

# THE UNION ADVOCATE.

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## ONE DAY'S TOTAL SALES DURING JUNE

Given away to our Customers. Ask for card explaining scheme in full. It pays to trade here. Good value given in exchange for money and extras thrown in.

We just wish to announce that our stock is now complete for the season's selling, in the following lines,

SHIRT WAISTS,  
LACE COLLARS,  
STOCK COLLARS,  
WASH FABRICS,  
MUSLIN UNDERWEAR,  
NEW TRIMMINGS,  
EMBROIDERIES,  
APPLIQUES and LACES,  
TUCKED LAWNS,  
ALLOVER LACES.

OUTING HATS,  
TRIMMED HATS,  
SUNSHADES,  
UNDERVESTS,  
HOSIERY,  
SUN BONNETS,  
CHILDREN'S PARASOLS,  
NEW LININGS,  
NEW BINDINGS,  
READY-TO-WEAR SKIRTS.

MEN'S FURNISHINGS,  
TRUNKS and VALISES,  
CARPETS and OILCLOTHS,  
CURTAINS,  
ART CRETONNES,  
DRESS GOODS,  
NEW RIBBONS,  
NEW VEILINGS,  
CUSHION COVERS,  
HAMMOCKS.

R. N. WYSE,

NEWCASTLE, N. B.

Wholesale  
and  
Retail.

## Warm Weather Goods

Sometimes we feel that it is warm enough for the lightest of summer clothing, at other times it is cool enough for an overcoat. Such is our changeable weather. But at all events the time is rapidly drawing nigh when we shall have to face the fact that we need light clothing. We feel that we are not too premature in this notice.

SHIRT WAISTS in large variety, 50c to \$2.20. There is a marked feature in the patterns of the cheaper as well as in the better goods this year. They are all good and have not the common appearance which you sometimes see. We have beauties at \$1.00 to \$1.25.

MUSLIN. We have this year an exceptionally fine line of Dress Muslins to sell at 10c to 16c. Our experience is that these are the prices at which the great bulk of muslins are sold, and for this season we have the largest and best variety we have ever shown. The patterns are neat, stylish and exclusive, 10c to 16c.

HOSE. Ladies' fine quality special value, 25c. Great variety and large stock of Cashmere Hose—all sizes and prices. Special make of double knee hosiery for children. Three different qualities.

Ladies' fancy cotton hose, open work ankle 25c. Ladies' fancy cotton hose, ankle worked with silk, 25c. Ladies' special value plain black hose, two pair for 25c.

LADIES' WHITE WEAR. See our skirts, corset covers, and other garments pertaining to ladies' wear. Note the quality of the goods, the abundance of the trimming, the style of the workmanship, and then note the smallness of the price. Ladies' skirts from 50c.

WHITE GOODS. Good quality cheap muslins, 9c. Fancy muslins, 6c, 7c, 8c, 10c. Figured mercerized white goods, beautiful patterns, 10c to 25c. White P. K., white duck, etc.

Ladies' summer vests, long sleeves, 15c. Ladies' summer vests, short sleeves, 2 for 25c. Ladies' vests, 10c. Ladies' better quality vests, 25c. each.

Children's vest, all sizes, prices from 6c up.

Special fine quality black cotton Hose, fast dye, largest size, 25c.

Heavy quality black cotton Hose, all sizes, strong and good for boys' wear largest size, 18c, smallest, 10c.

CLARKE & CO.

## ASTONISHING!!

It is astonishing to see the nice suit we can give you for \$14.00. We bought the cloth right and are going to sell it right.

## TENNIS FLANNELS

Light flannels just received, suitable for tennis suits or pants. English tweed suitings and pantings just opened up. The prices are from \$17 to \$24. Call and examine these goods. We guarantee fit and our work is up-to-date.

McMURDO & CO.

### Bicycle Repairing, Sundries, etc., etc.

I have opened up my store in the Flynn building Pleasant Street, where I am prepared to do all kinds of Bicycle Repairing.

A full line of  
Lamps, Bells, Tape, Graphite, etc.,  
Always in stock.

T. W. HAY,  
NEWCASTLE

### ELECTRIC WIRING.

I have had some experience at this work and am prepared to attend to all work promptly.

ESTIMATES FOR ALL WORK CHEER-  
FULLY FURNISHED.

T. W. HAY,  
NEWCASTLE

## WEDDING GIFTS.

In our store will be found a choice assortment of goods in STERLING SILVER, SILVER PLATE, CUT GLASS, MANTEL CLOCKS, FANCY CHINA, etc., which contains a picked collection of useful gifts, all bought with special regard for good values. A few prices will suffice to show the special values we are offering:—

1 Dozen Sterling Tea Spoons in case, \$4.00.  
8 inch cut glass bowl, 6.50.  
5 inch cut glass nappy, 3.25.  
Marbled mantel clock, 7.65.

If these prices interest you call and we can show you many more equally as good.

H. WILLISTON & CO.,  
Jewellers

## TOWN COUNCIL.

Special Meeting Called on  
Wednesday Evening.

MILLER BROS.

Communication in Reference  
to Miller Tark and  
Slip Discussed.

A special meeting of the Newcastle Town Council was held in the Clerk's office on Wednesday evening.

There were present, Mayor Morrison and Alds. Ritchie, Hickson, Hennessy, Stables, Armstrong and Lawlor.

The Mayor explained that the meeting had been called for the purpose of hearing the report of the committee on the matter in reference to the Miller tank and slip.

Ald. Hickson asked the privilege to make a few remarks before this business was taken up. He wished to call the attention of the gentlemen present to an editorial which appeared in that day's issue of the Advocate and as the Editor of that paper was present he would like to make a few remarks. He called upon the gentlemen present as witnesses to the fact of the injustice of the said editorial.

Ald. Hickson continuing said that this was the second time the Advocate had attacked him, once by a communication supposed to have been written by a so-called employee of the town and now by an editorial, and, in his opinion, if both articles were not written by the same person, the former must have been used as a copy for the latter. As the council knows the matter arose over a discussion of electric light rates and in that discussion the Editor of the Advocate, without asking permission of the board, made a statement that was flatly contradicted by the Town Clerk. Does Mr. Analow think because he publishes the only newspaper in town, that he can publish any falsehood he wishes and spread it broadcast, that he is not responsible for his act. As to the reliability of the Advocate's statements he mentioned the fact that last week it announced that the all night service would commence on June 1st.

Mr. Hickson accused the reporter of not giving his remarks in full, that he dishonestly omitted remarks which had direct bearing on the matter under discussion. In the report of the last council proceedings, he omitted to state that he, (Ald. Hickson) had in reply to Ald. Armstrong, stated that the 15 cent rate was the only one adopted by the council. He claimed that the reporter did this intentionally, that he had not the honesty to report him correctly. He had for the last three years given his time and energy to the town work, had endeavored to do that work in the interests of the whole town and had striven to keep the taxes at as low a figure as possible and he would continue to do his duty. He asked the reporter if there was any honesty and manliness in him to report his remarks justly and honestly. Mr. Analow has probably heard that the press has great powers, but he should also know that it takes brains to make it powerful. In conclusion he asked the reporter in all fairness to treat him honestly and fairly if he was capable of doing so.

The business of the evening was then proceeded with.

Mayor Morrison read Miller Bros. communication.

S. W. Miller who was present was heard and explained the plans of lots of that property and explained that the building they propose to build would in no way interfere with the slip, but that they wished the present tank reduced in size.

Ald. Armstrong said that if the town allow Miller Bros. four feet of this property they should not expect the town to rebuild the tank for their accommodation.

Ald. Hickson thought that Miller Bros. could hardly expect the town to allow them the use of the property and then reduce the tank. They ought to be willing to do this much.

