

## 39

10

## You don't wash with the box!

Both box and wrapper of Baby's Own Soap are plain, business like and cheap. All the money is in the Soap itself, which is as "wholesomely" pure and fragrant as money can make it.

## Baby's Own Soap

is much imitated as to appearance, but delicate skins soon show the difference. "Baby's Own" costs YOU no more than the imitations.

Albert Soap Co., Ltd., Montreal.



## Wilson's FLY PADS

Three hundred times better than sticky paper.

NO DEAD FLIES LYING ABOUT

Sold by all Druggists and General Stores and by mail.

TEN CENTS PER PACKET FROM

ARCHDALE WILSON, HAMILTON, ONT.

**THE WORLD OVER**  
Thousands of Mothers are using  
**DR. CODERRE'S INFANTS' SYRUP**

For Children's ailments, you cannot but admit the fact that this preparation is one of merit and is all what is claimed for it. It is safe, pleasant and soothing for children teething, and a prompt checker of bowel and stomach troubles.

Physicians and Professional nurses recommend it.

In purchasing, see that Dr. Coderre's signature and portrait is on every wrapper. Beware of the many SYRUPS put up in a similar form and made to look like Dr. Coderre's.

Price, 25cts. per bottle, or by mail on receipt of price.

Sole proprietors, THE WINGATE CHEMICAL CO. Limited, Montreal, Canada.

**STANTON'S PAIN RELIEF.**  
A FAMILY REMEDY FOR INTERNAL AND EXTERNAL USE.

**Tudhope Carriages**

It's a mighty comfortable feeling to know that the carriage you buy is a Tudhope.

Because you get the Tudhope guarantee. And the Tudhope guarantee is backed by a firm that has been making carriages in Canada since 1855.

Let us show you the new season's styles in  
**TUDHOPE CARRIAGES.**  
**JOHN MORRISSEY, Newcastle**

**Girl Wanted.**  
A girl for general housework. Apply to  
**MISS THOMPSON**  
"The Rocks"

**Wanted.**  
A girl for general housework in small family. Apply to  
**MRS. H. B. ANSLAW,**  
Newcastle.

**Teacher Wanted.**  
A second class female teacher for District No. 113 Protectionville. Apply stating salary to  
**LEONARD SMALLWOOD**  
Sec. to Trustees.

**Kumfort**  
HEADACHE POWDERS  
CURE IN TEN MINUTES.

Absolutely safe, pleasant to take and quick in action. They are not only the best, but a great deal better than any other kind. They contain no opium or dangerous drugs and are made of the best of the most reliable ingredients. They are sold in every drug store and by mail on receipt of price. Accept only the Kumfort brand, all others are worthless.

Each box of 10 Powders, 10c.  
Box of 20 Powders, 20c.  
Box of 50 Powders, 50c.  
Box of 100 Powders, 1.00.

## Local and General News

**Of Special Interest to Our Readers, Gathered By Our Reporters from Many Sources, Whirl of the Town.**

Messrs. Ritchies' mill is running night and day. Lynch's mill, Nelson is also working night and day.

A meeting of the Northumberland Liberal Association will be held in the Masonic Hall, Chatham on Wednesday July 25th.

A large number of teachers are expected here next week for the Provincial Teachers' Institute. Many applications for board have already been received, and many more are expected.

An alarm of fire was rung in on Thursday, at noon. The fire was in Stables' grocery. Very little damage was done as it was discovered before much headway had been gained.

Last Tuesday evening the Steamboat Alexandra at Chatham, landed 131 boxes of salmon, or about 2,000 fish the largest amount ever brought to Chatham in one day.

Advertising has come to be one of the most important industries of the age. It is a business requiring all the brains and energy which man has to devote to any occupation.—New York Times.

A detachment of the 12th Field Battery under the command of Lt. C. W. Anslow left Friday morning for Sussex to take over from the Department the new equipment for this Battery.

Invitations have been issued for the marriage to take place at Fredericton on Wednesday, June 27th, of Miss Francis Palmer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Palmer, to Mr. W. A. B. McLellan.—Transcript.

The arbitrators, W. S. Smith, of Dalhousie, E. H. Allen, of Moncton and W. C. Winslow, of Chatham, awarded Mr. Duncan, for the land \$1,600, and for the other three items \$1,045. The town's offer to Mr. Duncan was \$825.

The arbitrators' fees were \$2,234.15.

If E. Sheargreen, of the Sheargreen Drug Co., Ltd., Woodstock, was in St. John on a business trip. His premises suffered somewhat by the recent Woodstock fire, but he said they are resuming normal shape.

Deer and moose are very plentiful in the back settlements and farmers report that they are damaging the crops. One of the I. C. R. says he saw eight deer and a moose on the trip between Fredericton and Chatham in one day. One day last week a large moose trotted up to within seven yards of the Milbank school house, where he remained for fully five minutes.

A fashionable wedding took place at the church of the Sacred Heart, Bathurst, at 9.30 o'clock yesterday morning when Miss Regina Eileen Burns, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Burns, was united in marriage to Mr. Clifford P. Hickey, druggist, of Chatham. The ceremony was performed by Bishop Barry, assisted by Rev. Henry O'Leary. The bride, who was given away by her father, was charmingly attired in a gown of white silk crepe de chene, with yoke of embroidered chiffon and real lace, veil of net with coronet of orange blossoms and bouquet of white roses and maidenhair fern. The only jewel worn was the gift of His Lordship Bishop Barry, a gold cross blessed by His Holiness the Pope. The bridesmaid was Miss Isabel Mullins, sister of the bride, Miss Agnes Florence Burns, sister of the bride, was flower girl, Dr. C.E. Coleman, of Chatham, supported the groom. The church was very extensively decorated.

**SIR JAMES WATSON'S OPINION.**  
He says that the commonest of all disorders, and one from which few escape is Catarrh. Sir James firmly believes in local treatment, which is best supplied by "Catarrh-zone." No case of catarrh can exist where Catarrh-zone is used; it is a miracle worker, relieves almost instantly and cures after other remedies fail. Other treatments only reach the diseased parts like catarrh-zone because it goes to the source of the trouble along with the air and breathe. Catarrh-zone is free from cocaine, it leaves no bad after effects, it is simply nature's own cure. Accept no substitute for Catarrh-zone which alone can cure Catarrh.

The canned meat scandal is in everybody's mouth. But what troubles the packers is that the canned meat isn't.

Pope Pius X. has granted a dispensation for the law of abstinence for Friday, June 29, the feast of SS. Peter and Paul.

A 22-lb. salmon, which was offered for \$2, was caught in the Miramichi this week. This is a very large salmon for this river.

Two moose have been seen frequently on the Chaplin Island road near Mr. Wm. Withersell's farm. It is a rare sight to see moose in the I. C. R. reservoir.

The watering cart made a much needed round of the town last Friday morning. The wind was blowing a gale and the dust was flying in clouds.

The U. S. farmers are discovering anarchist plots against the President. When it comes to creating a sensation they do not intend to be outclassed by any elite European nation.

The young people of the Presbyterian church, Nelson, gave a very successful entertainment Wednesday evening when the sum of \$50 was realized, which will be used towards church repairs.

Plump and pretty Miss Mollie Springer, aged fifteen, and Frank Ullock, aged nineteen were married at St. Mary's church a few days ago. They haven't gone to housekeeping yet, but continue to live with their mothers.

A large number of Salvation Army officers were at Union depot last night to bid farewell to Adjutant (Mrs.) Payne. She has been in charge of the rescue home for the past two years, and is now returning to her home in Newfoundland to enjoy a well earned vacation. She is accompanied by Adjutant (Mrs.) Beckstead, who will visit her for a few weeks.—Sun, 22.

Over five hundred people from the surrounding town drove to Black River to attend the formal laying of the corner stone of the new Presbyterian church now being erected at a cost of \$6,000. Among the speakers were Donald Morrison, M. P., and Mayer Nicol, of Chatham. Rev. John Robertson, the aged pastor of the church, performed the ceremony.

The Kent Northern Railway Company has purchased the Saint Louis branch railway and will begin to repair the line and put it in running condition. This line has not been in operation for some years owing to the unsafe condition of the two bridges over the Big North West and Little North West rivers. New ties will be put in this summer and the bridges will be rebuilt next winter and ere long when the work can be more easily done on the ice. It is expected the road will be completed and put in operation by next summer.—Review.

**A GUARANTEED CURE**  
For All Forms of Kidney Disease  
We the undersigned Druggists, are fully prepared to give the following guarantee with every 50 cent bottle of Dr. Puttin gill's Kidney-Wart Tablets, the only remedy in the world that positively cures all troubles arising from weak or diseased kidneys:—  
"Money cheerfully returned if the sufferer is not relieved and improved after use of one bottle. Three to six bottles effect astonishing and permanent cure. If not relieved and cured, your waste no money."—E. B. Dalton, Newcastle, N. E.

**NORWAY'S NEW KING AND QUEEN.**  
Trondhjem, June 22, 1235 p. m.—King Haakon and Queen Maud were today crowned respectively King and Queen of Norway in the cathedral here. The royal party entered the cathedral at 11.10 a. m. The coronation ceremony began almost immediately after their arrival. The crowning of his majesty was complete at 12.15. The coronation of the Queen began at 12.20 and was completed at 12.35 p. m. At 12.55 their majesties left the cathedral and arrived at the palace at 1 p. m.

## Free Gifts of Toilet Soaps

Use **SUNLIGHT SOAP** and **GET THE PREMIUMS**

The Coupons are the same as cash because they can be exchanged for Toilet Soaps for which you have to pay out money every week.

Users of **SUNLIGHT** and **CHEERFUL** SOAPS can get their **TOILET SOAPS** for nothing.

Read circular in every package, or write us for Premium List.

A gift is of little value if it consists of something you have no use for.

In exchange for **Sunlight Soap Coupons** you can get something you need and use every day.

## SAVE SUNLIGHT SOAP COUPONS

Lever Brothers Limited, Toronto, Canada

### PRETTY WEDDING

AT BATHURST.

Miss Helena Stacy and Dr. French Married Thursday

A very pretty wedding took place at the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Stacy, of Bathurst Thursday morning, when their daughter Miss Helena, was married to Charles E. French, of Lowell, Mass. Rev. Jas. Wheeler, pastor of St. Luke's Presbyterian church, performed the ceremony. The rooms were prettily decorated with roses and the bay window, where the wedding party stood, was banked with potted plants. The bride wore a very becoming travelling gown of brown, with a brown turban trimmed with pink roses, and carried a large bouquet of brides roses. She entered the room on the arm of her father, preceded by her only attendant, Miss Eleanor Eustis, of Cambridge, Mass., who wore pale blue mousseline de soie and carried pink sweet peas. The best man was Mr. Edmund Ketchum, of Lowell, Mass. The bridal party entered the room to the familiar strains of the Lohengrin wedding march, rendered by Mrs. J. P. Byrne, and Mr. Harry Willett, who played during the wedding breakfast, which immediately followed the ceremony. There were many attractive and valuable presents, including over four hundred dollars in gold coin. The groom's present to the bride was an amethyst necklace. The bride, who was one of our most popular and talented young ladies, will be much missed in Bathurst. Dr. and Mrs. French left by the local express east Thursday morning and after a wedding journey of several weeks will reside at 61 Nesmith street, Lowell, Mass.

If you knew the value of Chamberlain's Salve you would never wish to be without it. Here are some of the diseases for which it is especially valuable: sore throat, chapped hands, burns, frost-bites, chilblains, chronic sore eyes, itching piles, salt rheum and eczema. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by R. C. Vye.

**NOVA SCOTIA ELECTIONS; VICTORY FOR LIBERALS.**  
Conservatives Have Six Out of Thirty-Eight Members.  
Halifax, June 26.—The government has carried thirty-two of the thirty-eight seats in the house of assembly by substantial majorities. The conservatives have elected five members, but in two cases the vote is so close that these seats may still be classed doubtful. The sixth man elected in opposition to the government is a liberal and a prohibitionist.

