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Council Will Enforce Collection of Taxes

Matter Discussed at Thursday Night's Meeting--C. E. Fish Heard re Assessment

Grist Mill for Newcastle Discussed by Board of Trade

At Last Night's Meeting--Mr. Morley, Representative of the Fairbanks-Morse Company Was Present and Gave Interesting Figures--Company to be Organized.

Seriousness of War Explained Most Vividly

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The Funds of the Patriotic Association (Newcastle Branch) are getting low and the committee in charge in the endeavor to provide further for the Mothers, Wives and Children of the brave boys who are on the firing line fighting for the Empire and the just cause it expresses, again appeal to you for assistance and feel sure you will grant it.

LET US TELL YOU HOW

It is proposed to hold a
Mammoth Auction Sale on Wednesday, October 20 Next

at the Newcastle Rink, Newcastle, the proceeds of which will be devoted to the Patriotic Fund and we are appealing to the Farmers of the Western Section of the County to assist in this great work by contributing toward the Sale any Merchandise they care to send, such as Vegetables of all kinds, Hay, Oats, Buckwheat, Dairy Products, Eggs, Honey, Maple Sugar, Maple Honey, Cattle, Calves, Swine, Sheep, Poultry, Hams, Fresh Meat of all kinds, Loads of Wood, Yarn, Mitts, Socks, etc., in fact anything that can be converted into cash

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Please send Bulk Goods in Bags, Parcels or Boxes, put up separately, so the auctioneer can handle the different articles with as little delay as possible. Write your name and P. O. address plainly on each package so the committee may acknowledge receipt of same through the press.

The Town of Newcastle will be canvassed thoroughly and a great quantity of articles collected. Already the committee has been promised Furniture, Bicycles, Silverware, Dry Goods, Ready-made Clothing, Hats, Caps, Groceries, etc., in fact, everything sold in Wholesale and Retail Stores in Newcastle will be offered to the highest bidder.

Donations should be sent to reach Newcastle not later than Friday, Oct. 15th so as to save storage. The Committee requests that shipments be not made before Oct. 13th. Address all contributions to Charles J. Morrissy, Chairman Patriotic Committee, Newcastle.

Endeavor is being made by the Committee to have the different Transportation Companies carry all Goods intended for this Auction free of charge, and also to sell Return Tickets on Wednesday, Oct. 20th, at one fare for the round trip.

In addition to sending as much as you can for the cause, come yourself and bring your family. It will be the biggest day Newcastle has seen for a long time. And an eventful time guaranteed. Newcastle Band in attendance.

The following Form will be used:

Mr. _____
Donations _____

Chairman

October 20th will be a Public Holiday in Newcastle

All Shipments Should be Addressed to Charles J. Morrissy, and Marked for Patriotic Fund.

Parliamentary Usage and the Need of It

Paper Read Before W. C. T. U. Convention by Mrs. Margaret McWha.

It has been said that the World's Woman's Christian Temperance Union is the most parliamentary woman's organization in the world.

It is regrettable that the word cannot always be said of the Provincial and Local Unions. Everything depends on our local Unions.

If we had no local there could be no provincial, no Dominion, and so on; therefore, surely we ought to be interested in our local Unions in this most important step to the carrying on of all our work as it should be.

I was very much surprised, and not a little amused on hearing the answer given by an organizer of one of our most popular clubs who asked what book she considered the best from which to study Parliamentary Law, she replied that in her city the club to which she belonged was too busy attending to matters of more importance, therefore they did not bother with parliamentary law. I have wondered how these important matters were attended to. Listen for a moment to practical illustrations, and you will realize the relation of parliamentary law to society. Without it, so-called society could not even give a charity ball, for that requires a vote. Even when decided upon, without this lever the work necessary could not be assigned to the several committees. Without parliamentary law, educational work could not be sustained or maintained, for there could be no school board, no faculty, and no law to govern the school meeting.

In civil life there could be neither ordinance nor laws, for there could be no law-making body. The church could not adopt creeds, nor accept officials, nor make bishops, nor even elect moderators, and so, without purpose or plan or system, there could be no concerted action, and souls would remain unsaved, and the heathen would continue in spiritual darkness, for there would be no way to send out missionaries. Therefore the relation of parliamentary law to society is simply this—it governs its functions, it establishes its code, it controls its destiny.

Perhaps everyone already knows that all the aims, the efforts, the purposes and the plans of the W. C. T. U. are for the betterment of humanity. This, of course, involves and includes the home, the school, the church, the state and the public. What all people do not know, is that all the wonderfully complex machinery of the organization is set in motion and kept in motion by and through parliamentary law. Without parliamentary law not a motion could be made, not a vote taken, not an officer elected, not a resolution adopted, not a law enacted, not even a convention convened; so the members of this organization adhere to rules, and they rule out every blemish that has alcoholic head, or public, or private, or color. Every union should take up this study, and to you is given the responsibility of getting it before the public. You are to prove that the home, the school, the church, and our fair Dominion have been, are, and must be forever, dependent upon parliamentary law for their very existence.

We shall never become wise in parliamentary law until we possess ourselves of text books, and then study them. We would suggest at least ten minutes practice in the regular meetings. Take one or more motions and not only go through the correct form of making, and stating, but learn all about them, not forgetting the reason why. Make an effort to interest other organizations in this much needed quest for parliamentary knowledge. If possible, hold a special meeting quarterly; invite the club women, the missionary women, and women of the several orders. Let your most competent woman act as instructor, and a gala time. Every Society represented will have members who excel the average woman in parliamentary knowledge. This joint meeting will bring such to the front, and so increase the general desire for additional knowledge, and such a meeting will also promote fraternal feeling because the practice of parliamentary law separates us from selfishness by compelling us to think of the rights of our neighbors; it makes us generous in meting out justice, because we dare not be negligent; it gives us power, and influence over the wrong minded; it saves time, because we know how to conduct business with dispatch; it makes us sympathetic through our pity for those who do not know this more excellent way; it teaches us self-reliance and honor; in short, it broadens and strengthens and beautifies by bringing us into harmony with the Golden Rule. Way not then perfect ourselves in parliamentary understanding that we may obey literally the apostolic injunction—Let all things be done decently and in order.

May we not resolve that during the coming year, we will not only strive to add to our own parliamentary knowledge, but will work diligently to convince others of their need, not only in the W. C. T. U. but

AILING WOMEN OF MIDDLE AGE

Mrs. Doucette Tells of her Distressing Symptoms During Change of Life and How She Found Relief.

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Such warning symptoms as sense of suffocation, hot flashes, headaches, back-aches, dizziness, fainting, timidity, sounds in the ears, palpitation of the heart, sparks before the eyes, irregularities, constipation, variable appetite, weakness and impatience, and dizziness, are promptly relieved by intelligent women who are approaching the period in life when woman's great change may be expected.

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In club and missionary societies to which we belong. Therefore several books on this study, but for more than thirty years the W. C. T. U. has taken Robert's Rules as their guide. Mrs. A. S. Benjamin has condensed the whole big volume of "Robert's" into a small, and given us in simple form the real business according to parliamentary usage, sufficient for any meeting on foot and ready to take. To be sent for to the National Headquarters, Evanston, Ill. and be secured.

Report of St. John Women Suffrage Association

21st annual report of the St. John Women's Suffrage Association, read before the W. C. T. U. convention, Sept. 8, 1915. (abridged):

Thirty-six regular meetings were held during the year past, which have been well attended and much interest and enthusiasm shown. 68 members have been enrolled. Our greatest loss was in the death of our beloved president and leader, Mrs. Emma S. Fiske.

We have also suffered the loss of Miss M. S. Skinner and Miss Mabel Peters, both charter members of the Association. Their memory will always be cherished by us.

The most important event of the year was the referendum to extend the civic franchise to married women property holders, taken on the 4th of April, 1914, with the result of 175 votes for and 236 against. Several members worked at the polls all day and were treated with the utmost respect and courtesy. It might be of interest to add that the municipal referendum campaign in Ontario for extending the vote to married women on the same terms as to widows and spinsters was submitted in more than thirty places and carried in every one. Petitions were sent besides to all the local legislatures, and their expectations were that their next session of parliament would carry it.

On the 20th anniversary of this Society, the St. John Standard issued a suffrage edition which proved a great success, containing many articles of interest on suffrage from prominent men and women, not only in St. John but of other cities also.

In April we placed a bill before the Provincial Parliament engaging a lawyer to advise us, paying \$15.00. The result, which had been awaited with keen interest, was as follows: On May 5th the notice was given by Mr. Waddell: "Married women were entitled to the ballot and could vote on their own property."