After discussion, Mr. Miller thought that if they would make this latter arrangement it would be satisfactory.

Those present at the council meeting last Wednesday night could not help but notice the improvement in Ald. Hickson's manner of speech in his remarks in reference to the Advocate. Instead of his usual mode of (literally) taking off his coat and going at it, he with due deliberation expressed his side of the question in carefully thought out remarks, and although at times he drifted away from the points at issue to personal matters yet the improvement was very pronounced. We have endeavored to report the gentleman as correctly as possible.

We will briefly reply to Ald. Hickson. His remark that the letter which appeared in the Advocate signed by E. W. Cameron was either written by the writer of the editorial which appeared last week, or that the writer of the editorial used it as a copy is entirely in error. We had entirely forgotten that such a letter did appear

in the Advocate. It is a pity that the writer of the letter should have been so careless as to allow his name to be used in connection with a letter which was so full of errors. The statement in the Advocate that the representative of the town had asked permission to use the tank and slip was entirely false, as Mr. Hickson must know, as he was chairman of the meeting, that the said representative preceded his remarks with a request that he be allowed to explain, and the explanation was flatly contradicted by the Town Clerk as anyone reading the report published last week will see.

The Advocate does not make a practice of publishing falsehoods, or anything of a sensational character, and is thoroughly conversant with its responsibility and is prepared to stand by any of its assertions. We would also ask Ald. Hickson to be honest in quoting from the Advocate. He can have no excuse for misquoting as anything we say is in print. He said we stated that the "all night service would commence June 1st." Now he omitted the word "about." This does not make much difference but it is as well to be honest. This item was inserted with a purpose, and we may add was procured from Mr. Waddell, who was given to understand that was the date intended and it probably would have been correct had not some of the Aldermen, seeing this item in the Advocate, forced the matter and much against the Chairman's wish, had the service commenced May 7th.

The Advocate never pretended to give Ald. Hickson's remarks in full as we deem it would be a waste of valuable space, but we endeavor to extract the idea wished to be conveyed. The omission mentioned does not change the matter, as we all know that the 15 cent rate was adopted by the council as that is what we have to pay for light.

In regard to Mr. Hickson's remarks about "brains" we will allow the public to judge. We might reply in kind but it would serve no public end and that is what we endeavor to do.

In conclusion we wish to state that we have ever striven to do our duty to the public whom we serve and which looks to us for reports of the council meetings and we think we have used the Aldermen, more particularly Ald. Hickson in a fair way, and in future will continue to give fair and impartial reports of such meetings.

### COPELAND DISMISSED.

Also as a Result of Inquiry Into  
the Windsor Junction Disas-  
ter, Conductor Haines  
and Norman Parcell  
Discharged.

Ottawa, May 17—(Special)—As a result of the investigation by I. C. R. officials into the cause of the disaster at Windsor Junction, Engineer Copeland and Conductor Haines have been dismissed from the service, Norman Parcell, who called the crew for duty, was also dismissed.

It is understood that the report found that Copeland was asleep at the time of the collision, and that the fireman, who was killed, was unfit for duty; also that Parcell when he called the men, should have reported that they were unfit for duty.

### CONTRACT LET.

John McDonald of Chatham  
Secures Contract of Orange  
Hall.

A special meeting of No Surrender L. O. L. was held Monday evening to consider the tenders for the erection of the Lodge's new hall for which the foundation has been laid on their property on Pleasant Street.

A number of tenders were received but none were accepted, the lodge entering into an agreement with John McDonald of Chatham to do the work for a sum in the vicinity of \$9,000 which is a considerably lower figure than any tender.

Work will be commenced at once. The building will be of brick with stone trimmings and the large hall is to be completed this fall, while the second story will not be completed until the winter or spring.

### Big Deal In Lumber At Campbellton.

The Alexander Mill and Timber  
Limits Transferred to the  
William Richard Co. Ltd.

CAMPBELLTON, May 14—The transfer of A. E. Alexander's mill and timber limits to Wm. Richards & Co., Ltd. took place today. E. A. McChirdy, manager of the Royal Bank at Newcastle, and R. W. McLellan, barrister at Fredericton, were here in connection with the matter. It is understood the purchase price is between \$110,000 and 120,000.

### DIED.

Suddenly in New York, on May 15, Mabel, wife of Richard B. Adams, and daughter of the late James Agnew, of Fredericton, leaving a husband and five children to mourn their loss.

## S OF TEMPERANCE.

Semi-Annual Session Held  
at Gagetown.

GREAT REVIVAL

All Through the Province in  
Temperance Work.

At the semi-annual meeting of the Grand Division, Sons of Temperance, at Gagetown on Wednesday afternoon the report submitted by the grand worthy patriarch, Rev. C. W. Hamilton, referred to what had been done in temperance circles within the past half year. Official visits had been paid Granite Brook, Alliston, Gagetown, George and Gordon divisions and in each instance had been fruitful. Visits were made to Never Despair at Welsford, and also to the Lakeside lodge.

On the 12th of March he visited Newcastle division and addressed a public meeting. The following evening he addressed a large audience in Chatham and reorganized the old Northumberland division, which had been dormant 18 months. On March 16 he visited Nelson division in Milltown, and the following evening spoke at a public meeting in Douglastown and at the close reorganized the Caledonia division. Thirteen new members were initiated.

While en route home the grand worthy patriarch spoke at a large meeting in Moncton. At Delta Junction, Carleton county, on the evening of the 15th inst. a vigorous division named Richmond was organized with a membership of 23, which has since been increased by about 40. A new division has been instituted in Fairville. In the work which has been done the G. W. P. has been ably assisted by the officers of the grand division and members of the propagation committee.

To the grand scribe, A. J. Armstrong, much of the successful work was due.

NEED OF A REVIVAL.

Regarding present needs, the grand worthy patriarch said in part:—  
"As I see it the pressing need just now is that either one of the grand division officers or some other man should be set apart to visit systematically every section of the grand division jurisdiction, stimulating existing divisions, reuniting dormant ones and instituting new ones. While we are doing this, yet there is very much more we ought to do. A revival is needed."

"That this meeting of our grand division may, by the business we shall transact, by the discussions we shall have, by the decisions we shall reach and by the resolves we shall choose, conduce in a large measure toward bringing about the ends so greatly to be desired we, I feel sure, are all very hopeful."

ST. JOHN COUNTY DISTRICT DIVISION.

The report of the St. John county district division was submitted by H. W. Belding, acting recording secretary. There was an encouraging growth in this division, eight being in the county. From the last returns 449 members were enrolled, an increase of 52 since last returns. The several divisions were all doing good work.

During the past six months the divisions in the jurisdiction jointly attended with the officers in the regular visitations. They proved very successful.

Under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. the district division had provided speakers for Sunday afternoon temperance meetings. The division had been led to believe that the session of parliament at Fredericton it was intended to enact legislation more favorable to the liquor interests of St. John. The district felt that through the efforts of the Sons of Temperance such laws were not passed.

STATE OF THE ORDER.

The committee on the state of the order, consisting of Rev. W. J. Kirby and E. A. Everett, reported.

They said: We are glad to be able to note that the G. W. P. and S. S. are able to report such substantial gains. The need of a revival in temperance work, as suggested by the G. W. P., is very apparent in the province and it behooves the Sons of Temperance to endeavor to stir up all the temperance people to be alive and aggressive.

We cannot impress too strongly in this division the importance of juvenile work, and we would urge each member to weigh carefully whether it is not his or her duty to devote some attention to this class of endeavor.

"We note the St. John Division purposes to turn the Loyal Crossers up for their control into a Band of Hope. We would suggest that they move slowly in the matter and proceed very carefully, before finally deciding to make the change."