I was cured of Bronchitis and Asthma by MINARD'S LINIMENT.  
**MRS. A. LIVINGSTONE.**  
Lot 5, P. E. I.  
I was cured of a severe attack of Rheumatism by MINARD'S LINIMENT.  
Mahone Bay. **JOHN MADER.**  
I was cured of a sprained leg by MINARD'S LINIMENT.  
**JOSHUA A. WYNACHT.**  
Bridgewater.

"Why did you shoot this highwayman?" asked the policeman.  
"In self-defense," answered the pedestrian with the big gun.  
"But he was running away from you when you fired," said the officer.  
"I know it," replied the other, but I was afraid he was going to run around the block and attack me in the rear."

**To Cure a Cold in One Day**  
Take **LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE** Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature on each box. 25c.

**HAVE YOU HEARTBURN?**  
It's quite common with people whose digestion is poor. Immediate relief follows the use of Nervine. Stomach is strengthened, digestion is made perfect, lasting cure results in every case. Use Nervine's Nervine once and you'll never be without it because every type of stomach disorder is conquered by a few doses. One 25c. bottle of Nervine always convinces. Sold everywhere for the past fifty years.

Mr. Tiger—"Yes, my darling, I shall always love you."  
Miss Hippo—"Ah, love, but in a few short years the first blush of my beauty will have faded and when I am no longer graceful and lovely, will you love me then?"

## Chatham's Big Fair

SEPTEMBER 17th to 21st, 1906

\$5,000 IN PRIZES

Special Features for 4 Northern Counties

Three Days' Horse Racing, and Other Attractions

Plan to spend the week in and around Chatham during Exhibition. For Prize List and any information, write to

**GEO. E. FISHER, Secretary.**

P. O. Box 64 CHATHAM, N. B.

**LARGE FIRE**  
ALONG I. C. R.  
Burning Stump the Origin of a Large Blaze.

Chatham, N. B., June 21.—A large fire is reported raging near Blackville, along the I. C. R. A man named Coughlan set fire to a stump, this spread and is now burning over a large area. Coughlan is said to have left the country for fear of the consequences.

**HOW TO GET CONSUMPTION.**  
Ninety per cent. of the "lungers" contract consumption by allowing power of resistance to fall so low that a favorable condition for the development of the bacilli is provided. In a healthy system consumption can't take root. But where there is weakness and debility, there you find tuberculosis. For developing strength and building up the weak nothing equals Ferrozone. It makes the blood nutritious and the nerves enduring. The way it converts food into nutriment, the appetite it gives is surprising. Just what the man verging on consumption needs—that's Ferrozone. If tired and weak don't put off. Fifty cents buys a box of fifty tablets—at all dealers.

**ADMITTED THEFT: SENT TO PENITENTIARY.**  
Bathurst, N. B., June 21.—Frank Richards, who was sent up for trial last week on a charge of larceny, committed at the Legere Hotel here on the 10th inst., was sentenced yesterday. He was tried under the Speedy Trials Act before Judge McLatchey, and received a sentence of three years in the penitentiary. Sheriff Meahan took the prisoner to Dorchester this morning.

**MEN'S THIGHS AS SALTED BEEF.**  
Beef Trust Accused of Making Irish Customers Cannibals.

Dublin, June 19.—The Independent states that Mr. O'Donovan, a member of the Brandon District Council, speaking at a Council meeting, accused the American Beef trust of making its Irish customers cannibals. He instanced the case of a local farmer, who had found parts of a man's thigh in a barrel of American salted beef. This fact could be proved under oath. The farmer was so disgusted that he buried the flesh in his garden and kept the matter secret for a long time.

**Gates' Life of Man Bitters**  
For this purpose. Composed of the extracted active principles of many native roots and herbs, it is thoroughly adapted to perform these functions.  
Get two bottles of "Life of Man Bitters" and one of "Invigorating Syrup" from your dealer and remove the listlessness and weary feeling due to the poison accumulated in the system.  
Sold everywhere.

**C. Gates, Son & Co.**  
Middleton, N. S.  
Farm For Sale.  
A farm containing 100 acres of land situated two miles from town. For further particulars apply to  
**PETER CORB**  
C. I. Road, Newcastle.

## Bowel Troubles of Childhood

It is impossible to exaggerate the value of FRUIT-A-TIVES as a medicine for children. They contain no alcohol—no morphine or cocaine—no dangerous drugs of any kind.

Fruit-a-tives are fruit juices—concentrated and combined with the most valuable tonics and internal antiseptics known to medicine.

Fruit-a-tives are free of calomel, opium, and the most violent purgatives that simply act by irritating the bowels. Fruit-a-tives are made of fruit and tonics and are pleasant and so mild in their action that they never gripe or pain.

During the summer months children are so apt to eat improperly, mothers should have a box of Fruit-a-tives always handy.

At the first sign of Diarrhoea, Indigestion, Headaches, Biliousness, Preeness, Vomiting—give Fruit-a-tives according to directions. These splendid fruit liver tablets will instantly correct faulty digestion—clean and sweeten the stomach—regulate the bowels, kidneys and skin—and so invigorate and strengthen the whole system, that the little ones can quickly throw off the temporary illness.

Get a box now—today. 50c. a box or 6 for \$2.50. Sent on receipt of price, if your druggist does not handle them.

FRUIT-A-TIVES LIMITED, OTTAWA.

## RIOT GUNS FOR EXPRESS CARS

Sequel to Recent Experience With Train Robbers in B. C. Mountain.

### MESSAGERS ARMED.

Riot guns of a very wicked type have been supplied all express messengers operating west of Winnipeg. The weapons are designed especially to discourage holdups in the British Columbia mountains. It is the latest device for the protection of the treasure trains of the C. P. R. This is the sequel of the recent British Columbia hold-ups.

The general superintendent of the Dominion Express Company yesterday said: "Yes, we have placed a consignment of riot guns in the hands of our messengers at Winnipeg. They will be carried on all cars from Fort William west. We have been figuring on something of the kind since the Mission Junction robbery of two years ago."

The Kamloops job determined us to take action. No special instructions have been issued to the men. They are merely expected to defend the property in their possession. That means shoot, of course, but the actual use of these guns will depend upon the messengers themselves.

"Some men will shoot highwaymen and others will not. Of course if a man is 'covered' by the gun of a robber he can do very little, but otherwise he might give a good account of himself. Each of these weapons carry a magazine of six shells loaded with twelve buckshot. They scatter in this particular type of rifle and can be depended upon to strike an object even when fired by a poor marksman."

"These weapons are used by all express messengers in the western States and in some encounters with bandits have proved very deadly."—Telegram.

Keep Minard's Liniment in the house.

### CAMPBELLTON LOSES ARBITRATION CASE.

Campbellton, June 20.—At a special meeting of the town council to-night Mayor Murray read the award of the arbitrators appointed to determine the amount that the town was to pay Robert L. Duncan for his land, also for damages in the four trespass suits which were pending, and damages he was entitled to for having been deprived of the use of his land and the costs he was put to by way of the town wrongfully taking possession of his land up to the 31st of March.

If your stomach troubles you do not conclude that there is no cure, for a great many have been permanently cured by Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Try them, they are certain to prove beneficial. They only cost a quarter. Sold by R. C. V.

## HARCOURT.

Harcourt, June 20.—Miss Lillian Fairbanks, of Montreal, came yesterday to spend a couple of weeks with her brother, Dr. Harry G. Fairbanks.

Mr. and Mrs. George N. Clarke, of Rexton, spent yesterday with Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Dunn.

Mrs. Perry, of Acadville, spent Sunday here with her sister, Mrs. David Johnson.

Joseph Buskirk, whose daughter Pearl, died on Saturday, passed through here Monday en route to his home at McLaughlin Road.

R. D. Richardson, of Chipman, spent last Saturday here with his uncle, Andrew Dunn.

Arthur, son of Station master J. W. Lutes, has returned from McAdam Junction.

Mrs. John Beattie returned yesterday from Moncton, where she has been undergoing treatment in the hospital. She is improved in health.

Mrs. Jabez Bryant, of River Herbert, (N. S.), is visiting relatives in this parish.

Mrs. Robert Reid came from Beersville Monday to visit her mother-in-law, Mrs. Joseph Reid.

### HACKETT SENTENCED TO 25 YEARS IN PENITENTIARY.

Montreal, June 20.—In the court of King's Bench today Chief Justice Lavette sentenced Hackett, found guilty of man-slaughter in connection with the Ahern child in April, last, to twenty-five years in the penitentiary. In a statement the prisoner claimed that he was innocent of the crime.

### ELEVEN MINUTES TOIL DAILY.

Enough to Support World—Calculation of French Socialists.

Paris, June 18.—Eleven minutes' work a day for every man is the ideal of Socialism that Jules Guesde, deputy from Roubaix, has set up.

He has calculated that in a properly constituted society, in which the modern machinery of America is employed, no man need work more than eleven minutes in the twenty-four hours. M. Guesde bases his theory on the calculation that the work of seven men is sufficient to grow enough corn, thresh it, grind it into flour, and cook enough bread to provide for 1,000 persons.

Deputy Guesde says: "If the work of seven men suffices to provide food for one thousand, that would mean that seven full day's work by the whole community would provide for one thousand days' material necessities. The secret of the freeing of humanity from labor lies in proper organization."

### OBITUARY.

After an illness of only a few days Mrs. Dora Smyth, relict of the late William Smyth, passed away Wednesday morning, June 20th at her residence, South Teteagouche, Bathurst. For some time Mrs. Smyth seemed to be failing rapidly but kept about the house every day with few exceptions until the last few days. She was stricken with a slight attack of paralysis from which her life slowly ebbed away.

Mrs. Smyth was born in Kilbratney, Ireland, Dec. 13th, 1825. Mrs. Smyth inherited a deep religious nature and was all her life a devout member of the Episcopal church. Her place in the hearts and minds of her acquaintances will never be filled, she was always a kind and sympathetic neighbor, and ever ready to help in time of trouble.

The community has indeed lost one of its nearest and dearest friends.

Mrs. Smyth's husband was for years a magistrate in that locality and one of Bathurst's best citizens. Deceased leaves nine children: William W., John B., George W., Mrs. W. T. Smith, and Mrs. J. W. Smith of Teteagouche, and Benjamin R. and Bernard J. of Hamilton, Ontario, and Mrs. L. P. James of Fredericton.

The funeral took place Friday afternoon at 2.30. The pall-bearers were—Messrs. Samuel Payne, Stephen Kent, Silvanus Payne, John Brown, Samuel Smyth, and Robert McIntosh. The floral offerings were very pretty.

A GUARANTEED CURE FOR PILES. Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Do not be deceived by cheap money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure in 6 to 14 days. —50c.

## REMARKABLE FIND.

Human Skeleton, Silver Watch and Other Trinkets Alleged to Have been Discovered in Cenozoic Carleton Co. Cave.

Andover, June 19.—Great interest is manifested in the towns of Perth and Andover in the story of a remarkable discovery made at 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon by Charles R. Stewart, and John E. Stewart, near Johnville, Carleton Co., about eight miles back of the village of Bath, where the bones of a human being, who perhaps had been dead more than two hundred years, were found in a blockaded cave.

For many years the existence of this cave has been known to inhabitants in that section of the county, but until Saturday none had the necessary curiosity and courage to venture in. On that day the Stewarts, who had long been desirous of investigating to satisfy their natural curiosity, went to the cave and noticed that at the roots of a large tree which grew on the top of a mound of earth was what seemed to be a small round hole long since covered with herbage. This only served to make them more curious, and armed with dynamite and lanterns they set out next day for the spot determined to unravel the mystery.

At the front of the mound appeared a huge rock, back of which was an opening. Placing a stick of dynamite in position they lighted the fuse but the explosion only served to carry away a piece of the rock, and it was not until six sticks had been used that the obstruction was finally demolished. Then the men were surprised to find twelve stone steps leading down to a passage seven feet wide. This opening into a main room about twelve feet square. All was dark within, and not knowing whether or not the place was the home of some animal the two men lit their lanterns and walked down. Upon entering the larger room they were startled to find what they believed to be the bones of a human being, lying in a hunk made of stone. No trace of flesh was there and the bones were dry and crumbly.