An item of much importance was the receipt of an official letter from the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada, Nov. 14, 1914, stating that they had added a new plank to their platform of principle—"Equal Suffrage for men and women over 21 years of age." This was the result of a request to the congress, when in session in St. John in September last that their organization should insert such a clause in their constitution. At that time, Miss O'Reilly, the only woman delegate to that body, gave a public lecture in St. Daniel's school room, which was well attended and much interest shown.

In July we received a communication from the Canadian Suffrage Association in Toronto, acquainting us with the formation of the British Dominion Suffrage Union, at the mangrove meeting in London, Eng., when women were represented from New Zealand, Australia, South Africa and Canada. The Canadian delegates were Mrs. L. A. Hamilton, president of the National Union Woman

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Bills Payable (Acceptances by London Br.)	3,352,148.77
	\$178,316,130.29
ASSETS	
Cash on hand and in Banks	\$30,476,000.19
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Railway and other Bonds Debentures and Stocks	12,622,217.20
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Suffrage Association of Canada, and attempt to capture Vilna, Divinsky and then Riga.

The War Office, in an official statement admitted that the Czar's troops have been compelled to give ground slightly before these fresh assaults. It was also admitted that the Russians are falling back in the region of Pinsk, but elsewhere the enemy has been defeated on every sector, the Slav taking more than 1100 prisoners in Wednesday's engagements.

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Russians Compelled To Give More Ground

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THE ADRIATIC ARRIVES AT LIVERPOOL SAFELY
Liverpool, Sept. 17—The White Star liner Adriatic arrived here today from New York. She made the run without incident.

North Shore Teachers to Meet

In United Institute at Bathurst Sept. 23—24 Instants

Following is the program of Resolutions, Gloucester and Northumberland counties United Teachers' Institute, which opens in Bathurst tomorrow:
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 23
First Session at 10 a. m. Enrollment.
Address by the President.
Address by Inspector J. F. Doucett, M. A.
Address by Inspector George W. Mersereau, M. A.
Address by Dr. W. S. Carter, Chief Superintendent of Education.
Paper—"Primary Reading"—by Miss Marion Winton.
Second Session at 2 p. m.
Roll Call.
Paper—"Civics"—by H. H. Stuart.
Address by R. P. Stoves, M. A., Director Elementary Agricultural Education.
Public Meeting in Court House at 8 p. m.
Address of Welcome by Mayor J. N. Michaud.
Address by Dr. W. S. Carter, Chief Superintendent of Education, and others.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 24
[A] English Section -- Roll Call.
Lesson—English Composition—The Principal of Unity—by F. A. Bourdhan, B. A.
Paper—"Teaching of History"—by W. G. Haines.
[B] French Section at 9 a. m. Roll Call.
L'emploi du temps à la petite école, par M. Théophile Lejeune.
Lectur de Grammaire française, par Mlle. Marie Lanry.
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Fourth Session at 2 p. m. Roll Call.
Address—"Moral Training"—by Prof. F. Peacock, Provincial Normal School.
Reports of Committees.
Election of Officers.
Unfinished Business.
General Discussion.
Teacher attending the Institute are requested to purchase First Class One-Way Tickets and to procure standard certificate, in order to ensure free return.
Teachers attending the Institute and desiring horses in private houses should write as soon as possible to Mr. F. A. Bourdhan, Bathurst.

An Open Letter
From a Well Known Methodist Clergyman of Interest to all Who Are Sick

One of the best known ministers in the Hamilton conference is the Rev. Chas. E. Stafford, of Elora, Ont., who freely admits that he owes his present good health to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Mr. Stafford writes as follows: "Some years ago I was severely afflicted for a period of nearly four months. The leading physician in the town in which I was then stationed diagnosed my case as one of complete nervous prostration," brought on by overwork and which superinduced intercostal neuralgia and muscular rheumatism, from which I suffered the most excruciating pain night and day for weeks. So weak and helpless did I become that my attendants had to handle me like an infant, raising me up and laying me down with the greatest care, so intense were my sufferings. Acting on the advice of my doctor, and taking his medicine, I did not seem to improve. One afternoon, while suffering great pain, the editor of the paper published in the town, and who was a member of the church of which I was then pastor, urged me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I was sceptical as to the medicinal qualities of all proprietary medicines, but on the strong recommendation of the editor, who had great faith in the medicine, I decided to try them. To my great surprise and supreme delight, I soon found that the Pills were giving me relief, and after I had taken seven boxes I was fully restored to health. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, under God, having made me a new man. Ever since I have been better and stronger physically than I had been for a number of years.
Three years ago, after an active ministry of forty-six years, I asked the Hamilton conference of the Methodist church to grant me superannuation relation, which it did, but for more than two years I have been supplying a charge which necessitates a drive of twenty miles every Sabbath. Today I am strong and hearty, without an ache or pain, and for my present physical condition I am indebted to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and can most heartily recommend them to the afflicted."

LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL

Firebugs or careless smokers?
Northumberland is responding well to the call of the Empire—fourteen on Friday night.
The Halifax exhibition closed on Thursday with a total attendance of 58,259, the best since 1908.

At Friday night's recruiting meeting in the park, Sgt. Knight certainly hit the nail on the head. He is a forcible speaker and says just what he means.

Thomas Mulligan, a man 45 years of age, suicided at Albert, Co., on Thursday morning by hanging himself. Temporary insanity was the cause.
Albert Maillet and Damien Cormier, of Buctouche, have been placed under arrest in connection with a recent mail bag robbery at the I. C. R. depot, Moncton.

Mrs. F. E. Neale, Miss H. Neale, Mr. G. B. Neale and Mr. H. G. Neale, of Chatham, were guests at the Queen Hotel, Fredericton, on Thursday.
Miss Margaret Colwell and Miss Marion Hawthorne, of Fredericton, are to leave this week for Providence, R. I., where they will enter a hospital to qualify for nurses.

Major Edgar, formerly of Chatham, has been gazetted Lieutenant-Colonel and assigned to the command of a new western battalion. Sir Sam Hughes wants him to remain in Canada for a time to assist in training men and officers for the front.

This is to certify that I have used **MINARD'S LINIMENT** in my family for years, and consider it the best liniment on the market. I have found it excellent for horse flesh.
(Signed) **W. S. PINEO**, "Woodlands," Middleton, N. S.

Rev. Jas. McLaughlin, minister of St. Matthew's Presbyterian Church, St. John, has been notified of his appointment as chaplain of the Royal Highlanders Battalion, Montreal.

Miss Mary Ann Ward of Campbellton and Mr. George W. Sherwood of Moncton, were united in marriage at the bride's home on Wednesday evening, September 15th, at half past eight, by the Rev. Hugh Miller. Only the immediate friends were present—George, J. M. Sherwood, a well known I. C. R. fireman and has many friends in Newcastle who extend congratulations.

A true desire to serve his King and Country is exemplified in the case of George H. Flewelling, of Burt's Corner. Unable to pass the medical officer, Major S. E. A. Wainwright, after he had volunteered at one of the meetings held at Burt's Corner by Major Day, Mr. Flewelling went to two other examinations and they also decided he was unfit, physically, for active service. Mr. Flewelling then went to Woodstock and was again examined, and again failed to pass. He is now ready to enlist with any overseas battalion without pay, to demonstrate to the military authorities that he can stand the rigors of military life. He is a noteworthy example of true patriotism—Gleaner.

Marguerite Clark in "Gretna Green" at the Happy Hour
For Thursday evening it is our good fortune to be able to offer you a rare treat in moving pictures—one of the really big achievements of the picture art, The Famous Players' four reel feature "Gretna Green." Magnificently staged, elaborately costumed and portrayed by the best actors now upon the stage, including the irresistible Marguerite Clark. This great picture offers an hour of entertainment which we feel sure you will not want to miss. This is one of the series of big Famous Player Pictures which are shown every Thursday at the Happy Hour—the kind that are worth coming miles to see. They are the very best that can be obtained in moving pictures and we hope you will be able to see them all. You may say you have no use for a Picture Show; That's nothing—we know some of your neighbors who haven't any use for you.
A fellow who can't see anything in motion pictures nowadays will find himself in the sun by stepping in front of a mirror—he won't see anything. Make up your mind to see the above production Thursday night and we feel sure you will be a regular patron of the Happy Hour.