The grand scribe's cash amount was as follows:

To amount per express tax collected since annual session, Oct., 1907 \$231.04  
To amount from sale of supplies 4.19  
To amount donated for propagation work from Alliston Division, No. 14 1.00  
\$236.23

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## CANADIAN NEWS.

## Mr. Ross and the Sydney Industry.

OTTAWA, May 12.—The Finance Edward Island delegation that has been here for the past few days left for home on Monday with the exception of Mr. Wheat, who will remain over for a couple of days in reference to the cable connection with the mainland. They laid three propositions before the government. One was to secure the necessary service that the island desired with the existing company, and the third was to ascertain in the courts whether the monopoly the company held had not expired, as they believed it had, and then lay a cable. The minister of public works was favorably impressed with the necessity of a better service. The whole matter will be taken up shortly.

A case has also been submitted to the Supreme Court in regard to the representative of the Island in the House of Commons.

The sub-committee to further consider W. F. MacLean's telephone bill met again to-day. An amendment was made declaring telephone companies to be for the general advantage of Canada and to protect the vested rights of the company's charter by the provincial legislature. Mr. MacLean moved to insert section 96 of the railway act for the protection of municipalities instead of the section in the draft bill. Mr. Ritchie, for the Bell Telephone, wanted the rights of his company protected. The committee adjourned without making any real progress.

The loss adjusters and underwriters of the various insurance companies interested are here to-day looking after the settlement of claims. So far they have figured

the total loss to insurance companies through Sunday's fire to be slightly over \$475,000. The insurance men say that almost every one who suffered on Sunday carried insurance to some extent.

MONTREAL, May 12.—James Ross left for New York last night and before returning will go to Sydney on business connected with the Dominion Iron & Steel Co. The deferred annual meeting of the company takes place on Thursday and Mr. Ross will not be present. The street considers this rather strange in view of the fact that the meeting was deferred from March until the present time, owing to Mr. Ross's absence abroad. The nature of the urgent business which requires Mr. Ross at Sydney at this time is causing much conjecture.

LONDON, Ont., May 12.—Members of the local cigar makers, union employed in factories which refuse to pay the union scale have gone on strike. Over one hundred hands and five factories are affected.

FRANK, N. W. T., May 12.—Frank is once more entitled to a place on the map of Canada. The town was officially opened yesterday. The government ban against the town was officially withdrawn by Premier Haultain, who after receiving the reports of the experts sent by his government, and consulting with R. W. Brock, of the geological survey department, called a public meeting of citizens addressing this meeting. Mr. Haultain said that the closing of the town may appear like a high handed proceeding, but it was deemed advisable to take such precautions. He explained that while there appeared to be no great danger for the immediate future, there was still a possibility that further slides might occur. Five minutes after the town was declared open stores were thrown open and stocks put in order. Hotels were thrown open and quite a number of people remained in town over night, but the majority will retire in Blairmore and do business at Frank. The Canadian-American Company commenced engaging men to re-open the mine, tunnel, closed by the slide. The officers believe they will encounter no great difficulty in recovering the mine.

Senator Cox, after the meeting stated the matter of shipbuilding had not been under consideration at all. He stated Mr. Ross had the matter of general manager under consideration, and a meeting will be held at the end of next week at Halifax to make appointment. Senator Mackay added there would be a general change in the management.

The annual statement of the Iron and Steel Company is as follows: Earnings of coal department for ten months, \$1,977,328.10, less ten months' rental, \$1,333,333.33, leaving net of \$643,994.77. The earnings of the steel department was, for eight months, \$309,886.90, making a total \$53,881.67. The bond and general interest charges for eight months, with sinking fund, made a total of \$410,935.45, leaving the net earnings \$542,946.45. After paying preferred dividends for eight months, there was a surplus of \$309,912.88.

## BACKACHE.



Backache is a forerunner and one of the most common symptoms of kidney trouble and womb displacement.

## READ MISS BOLLIMAN'S EXPERIENCE.

"Some time ago I was in a very weak condition, my work made me nervous and my back ached frightfully all the time, and I had terrible headaches. My mother got a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for me, and it seemed to strengthen my back and help me at once, and I did not get so tired as before. I continued to take it, and it brought health and strength to me, and I want to thank you for the good it has done me."—Miss Kate Holliman, 142nd St. & Wales Ave., New York City. —\$5000 forfeit if original of this letter proving genuineness cannot be produced.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound cures because it is the greatest known remedy for kidney and womb troubles.

Every woman who is puzzled about her condition should write to Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass., and tell her all.

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## IN THE BALKINS.

Turkish Resources Exhausted—The Sultan's Orders.

VIENNA, May 14.—The resources of Turkey are said to be so strained as to compel the advance against the Albanians to be suspended. It is believed that the mobilization of 100,000 men was only effected with the aid of the Sultan's private purse. The Sultan has just consulted the former vizier, Said Pasha, on the situation, and

it is reported that His Majesty has summoned a financial commission to consider means to effect the payment of the troops in Macedonia and Albania, the army contractors having used further supplies.

LONDON, May 14.—Cabling from Sofia, the correspondent of the Daily News says he has had a long interview with Premier Danef. The premier repudiated Bulgaria's responsibility for the Macedonian outbreaks, which he said were the work of a few irreconcilables, and he protested indignantly the charge that Bulgaria had winked at the revolutionaries. The premier admitted that the Bulgarian army was strongly in sympathy with the movement. He said, however, that this sympathy would not be allowed to interfere with its loyalty. He could not avoid seeing that some accident might precipitate a war involving Bulgaria, but Bulgaria would not be the aggressor, and in the event of such a disaster it would not be his fault.

In conclusion, the correspondent quotes Premier Danef as saying he counselled Prince Ferdinand to issue an appeal to the powers to intervene in behalf of Macedonia.

"Bulgaria has no ambition to annex Macedonia," he said, "and the existing reform scheme is quite illusory."

The correspondent of the Times at Sofia says in a despatch:

"Some of the worst outrages during the outbreak at Monastir were perpetrated by Jews, who, anxious to show their sympathy with the stronger side, joined the Bashi-Bazouks in maltreating Bulgarians. According to official accounts, the slaughter of Bulgarians in neighboring villages was considerably greater than at first supposed. At Zepari thirty were killed or wounded, the Bashi-Bazouks party participating in the slaughter. It is useless to conceal the fact that these occurrences are arousing an extremely bitter spirit in Bulgaria, and if they are allowed to continue the danger of a conflict with Turkey will be greatly increased."

CONSTANTINOPLE, May 14.—The Sultan has warned the governors of the provinces of European Turkey that they will be held responsible in the event of massacres occurring in the territories under their jurisdiction.

FOREST FIRES

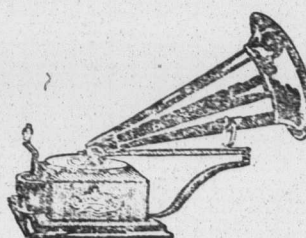
MONCTON, May 14.—Reports received here to-day indicate that fierce forest fires are raging in the eastern part of Westmorland county. Part of the track on Sackville and Cape Tormentine Railway is reported destroyed, and also considerable lumber. The section of woods between Sackville and Dorchester is on fire.

IRON AND STEEL COMPANY

MONTREAL, May 14.—The visit to New York of Mr. James

## True to life.

No one will believe how perfectly—how true to the original—the Berliner Gram-o-phone reproduces sound until they have heard it. That is why we let all good Canadians try it before they buy it.



## The Berliner Gram-o-phone

reproduces bands, orchestras, instruments, singers and talkers with the same quality of tone as the original.

Don't confuse it with the ordinary talking-machine—others have made that mistake before they heard it.

Its repertoire is practically unlimited.

It is the only talking machine made in Canada.

Guaranteed for five years.