The air of the room was stifling, and Mr. Stewart, is of the opinion that the place had become sealed so as to be almost air-tight.

Near the bones was a gold ring on which was inscribed, "John Long, Dec. 4, 1779." A few inches away was a silver watch, which bore the date 1770, but on which can be found no inscription of any sort.

Underneath the bones were found several traces of coarse hair, which would indicate that the body had lain on a cowhide or mousehide skin, or something of that nature. Underneath the hunk they found three books, two in Latin, the third written in English. One of the Latin books was Suetonius' History of Rome, dated 1607 and on the fly leaf were several Latin inscriptions. Inside was written the following:

B. A. STRONG, Oxford College, May 24, 1670.

Underneath this appeared the name: James Haywood, 1685.

The other book was Seneca's Tragedies, and in it was marked the date 1659.

The English book had the following printed on the first pages: "Memories of the Cardinal de Retz, containing all the great events during the ministry of Louis XIV. and the administration of Cardinal Mazarin, Done out of French. Printed at Dublin by I. Riley of Court Hill, for Stearns Brock, bookseller, at the Stationers' Arms, in Castle street, 1736. Inside the cover of this book were written the names of David Fowles and Michael Carney.

Around the books, which were in a good state of preservation was a large piece of bark, on which were marks believed to be plans of other caves. Some of the handwriting on the bark is in English, the rest appears to be in Latin or French. The bundle was in an old teapot. At one end of the room, and immediately underneath the little hole in the roof, which was later uncovered and found to exist, was the remains of an old fireplace.

What it all signifies the people here have no means of knowing, but the investigation will be continued.

## AGAINST THE SUNDAY OBSERVANCE LAW.

Much Opposition is Being Expressed.

Ottawa, June 22.—The premier is apparently having trouble with the Sunday Observance Law. The many stringent regulations which have been added to the measure since it was introduced have alarmed two classes, those whose business compels them to keep works going on constantly, and those who, like the Quebec majority, take a less rigid view of the Sabbath than the Puritan view which dominates the bill. Sir Wilfrid's Quebec followers are disposed to give him all the assistance they reasonably can in the measure, but they are reluctant to go as far as to create a revolution in their homes as this measure will. They claim that this majority of their people are as moral as those of any other portion of Canada, and that as a religious measure this bill is not needed. There is a strong feeling against the measure among the members who take a practical view of the Sabbath as a day of recreation, and who do not think the legislation advisable. As has been intimated, there is a strong possibility that the measure will stand until next session, but that is not yet settled. (Globe.)

## WANTED IN WYOMING.

At the International Sunday School convention at Louisville, Ky., in answer to the roll call of States, reports were verbally given by the various state chairmen. When the Lone Star state was called a humane specimen of Southern manhood stepped out into the aisle and with sudden voice exclaimed: "We represent the great State of Texas. The first white woman born in Texas is still living she now has a population of over three million."

There was a pause of bewilderment for a moment and then a voice from the gallery rang out clear and distinct.

"Send that woman out to Wyoming—we need her!"

## MAN HERE BEFORE COAL.

Imprint of an Axe Fossilized in Anthracite—Miner's Discovery.

Pottsville, Pa., June 19.—A Pottsville museum has just bought from a Polish miner, employed in the Eagle Hill Colliery, two small pieces of coal, one of them bearing the imprint of a plant and the other the fossilized imprint of an axe.

The lucky find brought the miner \$500, but its value to science is almost incalculable, as the clear impression of the axe upon the piece of coal tends to prove that man was here before the formation of the coal beds was completed, and man was at least partly civilized, having the use of tools.

Some time ago a piece of anthracite coal taken from a mine was found to bear the imprint of a gigantic hand. There was a controversy among scientists as to whether this imprint was made by a man or by a prehistoric ape. This piece of coal was taken from the Eagle Hill Colliery.

## C. P. R. AFTER A DISHONEST OFFICIAL.

Trunk Containing \$50,000 in Securities Seized.

Chicago, June 22.—Two trunks said to contain securities worth \$50,000 were seized at Hammond, Ind., yesterday by Deputy Sheriff Albert Morris, acting on the complaint of attorneys of the Canadian Pacific Railway. The trunks and securities were sent by P. B. Wehman, formerly the road's Chicago agent, who is under indictment here for embezzlement of funds said to aggregate \$120,000.

## Minard's Liniment used by Physicians.

written the names of David Fowles and Michael Carney.

Around the books, which were in a good state of preservation was a large piece of bark, on which were marks believed to be plans of other caves. Some of the handwriting on the bark is in English, the rest appears to be in Latin or French. The bundle was in an old teapot. At one end of the room, and immediately underneath the little hole in the roof, which was later uncovered and found to exist, was the remains of an old fireplace.

What it all signifies the people here have no means of knowing, but the investigation will be continued.

## Weak Kidneys.

A change in the weather—the slightest imprudence—and O! what excruciating pain in the back. A cold flies to the weakest spot. And Kidneys that take cold easily, prove weakness—perhaps disease. A slight weakness soon becomes a serious disease in such vital organs as the Kidneys. Hood Nature's

warning. Make the Kidneys well and strong, so they can perform their proper duties.

### GIN PILLS

make the Kidneys well and keep them well. They strengthen weak Kidneys—cleanse and heal the affected parts—put those important organs in the best possible condition, and effectively cure all Kidney Troubles. Try GIN PILLS. If they don't completely cure you, we authorize your druggist to refund the money. That shows our confidence in GIN PILLS. See per box, 4 boxes for \$2.50 at your druggist's or THE SOLE DRUG CO., WINNIPEG, MAN.

THE COOK IS PLEASED!

## "Sunbeam" Flour

Never goes back on her never fails—never disappoints her, and each lot is always UP TO THE STANDARD. You can make the WHITEST bread and the most DELICIOUS pastry if you use "SUNBEAM." MAXIMUM HARD WHEAT gives the flour its STRENGTH and OXTON WHITE and RED WHEAT its COLOR and FLAVOR.

Your Grocer keeps it. The John Caspell Co. Ltd. St. Thomas, Ont.

## Sunshine Furnace

The "Sunshine" furnace and "sunny" ways are synonymous.

The cold, dreary winter days can be made cheery and warm with a pure, healthful heat if you have a "Sunshine" furnace.

Is easier to operate, cleaner, uses less fuel and "shines" in many other ways over common furnaces.

Two shakers are used to shake the heavy, triangular-shaped grates. This just cuts the work of shaking-down in half, besides being easier on the furnace than the old one-shaker style.

Sold by enterprising dealers everywhere. Booklet free.

## McClary's

LONDON, TORONTO, MONTREAL, WINNIPEG, VANCOUVER, ST. JOHN, HAMILTON.

## Fisherman's Outfit

This \$3.00 outfit includes a fishing rod, reel, line, sinker, and bait. It is a complete outfit for the fisherman. It is a complete outfit for the fisherman. It is a complete outfit for the fisherman.

Send me, for my catalogue of Fishery, Game, and Fishing Tackle, a small card, and I will send you a complete outfit for the fisherman. It is a complete outfit for the fisherman. It is a complete outfit for the fisherman.

T. W. BOYD & SON, 27 Notre Dame St. West, MONTREAL.

## CANADIAN PACIFIC

Commencing May 6th

TWO Express Trains Each Way Every Day

Between MONTREAL and VANCOUVER

The Imperial Limited Leaves Montreal daily 9:40 a.m. First and Second Class coaches and Pullman Sleepers through to Vancouver. Tourist Sleepers on Sunday, Monday and Thursday.

The Pacific Express Leaves Montreal daily 9:40 p.m. First and Second Class coaches and Pullman Sleepers through to Vancouver. Tourist Sleepers on Sunday, Monday, Friday and Saturday. Montreal to Vancouver.

These Trains reach all points in Canada and British Columbia.

Write for particulars to R. F. PERRY, P. A., C. P. R., St. John, N. B.

## WANTED

PINE DEALS AND ENDS

Quote price F.O.B. cars.

THE CANADA WOODENWARE CO., Limited, HAMILTON, N. B.

Save 10 Per cent of Premium.

We can save you at least 10 per cent on your fire insurance premium.

INSURE IN

## The Traders Fire Insurance Company

Authorized Capital \$1,000,000

One of the Big Companies.

H. B. ANSLAW, Agent, Newcastle N. B.

## Coal and Wood.

We have in stock a large quantity Lehigh Valley Hard Coal, also Sydney and Pictou coal, Dry and Green Hard and Soft Woods.

### DELIVERIES Promptly Attended to.

## John Russell & Co. NEWCASTLE.

## T. F. Sherard & Son.

Moncton, N. B.

### IMPORTERS OF Marble and Granite.

MANUFACTURERS OF Monuments, Tablets, Gravestones and other cemetery work. Also modern machinery for polishing marble and granite. New lettering and carving machinery run by compressed air. Write us for prices and catalogue.

## BOILERS, SMOKE STACKS, AND ALL KINDS OF SHEET STEEL WORK.

L. MATHESON & CO. LTD. NEW GLASGOW

# The Union Advocate

ESTABLISHED 1867.  
NEWCASTLE, JUNE 27, 1906.

## THE BEEF ENQUIRY.

The beef question in the west is certainly being probed to the bottom, and not before it was high time. The worthy President is certainly having his hands full, trying to restore order out of chaos. The thriving Republic to the south of us is thriving in a way which only outlaws and desperadoes thrive, and we have only to thank providence that the disease is not epidemic here—there is no doubt but that there are a few cases and they are not under quarantine either. But Chicago canned beef is certainly an uncertain dish. The goods are shipped here in cans bearing the label of canned beef is far from being the genuine article. What a chorus of voices might resound from a single can of beef (?) if the various particles suddenly became animated and restored to original life. There would be howling of oxen, the bleating of sheep, the neighing of horses and the meowing of cats, the barking of dogs and the braying of asses, and just how many less familiar sounds might be difficult to determine. And yet all this is sold as genuine beef and placed upon the tables of both rich and poor and devoured with relish. Oh faithful Fido! to think how you have served your master in life, and after your death your carcass provides him with a dinner.

Nor is this all. It must not be forgotten that this canned goods often remains for years in a cold storage, and should decomposition take place as it not infrequently happens, the result might prove fatal. Many cases of ptomaine poisoning has resulted from eating canned food and it is not so very long since a case in point was reported from our midst—two persons in our own town became dangerously ill from this cause.

And although the Chicago packers have been for years robbing the public, a howl of rage goes up from the factories now that the discovery has been made. Brigands are shot at sight for doing less lawless acts; yet these western desperadoes have been doing this for years and all the punishment they have received resulted from the falling off of their trade. And yet this is called Justice.

Senator Ellis writing in the St. John Globe says:—"Three New Brunswick members who are constantly in their seats in the House of Commons are: Mr. Reid, of Restigouche; Mr. LeBlanc, of Kent; Mr. Targion, of Gloucester. It is something unusual when all of these gentlemen are not there at the same time. They talk little, but presence both in the House and in the committees amply indicate the attention they give to their duties. Probably they could talk quite as well as some of the gentlemen to whom one has sometimes to listen, but there is so much talk that the silent men grow in one's affections. Mr. Loggie of the North Shore member, sits on the opposition side, as there is not sufficient space for all the government supporters on the right of the Speaker. Mr. Loggie does not say a great deal, but a few nights ago he came out quite strongly on a rather important matter.

A peculiar accident took place Monday afternoon at the Miramichi pulp mill. A fireman named Geo. Cable was working around one of the furnaces when a sudden back draught caused the flames to shoot out and envelope him. The accident took place in the fraction of a second, but Cable was badly burned about the face, throat and left hand. His injuries, however, are not considered fatal. Dr. Duffy was called and attended to the injured man.

Word was received here last week of the death of Mrs. Clay, formerly Miss Maud McMurdo. Death took place last Tuesday at New Haven. Mr. McMurdo went to Moncton and accompanied the remains to his P. E. I. home where interment was to take place. Much sympathy is felt for the bereaved family as this is the third death within a short period.