Financial Statement Red Cross Society

Balance on Hand of \$468.43 for Year After All Expenditures

The following is a financial statement of the receipts and expenditures of the local branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society for the year ending September 14th, 1915, as submitted by the treasurer, Miss Clare Creaghan:

Receipts	Expenditures
Active Members' Fees \$ 25.25	Materials for work \$ 616.18
Life Members' Fees 175.99	Wool 359.57
Private Contributions 144.94	Tobacco, chocolate, gum, etc. 19.16
Employees of Ed. Sinclair Co. 105.90	Blankets 102.00
Tag Day 253.77	Laundry 3.15
Sale of Pins 30.65	Printing Stationery 20.51
Entertainments 1032.65	Freight and Expressage 27.02
Sale of Ice Cream, candy, etc. 334.83	Pins 21.60
Catering 119.75	Can. Red Cross Toronto 284.70
Lotteries 143.40	Lord Kitchener's Fund 50.00
Auction of Sleigh 26.90	Belgian Relief Fund 200.00
Lord Kitchener's Fund 50.00	N. B. Hospital Bed 10.90
Interest on Deposit in Royal Bank 7.71	Soldiers' Comforts 50.00
Refund from Express Cos. 9.70	Gift to Queen Mary Guild 25.00
	N. B. Ward in Hospital at St. Bonavent 100.00
	Duchess of Connaught Hospital 100.00
Total \$2557.12	Total \$2088.69
Receipts \$2557.12	
Expenditure 2088.69	
Bal. Cash on Hand \$468.43	
(Sgd.) CLARE CREAGHAN, Treasurer	

R. N. Weeks Dead at Millerton
The death of Mr. James Urquhart, a well known resident of Wayerton, occurred at his home here on Wednesday evening. Deceased was seventy-nine years of age and is survived by four sons—James, of Wisconsin; John, of Aronia, Conn.; Harvey and William of Wayerton; and three daughters—Mrs. Dr. Alvin Leavitt, New York; Mrs. Dr. Charles Carden, Haverton, Mass., and Miss Rose Urquhart of New York. Two brothers also survive—R. H. Urquhart of California and Alexander of Marquette. The funeral took place on Friday at one o'clock.

Prominent Miramichi Man Passed Away Wednesday Afternoon
The many friends of R. N. Weeks were shocked on Wednesday last to learn of his death, which occurred at his home in Millerton about two o'clock in the afternoon, aged 65 years.
Deceased had been taken suddenly ill while on a visit to his old home in Alberton, P. E. I., and returned home about two weeks ago. It was not thought that his condition was serious until early last week, when he began to lose strength.
The late Mr. Weeks was well and favorably known on the Miramichi, having also resided in Newcastle for a number of years. While here he was employed in Park's general store, and after they had sold out he moved to Millerton, where he opened a general store, and enjoyed a successful business until the time of his illness.
He was an active citizen, being prominent in church and temperance work. For years was a respected elder in the Presbyterian church; being ordained to the eldership in 1893. He is survived by his wife, formerly Miss McLellan of Newcastle, one daughter, Miss Adelaide at home, one son, Wendell, at the front with the Canadian forces, also a brother, Mr. William Weeks, and a sister, Mrs. Henry J. Matthews, both of Alberton, P. E. I.
The funeral services which were held on Friday afternoon, from his late residence were conducted by Rev. A. Rettie, assisted by Rev. S. J. MacArthur. The Foresters, of which Order the deceased was an esteemed member, took charge at the grave.
The following is a list of the floral tributes:
Pillow from the family
Wreath from the Session
Basket—Mr. and Mrs. R. W. McLellan
Wreath—Mr. and Mrs. John Russell
Cross—Miss Florence Lyon.
Star—Mr. and Mrs. John Betts and family.
Sprays from Miss Jessie Lyon, Mrs. Christopher Crocker, Miss Betts, Mr. and Mrs. J. Barron, Mrs. Christopher Parker.
Cut flowers from the following:—
Rev. H. T. Montgomery, Miss Jessie Lyon, Mrs. G. R. Parker, Miss Mabel McEachern, Mrs. Harvey Bateman, Mrs. A. Fury, Mr. John Vanderbeck, Miss Vera Langtin.
Spray—Mrs. Annie Clouston.
Arthur W. Milton, an I. C. R. brakeman, was caught between moving cars of a working train last Wednesday, on the N. B. and P. E. I. branch between Sackville and Cape Tormentine and badly injured.



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Wayerton Loses Respected Citizen

James Urquhart, Aged Seventy-Nine, Died Wednesday Evening

The death of Mr. James Urquhart, a well known resident of Wayerton, occurred at his home here on Wednesday evening. Deceased was seventy-nine years of age and is survived by four sons—James, of Wisconsin; John, of Aronia, Conn.; Harvey and William of Wayerton; and three daughters—Mrs. Dr. Alvin Leavitt, New York; Mrs. Dr. Charles Carden, Haverton, Mass., and Miss Rose Urquhart of New York. Two brothers also survive—R. H. Urquhart of California and Alexander of Marquette. The funeral took place on Friday at one o'clock.

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Methodist Church

Rev. Dr. Harrison
Sunday Services 11.00 a. m. and 7.00 p. m.
Prayer and Praise Service, Wednesday, 7.30 p. m.

The Kirk

St. James Presbyterian Church
Rev. S. J. MacArthur, M. A., B. D.
Worship Sunday, 11.00 a. m. and 7.00 p. m.
Sabbath School, 2.30 p. m.

Salvation Army

Capt. P. Forbes
Holiness Meeting—11 a. m.
Praise and Testimony Meeting—3.00 p. m.
Salvation Meeting—8 p. m.
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COMPULSORY VS VOLUN.
TARY SERVICE

The announcement of Premier Asquith at the opening of the British Parliament last week that the conscription issue would not be pressed by the Government this session, was not unexpected. From the recent distrust of conscription expressed by Labour circles in Great Britain, it is evident that the Government would cause unusual domestic unrest by pressing the matter. In the face of Lord Kitchener's statement that the voluntary system of recruiting is crumbling in all the soldiers at present needed, there seems to be no particular reason why the question of conscription should be pressed.

The stand taken against compulsory service by organized labor in Great Britain is not unqualified. There is a saving clause in the anti-conscription resolution adopted unanimously by the Trade Union Congress, reverting to 2,000,000 Lancashire, and this saving clause shows that the action taken is aimed at the Northcliffe press campaign rather than at conscription in itself. This view is supported by the statements it makes.

It is expected that the Cabinet is divided upon the question, but all such reports claim that Lord Kitchener is "not committed." This appears to be significant. No decisive result can come from the popular debate regarding conscription until the War Secretary's opinion is heard. His statement on the question would settle the whole matter. It would be the trump card of a Cabinet convinced of the necessity of conscription, as its influence is the safeguard of a Cabinet divided on the question.

The policy of the Asquith Government is pursuing in regard to compulsory service, appears to be one of "watchful waiting." In the event of the demonstration of the need for conscription, Lord Kitchener may be expected to come forward with the view that shall be decisive. For the present, the statement of the War Minister that the voluntary system is satisfactory must suffice.

In the early days of the present session attempts by various members or factions to bring the issue to the front are probable. The fact that Mr. Asquith deemed it necessary to make the statement he did so indicates the importance of the issue is assuming. But the Premier is a master hand at checking off Parliamentary discussion with evasive answers, and Kitchener's pronouncement will probably take the ground from under the feet of the enthusiasts in the time.

CARE OF FIRE ENGINE

At Thursday night's meeting of the town council, Chairman Stables of the Park and Fire Committee gave notice that his committee had secured the services of an engineer whose duty it was to look after the fire engine, keep it in running order, and try it out once a month, and to accompany it to fires outside of the town limits at any time it should be taken out, his salary per year for this to be \$25.00. Ald. Stables, as Chairman, was to take all responsibility in seeing that this engineer's work was satisfactorily performed. This matter, while meeting with the approval of the council, brought forth much discussion as to how the council was to know whether or no the engine really did try the engine every month. Some of the aldermen considered it the duty of the chief of the fire department to know whether the engine was being properly looked after, and Ald. McGrath suggested that the engineer be required to sign a voucher each month, which would show that he had performed his work.

These suggestions, however, did not meet with the approval of the Chairman, who felt that as Chairman, it was his duty, and gave every assurance that he would see the engineer did his duty faithfully. The matter was finally settled by the words, "Has the fire engine been tested?" added to the Order of Business.

Is this not the duty of the Town Superintendent? And why not increase his salary and let the duty of testing the engine be a part of his work?

EDITORIAL NOTES

It is satisfactory to know that the matter of house accommodation, which was taken up in these columns a few weeks ago, has also been taken up by the Town Improvement League, with a view to bettering conditions. The want of

more house accommodation is sorely felt in Newcastle at the present time, and if it is the desire that the town should grow, this state of affairs must be remedied.

The hunting season has commenced, and shooting accident accounts are beginning to fill up the newspaper columns. It is the same old story—the was mistaken for a deer. If some of these careless hunters were given a stretch, it would make others more careful.