The hard flat maroon discs are practically indestructible.

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EMANUEL BLOUT, General Manager for Canada.

## On hand and to arrive

500 tons, best screened house and steam coal, viz:

Acadia and Drummond egg, Pictou, and Mine Sydney &

Reserve, Cape Breton, Albion Mines, (Blacksmith) and

Delivered from vessels at reduced rates.

Now weight scales in working order.

John Russell & Co.

Newcastle.

Ross, president of the Dominion Iron and Steel Company, is stated here to be for the purpose of engaging a manager for the Company in succession to Mr. Cornelius Shields, who went to the Consolidated Lake Superior Company. There

Willie—Pa, why is truth spoken of as "naked"?

Pa—I don't know, but that may explain why she's so seldom seen in public life.

## ANOTHER STEP AHEAD FOR CANADA.

An agitation for the removal of the present duty on Canadian wheat entering the United States is now reported from the state of Minnesota. Minneapolis millers are finding out that in order to compete with Ogilvie's flour in foreign markets they must use Manitoba wheat. It's a great compliment to the Ogilvie Flour Mills Co., when our friends across the line admit that they need the product of Canadian soil in order to maintain their hold on neutral markets.

Jim—Hello, George, old boy, what's the matter, you are looking pale and ill this spring, you need a tonic; better take some iron.

George—Not much, that's my trouble, I've taken too much iron now, more than my system can digest. I sometimes feel as if the 'Iron had entered my soul.'

Jim—What kind of iron have you been taking?

George—Just common Dominion iron at about 55.

Edgar—Ethel, I've left my umbrella down town.

Ethel—Well,

Edgar—I'm afraid you'll have to lend me the gold-headed umbrella you gave me on my birthday.

## McMurdo &amp; Co., Newcastle.

## The Largest Bicycle and Bicycle Sundry Firm on the North Shore.

Our stock is the most reliable and up-to-date. Mail us your sundry or parts orders. They will have our strict attention.

Among our Stock are the following.

MASSEY-HARSEY, Ordinary Frame, EMPIRE, with or without cushion frame and coaster brake,

MASSEY-HARRIS, Cushion Frame and Coaster Brake, RAMBLER, one of the Cleveland Family, HYSLOP, noted for its neatness and durability.

CLEVELAND, the old reliable, IMPERIAL, of the Massey-Harris Family.

CUT THIS ADV. OUT AND RESERVE IT.

Our Sundries are just opened up. Everything is new and clean and lots of it. Is there anything among the following you need, then send us your orders.

Steel balls, all sizes, 10c per dozen. Extra built wheels with Morrow coaster, \$7.75. Complete chains \$1.00. Bells, 5 different kinds, from 25c to 80c each. Wood rim cement 25c per bottle. Tubes, (inner), \$1.25, 1.50, 1.75 each. Cement, (tire), 10c per tube, 3 for 25c. Tire balm, 25c per bottle. Tire tape, 10c. Cranks, \$1.00. Enamel brushes, 25c. Double tires, (Winners), \$6.50 per pair. Single tube tires, \$6.00 per pair. Pedals, \$1.50 and \$1.80 per pair. Lamps, \$2.50, \$3.50 and \$4.50. Aluminum, 15c per bottle. Enamel, different shades, 25c per can. Toe clips, 25c per pair. Assorted cotter pins, 10c each. Banner pumps, no screwing on to be done, 65c. Hand pumps, 25c each. Saddles, \$1.50 to \$2.75. Wrenches, 25c each. Whistles, 25c each. Dunlop tires, \$10.00 per pair. Handle bar steps, 75c. Vaseline, 10c per bottle. Handle bars and grips. Graphite, 5c and 10c. Oil and oil cans, 10c. Patching rubber and spokes. Seat posts, 50c.



## VICTORIOUS.

### British Win Hard Fought Battles in Nigeria

And Add a Hundred Thousand Miles of Territory to British Empire.

LONDON, May 12.—Colonial Secretary Chamberlain announced in the house of commons today that as a result of the British military operations in the Sokoto and Kano districts, ending with the capture of the Emir of Kano, 100,000 square miles of territory had been added to Northern Nigeria, and would be administered by the government of that territory.

LONDON, May 12.—Interesting details have been received here of the capture of Sokoto March 14 by the British column commanded by Col. Morland. The engagement lasted two and a half hours. The British numbered about 500 men, with four quick firing guns and four Maxim's. The enemy's horse and foot were estimated to number some six thousand men, their rifles being armed with modern rifles and using smokeless powder. The British camped during the night of March 13 a mile and a half from Sokoto, after a hard march of 100 miles from Kaura, with but little water and having passed through a difficult country. At daybreak, March 14, the British moved out in square formation towards the valley in which Sokoto lies. Immediately after the British appeared over a ridge, the Fulanis charged with fanatical bravery, undeterred by a withering Maxim and rifle fire. They had no proper leadership, but the isolated bands continued to advance over heaps of dead and dying, often only individuals reaching within a yard of the square, where, refusing quarter, they were shot down while shouting "Allah" with their last breath.

The main body of the natives was finally routed, leaving a remnant of about thirty chiefs around the Emir's great white flag. These chiefs were defiant to the last and their corpses were found heaped the standard when the British entered the city, which consisted mostly of thatched houses. Its semi-ruined walls extended seven miles round the place and were pierced by eight gates.

A few days later the populace returned and the Fulanis tendered their submission to Commissioner Lugard, who arrived March 19 and installed a new Emir. The British then retired towards the coast, leaving a garrison of two companies of infantry.

#### 44 BRITISH DEFEAT 3,000.

The British expedition in Kano, West Africa, has won a brilliant victory. In a message dated Kaura, March 2, Reuter's correspondent furnished the following account of the Sokoto fighting: After an

anxious march over waterless country the force from Kano under General Kemball has arrived at this place, 100 miles from Sokoto. The force has been greatly reduced in strength by sickness and by the necessity of leaving garrisons en route, so that the column now consists of less than 600 men, with our Maxim's and three guns. The difficulties of transport are immense, as the force has with it over 1,000 carriers. Some idea of the difficulties can be formed by the fact that, according to native reports, the Emir of Kano lost nearly 500 men of thirst while fleeing over this country towards Sokoto. The great event of march has been a brilliant engagement between a small patrol of mounted infantry, under Lieuts. Wright and Wells, and the entire Kano army, consisting of 1,200 horse and 2,000 foot who were utterly routed. Ten days after leaving Kano General Kemball received intelligence that the main Kano army was in the neighborhood, and he at once took steps to ensure the safety of his now diminished force, and, if possible, to capture the Kano chiefs. The news of the proximity of the fugitive Emir came into camp just as the force arrived after a waterless march of 27 miles and were thoroughly exhausted. On the previous day General Kemball had despatched a patrol of mounted infantry, consisting of 44 men under Lieuts. Wright and Wells, to a place called Kotokoroshi, a few miles distant, to learn news of the Emir of Kano.

At the conclusion of the hard march of 27 miles, Gen. Kemball hearing that the Kano army had that morning marched in the direction to which the patrol had gone, at once ordered Col. Morland to despatch a strong patrol under Capt. Porter with doctors, stretchers, etc., to get news of Lieutenant Wright's party. Capt. Porter's force had only that day come in after a brilliant march of 61 miles in 30 hours, but, selecting his fittest horses, Capt. Porter started off again in search of Lieut. Wright. The latter's patrol for two days after leaving the main column had been following a man's footmarks in the unfrequented track and on arriving at Kotokoroshi, Lieut. Wright asked the local chief what those marks meant. At this moment a vedette galloped in to say that the Kano army was approaching. Lieut. Wright had barely time to mount when fifty horses and two hundred footmen appeared. Instantly forming up his men he charged the enemy, who bolted with the loss of 30 killed. The patrol which was only saved from annihilation by its steady dismounted fire, halted at a village for the night.