## CONVENT CONCERT GREAT SUCCESS.

(Continued from 1st page)

loudly applauded, and she is to be complimented on the talent displayed in the rendering of this difficult piece.

"Just the Style," by Misses G. Foley and M. Keating was very prettily done and they were obliged to respond to an encore.

The reading by Miss Creaghan was also well rendered and the duet by Misses Black and Ryan was given in good voice and received merited applause.

"The Gleaners" was a very pretty drill and the movements were gone through without a hitch. These exercises are a most popular feature of the performance and are always carried out to perfection.

As usual the music was of a high order. The orchestra rendered very sweet music.

The only fault which could possibly be found was the length of the entertainment. Commencing at 8.30 it was after 11 at the conclusion. The Sisters of the Convent are to be complimented on the fine work of their pupils.

### PRIZES AWARDED.

Grade 1—1st prize merited by Miss L. Arsenault.

Grade 2—1st prize merited Miss M. Bernard, second by Miss C. Perron.

Grade 3—1st prize merited by Miss Hedwige Morris, second

Grade 4—1st prize merited by Miss Annie Armstrong.

Grade 5—prize for highest aggregate at written examinations merited by Miss K. O'Leary.

Grade 6—prize for highest aggregate at written examinations merited by Miss M. Sullivan.

Grade 7—Prize for highest aggregate at written examinations merited by Miss Julia Major.

Grade 8—Prize for highest aggregate at written examinations merited by Miss M. Riordan.

Grade 9—Prize for highest aggregate at written examinations, awarded to Miss C. Lawlor, second to Miss A. McCombes.

Grade 10—Prize for highest aggregate in special commercial course awarded to Miss Helen Lawlor.

The above mentioned prizes were largely due to the generosity of Rev. Fathers Dixon, McGuire and Purcell, His Worship Mayor Hennessey, Mrs. Hugh Morris, Mr. J. D. Creaghan, Mr. Thomas Durick, Mrs. J. D. Creaghan, Mrs. Foley and Mrs. J. D. Paulin. The beautiful gold medals and crosses awarded to the Misses Hand, M. Lawlor, F. Coulombe, M. Murray and C. Lawlor were the highly valued donations of His Worship Mayor Hennessey, Mrs. Hennessey, M. Bannion, Esq., Rev. Father McGuire and J. D. Creaghan, Esq.

Special prizes were awarded for Christian Doctrine to Misses L. Ryan, L. Arsenault, A. Ryan, K. McCabe, C. Lawlor.

The winners of the prizes for Good Conduct were Misses A. Morris, A. McCabe, A. Connan and D. Cronan.

The following pupils obtained the required percentage at the final examinations and were in consequence promoted.

From Grade 1 to 2—Miss L. Arsenault, R. O. Bright, G. Mitchell, G. Vickers, G. Sullivan, G. Gallant, M. Daughney.

From Grade 2 to 3—Misses M. Bernard, M. Arsenault, M. Driscoll, C. Perron, B. Murray, M. Condren, A. Donovan, M. Fallon, N. McEachran, M. Dunn, A. Comfort, M. Wright.

From Grade 3 to 4—Misses H. Morris, T. Currie, R. Fish, T. Donnet, B. Whalen, G. Comfort, M. Myers, M. DeWolfe, M. Tardy, G. McCarron, M. Schultz, M. Williamson, Corinne Lawlor and S. Danahy.

From Grade 4 to 5—Misses C. Armstrong, N. O'Brien, J. Buckley, M. Keating, A. Whalen, S. Bernard, K. Armstrong, G. Foley, A. Cuthbert, J. McGowan, C. Coulombe, P. Perron, F. Coulombe, A. Dubé.

From Grade 5 to 6—Misses K. O'Leary, A. Creaghan, M. Sullivan, F. Doyle, M. Murphy, C. Donovan, A. Major, A. O'Brien, M. McGrath, M. McCarthy, K. Dalton, G. Dunn.

From Grade 6 to 7—Misses M.

Sullivan, B. Foran, B. McGrath, M. Lawlor.

From Grade 7 to 8—Misses J. Major, A. Condren, K. McCabe, B. Young, T. Gillis.

SENIOR CLASSES.

From Grade 8 to 9—Misses M. Riordan, E. O'Leary, M. Murray, A. Morris, J. Doyle, W. Cronan.

From Grade 9 to 10—Misses C. Lawlor, A. McCombes, T. Hughes, K. Donovan, K. Buckley.

From Grade 10 to 11—Misses Helen Lawlor, (special commercial course) Mary Lawlor, special course.

Special prizes were awarded to several young ladies for excellent work in the Arts and music departments.

The fancy work and paintings on exhibition at the Convent for the past week were of the very highest order and words of praise were heard on every side from visitors to that institution. This display consisted of the work of the pupils of all departments.

## BATHURST

### Social and Personal

Bathurst, N. B. June 20—Mrs. Bliss, who had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Hooper, returned to Amherst during the week. She was accompanied by Mrs. Hooper, who will spend a short time in Amherst.

Mrs. McKay has returned from a visit to Campbellton.

Mrs. Miller, and Miss Gillespie, who were guests of Mrs. G. Gilbert, returned on Monday to Chatham.

Mrs. W. J. Houston, of Michigan (U. S. A.), is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. Sutton.

Mrs. M. Hickey and her daughter, Miss Annie Hickey, are guests of Mrs. P. J. Burns, this week.

Mrs. H. White spent some days in Carleton Place during the week.

The pupils who have been attending Normal School during this term returned Saturday to enjoy a well earned vacation.

Mr. Edmund White, of New York, is visiting his home people here.

Master H. Ellis, of Dalhousie, has been sent here to take a position in the Royal Bank staff.

Mrs. Maggie Stout, after a pleasant visit to her home here has returned to Chicago.

Mr. Aurele Landry, of the Bank of Montreal, has been removed to Grand Falls. On Monday evening the Bathurst Amateur Dramatic Club, of which he had been secretary, met at the home of one of the members and presented to him an address and a pipe.

All expressed their best wishes for his future success. Mr. Landry has been one of our most popular young men and will be very much missed among the young people.

Miss Dodo Powers entertained a number of small friends at a birthday party on Tuesday evening.

## WHITNEYVILLE

### Social and Personal

The rain of the past few days has proved a great blessing to the farmers and a fine crop of hay is expected.

We are sorry to report that Miss Jessie M. Cuen, our popular teacher has resigned her position. She will be greatly missed in school circles here.

Misses Lucy Menzies, and Annie Brackett, who have been spending some time in Lawton, have returned home. Their many young friends are glad to see them again.

Miss Katie Blackmore intends spending a few days at her home in Cassilis next week.

Mr. James Sherard of Bloom Road spent Saturday evening with friends here.

Mr. James McKeandrick paid a flying visit to Newcastle on Saturday.

Mr. Mark Sinclair paid a visit to Bloom Road last week.

Misses Lottie Sherard and Aggie Hill of Bloom Road visited friends here last week.

## BRYENTON.

The public closing examination of the Bryenton school was held here on Friday afternoon June 22nd.

The pupils were examined in the different branches of instruction and showed marked ability by the prompt and intelligent answers given.

An interesting programme of dialogues and recitations followed with the singing of patriotic songs and a few choice selections on the gramophone.

At the close the following address was read and a purse presented to their teacher, Miss Donovan.

Dear Miss Donovan:—It is with the deepest regret that we have learned that you have resigned the position of teacher in this school, and we wish to show our appreciation of your service by presenting you with this small token. Your ability and untiring patience in all school work have won you the respect and admiration of both parents and children. Though we deeply regret your departure from among us, we sincerely hope that your career as a teacher will be as successful in the future as in the past, and wherever you may be called upon to perform your duty, our best wishes for success will ever attend you.

(Signed) May S. Warren  
Ida I. Bryenton.

In behalf of the school.

Just before closing a delectable luncheon of ice-cream and cake was passed round.

About thirty visitors were present.

## RESCUED A CREW BOUND TO MIRAMICHI

Liverpool, June 25—The Leyland line steamer Bohemia, which arrived here today brought Captain Grindleton and ten members of the crew of the Norwegian bark Vega, from Lunenburg Miramichi (N. B.) who were rescued in the mid-Atlantic after the Vega sprang a leak. After the rescue of the crew the bark was set on fire.

## JOHN JARDINE DIED AT SUPERIOR.

Son of Mr. Michael Jardine of the Town—Funeral Monday.

Mr. Michael Jardine, merchant, received a telegram Thursday announcing the death of his son John at Superior, Wisconsin, on Wednesday night. The deceased young man was a native of Miramichi who left here for the West some seven years ago.

He was an industrious, ambitious, young man and rose to the position of engineer on the steamer "Medina". About a month ago he complained of not feeling well but stuck to his post, but some days later was obliged to go to St. Mary's Hospital, Superior. He was suffering from Typhoid fever, and gradually grew weaker until the end, last Wednesday night. Deceased was 32 years of age.

His brother Charles was with him during his illness and everything possible was done but without avail, and he accompanied the remains to Newcastle where they arrived Monday morning. The funeral took place from the train to St. Mary's church where Rev. Fr. Dixon conducted the services. Interment was in the church cemetery. The floral tributes from friends in the west which adorned the casket were beautiful.

Mr. and Mrs. Jardine have the sympathy of the entire community in their sad bereavement.

Further particulars apply to THOS. FOLEY, Hotel Miramichi, Newcastle.

## Notice of Sale.

To Janet McKibbin of North Ek in the County of Northumberland widow and the Heirs of the late Andrew McKibbin and all others whom it may concern.

Take Notice that there will be sold at Public Auction in front of the Town Hall in the town of Newcastle, in the said County of Northumberland on Monday the thirtieth day of July next at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

All that certain lot or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Parish of North Ek aforesaid, conveyed to the said Andrew McKibbin by William McKibbin, Senior by Indenture bearing date the twentieth-fifth day of July A. D. 1882 and described therein as follows. All that certain piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Parish of North Ek, in the County aforesaid being part of the lot of land granted to the Honourable Thomas Peters by letters patent under the great Seal of the Province of New Brunswick, bearing date the twenty-third day of February, A. D. 1832 the piece being about and bounded as follows: Twenty-six rods wide more or less (on the lower or Easterly side by lands lately occupied by James Mutch and brothers and on the upper side by lands lately occupied by Jared Toner and now in the occupation of William Leach) thence running North West four degrees West along the Westerly line of said lot one hundred and forty seven chains to the rear of lot D, thence southerly at right angles with the side line of Lot D, six and one half chains more or less, thence South four degrees East, parallel to the side line of said lot D, to the bank or shore of the North West Branch of the Miramichi River and thence along the said bank or shore down stream to the place of beginning containing eighty five acres more or less as reference to the said Deeds will more fully appear.

The above sale will be made under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain Indenture of Mortgage bearing date the eighth day of April A. D. 1883 and made between the said Andrew McKibbin and Janet McKibbin his wife of the first part and Mary Rundle, William Park and Allan Ritchie, Executors of the last Will and Testament of the late John Rundle of the second part default having been made in the moneys secured by the said Indenture of Mortgage.

Terms cash.

Dated this twenty-fifth day of June, A. D. 1906.

Mary Rundle & Allan Ritchie, Surviving Executors of the said last Will and Testament of the late John Rundle.

34-9w

How Many Kinds of vehicles do you think we make?

Ask for a Catalogue.

The Nova Scotia Carriage Co. Limited, 100 Kentville, N. S.



The best dressed Men in Newcastle are wearing

The Invictus Shoe,

Made by Geo. A. Slater.

Men's Patent Blucher, dull kid top, Piccadilly last, \$5.00

Men's Vici Bal., plain toe, straight last, full of comfort, \$4.00

Men's Black Kid Blucher, Piccadilly last, \$4.50

Men's Box Calf Lace, a regular \$4.00 boot, \$3.50

D. R. McRAE & CO.

Take Cooling Breakfast Foods For Warm Weather.