How about the advertising sign board at the I. C. R. station? A reader in the Province of Ontario who read the Advocate's suggestion a couple of weeks ago, to have this board erected, complimented the Advocate for its enterprise. Do you see, gentle reader, how it pays to advertise?

TOWN COUNCIL

(Continued from page 1.)

Following Light & Water bills passed:
Carlock Packing Co. \$27.47
Maritime Foundry 19.15
Crandall Harrison & Co. 79.00
T. McAvity & Sons 32.75
\$158.37

Ald. Stuart asked if the policemen had collected or tried to collect all the licenses as ordered to do by a recent resolution of the Council? Ald. McGrath said that the Finance Committee had been trying to collect licenses all summer. At most every second time he met the policeman he had asked about his collection. The policeman had been put on with one excuse or another at least of the places he went to collect licenses from workmen.

Mr. Fish replied that what a property cost did not settle its value. Now, if property would sell for what it cost, he knew of a property offering now at one-third of its cost. The assessors were supposed to value at market value. There was no property in town valued at its cost.

Ald. Stuart is not income supposed to be assessed at part? Mr. Fish replied that the Income Tax was a fair. About 70 per cent of the ratepayers were down at 200 income or less. Why? Because the assessors thought that the wage earners should be treated pretty nearly all alike. This was the custom here, and in most every other town. Some places they pay on a license or poll tax for working men.

The Mayor thought Mr. Fish's explanations quite clear. There was a time to make out assessments, and a time when they were of no use. Ald. Stables moved, seconded by McGrath, that the council take no further action re R. E. Woodworth's petition. Carried.

Mr. Fish mentioned the case of Mrs. Rabbit who is taxed \$27 a year on a property on which because given a long lease only saw only \$65 a year return. That was a hardship but the assessors had to leave it as it was.

Ald. Stables of the Park & Fire Committee reported that the fire engine had been put into shape, and worked well. The following contract had been made with Mr. Beckwith: "I hereby agree with the Park & Fire Committee of Newcastle to keep the steam fire engine in running order, and to try it out each month during the next year."

"I will also operate engine at all times within the town, where its services may be required, and if unable to attend in person, will supply a qualified substitute."

All of above services to be for the sum of \$25 per year, payable each month, by 1st and 15th. I will also accompany and operate engine, either in person or by substitute, at any fires outside the town, where engine may be sent, and for say such outside services shall receive pay at the rate of thirty cents per hour.

Newcastle, N. B., Sept. 16, 1915. (Sgd.) R. BECKWITH.

Ald. Croughan and Stables moved that the report be received and agreement ratified.

Ald. Stables said that Mr. Beckwith had no duty as fireman except as engine goes out.

Ald. Doyle wanted the Chief of the Fire Department to make the monthly tests and repairs were made. The engine should not be neglected as in the past.

Ald. McGrath wanted the Town Clerk to keep record of tests and repairs.

Ald. Doyle said that no doubt the Chief of P. & F. Committee would see that the engine was taken out and tested each month.

Ald. Stables said the Chief of the Dept. should not have the matter in his control. The agreement was with the committee. He himself would take responsibility of seeing the agreement carried out.

Ald. Doyle said the Chief of the Fire Dept. was the man to see that all his apparatus was in order. It was very important that the town should not be caught with the engine out of order.

The Mayor read from the by-laws that it was the duty of the fire chief to absolutely control and direct all apparatus for extinguishing fire during the continuance of any fire.

Ald. Ritchie took his seat at this point.

Ald. Hayward suggested that Mr. Beckwith be paid monthly after each monthly test.

Ald. McGrath agreed.



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Notice to Public

R. H. Gremley wishes to thank the Newcastle firemen and the many citizens who so promptly rendered all the assistance in their power at the burning of his Livery Stable. He also wishes to inform the public that he is doing business the same as usual, AT THE OLD STAND where all his old patrons and any new ones will receive the best attention. 25-1m

Girl Wanted

A good reliable girl. One who understands cooking. Apply: MRS. A. ALCOCK, Blackville, N. B.

Wanted

All the women of Newcastle, Nelson and Douglasville to join the Newcastle Branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society. Pres. 25-1m.

Rev. Father Murdoch of Renouf, was in town on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McCoy, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McCoy, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Touche, visited friends in Upper Nelson Saturday and Sunday of last week.

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LOST

At Chatham Exhibition Grounds, Monday, 6th of September, a raincoat, find it kindly return to D. J. Ritchie's store, Newcastle. 18-19a.

Carpenters Wanted

Carpenters Wanted at Miramichi Hospital. Come ready for work. Apply to Supt. at Hospital.

Crew Notice

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AFTER SUPPER SALE

Tuesday Eve'g Next, from 7 to 9

On next Tuesday we are going to revive the After Supper Sale. For two hours we are going to sell New Merchandise at a big reduction from regular prices. It will be an opportunity to save that you cannot let go by. Sale goods will be for cash only and will not be sold till 7 p. m. on Tuesday. We advise you all to be on hand when the bell rings.

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QUEEN MARY'S HANDIWORK

Her Majesty, Queen Mary of England has crocheted a number of petticoats which have been sent out to our Canadian Branch of Queen Mary's Needlework Guild.

It has been decided to send one petticoat to each province, in the hope that each petticoat will bring \$500 to buy materials for hospital garments for the soldiers.

Mrs. Wood, wife of Lieutenant Governor Wood has consented to direct the work in New Brunswick that the women of N. B. may stand a chance of owning a garment made by Her Majesty Queen Mary of England.

Two hundred and fifty tickets have been sent to Miss Snowball in Chatham to be sold through the county of Northumberland. These tickets will be 25 cts each and can be had by calling upon Miss Snowball personally or by letter or telephone. Please state number desired from one to two hundred and fifty, and in case of that number having already been taken, it would be advisable to make a second and third choice.

Some time ago the Advocate called the attention of the Postmaster General to the inadequate mail service over the Canada Eastern branch of the I. C. R., and other mail routes and word has been received that the matter is being investigated and a satisfactory reply is daily expected.

One improvement that has been asked for is a through mail service by the Whooper as far as McGivney, and if successful it will prove a most satisfactory service for the Advocate subscribers along that route.

Other mail services will also be taken up in the near future, as it is the Advocate's desire and intention to give its subscribers the best possible service. Many complaints have been received lately from subscribers who have not been getting their paper regularly. As the papers go regularly each week from this office, the fault must be somewhere else, and this trouble will be adjusted.

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Seriousness of War Explained Most Vividly

(Continued from page 1) served with the 66th Princess Louise Fusiliers, of Halifax, which by the way, are a branch from an old Welsh regiment by the same name. The great struggle for supremacy has not yet begun, everything up to the present is preliminary. We are called upon now to enlist and we should do so. We are enjoying the freedom which is made possible by our allegiance to Great Britain; we are free to go or to stay home, we are not forced to go by conscription and should give a hearty response to the call.

Mr. McArthur struck the keynote with his audience when he said he would rather be doing his part for the Empire than standing before them there. He would willingly give his services in any capacity his country called him for. (Cheers) He would not ask men to go to be killed, but he would ask that our sons be given to the call to maintain our freedom. The men now at the front are heroes, glorious fellows.

Speaking of the large percentage of the ministers who have come to the front, the speaker gave out the interesting statement that ninety out of one hundred of the sons of the manse of Scotland are now bearing arms with the colors. This, he said, would also be true of Canada if the war goes on for another year. King George, he said, was so impressed with this that he sent congratulations. We had many more local men whose names he would like to have added to the cards now in his church, the names of every Newcastle boy who has enlisted, Protestant and Catholic alike, no distinction. He was proud of every one of them, and hoped it would be his privilege to add many more.

Speaking of the Newcastle boys who have been wounded, he referred feelingly to Lieut. A. A. Atkinson, Leslie Miller, George McFarlane, and Sgt. Knight. He then introduced, and in sonorous tones fired a volley of high-sounding truths into the ears of his listeners that we venture to say he has them with a different impression on their minds of the true existing conditions at the front than they have yet been brought to realize.

After asking his audience to come up as close to the stand as they could, as he found it hard to reach them with his voice by reason of a bayonet wound he received in the month he said.

The hour here is nine o'clock, in Europe, it is four o'clock in the morning, and along the trenches facing the German hordes are the boys. Some of them are from Canada, some right here from Newcastle. These boys are keeping watch—they are keeping watch not over themselves, but over their loved ones over here, and you people of Newcastle.

