

A Vote for James Robinson Means a Vote for Your Own Prosperity.

TO-MORROW'S GREAT BATTLE.

Mr. Robinson's Election Certain---Forecast from all over the Dominion Secured by the Advocate from Thorough Independents.

meeting advertised to take place in Masonic Hall, Chatham, Monday night... come off on account of the unavoidable absence of Mr. Robinson.

ST. JOHN. (Special to the UNION ADVOCATE.) St. John N. B. Nov. 5th. In answer to the ADVOCATE'S request for a forecast on the elections here I will unhesitatingly say that Blair and Tueker will be returned, both by a very small majority.

of the elections in this county. I will say that Col. Donville (liberal) will be elected by a small majority. WESTMORLAND. (Special to the ADVOCATE.) MONCTON, N. B., Nov. 5. The election in this county promises to be a very close one. Chances are slightly in favor of Powell (conservative). It seems to be the impression that he will get the majority of the railway vote.

KENT. (Special to the ADVOCATE.) RICHMOND, N. B., Nov. 5. You can count on a very close contest in this county. Mr. McInerney (conservative) the present member is putting up a strong fight, but the influence being brought to bear by the other side will probably prove too much for him.

There will likely be a very close contest in this county on Wednesday. Chances of victory are slightly in favor of McAllister (conservative) and we predict his election. GLOUCESTER. (Special to the ADVOCATE.) BATHURST, N. B., Nov. 5. Mr. Blanchard (conservative) will probably be elected by a small majority. QUEBEC. (Special to the ADVOCATE.) Montreal, Nov. 5th. Unquestionably the liberals will have a majority in this province. The tactics of the conservatives are proving distasteful to the majority of Frenchmen.

Fielding will be elected and probably Flint (liberal) of Yarmouth. Tupper's election is certain but Tupper jr. stands a good show of being defeated. P. E. ISLAND. Charlottetown, Nov. 5th. It is altogether likely that three liberals and two conservatives will be elected in this province. Sir Louis Davies will probably be defeated. Hackett's election is certain. MANITOBA. (Special to the ADVOCATE.) Winnipeg, Nov. 5th. Manitoba will probably return one independent four Conservatives and two liberals. Sifton will likely be defeated by Hugh John Macdonald. The territories will probably return three conservatives and one liberal. BRITISH COLUMBIA. (Special to the ADVOCATE.) Victoria B. C. Nov. 5th. British Columbia will unquestionably go conservative. Prior and Escoe of Victoria cannot be defeated. Foley a labor candidate of Caribou stands a good chance of being elected. It is likely the Conservatives will have four out of six seats.

CHEER UPON CHEER

met the Khaki Lads When They Stepped from the Train.—Processions, Addresses, Illuminations and a Banquet Mark Our Soldiers' Homecoming.

and, as a rule, robust, hard as the usual conception of the word... such is the appearance of the members of Canada's famous contingent. And it is a bit surprising they should be in such excellent condition when we consider the hardships they endured.

toris; Marshall Roberts, General Kitchen, General Baden-Powell and other English heroes; and hundreds upon hundreds of Union Jacks were in evidence. In short the town was a mass of color. Mr Charles Park had a large arch of spruce erected in front of his residence. It was quite the thing and added no small amount of splendour to the occasion.



MATHESON. GIFFORD. ANSLOW. KITCHEN. HARRIS. SHILL in England, wounded.

When the cheering ceased the procession led by the Orange Band started. Following the band in order were: team conveying the Mayor, Sheriff Call and County Secretary Thomson; teams conveying the members of the Board of Aldermen; team conveying Major Murray and Surgeon Baxter of Chatham who had come to escort Private Munroe home; teams conveying the clergy; men; team conveying the returned soldiers; and then the C. M. B. A. band. The boys in khaki were driven at once to their homes, and as each man stepped from the carriage he was given three lusty cheers. Private

Munroe was driven to the Waverlyland at 1.30 in company with Major Murray, Surgeon Baxter and Private Doyle he boarded the Nelson for Chatham. He was accorded a grand reception. Shortly before 2 o'clock the soldiers were again called for and driven to the bandstand where a short thanksgiving service was held. Mayor Morrison first thanked the citizens for the enthusiasm and kindness they had displayed and then called on Rev. Mr. Aitken for a prayer and amid the bowed heads of hundreds of citizens thanks was offered up to God for the safe return of our brave lads and for the success of British arms in

South Africa. Rev. Mr. Pickles also made an impressive prayer, after which the doxology was sung by the multitude and played by the bands. A procession similar to that of the morning then formed and passed through the principal streets. It was led by the C. M. B. A. band. When the convent was reached a halt was made, while the pupils sang "Home Again". Mr. J. R. Lawlor had charge of both processions and he had the assistance of Mr. John Sargeant, Captain Charles Sargeant, Sergt. Jones and Sergt. Major Touchie. We cannot express sufficient praise for the manner in which every detail of the arrangements were carried out. There were no hitches of any kind. The procession terminated at the square and the Mayor, Aldermen, officials, clergy, and soldiers again took seats on the bandstand. Mayor Morrison stepped forth and read the following address to the khaki lads: To J. Mons Aitken, John Pickles, Charles Anslow, William Kitchen, Bert Gifford and Benjamin Harris:—"Soldiers of the Queen". On behalf of the citizens of Newcastle I desire to extend to you on your return from the seat of war a hearty welcome to your homes and to express to you their deep appreciation of your heroic services in the field. Little over a year ago, at the call of our beloved Queen, as members of the First Canadian Contingent, you departed from your native land for South Africa to assist in the defence of the British Empire in the unjustifiable war waged against it by the Boers. You fellow citizens are not unmindful of the great sacrifices you voluntarily made in joining the contingent, parting from near and dear friends and resigning the comforts of peaceful and happy homes to encounter all the horrors of war incident to the life of a soldier. In the endurance of the severe privations in the long and frequent marches you were required to make during the progress of the war, and the undaunted bravery you and many of your comrades exhibited on various occasions, and especially at the Battle of Paardeberg, when General Cronje with his army of 3000 men surrendered to the British Arms, you have given proof of the possession of soldier like qualities equal to those of the best British troops and of being worthy of the praise bestowed upon you by General Buller, commander in chief, and our beloved Sovereign, as a recognition of your loyalty and gallantry on that occasion. While your fellow citizens lament with heart felt sorrow that so many of your comrades have fallen in battle, succumbed as victims to the ravages of disease and others have been crippled for life, they heartily congratulate you on your being spared to return to your home and friends in health and strength. They trust that the experience through which you have passed in the service of our beloved Queen for the defence of the Empire and the establishment and extension of civil and religious liberty in South Africa

will eminently fit you for the performance of the duties of life, which in future may devolve upon you. When the history of the South African war is written there will be mentioned in the story the Battle of Paardeberg as one of the memorable conflicts in which the First Contingent took so prominent a part and which by their brave and heroic bearing they helped to secure a great victory and earned for themselves the honorable title of "Brave men of Paardeberg". Signed D. MORRISON, Mayor. Town of Newcastle. Sergt. Anslow then stepped forth and said a few words. He thanked the citizens for the demonstrations in their honor and felt it was heartily appreciated. He hoped the citizens would say the soldiers had done what they started out to do, and that was their duty. (Three cheers). Private Aitken then addressed the assemblage. He felt amply repaid for all the hardships he had suffered by the welcome accorded him in Newcastle. He thanked the Mayor and citizens for their kindness. (Cheers). Private Harris thanked the people for the royal reception he received. They had one in Halifax which was very good. They had one in Newcastle which was very much better. He felt that Africa was not nearly as good a country as Canada. We were living in God's country. After a few more words he again thanked the people for their kindness. (Cheers). Privates Kitchen and Pickles followed, each thanking the citizens for their kindness and expressing themselves as well pleased to be at home again. Cheers. The Mayor then introduced Rev. P. G. Snow who made a pleasing address. He first told of the events leading up to the present hostilities in South Africa in a very interesting manner. Continuing he said that at the commencement of the war England was under a cloud as it were. Other nations were ready to pounce upon her. But the men of her colonies came forth and said "hands off". Our soldiers had gone forth fearlessly and cheerfully to aid her. They had been placed in the front rank and they did not flinch nor waver. The speaker referred to Private Matheson, and regretted he was not present. He then spoke of the Miramichi boys of the Second Contingent and felt that they would also be given a royal reception when they returned. He felt that no honor, no praise could give our soldiers too great. The reception was a royal one, but we had a right to give it. Mr. Snow then told of the sufferings of the troops, of the dangers they had encountered but he thanked God they had been rescued safe and sound. He felt that they would do the same again in the interest of justice. (Continued on page five)

# Robinson's Nominors.

Men who are Supporting the Conservative Candidate in this County.

We, the undersigned electors of the Electoral District of Northumberland, hereby nominate James Robinson of Derby, in the County of Northumberland, New Brunswick, merchant as a candidate at the election now about to be held of a member to represent the said Electoral District in the House of Commons of Canada.

Witness our hands at Newcastle this 23rd day of October, A. D. 1900.

- Allan Ritchie, Newcastle, lumber merchant
- Robert Ritchie, " " "
- W. A. Hickson, " " "
- John O'Brien, Nelson, merchant
- E. Sinclair, Newcastle, lumber merchant
- Jas Brown, " " "
- J. P. Burchill, Nelson, lumber merchant
- John Clark, Newcastle, saddler
- D. Morrison, " " "
- E. J. Williston, " " "
- John Brander, " " "
- Johnston, Douglasfield, merchant
- R. H. Gremley, Newcastle, liveryman
- A. Lounsbury, " " "
- A. O'Donnell, " " "
- H. W. Kitchen, " " "
- G. H. Dalton, " " "
- P. G. Snow, " " "
- T. G. Johnston, " " "
- W. J. Morris, " " "
- J. W. Cassidy, " " "
- Allan Russell, " " "
- L. B. McMurdo, " " "
- C. M. Dickson, " " "
- Thos. Johnston, Redbank, lumber merchant
- John Robinson, sr., Newcastle, surveyor
- Jas. Hyland, North Esk, farmer
- Geo. Sheard, " " "
- Joseph Wall, " " "
- Patrick Hogan, " " "
- Peter Hogan, " " "
- Wm. S. Mullin, " " "
- Dan Murphy, " " "
- Paul Murphy, " " "
- Dan K. Murphy, " " "
- Wm. McKibbin, " " "
- Michael Hogan, " " "
- Michael Ryan, " " "
- Wm. B. Johnston, " " "
- Richard Murphy, " " "
- Wm. Doonan, " " "
- Wm. Powers, Red Bank, blacksmith
- M. J. Hopkins, " " "
- Wm. A. Yr, " " "
- Wm. Lawlor, " " "
- Wm. Holmes, Lyttelton, " " "
- Wm. Harris, " " "
- Wm. Somers, " " "
- Wm. Holmes, " " "
- Wm. Johnston, " " "
- Wm. McKay, " " "
- Wm. Mathews, " " "
- Wm. Tozer, " " "
- Wm. Mutch, " " "
- Wm. Mathews, " " "
- Wm. Tozer, " " "
- Wm. Mutch, " " "
- Wm. Tozer, " " "
- Wm. Mullins, " " "
- Wm. Travis, " " "
- Wm. Rae, Newcastle, blacksmith
- Wm. Dalton, " " "
- Wm. Nicholson, " " "
- Wm. O'Brien, " " "
- Wm. Russell, " " "
- Wm. Matchett, " " "
- Wm. Ferguson, " " "
- Wm. Millston, " " "
- Wm. Russell, " " "
- Wm. McKenney, " " "
- Wm. Fish, " " "
- Wm. Ingram, " " "
- Wm. Jardine, " " "
- Wm. Bolye, " " "
- Wm. McCull, " " "
- Wm. Smith, " " "

- John Parks, South Esk, surveyor
- Thos Power, Derby, lumberman
- Wm. Hare, sr, North Esk farmer
- Earnest Hare, " " "
- John Cassidy, Newcastle, trader
- F. H. Gough, " blacksmith
- H. Thompson, Nelson, laborer
- R. Lingley, Newcastle, surveyor
- J. O. Fish, " trader
- Patrick Connors, " laborer
- Jas Falconer, " trader
- L. Doyle, " lumber merchant
- S. Craig, " farmer
- W. J. Elliot, " shoemaker
- Freeman Matheson, " laborer
- Frank Masson, " tinsmith
- J. D. Creaghan, " merchant
- R. N. Wyse, " "
- Wm. Norman, " machinist
- Vernon Golightly, " laborer
- Gavin Copeland, " engineer
- M. McNeil, " laborer
- H. Dickson, " butcher
- H. Norton, " laborer
- Wm. Jardine, " laborer
- Thos Sherer, North Esk, farmer
- Wm. F. Copp, Newcastle, painter
- J. B. Robertson, " engineer
- Wm. Williamson, " "
- Milton Gremley, " laborer
- Andw. Williamson, " engineer
- John Harriman, " foreman
- Hugh Black, " laborer
- W. H. Matchett, Red Bank, farmer
- Wm. H. Somers, " "
- Bert Somers, " "
- Chas. W. Delano, Newcastle, laborer
- J. H. Ashford, " "
- J. W. Russell, " "
- Wm. Hogan, " "
- Joseph McKnight, " merchant
- R. L. Maltby, " trader
- John Kington, " farmer
- Henry McKenney, " laborer
- J. H. Phinney, " merchant
- Dan'l Hogan, " farmer
- J. W. Davidson, " accountant
- John Betts, Derby, fish dealer
- C. E. Fish, Newcastle, quarryman
- A. Stewart, " hotel man
- John McColin, North Esk fish dealer
- Albert Ashford, Williamstown, farmer
- Geo. S. Stothart, Newcastle, contractor
- Thos. Dunn, " laborer
- Wm. Stymiest, " trader
- Jas. Schultz, " merchant
- Francis Bockler, " painter
- Andrew Crocker, " farmer
- Wm. J. Russell, " "
- John Murphy, " laborer
- John R. Doran, Nelson, merchant
- Thos. Flett, " lumber merchant
- E. Hayes, " "
- Jos. Vye, Derby, farmer
- J. C. Miller, " manager
- E. McLean, Strathadam, farmer
- Wm. Richards, Boiestown, lumber merchant
- Wm. D. Richards, " accountant
- Howard Richards, " "
- H. G. Gunter, " "
- David Swanson, " "
- W. H. Irvine M D, " lumberman
- Jas. S. Fairley, " "
- Jas. Fairley, " "
- Wm. A. Brown, " accountant
- Fred H. Fairley, " farmer
- Robt. McCoy, " "
- Justus Fairley, " "
- Wm. McConnell, " miller
- L. P. Parker, Derby, scaler
- Mich. Vickers, Blackville, farmer
- W. J. McMillan, Boiestown, " "
- Fred Duffy, " trader
- Nelson Betts, Doaktown, " "
- William White, " "
- M. A. Kelly, " merchant
- F. D. Swim, " "
- Wm. Mitchell, " farmer
- James W. Swim, " "
- W. A. Curtis, " "
- C. B. Rose, Blackville, " "
- Chas. B. Betts, Doaktown, " "
- C. B. Ogilvie, " "
- Edgar Betts, " "
- Ernest Lyons, " "
- John Boyce, " "

- Chas. Storie, " " "
- James Gilks, " " "
- Frank Russell, " " "
- Geo. A. Wathen, " " "
- Walter Freeze, " farmer
- Geo. Edgar, Blissfield, " "
- David McRony, " " "
- G. W. Alexander, " " "
- Peter A. Lyons, " " "
- Jas. Withral, " " "
- Ronald Hurley, " " "
- Robt. B. Hurley, " " "
- Thomas A. Arbo, Upper Blackville, farmer
- Jas. C. Weaver, Blissfield, farmer
- Levi Morehouse, " " "
- Stephen Weaver, " " "
- Mathew Bowas, " " "
- Thos. Cowie, " " "
- Fenton Burgon, Blackville, " "
- Joseph Dunphy, " " "
- Wm. Davidson, " " "
- Wm. Russel, Doaktown, " "
- Geo. Donlas, " " "
- Thos. Weaver, Blackville, farmer.
- John McConnell, " " "
- Robert Berry, " " "
- Thos. O. Curtis, " " "
- Peter Coughlan, " " "
- H. A. McDonald, " " "
- Simon McLaggan, " " "
- Alfred Q. Underhill, " " "
- Joseph Areneau, " " "
- Thos. Underhill, " " "
- David G. Scofield, " " "
- Chas. McKenzie, " " "
- Percy Lebars, " " "
- Geo. A. Mountain, " " "
- Arthur Curtis, " " "
- Henry Curtis, " " "
- J. L. Stewart, Chatham, publisher
- Jas. F. Maher, " merchant
- Wm. J. Loggie, " barrister
- G. H. Hildebrand, " merchant
- S. A. Ball, " "
- H. McKendy, " clerk
- R. A. Murdoch, " merchant
- John J. Noonan, " clerk
- F. E. Neale, " lumber merchant
- Charles Reinsborrow, Hardwicke, lumber merchant
- J. T. Rundle, Chatham, accountant
- Wm. Johnston, " hotel keeper
- Thos. Flanagan, " "
- Andrew Morrison, " surveyor
- James Hickey, " merchant
- Alex. Robinson, " carriage manufacturer
- E. Hutchison, Douglastown, lumber merchant
- Patk. Coleman, Cnatbam, carpenter
- Mich'l Hickey, " merchant
- A. McLennan, " "
- J. Y. Mersereau, Chatham, photographer
- Fred M. Tweedie, " law student
- Robert A. Loggie, " clerk
- Chas. Robinson, " "
- Norman S. Edgar, " "
- Robert Flanagan, " "
- P. Coleman, Chatham, Carpenter
- M. Hicky, " merchant
- A. McLennan, " carriage maker
- J. Y. Mersereau, " photographer
- R. A. Logie, " clerk
- Chas. Robinson, " "
- N. Edgar, " "
- R. Flanagan, " merchant
- C. A. C. Bruce, " supt. M. S. F. Coy.
- D. G. Smith, " journalist
- W. B. Snowball, " lumber merchant
- L. J. Tweedie, " barrister
- Fred Dyke, " lumber agent
- Jas. Robins, " machinist
- J. Bassett, " stevedore
- J. Connell, Bartibogue, farmer
- G. Vaughan, Loggieville, lumber merchant
- Wm. Damery, " foreman
- G. W. Cartton, " Clerk
- W. G. Loggie, " "
- J. McKay, " "
- W. A. Davidson, " "
- W. S. Delaney, " farmer
- Peter Garman, " laborer
- Joseph Mann, " carpenter
- Jas. Desmond, " contractor
- Jas. Fad, Bartibogue, farmer
- Dan Cremmer, " merchant
- Joseph Martin, Hardwicke, farmer
- Ollyar Savoy, " "
- Wm. Savoy, " "
- Charles Martin, " "
- Raphel Martin, " "
- Manual J. Manuel, " "
- Frank Tibo, " "
- Marcell Tibo, " "