SHREDDED WHEAT, GRAPE NUTS, FORCE, MALTA VITA, ORANGE MEAT, TRISCUIT, etc.

We Sell Them

Geo. Stables,

THE PEOPLE'S GROCER.



Our new lines of English and French Toilet Soaps are now opened out, also new Perfumes, especial for summer use.

Look over our Drug Department. Prices right.

Call and try our Ice Cold Soda Water with Pure Fruit Syrups the best in town.

## SOUVENIR GOODS

of all kinds can now be had, including

Fancy China, Souvenir View Cards, Indian Ware, Burnt Leather Goods, Pearl Shell Purses, Pearl Shell Match Cases, Post Card Albums, Latest Novels.

Newcastle Drug & Stationery Store

THOMAS. J. DURICK, Proprietor.

Telephone No. 5 Quigley Building, near P. O.

## Clearing Sale at GREAT BARGAINS.

For three months, commencing May 25th and continuing until August 25th I will give unparalleled Bargains in

Dry Goods, Ladies', Gentlemen's and Boys' Ready Made Clothing, all sizes.

Do not miss the Bargain Days, for by buying during this time you will save a lot of money.

GEORGE O'BRIEN,

NEWCASTLE, N. B.

## High Class Carriages

F. H. GOUGH has for sale all kinds of McLaughlin Carriages. These carriages are favorably known throughout the country and are guaranteed to give satisfaction.

It will pay you to call and see me before purchasing from travellers. You can always find me at my blacksmith shop, Newcastle.

Terms made to suit customers.

F. H. GOUGH.

## MISS I

Recital Given

Lady

Halifax

ing notices

en by Miss

daughter o

Ferguson o

these we ac

Percy Go

talented di

tory, in a

gave a revu

year, which

close the nig

most brillia

in the conse

en by Miss

Newcastle

from which

received not

ented young

Halifax cos

the musical

from the fac

of its grad

crossed the

Leipsig, Berl

more will

summer to

Miss Fergus

to the staff

This is a

young lady

receiving th

her host of

STEAME

Was run into

White

On Wednes

Loyalist, own

ber Co., Nels

in front of t

side of the ri

as the ferry l

The Loyalist

paddle box,

smashed and

the machinery

occurred whe

at full speed

been more se

NEW PAPI

FO

The North Sh

pearance Friday

printed sheet the

its bow to the pul

ed it to be distac

not in the field fo

but rather in th

county and provi

Politically it h

generally underst

the opposition in

some months ago,

P. P. stated that

paper for political

will be in politics

It starts in with a

patronage and gi

healthy, vigorous

Mr. G. F. McV

Owing to th

## MISS FERGUSON WINS HONORS

Recital Given By Newcastle Young  
Lady Highly Praised.

Halifax papers contain flattering notices of the piano recital given by Miss Bessie Ferguson, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Ferguson of this town. Among these we notice the following:

Percy Gordon, the successful and talented director of the conservatory, in a very concise speech, gave a review of the work of the year, which had been brought to a close the night before by one of the most brilliant recitals ever given in the conservatory. This was given by Miss Bessie Ferguson, of Newcastle (N. B.), a province from which the conservatory has received not a few of its most talented young musicians. What the Halifax conservatory is doing in the musical line may be judged from the fact that more than fifty of its graduates and pupils have crossed the ocean to study in Leipzig, Berlin and Paris. Three more will leave for Leipzig this summer to continue their studies. Miss Ferguson has been appointed to the staff of the conservatory.

This is an unusual honor for any young lady and Miss Ferguson is receiving the congratulations of her host of Miramichi friends.

## STEAMER LOYALIST IN COLLISION.

Was run into By Chatham Ferry  
While Leaving Slip.

On Wednesday the steam tug Loyalist, owned by the Flett Lumber Co., Nelson, attempted to cross in front of the ferry slip at this side of the river at Chatham, just as the ferry boat was pulling out. The Loyalist was struck near the paddle box, which was badly smashed and some damage done to the machinery. Had the collision occurred when the ferry was going at full speed the result would have been more serious.

## NEW PAPER FOR NEWCASTLE.

The North Shore Leader made its appearance Friday morning. It is a well printed sheet the size of the Advocate. In its bow to the public it states that it wishes to be distinctly understood that it is not in the field for any sectional purpose, but rather in the interests of the town and county and province.

Politically it has nothing to say, but it is generally understood that it will support the opposition in local politics. In fact some months ago, Mr. John Morrissey, M. P. P. stated that he was establishing the paper for political purposes and it no doubt will be in politics what Mr. Morrissey is. It starts in with a fair share of advertising patronage and gives promise to become a healthy, vigorous paper.

Mr. G. F. McWilliam is the publisher.

Owing to the crush of news we have been obliged to hold over many items of interest.

Policeman Gallah has been granted two weeks leave and Wm. Ingram is acting policeman during his absence.

### MARRIED.

At St. Andrew's Manse, Chatham, on the 20th inst., by the Rev. D. Henderson, Mr. Everett J. Gray, Douglastown, to Miss Ethel, daughter of Mr. James Wood, Douglastown.

### DIED.

At Upper Nelson, June 20, 1906 Barbara J. Clarke, youngest daughter of Geo. W. and Addie Clarke, aged 8 months.

At Liverpool, N. S. June 18 John Farrell, son of Patrick Farrell, Esq., Aged 40 years.

At North Amity, Me., June 16th, Margery L., second daughter of John Hamilton, aged 44 years, 9 months and 28 days.

At Chatham, on June 21st, after a lingering illness, Mrs. Bessie A. Cameron, aged 42.

### Strayed

A black two year old milch cow has strayed to my premises. Owner can have same by proving property and paying expenses.

THOS. A. TAYLOR,  
Bour Road.

## PUBLIC SCHOOLS ARE CLOSED

Exercises at Various Newcastle  
Schools Well  
Attended.

### PRIZE LISTS.

Interesting Programmes Carried  
Out At All  
Schools.

The Newcastle schools are closed for the summer vacation. The following are short accounts of the exercises with the prize lists.

**HARKINS ACADEMY.**

The closing exercises were held in Harkins Academy on Monday afternoon. The program was as follows:

Recitation—"The Reason", Thos. Sinclair.  
Chorus by the school—"Gladly Lend a Hand."  
Recitation—"The Rescue", Ella O'Donnell.  
Song by Twelve Little Girls—"The Chickadee."  
Recitation—"When teacher gets cross," Michael McCabe.  
Drill by sixteen pupils—"Merry Bees."  
Recitation—"Seein' Things" Joseph Wright.  
Chorus by school—"Three cheers for the flag."  
Recitation—"The Milkmaid" Ethel Allison.  
Daisy Drill by Twelve Girls.  
Recitation—"The Last Hymn" Florence Snell.  
God Save the King.

Grade XI—Certificates were presented to Edith Clarke, Frances Fish and Agnes Corbett.

The following is a list of the prize winners:

Grades X and XI—Edith Clarke, 1st, winner of Mayor Hennessy's medal, Frances Fish, 2nd.  
Grade IX—Margaret Sobey, 1st, winner of the medal donated by Dr. Nicholson, Eileen Weldon, 2nd.  
Grade VIII—Rennie McQuarrie, 1st, Dot Gremley, 2nd, Melvin Allison, 3rd. For deportment Bessie Snell.

Grade VII—George Masson, 1st, Harrison Gough, 2nd, Hazel Crabb, 3rd. Perfect attendance Sadie Smallwood, Latin, Edward Harriman, Drawing, Florence Snell.

Grade VI—Herbert Connell, 1st, Winfield Williamson, 2nd, Harold Boyes, 3rd.

Girls prize for highest average Laura Williston, Deportment, Amanda Fleiger, General Improvement, Joe Mitchell.

Grade V—Helen Boyes, 1st, Alfred Weiler, 2nd, Ethel Allison, 3rd. Perfect attendance, Herbert Morrissey, Dorothy Nicholson, and Alfred Weiler.

Grade IV—Sarah Hill, 1st, Mildred Reid, 2nd. Perfect attendance, Willie Weiler.

Grade III—Gordon Brander, 1st, Inez Copp, 2nd. Perfect attendance Margaret Masson.

Addresses were given by Mayor Hennessy, Rev. Mr. Snell, Mr. S. W. Miller, and Mrs. J. Morrissey. Dr. Nicholson, chairman of the school board, who presented the prizes, announced that the work of fencing and improving the grounds would be carried on during vacation, and also, that in view of the poor accommodation in the Academy, closing in future would be held in the Opera House.

The teachers and pupils of the Academy wish, through the Advocate, to express their thanks to the following who contributed prizes:—Mrs. T. A. Clarke, Mrs. Follansbee, Mrs. Henry Ingram, Mrs. W. P. Harriman, Mrs. O'Donnell, Mr. John Allison, Mrs. Adams, Mrs. John Williamson, Mrs. Howard Williston, Mrs. O. Nicholson, Mrs. Quinn, Mrs. John Allison, Mrs. Geo. Stables, Mrs. Brander, Mrs. Rundle.

**MISSION SCHOOL.**

The public examinations and presentations of prizes was held in the Mission Hall school Friday, June 22nd. The school room was very prettily decorated with greens, potted flowers, and bunting.

A large number of visitors were present who enjoyed the exercises very much. The pupils were examined in reading, spelling, number work and drawing, and all answered promptly, showing careful work on the part of the teacher and pupils.

A program consisting of recitations, dialogues, songs, etc. was rendered, and Mayor Hennessy spoke in a very pleasant manner, presenting the prizes to the successful candidates.

### PRIZE LIST

## WON PRIZE AT HALIFAX.

Miss Louise Manny Carried off  
Honors at Halifax Ladies  
College.

At the closing exercises of Halifax Ladies College last Wednesday Miss Louise Manny, of this town won distinction among a large class. She was awarded the Alma Mater Prize, which is one such coveted by all pupils of that institution, and she is to be complimented on her success.

Miss Manny is also mentioned among the winners of school prizes, having made an average of seventy-five per cent. on the yearly examinations for the full course.

Miss Bessie Ferguson passed a most successful examination in music and graduated at the head of her class. We understood that she has been offered and accepted a position on the College teaching staff, a very exceptional honor for one so young.

Miss Florence Jean Ferguson was given a diploma in stenography.

Grade II—1st—Cecil McWilliam, 2nd—Mabel McLean, 3rd—Walter McDonald, 4th—John Doucett.  
Grade I—1st—Helen Mailer, 2nd—Helen Basque, 3rd—John LeBreton, 4th—Ethel Brooks, 5th—Herbert Ruth. For perfect attendance Cecil McWilliam, for writing Kathleen McGowan.

## LIBERAL MEETING!

A special Meeting of the Northumberland County Liberal Association will be held in the Masonic Hall in the Town of Chatham on

Wednesday, July 25th,

next at Three O'clock p. m. for the promotion of its objects and the transaction of its ordinary business. Also for the election of officers. The Offices of President and Secretary becoming vacant by resignations.

All Liberals in the County are invited to attend.

Chatham, N. B., June 21st, 1906.  
By order of the President,  
ROBERT MURRAY,  
Secretary.

### Wanted

A Second Class Female teacher for school No. 5 Underhill District, Blackville for in coming school year, please state salary.

JAMES W. UNDERHILL,  
Secretary to Trustees  
June 20th, 1906.

### Intercolonial Railway.

Return Tickets will be sold to all stations at  
**First Class One Way Fare**  
(made to end in 0 or 5)  
Good going June 29th, 30th, July 1 and 2.  
Good for return until July 3.

To all stations on the Railway, and to Detroit, Port Huron, and Port Arthur, and points in Canada East thereof on the G. I. R. and C. P. R. also to points on the Dominion Atlantic R.R. and Prince Edward Island Railway.

## HOTEL MIRAMICHI

Opened January 1905.  
Most Luxurious and Up-To-Date Hotel in Northern New Brunswick.  
THOS. FOLEY, Proprietor.  
Newcastle, Miramichi, N. B.