The next morning Lieut. Wright advanced very cautiously in square formation, hugging the thickest bush. Soon the enemy appeared in great strength, and the patrol were dismounted and formed in square, prisoners, carriers and horses, being in the centre. Selecting the densest thorns he could find, Lieut. Wright formed a zareba, placing his 44 carbines at three paces interval. Ten times in succession the enemy's cavalry charged furiously, coming to within three yards of the square, and firing revolvers point blank at the defenders, who were only saved by the fact that the Fulani's horses reared and continuous fire, until they and their riders, fell. The

fight lasted two hours and during this time so fierce was the conflict that no less than 300 of the enemy was killed. Sixty-five of the horsemen lay dead around the square among them being 11 of the Emir's principal chiefs and warriors. The British loss was only one man hit and three horses killed. Lieut. Wright would have pursued the rest of the enemy, but by this time he had only 50 rounds of ammunition left. He, therefore, camped on the scene of the fight. While the Kano army was retiring it was met by the other mounted infantry patrol, under Capt. Porter who with his 25 men, gallantly charged into the midst of the enemy, who broke and fled, leaving ten dead.

The exploit of the mounted infantry was a brilliant one, a reconnoitring patrol of 44 men in less than two hours having stopped and defeated an army of over 3,000 horse and foot.

### A REAL LIVE STORY

The fact that this story is true may serve to render it somewhat less unworthy the indulgence of the reader. The scene is laid in Mill Village, N. S., in the year 1880.

Richard Huestis was one of the popular youths of the village, and Wednesday evenings rarely failed to find him at the home of old Simon Kirk, the particular attraction being Cynthia, the pretty daughter of the house.

This particular Wednesday evening found him as usual, holding down the old-fashioned hair cloth sofa in the best room of the Kirk house. To be literally accurate, I should have said, helping to hold down this sofa. However, you might have known he was not occupying it alone, with as sweet a girl as Cynthia Kirk in the room.

Well, Dick thought she was sweet, anyway, and, cynical as you are could you have seen her, I believe you would have commended his good taste.

Dressed in a simple dress, in all probability made with her own hands, cut low at the neck, after the charming fashion of the time, and brightened with a bunch of fresh roses or other flowers in honor of his coming; her dark hair piled high on dainty head—why the mere sight was enough to make a fellow walk a mile or two after his day's work!

All too soon for Dick the evening passes, and the time for parting arrives.

Like a model hostess, Cynthia fetches his hat and accompanies him to the front door.

It is early summer, and as they stand there by the old sweet brier with the delicious, nimitable odor of which the air is laden, she stoops to get him a rose when he—and accursed boy—tells her it really seems a pity to pluck any fresh ones when he would just as soon have those in the bosom of her dress.

Cynthia expresses surprise at his manifest want of taste, but nevertheless fastens the roses on his coat.

He is saying good-bye now, but we will discreetly withdraw behind the scenes until that act is over.

Dick has proceeded homeward for perhaps a mile, when the bend in the road ahead announces that the village burying ground is near. A prettier place for a last sleep could scarcely be imagined.

The ground is considerably higher than the main road, and in passing, one gets a fine view of its loveliness, the high old-fashioned stones marking the graves covered with matted vines and profusely flowering myrtle, the waving trees bordering the whole.

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If you are in need of free medical advice, write to Consulting Physician's Department, The Wills & Richardson Co., Limited, Montreal, Que. All correspondence is strictly confidential.

On the opposite side of the broad road lies a beautiful sheet of water, making as restful a picture as one could wish to see. Many people have admired this spot before and since my story, and Dick was one who knew how to appreciate such things—in the daylight!

But, hang it all, it is different coming past about midnight, with only the stars or the shadowy light of the moon to enliven the scene.

He is approaching the corner, now the high white stones appear in the distance.

It is very late, though from a kindly feeling in my heart for young men in general—they have not changed so very much since those old days—I omit the exact hour.

There is no moon, and the feeble light of the stars only serves to heighten the somewhat gloomy aspect of the place.

Whistling merrily and slightly hastening his gait, he turns the corner when—what he sees causes a chill to creep down his spine and—

Each particular hair to stand on end like quills on a fretful porcupine.

There, sitting on the fence in the western corner of the ground, was a white something.

Dick has edged down toward the lake and his right foot sinks in the soft mud, but trifles like that have no effect on him now.

Standing, thus, he gazes fascinated with horror at the thing before him.

The form it assumed, he was unable to discern. It could not be a gravestone, for in that particular part of the yard were no graves.

It also could hardly have been there early in the evening; he would surely have noticed it prominently perched on the fence.

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How long Dick stood there vainly trying to overcome his fright and find some explanation of the phenomena, he could never tell.

How long he would have continued to stand there had the thing remained stationary, it is also difficult to say.

He felt his knees beginning to weaken and the suspense was becoming harrowing, when—it moved—and—Tinkle-tinkle tingle! accompanied its movement.

Poor Dick! The reaction was too much. He took off his hat and, with a shout, threw it high in the air. He simply had to give vent to his feelings, or explode. With right good will he could have hugged that innocent sheep!

The animal had crawled through an opening in the fence (a way sheep have), and peacefully reclining on the side of the hill, it appeared to Dick's vivid imagination to be on the fence.

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NOTICE is hereby given, that under and in pursuance of a set of sale contained in a mortgage of Mortgage upon the 24th day of August A. D. 1898, made between the said James Danahy of the first part and Stephen H. Danahy of the second part, duly registered in the Northumberland County Records in Volume 74, page 132 and following, which said mortgage of Mortgage was duly assigned by the said Stephen H. Danahy, by Assignment then on endorsed, dated the thirtieth day of July A. D. 1898, duly registered as aforesaid, to Wesley Vawter, one of the City of Fredericton, deceased, and by Willard Kitchin, Administrator cum testamento annexo of the Estate of the said Wesley Vawter, deceased, duly assigned to the undersigned Isaac E. Burden by Indenture of assignment dated the thirtieth day of November A. D. 1902, there will for the purpose of satisfying the money secured by the said Indenture of Mortgage, default having been made in the payment thereof, be sold at Public Auction at the City Hall in the City of Fredericton in the County of York and Province of New Brunswick on Saturday, the thirtieth day of May next at the hour of twelve o'clock noon, the said Indenture mentioned and described in the said Indenture of Mortgage as follows:—

"All that certain lot and parcel of land and premises situate, lying and being on the south side of the South West Branch of the River Miramichi in the Parish of Hillsville aforesaid, and bounded and bounded as follows, to-wit: the lower side line by land occupied by John Macdonald and on the upper side by the River Miramichi and on the north side by the River Miramichi and recently occupied by John Danahy, containing one hundred and sixty acres, a little more or less, together with all and singular the buildings and improvements thereon."

Dated this twenty-first day of February, A. D. 1903.

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## ANNOUNCEMENT.

In the future the publishers of the Advocate will render all advertising accounts monthly.

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## AN EXPERIMENT.

An interesting experiment is being tried at the power house and so far has proved successful. This is the using of sawdust as fuel. If this fuel proves satisfactory it will mean a large saving in the expenditure for coal and consequently a saving to the taxpayers. It requires about four loads of sawdust each night to steam for both the pumping and electric lights. This sawdust is procured from the waste at Ald. Hickson's mill and was formerly hauled out to a dump and burned in the fall.

This will be an opportunity for Ald. Hickson to prove to the ratepayers that his boast "that he had faithfully served the town, and always worked to keep the taxes as low a rate as possible" was not an idle one.

## EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Chatham Town Council has passed a resolution to tax all properties adjoining pipe lines whether they take water or not. The tax is the price of one tap, \$5.

It may do good if Mr. Carnegies recent utterances regarding this Dominion start up a discussion as to the future of Canada. Is Canada to be a part of the United States? Is she to remain a subordinate part of the British Empire? Is the remaining portion of the British Empire to come under the domination of Canada. Is she to be an independent nation? The reader of observations made in the House of Commons a few days ago on the Commanding Officer in charge of the Canadian forces, and of a debate in the same place on Friday on the "ragging" of a Canadian who is in the British army, may feel very uncertain.—Globe.

Attention of our readers is called to a notice in our advertising columns giving notice to the ratepayers that the Town will for a stated period do all work in connection with conveying water to their houses at cost and that the terms of payment will be satisfactory so that all can have the privilege of good water. This effort is for the work only and pipes to be laid to cellar or basement. This is an advance in the proper direction and should encourage a large number to install the water at once.

The wiring for electric lights should be the next consideration, and some such means adopted to make the use of electric lights more general.

## Sons of Temperance

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Besides the reading of these reports some minor business was transacted. The evening was very happily spent, and the return to the city was made by steamer May Queen yesterday. The grand officers desire to acknowledge the courtesy of the May Queen management.

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MONTREAL, May 18.—A special cable to the Star says: "The new policy of Right Hon. Joseph Chamberlain is the sensation of Europe."

Speaking generally the ministerialist journals throughout the country applaud Chamberlain's programme. The Times has another editorial echoing the Canadian appreciation of the imperial largeness of Chamberlain's conceptions.

German telegrams indicate that a profound impression has been made. Leading Berlin journals are awaiting official inspiration, but the other journals forecast a political and commercial upheaval, the issue of which is impossible to foresee. They plead that Germany has no desire for a tariff war with Canada.

English liberal journals, with a few imperialist exceptions, attack Mr. Chamberlain and quote against him the British blue book, issued today, showing that Britain imported last year merchandise of the value of £121,900,000, and colonial merchandise of a value of only £106,000,000. They argue that Chamberlain proposes to penalize four-fifths for the benefit of the fifth.

The Westminster Gazette deprecates Chamberlain's attitude as inevitably making colonial questions subject to pastisan strife in the northlands.

The Chronicle says:—"It looks as if Mr. Chamberlain wished to open negotiations with the colonies in view of his elevation to the prime ministry."

The Daily News argues that Mr. Chamberlain is already in open revolt from the government and must resign.

Andrew Carnegie, interviewed in the Daily News, pools-pools any attempt of the British empire to compete with the United States. He says

## Editor's Mail.

There is sufficient gravel on the streets to absorb all the tobacco juice that can be squirted on to it. Those who have a contract to supply oceans of tobacco spit should be able to raise power enough to squirt it over the edge of the walk, and thus avoid the spoiling of ladies' dresses and the spread of disease. No lady would be so careless or filthy in her habits as to entail the danger of polluting every man's clothing as he passes along our walks, nor should any properly constituted man spend his time indulging in a habit which causes him to spew the walks all over with danger.

## SHYLOCK

Shylock was the man who wanted a pound of human flesh. There are many Shylocks now, the convalescent, the consumptive, the sickly child, the pale young woman, all want human flesh and they can get it—take Scott's Emulsion.

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scotfully:—"As for Canada, compare her growth in the nineteenth century with that of the United States. Her only chance in the future is to throw in her lot with the Americans."

The Cape Town Times says:—"If the British government adopt Mr. Chamberlain's policy the only plausible South African objection to preferential tariffs disappears."

The St. James' Gazette urges that every unionist association throughout the United Kingdom organize an electorate support of Mr. Chamberlain.

No one doubts here but that Mr. Chamberlain is sketching his own electoral programme. The question is whether the ministry will ultimately assent despite Mr. Balfour's present hesitation, or whether Mr. Chamberlain will start the campaign on his own accord.

OTTAWA, May 18.—In the house today, Mr. Sproul interrogated the government as to Chamberlain's speech, in which he referred to the offer of Canada to extend further concessions to Great Britain and the desire of the motherland to protect the colonies from any trade wars from foreign nations.

Hon. Mr. Eliebling replied that all information on the former point had been brought down in the budget, and there had been no recent correspondence on Germany's attitude towards Canada.

Mr. Charlton asked what course the government would follow in case the threats to dump German criminals in Canada were carried into effect.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier stated that no official information had been received as to Germany's intentions. If it was sought to send criminals to this country prompt action would be taken to exclude them. Under the present laws the government had power to meet the situation.—Sun.

ous liquid. The time is rapidly coming when such an act will be severely punished by law, for already nine out of ten people openly condemn spitting in public places. At this time of the year it is especially important.

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## SAD NEWS FROM NEW YORK.

Death of Mrs. Richard B. Adams, Formerly of the North Shore

Charles A. Shampier, of the Western Union Telegraph Company, received news in a despatch from New York last night of the death of his wife's sister, Mrs. Mabel Adams, wife of Richard B. Adams, formerly of the North Shore. Mrs. Adams was about 30 years of age and was the daughter of the late J. Agnew of Fredericton. Mr. Adams is a member of the prominent North Shore family of that name, being a brother of the late Hon. Michael Adams and of Hon. Samuel Adams, of New York. For some years after their marriage Mr. and Mrs. Adams lived in Chatham, where he was postmaster, and where hosts of friends will learn with deep regret the sad news from New York. Some years ago Mr. and Mrs. Adams removed to New York. Relatives here knew that Mrs. Adams was in poor health, yet the news came as a severe shock. Besides her husband, Mrs. Adams leaves five children. Her mother is resident in this city and her sister is Mrs. Charles A. Shampier, of Britain street. One brother, James Agnew, is with the Hancock Insurance Company, Boston. The funeral arrangements had not been completed last night.—Saturday Telegraph.

## Fire at Campbellton.

Waverly Hotel Badly Damaged on Sunday.

CAMPBELLTON, May 17.—Shortly after church services commenced this forenoon an

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alarm of fire was given from the Waverly Hotel and in one time it looked as if the east end of the town would be wiped out.

The efficient water service with three streams and the fire engine soon dispelled the fear of an extended conflagration as the fire was confined to the cell, the upper part of which is completely destroyed. The main part of the hotel is badly injured from water and the hotel will be closed for some time.

The loss will be over \$2,000, fully covered by insurance.

## WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE PRESS.

The Editor of the Gananoque Journal is Taking Exercise.

Mr. Jas. A. Thompson the genial editor and publisher of the Gananoque Journal has this to say of "Massey Harris" wheel purchased this spring.

"Regarding wheel got from you, I must say it far exceeds my expectations. It is so easy running, and the cushion frame and coaster brake are indeed a revelation to those who have never had a wheel so equipped. It is much admired by all who have seen it."

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# IT WAS "G. RUSSELL" WHO SHIPPED BOMB TO THE S. S. UMBRIA.

## Infernal Machine Was Made in Chicago Where Dynamiter is Now Being Sought

CHICAGO, May 14.—Advises have been received from the police in New York that it was that the infernal machine which was taken to the Cunard docks, made in Chicago by a man named Russell, living at 217 Washington Boulevard.

The house at that number is kept by a Mrs. Elhan. She said last night that a man, apparently about 30 years of age, who gave his name as Russell, had lived in her house for three weeks prior to April 20, when he left, saying that he intended going east.

The woman said that during his stay in his house he was caught it some mysterious work—clocks and door always locked—arranging some had something had a number of what he... She knew nothing more.

Chicago Police this afternoon discovered three men who, it is believed, unsuspectingly assisted the mysterious "G. Russell" in manufacturing his deadly device. The men are Seymour, carpenter; J. Elsenburg, blacksmith; and John Clarke, machinist, whose shops are in the vicinity of the apartment occupied by Russell in Washington Boulevard.