- Geo Duplacy, " " "
- Ammon Manuel, " " "
- Thos Tibo, " " "
- Ruben Manuel, " " "
- David Martin, " " "
- Maxim Martin, " " "
- Neal Manuel, " " "
- Joseph Tibo, " " "
- Maxim Martin, " " "
- Samuel Martin, " " "
- Jno Mc Intyre, " " "
- Ammon Martin, " " "
- Joseph Durell, " " "
- Charles Chasaion, " " "
- Charles Martin sr., " " "
- Edward O Neil, " " "
- M. Branfield, " " "
- James Preston, " " "
- Wm Preston, " " "
- C. S. Bremner, " " "
- Wm Heluean, " " "
- Albert Gyers, " " "
- Neal Manuel jr., " " "
- James McDonald, Hardwicke, farmer
- Jno. McInnis, " " "
- Edward Carroll, " " "
- Patrick Carroll, " " "
- Angus McDonald, " " "
- Ronald McDonald, " " "
- Peter McDonald, " " "
- Jno. B. Williston, Sr., " " "
- Joseph W. B. Williston, " " "
- Joe. O. McDonald, " " "
- Alex. McDonald, & Son, " " "
- F. H. McInnis, " " "
- Peter Taylor, " " "
- Jas. Bretnick, Nelson, " " "
- Jno. Welsh, Sr., " " "
- Horace McKinley, " " "
- J. W. Miller, Derby, manager.
- W. H. Crocker, " Accountant.
- Jas. Lyons, " Foreman
- Dan Harrigan, " Carpenter
- Alexander Scott, " Laborer
- T. C. Miller, " merchant
- Edwin Ramsey, " carpenter
- R. N. Weeks, " accountant
- J. J. Clarke, " teacher
- Jas. Manderville, " farmer
- Albert Hart, " ferryman
- Arch McEachern, " surveyor
- Duncan McEachern, " "
- C. McEachern, " "
- John Doran, " Blacksmith
- Jno C. Doran, " "
- Wm Allison, " surveyor
- D. D. Parker, " laborer
- Thos C. Newman, " farmer
- Wm Bell, " "
- P. M. Henderson, " surveyor
- G. A. Bell, " farmer
- E. L. Parker, " "
- Clinton Parker, " "
- Everett J. Parker, " foreman
- Wm J. Parks, " surveyor
- E. Delano, " farmer
- David Bell, " "
- Alex. Delano, " "
- High Ferguson, " "
- Robt. Carnahan, " "
- G. Bryenton Jr., " "
- G. Bryenton, " "
- G. Bryenton Sr, " "
- Patrick Kelly, " "
- J. R. Vandenberg, " "
- Peter Kelly, " "
- Geo R. Parker, " "
- Ben Jardine, " "
- Wm O'Brien Jr, " "
- Jas. Dickson, " "
- Tyler Gerrish, " "
- R. bt Astles, " "
- Albert Astles, " "
- D. u O'Brien, " "
- J. A. Park, " "
- A. Jardine, " "
- N. O'Brien, " "
- B. H. Jardine, " "
- Jno Jardine, " "
- F. D. Jardine, " "
- Hiram Foy, " "
- P. McDougall, " "
- P. Halt, " "
- H. Manderville, " foreman
- Levi Gerrish, " "
- R. C. Boyce, Blackville, painter
- R. Davidson, Derby, farmer
- Con Donovan, " "
- D. Bryenton, " "
- M. Whalen, Blackville, Poet
- A. A. Saunders, Nelson, farmer
- J. E. Patrie, Derby, agent
- John Graham, " surveyor
- C. F. Wilson, " farmer
- Wm Cumming, " laborer
- Thos McLean, " farmer
- Joo McMann, " engineer
- W. A. Wilson, " surgeon
- W. R. Crocker, " "
- James Crocker, " Surveyor
- C. Crocker, " "
- A. Ferdinand, " farmer
- A. Cameron, " laborer
- Geo. Tarson, " laborer
- Jno Jardine, South Esk, farmer
- Jas. Kington, " "
- Fred Siddall, Derby, " "
- Wm. Aleraft, " "
- Joe Degrae, " "
- Jno Connors, " "
- I. R. Leighton, Newcastle, farmer
- Jno Carnahan, Derby, " "
- Jno Cluston, " "
- Thos Vye, " "
- Thos McCafferty, " laborer.
- Richard Fairman, Newcastle foundry

**The Canadian Order of Foresters.**  
 This popular fraternal insurance society was organized in November, 1879, and is now 20 years old, and each succeeding year it has been growing stronger numerically and financially. The society has a membership of upwards of 33,000 in the Dominion of Canada, to which its operations are confined. On Nov. 1, 1899, it had \$314,826.08 on hand to pay death claims, which is invested as follows:

Dominion of Canada stock	\$100,000 00
Deposit with Gov. Prov. Quebec	5,000 00
Freehold L. & S. Co., Toronto	30,000 00
Western Can. L. & S. Co., Toronto	30,000 00
Central Can. L. & S. Co., Toronto	30,000 00
Ontario L. & D. Co., London	20,000 00
Hamilton Prov. & L. S., Hamilton	20,000 00
British Mort. & L. Co., Stratford	20,000 00
Royal Loan & S. Co., Brantford	20,000 00
Toronto S. & L. Co., Peterboro	20,000 00
The Atlas L. & S. Co., Thomas	20,000 00
Imperial L. & S. Co., Toronto	20,000 00
Landed Banking Co., Hamilton	20,000 00
Union Bank, Souris, Man.	20,000 00
Huron & Erie L. & S. Co., London	10,000 00
Lon. Loan Co. of Canada, London	10,000 00
Quebec Bank, Toronto	10,000 00
Merchants' Bk. of Halifax, Montr	10,000 00
Standard Bank, Brantford	10,000 00
Bank of N. S., Charl'own, P. E. I.	10,000 00
Bank of Hamilton, Morden, Man.	10,000 00
Bank of Hamilton, Manitoba, Man	10,000 00
Bank of Hamilton, Winkler, Man.	10,000 00
Town of Paris, Debentures	22,122 15
Selkirk School Debentures	9,000 00
Town of Collingwood Debentures	8,281 88
Town of Clinton Debentures	25,000 00
Township of Hullett Debentures	7,469 65
Township of Winchester Debent	2,642 69
Portage La Prairie School Deb.	8,529 07
Owen Sound Debentures	10,906 99
Strathroy Debentures	10,101 78
Orillia Debentures	10,287 18
Seaforth Debentures	6,718 75
Listowel Debentures	6,131 71
Ashburnham Debentures	5,039 05
Orillia Debentures	4,814 53
Ridgeway Debentures	3,812 74
Bank of St. Thomas Debentures	38,616 14
Bank of Winnipeg Debentures	21,925 26
Tilsonburg Debentures	9,614 64
Town of Truro Bonds	10,584 84
St. Catharines Debentures	16,347 19
Buckingham Debentures	16,502 50
Chatham Debentures	27,480 25
Newfrew Debentures	20,477 90
Yorkton Debentures	8,231 83
Wingham Debentures	8,310 27
Tara Debentures	8,635 52
Standard Bk., Brantford (cur.ac)	15,591 33
Bk Hamilton, Winaipeg (cur.ac)	5,050 38
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$314,826 08</b>

Since its inception the order has paid to its members and their dependents upwards of two million dollars in insurance and sick and funeral benefits. The society issues policies for \$500, \$1000, \$1500 and \$2000, the latter sum being the limit of any life, and the premiums for the same are only 60 cents to \$1 per month per \$1000, according to the age of the applicant. The death rate in the society was only 4.56 per 1000 of the membership in 1898, and the average death rate since the organization of the society was 4.94.

The Sick and Funeral Benefit Branch, though an optional feature, is very popular among the membership, upwards of 16,000 being enrolled in that department. The benefits are \$3 per week for the first two weeks of illness and \$5 per week for the succeeding ten weeks during any year, besides a funeral benefit of \$50. The fees for same, payable monthly in advance, are from 25 cents to 45 cents, according to the age of the member when joining the branch. During the year 1898 over \$43,000 were paid out in sick and funeral benefits, and \$143,000 in insurance.

There are now about 700 subordinate branches, or courts as they are called, throughout Canada, and the order is now well established in all the provinces and territories of the Dominion.

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The Census of Islam. Turkey has been taking a census of Islam and finds that the number of Mohammedans in the world is 196,500,000. Of these 18,000,000 are in Turkey in Europe, 99,000,000 in Western Asia and Hindustan, 20,000,000 in China, 36,500,000 in northern and northeastern Africa, and 23,000,000 are scattered in other parts of the world.

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Farms for the Unemployed. The International Wood Carvers' Association at its recent annual convention in New York decided to petition congress to pass a bill enabling the government to furnish 5,000,000 acres of land for the use of people who have been crowded out of work by labor saving machinery. The proposed bill will call for the parceling of the land in small farms by the department of agriculture. Delegate John S. Henry of the New York branch of the association said that "the reason for preparing the bill was to be found in the tendency of American workmen to run too much to mechanical trades and too little to agriculture.

Faulty Kidneys.—Have you backache? Do you feel drowsy? Do your limbs feel heavy? Have you frequent headaches? Have you falling vision? Have you dizzy feeling? Are you depressed? Is your skin dry? Have you a tired feeling? Any of these signs prove kidney disease. Experience has proved that South American Kidney Cure never fails.—6

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more extensive, a patroness surpassing than her mother in spite of the marchioness she was never a favorite of her quick tongue and the sarcasm. Lady Helen is often called the head of the family and used by her father, the former of India.

Happy Old Age in Burmah. Burmah parents are past prime their children pray them "moo-sat" which means that should be at the children's for the remainder of their as the children had first been in parents'. The turning point marked by any formality, but a approaching parents on a solace-ation adopts the gesture of a great elasticity of interest in things: their religious book and occu-ations with their grandchild-

Flowers in High Altitudes. The highest point at which flowers have been found was in at 19,200 feet. Nine species recorded at 19,000 feet or higher.

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Shout the right royal welcome,  
The Empire-builders come;  
The men whose deeds of valor  
Have made the Empire One.  
Let the shouts of welcome greet them,  
Let plaudits ring the air—  
The very least among them  
Has taught us how to dare.

Shout the right royal welcome,  
These heroes of our land  
Must find a fitting welcome  
To this Canadian strand  
Which their brave deeds have blazoned.  
In annals of the race,  
Have proved a laud of heroes,  
Have given a nobler place.

Shout the right royal welcome,  
Let not laggards be;  
The Empire pays them tribute,  
Far, far o'er land and sea.  
The very least among them  
For Canada has won  
A fuller recognition  
Than all the past has done.

—Halifax Mail.

Prof. Layton has resigned as organist in the Methodist Church, Chatham.

The Cox trial at Chatham was postponed on Saturday, until Saturday next.

The Phonographic concert at Millerton last Wednesday night was a decided success.

Unless all signs fail Sydney will win a few months before a model theatre.

Elections over in Uncle Sams domains to-day.

Watch for the Advocate's election bulletins Wednesday night.

In several of the churches on Sunday, interesting sermons were preached on "Our Soldiers return."

Mons Aitken and John Pickles left for Fredericton on Monday. They will be tendered a reception at the Capital.

Thomas Fitzpatrick had one of his hands badly cut in Flett's Mill at Nelson last week. Dr. Hayes amputated two fingers assisted by Dr. Nicholson.

The express on the Canada Eastern was derailed a few miles above Boiestown on Monday night, and as a result was delayed several hours. Mr. Robinson was on board.

Rev. Mr. Brown's text's next Sunday will be, morning—"Immutability of Christ"; evening—"Poultice that cured the carbuncle." Seats free. All invited.

Private Munroe of Chatham brought home a very interesting souvenir. It is a Lee Enfield rifle which was captured by the Boers at Magerfontein and recaptured by the British from Cronje at Paardeberg. L. D. Du Plessis is handsomely engaged on the stock. Du Plessis is a Boer officer.

Among the souvenirs brought home from South Africa by Sergt Anslow is a typical Boer pipe with the long bowl and curved stem. As you will infer, the pipe holds considerable tobacco, and the average burger sits smoking for hours at a time without refilling. Sergt Anslow presented the pipe to Mr. W. A. Park.

Nomination Day passed off quietly in Newcastle. In the afternoon short speeches were made by both candidates. A number of outsiders were in town, but the influx was not as large as on former nomination days. It is just as the Advocate said, the people of this county are tired of political controversy and are quite contented with the present state of affairs.

Reverend Mother St. Sabine, Superior General of the Nuns of the Cong. de Notre Dame returning from her official visit to the different convents of the Order in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick arrived in Newcastle Tuesday last, Oct. 30. She was accompanied by her assistant, Rev. Mother St. Angela. The reception tendered her by the pupils of St. Mary's Convent was characterized by the grace and distinction, which have become traditional in that institution. As usual the musical part of the programme was a treat. The English address a tribute of affection and gratitude was well interpreted by Miss A. Quinn's sympathetic voice and manner. Miss M. Marceau read a few words of welcome in French, and Miss B. Gillard's elocutionary powers were shown to advantage in an appropriate recitation.

Williamson's Cough Mixture prepared only at A. E. Shaw's Drug Store.

A few nights ago some malicious person bedaubed the cannons in the square with red paint.

Windsor Board of Trade will try to get a Boer gun for the city. It will be placed in one of the parks.

An invitation has been extended to the 12th Field Battery to attend the service in the Methodist church, here on Sunday next.

During the illumination at Mr. Charles Reid's residence Friday night the candles set fire to the curtains. The blaze was extinguished before further damage was done.

On the African veldt Private Anslow was made a corporal and on the Idaho he was promoted to sergeant. That speaks well for Newcastle. We congratulate Sergt. Anslow.

The death occurred at St. John at an early hour Sunday evening of John Berryman, M. D. one of St. John's most prominent and highly respected citizens.

If it had not been for Major Maltby our boys would have been carried off to St. John on Friday. He brought his influence to bear with the result that they came home first.

A young man who is said to have been disappointed in love sent to the object of his affections through the mail a potato with a match stuck through it. It is supposed to imply—"You farmer I'm your match any day."

A case of some interest to New Brunswickers is the suit for \$4,000 damage against Chief of Police Drury and a patrolman of Chelsea, Mass. by Miss Martin of Kingston, Kent County. She brought suit for alleged false arrest.

The manner in which the Orange Band played "The Queen's Brave Canadians" on Friday called forth many words of praise. Considering the short time they had in which to practice the piece they acquitted themselves exceptionally well.

A telegraph wire has been connected with this office and immediately upon the receipt of the election returns Wednesday night an extra addition will be put out. There will probably be three extras between now and Thursday night.

The idea of Sydney's cosmopolitan population may be gained from the fact that inside of an hour conversation in six different languages were carried on over the telephone one day last week. The languages were English, Arabian, Chinese, Norwegian, French and Italian.—Railway News.

The Nuns and pupils of St. Mary's were glad to receive from the Rev. Mothers, the confirmation of the good news published by the papers of Montreal to the effect that the Specimens of Class work and methods sent to the Paris Exposition from the Mother House last summer had been awarded a medal—the only one presented to a community of nuns in Canada.

Lina Bell the fast trotting mare owned by J. J. LaRoche of Quebec died on Wednesday at Amherst from the effects of bronchitis given her by some cowardly ruffian early Tuesday morning. The mare started in ten races this fall and won nine of them. She was valued at \$5000. Detectives Carroll Ring and Power, are working on the case and it is to be hoped they will succeed in landing the coward who admiral stered the fatal dose.

A reward of \$3,000 has been offered for his capture.

On Tuesday morning last a very fashionable wedding took place in the R. C. Church Nelson. The participants were Miss Lucinda Monahan of Nelson, and Mr. Richard O'Brien of Renous River, Nuptial Mass was celebrated at 9 o'clock by the Rev. N. Power. The bride was attired in a charming navy blue costume and carried a magnificent bouquet of white roses. She was attended by her cousin Miss Josie Monahan. Miss Dunn of Chatham was maid of honor. Each carried a bouquet of roses smylax and maiden hair fern. The groom was ably supported by his brother. As the bride entered the church Lohen a h wedding march was played, and during the nuptial mass appropriate hymns were sung. Miss Humphrey presided at the organ with good taste, and very pretty solos were rendered by Miss Hayes.

The feast of All Saints was duly celebrated in the R. C. Church Nelson. The music at the mass was as follows: Kyria Gloria, Con cone; Credo; Roseing; Sanctus; Concone; Agnus Dei; Leonar's. During the offertory Dr. Hayes sang "I know that my Redeemer liveth in a delightful manner." Miss Hayes also sang several solos very nicely. The evening services were brought to an appropriate conclusion by the recital of the litany of the saints and the benediction of the blessed sacrament. Rev. N. Power's artistic arrangements were greatly appreciated by the congregation.

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## Social & Personal

Mrs Labillois, Dalhousie, paid a pleasant visit to Mrs. John O'Brien, Nelson last week.

Mr. J. A. Flett, and Dr. Hayes, were in Chatham on Friday.

Miss Annie Brown, Chatham, was the guest of Mrs. John Brander this week.

Mrs. Wm. Witherell returned on Monday from a pleasant visit to Boston and other American cities.

Miss Jean Thomson has returned from Halifax.

Messrs Charles Falconer and Charles Harrison leave for Boston on Thursday where they will in the future reside. They are both popular in Newcastle and will be greatly missed.