Features of  
**HOTEL MIRAMICHI.**

Telephone Connection in Each Room  
Artistically Furnished Rooms with Private Bath  
Building of Brick with Adequate Fire Protection  
Swimming—The Heart of the Sportsman's Paradise  
Best Fishing Privileges on the North Shore  
Impregnable Chateaux  
Fine Sample Rooms  
Livery Stable in Connection  
Free Back to and from all trains  
Rates \$2.00 and \$2.50



## NOTICE TO Water Consumers.

Public notice is hereby given to all water users that after July 1st the By-Law with regard to payment of Water rates will be strictly enforced.

On July 10th water will be turned off from all premises where rates have not been paid in advance.

J. E. T. LINDON,  
Town Treasurer.

## The Newest and Latest Requisites for Men, Youths and Children At Creaghan's.

New Sailor Hats, the latest importations from New York and Philadelphia, 45c. to \$1.50

Also Soft and Hard Hats—Stetson's best make—, Crash and Linen Hats

Laundered and Soft Bosom Shirts in white, light and dark spots and stripes, mixed patterns, 49c. to \$1.25

Men's and Youths' Cool Underwear and Hosiery.

Light elastic spring needle Shirts and Drawers, 75c. to \$1.50 per suit.

Fine natural Cashmere Shirts and Drawers, \$1.00 to \$1.50 per suit.

Men's fine Cashmere Lisle Thread and Fancy Sox, from 12½ to 50c. pair.

### Men's and Youths' New Clothing.

Best Tailored and Perfect Fitting Suits in Tweeds, Worsteds and Overchecks.

Observe the price, \$6.50 to \$13.50.

Also measure taken, fit guaranteed.

Men's 2-Piece Hot Summer Suits in new Light Tweed effects, \$7.50 per suit.

## J. D. CREAGHAN CO., Ltd.

Newcastle.

Chatham.

Moncton.

## M. C. RUSSELL.

ACCOUNTANT.  
Financial Insurance, and Commission Agent. Secretary Russell Electrical and Hydraulic Co. Ltd.  
Office Murray Building.  
28th Newcastle, N. B.

### MERIT WINS!

Every Consolidated School in Maritime Province, uses our Desks, Maps, Globes, Blackboards, etc. Visitors to Riverside, Kingston, Middleton, N. S., Salisbury, Macdonald School, P. E. I., can see our equipment.

Our 1906 Map of Canada now ready, and School Map of New Brunswick in press. No Library can afford to be without the 1906 Standard Dictionary, which explains 92,000 more words than the 10th Century Dictionary. A \$6 Supplement and \$5 Atlas of the World free. Address all orders to

M. R. BENN,  
General Agent Standard Dictionary,  
DOUGLASTOWN, N. B.



### "Shield Brand" PIPES

These are absolutely the  
**Best Shilling Pipe in the World**  
Like a true friend, they wear well.  
THEY WILL NOT CRACK.  
THEY WILL NOT BURN.  
Every Pipe Guaranteed.

SOLD IN CANADA FOR 25C.  
Just remember "SHIELD BRAND"

For Sale by  
**MILLER BROS.**

NEWCASTLE, N. B.



### Notice.

To the Ratepayers of the Town of Miramichi.

TAKE NOTICE that I have received the Assessment List of the said Town for the year 1906.

All persons paying their taxes on or before the 7th day of July next are entitled to a discount of 5 PER CENT.

And all persons paying their taxes after July 7th and on or before July 17th are entitled to a discount of 2½ PER CENT.

All taxes must be paid within thirty days from date of this notice.

Dated this 27th day of June A. D. 1906.

J. E. T. LINDON,  
Town Treasurer.

## NEW BAKERY.

I have installed a first-class oven and have a capable man in charge, and am prepared to make all kinds of **Fancy Cake, Biscuits and Bread.** My team will be on shortly, when all goods will be delivered. I also supply at short notice

**ICE CREAM AND FANCY ICES, Temperance Drinks, Etc.**

## T. J. JARDINE,

Your patronage is solicited. NEWCASTLE.

## Summer Goods.

I have a nice lot of Hammocks ranging in price from 90 cts. to \$4.25, some very handsome ones among them. White Mountain Ice Cream Freezers, from 2 to 8 qts. Have just received another lot of Screen Doors and Window Screens which we are selling very low. Boys Wagons with seats, Two-wheel Carts for the little ones, Sand Pails and Shovels. Ladies' Floral Sets and Garden Trowels. Call in and see our stock. There are two entrances to our large store and plenty of room when you get in to move about and examine the goods.

The Chamberlain Steel Range is a good Baker and gives excellent satisfaction in every particular.

J. H. PHINNEY, Newcastle, N. B.

## Fishing Tackle.

The Pharmacy is headquarters for Fishing Supplies of all kinds: Rods, Hooks, Lines, Landing Nets, Casts, Cast Boxes, etc., at all prices. See our window display for prices.

Bamboo Rods for Boys, 10 cts. each.

## A. E. Shaw, Druggist.

THE PHARMACY. NEWCASTLE, N. B.

### Wanted.

A girl for general housework. Apply at once to  
MRS. AITKEN,  
28-1st Newcastle.

### 100 Men Wanted.

To work in mine at Beersville. Good wages. Apply to  
THE IMPERIAL COAL CO.  
Beersville, Kent Co., N. B.

### LIVERY STABLE, HAY AND FEED STORE.

THE subscriber begs to say to the people of Newcastle and suburbs that he has opened a place on the 1st Chas. Rd property, adjacent to the King's highway, on Leiden Lane, where he has for sale

Seed Oats, Best Florenceville Hay, Star Feed, Bran, Corn Meal and Shorts.

and also that he will keep on hire three or four good Horses and Vehicles. He respectfully hopes to gain a share of public patronage.

J. G. LAYTON.

### FOR SALE

A four horse power engine with six horse power boiler in good condition. Will be sold cheap. Part cash, part time. Just the thing for running light machinery. Apply at once at  
ADVOCATE OFFICE

### Farm For Sale.

That desirable property situated in Nelson County of Northumberland, near Chatham Junction, known as the Dulanthy farm, containing 52 acres more or less. For further particulars apply to  
E. P. WILLISTON,  
Barrister, Newcastle.

May, 7th 1906.—11.

### Grand Pilgrimage.

A Grand Pilgrimage to St. Anne de Beaupre, presided over by the Right Rev. T. Caw, Bishop of St. John, will take place on

JULY 3rd, 1906.

Tickets from Moncton and all the other points on the line \$5.50.

SISTERS OF CHARITY.  
Memorandum.—36-4w

# The Adventurers

By H. B. MARRIOTT WATSON

COPYRIGHT, 1899, BY HARPER & BROTHERS

"I was quite at his disposal for a stroll later in the morning and upon that occasion got my first knowledge of the topography of the Gwent, a knowledge which, as you shall hear, I was glad enough to profit by at a little later period. And here I may set forth in a few words the character of that country which was destined to be so strangely connected with my fortunes. The castle stood upon a little eminence toward the higher parts of the hills and looked down toward the east upon a long, broad valley as upon its special domain. This valley, which was some three miles long and little more than a mile across, was enclosed by unulating hills and enveloped in a dense growth of forest. Two roads ran from the castle toward the eastward, one upon either side of the railway line of them—not that by which I had mounted on the previous afternoon—we took upon this walk together.

We had gone about a mile or rather less upon this road when we came upon the first signs of life. The country was but sparsely peopled, but here, at any rate, was some remote and faithful settler. The inn—for such it was—bore the name of the Woodman and was, as I conceived, of the sixteenth century at least. It was small, but the outbuildings attaching to it rambled away into the forest behind. The sign swung, creaking on a green patch of grass before the door. As we drew near, a man lounging in front of the inn suddenly drew his pipe from his mouth and touched his hat.

"Good morning, Hood," said my companion quietly, pausing and leaning on his stick. "These are very pleasant days for us all."

"They are, sir," responded the man. He was of middle height, with a great appearance of activity in his sinewy body, and his thin dark face bore a habitual expression of polite deference. It was as if his air apologized for not already interpreting his unuttered wishes. I understood the reason the next moment.

Mr. Kesteven, turning to me, nodded in a friendly way toward the man.

"You have heard me speak of Hood," said he, with a faint smile. "He is the valet I mentioned, whom I lost a month back. A month isn't it, Hood?"

"Yes, sir; just a month—four weeks and three days, that is," replied the man respectfully.

"Ah, indeed; it's wonderful how long time tarries," said my host cheerfully.

"Business good, Hood? I hope you are not losing by the experiment. I suppose," he said, turning to me again, "that it is a trying position to be in a subordinate state. Every one likes his independence."

I assented conventionally, and Hood waited very courteously until I had made my answer before he took up his reply to his former master's question.

"I can't complain, sir," he said. "There's not much traffic in the Gwent, sir, but I do a certain business."

"Ah, I should have thought it a wiser policy to have gone nearer civilization, Hood. Why not have taken a place at Llanellan?"

A faint but respectful smile hovered on the man's nervous face. "I don't hold so much with Llanellan, sir. This is a tidy house, and business will improve, I hope."

"Well, well, let us hope so," was Mr. Kesteven's answer as his eyes wandered toward the inn. "A pretty place, is it not, Mr. Grestorex?" And then with a glance of scrutiny at the landlord, "You have had an accident, Hood?"

"Yes, sir," was the answer; "a slight accident, sir—nothing of consequence. I fell against the bar yesterday, and he put a finger apologetically to his clean shaved lip, which I now perceived to be somewhat swollen.

"A nasty fall, a nasty fall," said Mr. Kesteven, shaking his head. "It is lucky it was no worse." He moved away with a courteous nod of his head to which the innkeeper responded with a salute. As he did so he turned and, taking my arm, smiled back at Hood.

"You see the Gwent has its visitors sometimes, Hood. Mr. Grestorex is staying with me. So perhaps we may turn the Woodman in time into a fashionable resort of society."

He laughed as if at his own small jest, in which the innkeeper joined, and, pressing my arm, walked on. He seemed a very kindly master. I thought, and I had no doubt but that Hood had been an excellent servant. I remarked as much, to which he assented cordially.

"I have never come upon a man who fell into my ways better and knew his way more efficiently," he said. "An admirable servant—altogether admirable."

Our walk had exhilarated me and, what is more, had given me a huge appetite. The result was that I ate heartily of lunch, which was delicately served by the agreeable old housekeeper. Mr. Kesteven also seemed to rally his appetite, for he had eaten but little the previous evening, and drank a good deal of brown sherry, in which he jestingly invited me to join him. But I was for the now or perfunctory cheer, which I found much to my palate. Whether it was the sherry or not, my host's tongue pined very continuously during the meal, but always in the

most possessed and civil manner. He spoke of his house, of his ancient descent (which was as ancient as the castle and finally of himself. The Kestevens had been people of note in other centuries, had hoarded gains and fulfilled the pomp even of courts, had flattered briefly and very brightly and in various characters across the stage of history. But now they were dwindled to this one old feeble man. The race had lost its physical vigor. From contesting tournaments, fighting battles and intriguing against courts it had come to philosophizing over life between four walls. And then, falling silent for a time, he inspected his finger nails and suddenly and after a space rose and pushed back his chair.

"I beg your pardon, Mr. Grestorex," he said, with a gesture of apology. "I had not noticed you have not finished. Pray forgive my discourtesy."

Of course I put myself at his disposal, for, in truth, I had eaten and drunk quite enough. But, seeming not to hear me, he looked upon the table, and at last, raising his eyes to mine and playing gently, but scarcely in a nervous fashion, with the forks before him, he said very quietly:

"I have had the honor of your acquaintance for some twenty hours, Mr. Grestorex. It is little two men may know of each other in so brief a time. But I am about to take quick cognizance of people and content to risk a mistake. You have, if you will forgive me saying so, an admirable habit of silence."

He paused, and, as if it had been to justify his sentence, I held my tongue. "A recluse like myself—that is how you would style me," he resumed, "must have some occupation for his thoughts. I have explained that I am no student. It follows that I have some other hobby—shall we say?"