"During the week Russell roomed across the street," said Seymour, tonight. "I planned down four strips of wood about 20 inches long for a man answering his description who said he had a patent of some kind. I believe he said it was a gambling device."

"Some time ago," said Clarke, "a man came to my shop and asked for assistance in making a machine. He

said it was something new in the way of a gambling device. We made him a cone, with an inch base and a disk to fit it. The man answers the description of the mysterious stranger known as "G. Russell."

Inspector McCluskey and Detective Carey and Funst, of New York, arrived in Chicago following spent most of the day. Inspector McCluskey left his two detectives to assist the local police on the top. Before leaving for the east the inspector said:

"I believe the machine was made in Chicago, and that the conspiracy, if any existed, was hatched here. We have the entire detective force of New York at work on the case and we are looking for startling developments soon."

Lieut. Rohan, of the Chicago Detective Bureau, who has charge of the case, said tonight:

"I believe that without any doubt this man Russell who lived at the home of Mrs. Elhan, is the man who made the bomb and who consigned it to the Umbria. We have discovered already, how, when and where the infernal machine was made."

Lieut. Rohan tonight would not say whether he believed that the mysterious "G. Russell" or "Rosseau" is in Chicago, but the fact that the lieutenant kept his men on the run is taken as an indication that he had reason to believe the dynamiter is in the city.

### U. C. C. BOYS.

Characteristic Traits of Some Pupils at School.

When Mr. G. R. R. Cockburn was member for Centre Toronto there were in the House of Commons seven or eight old Upper Canada College boys who had been at the old school under Mr. Cockburn. They annually had a little dinner, and great was the enjoyment at that function, says The News. T. Mayne Daly, then Minister of the Interior, was one of Mr. Cockburn's favorite pupils, and it annually was the former principal's habit to tell the company how Daly and a certain Toronto newspaper correspondent were the only boys whom he had ever "licked" three times in one day. Both Daly and the journalist were always at the little dinner, and Mr. Cockburn invariably expressed doubt as to which had been the worst boy. But the wickedness was only school-boy wickedness. Pillow fights, "skipping out"—i. e., going down town without leave, and such like offences were the sum total of their crimes. But Thomas Mayne Daly had to his credit one crime that, for all that is known, may yet be talked of with bated breath by the colleagues of today. It certainly was a famous school story fifteen years after Daly left College. In the principal's garden, in the old days, were two great cherry trees, and Daly was the only boy within the memory of the oldest of the College's servants, who had ever been bold enough to scale the fence and purloin the cherries. Of course he was caught, and equally of course he was caned in good shape. But he was a hero for all that, and four after he had gone into the big world, new boys were told how Daly "Stratford had 'swiped the Principal's cherries'."

Force of Schooling. Habits. The force of habit is strong, and even when he was a Catholic Minister, Daly always addressed Mr. Cockburn by the schoolboy "Sir," as, in fact, do a good many bearded men in Toronto to-day. The citizens perhaps don't see as much of Mr. Cockburn as they used, but it is pretty difficult for him to negotiate a two-block walk on King street without being greeted by some one of his old boys. And he never forgets a name. Also, he pretty nearly always has some recollection of some episode in which the boy was concerned. This latter, of course, applies equally to the old boys who were hounded. The day boys, the principal and masters saw comparatively little. In the old days, it was the choicest habit of the boarders to follow Mr. Cockburn after school. Three demonstrations were calculated with the school end of convincing the day boys that, with the might be decent enough fellows, they were hardly on a par with the boys who they met at the College. Your boy of a high school is usually rather rough of speech and manner, and perhaps a little more than he should be. When he gets out into the world, a good many rough edges are worn off. But while he is at school, it is a good thing for him to follow after the principal. In the world, and in the College, from nature, he

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### CARNEGIE SAYS HE'S SORRY TO HURT CANADA'S FEELINGS.

LONDON, May 14.—A despatch received here today from Halifax (N.S.) quotes Mayor Richardson, of Sydney (C.B.), as saying that the town council would return Andrew Carnegie's gift of \$15,000 for a library in Sydney because of an interview in London with Mr. Carnegie in which he is alleged to have said that the iron and steel industry of Cape Breton was a "mirage."

Mr. Carnegie said to a representative of the Associated Press today that he was very sorry if anything he said had hurt the feelings of his Canadian friends. He had the desire to understate Canada's efforts and don't remember using the word mirage and said that it was wholly inapplicable. Mr. Carnegie knew they were making steel in Nova Scotia. He had no doubt they would succeed. On the other hand it was ridiculous to compare what 5,000,000 people could do with what could be achieved by the 80,000,000 in the United States which was making more steel than the rest of the world. If views are to have weight, figures and facts must be recognized.

Continuing, Mr. Carnegie said he had the warmest feeling for Canada and added laughingly: The best thing I know about Canada is that it is mostly Scotch.

### KILLED AT RUMFORD FALLS.

RUMFORD FALLS, Me., May 13.—Eugene Wilson, of Roxbury, Me., a daring young driver, aged 20 years, was killed today while breaking a jam on Black Brook, a tributary of the Androscoggin river. Out of a party of ten drivers, Wilson alone, it is said, volunteered to take the desperate risk of breaking the jam and was caught under the leaping, grinning logs as the jam gave way. His body was recovered.

If pens were spades the isthmus would be all dug up by this time.

### Bad Appetite, Indigestion

Mr. Jas. McMath, 31 Inverness Street, Stratford, Ont., states:—"My digestive organs were entirely damaged, my appetite was poor, I was run down in health and had severe attacks of dizziness and nervous headaches. The use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food has entirely cured me, as my digestion is very much improved, the headaches have left me and my appetite is real good. I can recommend Dr. Chase's Nerve Food most heartily, knowing it to be an exceptionally good medicine."

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A young couple had been married by a Quaker, and after the ceremony he remarked to the husband:

Friend, thou art at the end of thy troubles.

A few weeks after the man came to the good minister boiling with rage, having found his wife to be a regular vixen, and said:

I thought you told me I was at the end of my troubles?

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### Assessors' Notice.

The undersigned having been appointed and sworn as assessors of rates for the town of Newcastle in the county of Northumberland, hereby give notice to every person and body corporate liable to be assessed within the said town, to furnish the assessors, within thirty days from this date hereof, with a written detailed statement of real and personal estate and income for which they are liable to be assessed within the said town.

Blank forms for statements may be had from any of the assessors on application.

The assessors will not make any change in their valuation after the expiration of the said 30 days.

Dated this 12th day of May A. D. 1903.

JAMES FALCONER  
T. W. BUTLER, Assessors.  
JOHN CLARK.

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In colors 15c per roll.

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Swallows have arrived.

Monday next is to be a public holiday.

The steam ferry broke down on Sunday, but was repaired Monday.

Mr. Fred Tweedie's steam yacht Wendenah sailed up from Chatham on Friday.

Mr. Jared Tozer of Southesk, caught the first salmon of the season on Thursday last.

A bargain in quality instead of a bargain in price is what you get every time you buy a pair of boots at McMillan's.

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Dr. Cates, Dentist, will be at his dental rooms in the Lonsbury block on usual date 26th to last of the month. Something new for old patients.

The S. S. Mantanea sailed Saturday. She went down to the bay and crossed the bar Sunday morning drawing twenty and a half feet of water.

The drives are all coming along slowly. The water is low but they have been kept on the move and operators are anxiously looking for rain.

Miss Bridget Comfort of this town died suddenly last night of pneumonia. Deceased was about eighteen years of age and was ill only two days.

The many friends of Mrs. Allan Ritchie will be pleased to learn that the latest word from Montreal is that she is improving rapidly.