Councillor Campbell, Boiestown, was in Newcastle, Saturday to attend the Soldiers' banquet.

Mr Elmer Crooker, Derby, paid a visit to the Advocate sanctum on Nomination Day.

Mr. George Vanderbeck, the popular Millerton post master was in town on Monday.

Mr. Charles Falconer entertained a few friends, Monday evening.

Mr. Garfield Troy leaves this week for Boston. He will remain in the Hub until spring, and will then go west. Mr. Troy's many friends will regret his departure.

Miss Alice McCabe entertained a number of friends, Monday night.

Mr. M. T. Monahan, superintendent of the Municipal Printing Plant, Boston, and a graduate of the ADVANCE office paid a short visit to his home in Nelson the past week. His vacation was taken up in making a tour of the principal cities of the Dominion, visiting Toronto, Ottawa, Montreal and Quebec.—Chatham Advance.

Miss Troy of Newcastle is the guest of Miss May Murray at the Commercial.—Campbellton Events.

Mr. R. C. John Dunn the well known St. John architect was in town last week.

Mr. Pearl Atkinson, son of the late Mr. C. B. Atkinson, locomotive engineer, who joined the mounted Police in April last, was appointed as a body guard for Lord Minto while His Excellency was making his trip among the Blackfeet.

Mrs. Fred Jones and children who has been spending the summer months with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jardine, returned to Winchester, Mass. on Saturday.

Mr. James Rundle has returned from England.

Mr. Charles Flett of Melrose is visiting at his old home in Nelson.

### Resolution of Condolence.

At a regular meeting of Branch 177, of the C. M. E. A. the following resolutions were unanimously adopted,

Whereas It has pleased our Divine Lord in his infinite wisdom to remove from this world of sorrow the beloved father of our worthy and esteemed Brother, T. W. Butler,

Therefore Resolved That this Branch extend to said brother and family our heartfelt sympathy in their bereavement, and

Further Resolved, That these resolutions be sent to Brother Butler, be published in the Canadian, St. John Freeman, Advocate and spread on the minutes of this Branch.

J. D. CRAIGHAN,  
W. P. HARRIMAN,  
H. A. QUILTY.

Newcastle, Nov. 3rd, 1900.

### THE BOUNDRY LINE

Between comfort and discomfort is often very slight. Have you rheumatism of neuralgia or are you a sufferer from obstinate nervous pain? Why suffer longer? You can purchase for 10 cents a bottle of that king of pain—Pilson's Nerviline—or you can get a large bottle for 25 cents it cures promptly. It is sure, pleasant to take, and never fails to cure all kinds of pain. Don't wait an hour, but send to any drug store and get a trial bottle, Nerviline, the sure pain-cure.

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### DEMONSTRATION IN POLITICS.

(Philadelphia Times.)  
"Great demonstrations are an important feature of our American political system, but they are not the most persuasive method of reaching the people. The republicans, with their official machinery and their vast financial resources, can easily command the most imposing spectacular display. The reliance of the democracy in this campaign is on the deeper convictions of the people that are not to be controlled by fireworks."

A neglected cold is very dangerous, and the farther it goes the faster it goes. A very small quantity of Adamson's Botanic Balsam will cure a "young" cough. An older one requires more Balsam to stop it—but no cough is so old for it to cure. 25c. at all druggists.

**"Who got the subsidy for a railway from Newcastle to Burnt Church? I did. Mr. Morrissy took no interest in it whatever" Mr. James Robinson.**

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Purchase no edition which omits the 1900 features, viz:—New Atlas and Cyclo, also 3000 new words and complete revision. This edition is only obtainable by subscription from me. The trade edition omits new features and is only on poor paper and binding for such a large book. Duty and express paid at once on approved orders at old prices.

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But it is not necessary for us to say a word about our cloth, fit and finish; everybody knows that part of it is our business. We have a word to say about prices.

Look! We make you a nice Tweed Suit for \$14.00 and up to \$24.00. Nice ones at \$15.00.

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Blue Beaver, a corker, 16.00 and \$18.00. Cheaper if you want them.

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Makes the bread more healthful.  
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Alum baking powders are the greatest menace to health of the present day.

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Given in the Methodist Church Thursday night under the auspices of the Maple Leaf Mission Band...

TOURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure.

CHEER UPON CHEER.

(Continued from last page.)

DOUGLASTOWN.

Mr. Hatchison and Mr. Doyle's mills have closed down for the season.

BLISSFIELD.

Frank Bartlett and Peter Lyons shot a fine moose a few days ago.

"I remained in Ottawa during the last session continuously until April 25th--when I came home for a short time and afterwards went back"--Mr James Robinson

dancing was indulged in by the lovers of the "light fantastic" The candy provided was excellent and the music grand.

Mr. Z. Gilks has been making repairs on the school house in District No 23.

Miss Maud Fowler, Miss L. McLean, Mr. McLean, were the guests of Miss May Frieze of Doaktown, on Sunday last.

Mr. Snow's address was a powerful oration and it stirred the assemblage profoundly.

After the band had played "The Soldiers of the Queen," Mayor Morrison introduced Rev. M. Brown.

The speaker felt that the boys had received a royal reception in the true sense of the word.

Mr. Brown's address was a masterly oration and held the audience spell bound throughout.

Three cheers were then given for the soldiers, after which the crowd dispersed.

The soldiers were carried through the streets on the shoulders of several stalwarts and it was sometime before the people would allow them to return to their homes.

In the evening residences and stores were illuminated, the bands played patriotic airs and rockets were set off.

In the spacious Town Hall, the Mayor and members of the Board of Aldermen gave the Khaki lads a dinner, Saturday night.

The following was the toast list:—"The Queen," responded to by all singing the "National Anthem"; "The Army and Navy," responded to by Major Malby and Captain Sergeant;

"The Canadian Contingent," responded to by Rev. Mr. Brown; Our Guests, responded to by Serg. Anslow and Privates Aitken, Munroe and Harris;

"Municipality of Northumberland," responded to by Councilor Campbell; "The Town of Newcastle," responded to by Ald. Hennessy, Hinson and Williston;

"The Bench and the Bar," responded to by Judge Wilkinson and Samuel Thomson; "The Clergy," responded to by Rev. Messrs. Snow and Fickler;

"The Ladies," responded to by Rev. Mr. Aitken and W. A. Park; "The Press," responded to by H. B. Anslow.

Ald. Hennessy proposed the toast of Mayor Morrison. The Mayor replied Judge Wilkinson proposed the orchestra. Mr. T. M. Stewart responded.

Mr. Henry Wyse did the catering and it is safe to say those present never sat down to a better cooked or more enjoyable repast.

AT CREAUGHAN'S--New Furs, Dress Goo's, Jackets, Capes, Skirts, Corsets, Perrin's Gloves, Velvets, and latest trimmings.

The Advocate's Information Bureau.

IN THE New Century no one will walk all will have wheels.

A YOUNG lady(?) was heard to remark up at the depot Friday morning that it was the first time she had ever been squeezed.

MEDITATION OF A BACHELOR MAID A woman never really gets interested in a man until he pays some attention to her--dearest friend.

HAS A CHANCE? The man whose life hangs on a thread, perhaps beyond all hope, is better off by far than he whose life hangs by a rope.

WHAT IS BABY ANYWAY. A thing we are expected to kiss and look at as if we enjoyed it.

A crying evil you only aggravate by putting down.

A necessity in order to keep up the ADVOCATE readers of the future.

The most extensive employer of female labor.

A troublesome compendium of great possibilities.

A pleasure to two, a nuisance to every other body and a necessity to the world.

A note of a thing requiring a mighty lot of attention.

About 22 inches of coo and wriggle, write and scream filled with suction and testing apparatus for milk and automatic alarm to regulate supply.

NOTES FROM SQUASHVILLE. The weather is very warm for the time of the year and promises to be warmer Wednesday and Thursday.

Hay fever was quickly followed by an epidemic of political fever.

The elite has started a debating society. The first subject for discussion will be "Can a man love and have a good appetite at the same time?"

A WOMAN'S idea of a mean woman is one who wouldn't knock a bug off another woman's neck if she had anything against her.

SOME men would never be what they are if it hadn't been for women that refused them and it made them mad.

A YORKSHIRE vicar recently refused the following note from one of his parishioners:

"This is to give you notice that I and Miss Jenima Arabella Brearley are coming to your church on Saturday afternoon next to undergo the operation of matrimony at your hands. Please be prompt, as the cab is hired by the hour. Forewarned is forearmed."

ONE DAY a man called at the office of a certain newspaper and said to the editor: "Sir, your paper says that I am dead."

"Well," replied the editor, "if it is in our paper it is correct."

"It is not correct, for here I am alive," rejoined the other.

"Well it can't be helped," said the editor.

"If I had got up in the House as some of my critics think I should have done and denounced the Government on all occasions I would not have got anything for the County," Mr. James Robinson.

THE TRAMP PROBLEM. (Boston Advertiser.)

The tramp problem is evidently growing serious in a number of towns throughout Massachusetts. Inquiry in several sections of the state develops practically the same reply--that "tramps" are getting very troublesome and complaints are increasing.

A number of overseers of the poor are now engaged in studying the question with a view to the possibility of joint action, later on. The case does not require much study. Experience has shown that the best way to get rid of the lawless element among tramps is to insist that every tramp found in a Massachusetts town shall be obliged to do work that will pay for the lodging and food given him.

The professional tramp hates work as venomously as he detests soap. He will never go of his own choice to a place where he will be required to work. Consequently "the tramps are a curse to rural Massachusetts, it is chiefly the fault of the towns themselves, because they have failed to deal intelligently with the tramp problem.

"I want nothing for myself. I seek only for the welfare of Northumberland" Mr. James Robinson.

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"But I expect you to contradict it" said the injured man.

"No, I can't do that," said the editor, "as we never contradict anything that appears in our paper, I will do the only thing I can do; tomorrow I will put you in the list of births."

THE COMMERCIAL TRAVELLER. DEARLY BELOVED--

Who hath woes, who hath babblings, who hath contentions; verily he who goeth upon the road to travel.

He goeth forth in the morning with a light heart and a starched collar, and returneth at eventide with a soiled raiment and a blister on his heel.

He goeth forth like a roaring lion seeking whom he may devour, and every one he meeteth smiteth him.

He goeth unto the place where they do entertain strangers, and that which he ordereth of the servant she bringeth not, but that which he deeth not order is set before him.

He saith to the keeper of the house, "Behold I would be awakened at the fifth hour of the morning that I may depart into another country." And behold before it is yet light the keeper of the house knocketh loud against the door saying in a loud voice "Arise that thou mayest depart upon thy train."

And he who would arise awaketh in haste and putteth his right foot into his left shoe and girdeth himself quickly.

He putteth his clothes on hind side before so great is his haste thereof.

His collar which should be girded about his neck is coiled in the upper story of his hat.

And behold when he arrived at the place from whence he should depart he findeth that it is only the third hour of the morning then he leaneeth against the telegraph pole and in his heart he revileth against the keeper of the house wherein he slept.

Or, puchance he asketh to be awakened at the eighth hour of the morning and the servant knocketh not until the ninth hour, and when he ralleth the hired man looketh at him with a look of scorn.

He goeth forth to ride upon the railway then cometh a beautiful maiden arrayed like lilies; she taketh a seat afar off, but the dowdy woman with five children and a wart on her nose taketh the seat nearest to him.

Verily he who goeth upon the road to travel, is of few days and variegated rations today he hath much that is good, tomorrow his food is of the withered grass, yet not so cleanly.

If there be much water there is no towel but if the water be gone there are towels five in number and a piece of soap.

Verily, verily he hath cause to murmur an exceedingly great murmur. Amen!

The wise woman never flirts with a man she distrusts.

It's loife that's loike a base ball game--when a feller makes a hit he must run loike th' devil t' make it count.

A PUBLISHER'S MISTAKE. The following from THE PRINTER and PUBLISHER speaks for itself--

Editor PRINTER and PUBLISHER--I presume that with your experience as publisher you are aware that libel proceedings have no terrors for our Guild. I will not, therefore, say that one is impending over you, but I ought to go gunning after you for putting me before the country not only in one but two false positions. I enclose two clippings from THE PRINTER and PUBLISHER for September. In one you produce a flattering picture of me and represent me as editor of the Chatham World, in the other as of the Chatham, N. B., Advocate.

I don't own the earth, and am sure that the editor of the first-named paper would not entertain any proposition, just now when a Federal election is pending, which would involve the placing of the tiller of his little craft in hands other than his own. As to the Advocate which is published in Newcastle, not Chatham, it gets along very well without my assistance, while I am content to remain in my humble position of editor of the Miramichi Advance, which I established here twenty-six years ago.

I presume that the publisher of THE WORLD will order a large number of THE PRINTER and PUBLISHER containing the picture of its alleged editor for distant circulation.

Truly yours' Chatham N. B. Sept. 28, 1900. D. G. Smith.

(Mr. Smith has our abject apologies. His case was on a par with the error made in saying that Hon. J. V. Ellis was connected with the St. John Sun. The opinion which the editor of PRINTER and PUBLISHER has of himself for making these two mistakes is unfit to appear in these respectable columns. --Editor PRINTER and PUBLISHER.)

MINARD'S LINIMENT cures diptheria.

Stop that cough by taking Williamson's Cough Mixture.

LOST. Between Whiteville and Chelmsford on Wednesday the 31st, one sack containing five blankets and one spread, the finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving same at my place or sending me word where to get them.

Peter A. Forsyth, Whitney's Office, N. B.

New Goods GRAND FALL OPENING at J. D. CREAUGHAN'S

Do you wish the newest styles, the latest novelties, the best productions of the two continents. Just received from London, Paris, Berlin and New York for our fall trade.

Dress Materials, Jackets, Mantles, Capes, Furs, Costumes, Skirts, Corsets, Velvets, Ribbons, Trimmings, Household Goods, Blankets, Cottons, Flannelettes, Quilts, Carpets, Rugs, Window Drapery, Towels, Tablecloths, Napkins, Men's Custom Made Suits and Clothing, Hats, Caps and Underclothing

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MONDAY, NOV. 8th. Mon. Tues. Thurs. and Friday nights from 7.50 to 9.50.

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TERMS: \$4.50 per month in advance, otherwise \$5.00 per month. All books and stationery etc. supplied free to those taking a full course (3 mos) or more.

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Pulp Wood Wanted.

The undersigned are prepared to make contracts for Spruce Wood to be delivered by rail and by water, also by sleds.

Parties who are open to make contracts should write at once or call at the office of

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In the Matter of the Estate of JAMES M. CASSADY.

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of James M. Cassidy of the town of Chatham, in the County of Northumberland, merchant, who on the 8th day of October instant, made an assignment to the undersigned for the general benefit of his creditors under the provisions of 8th Victoria chapter 6 and amending acts of the province of New Brunswick, will be held at my office in the town of Newcastle on

Tuesday the 23rd day of Oct. A. D. 1900 at 10 o'clock a. m. for the appointment of inspectors and giving directions with reference to the disposal of the said estate.

All creditors are required to file their claims duly proven, with the assignee within three months from the date of this notice unless further time be allowed by a Judge of the Supreme or County Court and that all claims not filed within the time limited, or such further time, if any, as may be allowed by any such Judge, shall be wholly barred of any right to share in the proceeds of the estate, and the Assignee shall be at liberty to distribute the proceeds of the estate as if no such claims existed, but without prejudice to the liability of the debtor therefor.

Dated at Newcastle in the County of Northumberland this eleventh day of October A. D. 1900.

R. R. CALL, Sheriff of the County of Northumberland, Assignee.

Copp & Co.

Having moved into a larger and more commodious building, we are better prepared than ever to attend to the wants of our daily increasing customers.

We have on hand the very latest tips in collars and cuffs, (warranted four ply English linen) two for 25c.

Underwear. We have underwear suitable to wear at every change of our changeable seasons. Call and see our woolen underwear, for early fall. Prices from 50cts to \$3.00

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BY THE NEW PROCESS.

The Roller Mill

at French Fort Cove will resume work on Monday next, the 22nd inst. C. E. FISH.

TO LET

A HOUSE on Pleasant Street. It contains 9 rooms and a kitchen, is heated by hot air. There are good stabling privileges in connection with the premises.

Is suitable for a private residence or a hotel.

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To Let.

A house situated on the corner opposite the Waverley Hotel. Has been thoroughly painted and repaired and is supplied with water from an artesian well. Terms moderate.

Apply to R. H. GREMLEY.

# Adventures of Africa

A Story of the Golden Fleeces.

BY ST. GEORGE RATHBORNE

Author of "MISS CAPRICE," "DR. JACK'S WIFE," "DR. JACK," ETC., ETC.

When all had gathered in a great semi-circle, with the fire in the midst, still keeping up a never and a day in the ears of those who eagerly looked on, a tall buck suddenly sprang into the open where all eyes could behold his sinuous twists and curves, and began a pantomime to illustrate what a terror to the foe he would be in the day of battle.

He leaped high into the air with a venomous thrust of his assagai that would have driven the terrible weapons through an ox. Next he would crouch as though creeping upon an enemy, to suddenly bound erect, strike with his weapon, and finish with a whirl that would have done credit to a dervish.

A second joined him in the ring, to be followed by a third, and presently there were a dozen leaping and jabbering and spitting imaginary foes upon their keen-pointed assegais.

Those who observed this remarkable scene could not withdraw their eyes, such was the horrible fascination that appeared to chain them. Gradually the ring cleared, as the eccentric dancers wearied of their fantastic quick step movement.

But the end was not yet. A single figure advanced with the oddest side leaps or springs imaginable. Blunders whispered in Lord Bruno's ears that this was the witch-doctor or high priest, a crafty schemer whose power over the people was even greater than that exercised by the war chiefs themselves.

By means of these eccentric bounds this high priest, black and horrid, made the round of the fire, singing the most terrifying chant that ever racked mortal ears.

He was partially covered with green-greases, or charms, consisting of human bones, small gourds containing pebbles of gold, and balls of human hair and bird feathers. Taken in all he looked like a worthy satellite of the Old Nick, running loose on earth in a search for souls, and this was doubtless the very idea he meant to convey, since his prime object in life was to terrify those who believed him in league with the great god M'limo. In his bony hand this demon-like dancer held a small wooden idol which he waves in the air from time to time as though invoking the good will of the oracle.

