N B are summoned to attend the regular meeting of the lodge Thursday evening, Dec 27th. Installation of officers by Past Master Kerr. All visiting brethren cordially invited to attend.

By Order of the W. M.
H. R. MOODY, Sec'y

NEW ARRIVAL AT NELSON
Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McLaughlan, Nelson, are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a son at their home on Dec. 13th.

BOJESTOWN HELPS HALIFAX
The people of Bojestown have not been behind other parts of the province in doing their bit for the relief of the sufferers of the Halifax disaster. The ladies appointed Mrs W T Ryan, Mrs Wm McMillan and Miss Mary McCloskey, a committee, who went around and collected money and (Several hundred dollars worth of clothing was sent, and Dr W T Ryan, the treasurer has considerable money on hand, which he will forward to the relief committee at Halifax.

STAR AND PRODUCTION TO BE SHOWN AT THE HAPPY HOUR NEXT WEEK

Monday—"The Seven Pearls"—Mol the King
Tuesday—"The Duchess of Doubt" matinee and night—Emmy Webber
Wednesday—"Mysterious" Miss Terry—Billis Burke
Thursday—"The Book Agent"—Geo Walsh
Friday and Saturday—Hashmuro Togo—Sessue Hayakawa; Lonesome Luke Comedy
Big Specials Coming—"The Garden of Allah" "The Stacker" and "Submarine Eye"

MISS ELIZABETH McLACHLAN

After a brief illness Miss Elizabeth McLachlan passed peacefully to rest at the home of her niece, Mrs Thom as A Clarke on Saturday afternoon, 15th inst. She was the last member of the family of the late John McLachlan of Nelson. When quite young Miss McLachlan went to Ohio and completed her education at Hope Dale College teaching there for several years. Returning to her Miramichi home she continued teaching the greater part of this time being spent in the public schools of Newcastle, where she will long be remembered by her old pupils as a faithful painstaking instructor who always had their best interests at heart. Though having reached the ripe age of eighty five years, her faculties were unimpaired, and she took a vital interest in the leading events of the day. The funeral was held on Tuesday afternoon interment being in the family lot in St James' cemetery. The services were conducted by Rev S J MacArthur, assisted by Rev Dr Squires and members of the Presbyterian choir. The hearse was preceded by the teachers and pupils of Harbins Academy. The pallbearers were Hon John P Burchill, J H Phinney, James Falconer, George Stables John R Allison and A A Davidson.

A Letter of Interest

To Happy Hour Patrons:
Here are extracts from a letter received today from one of the Paramount Pictures Corporation executives about Miss Marguerite Clark in "The Amazons." I thought that this comment from so high a source would undoubtedly interest you and I am sure that the picture will. "To describe all that "Lady Tommy" (Miss Marguerite Clark) does in this picture would be like taking you through some of the exploits of Douglas Fairbanks, is one of his inimitable flights of daring. In the opening scene, where her mother, the Marchioness, is having her trained in the so-called "manly" arts, Miss Clark is seen in a gymnasium doing all sorts of gymnastic "stunts"—from revolving like a top in a trapeze to boxing several "rounds" with her sister.
"The Amazons" will be shown in this theatre on Friday and Saturday. Kindly come with your friends to the theatre as early as you can, because this is a photoplay that will be sure to please everyone and the demand for seats will be tremendous. I might add that this is the first of Miss Clark's special "star series" Paramount productions—special in expense, special in quality, special in attractiveness to you.
Yours for Service, and for Quality,
The Happy Hour Theatre,
W. Richards, Manager

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Retail License
The following persons have applied for a Retail License under Act 6, George V, Chapter 20, "An Act for the Suppression of Traffic in Intoxicating Liquor."
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The premises are described as follows:
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John H. Troy, Newcastle, Northumberland Co., N. B.
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W. D. WILSON,
Chief Inspector

XMAS 1917

Some of the things we would suggest as suitable for Xmas Gifts and which we can supply from large general stock

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A Metro Wonderplay of a "Rich" Poor Girl and a "Poor" Rich Man.
Matinee at 3 o'clock—Children 5c, Adults 15c.

CARD OF THANKS
The management of the Happy Hour wish to extend thanks to all persons who helped make the Halifax Benefit Night a success especially the ladies who sold tickets, the local talent that assisted in the entertainment and Mr John Sargeant, who placed teams at the disposal of the ticket sellers, thus enabling them to reach Douglastown, Bridgetown and other out of the way places

PRESENTATION
On Tuesday evening Dec 11th, the congregation of St James Presbyterian church, Nelson, gathered at the home of the Sec-treasurer, Mr Daniel Baldwin and after devotional exercises an address and presentation was tendered the minister, Rev A Firth

Mr Harry Brown read the address which is as follows:
Mr Harry Brown read an address, expressing appreciation of the service of Rev Mr Firth, after which he was presented with a handsome fur coat.
Mr Firth was then presented with a fur coat by two little girls, Marion Mackenzie and Ethel Brown. Needless to say, Mr Firth was completely taken by surprise but replied most fittingly, saying he had always found the people of this congregation very responsive and eager to help him in his undertakings and that this presentation meant to him "Another Call to Service".
After this dainty refreshments were served and after more music, the gathering dispersed to their homes, all pronouncing a very enjoyable evening.

DENNIS SHEEHAN
The death of Dennis Sheehan of Barnaby River, one of the oldest and respected residents of that place, died at 5 a. m. Tuesday morning, at the age of 78. The funeral takes place this afternoon.

MCKIBBON—HAMILTON
The marriage of Walter J. McKibbon of Exmore and Miss Dorothy Hamilton of Silliker, was solemnized at the Manse, Redbank, yesterday afternoon, Rev. J. F. McCurdy, B. A., officiating. They were unattended.

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