The first square rigged sailing vessel arrived for T. Lynch, on Monday, it was the barque Nova Scotian 988 tons, Capt. M. Halverson, from Frederikstad Norway. She made the run from that port in twenty-three days.

The diphtheria outbreak at Chatham is well under control. There was another death on Monday, but the number of present cases has decreased considerably. The schools, and library are still closed.

Frequent complaints have been made of late that cattle are allowed to prowl about, especially at night and early morning. They get into people's lawns and do much damage. The hog reeves should endeavor to do their duty.

Another case of small pox is reported at Rogersville. This is, as far as is known, the only case in Northumberland Co. at present. This case can not be traced to last winter's epidemic as the man who is afflicted with it has been away on the drives and evidently came in contact with some one from an infected part of the province.

Matie Jay, Novian of the steamer Alexandra took an unexpected cold dip last Saturday. He was unloading out at the Neguac pier, wheeling them up a long gang plank when his truck took a quick heave and threw him into the water. He came to the boat and a line was thrown him and he was pulled on board.

The Boston Sixette Club of which Mr. Staats is director, will give an entertainment in the Municipal Hall on Thursday evening, June 4th. This is an entertainment which is seldom our privilege to hear, as it is of a very high order and we would not be surprised were it not that Mr. Staats has a lot of friends at Millerton whom he would favor with so great a treat. We understand that if sufficient tickets are sold the steamer Rutherford will be engaged to run for the occasion in case of concert in aid of the new hall.

A young man, named Alfred McKinnon, was drowned at the North Pole Falls on May 11th, while working on Lynch's drive. The body had not been recovered up to the latest report from that place.

Sunday was the first real summer day we have yet enjoyed. It was very warm until about four o'clock when the wind came up from the eastward and blew quite a gale, which made top coats necessary.

We copy the following from the Halifax Evening Mail: F.W. Chesman was the organist at both the morning and evening services yesterday at Grafton street Methodist church, and his handling of the instrument was generally commented upon as admirable.

The big drives on the Southwest Miramichi elongating to Messrs. Richards, Welsh and Lynch, are making splendid progress, and already a large quantity of lumber has reached the corporation limits. It is confidently expected that all the drives on the Southwest will be out in good season.

We have had a complaint from Sliker's Post Office that the Advocates do not arrive there promptly and that other mail matter is tampered with. In regard to the Advocates, we know that they are always mailed in time to catch the mail to Redbank Wednesday morning and the fault must be at the other end of the route.

The Orange band gave its first band concert last Wednesday night and the music was much enjoyed. The night was very mild. Arrangements ought to be made to light the band stand by electricity as it is hardly fair to expect the band to play for nothing and furnish their own light, especially now that the town can supply it from its own plant.

Mr. R. P. Dickson, representing the Summer Co., Moncton, will be at the Waverley Hotel on Thursday, 21st accompanied by a practical plumber and steam fitter. Mr. Dickson will have catalogues of bath room fixtures, etc., and will be pleased to have parties call on him, who intend installing same. He will also be prepared to give estimates and take contracts for plumbing and steam heating.

We have received a communication from one of the business college students at Fredericton as follows:

Out of justice to the hosts and guests, I wish to bring to your notice the article in reference to the entertainment at Mrs. Hart's of this city which appears in your issue of 13th inst. It should read i.e. The normal school, university and commercial college students belonging to Charlotte, Carleton, Northumberland, and Sunbury were entertained by the opposition members for those counties at Hart's boarding house this evening.

The proprietors of the St. John Business College always look after the welfare of their student physically as well as mentally. They believe that to develop an active healthy mind the body must also be developed and kept in a healthy state. This summer their students will have the full membership privileges of the Victoria Athletic grounds and can engage in all the sports and exercises under the direction of a professional trainer. The generosity of Messrs. S. Kerr & Son in this respect will be greatly appreciated and enjoyed by all who are fortunate enough to be preparing for a business career in such an excellent institution.—Telegraph.

Augustus G. Laurent, one of the oldest and best known residents of South Philadelphia, died at his home, 736 South Third street, recently after an illness of nine weeks. He was born in Germany in 1823 and came to this country when a boy. He entered the navy during the civil war as hospital steward, and served on the warship Wyandott and Flag. After the war he started in business as a druggist and manufacturing chemist in South Third street and his cough syrups and teas are known all over the city. He was Surgeon of the Naval Veteran Legion for twelve years, and was a member of the Farragut Association No. 1, Naval Veterans, and Anna M. Ross Post, G. A. R. Many friends here will regret to learn the above as during several visits to the Miramichi the deceased made many friends here. His wife is a sister of Mrs. James Niven, with whom they resided while visiting here.

Lifebuy Soap—disinfectant—is strongly recommended by the medical profession as a safeguard against infectious diseases.

## Social and Personal

Mr. James A. Bunde returned home Saturday after a visit to the Southern part of the province.

Mr. Jas. Whalen stopped off at Newcastle Thursday.

Mr. Everett Miller spent part of last week visiting friends in Campbellton and Bathurst.

Col. Maltby left last week for Kingston Ont. on Military duties.

H. E. Soules of Halifax was in town Saturday.

Miss Jessie Stohart of Chatham spent Sunday with friends here.

Mr. John Morrissey M. P. P. left for Carleton Place Monday afternoon, on a business trip.

Wm. F. Humphrey of Moncton was in town Monday.

B. C. Mullins of Bathurst, manager of the Carquet Ry registered at the Waverley, Saturday.

H. Fallen of Chatham was in town Saturday.

Mr. C. Leonard Grant, Montreal, was in town Monday.

Mr. Walter Scovil the popular traveller is in town.

Rev. John A. Clark of St. John, who was formerly Methodist minister here, spent a few days in town visiting friends. He left last night for Ottawa.

Ald. Hocken, E. Johnston and Lawyer Loggie were attending the probate court here on Monday in reference to the estate of the late Mr. Cherry of Chatham.

Mrs. Parker continues to improve and is now able to walk to the dining room with a little assistance.

Mr. George Wieman who has been spending the winter in Wisconsin has returned home.

W. C. Winslow, Esq. of Chatham was in town Monday.

Miss Aggie Russell left on Thursday morning for Augusta, Me. to resume her duties in the Augusta Hospital.

Mr. Jas. A. Harding, St. John the Maritime representative for Ogilvie spent several days in town last week. Mr. Harding spent the days of his youth on the Miramichi.

E. M. Farrell, M. P. P. for Queens county, N. S. and Editor and proprietor of the Liverpool Advance spent a few days in town visiting relatives. Mr. Farrell had been to Ottawa in connection with the South Shore Railway and stopped off here on his return. He returned to Halifax Tuesday morning.

**Mexico's Wheat.**  
The foundation of the great wheat industry of Mexico is said to have been three grains carried into that country by one of the slaves of the Cortes company.



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## The Mission of Toilet Soap.

A toilet soap should cleanse the skin—it should do this and nothing else. A safe soap is the one made from vegetable oils, with alkali and oil perfectly combined. Excess of oil means imperfect cleansing; excess of alkali means a roughened skin.

While cheapness in soap often means badness of quality, you need not pay high prices in order to get good soaps. We are careful in buying, and as a result of our carefulness we are able to furnish worthy soaps at little prices.

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You'll find a lot more novelties as they are called, on some others but you will also notice these same novelties discarded after a season.  
All is not gold that glitters, (so it is reported.) Neither is a lot of Nickel the Earmark of a good Carriage.  
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**MANILLA ROPE** in all sizes from 6 thread to 4 inches  
**TARRED HEMP ROPE** in 6, 9, 12, 15 and 18 thread.  
NAVY OAKUM, WIRE FENCING and STAPLES,  
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