Hastings could not tear his eyes away from this grisly figure, which seemed an epitome of all that was horrible in the land of the fetish worshipper. Every deed of blood that marks the dark pages in the history of South African colonization may be laid at the door of these wizard priests whose sole business it is to incite by every devilish means in their power, the evil passions of the impis, and send them forth burning with the desire to do murder, to burn and destroy, so that the whites may be utterly wiped from the face of the earth.

Long the war council kept up, until the dancers were exhausted, and the orators hoarse with wild haranguing. Then the great fire was allowed to burn down, after the high priest had cast some witch powder into the flames that turned everything green and ghastly, and had a grewsome effect upon the superstitious blacks, though simple enough to those who watched from above. Gradually the assemblage dispersed. Hastings had many times looked eagerly in the direction of the ledge where on his previous visit the fair goddess had appeared to ravish his senses, but alas, she came not.

As the fierce warriors trooped back through the wooden gates of the kraal, the hand of his hearty English friend fell on his shoulder. "Come," said Lord Bruno, "now so the great work we have cut out for ourselves."

### CHAPTER IX.

HOW THEY WENT DOWN INTO KROKATO. Indeed, the task which these bold explorers of the South African wilderness had set for themselves, was a stupendous achievement, that might well stagger the most adventurous of men, and none but those of Anglo-Saxon blood would have dared undertake it.

## Weak, Sickly Children

Restored to Health and Vigour by Using Dr. Chase's Nerve Food.

Many children are pale, weak, and listless from their birth. Many others have their blood and nerves exhausted, and their systems broken down by the ravages of disease, or as the result of over-study at school. Dr. Chase's Nerve Food is the ideal aliment for children. It supplies the elements which are lacking in the weak, and nervous. It restores colour and richness to the blood, invigorates the nerves, and builds up the system. As a restorative after the debilitating effects of measles, scarlet fever, and such ailments, it is of incalculable worth. Stephen Dempsey, Albany, P. E. writes: "My little grandchild, nine years old, was very pale, weak, and had no appetite. She was tired, worn out appearance, and delicate and sickly. I got some Chase's Nerve Food for her, and she helped her very much. She is considerably in weight and health." Chase's Nerve Food, 50c a box, at all druggists, or Edmanon, Bates and Co., Toronto.

pend a great deal on how well he remembered his bearings. Considering the fact that he had only been in this vicinity once before, and then while the night held sway, he was really doing remarkably well. So they scrambled and worked their way up the side of the extinct volcano, until the edge of the crater had been gained. Once upon a time ages ago, a magnificent cone must have towered above this vast cavity, which had been gradually undermined by the fierce fires below, and finally during some ancient eruption more violent than its predecessors, this crown had been blown off, leaving the awful gulf of boiling lava, which as centuries rolled on, cooled, became covered with soil, and finally possessed a growth of rank vegetation.

The crater was now a valley, surrounded on all sides by walls of dark stone—a valley where in years long ago, some people who inhabited the land had built a temple, which in turn mouldered in the grasp of remorseless time, and became a vast ruin, almost hidden from view by bushes and vines.

To descend into this dark abyss was a difficult task, and one that might have brought the cowboys' lassoes into play, only that Hastings' memory failed him not, and he took them unerringly to the path which ran along the face of the rocky wall.

Lord Bruno noted with considerable curiosity that this trail had been cut out from the solid rock, and by mortal hands, but in ages long since past. Thousands of feet had swept up and down this path. What a strange and interesting story it could tell if gifted with the power of speech.

They moved down into what seemed the bowels of the earth—silent as spectres, each man keenly on the alert for danger, and making both hands and feet do service in guarding against such a mishap as fell to Red Eric's share.

All seemed peaceful about them— from the crater came only the sound of some night bird's song, and the whirr of wings close to their ears was occasioned by the flitting of some bat, disturbed in his crevice by their passing.

Once Lord Bruno knew that his leader had passed, but what the cause of it might be Jim Bludsoe said not.

Hastings too had caught what seemed to be a single flash of light in the valley, and was mystified to guess its meaning. Could it be possible some vagrant flame from the fires far below had found an outlet—such a thing was really beyond the bounds of reason. He was more inclined to lay it to human agency than to believe it a will-o'-the-wisp haunting the ruined temple which perhaps also served as a sepulchre in ages ago.

At any rate, remembering his own experience with the guards who watched the remains of the temple, he was a little worried by the flashing of that light, fearing that it might prove to be a signal which would bring enemies down upon them with the same eagerness that wolves and hyenas display when running their quarry to earth.

All drew a breath of relief when finally they ceased to longer descend. A stream gurgled at their feet, and several stooped to drink. Hastings looked keenly around in order to get his bearings, while Lord Bruno and the cowboy chief kept very close in order that if necessary they might confer.

There seemed to be something uncanny in the singular condition of the valley—one was bound to be impressed with its remarkable history of the past, and in fancy might expect the spirit of those who had worshipped at this shrine centuries ago to marshal themselves in serried ranks when the desecration of their heathen temple by godless hands was threatened.

Truth to tell, however, these very practical invaders who had come in search of the Golden Fleece, were more worried about the resistance they might meet with from the human sources than that proceeding from spirits of the departed.

Hastings had figured upon the matter since his last visit to this mysterious region, and was firmly convinced that there must be some connecting link between the wizard valley of the temple and that ledge where the white god had shown herself—some passage underground, constructed by artful priests for a purpose of their own, and utilized under the present regime.

As they once more set themselves in motion, every one of the little company felt his nerves tingling with intense eagerness. The spirit of adventure was upon them, and those advocates who worship at this shrine sent the presence of a carnival of riotous action just as readily as the war horse discovers the odor of burnt powder drifting from the battlefield.

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It spurred them on as with a goad. They yearned for excitement, and had come a long distance to find it. No danger then, of any weakening among these hardy fellows should the worst happen. Secretly, perhaps, they were in great hopes of a battle with the black hosts before quitting the neighborhood. If this were so, the most zealous among them could find no occasion to complain in the treatment accorded by a benign fortune, for they were certainly destined to see much of action ere old Phoebus again gilded the tips of the cliffs that guarded the crater.

In and out, under the matted foliage, and between black rocks that remained to tell of the infernal fires that had once tossed their red arms above this mouth of Hades, they moved, in a sinuous array, now starting a bird from its roost, and anon hearing the hissing of a serpent as it glided away from their line of march, until at length Hastings slackened his pace and finally came to a halt.

Then they knew they were close to the secret entrance of the crater temple.

### CHAPTER X.

#### THE GUARDIAN DIRTIES OF THE TEMPLE.

Rex had not forgotten. He had taken his bearings as well as the circumstances permitted, for the tops of the cliffs being outlined against the heavens, certain trees were marked in silhouette which on the occasion of his former visit he had especially noted.

Here he had throttled a fierce black intruder with a recklessness that could only spring from the abandon of a fanatic, set to guard a sacred shrine.

Having made sure of his position, Rex suddenly dropped on hands and knees and began crawling along the ground. The others, realizing that this was a genuine game of "follow my leader" did not hesitate an instant about doing the same, and considerable dexterity was shown in the endeavor to accomplish the task.

As yet there had been no signs of the guards whom Rex had found in the valley, mutes selected for this special purpose by the great medicine-man whose word was law throughout the land of the Zambodi.

Nevertheless, it would not do to grow careless. Perhaps the former invasion of the whites had aroused the guardians of the treasure, and they had set a trap so arranged that it would insure the capture or destruction of these daring adventurers, intent upon robbing the ancient temple of its relics.

Ah! Rex no longer continued to creep along under the bushes. He had come to a halt and appeared to be intently examining the ground. That this meant something they readily guessed, and the whisper he started back along the line confirmed the suspicion.

Closing up around him they found that he gazed upon a pile of rocks, some large, others small, the whole appearing like a cairn some five feet in height.

Just such a monument might the old worthies of Abraham's time have made in order to commemorate certain events; and Lord Bruno had more than once in his strange wanderings seen a similar heap of stones mark a grave.

"Here is where the entrance lies. I know it from many things; yes, I could swear to it. But the pile of rocks is new. You can see yourselves no moss has grown over them. They have filled the opening up, taking warning from my other visit. Well, here goes to remove the debris."

As he thus whispered Rex set to work, and raising one of the pieces of rock carried it away as silently as he could.

The others waited for no other invitation, but started in at once, working like beavers to accomplish the task. To have dropped upon them without warning must have given one the impression that the gnomes or Brownies were at work, for not a word was spoken, though the pile of rocks diminished in size with incredible rapidity.

Nor was Hastings' prediction at all wrong, as they discovered when the last of the stones had been removed, for there was revealed a cavity that yawned before them, above which the builders had raised the cairn after the fashion of an arch.

The entrance to the ruins was displayed. Bludsoe whispered a caution. He was in the humor to believe these black idol worshippers would be equal to any deviltry in order to trap them.

Rex, however, was filled with eagerness to advance, remembering how near he had been to this rich haul on the former occasion.

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their full capacity, but at the  
time the sheep will gain far  
weight in a given time. A  
that will eat 40 to 50 per cent  
than a steer will gain from  
per cent more in weight, says  
Smith in The American Cultiva-  
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their good appetites and  
remarkable capacity for storing  
food. Indeed, at this ratio we  
are willing for the sheep to in-  
crease appetite if the gain was pro-  
portionately increased. There is no  
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of poor or slack feeding more  
than the sheep. You will notice it both  
in the fleece and in the conformation  
of the body. The loss is thus two-  
fold. The fleece becomes poorer in  
weight and less in quantity, and the  
of the animal becomes thin and  
the actual thinness of a sheep  
is not very noticeable until  
because of the heavy layers  
that seem to bulge out the  
condition of the animal can  
be ascertained, however, if the hand  
over the sides, flanks and back.  
You have to hustle more or less  
summer and fall pastures, and it is  
of things that they do. Sheep that  
everything their own way are  
like chickens that are never ex-  
cited. They become weak, lazy and  
but not altogether healthy. A  
exposure might cause their death.  
Do not want sheep on the farm  
cannot hustle a little and hunt out  
when the food on the farm is low  
wehless, we cannot afford to let  
supply of feed run too low sum-  
or winter. It is slack manage-  
that fails to provide ahead of  
for every season of the year, and  
for a farmer has been forced to sell  
of many of his sheep in the fall  
winter simply because he has not  
of sufficient food to winter them.  
If food is scarce and high priced,  
sheep are low, it is a heavy loss  
to winter the sheep or to sell  
for a nominal sum. There is  
any good reason why a man  
and himself in such quandary.  
But little calculation to fig-  
ure out how much food is required for  
a number of sheep for a winter  
is needed. Sometimes the mistake  
made of trying to carry a heavier  
load of stock than the conditions just-  
ify and then the feed disappears so  
fast that before one realizes it there  
is not enough for half the flock. It is  
to sell the sheep now and raise  
enough to consume all the food  
can be prepared and stored for  
use than to let the flocks go  
to waste, trusting that later you may be  
able to dispose of them to advantage  
thereby run the risk of falling  
short of provisions for the number that  
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FOR SORE THROAT,  
FOR PAIN IN THE  
BACK AND NECK,  
FOR ALL AFFECTIONS  
OF THE BILIOUS  
SYSTEM.

**BISMARCK OF JAPAN.**

MARQUIS ITO, HEAD OF THE NEW  
MINISTRY, IS POPULAR.

The Mikado's New Premier Has the Com-  
mon People With Him—The Part He  
Has Taken in the Rehabilitation and  
Advancement of His Native Country—  
A Progressive.

Marquis Ito, head of the new  
Ministry of Japan, is a soldier of ex-  
ceptional courage and resourcefulness  
and a statesman of the first class.  
He has been styled the "Bismarck of  
Japan," and the title is very apt.

Count Hirobumi Ito represents the  
progressive element of Japan. He has  
traveled all over the world, studying  
constitutions and parliaments,  
and incidentally picking up what he  
could regarding the arts of success-  
ful warfare.

The extreme significance of his ap-  
pointment to the head of affairs at  
this critical stage in China becomes  
more apparent when it is understood  
that he is an implacable foe of Rus-  
sia and bitterly opposed to any ac-  
quisition of territory by the Czar.

Marquis Ito came prominently to  
the front during the Chino-Japanese  
war. He was the high admiral of  
the Japanese navy and fought the  
memorable battle of September 7,  
1894, defeating the entire Chinese  
fleet of 12 vessels and saving his  
own boats, with one exception, from  
injury.

After the war was over he was  
chosen to make terms with Li Hung  
Chang, admittedly the most adroit  
statesman of the orient. It was at  
this stage of the game that Russia  
began to interfere, robbing Japan  
of the fruits of her victory. Ito had  
not forgotten the part Russia took  
at that time, and this thought will  
likely be uppermost in his attitude in  
China. Foreigners generally who  
have met him have confidence in his  
ability to cope with the present situ-

ation. From his youth Ito has had  
the reputation of being clever and  
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and made him the real ruler of the  
country. The Japanese people have  
the utmost confidence in Ito and will  
accord any course he may elect to  
pursue the most hearty support.

It is somewhat reassuring, after the  
oft repeated asseveration of the family  
physician, that women are altogether too  
proud to rush in with their advice and  
remedies where the skillful practitioner  
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after all "women are born sanitarians."

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clares, "is based upon the evolution of  
the race, as the role that cleanliness  
plays in civilization is undoubtedly due  
to women. Advantage of this gift should  
be taken in our national housekeeping.  
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officially our health officers and sanitary  
managers. The marvelous ability and  
success already shown by them in this  
field warrant every confidence. There are  
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to giver and receiver and that will lift  
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MARQUIS HIROBUMI ITO.

**A Strange Case.**

EYE TROUBLE WHICH  
DEVELOPED INTO RUN-  
NING SORES.

Doctors Said it was Consump-  
tion of the Blood, and Recovery was Looked upon  
as Almost Hopeless—Dr. Williams'  
Pink Pills Wrought a Cure.

From the Herald, Georgetown, Ont.

Our reporter recently had the pleasure  
of recalling on Mr. Wm. Thompson, pap-  
er-mater, at Wm. Barber & Bros. mill, a  
well known and respected citizen of our  
town, for the purpose of acquiring the de-  
tails of his son's long illness and his re-  
markable recovery through the use of Dr.  
Williams' Pink Pills. Mr. Thompson  
kindly gave us the following information  
which will speak for itself:—"About two  
and a half years ago my eldest son, Garret,  
who is fifteen years old, took what I sup-  
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He was taken to a physician, who advised  
me to take him to an eye specialist which  
I did, only to find out that he had lost the  
sight of the eye completely. The disease  
spread from his eye to his wrist, when  
became greatly swollen, and was lanced no  
less than eleven times. His whole arm  
was completely useless, although he was  
not suffering any pain. From his wrist  
it went to his foot which was also lanced  
a couple of times but without bringing  
relief. The next move of the trouble was  
to the upper part of his leg where it broke  
out, large quantities of matter running  
from the sore. All this time my boy was  
under the best treatment I could procure  
but with little or no effect. The trouble  
was pronounced consumption of the blood  
and I was told by the doctors that you  
would not come across a case like it in  
five hundred. When almost discouraged  
and not knowing what to do for the best,  
a friend of mine urged me to try Dr. Will-  
iams' Pink Pills saying that he had a son  
who was afflicted with a somewhat similar  
disease and had been cured by the pills.  
I decided to give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills  
a trial and secured some of them at the  
drug store, and after my boy had taken  
two boxes I could see the color coming  
back to his sallow complexion and noted a  
decided change for the better. He went  
out taking to him and in a few months from  
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**The Union Advocate,**  
ESTABLISHED 1867.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 1900.

**A FORECAST.**

We have devoted considerable time of late to a study of the political situation in New Brunswick and as a result we admit without hesitation that the liberals will manage by hook or crook and perhaps by both together to come out ahead. The counties where Mr. Blair's schemes have worked to advantage will all probably go liberal. These counties are Kings, St. John, Queens, York, Westmorland and Kent. It is generally admitted Kings will go liberal. Col. Domville's chances are probably better today than they were four years ago. St. John promises to produce a close contest—but Mr. Blair and his colleague Col. Tucker, will, we believe, be elected. The recent local election in Queens showed which way that county will go in the Dominion elections, while York will no doubt return Mr. Gibson. Westmorland and Kent also promise close contests. If Emmerson manages to get the railway vote he will be elected. In our estimation Westmorland is doubtful. Kent will probably elect LeBlanc by a very narrow margin. We believe Mr. Robinson will be elected in Northumberland and the same may be said of Ganong of Charlotte and Hale of Carleton. Mr. McAlister will probably come out victorious in Restigouche, but his majority will be very small. A close contest is promised in Gloucester with chances slightly in favor of Mr. Blanchard the conservative candidate. Albert will probably return Dr. Lewis the present member, and Costigan goes in by acclamation in Victoria and Madawaska. Then according to our forecast the liberals will secure eight seats and the conservatives five and Westmorland is left doubtful.

**POLITICAL PECULIARITIES.**

The most surprising thing about the political situation in Canada today is the number of liberals and of conservatives who have crossed over to join with former foes, and the many intelligent men who decline to say where they stand or flatly declare that they won't vote at all. It reflects the fact that a very considerable proportion of Canadian people are dissatisfied with both parties as they are constituted today. The liberal party at the present time is not the party of MacKenzie and Blake. The Conservative party is not wholly the party of MacDonald and Tilley. There are many idiosyncrasies in both parties and they afford material for considerable abusive language. But as the New York Herald remarks contests between parties today are after all very much like disputes between man and wife. Many of the sharp personalities that are uttered are not really meant, and after the atmosphere has cleared up both parties are anxious to promote the interests of the common household and are a unit when threatened with any attack from without.

If electors listened not to the stormy voice of passing passion, but to the still small voice of reason and conscience; if they cast their votes under a sense of responsibility to their generation and to coming generations, the voice of the people would be no longer what it now often is the voice of delusion, but the voice of God, and democracy would become a kind of theocracy.