The speaker's opening words brought forth hearty cheers, but he told them he did not come here to be cheered, he wanted them to give three cheers for the boys at the front which was done with a right good will. Sgt. Knight said he did not come here to give offense, he came to tell the truth—God's truth—but he just wanted to say that the men of the Maritime Provinces were the most hardened and indifferent lot that he knew of, and many other things that we failed to take down. Perhaps he was right, and perhaps not; however, as the boys themselves are the best judges, we leave it with themselves to decide.

Sgt. Knight said that he had lived nine or ten years in the United States prior to the outbreak of war, and was in Arizona when war was declared between Austria and Serbia. The people in the States, try, he said, knew this war was coming. Germany knew it. He knew men good a time. We must sacrifice this, would he plead, and went to the British Consul in St. Louis. Mr. Pearson, who told him to go home, that he would not be needed, and being satisfied, he went to the British Consul in Chicago. Mr. Nugent, who gave him the same advice.

Still further dissatisfied he went to Glasgow, Scotland, and in six days from the time he left the United States, he was enlisted with the 3rd Gordon Highlanders. Here, by way of a joke, he said that when he told the enlisting officer that he had the mothers and daughters of Bel-

DROWNING ACCIDENT

Oswald Menzie Accidentally Drowned Here on Sunday Night

A sad drowning accident occurred here late Sunday night when Oswald Menzie, cook on Ritchie's tug boat, the David R., in some unaccountable way, missed his footing in boarding the boat and was drowned. The unfortunate young man was only 26 years of age and is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Menzie, of Whiteville. He has only been employed as cook on this boat a little over a week, and his sad ending under the above circumstances will be learned with general regret.

He went home on Saturday night, riding up on a wheel, and returned to town again Sunday afternoon about three o'clock. He was around town during the afternoon, and according to one report was seen going down in the direction of the boat which was tied about 3:30 o'clock that evening. Another report says he was seen sitting in the park at nine o'clock. The crew of the boat, however, went ahead at nine o'clock but the young man was not there. Engineer Alex. McFarlane came along at ten o'clock and found his cap on the wharf. Nothing particularly was noticed at this, as it was supposed he had changed his clothes and had gone up town again. When he did not show up that night, it was then thought he had not with mishap and had fallen overboard.

Capt. McFarlane, John Mullin and Ernest Sheppard, of the David R., began searching Monday morning early, and found the body about a quarter past six o'clock about twenty feet below where the boat was tied. Corporal Desmond was notified, and Undertaker Eddy took charge of the remains. An investigation was held by the coroner to determine whether or not there had been any foul play, but as no direct evidence of any kind was found in the time of the accident could be had, an inquest was found unnecessary.

The remains were taken to his home in Whiteville on Monday, and the funeral is being held this afternoon in Whiteville at two o'clock in the afternoon in the parlors of the Orange Order.

glum and France. In his audience he judged there were at least two hundred young men who should go. If he could show them what he had seen—youths held up by the feet and then bayoneted, young girls subjected to such shameful treatment that the horrors of it preyed so much on their mind they would shrink in fear, even from those who would protect them. To the young men he said that if they wanted their sisters treated in the manner to stay at home. Unless they do so, Germany is bound to win. If we had the same system as Belgium and France, we would have under arms some 500,000 men.

Sgt. Knight said his purpose here was to get men to go back with him, but he did not want men with cotton backings. He said the British Empire would emerge from this war purer and better. The men who came back will be the men who will control the government of this country. He was here to offer them a job, not with better pay, but one which requires them to perform a duty for their King and their country. When he was ready for the trenches he asked God to protect him and to help him do his duty. He had done his duty, he had Rev. Mr. Chader, a native of Sweden, who told of his experiences at the outbreak of the war, and the High, in December he received a bayonet thrust in the month which necessitated the removing of the back portion of the tongue. Again he learned the German language, and he was familiar with her military system. He declared most emphatically that the sympathy of the five and one-half millions of people in Sweden was with the Allies. At the conclusion he was warmly cheered. With the singing of the National Anthem a most interesting and impressive meeting came to a close.

Sgt. Knight said that of all the men he had witnessed dying in the battle, he had not seen one that was not smiling. He also related how a Scottish minister had set on the ground holding his bowels in his hands, and with a never-fading smile he kept urging his comrades until at last a German sniper, who had been picking him here and there, at last found a vital spot that put into his last long sleep this hero, minister, who had so willingly and so joyfully sacrificed his life that the mothers and daughters of his country might not suffer. He himself would say here, as Sgt. Patrick O'Leary had said, that he was willing to fight and give up his life for mothers, sisters, sweethearts and old men, but he would not fight for the stay-at-homes. The man who stays at home is mentally and morally deficient.

At no other recruiting meeting here were the truths of this gigantic struggle for world-power on the part of Germany, and freedom and righteousness on the part of the Allied armies, driven home so forcibly as they were by Sgt. Knight at this meeting. Having been there and seen for himself, and then told here, added strength to the truth of the outrages of which before we had only heard by report. It is regrettable true that even yet, regardless of all the energy employed by Sgt. Knight to make his words most impressive, and the truth of his stories of cruelty vindictive, there

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PERSONALS Mr. Joseph Napke, of Redbank was in Newcastle on Tuesday. Mr. H. L. Crocker, of Millerton, was in Moncton on Friday. Mr. John Sullivan, of Roseville, was a visitor in town this week. Mr. Howard Underhill is spending his vacation at his home in Blackville.

Mr. W. J. McNeil, of Campbellton is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Sullivan. Mr. Berval Watling spent Sunday in Moncton with Mrs. Watling, who is visiting Mrs. Arthur Metcalfe.

Mrs. Robert Jarvis and Miss Jennie Copp, returned on Friday from a visit to friends in Fredericton and Fort Fairfield, N.S. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Metcalfe are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a son and heir at their home in Moncton last week. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McCoy, of New York, and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McCoy, of Moncton, have returned to their homes after a very pleasant visit to Mrs. W. A. Touchie.

The numerous friends of Harry Gray, Manager of the Miramichi Lumber Co's mill at Douglstown will regret to learn that he is very ill with fever. Rev. J. J. Ryan, Inspector, of the Indian schools, with his mother and Miss Hannbury, of St. Mary's were the guests of Hon. J. O. and Mrs. Morrissy over Sunday.

Mr. T. H. Wilson, having received leave of absence, left yesterday, accompanied by Mrs. Wilson and

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POLICE COURT NEWS

In the police court on Monday a case of assault, Ue King on complaint of Robert P. Hubbard vs. Douglas Simpson was heard before Police Magistrate Lawlor. It appeared that Hubbard was attending a wedding at David Blackmore's, Cassilis, on the 9th inst., and when leaving for home about ten o'clock driving, he was struck in the face by a stone, knocking three teeth out. Twelve witnesses were heard, but as no evidence could be obtained to convict Simpson, the case was dismissed. It appears that there is a gang of fellows in Cassilis whose night actions are what they should be. In addressing the court Magistrate Lawlor said that should ever evidence be brought against any of them he would give such offenders as came before him the full limit of the law.

Nowlan vs. Power On Tuesday morning the case of John Nowlan vs. Thomas Power, both of Nelson, came up before Magistrate Lawlor. The case was for cruelty to animals. Nowlan's cows broke down the fence and got into Power's potato field. Defendant cut his dog on the cows. Case dismissed.

A. A. Davidson for the prosecution both of Nelson, and J. A. Creighton for the defence.

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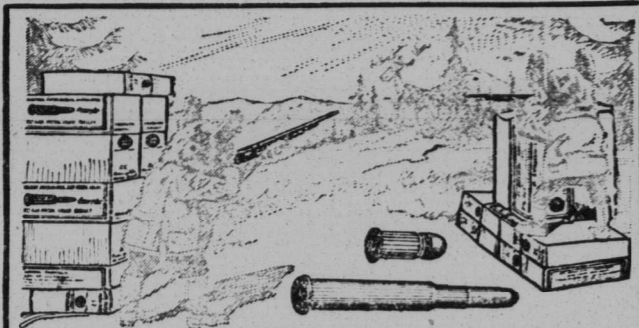
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Target Tips and Hunting Hints by Alfred P. Lane



A New Questions and Answers Department of Interest to Shooters

Readers are reminded that this column is open to questions which should be sent to me in care of the Sporting Editor, and to discussions by the readers on anything connected with hunting or target shooting.—A. P. L.