A ghost of a smile glittered on his face, and then his head turned sharply toward a window which overlooked the courtyard. There was the sound of footsteps upon the rough cobbles.

"I am about to disclose to you, Mr. Grestorex, the secret of my seclusion."

I rose with him, strangely influenced by this solemn scene. Was it really solemn, or was it the mere whim of old age, the pompous revelation of senile eccentricity? I followed him down the stone passage to the eastern wing of the castle. Fifty paces farther brought us to the entrance to the keep, but a dozen yards from this Mr. Kesteven paused and, turning the key in a heavy oak door, entered a room of considerable size, which, as you will see, looked forth upon the back part of the park from the second floor. Like all the chambers in that ancient building, it was paneled with oak.

The room was devoid of furniture save for a rickety chair or two and was wholly destitute of carpet, so that our feet rang loudly upon the stone floor. It seemed to me at that moment, and with the odd preparations for that mission, that I was, so to speak, upon the very edge of a mysterious discovery.

Mr. Kesteven placed a chair against the wall and, stepping upon it with difficulty, raised his hand till it touched the topmost panel near the window. There followed a slight creak, and the panel slid back, disclosing a dark and vacant space in which I could dimly discern the separation of shelves.

My host had but dropped his fingers into the recesses of this cupboard when a faint noise caught his ears, and he turned abruptly. I had followed him into the room, and the door stood open. But I turned now with him and followed the direction of his gaze. The man Hood stood forward in the doorway with an apologetic air. Mr. Kesteven's hand dropped sharply, and with a certain brusqueness he demanded, "What do you want?"

The ex-valet touched an imaginary hat. "I beg your pardon, sir, I am sure, but I called to know if you would be wanting that gun you spoke of the other day. Mrs. Main didn't know, and I thought that maybe it was a waste of time if I was to ask you myself."

It was a perfect model of servile deportment, displayed no sign of nervousness, but only the rigid good manners of the trained servant. Mr. Kesteven stepped down from the chair and leisurely dusted his coat sleeves. Then he looked up, and the westerling sun struck full upon his face, which I could not but observe was more colorless than usual.

"No, thank you, Hood," he said suavely. "I have changed my mind. It was good of you, but I shall not need it."

The two men eyed each other for an instant, and then the servant's eyes fell with civil politeness.

"Thank you, sir. Sorry to trouble you, sir," he said and turned about on the threshold. But Mr. Kesteven stopped him.

"As you are here, Hood," he said, breathing hard, as from his exertions, "I should be obliged if you would kindly close that panel for me. I am not so young as I was, naturally, Mr. Grestorex," he explained, turning to me with a faint smile.

There was a perceptible pause for so ready a servant, I thought, as Hood moved from his place by the door to obey the order. I thought, too, that I noticed a sudden flash of amusement pass in his eyes, but when he went by

me they were merely deferential, and I imagined that I had been mistaken.

"And now, my friend," said Mr. Kesteven genially, putting his hand through mine when the panel had been closed, "we will get into the open air. We cannot avail ourselves too much or too often of these summer days; eh, Hood?"

"No, sir," said Hood promptly, with the promptness of a machine and with no more infection than a good servant should have.

"Ah, I feel it myself, Mr. Grestorex," said the old man, leaning somewhat heavily upon my arm as we issued from the chamber.

Hood closed and locked the door after him.

"The key, sir," he said respectfully, holding it out.

"Oh, the key will do where it is," replied Mr. Kesteven, without looking round. "Leave it in the lock, Hood."

As we retraced our steps along the corridor, which echoed dull to the tread, he conversed about other things.



but made no reference whatever to the matter upon which he had been engaged when we were interrupted. At the top of the stairway he took his arm from mine.

"If you will excuse me for a few minutes, Mr. Grestorex," he said, "I will join you in the dining room."

He walked backward a few yards toward the room which I had learned was his bedroom, and as he did so the lean figure of the deferential innkeeper rose out of the gloom as if to meet him.

I myself went down into the courtyard and then found my way into the large oak dining room.

When he entered, some few minutes later, I was astounded by the change in his face. Naturally pale, it was now of a peculiar and ghastly pallor, which gave his head almost the appearance of a skull. Laying a finger on my arm, he spoke quite sharply.

"Mr. Grestorex," said he, "you can do me a particular favor if you will. I listened, murmuring my willingness. 'Can you drive me to Raymond at once? I will have the horses put in the dogcart.'"

"Most certainly," I answered, staring at a loss for more words.

"I owe you many thanks," he said, and, slipping away with that noiseless tottering gait of his, he disappeared into the courtyard.

It was not fifteen minutes ere we were upon the road. I drove the mare at a rapid pace, being conscious of my companion's restlessness, and for a time he spoke no word save to direct me at the crossroads, but lay back on his seat with his arms folded, his hat lowering upon his eyes and his eyes fixed upon the immediate purview. But after awhile he uttered a little sigh, as of one whose deliberations had relieved him, and turned a mild eye upon me.

"You drive well, my friend," he said. "From all appearances you have a hard road. It is well. It is well. It is the one thing I have aimed at, and I might have succeeded had not my ascendants weakened the blood."

I told him that so far as I could see he had no reason to complain of his nerve.

"You think so? Then it seems that you are not only a silent but an observing person," he said, smiling. "But you are wrong; you are wrong. Nevertheless, I am glad to find you so observant. My dear sir, there is nothing so important as observation. Education and breeding and birth, these you may buy or feign, but observation is the measure of a man's character."

With that he sank into silence once more, nor, so far as I can recall, did we exchange one sentence till we arrived in Raymond.

We drove up the main street, off a large and formless building, upon the door of which was emblazoned the name of a solicitor and public notary. And here, begging me to await him, the old gentleman alighted and entered the house. It was not very long afterward that he reappeared with a pleasant little lawyer behind him, and I noticed that he himself seemed very well indeed. He was smiling, as if he was off his mind, but, to tell the truth, I felt that it was time I had some explanation. It was not that I grudging the old gentleman my fellowship, such as it was, and it certainly was not that I was tired of the experience. Quite the contrary. I was tantalized by these strange tastes of adventure. My nose took up the scent of mystery as a hound sniffs the air, and when I spoke so abruptly it was only in the wish to let him understand that I thought my fidelity had earned its wages.

"It is well to be armed at all points, my friend," he had remarked complacently. "I find a complete equipment is a salience against possible evils."

"That's very true," I said, "and I am delighted if my small services this afternoon have, as it would seem, been the happy occasion of suggesting to you this comfortable reflection. But now, if you will excuse me, Mr. Kesteven, I will put my thanks in your hands for a very agreeable hospitality—and"

He was visibly disconcerted, as I had hoped he would be.

"You are not thinking of your inn?" he demanded after a pause in which he recovered.

"My dear sir," I replied, "I have been thrust upon you, a complete stranger, for a day and a night."

His face suffused with amusement. "I don't think we are strangers to each other, Mr. Grestorex," he observed quietly. "I dare say we understand one another better than appears. If, however, it be any relief to your conscience, I assure you that I am much better for your company. But," he added dryly, "I should be the last to hold you if your duty claims you elsewhere."

We looked at each other for a moment, in which time I noted a twinkle gleaming in his eyes, and then simultaneously, I think, we burst forth into laughter.

"Come, come, I think I understand, Mr. Grestorex," said he, "and the understanding notches another score to you in my stick. I admit that you have a right to something further. I freely confess it, only I am an old man and must take my time. Are we agreed?"

"My dear sir," said I hastily, "I would not press you for the world, and I am no more inquisitive than any honest man who hopes that he might be of some service to a friend in trouble."

"You are very good," he returned gently. "You can be silent, and you can proffer a question at the right time. I think all the better of you. And for what you say of friendship, why, I am sincerely obliged to you, and I think you can render me an invaluable aid."

"I have no warmer wish," I answered, and I turned the horse's head forth with upon the road to the Gwent.

We reached the castle in the twilight, but it was not until after dinner that Mr. Kesteven reverted to the subject of our conversation. He was very bright during the meal and talked with more wit and philosophy than I had yet seen in him. But when he had finished he drew away from the table and said more soberly:

"I have had important news today, Mr. Grestorex, or, rather, I have gathered from several signs that there is important news for myself. I had thought that it would be unnecessary to trouble you in regard to my affairs until tomorrow, but it will be best to-night. It is more wise to be prepared. If you will pardon me for a short time I will return directly, and in the meantime I dare say you can amuse yourself with one of those venerable books," concluding with a glance toward the shelves which occupied the alcove of the dining room.

When he had gone I obeyed him mechanically, taking down several of the musty volumes, though my mind at that moment was very far from their contents. Indeed, I could make no long pretense of interest in them and shortly afterward pushed open the casement and looked out on the park. The dusk had settled on the forest at last. All lay very still.

Suddenly a sound rose on the silence, indefinite, but perturbing. For a second I kept my post, with my head hanging from the window, uncertain as to the direction of the cry. Then I grew aware that it came from within the house, and, hurriedly withdrawing myself, I stood up still within the room and listened. Again it rose, somewhat shrill and ghastly, echoing from the floor above. Now, the dining room, as I have explained, was upon the ground floor, and Mr. Kesteven's room, as well as my room and most of the living chambers, was above it on the northern wing of the castle. I ran quickly therefore through the doorway and bounded up the stone staircase three steps at a time. When I reached the corridor I made straight for my host's room without any reason, but under the guidance of mere impulse. The door stood ajar, and I flung it open. A single lamp streamed faintly upon the room and its contents, illumined with a silver radiance the old man's body where it lay stretched upon the carpet.

I knelt swiftly and raised his head, loosening his coat and waistcoat. But as I did so the movement brought the

face into the glow of the lamp, and I saw it was struck with a deadly pallor. I lifted him upon the bed and rang a peal of bells for the housekeeper. While she was coming, which was not a matter of more than a minute, my glance ran around the bedroom. Could it be possible that there was foul play? I could see no signs of violence upon the body—for that it was but a poor corpse I had no doubt, since the horrible color of the face had been revealed to me. The window stood open, but there was nothing significant in that. I glanced out, but if any one had escaped that way the falling night had long since swallowed him up. When I turned again to the body I noticed that one of the hands was clutching a paper. This I gently withdrew, and as I did so the housekeeper knocked at the door and called upon her master in an agitated voice.

(To be continued.)

## Why Tea Quality Varies

YOU know how the quality of strawberries from the same patch will sometimes vary from one day to another.

One day sweet, compact, well ripened, well colored, richly flavored—next day it rains, is cloudy, following picking is soggy, sour, green, coarsely-flavored, poor.

Tea, also, on account of its volatility of flavor, after picking and during the curing process is very susceptible to weather changes. A few hours of sunshine or had weather after picking may make the difference between good and poor tea.

So that while one picking may be first class, the next from the same garden may be very poor.

I select only the pickings which come up to the Red Rose standards of richness and strength in Indian, and delicacy and fragrance in Ceylon teas, and thus that "rich, fruity flavor" of Red Rose Tea is produced and maintained.

# Red Rose Tea

is good Tea  
T. H. Estabrooks  
St. John, N.B., Toronto, Winnipeg

## A PLEASANT WEEK.

Plan your holidays so as to spend the week of September 1st to 8th, next, at

Canada's International Exhibition,  
ST. JOHN, N. B.

The Automobile Show will alone be worth going that far to see, and it is only one of a bunch of new features.

A CHEAP FARE FROM EVERYWHERE.

A. O. SKINNER, President.

C. J. MILLIGAN, Manager

WE WANT WOOL - you want Hewson Tweed's Your dealer will make the exchange



## Sir Frederick Wilkes,

Sired by Hernando, dam Maud Driscoll, sired by Sir Charles Wilkes, will be travelled through

Northumberland County for this Season.

The fact that the Wilkes family leads its nearest rival by over \$220,000 and has won over \$75,000 more than the next ten most prominent families, cannot but have a great deal of influence in shaping the future course of many breeders.

Owned and travelled by

W. L. CURTIS,

Curtis Corner, Newcastle, N. B.

## PLUMBING.

Heating by Hot Water Steam and Hot Air

Estimates on above lines will be cheerfully furnished at any time.