The lumbermen, the men who have made this county are well satisfied with Mr. James Robinson.

In his nomination speech, Mr. Robinson said that he would always take a great interest in the fisheries. When any difficulty arose relating to regulations, he would advocate that a commission be appointed from prominent fishermen to inquire into the obnoxious regulation. Their recommendation would be brought before the government and he would urge its acceptance and the abolition of the obnoxious regulation.

Mr. Robinson disclaims being a public speaker. But his speech on Nomination day was just what the audience around the band stand wanted to hear. It was full of facts and rendered in a manner that would do credit to an old time spell binder. Northumberland County people who favor the taking over of the Canada Eastern Railway by the government will vote for James Robinson.

The man who thinks his vote is only one and will not count for much does not realize the value of a vote. Many candidates are elected or defeated on narrow margins.—Ex.

The Hamilton Herald asks: Why is a geological museum required at Ottawa? If a collection of fossils is desired, what is the matter with the Senate?

The celebration in honor of our returned soldiers was one of the best managed and most satisfactory public functions ever witnessed in Newcastle.

"The Independence of Canada" is the platform upon which Alex. LaForge has been nominated a Windsor for North Essex.

There are 76,196,220 persons in the United States according to the census taken in June and announced last week.

"No men Wanted," is the sign displayed on the G. T. R. office at Toronto Junction. Yes, these are growing times.

Three young men of this town depart for the United States to seek employment. And this is the growing time in Canada.

Whatever the people need can be had if they will vote for principle instead of party.

The patronage system is an abomination and should be abolished.—Ex.

A ton of oratory is worth less than an ounce of action. Vote right.

Marie Corelli's novel, "Wormwood," has been dramatized.

**Pity and Beauty**

The most beautiful thing in the world is the baby, all dimples and joy. The most pitiful thing is that same baby, thin and in pain. And the mother does not know that a little fat makes all the difference.

Dimples and joy have gone, and left hollows and fear; the fat, that was comfort and color and curve—all but pity and love—is gone.

The little one gets no fat from her food. There is something wrong; it is either her food or food-mill. She has had no fat for weeks; is living on what she had stored in that plump little body of hers; and that is gone. She is starving for fat; it is death, be quick!

Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil is the fat she can take; it will save her.

The genuine has this picture on it, take no other. If you have not tried it, send for free sample, its agreeable taste will surprise you.  
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**THE CANTEN.**

(Syracuse Post Standard.)  
The President's position of tolerance as toward the "army canteen" is impregnable.

**NEGRO LOYALTY.**

(Dallas Texas Express.)  
The loyalty of the Negro to the republican party is something wonderful, when one stops to consider the wavering tendencies of all other elements of our population.

**THE RETURNED SOLDIERS.**

The St. John Globe has this to say about the returned Soldiers:—No public demonstration can fully express the affectionate regard which is felt for them nor adequately interpret the appreciation of the people of their services for Queen and Empire.

**TOUGH ON STOCKTON.**

(Fredericton Herald.)  
At the St. John nomination Wednesday Dr. Stockton was proceeding to sneer at Col. Tucker, when he was interrupted with the very appropriate suggestion that "Tucker was no turncoat anyway." That was tough on the Dr.

**THE KIND OF CAMPAIGN.**

(Cincinnati Enquirer.)  
This is a thinking campaign. Processions and fireworks, and flags and brass bands are well enough in their way, as a rule but they will not count for much in 1900. They are entertainment for the people, though.

**WORKING FOR THE FEW.**

(Philadelphia Record.)  
"The last week of a singular uneventful political canvass finds the campaign managers on both sides working like beavers to influence that comparatively small number of persons in the voting population who are open to last card arguments and desirous of standing with the winning party."

**POLITICAL PROPHETS.**

(Victoria B. C. Colonist.)  
The political prophets are getting in their work. What use is there in it? A man may think that his party will carry the country, but what is the use in saying that he knows it? Never mind what the prophets say. Vote according to your convictions. The Times last night had it figured out that the government will have a comfortable majority. But neither the Times nor any one else knows anything about it.

**TEACHERS AND POLITICS.**

(Victoria Colonist.)  
The teachers of Vancouver do not like an order made by the school board that they are not to take part in politics. We are inclined to sympathize with the teachers and very greatly doubt the right of the school board to make any such order. Once we admit that a teacher is entitled to vote, he has the logical right to endeavour to convince others how they should vote. The reason given that politics will interfere with the discharge of their duties, seems very far-fetched.

**CARD.**

To the Electors of the County of Northumberland,

GENTLEMEN: I have accepted the nomination un-animously tendered me by the Liberal party of Northumberland in convention assembled, as the

GOVERNMENT CANDIDATE for the House of Commons in the coming election. I therefore earnestly solicit your votes and assistance. If elected I will give my best attention to your interests, the interests of New Brunswick, and those of United Canada. I am,

Fathfully yours  
**JOHN MORRISSY.**  
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**STORE NEWS.**

**ABOUT FURS.**

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**FURS**

Ladies' Astrean coats, good quality mercerised sateen lining only	\$23.00
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Ladies' great capes, 27 inches long, only	9.50
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Ladies' goat collars, large size,	3.00
Ladies' goat caperines,	5.25
Ladies' grey Opposum collars	3.00
Grey Opposum sets, collar, cap and muff,	7.00 and 8.00
Electric Seal collar, mitts and cap.	12.50
Black astrican collar and mitts	10.00
Blue opposum collar, cap and mitts	13.25
Grey Lamb collars and caps	8.00
Children's white Coney sets, collar, cap and muff	4.00
Ladies' fur mitts, fur lined,	2.50
Ladies fur caps,	1.60
Any person who does not want above in sets can have any piece either collar, cap, muff or mitts separate.	
Men's gauntlet fur mitts, just the thing for driving in cold weather	\$3.50
Kid gloves, fur lined,	2.25
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LAURIER PARTY VICTORIOUS.

Charles Tupper Defeated as well as Foster, Stockton, MacDonald and Montague---Blair's Majority over 1000---Mr. Robinson has a Big majority.



NEW BRUNSWICK

Hale and Ganong, conservative candidates of Carleton and Restigouche respectively elected. ... Dr. Borden, liberal, Kings, is elected.

NOVA SCOTIA

Wade, liberal is elected in Antigonish. ... Dr. Kendall and Alex. Johnson of Cape Breton county are elected.

H. J. Logan is elected in Cumberland. ... It is thought that Sir Hibbert Tupper of Pictou is defeated.

ONTARIO

Gordon, liberal, of South Brant elected. ... McDonald, liberal, of East Huron is elected.

Hyman, liberal, of London is elected. ... Mulock, liberal is elected.

QUEBEC

the following liberals are elected in Quebec:--Christie, Marcel, Godbout, Lavoie, Archambault, ... P. E. Island returns four liberals and one conservative.

Ontario returns nineteen liberals and twenty-six conservatives. ... At 3 a. m. the returns stood: Liberals 123; Conservatives 79 and Independants 6.

two independents Puttee and Richardson. ... LORD ROBERT'S. London, Nov. 1. A dispatch to the Evening Standard says Lord Roberts, who was scheduled to leave South Africa Nov. 15, has postponed his departure owing to one of his daughters being a sufferer from enteric fever in Pretoria.

REPUBLICAN VICTORIES.

McKinley and Roosevelt Come Out on Top.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7th.--The 57th congress seems to be Republican by a substantial working majority. ... Wyoming--McKinley, 3,000

CHEER UPON CHEER

Demanded, and as a rule, robust, hard as nails, in the usual acceptance of the word, military--such is the appearance of the brave members of Canada's famous first contingent. ... The fire of patriotism was fanned into a monstrous blaze in this town on Friday last when it was made known that one man of the first contingent would arrive at 11 o'clock.

As early as nine o'clock people had gathered at the station, and they kept coming in steady streams until the station platform was one mass of humanity. ... The crowd pressed on, hands of all sizes and shapes were extended and eagerly clasped by the boys in khaki.



MATHESON, GIFFORD, KITCHIN, HARLIS. When the cheering ceased the procession led by the Orange Band started. Following the band in order were: team conveying the Mayor, Sheriff Call and County Secretary Thomson; teams conveying the members of the Board of Aldermen; team conveying Major Murray and Surgeon Baxter of Chatham who had come to escort Private Munroe home; teams conveying the clergy; men; team conveying the returned soldiers and then the C. M. B. A. band.

South Africa. Rev. Mr. Pickles also made an impressive prayer, after which the doxology was sung by the multitude and played by the bands. ... Private Harris thanked the people for the royal reception he received. They had one in Halifax which was very good. They had one in Newcastle which was very much better.

will eminently fit you for the performance of the duties of life, which in future may devolve upon you. ... (Continued on page five.)

# Robinson's Nominors.

Men who are Supporting the Conservative Candidate in this County.

We, the undersigned electors of the Electoral District of Northumberland, hereby nominate James Robinson of Derby, in the County of Northumberland, New Brunswick, merchant as a candidate at the election now about to be held of a member to represent the said Electoral District in the House of Commons of Canada.

Witness our hands at Newcastle this 23rd day of October, A. D. 1900.

- Allan Ritchie, Newcastle, lumber merchant
- Robert Ritchie, " " "
- W. A. Hickson, " " "
- John O'Brien, Nelson, merchant
- E. Sinclair, Newcastle, lumber merchant
- Jas Brown, " " "
- J. P. Burchill, Nelson, lumber merchant
- John Clark, Newcastle, saddler
- D. Morrison, " " merchant
- E. P. Williston, " " barrister
- John Brander, " " merchant
- George Stables, " " merchant
- J. A. Johnston, Douglassfield, farmer
- R. H. Gremley, Newcastle, liveryman
- A. Lounsbury, " " merchant
- I. O'Donnell, " " shoemaker
- A. O'Donnell, " " shoemaker
- I. W. Kitchen, " " clerk
- G. H. Dalton, " " "
- P. G. Snow, " " clergyman
- T. G. Johnston, " " "
- Hugh J. Morris, " " laborer
- J. W. Cassidy, " " foreman
- Allan Russell, " " merchant
- L. B. McMurdo, " " "
- C. M. Dickson, " " clerk
- Thos. Johnston, Redbank, lumberman
- John Robinson, sr., Newcastle, surveyor
- Jas. Hyland, North Esk, farmer
- Geo. Sheard, " " "
- Joseph Wall, " " "
- Patrick Hogan, " " "
- eter Hogau, " " "
- Jno. S. Mullin, " " "
- Dan Murphy, " " "
- Paul Murphy, " " "
- Dan K. Murphy, " " "
- Jno. McKibbin, " " "
- Michael Hogan, " " blacksmith
- Michael Ryan, " " farmer
- Jas. B. Johnston, " " "
- Richard Murphy, " " "
- Jas. Doonan, " " "
- Jas. Powers, Red Bank, blacksmith
- R. M. Choplin, " " farmer
- Thos. K. ye, " " "
- Jno. Lawlor, " " "
- Robt. Holmes, Lytleleton, " " "
- David Harris, " " "
- Jas. Somers, " " "
- Henry Holmes, " " "
- Wm. Johnston, " " "
- Sandy McKay, " " "
- Dan Mathews, " " "
- G. W. Tozer, " " "
- Jas. Mutch, " " "
- Jno. Mathews, " " "
- Wm. Tozer, " " "
- Ed. Mutch, " " "
- Ed. Tozer, " " "
- Wm. Mullins, " " "
- Ed. Travis, " " "
- Wm. Travis, " " "
- John Rae, Newcastle, blacksmith
- W. A. Dalton, " " laborer
- O. Nicholson, " " accountant
- Richard O'Brien, Derby, contractor
- S. A. Russell, Newcastle, clerk
- Allan Matchett, Redbank, farmer
- John Ferguson, Newcastle, merchant
- H. Williston, " " jeweler
- Thos. Russell, " " merchant
- David Whitney, North Esk, farmer
- James McKendrick, " " farmer
- Wm. E. Fish, Newcastle, surveyor
- J. H. Ingram, " " barber
- Walter Jardine, " " "
- W. H. Belyea, " " accountant
- Wm. McCallam, " " teamster
- J. S. Mailer, " " clerk

- John Parks, South Esk, surveyor
- Thos Power, Derby, lumberman
- Wm. Hare, sr., North Esk, farmer
- Earnest Hare, " " "
- John Cassidy, Newcastle, trader
- F. H. Gough, " " blacksmith
- H. Thompson, Nelson, laborer
- R. Lingley, Newcastle, surveyor
- J. O. Fish, " " trader
- Patrick Connors, " " laborer
- Jas Falconer, " " trader
- L. Doyle, " " lumber merchant
- S. Craig, " " farmer
- W. J. Elliot, " " shoemaker
- Freeman Matheson, " " laborer
- Frank Masson, " " tinsmith
- J. D. Creaghan, " " merchant
- R. N. Wyse, " " "
- Wm. Norman, " " machinist
- Vernon Golightly, " " laborer
- Gavin Copeland, " " engineer
- M. McNeil, " " laborer
- H. Dickson, " " butcher
- H. Norton, " " laborer
- Wm. Jardine, " " laborer
- Thos Sherer, North Esk, farmer
- Wm. F. Copp, Newcastle, painter
- J. B. Robertson, " " engineer
- Wm. Williamson, " " "
- Milton Gremley, " " laborer
- Andw. Williamson, " " engineer
- John Harriman, " " foreman
- Hugh Black, " " laborer
- W. H. Matchett, Red Bank, farmer
- Wm. H. Somers, " " "
- Bert Somers, " " "
- Chas. W. Delano, Newcastle, laborer
- J. H. Ashford, " " "
- J. W. Russell, " " "
- Wm. Hogan, " " "
- Joseph McKnight, " " merchant
- R. L. Maltby, " " trader
- John Kingston, " " farmer
- Henry McKenney, " " laborer
- J. H. Phinney, " " merchant
- Dan'l Hogan, " " farmer
- J. W. Davidson, " " accountant
- John Betts, Derby, fish dealer
- C. E. Fish, Newcastle, quarryman
- A. Stewart, " " hotel man
- John McCoim North Esk fish dealer
- Albert Ashford, Williamstown, farmer
- Geo. S. Stothart, Newcastle, contractor
- Thos. Dunn, " " laborer
- Wm. Stymiest, " " trader
- Jas. Schultz, " " merchant
- Francis Bockler, " " painter
- Andrew Crocker, " " farmer
- Wm. J. Russell, " " "
- John Murphy, " " laborer
- John R. Doran, Nelson, merchant
- Thos. Flett, " " lumber merchant
- E. Hayes, " " "
- Jos. Vye, Derby, farmer
- J. C. Miller, " " manager
- E. McLean, Strathadam, farmer
- Wm. Richards, Boiestown, lumber merchant
- Wm. D. Richards, " " accountant
- Howard Richards, " " "
- H. G. Gunter, " " "
- David Swanson, " " "
- W. H. Irvine M D, " " lumberman
- Jas. S. Fairley, " " "
- Jas. Fairley, " " "
- Wm. A. Brown, " " accountant
- Fred H. Earley, " " farmer
- Robt. McCoy, " " "
- Justus Fairley, " " "
- Wm. McConnell, " " miller
- L. P. Parker, Derby, scaler
- Mich. Vickers, Blackville, farmer
- W. J. McMillan, Boiestown, " " trader
- Fred Duffy, " " "
- Nelson Betts, Doaktown, " " "
- William White, " " "
- M A Kelly, " " merchant
- F D Swim, " " "
- Wm Mitchell, " " farmer
- James W Swim, " " "
- W A Curtis, " " "
- C B Ross, Blackville, " " "
- Chas B Betts, Doaktown, " " "
- C B Ogilvie, " " "
- Edgar Betts, " " "
- Ernest Lyons, " " "
- John Boyce, " " "

- Chas Storie, " " "
- James Gilks, " " "
- Frank Russell, " " "
- Geo A Wathen, " " farmer
- Walter Freeze, " " "
- Geo Edgar, Blissfield, " " "
- David McRony, " " "
- G W Alexander, " " "
- Peter A Lyons, " " "
- Jas Witheral, " " "
- Ronald Hurley, " " "
- Robt B Hurley, " " "
- Thomas A Arbo, Upper Blackville, farmer
- Jas C Weaver, Blissfield, farmer
- Levi Morehouse, " " "
- Stephen Weaver, " " "
- Mathew Bows, " " "
- Thos Cowie, " " "
- Fenton Burgon, Blackville, " " "
- Joseph Dunphy, " " "
- Wm Davidson, " " "
- Wm Russel, Doaktown, " " "
- Geo Donlas, " " "
- Thos Weaver, Blackville, farmer.
- John McConnell, " " "
- Robert Berry, " " "
- Thos O Curtis, " " "
- Peter Coughlan, " " "
- H. A. McDonald, " " "
- Simon McLaggan, " " "
- Alfred Q. Underhill, " " "
- Joseph Arsenau, " " "
- Thos Underhill, " " "
- David G. Scofield, " " "
- Chas McKenzie, " " "
- Percy Lebans, " " "
- Geo A Mountain, " " "
- Arthur Curtis, " " "
- Henry Curtis, " " "
- J L Stewart, Chatham, publisher
- Jas F. Maher, " " merchant
- Wm J Loggie, " " barrister
- G H Hildebrand, " " merchant
- S A Ball, " " "
- H McKendy, " " clerk
- R A Murdoch, " " merchant
- John J Noonan, " " clerk
- F E Neale, " " lumber merchant
- Charles Reinsborrow, Hardwicke, " " "
- Clinton Parker, " " "
- JT Rundle Chatham, accountant
- Wm Johnston, " " hotel keeper
- Thos Flanagan, " " "
- Andrew Morrison, " " surveyor
- James Hickey, " " merchant
- Alex Robinson, " " "
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- Patk Coleman, Chatham, carpenter
- Mich'l Hickey, " " merchant
- A McLennan, " " "
- J Y Mersereau, Chatham, carriage manufacturer
- Fred M Tweedie, " " photographer
- Robert A Loggie, " " clerk
- Chas Robinson, " " "
- Norman S Edgar, " " "
- Robert Flanagan, " " "
- P Coleman in Chatham, Carpenter
- M Hick y, " " merchant
- A. McLennan, " " carriage maker
- J. Y. Mersereau, " " photographer
- R. A. Logie, " " clerk
- Chas. Robinson, " " "
- N. Edgar, " " "
- R. Flanagan, " " merchant
- C. A. C. Bruce, " " supt. M. S. F. Coy.
- D. G. Smith, " " journalist
- W. B. Snowall, " " lumber merchant
- L. J. Tweedie, " " barrister
- Fred Dyke, " " lumber agent
- Jas. Robins, " " machinist
- J. Bassett, " " stevedore
- J. Connell, Bartibogue, farmer
- G. Vaughan, Loggieville, lumber merchant
- Wm. Damery, " " foreman
- G. W. Cartton, " " Clerk
- W. G. Loggie, " " "
- J. McKay, " " "
- W. A. Davidson, " " "
- W. S. Delaney, " " farmer
- Peter Garman, " " laborer
- Joseph Mann, " " carpenter
- Jas. Desmond, " " contractor
- Jas. Fad, Bartibogue, farmer
- Dan Cremmer, " " merchant
- Joseph Martin, Hardwicke, farmer
- Oliver Savoy, " " "
- Wm Savoy, " " "
- Charles Martin, " " "
- Raphel Martin, " " "
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- Frank Tibo, " " "
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- Neal Manuel jr., " " "
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- Duncan McEachern, " " "
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- Thos C Newman, " " farmer
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- P M Henderson, " " surveyor
- G A Bell, " " farmer
- E L Parker, " " "
- Clinton Parker, " " "
- Everett J Parker, " " foreman
- Wm J Parks, " " surveyor
- E Delano, " " farmer
- David Bell, " " "
- Alex Delano, " " "
- Hugh Ferguson, " " "
- Robt Carnahan, " " "
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- C Crocker, " " "
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- Jno Cluston, " " "
- Thos Vye, " " "
- Thos McCafferty, " " laborer.
- Richard Fairman, Newcastle, foundry