V. V. A. Index, Wash.
1. Will you kindly inform me the most effective range of the two following rifles. .32 S&W and .32-40?
Ans. The ballistics are: .32 Special, muzzle velocity 2,112 ft. sec.; muzzle energy 1,682 ft. lbs.; .32-40 (H.G.) Power, muzzle velocity 2,065 ft. lbs. They will give practically the same results.
2. Will a lead ball, with a cross cut at the point, have the same shocking power as a core-nosed bullet?
Ans. No, for the reason that the lead ball cannot be driven at the same velocity as a metal jacketed one. It would not hold the rifling if driven at such speed.
3. How much will a .32-40 drop in a hundred yards?
Ans. Bullet from the .32-40 black and low power smokeless cartridge, when fired at 200 yds., rises 10 to 11 inches above the line of sight at 100 yds. The high power cartridge bullet rises about 5 1/2 inches above the line of sight when fired at 200 yds.
G. D. H., Bagley, Wis.
1. I am thinking of buying a shotgun. Which would you advise me to get, a 20 gauge pump gun or a 12 gauge pump gun for shooting ducks, rabbits and squirrels. What length of barrel do you think would be best for each gun?
Ans. I would certainly recommend a 12 gauge, as it will kill at longer ranges than the 20 gauge gun. The length of barrel does not make any difference. A 30 inch full choke is standard and will give excellent results for this class of shooting. I would suggest a better grade than you mention.
A Subscriber, Portsmouth, N. H.
Kindly inform me whether it would spoil the shooting qualities of a 32 inch double barrel gun to have two inches taken from the end making it a 30 inch gun. Would the range of the gun be lessened to a very great degree or would the gun pattern as much as it would be fore?
Ans. You do not state whether the barrels are full choke, modified or cylinder. If they are full choke or modified, cutting 2 inches off the muzzle will make it cylinder bore and consequently reduce the patterns from modified or full choke to cylinder. If the barrels are cylinder bore, it will make no difference.
L. J. B., Waterloo, Iowa.
1. I wish you would explain to me the meaning of the two numbers, 25-35 calibre also 40-45.
Ans. In the days of black powder, cartridges were designated by three numbers; the first number gave the calibre, the second number gave the powder charge, and the third number gave the weight of the bullet. For instance, the .45-70 cartridge was known as the 45-70-405 being the calibre, loaded with 70 grains of powder, and a bullet weighing 405 grains. When smokeless powder came in, these same designations were adhered to, to a certain extent, but as various kinds of smokeless powder required different weights of powder to produce the same result, and as smokeless powder varies with each load from the powder makers, the figures at present have practically no significance; even the first figure does not represent the calibre exactly, especially in revolver cartridges, where for instance, revolvers bored to handle the .38 S. & W. cartridge have a barrel with a diameter of .360 inches.
C. S. S., Tomah, Wis.
1. Which of the two guns shoots the longer, 12 or 20 gauge?
Ans. Twelve gauge of course. This is due simply to the fact that it throws a larger number of pellets into the same size circle than the smaller gauge gun. All shotguns bore full choke, for instance, throw approximately 70 per cent. of their charge in a 30 inch circle at 40 yds., which is the standard testing distance. Since 12 gauge contains more shot, there will naturally be more in the circle.
2. Which has the most recoil?
Ans. Twelve gauge has the greater recoil.
3. What should be the pattern of 20 and 12 gauge, thirty yards with a three foot target using No. 6 shot?
Ans. You do not give the loads of shot and under the conditions above named, that is, a 30 inch circle at 40 yds., a gun should shoot 70 per cent. of its charge into the circle.
Inquirer, Braintree, Mass.
1. Is there any .32 Auto rifle out besides the Remington, Winchester and Savage?
Ans. No.
2. What is the address of the Colt and S. & W. Revolver companies?
Ans. Colt Patent Fire Arms Mfg. Co., Hartford, Conn., and Smith & Wesson Co., Springfield, Mass.
3. Do either of these companies make revolvers shooting the .32 and .35 rim fire cartridges?
Ans. As far as I know they do not. The center fire cartridges are much better anyway.
4. What calibre revolver would you recommend for a 17 year old boy, 6 ft., 2 inches tall?
Ans. You do not say what you wish to do with the revolver, so it is hard to advise. If for target work, any of the target models will give satisfaction. From your height I would say you probably have a large hand and you would probably be able to handle a gun with a good size grip to good advantage.
Alfred P. Lane
Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, Etc.

CANADA AT WAR

GOVERNMENT WILL COLLECT ONLY HALF OF SEED GRAIN ADVANCES

Remainder of Loans Will Be Left Over Until Next Year.

THE Honorable Dr. Roche, Minister of the Interior, whose Department has had charge of the distribution of seed grain and relief in Western Canada throughout the past year, and the taking of security therefor, has had under consideration the question of collections to be made this fall. The advances commenced early last winter, and were made necessary by the extreme misfortune which Western Canada suffered from the drought in 1914. It was hoped at the time that the amount required would not be unduly large, as the outbreak of war was making extraordinary demands upon the financial resources of the Dominion. The amount has, however, reached very large limits. There has been advanced up to July 31 for seed grain \$8,534,018.37, and for other goods by way of relief and fodder for animals \$4,075,420.89, making a total of \$12,609,439.21. As-

Western Relief Is Nearly Thirteen Million Dollars.

for other relief (in cases where both relief and seed grain and fodder have been provided) these will not be included in this year. Where, however, no seed grain or fodder has been provided, but relief only, one half of the amount advanced for relief will be expected to be returned. It must be remembered that this seed grain, fodder, and relief distribution has been a most extensive and far reaching undertaking. A definite and consistent system of collection must be adopted. It is not an easy matter to work out such a system without entailing too great expense of organization. Consequently, the purchasers of grain have been asked to co-operate in the matter of collections. In this way the organization at their disposal is used and the necessity for heavy expenditure on the part of the Government avoided. The Minister confidently hopes that all who have received assistance and to the people of the Dominion generally will accept the policy of the reduced amount to be collected this year as fair and equitable, and that all will co-operate and lend their assistance to work out successfully.

Financing Crop.

Aside from the question of ocean tonnage and exchange there should be no difficulty in financing the movement of grain. There are more liquors than they have been years. In addition they have as a reserve their emergency circulation and the facilities afforded under the Finance Act of 1914 by which they can obtain advances in Dominion notes against grain bills and other securities. So far as concerns credits to farmers, two recent amendments to the Bank Act introduced by Hon. W. T. White, are important. Under one a bank may take security upon grain remaining in the farmers' possession, and under the other the bank may take security upon a crop for seed grain advances. The financial legislation of the Dominion seems to have provided all possible facilities for the financing of the crop movement.

PREMIER BORDEN BRINGS MESSAGE FROM SOLDIERS

At the great welcome accorded Sir Robert Borden in Montreal on his return from England, he gave to the people a message from our gallant soldiers at the front. "Even greater than this," said the Premier, "was my privilege of visiting the hospitals in which I met our gallant men who had come back from the very valley of the shadow of death. They had gone through as trying ordeals as have ever been recorded in the history of the world, but I found them all cheerful, and all inspired with the same courageous determination as those others still at the front. It was a privilege to me, and I felt, when I addressed a thousand convalescent Canadians that it was the noblest audience I had ever faced. Altogether I visited four hospitals where Canadian soldiers were, and at these I met men from all parts of the Empire who had fought in France, Belgium, and the Dardanelles—the men who won fame at Ypres, Vimont, and Ivinchy. They came from many lands, but were all comrades, who had fought and would fight again for the same cause. It was a spectacle that gave to me a deeper sense of the duty of our Empire than I had ever had before, and I come back to you now with a clear message of Empire from them. I bring from the front this message from our soldiers; that they have done their duty in the past, and are prepared to do it in the future, and that no conclusion of the war will be satisfactory unless it brings to the Empire, for all the sacrifices they have made, the satisfaction of attaining the object fought for. Any nation that undertakes to establish the doctrine of spoliation shall go down beneath the might and contempt of the world."

MANY CONValesCENT HOMES ARE OFFERED

The following private homes, out of the large number which have been offered, have been accepted as military convalescent homes, and are in operation or will be in a few days: The home of Mrs. J. K. L. Ross, Sydney, N.S.; the home of Mrs. R. B. Dobell, Quebec; the Khaki League Home, Montreal; a home furnished by the Imperial Order of Daughters of the Empire, Winnipeg; the home of Mrs. J. F. Ross, Toronto; the home of Mr. Hugh Macpherson, Kingston, and a home lent by Mrs. Parks at St. John, N.B. The commission anticipates receiving considerable assistance in the operation of the convalescent homes from those who are anxious to render some service at this juncture. Voluntary aid committees have been established in the divisional area and military districts, and will organize crops of local workers.

Paris, Sept. 17.—A further large number of troops is reported by the Balkan Agency to have been called to the Greek colors. The Athens correspondent of this Agency says: Royal decrees has been issued calling out recruits of the classes of 1887, 1887 and 1888 on October 1.