**The Canadian Order of Foresters.**  
 This popular fraternal insurance society was organized in November, 1879, and is now 20 years old, and each succeeding year it has been growing stronger numerically and financially. The society has a membership of upwards of 33,000 in the Dominion of Canada, to which its operations are confined. On Nov. 1, 1899, it had \$814,828.08 on hand to pay death claims, which is invested as follows:

Dominion of Canada stock	\$100,000 00
Deposit with Gov. Prov. Quebec	5,000 00
Freehold L. & S. Co., Toronto	30,000 00
Western Can. L. & S. Co., Toronto	30,000 00
Central Can. L. & S. Co., Toronto	30,000 00
Ontario L. & S. Co., London	20,000 00
Hamilton Prov. & L. S., Hamilton	20,000 00
British Mort. & L. Co., Stratford	20,000 00
Royal Loan & S. Co., Brantford	20,000 00
Toronto S. & L. Co., Peterboro	20,000 00
The Atlas L. & S. Co., St. Thomas	20,000 00
Imperial L. & S. Co., Toronto	20,000 00
Landed Banking Co., Hamilton	20,000 00
Union Bank, Souris, Man.	20,000 00
Huron & Erie L. & S. Co., London	10,000 00
Lon. Loan Co. of Canada, London	10,000 00
Quebec Bank, Toronto	10,000 00
Merchants B'k of Halifax, Montr'l	10,000 00
Standard Bank, Brantford	10,000 00
Bank of N.S., Charl'own, P. E. I.	10,000 00
Bank of Hamilton, Morden, Man.	10,000 00
Bank of Hamilton, Manitoba, Man.	10,000 00
Bank of Hamilton, Winkler, Man.	10,000 00
Town of Paris, Debentures	22,125 15
Salisbury School Debentures	9,000 00
Town of Collingwood Debentures	8,281 88
Town of Clinton Debentures	25,000 00
Township of Hullett Debentures	7,469 65
Township of Winchester Debent.	2,642 69
Portage La Prairie School Deb.	8,529 07
Owen Sound Debentures	10,906 99
Strathroy, Debentures	10,101 78
Orrilla Debentures	10,287 18
Seabird Debentures	6,718 75
Listowel Debentures	6,131 71
Ashburnham Debentures	5,039 05
Orrilla Debentures	4,814 83
Ridgetown Debentures	3,812 74
Bank of St. Thomas Debentures	38,616 14
Bank of Winnipeg Debentures	21,925 26
Tilsburg Debentures	9,614 64
Town of Paris Bonds	10,384 84
S. Catharines Debentures	16,347 19
Buckingham Debentures	16,502 50
Chatham Debentures	27,480 25
Renfrew Debentures	20,477 90
Parkhill Debentures	9,231 48
Wingham Debentures	8,910 27
Tara Debentures	8,685 52
Standard B'k, Brantford (cur.ac)	15,581 33
B'k Hamilton, Winnipeg (cur.ac)	5,050 38
Total	\$814,828 08

Since its inception the order has paid to its members and their dependents upwards of two million dollars in insurance and sick and funeral benefits. The society issues policies for \$500, \$1000, \$1500 and \$2000, the latter sum being the limit of any life, and the premiums for the same are only 80 cents to \$1 per month per \$1000, according to the age of the applicant. The death rate in the society was only 4.56 per 1000 of the membership in 1898, and the average death rate since the organization of the society was 4.94.

The Sick and Funeral Benefit Branch, though an optional feature, is very popular among the membership, upwards of 16,000 being enrolled in that department. The benefits are \$3 per week for the first two weeks of illness and \$5 per week for the succeeding ten weeks during any year, besides a funeral benefit of \$30. The fees for same, payable monthly in advance, are from 25 cents to 45 cents, according to the age of the member when joining the branch. During the year 1898 over \$43,000 were paid out in sick and funeral benefits, and \$143,000 in insurance.

There are now about 700 subordinate branches, or courts as they are called, throughout Canada, and the order is now well established in all the provinces and territories of the Dominion.

All physically and morally qualified males, between the ages of 18 and 45 years of age, who are not debared on account of their occupation, are accepted for membership.

For further particulars enquire of any of the officers or members of the order or address

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**An Open Letter from a prominent Clergyman**  
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 DEAR SIRS,—Please pardon my answering yours of weeks ago. I have no hesitation in recommending your Invigorating Syrup, which I tried several remedies, each of which gave me no relief. I was advised by your Invigorating Syrup, which I did, and have felt grateful ever since the one who gave me such good advice. The very first dose helped me, and the half of the first bottle was used, and I was completely cured. I have since been troubled with the disease since. I have taken occasion to recommend your medicine publicly upon several occasions, and heartily do so now. You are at liberty to use this in any way you please.  
 Yours truly,  
 (Rev. F. M. Young)  
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 Just arrived, Fresh Timofey Clover and all kinds of field and garden seeds.  
**Bargains.**  
 3 Cans Corn for 25 cents.  
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6 30 "	5 10 "	5 30 "

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**ALL FREIGHTS MUST BE PREPAID.**  
**J. ARCH'D HAYLAND,**  
 Manager.  
 Chatham, N. B., Oct. 15th, 1900. Telephone 49

**ESTATE NOTICE.**  
 All persons having just claims against the estate of the Late E. Leo Steet, late of the Town of Newcastle, in the County of Northumberland, Druggist, deceased, are hereby notified to file the same, duly attested, with us within three months from this date; and all persons indebted to the said estate are required to make immediate payment to us.  
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SHEEP EAT MUCH.

STUDIES IN FEEDING FROM THE STANDPOINT OF NUTRITION AND WOOL.

Sheep are naturally heavy feeders and a healthy animal will consume more feed than the hundred pounds of live weight than steers, if both are fed to their full capacity, but at the same time the sheep will gain far more in weight in a given time. A sheep that will eat 40 to 50 per cent more feed than a steer will gain from 50 to 75 per cent more in weight, says E. P. Smith in The American Cultivator. Consequently we do not begrudge the sheep their good appetites and their remarkable capacity for storing away food. Indeed, at this ratio we would be willing for the sheep to increase its appetite if the gain was proportionately increased. There is no animal on the farm that shows the results of poor or slack feeding more than the sheep. You will notice it both in the fleece and in the conformation of the body. The loss is thus twofold. The fleece becomes poorer in quality and less in quantity, and the body of the animal becomes thin and lank. The actual thinness of a sheep sometimes is not very noticeable until sheared, because of the heavy layers of wool that seem to bulge out on the sides. The condition of the animal can be determined, however, if the hand is run over the sides, flanks and back. Sheep have to hustle more or less to summer and fall pastures, and it is a good thing that they do. Sheep that have everything their own way are much like chickens that are never exercised. They become weak, lazy and fat but not altogether healthy. A little exposure might cause their death. We do not want sheep on the farm that cannot hustle a little and hunt out food when the food on the farm is overabundant. Nevertheless, we cannot afford to supply of feed run too low in summer or winter. It is slack management that fails to provide management for every season of the year, and a farmer has been forced to sell many of his sheep in the fall and winter simply because he has not sufficient food to winter or them. Food is scarce and high priced, and sheep are low, it is a heavy loss to winter the sheep or to sell for a nominal sum. There is no good reason why a man should find himself in such a quandary. It takes but little calculation to figure out how much food is required for a given number of sheep for a winter. Sometimes the mistake of trying to carry a heavier load than the conditions justify that before one realizes it there is enough for half the flock. It is enough for the sheep now and raise the price of feed and stored for use than to let the stocks go to disposing that later you may be thereby run the risk of falling short for the number that rise so easily and satisfactorily along.

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BISMARCK OF JAPAN.

MARQUIS ITO, HEAD OF THE NEW MINISTRY, IS POPULAR.

The Mikado's New Premier Has the Common People With Him—The Part He Has Taken in the Rehabilitation and Advancement of His Native Country—A Progressive.

Marquis Ito, head of the new Ministry of Japan, is a soldier of exceptional courage and resourcefulness and a statesman of the first class. He has been styled the "Bismarck of Japan," and the title is very apt. Count Hirobumi Ito represents the progressive element of Japan. He has traveled all over the world, studying constitutions and parliaments, and incidentally picking up what he could regarding the arts of successful warfare.

The extreme significance of his appointment to the head of affairs at this critical stage in China becomes more apparent when it is understood that he is an implacable foe of Russia and bitterly opposed to any acquisition of territory by the Czar.

Marquis Ito came prominently to the front during the Sino-Japanese war. He was the chief admiral of the Japanese navy and fought the memorable battle of September 7, 1894, defeating the entire Chinese fleet of 12 vessels and saving his own boats, with one exception, from injury.

After the war was over he was chosen to make terms with Li Hung Chang, admittedly the most adroit statesman of the orient. It was at this stage of the war that Russia began to interfere and rob Japan of the fruits of her victory. Ito had not forgotten the part Russia took at that time, and this thought will likely be foremost in his attitude in China. Foreigners generally who have met him have confidence in his ability to cope with the present situation.



MARQUIS HIROBUMI ITO.

From his youth Ito has had the reputation of being clever and bright.

After Gen. T. Saigo disappeared from the arena of politics at the close of the rebellion of 1877, and after the sudden death of Okubo in the following year, Count Ito and other younger men came to the front. Ito's most important work before this was the building of the first railroad in Japan, in 1874, when he was under secretary of the department of public works.

In 1881 an imperial edict promised the people a constitution and a representative system of government, to be inaugurated in 1890. Thereupon Count Ito's entire energy was devoted to preparing the constitution and the laws accessory to it. The committee which worked under his direction labored ten years, and at last the constitution, concise and admirable in many respects and much praised by western political thinkers, was promulgated amid national rejoicing.

Prior to this, in 1886, the government was reorganized to prepare itself for the coming change, and Count Ito became the premier, assisted by Count Inouye, who occupied the portfolio of foreign affairs. This cabinet did not succeed in its efforts to execute the treaty revision which had already proved to be the stumbling block to preceding ministries.

A few years following there were several cabinet changes, caused principally by collisions with the lower house of the Diet. Then Counts Ito and Inouye came back again to power in 1892.

This cabinet, with Count Ito as its premier, and Count Inouye as his chief lieutenant, precipitated Japan into the war with China and they came out of that struggle with many additional laurels.

The relations of Marquis Ito with his Emperor are of the very closest. Ito and his followers, representing the young and progressive element of Japan, overthrew the shogun, dragged the Emperor out of his puppet-like existence in the palace of Kyoto and made him the real ruler of the country. The Japanese people have the utmost confidence in Ito and will accord any course he may elect to pursue the most hearty support.

It is somewhat reassuring, after the oft-repeated asseveration of the family physician, that women are altogether too prone to rush in with their advice and remedies where the skillful practitioner almost fears to tread, to be told that after all "women are born sanitarians." This from no less a source than a prominent member of the Pennsylvania board of health. This tribute is still further enhanced by the statement that whereas women are born sanitarians, men must be taught. "This fact," the speaker declares, "is based upon the evolution of the race, as the role that cleanliness plays in civilization is undoubtedly due to women. Advantage of this gift should be taken in our national housekeeping. Women by their own evolution are the housekeepers and health officers of the family. Let them become publicly and officially our health officers and sanitary managers. The marvelous ability and success already shown by them in this field warrant every confidence. There are millions of unoccupied women who can thus find a work that will bring gladness to giver and receiver and that will fit as a long way in the progress of civilization.—Washington Star.

A Strange Case.

EYE TROUBLE WHICH DEVELOPED INTO RUNNING SORES.

Doctors said it was Consumption of the Blood, and Recovery was Looked upon as Almost Hopeless—Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Wrought a Cure.

From the Herald, Georgetown, Ont.

Our reporter recently had the pleasure of recalling on Mr. Wm. Thompson, papermaker, at Wm. Barber & Bros. mills, a well known and respected citizen of our town, for the purpose of acquiring the details of his son's long illness and his remarkable recovery through the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Mr. Thompson kindly gave us the following information which will speak for itself: "About two and a half years ago my eldest son, Garnet, who is fifteen years old, took what I supposed to be inflammation in his left eye. He was taken to a physician, who advised me to take him to an eye specialist which I did. I only to find out that he had lost the sight of the eye completely. The disease spread from his eye to his wrist, when he became greatly swollen, and was lanced no less than eleven times. His whole arm was completely useless, although he was not suffering any pain. From his wrist it went to his foot which was also lanced a couple of times but without bringing relief. The next move of the trouble was to the upper part of his leg where it broke out, large quantities of matter running from the sore. All this time my boy was under the best treatment I could procure but with little or no effect. The trouble was pronounced consumption of the blood and I was told by the doctors that you would not come across a case like it in five hundred. When almost discouraged and not knowing what to do for the best, a friend of mine urged me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills saying that he had a son who was afflicted with a somewhat similar disease and had been cured by the pills. I decided to give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a trial and secured some of them at the drug store, and after my boy had taken two boxes I could see the color coming back to his sallow complexion and noted a decided change for the better. He went on taking them and in a few months from when he started to use them I considered him perfectly cured and not a trace of the disease left, except his blind eye, the sight of which he had lost before he started to use the pills. He has now become quite fleshy and I consider him one of the healthiest boys in the community. If any person is desirous of knowing the merits of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills you may direct them to me, as I can highly recommend them to any person afflicted as my boy was."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cure by going to the root of the disease. They renew and build up the blood, and strengthen the nerves, thus driving disease from the system. Avoid imitations by insisting that every box you purchase is enclosed in a wrapper bearing the full trade mark, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. If your dealer does not keep them they will be sent postpaid at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50, by addressing the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

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A man working a 14-inch radius crank, eight hours a day, whose wage is 70 cents per day, can produce a horse-power hour at a cost of 85 cents.

A horse weighing half a ton, working on a capstan and costing 30 cents a day for his keep, can produce a horse-power hour at a cost of 19 cents.

A bullock under the same conditions, costing 70 cents a day for keep, produces a horse-power hour at a cost of 21 cents.

A small portable steam boiler, burning coal, produces a horse-power hour at a cost of 5 cents.

A petroleum motor costs about 7 cents per horse power hour.

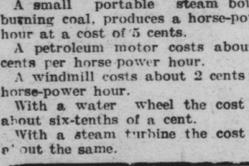
A windmill costs about 2 cents per horse-power hour.

With a water wheel the cost is about six-tenths of a cent.

With a steam turbine the cost is about the same.

PEOPLE RECOVERING

From Pneumonia, Typhoid or Scarlet Fever, Diphtheria, La Grippe or any Serious Sickness



Require the Nerve Toning, Blood Enriching, Heart Sustaining Action of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills.

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WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 1900

**A FORECAST.**

We have devoted considerable time of late to a study of the political situation in New Brunswick and as a result we admit without hesitation that the liberals will manage by hook or crook and perhaps by both together to come out ahead. The counties where Mr. Blair's schemes have worked to advantage will all probably go liberal. These counties are Kings, St. John, Queens, York, Westmorland and Kent. It is generally admitted Kings will go liberal. Col. Domville's chances are probably better today than they were four years ago. St. John promises to produce a close contest—but Mr. Blair and his colleague Col. Tucker, will, we believe, be elected. The recent local election in Queens showed which way that county will go in the Dominion elections, while York will no doubt return Mr. Gibson. Westmorland and Kent also promise close contests. If Emmerson manages to get the railway vote he will be elected. In our estimation Westmorland is doubtful. Kent will probably elect LeBlanc by a very narrow margin. We believe Mr. Robinson will be elected in Northumberland and the same may be said of Ganong of Charlotte and Hale of Carleton. Mr. McAlister will probably come out victorious in Restigouche, but his majority will be very small. A close contest is promised in Gloucester with chances slightly in favor of Mr. Blanchard the conservative candidate. Albert will probably return Dr. Lewis the present member, and Costigan goes in by acclamation in Victoria and Madawaska. Then according to our forecast the liberals will secure eight seats and the conservatives five and Westmorland is left doubtful.

**POLITICAL PECULIARITIES.**

The most surprising thing about the political situation in Canada today is the number of liberals and of conservatives who have crossed over to join with former foes, and the many intelligent men who decline to say where they stand or flatly declare that they won't vote at all. It reflects the fact that a very considerable proportion of Canadian people is dissatisfied with both parties, as they are constituted today. The liberal party at the present time is not the party of MacKenzie and Blake. The Conservative party is not wholly the party of MacDonald and Tilley. There are many idiosyncrasies in both parties and they afford material for considerable abusive language. But as the New York Herald remarks contests between parties today are after all very much like disputes between man and wife. Many of the sharp personalities that are uttered are not really meant, and after the atmosphere has cleared up both parties are anxious to promote the interests of the common household and are a unit when threatened with any attack from without.

In his nomination speech, Mr. Robinson said that he would always take a great interest in the fisheries. When any difficulty arose relating to regulations, he would advocate that a commission be appointed from prominent fishermen to inquire into the obnoxious regulation. Their recommendation would be brought before the government and he would urge its acceptance and the abolition of the obnoxious regulation.

Mr. Robinson disclaims being a public speaker. But his speech on Nomination day was just what the audience around the band stand wanted to hear. It was full of facts and rendered in a manner that would do credit to an old time spell binder. Northumberland County people who favor the taking over of the Canada Eastern Railway by the government will vote for James Robinson.

The Hamilton Herald asks: Why is a geological museum required at Ottawa? If a collection of fossils is desired, what is the matter with the Senate?

The celebration in honor of our returned soldiers was one of the best managed and most satisfactory public functions ever witnessed in Newcastle.

"The Independence of Canada" is the platform upon which Alex. LaForge has been nominated at Windsor for North Essex.

There are 76,196,220 persons in the United States according to the census taken in June and announced last week.

"No men Wanted," is the sign displayed on the G. T. R. office at Toronto Junction. Yes, these are growing times.

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**Small Talk BY Big Editors.**

**THE CANTEEN.**  
(Syracuse Post Standard.)  
The President's position of tolerance as toward the "army canteen" is impregnable.

**NEGRO LOYALTY.**  
(Dallas Texas Express.)  
The loyalty of the Negro to the republican party is something wonderful, when one stops to consider the wavering tendencies of all other elements of our population.

**THE RETURNED SOLDIERS.**  
The St. John Globe has this to say about the returned Soldiers:—No public demonstration can fully express the affectionate regard which is felt for them nor adequately interpret the appreciation of the people of their services for Queen and Empire.

**TOUGH ON STOCKTON.**  
(Fredericton Herald.)  
At the St. John nomination Wednesday Dr. Stockton was proceeding to sneer at Col. Tucker, when he was interrupted with the very appropriate suggestion that "Tucker was no turncoat anyway." That was tough on the Dr.

**THE KIND OF CAMPAIGN.**  
(Cincinnati Enquirer.)  
This is a thinking campaign. Processions and fireworks, and flags and brass bands are well enough in their way, as a rule but they will not count for much in 1900. They are entertainment for the people, though.

**WORKING FOR THE FEW.**  
(Philadelphia Record.)  
"The last week of a singular uneventful political canvas finds the campaign managers on both sides working like beavers to influence that comparatively small number of persons in the voting population who are open to last card arguments and desirous of standing with the winning party."

**POLITICAL PROPHETS.**  
(Victoria B. C. Colonist)  
The political prophets are getting in their work. What use is there in it? A man may think that his party will carry the country, but what is the use in saying that he knows it? Never mind what the prophets say. Vote according to your convictions. The Times last night had it figured out that the government will have a comfortable majority. But neither the Times nor any one else knows anything about it.

**TEACHERS AND POLITICS.**  
(Victoria Colonist.)  
The teachers of Vancouver do not like an order made by the school board that they are not to take part in politics. We are inclined to sympathize with the teachers and very greatly doubt the right of the school board to make any such order. Once we admit that a teacher is entitled to vote, he has the logical right to endeavour to convince others how they should vote. The reason given that politics will interfere with the discharge of their duties, seems very far-fetched.

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# A Goddess of Africa

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BY ST. GEORGE RATHBORNE

Author of "MISS CAPRICE," "DR. JACK'S WIFE," "DR. JACK," ETC., ETC.

When all had gathered in a great semi-circle, with the fire in the midst, still keeping up a monotonous chant that would ring forever and a day in the ears of those who eagerly looked on, a tall buck suddenly sprang into the open where all eyes could behold his sinuous twists and curves, and began a pantomime to illustrate what a terror to the foe he would be in the day of battle.

He leaped high into the air with a venomous thrust of his assegai that would have driven the terrible weapons through an ox. Next he would crouch as though creeping upon an enemy, to suddenly bound erect, strike with his weapon, and finish with a whirl that would have done credit to a dervish.

A second joined him in the ring, to be followed by a third, and presently there were a dozen leaping and jabbering and spitting imaginary foes upon their keen-pointed assegais.

Those who observed this remarkable scene could not withdraw their eyes, such was the horrible fascination that appeared to chain them. Gradually the ring cleared, as the eccentric dancers ceased their fantastic quick step movement.

But the end was not yet. A single figure advanced with the oddest side leaps or springs imaginable. Bludsoe whispered in Lord Bruno's ears that this was the witch-doctor or high priest, a crafty schemer whose power over the people was even greater than that exercised by the war chiefs themselves. By means of these eccentric bounds this high priest, black and horrid, made the sound of the fire, singing the most terrifying chant that ever racked mortal ears.

He was partially covered with green-groes, or charms, consisting of human bones, small gourds containing pebbles of gold, and balls of human hair and bird feathers. Taken in all he looked like a worthy satellite of the Old Nick, running loose on earth in a search for souls, and this was doubtless the very idea he meant to convey, since his prime object in life was to terrify those who believed him as league with the great god M'limo. In his bony hand this demon-like figure held a small wooden idol which he waves in the air from time to time as though invoking the good will of the oracle.

Hastings could not tear his eyes away from this grisly figure, which seemed an epitome of all that was horrible in the land of the fetish worshippers. Every deed of blood that marked the dark pages in the history of South African colonization may be laid at the door of these wizard priests whose sole business it is to incite by every devilish means in their power, the evil passions of the simple, and send them forth burning with the desire to do murder, to burn and destroy, so that the whites may be utterly wiped from the face of the earth.

Long the war council kept up, until the dancers were exhausted, and the orators barked with wild haranguing. Then the great fire was allowed to burn down, after the high priest had cast some witch powder into the flames that turned everything green and ghoulish, and had a gruesome effect upon the superstitious blacks, though simple enough to those who watched from above. Gradually the assemblage dispersed. Hastings had many times looked eagerly in the direction of the ledge where on his previous visit the fair goddess had appeared to ravish his senses, but alas, she came not.

As the fierce warriors trooped back through the wooden gates of the kraal, the hand of his hearty English friend fell on his shoulder. "Come," said Lord Bruno, "now to the great work we have cut out for ourselves."

## CHAPTER IX.

HOW THEY WENT DOWN INTO KROKATO.

Indeed, the task which these bold argonauts of the South African wilderness had set for themselves, was a stupendous achievement, that might well stagger the most adventurous of men, and none but those of Anglo-Saxon blood would have dared undertake it.

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To venture into the enemy's country where the foot of a white man had seldom if ever pressed, and invade the sacred crater of old Krokato in search of a treasure that had lain there for ages—one would be apt to believe this a dream conjured up in the mind of a madman; and yet here was a little company of free lances pledged to carry the wonderful scheme to a successful termination or leave their bones among the kopjes.

Then there was the mission of Lord Bruno, with regard to the mysterious white god whom the impis worshipped—he was grimly determined to have an interview with her ere quitting the enchanted realm, and it could be readily understood that such a project must bring them face to face with new and startling perils.

Having seen the last of the weird dance of the black braves, and been duly impressed by the grotesque appearance of the medicine man, they proceeded to leave the shelf in the same manner they had reached it.

The council fire was burning low, and the monotonous ton-ton of the war drum had finally ceased, for which they were sincerely thankful, as it had tortured their ears while in blast.

Again they crept along that narrow ledge and lost sight of the kraal with its hundreds of pointed lodges, teeming with black life.

The soul of the artist had been deeply stirred by the picture upon which his eyes had just rested. It appealed to his nature, and had been so impressed upon his mind that he would be able to reproduce it at any moment, with all its hideous accompaniments.

The Englishman had looked upon many remarkable things in his day, for he had spent years in restless wandering in strange lands where scenes bordering on the fantastic and the bizarre could be found, to illustrate the pages of his magazine and interest an eager public; but he stood ready to confess that he had never run across a more fascinating theme for brush and pencil than the gathering of the black clans around the witch-doctor's green council fire, together with their fetish dance.

Fortune came near playing them a sorry trick on the way, and it was Red Eric who had the harrowing experience.

Perhaps a stone rolled under him or his hand slipped just when it should have been steadiest. At any rate, while upon the narrowest part of the ledge he was heard to scramble, and Hastings, who was just ahead, upon twisting his head to discover what had gone amiss, was just in time to see the cowboy slip over the edge. The sight gave him a severe shock, and he strained his ears in the endeavor to hear when the poor devil struck far below, little doubting but that he would have his brains dashed out by the fall.

No such sound reached him, and filled with a curiosity he could not explain, Hastings, having communicated the disintelligence to the man ahead, craned his neck to look over the ledge.

The moon still remained hidden by that dense veil of clouds that had drifted up from the north, but it was far from dark. Even the lodges in the kraal could have been seen by careful scrutiny.

Thus Hastings was quick to discover an object that dangled some seven feet or more down the face of the cliff and which upon closer scrutiny he was constrained to believe must be the body of a desperate man. Red Eric had clutched some projecting root or rock, to which he was clinging with a grip like that of death.

To climb the face of that blank wall was an utter impossibility, while if he released his hold, the only result must be a mangled mass of humanity on the rocks below.

Rex felt powerless to lend assistance to the imperiled cowboy, ready though he was to tax his strength or his agility in any effort that might suggest itself.

But there were others. Jim Bludsoe chanced to be the man ahead of Rex, and he understood the situation instantly. When he had hustled his way back to a point that was just above his comrade, he took a hitch over a spur of rock with his lariat, and dropped the loop with unerring precision upon the man who hung suspended below.

How Red Eric ever got it under his arms was a puzzle, but he managed it, and while the others hid hold to steady the rope, the reckless fellow came up hand over hand after the manner of a Jack Tar.

Though panting heavily from his exertions he seemed to be father-tickled over his narrow "squeak," as he termed it, than anything else. It too a considerable to alarm this dare-devil who yearned for adventure with all the eagerness shown by a Don Quixote.

When the hedge was left behind Hastings drew a breath of relief, for there had always been a chance that any of them might take a fancy to plunge, and he hardly dared hope that in case it fell to him to lose his footing he would be quite as fortunate as Eric.

Still higher they mounted, climbing over the rough elevations and pushing them. Hastings kept his wits wide-awake, for he was entrusted with the task of serving as guide to the expedition, and the success or failure attending their movements would de-

pend a great deal on how well he remembered his bearings.

Considering the fact that he had only been in this vicinity once before, and then while the night held sway, he was really doing remarkably well. So they scrambled and worked their way up, until the edge of the crater had been gained. Once upon a time, ages ago, a magnificent cone must have towered above this vast cavity, which had been gradually undermined by the fierce fires below, and finally, during some ancient eruption more violent than its predecessors, this crown had been blown off, leaving the awful gulf of boiling lava, which as centuries rolled on, cooled, became covered with soil, and finally possessed a growth of rank vegetation.

The crater was now a valley, surrounded on all sides by walls of dark stone—a valley where in years long, long ago, some people who inhabited the land had built a temple, which in turn mouldered in the grasp of ruin, almost hidden from view by bushes and vines.

To descend into this dark abyss was a difficult task, and one that might have brought the cowboys' lassos into play, only that Hastings' memory failed him not, and he took them unerringly to the path which ran along the face of the rocky wall.

Lord Bruno noted with considerable curiosity that this trail had been cut out from the solid rock, and by mortal hands, but in ages long since past. Thousands of feet had swept up and down this path. What a strange and interesting story it could tell if gifted with the power of speech.

They moved down into what seemed the bowels of the earth—silent as spectres, each man keenly on the alert for danger, and making both hands and feet do service in guarding against such a mishap as fell to Red Eric's share.

All seemed peaceful about them—from the crater came only the sound of some night bird's song, and the whirr of wings close to their ears was occasioned by the flitting of some bat, disturbed in his crevice by their passing.

Once Lord Bruno knew that his leader had passed, but what the cause of it might be Jim Bludsoe said not.

Hastings too had caught what seemed to be a single flash of light in the valley, and was mystified to guess its meaning. Could it be possible some vagrant flame from the fires far below had found an outlet—such a thing was really beyond the bounds of reason. He was more inclined to lay it to human agency than to believe it a will-o'-the-wisp haunting the ruined temple which perhaps also served as a sepulchre in ages ago.

At any rate, remembering his own experience with the guards who watched the remains of the temple, he was a little worried by the flashing of that light, fearing that it might prove to be a signal which would bring crawling upon them with the same eagerness that wolves and hyenas display when running their quarry to earth.

All drew a breath of relief when finally they ceased to longer descend. A stream gurgled at their feet, and several stooped to drink. Hastings looked keenly around in order to get his bearings, while Lord Bruno and the cowboy chief kept very close in order that if necessary they might confer.

There seemed to be something uncanny in the singular condition of the valley—one was bound to be impressed with its remarkable history of the past, and in fancy might expect the spirit of those who had worshipped at this shrine centuries ago to marshal themselves in serried ranks when the desecration of their heathen temple by goddess hands was threatened.

Truth to tell, however, these very practical invaders who had come in search of the Golden Fleece, were more worried about the resistance they might meet with from the human sources than that proceeding from spirits of the departed.

Hastings had figured upon the matter since his last visit to this mysterious region, and was firmly convinced that there must be some connecting link between the wizard valley of the temple and that ledge where the white god had shown herself—some passage underground, constructed by artful priests for a purpose of their own, and utilized under the present regime.

As they once more set themselves in motion, every one of the little company felt his nerves tingling with intense eagerness. The spirit of adventure was upon them, and those advocates who worship at this shrine, the presence of a carnival of war horses discovers the odor of burnt powder drifting from the battlefield.

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It spurred them on as with a goad. They yearned for excitement, and had come a long distance to find it. No danger then, of any weakening among these hardy fellows should the worst happen. Secretly, perhaps, they were in great hopes of a battle with the black hosts before quitting the neighborhood. If this were so, the most zealous among them could find no occasion to complain in the treatment accorded by a benign fortune, for they were certainly destined to see much of action ere old Phoebus again gilded the tips of the cliffs that guarded the crater.

In and out, under the matted foliage, and between black rocks that remained to tell of the infernal fires that had once tossed their red arms above this mouth of Hades, they moved, in a sinuous array, now starting a bird from its roost, and anon hearing the hissing of a serpent as it glided away from their line of march, until at length Hastings slackened his pace and finally came to a halt.

Then they knew they were close to the secret entrance of the crater temple.

## CHAPTER X.

### THE GUARDIAN DIETIES OF THE TEMPLE.

Rex had not forgotten. He had taken his bearings as well as the circumstances permitted, for the tops of the cliffs being outlined against the heavens, certain trees were marked in silhouette which on the occasion of his former visit he had especially noted.

Here he had throttled a fierce black who had hurled himself upon the intruder with a recklessness that could only spring from the abandon of a fanatic, set to guard a sacred shrine.

Having made sure of his position, Rex suddenly dropped on hands and knees and began crawling along the ground. The others, realizing that this was a genuine game of "follow my leader" did not hesitate an instant about doing the same, and considerable dexterity was shown in the endeavor to accomplish the task.

As yet, there had been no signs of the guards whom Rex had found in the valley, mutes selected for this especial purpose by the great medicine-man whose word was law throughout the land of the Zambodi. Nevertheless, it would not do to grow careless. Perhaps the former invasion of the whites had aroused the guardians of the treasure, and they had set a trap so arranged that it would insure the capture or destruction of these daring adventurers, latent upon robbing the temple.

As he thus whispered Rex set to work, and raising one of the pieces of rock carried it away as silently as he could. The others waited for no other invitation, but started in at once, working like beavers to accomplish their task. To have dropped upon them without warning must have given one the impression that the gnomes or Brownies were at work, for not a word was spoken, though the pile of rocks diminished in size with incredible rapidity.

Nor was Hastings' prediction at all wrong, as they discovered when the last of the stones had been removed, for there was revealed a cavity that yawned before them, above which the builders had raised the cairn after the fashion of an arch.

The entrance to the ruins was displayed. Bludsoe whispered a caution. He was in the humor to believe these black idol worshippers would be equal to any deviltry in order to trap them.

Rex, however, was filled with eagerness to advance, remembering how near he had been to this rich haul on the former occasion.

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In the Matter of the Estate of JAMES M. CASSADY. Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of James M. Cassidy of the town of Chatham, in the County of Northumberland, merchant, who on the 8th day of October instant, made an assignment to the undersigned for the general benefit of his creditors under the provisions of 58th Victoria chapter 6 and amending acts of the province of New Brunswick, will be held at my office in the town of Newcastle on Tuesday the 23rd day of Oct. A. D. 1900 at 10 o'clock a. m. for the appointment of inspectors and giving directions with reference to the disposal of the said estate. All creditors are required to file their claims duly proven, with the assignee within three months from the date of this notice unless further time be allowed by a Judge of the Supreme or County Court and that all claims not filed within the time limited, or such further time, if any, as may be allowed by any such Judge, shall be wholly barred of any right to share in the proceeds of the estate, and the assignee shall be at liberty to distribute the proceeds of the estate as if no such claims existed, but without prejudice to the liability of the debtor therefor. Dated at Newcastle in the County of Northumberland this eleventh day of October A. D. 1900. R. R. CALL, Sheriff of the County of Northumberland, Assignee.

MIXARD'S LINIMENT cures diphtheria. Stop that cough by taking Williamson's Cough Mixture. LOST. Between Whiteville and Caelsford on Wednesday the 31st. one sack containing five blankets and one spread, the finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving same at my place or sending me word where to get them. Peter A. Forsyth, Whitney's Office, N. B.

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Wheat and Buckwheat

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The Roller Mill

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A HOUSE on Pleasant Street. It contains 9 rooms and a kitchen, is heated by hot air. There are good stabling privileges in connection with the premises. Is suitable for a private residence or a hotel. For particulars apply to JOHN NIVEN, Newcastle, Oct. 9th, 1900.