Mr. Charles Spole of The Goss Printing Press Co., Chicago, was in town on Friday.

VIOLENT ATTACKS OF DYSPEPSIA

Suffered Tortures Until She Tried "Fruit-a-lives"

St. JEAN DE MATHA, Jan. 27th, 1914.
"After suffering for a long time with dyspepsia, I have been made well by 'Fruit-a-lives.' I suffered so much that at last I would not dare to eat for fear of my dying. Five years ago, I received a sample of 'Fruit-a-lives' and after taking them I felt relief. Then I sent for three boxes and I kept buying until I was well. I quickly regained my lost weight—and now eat, sleep and digest well—in a word, I am fully recovered, thanks to 'Fruit-a-lives.'
Mme. CHARBONNEAU.
One a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size 25c.
At dealers or sent postpaid on receipt of price by Fruit-a-lives Limited, Ottawa.

Mathieson Government Have Four Majority

Conservative Party Returned After a Close Hard Fight

Charlotte, N. C., Sept. 18.—Returns show that the Mathieson Government has been returned by a majority of four, the parties standing 17 to 13. The weather was fine and a large vote was polled. Liberal leader Rogers was defeated by Hon. Charles Dalton.

French Gunners Blow Up Supply Stations

Paris, Sept. 17.—French gunners exploded German supply stations in an artillery battle south of Arras, which lasted all day yesterday and last night, and in which thousands of shells were fired. The enemy opened the attack here, and also between Arras and Souchez. The French replied with great effectiveness, wrecking the advanced trenches and slowing the enemy's advance. The communication announced today. French fighting occurred last night between the Somme and the Aisne, but without important results. The artillery duel in the Arras zone and between Sappeland and the Aisne continued without cessation last night.



Synopsis of Canadian Northwest Land Regulations

The sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years of age, or any married or quarter section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for district. Entry by proxy may be made at any Dominion Lands Agency (but not Sub-Agency), on certain conditions. Duties: Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres, on certain conditions. A habitable home is required, except where residence is performed in the vicinity. In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter section alongside his homestead. Price \$3.00 per acre. Duties—Six months' residence in each of three years after earning homestead patent; also 50 acres extra cultivation. Pre-emption patent may be obtained as soon as homestead patent, on certain conditions. A settler who has exhausted his homestead patent may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$3.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate 50 acres and erect a home worth \$200. The area of cultivation is subject to reduction in case of rough, scrubby or stony land. Live stock may be substituted for cultivation under certain conditions.

W. W. CORY, C. M. G., Deputy of the Minister of the Interior. N. B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.—64388. 22-6mos.

10 CENT "CASCARETS" IF BILIOUS OR COSTIVE

For Sick Headache, Sour Stomach, Sluggish Liver and Bowels—They work while you sleep.

Furred Tongue, Bad Taste, Indigestion, Sallow Skin and Miserable Headaches come from a torpid liver and clogged bowels which cause your stomach to become filled with undigested food, which sours and ferments like garbage in a swill barrel. That's the first step to untold misery—indigestion, foul gases, bad breath, yellow skin, mental fears, everything that is horrible and nauseating. A Cascaret tonight will give your constipated bowels a thorough cleansing and straighten you out by morning. They work while you sleep—10-cent box from your druggist will keep you feeling good for months.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Galt*

Straight Talk To Merchants Who Do Not ADVERTISE

IF ALL the countless millions of merchants in every line of business throughout the universe, who yearly spend from hundreds up into the thousands of dollars to the various classes of newspapers, journals and magazines for advertising space, there are yet many more who do not spend a dollar a year for advertising in any form, and many still who do not use the newspapers, but who use other forms of advertising. To those who do not advertise at all, and particularly those who do not use the newspapers, this straight talk is intended for.

There are four principal reasons why these merchants do not advertise, and it is the purpose of what follows here to convince them of their folly in not using the columns of their local paper to advertise their wares, and become a power in their respective communities.

Every town or city has its percentage of merchants who belong to one or the other of these four classes who do not advertise. The Advocate will take these four classes one by one and endeavor to convince those who are doing business in Newcastle why they should change their views regarding advertising, and take out space in this paper. Briefly, they are as follows:

1. The Merchant who does not believe in Advertising.

The merchant who at some time or other did advertise and stopped because he failed to get the desired results, is a rare being; but where a case of this kind has occurred, if the truth were really known, it would be found that the fault was not with the newspaper, but because of lack of the proper attention that should have been given to his advertisement. Writing advertisements, while a profession in itself, is also one that can be recompensed by any wide-awake merchant, who will give the time and study required. The great reason why some merchants do not believe in advertising is because they have never made the start, and therefore not knowing for a certainty the results that will follow, are too timid to take the plunge. There are others in this class who do not believe in advertising because they have the idea that in giving the papers so much of their yearly earnings they are just making the newspaper man rich and are getting no returns. If this is a true reason, that it is not then the same may be said of the patrons of that store—they are making that merchant rich. "But," the merchant argues, "we are giving you value for your money." So does the newspaper. And every inch of space costs the paper not less than seven and one-half cents to produce. If the merchant who does not believe in advertising would join the great majority of those who do, and give strict attention to his ads, changing them weekly, he would soon experience an indirect increase in his business that would amaze him. He should use The Union Advocate because it is the best advertising medium in Northumberland County.

2. The Merchant who is hard to convince.

This merchant who is hard to convince that advertising pays, usually does believe in it, but he has not the courage to make the break. To him we say, follow the majority. He should talk the matter over with the ad. man, get interested, and learn all the points of the game. The trouble is, the man in this class does not understand just how results come from newspaper advertising. He should figure out just how much his business will stand for advertising and set aside that amount for one year's advertising, as a try-out. The next year, ten to one, he doubles that amount. He should feel that his business is just as big as the man's across the street who does advertise, and if it should not be, he should make it so by advertising.

3. The Merchant who does not believe in Newspaper Advertising.

The merchant in this class is generally a hard one to convince. As a rule his notion is a hard rock one, and he does not want to be convinced. He has tried many other forms of advertising with good results, but he loses sight of the fact that by refusing to patronize the local paper, he is withholding the support it is entitled to from him, because of the fact that in every effort the local paper puts forth for the up-building of its home town, a percentage of the results obtained by that effort goes towards the up-building of that merchant's own business. For that reason there should be co-operation, and in co-operation there will be increased business for both merchant and newspaper.

4. The Merchant who does not want Increased Business.

Luckily, in Newcastle, there are few who belong to this class. There are, however, some, but we believe they fail, as yet, to understand just what their true position in a town as a merchant should be. They may be content with the small percentage of the town's trade they are receiving, and do not wish to add the increased expense that increased business would naturally bring. But we cannot believe that their ambition stops here. There is no man with so much money but what he wants more, and if the merchant who does not advertise because he does not want any increase in his expenditures or business would read this ad. over carefully, and then each week read over the ads. of his competitors, he would soon find himself getting interested, and then his true worth as a merchant and citizen of the town would begin to dawn upon him. He would then realize how important it is for him to become a power in the town, to make his business a spoke in the wheel of progress, and lend his assistance in the guidance of the town's affairs. In order to bring himself up to this position he must co-operate with his local paper. The merchant who is content to remain in this class is a hindrance to the welfare of any town.

Now, just a few words to the merchants here who make up the above four classes. It is your duty as a citizen, if not wholly as a merchant, to patronize your local paper. If you contemplate advertising, you must understand that it is purely a business proposition with you, and up to you to adopt the paper that has the largest guaranteed bona-fide subscription list. That paper in Northumberland County today is The Union Advocate. If you have any doubt, the lists are open for your inspection, and you are invited to come and see them. Talk the matter over with yourself and figure out how much you can afford to spend for Xmas Advertising. Xmas is not far off, and is not too far for you to get in on the ground floor and get settled in a good permanent position now. A phone call will bring our representative to your store in five minutes.

THE UNION ADVOCATE
NEWCASTLE, N. B. Box 359
Phone 23

THE WEEK IN NEWCASTLE

Card of Thanks
Mrs. R. N. Weeks and family of Millerton, wish to thank their many friends for the kindness shown them in their recent sad bereavement.

Fair Warning
If the party who rides on the sidewalk past this office door happens to run into somebody going out—Well, there is a fine of \$8.00 according to the town's by-laws for this offence.

Conducting Campaign
Mr. John S. Scott, of Toronto, who conducted the Advocate's voting contest last a few weeks ago, passed through on Sunday's Limited en route to Sackville, where he will conduct a similar campaign for the Sackville Post.