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The County. An Epitome of Events Gathered by ADVOCATE REPORTERS.

MILLERTON.

Given in the Methodist Church Thursday night under the auspices of the Maple Leaf Mission Band and much credit is due to those who took part in it and also to the organizers. Parker who for some time past has been ill is now recovering and is able to be with us again. A musical concert which will be given at the Temperance Hall Wednesday evening promises to be a great success. It will be given at the Nelson Division and W. A. H. Hall.

It seems to be the order of the day in this locality. You see canoes pass one another and neither is friendly greeting for the other. Hunters are plentiful but are not successful. One young hunter from an afternoon shooting not only with at least six partridge. A musical concert which was held at the Temperance Hall last Wednesday was a decided success. Chorus were led by some of our leading singers. Miss Nicholson was given a most charming manner. Notwithstanding the absence of some of our members being absent from attending Nomination etc. a large number was in attendance.

DOUGLASTOWN.

Mr. Hatchison's and Mr. Doyle's mills were closed down for the season. Mr. Peter Peck left for his home in Chatham Monday. Mr. Andrew Burr of Chatham was in town Sunday. The Misses Cunningham left for Boston Monday. Miss B. Coughlan of Chatham spent the week with Miss Connolly. The Bean Supper and Fancy Sale held Monday evening was a decided success. \$35 was realized. Miss M. Lawlor of Newcastle is spending a few days with Mrs. T. Hayden. The Band went to Newcastle Saturday night to meet Albert McCallum one of the soldiers from South Africa, but were disappointed as he remained in Halifax for a few days. Mrs. McKeiv is putting some repairs on her house. Election is all the talk down here now, and it is hard to say who will lead here.

BLISSFIELD.

Frank Bartlett and Peter Lyons shot a fine moose a few days ago. The spread of the antlers was fifty inches. The moose when dressed, weighed about 900 pounds. Mr. Thomas Morehouse, while working in the woods, was struck by a falling tree. His face was badly cut and he suffered much from loss of blood. Mr. McLean of Chatham, spent a few days in this place, visiting his sister last week. Rev. Mr. Robb held service in New Salem Hall last Sunday. As there is no snow, and the weather is getting cold it is uncertain whether the services will be continued later this fall unless a stove can be procured. Mr. E. Morehouse went to Blackville a few days ago with a load of apples for Mr. A. Fowler. Mr. Fowler's orchard yielded about sixty barrels of apples this season. A Halloween party was held in New Salem Hall. Quite a number from Blackville were present and the Hall was filled with young folks. Games were played and

"I remained in Ottawa during the last session continuously until April 5th--when I came home for a short time and afterwards went back"--Mr. James Robinson

dancing was indulged in by the lovers of the "light fantastic" The candy provided was excellent and the music grand.

Mr. Z. Gilks has been making repairs on the school house in District No. 24. The work has been much needed and has given satisfaction.

Miss Maud Fowler, Miss L. McLean, Mr. McLean, were the guests of Miss May Frieze of Doaktown, on Sunday last.

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Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. Signature is on each box.

CHEER UPON CHEER.

humanity and equality. He then spoke of those who had not returned and would never return, and felt that we should weep with those who weep as well as rejoice with those who rejoice. He believed this was a proud day for Newcastle, a proud day for the Dominion of Canada. Our soldiers had elevated the British empire and wielded it together, and if another call was made they would be willing to go forth again.



J. M. AITKEN.

The speaker felt that the boys had received a royal reception in the true sense of the word. He told of witnessing similar functions in London, but he felt that Newcastle had tipped the scales. We had gone beyond our mark. It was a red letter day for the town. He believed that our Canadian soldiers had done more to unite the British empire than anything yet produced. The colonies had been connected with the mother country by the life's blood of the Canadians. He felt that our boys had electrified the world. England never knew the power of Canada before. Our soldiers had done more than any man who had fallen deserved the Victoria Cross. They had not received that cross, but they had received another crown, and the command of the Great Commander in Chief. Continuing the speaker thanked the soldiers present for what they had done for the British nation. He thought the war in South Africa was one of the grandest ever fought. No nation but Great Britain and her colonies could have fought those Boers successfully. In conclusion he thanked the audience for their attention and hoped the blessing of God would rest on the returned soldiers. Cheers were then given for the speaker.

Mr. Brown's address was a masterly oration and held the audience spell bound throughout. We regret not having space to give both his and Mr. Aitken's addresses in full.

Mayor Morrison thanked the citizens for their kindness and also the speakers, after which he was accorded three lusty cheers. Three cheers were then given for the soldiers, after which the crowd dispersed.

The soldiers were carried through the streets on the shoulders of several stalwarts and it was sometime before the people would allow them to return to their homes. In the evening residences and stores were illuminated, the bands played patriotic airs and rockets were set off. It was a gala day in the history of Newcastle and one that will never be effaced from the memories of its citizens.

In the spacious Town Hall, the Mayor and members of the Board of Aldermen gave the Khaki lads a dinner, Saturday night. About fifty were present. Mayor Morrison sat at one end of the table and on his right and left were the guests of honor. Ald. Hennessy occupied the seat at the other end and on his right and left were the members of the council, officials, dignitaries, etc. Mayor Morrison was toast master. The following was the toast list: "The Queen," responded to by all singing the "National Anthem"; "The Army and Navy," responded to by Major Malby and Captain Sargeant; "The Canadian Contingent," responded to by Rev. Mr. Brown; "Our Guests," responded to by Sgt. Anslow, and Privates Aitken, Munroe and Harris; "Municipality of Northumberland," responded to by Councilor Campbell; "The Town of Newcastle," responded to by Ald. Hennessy, Hixson and Williston; "The Bench and the Bar," responded to by Judge Wilkinson and Sammel Thomson; "The Clergy," responded to by Rev. Messrs. Snow and Pickles; "The Ladies," responded to by Rev. Mr. Aitken and W. A. Park; "The Press," responded to by H. B. Anslow. Ald. Hennessy proposed the toast of Mayor Morrison. The Mayor replied Judge Wilkinson proposed the orchestra. Mr. T. M. Stewart responded.

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IN THE New Century no one will walk all will have wheels.

A YOUNG lady(?) was heard to remark up at the depot Friday morning that it was the first time she had ever been squeezed.

MEDITATION OF A BACHELOR MAID

A woman never really gets interested in a man until he pays some attention to her--dearest friend.

HAS A CHANCE?

The man whose life hangs on a thread, perhaps beyond all hope, is better off by far than he whose life hangs by a rope.

WHAT IS BABY ANYWAY?

A thing we are expected to kiss and look at as if we enjoyed it.

A crying evil you only aggravate by putting down.

A necessity in order to keep up the Advocate readers of the future.

The most extensive employer of female labor.

A troublesome compendium of great possibilities.

A pleasure to two, a nuisance to every other body and a necessity to the world.

A mite of a thing requiring a mighty lot of attention.

About 22 inches of coo and wriggle, writhe and scream filled with suction and testing apparatus for milk and automatic alarm to regulate supply.

NOTES FROM SQUASHVILLE.

The weather is very warm for the time of the year and promises to be warmer Wednesday and Thursday.

Hay fever was quickly followed by an epidemic of political fever.

The elite has started a debating society. The first subject for discussion will be "Can a man love and have a good appetite at the same time."

A WOMAN'S idea of a mean woman is one who wouldn't knock a bug off another woman's neck if she had anything against her.

SOME men would never be what they are if it hadn't been for women that refused them and it made them mad.

A YORKSHIRE vicar recently received the following note from one of his parishioners:

"This is to give you notice that I and Miss Gemina Arabella Brearley are coming to your church on Saturday afternoon next to undergo the operation of matrimony at your hands. Please be prompt, as the cab is hired by the hour. Forewarned is the armed."

ONE DAY a man called at the office of a certain newspaper and said to the editor:

"Sir, your paper says that I am dead."

"Well," replied the editor, "if it is in our paper it is correct."

"It is not correct, for here I am alive," rejoined the other.

"Well it can't be helped," said the editor.

PUBLISHER'S MISTAKE.

The following from THE PRINTER AND PUBLISHER speaks for itself:-- Editor PRINTER AND PUBLISHER--I presume that with your experience as publisher you are aware that libel proceedings have been started for our Guild. I will not, therefore, say that one is impending over you, but I ought to go gunning after you for putting me before the country not only in one but two false positions. I enclose two clippings from THE PRINTER AND PUBLISHER for September. In one you produce a flattering picture of me and represent me as editor of the Chatham World, in the other as of the Chatham, N. B., Advocate. I don't own the earth, and am sure that the editor of the first-named paper would not entertain any proposition, just now when a Federal election is pending, which would involve the placing of the tiller of his little craft in hands other than his own. As to the Advocate which is published in Newcastle, not Chatham, it gets along very well without my assistance, while I am content to remain in my humble position of editor of the Miramichi Advance, which I established here twenty-six years ago. I presume that the publisher of THE World will order a large number of THE PRINTER AND PUBLISHER containing the picture of its alleged editor for distant circulation. Truly yours' D. G. Smith.

THE TRAMP PROBLEM.

(Boston Advertiser.) The tramp problem is evidently growing serious in a number of towns throughout Massachusetts. Inquiry in several sections of the state develops practically the same reply--that "tramps" are getting very troublesome and complaints are increasing. A number of overseers of the poor are now engaged in studying the question with a view to the possibility of joint action, later on. The case does not require much study. Experience has shown that the best way to get rid of the lawless element among tramps is to insist that every tramp found in a Massachusetts town shall be obliged to do work that will pay for the lodging and food given him. The professional tramp hates work as venomously as he detests soap. He will never go of his own choice to a place where he will be required to work. Consequently if the tramps are a curse to rural Massachusetts, it is chiefly the fault of the towns themselves, because they have failed to deal intelligently with the tramp problem.

"I want nothing for myself. I seek only for the welfare of Northumberland" Mr. James Robinson.

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Shout the right royal welcome,  
The Empire-builders come;  
The men whose deeds of valor  
Have made the Empire One.  
Let the shouts of welcome greet them,  
Let plaudits ring the air—  
The very least among them  
Has taught us how to dare.

Shout the right royal welcome,  
These heroes of our land  
Must find a fitting welcome  
To this Canadian strand  
Which their brave deeds have blazoned.  
In annals of the race,  
Have proved a laud of heroes,  
Have given a nobler place.

Shout the right royal welcome,  
Let not laggards be;  
The Empire pays them tribute,  
Far, far o'er land and sea.  
The very least among them  
For Canada has won  
A fuller recognition  
Than all the past has done.

—Halifax Mail.

Prof. Layton has resigned as organist in the Methodist Church, Chatham.

The Cox trial at Chatham was postponed on Saturday, until Saturday next.

The Phonographic concert at Millerton last Wednesday night was a decided success.

Unless all signs fail Sydney will within a few months have a model theatre.

Elections over in Uncle Sam's domains to-day.

Watch for the ADVOCATE'S election bulletins Wednesday night.

In several of the churches on Sunday, interesting sermons were preached on "Our Soldiers return."

Mrs. Aitken and John Pickles left for Fredericton on Monday. They will be tendered a reception at the Capital.

Thomas Fitzpatrick had one of his hands badly cut in Flett's Mill at Nelson last week. Dr. Hayes amputated two fingers assisted by Dr. Nicholson.

The express on the Canada Eastern was derailed a few miles above Boiestown on Monday night, and as a result was delayed several hours. Mr. Robinson was on board.

Rev. Mr. Brown's text's next Sunday will be, morning—"Immutability of Christ"; evening—"Poultice that cured the carbuncle." Seats free. All invited.

Private Munroe of Chatham brought home a very interesting souvenir. It is a Lee Enfield rifle which was captured by the Boers at Magerfontein and recaptured by the British from Cronje at Paardeberg.

I. D. Du Pleis is handsomely engraved on the stock. Du. Pleis is a Boer officer.

Among the souvenirs brought home from South Africa by Sergt Anslow is a typical Boer pipe with the long bowl and curved stem. As you will infer, the pipe holds considerable tobacco, and the average burgher sits smoking for hours at a time without refilling. Sergt Anslow presented the pipe to Mr. W. A. Park.

Nomination Day passed off very quietly in Newcastle. In the afternoon short speeches were made by both candidates. A number of outsiders were in town, but the influx was not as large as on former nomination days. It is just as the Advocate said, the people of this county are tired of political controversy and are quite contented with the present state of affairs.

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A few nights ago some malicious person bedaubed the canons in the square with red paint.

Windsor Board of Trade will try to get a Boer gun for the city. It will be placed in one of the parks.

An invitation has been extended to the 12th Field Battery to attend the service in the Methodist church, here on Sunday next.

During the illumination at Mr. Charles Reid's residence Friday night the candles set fire to the curtains. The blaze was extinguished before further damage was done.

On the African veldt Private Anslow was made a corporal and on the Idaho he was promoted to sergeant. That speaks well for Newcastle. We congratulate Sergt. Anslow.

The death occurred at St. John at an early hour Sunday evening of John Berryman, M. D. one of St. John's most prominent and highly respected citizens.

If it had not been for Major Maltby our boys would have been carried off to St. John on Friday. He brought his influence to bear with the result that they came home first.

A young man who is said to have been disappointed in love sent to the object of his affections through the mail a potato with a match stuck through it. It is supposed to imply—"You farmer I'm your match any day."

A case of some interest to New Brunswickers is the suit for \$4,000 damage against Chief of Police Drury and a patrolman of Chelsea, Mass. by Miss Martin of Kingston, Kent County. She brought suit for alleged false arrest.

The manner in which the Orange Band played "The Queen's Brave Canadians" on Friday called forth many words of praise. Considering the short time they had in which to practice the piece they acquitted themselves exceptionally well.

A telegraph wire has been connected with this office and immediately upon the receipt of the election returns Wednesday night an extra addition will be put out. There will probably be three extras between now and Thursday night.

The idea of Sydney's cosmopolitan population may be gained from the fact that inside of an hour conversation in six different languages were carried on over the telephone one day last week. The languages were English, Arabian, Chinese, Norwegian, French and Italian.—Railway News.

The Nuns and pupils of St. Mary's were glad to receive from the Rev. Mothers, the confirmation of the good news published by the papers of Montreal to the effect that the Specimens of Class work and methods sent to the Paris Exposition from the Mother House last summer had been awarded a medal—the only one presented to a community of nuns in Canada.

Lina Bell the fast trotting mare owned by J. J. LaRoche of Quebec died on Wednesday at Amherst from the effects of croton given her by some cowardly ruffian early Tuesday morning. The mare started in ten races this fall and won nine of them. She was valued at \$5,000. Detectives Carroll Ring and Power, are working on the case and it is to be hoped they will succeed in landing the coward who administered the fatal dose.

A reward of \$3,000 has been offered for his capture.

On Tuesday morning last a very fashionable wedding took place in the R. C. Church, Nelson. The participants were Miss Lucinda Monahan of Nelson, and Mr. Richard O'Brien of Renous River. Nuptial Mass was celebrated at 8 o'clock by the Rev. N. Power. The bride was attired in a charming navy blue costume and carried a magnificent bouquet of white roses. She was attended by her cousin Miss Josie Monahan. Miss Dunn of Chatham was maid of honor. Each carried a bouquet of roses smylax and maiden hair fern. The groom was ably supported by his brother. As the bride entered the church Lohengrin's wedding march was played, and during the nuptial mass appropriate hymns were sung. Miss Humphrey presided at the organ with good taste, and very pretty solos were rendered by Miss Hayes.

The feast of All Saints was duly celebrated in the R. C. Church, Nelson. The music at the mass was as follows: Kyria Gloria, Concomer, Credo, Hosanna; Sanctus, Concomer; Agnus Dei, Leonard's. During the offertory Dr. Hayes sang "I know that my Redeemer liveth in a delightful manner." Miss Hayes also sang several solos very nicely. The evening services were brought to an appropriate conclusion by the recital of the litany of the saints and the benediction of the blessed sacrament. Rev. N. Power's artistic arrangements were greatly appreciated by the congregation.

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## Social & Personal

Mrs. Labllois, Dalhousie, paid a pleasant visit to Mrs. John O'Brien, Nelson last week.

Mr. J. A. Flett, and Dr. Hayes, were in Chatham on Friday.

Miss Annie Brown, Chatham, was the guest of Mrs. John Brander this week.

Mrs. Wm. Witherell returned on Monday from a pleasant visit to Boston and other American cities.

Miss Jean Thomson has returned from Halifax.

Messrs Charles Falconer and Charles Harrison leave for Boston on Thursday where they will in the future reside. They are both popular in Newcastle and will be greatly missed.

Councillor Campbell, Boiestown, was in Newcastle, Saturday to attend the Soldiers' banquet.

Mr. Elmer Crocker, Derby, paid a visit to the Advocate sanatorium on Nomination Day.

Mr. George Vanderbeck, the popular Millerton post master was in town on Monday.

Mr. Charles Falconer entertained a few friends, Monday evening.

Mr. Garfield Troy leaves this week for Boston. He will remain in the Hub until spring, and will then go west. Mr. Troy's many friends will regret his departure.

Miss Alice McCabe entertained a number of friends, Monday night.

Mr. M. T. Monahan, superintendent of the Municipal Printing Plant, Boston, and a graduate of the ADVANCE office paid a short visit to his home in Nelson the past week. His vacation was taken up in making a tour of the principal cities of the Dominion, visiting Toronto, Ottawa, Montreal and Quebec.—Chatham Advance.

Miss Troy of Newcastle is the guest of Miss May Murray at the Commercial.—Campbellton Events.

Mr. R. C. John Dunn the well known St. John architect was in town last week.

Mr. Pearl Atkinson, son of the late Mr. C. B. Atkinson, locomotive engineer, who joined the mounted Police in April last, was appointed as a body guard for Lord Minto while His Excellency was making his trip among the Blackfeet.

Mrs. Fred Jones and children who has been spending the summer months with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jardine, returned to Winchester, Mass. on Saturday.

Mr. James Randle has returned from England.

Mr. Charles Flett of Melrose is visiting at his old home in Nelson.

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