Early Morning Blaze
The fire alarm rang at five-thirty Saturday morning for a fire in the rear of the Union Hotel. The fire caught in some unknown way in the cow barn and spread to the main building where there were about two tons of hay, which was partly destroyed. Two or three pigs were saved. The cow barn was empty. The firemen responded promptly, and two streams were soon playing on the building. It was fortunate that metal roofs were on this and adjoining buildings or the fire would have had more serious results.

Douglas Lady Dead
The death of Mrs. Colin McKinnon, one of Douglasstown's highly respected residents, took place at her home there on Thursday afternoon, after a lingering illness. She deceased was 54 years of age and is survived by her husband and eight sons—Rev. Father MacKind, of Pt. Misericord, Neil, Ebrahim, Edward, Vincent, Elmer, Alexander and Colin, who have the sympathy of a wide circle of friends in their bereavement. The funeral which was largely attended, was held from her late residence Sunday afternoon at six o'clock, at St. Thomas' College and Rev. Fr. Hart, Lordship Bishop O'Leary conducted the funeral services, and he was assisted by Rev. Fr. Finnegan of St. Thomas College and Rev. Fr. Hart. The funeral sermon was preached by Rev. Fr. Hart. About one hundred and twenty-five carriages followed the remains from the house to St. Samuel's cemetery, where interment was made.—Commercial.

Illustrated Lantern Lecture
A very interesting and educative illustrated lantern lecture was given last Friday evening in the Millerton Public Hall by Captain P. Forbes of the Salvation Army to a large number of people. The subject was the "British Fleet" and what it has done in the present war. The views of the fleet in action were very descriptive and were enjoyed by all present. The Rev. Mr. Rennie acted as chairman and in his remarks commended the work of the Salvation Army. After a nice time the meeting closed with the singing of God Save the King.

Found Roads Good
Hon. John Morrissey and party returned from their tour of inspection of the roads in northern New Brunswick on Saturday, and report finding all in good condition.

Killed in West
Word has been received here that Dr. Willard Sinclair, a former resident of Newcastle, was killed in an auto accident at Glen Blair, California. He was a son of the late Edward Sinclair and a brother of Hubert and William of the Sinclair Lumber Co.

Splendidly Remembered
The Advocate has been asked to make the announcement that the wedding present to Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Barry from the detachment at the Wireless was an expensive brass bed, springs and mattress. Lieut. Barry, who has been stationed at the Wireless for some months, is a favorite with the boys of the detachment.

Passed Examination
The following volunteers have passed:
Harry Perry, Nelson
Joseph Hubbard, Nelson
Peter Wilks, Riga, Russia
Edward Abelnok, Riga, Russia
John Fogar, Newcastle
William Adair, Newcastle
Clarence Wright, Newcastle
Stafford McCormick, Newcastle.
The first four left on Monday, and the others go today.

Dempsey-Wright
A very pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Dempsey, Stonehaven, Gloucester Co., on Wednesday evening, September 15th at 8 p.m. when Mr. Dempsey's sister, Miss Ida Dempsey, was united in marriage to Kenneth Campbell Wright of Shannonville, Restigouche Co.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. A. Wightman, of Bathurst, in the presence of about thirty relatives and friends of the contracting parties. The parlor was prettily decorated for the occasion with potted plants and the bride party stood under an arch of cedar and flowers. The bride who was given away by her brother, E. A. Dempsey, wore a very pretty gown of white silk crepe de chene, trimmed with shadow lace, chiffon and whole pearls and wore a pearl necklace, also bridal veil and orange blossoms and carried a shower bouquet of white asters and white sweet peas. The bridesmaid, Miss Margaret Smith wore white veil trimmed with lace and light blue ribbon. The groom was attended by his brother, Edwin K. Wright. The bride party entered the parlor to the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march rendered by Miss Zaida Hinton, of Deaktown. After congratulations luncheon was served. The evening was spent in games and music. The bride received many beautiful and useful gifts in silver, cut glass, furniture, etc. The groom's gift to the bride was a cheque, to the bridesmaid a wish-bone brooch set with garnets and to the groomsmen, a game stick pin.
Mr. and Mrs. Wright will reside in Stonehaven.

Garden Party Held in Aid of Red Cross

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Volkman, of Lower Derby, Give Afternoon Tea

A garden party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Volkman, Lower Derby, on Saturday afternoon, in aid of Red Cross work. Afternoon tea was served on the lawn, and croquet and tennis provided. A considerable sum was realized by the sale of candy, flowers, etc. In the evening the garden was prettily illuminated and music was kindly supplied by Mr. John of Millerton. Refreshments and tea Vanderbeck and Miss Grace Bessell, were also enjoyed.
The garden party was favoured with ideal weather, and was largely patronized by friends from Chatham, Newcastle and Millerton. A sum of over \$60 was raised.
Mr. and Mrs. Volkman wish to thank the ladies from Newcastle, Millerton, and Lower Derby, who rendered valuable assistance in making the party a success.

To Correspondents
Correspondents sending in county items will kindly mail the same to reach this office not later than Tuesday morning. Notes received Wednesday morning cannot be given space.

Occan Limited Run-off
The north bound Ocean Limited had a run-off a few miles this side of Campbellton on Saturday night about 7 o'clock, and Sunday's Limited south was about an hour late in consequence.

Wounded in Action
Mr. John Tardy has recently received a letter from his son, Joseph, who was fighting at the Dardanelles, telling him that he is wounded in the head and is at the hospital in Cairo, Egypt, but he hopes to get better soon so he can get back at the front again.

Mr. Charles Petrie, who has been visiting his home in Maple Glen, returned yesterday to Lowell, Mass., accompanied by his mother, Mrs. David Petrie.

LOCAL NEWS

There will be a small admission lecture given in the Salvation Army Hall on Friday night at 8 p.m. The subject of the lecture is "The British Fleet" and what it has done in the present war.

There will be thrown on the canvas photographic views of actual naval battles, such as Falkland Island Battle, Battle of the Dogger Bank, air raid on Cuxhaven, etc. There will also be pictures showing every type of British battleship.

This is a lecture that will be intensely interesting and everybody is invited to come.
There will be a small admission charge of 10c. Proceeds in aid of local S. A. work.

Instantly Killed by Falling From Express

I. C. R. Brakeman Todd Graham Fell From Maritime Express Nearing Moncton

Residents of Newcastle were shocked on Tuesday morning to hear of the death by accident to Terrance Graham, formerly a resident here, by falling off the south bound Maritime Express about a mile this side of Moncton.
The Moncton Transcript's account of this sad affair is as follows:
"About 8:10 this morning, as No. 24, south-bound express, was running along just this side of Pacific Junction, Mr. Todd (Terrance) Graham, an I. C. R. brakeman, Moncton, fell from the train, struck his head against a steel rail of a parallel side track and was instantly killed. The train had just entered the T. R. yard limits at the time, was still moving at a lively rate of speed and the accident was not observed by anyone on the express, which contained 175 men into Moncton without a stop.
The body was discovered by Section Foreman Mort Somers and his crew, who were following along of the pumper about fifteen minutes behind the express. The head was so badly battered as to leave no doubt that death was instantaneous. As there were no witnesses to the accident, the cause is, of course, not positively known, but it is thought that he had his balance and fell out while opening the vestibule doors of the cars, as is the duty of the brakeman as a passenger train approaches a stopping place.
The train dispatcher in Moncton was immediately notified, and he in turn notified Conductor Ferguson, No. 34, who was just sitting down to breakfast when he received the news.
A special train, consisting of a switcher #11 and a car, was at once run out to the scene of the accident. On board were Chief Dispatcher B. S. Ward, Station Agent Ernest Moore, Coroner James Kay, I. C. R. Officer Nelson Merrill and other local officials. After viewing the body, Coroner Kay gave the necessary permission for its removal and it was brought back about 10:30 on the special to the Union Depot from whence it was transferred to Tuttle's morgue to be prepared for burial.
Mr. Terrance Graham, the victim of yesterday's accident, was a native of Newcastle, where his father, who was a locomotive engineer on the I. C. R. in the early days of the North Shore line, resided. Both his parents are now dead. He is survived by a widow, formerly Miss Adair, of Newcastle, and by two young sons. The sons are Hebert, aged five years, who is just now confined to the city hospital, Moncton, with a broken leg, and Clayton, aged 13, who attends a city school. Miss Lizzie Adair of Moncton is a sister-in-law. Harry, employed in the I. C. R. roundhouse, here, is a brother, and Miss Flossie Graham is a sister.
Another brother Fred was formerly employed on the I. C. R. but left and went to Moncton where he entered the service of the Grand Trunk. He was killed about fifteen years ago, in much the same way that his brother met death yesterday.

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