All contract work guaranteed satisfactory.

Heating by Hot water and Steam a specialty.

## W. E. FORBES.

RICHIBUCTO AND CAMPBELLTON.

AT McLEOD'S  
Fashionable Tailoring Establishment.

We have opened the finest lot of Black, Blue and Fancy Suitings ever shown in Newcastle. Call and look at them and see for yourself.

Fancy Trouserings in Great Variety.

We will make them up for you in Good Style, put in Good Trim-mings, and charge you a Moderate Price.

S. McLEOD, Carter Block

PROF

Katherine I

Graduate

Office: Lonsbury 1

Newcastle

F. L. Pe

Fin

NE

O. J. McCl

Graduate Roy

Office of the

St. J

Davidson

At Miran

Co.

T. H. W

Attor

All legal wo

ed to.

Collecting a

Fire, Accide

Office:—Lons

House address

Office hours:—

CH

B. AR

At Miran

Co.

100 dozen

dozen, Beef,

Mutton, Hams

sale and Retail

at lowest mar

M. RU

ALTHOUGH

CAPA

Frederick

—C

Was increased for

was taken. We

reason why. Af

good time to ente

modation for seve

logues will be ne

application. A

W. J. C

Principal, F

Livery

I have lately

of good horses,

es and harness,

best turnouts in

Charges

Hack to any

and from all reg

O. Mc

CARAQUET

The Annual Me

of the Caraque

held at the Compa

11 a. m. comm

1906, to receive

the year for the

next year and for

other business as

meeting, with whic

to deal.

B. C. MULLINS.

9th June, 1906—57.

Just Now

Is Always

## PROFESSIONAL.

**Katherine F. McLeod, D. O.**  
Graduate American School of  
Osteopathy, Kirksville, Mo.  
Consultation Free.  
Office: Hours:  
Lonsbury Block, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.  
Newcastle, N. B.—1st.

**F. L. Pedolin, M. D.,**  
Fleming Street.  
NEWCASTLE

**O. J. McCULLY, M. A., M. D.**  
Graduate Royal College of Surgery Lon-  
don England.  
SPECIALIST  
Diseases of Eye, Ear and Throat.  
Office at the late J. H. Morrison  
St John N. B.

**Davidson & Aitken**  
Attorneys,  
EWCASTLE.

**T. H. Whalen B. C. L.**  
Attorney, &c.

All legal work promptly attend-  
ed to.  
Collecting a specialty.  
Fire, Accident and Life Insurance  
Office:—Lonsbury Block.  
House address:—Hotel Miramichi.  
Office hours:—9 to 12:30; 2 to 5.  
35-52

## HOTELS.

**Commercial Hotel,**  
M. J. Kane, Prop.  
Newly Furnished Throughout.  
Now Open for Business  
Newcastle, N. B. 37-52

**ALBERT HOUSE,**  
Corner Duke &  
Henderson Streets,  
CHATHAM, N. B.  
The most pleasantly situated Hotel in the  
town, directly facing the Opera House and  
the beautiful Elm Park. Recently Re-  
modelled. Painted and Refurnished  
throughout. For luxury, comfort and  
views, second to no other house in the town.  
Rooms to suit all tastes and budgets.  
Terms: \$1.50 and \$2.00 per day.  
6-52 ALLAN MANN, Prop.

**Llanvair Hotel,**  
R. D. CHAMBERLAIN,  
Proprietor.

**Jacquet River, N. B.**

**HOTEL BRUNSWICK**  
George McSweeney, Prop.  
Moncton, N. B.

**ROYAL HOTEL.**  
W. H. McLEAN—Prop.  
This hotel has been newly painted and  
renovated throughout.  
We are now prepared for permanent and  
transient boarders.  
Boarding Stable in connection.  
McCallan St.,  
Newcastle, N. B.

## Stop That Headache.

Foolish to Suffer When a  
Simple Remedy Will  
Prevent and Cure.

Even stop to think what caused your  
headache? Probably not. Then look to the bowels  
and stomach, and you'll find plenty of  
cause. Chances are you'll find constipation,  
liver in sluggish, stomach overburdened  
with half-digested food.

No wonder you are dull, tired, restless  
day and night. You need the cleansing influence of Dr.  
Hamilton's Pills which cure your condition  
in short order.

Being composed of natural vegetable reme-  
dies Dr. Hamilton's Pills possess great  
power, yet they are harmless. They act on  
the bowels, give tone to the liver, and  
cleanse the blood, causing digestion, help  
the stomach, and make you feel strong and  
well. For headache, indigestion, and stom-  
ach disorders I am confident that the one  
prescription is Dr. Hamilton's Pills.

You can rely on Dr. Hamilton's Pills with  
implicit confidence; their effect is wonder-  
ful. Sold by all dealers. Price 25c. per  
box, five boxes for \$1.00, or by mail from N.  
C. Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont., and Har-  
ford, Conn., U. S. A.

## FOOLSCAP.

All know what foolscap paper is,  
but no doubt the reason for its  
name has puzzled many eager in-  
quirers. Charles I. of England  
granted many monopolies for gov-  
ernmental support, among which  
was the manufacture of paper. The  
water-mark of the finest sort was  
the royal arms of England. The  
consumption of this article was  
great, and people who secured the  
sole right to sell it soon acquired  
immense fortunes. Parliament set  
this monopoly aside, and when  
Charles I. was brought to the  
scaffold they ordered the royal  
arms taken from the paper and a  
fool with his cap and bells to be  
substituted. It is now about two  
hundred and fifty years since the  
fool's cap was taken from the pa-  
per, but that size of sheet still  
retains the name and the water-  
mark placed there to the indignity  
of King Charles.

## A BILIOUS HEADACHE.

In one of the meanest things in the world,  
to prevent biliousness use Dr. Hamilton's  
Pills which keep the system clean and pure,  
regulate the bowels, give tone to the liver,  
and make you feel strong and well. For  
headache, indigestion, and stom-  
ach disorders I am confident that the one  
prescription is Dr. Hamilton's Pills. Your druggist  
sells Dr. Hamilton's Pills, 25c. per box or  
five boxes for one dollar.

In a little town in Nova Scotia  
are two churches situated in the  
two divisions of the village local-  
ly designated as the "North End"  
and "South End." At a Sunday  
morning service the officiating  
clergyman read the following notice:

**ABSOLUTE  
SECURITY.**  
Genuine  
**Carter's  
Little Liver Pills.**

Must Bear Signature of  
*W. D. Wood*  
See Fac-Simile Wrapper Below.

Very small and so easy  
to take as sugar.  
**CARTER'S  
LITTLE  
LIVER  
PILLS.**  
FOR HEADACHE,  
FOR DIZZINESS,  
FOR TORPID LIVER,  
FOR CONSTIPATION,  
FOR BILIOUSNESS,  
FOR SLOW SKIN,  
FOR THE COMPLEXION.

GUARE SICK HEADACHE.

The undersigned have received from  
Mr. Nash of Maine the agency for New  
Brunswick for his famous trout mezz-  
work. A trout mezz is one half the fish  
as mounted upon a convex elliptical panel  
as to stand the fish out in bold relief,  
giving the effect of an oil painting or  
while a trout mezz, with the real thing to  
show at your prowess. The process of  
preserving fish in this artistic way was  
discovered by Mr. Nash in 1900, and  
patented by him.

**EMACK BROS.**  
Leading Taxidermists,  
Fredericton, N. B.

## HUMOR

## A LONG WAY OFF.

Once when Chatterbox M. Depew  
was making a trip through the  
South his train stopped to cool at  
a box at a desolate little place in  
Arkansas. There was nothing in  
sight but a tumble-down station,  
a few stunted trees, a great ex-  
panse of red clay, and a forlorn na-  
tive, who stood leaning against  
the side of the dilapidated build-  
ing.

Mr. Depew walked around a bit  
and then spoke to the native:  
"Live here?" he asked.

"Well, well," continued Depew.  
"This place must be a mile from  
God's knowledge."

"Stranger," said the native, as  
he shifted from one foot to the  
other, "it's little further nor that."

Cohn Lawlor, pour la parolaise  
First Boarder—"Aren't the bill-  
boards getting to be something aw-  
ful?"

Second Boarder—"But not as bad  
as the board bills."

"Is this a picture of the San  
Francisco earthquake?" asked the  
caller as he looked at the photo-  
graph.

"No," replied the Chicago man.  
"That is a picture of our furniture  
after the van man got through  
with it."

Joe—"What grounds have you  
for thinking Miss Prettyman loves  
you?"

Fred—"Three corner lots in the  
business section of the city."

Jinks—"Did you collect that bill  
from the lawyer?"

Binks—"No; he told me to get  
out and I thought I was lucky to  
get away without his charging me  
for legal advice."

The Maid—"Do you think the au-  
tomobile will ever supplant the  
horse?"

The Man—"No; but it may sup-  
plant the mule in the course of  
time. One is fully as unreliable as  
the other."

Gver—"Sluggem, the ex-prize fight-  
er, is making money hand over  
fist."

Myer—"So? What's the game?"

Gver—"He's running a prepara-  
tory school for college boys."

Marks—"They say that craze on  
the door is unlucky. Do you be-  
lieve it?"

Barks—"It certainly is—if you  
are the subject of the decoration."

Minard's Liniment Lumbermen's  
Friend.

Guide (showing Edith pass to the  
tourist)—"Every thing you say  
here is repeated a hundred times."

Farmer Hornbuck—"Gosh!  
That's most as bad as Pikeville,  
Conn."

Edith—"That blonde girl at the  
glove counter is qualified to make  
some man a good wife."

Mayme—"Why do you think so?"

Edith—"She has the art of hand-  
ling kids down fine."

Tom—"I wonder where Kelly is.  
He dived off the dock ten minutes  
ago and hasn't come up yet!"

Hank—"That's just like Kelly.  
I'll bet the cigars he's forgotten  
the way up!"

Mrs. Hix—"When John was  
courting me he called me his little  
duck."

Mrs. Dix—"Indeed!"

Mrs. Hix—"Yes; and we hadn't  
been married a year before he called  
me an old hen."

Mrs. Dix—"Well, only a goose  
would live with a man who called  
her such fowl names."

Husbands—"Why do you encour-  
age that Mrs. Tattles-to-keep call-  
ing so often? Is it because you en-  
joy hearing the neighbors talked as-  
bout?"

Wife—"Oh, no, but when she is  
here I know she isn't somewhere  
else talking about me."

Mrs. Hyker—"My husband's cred-  
itors ought to be happy because  
of his bargain failure."

Mrs. Hyker—"Bargain failure!"

Mrs. Hyker—"Yes. He's going to  
pay them all 49 cents on the dol-  
lar."

Why is it, asked the Frenchman,  
"that you have no duels like we  
have in France?"

"We are all such good shots,"  
answered the American, "that we  
would be sure to hit each other.  
That's why."

Business Course  
For Subscriptions

The Advocate will pay the entire charge  
for station at any N. B. Business College in  
exchange for subscriptions to the Advocate.  
Any young man or woman confiding this  
scholarship in a few weeks and we must  
second will take up the offer.

Write to the publishers and ask for blank  
receipt and instructions, with authority to  
submit subscriptions, mentioning this offer  
and giving two references as to character,  
etc.

Full instructions will be sent on request,  
and all information as to the number of sub-  
scriptions, required, etc.

We will also allow a cash commission to  
enable the canvasser to pay at least a por-  
tion of his or her traveling expenses.

This is a rare opportunity to get a spec-  
imen of education in exchange for a little ear-  
nest work.

The demand for expert bookkeepers and  
canvassers is growing and with this offer  
some need say they cannot afford to take the  
course.

Write to-day for full information.

## THE BIRTH OF A NEW CITY.

Prince Rupert the new city of  
Northwestern British Columbia  
and the Pacific Coast terminus of  
the Grand Trunk Pacific has in-  
deed begun, and the foundations  
laid of the coming metropolis of the  
Western Province of the Dom-  
inion. The camps of the surveyors,  
both those of the Dominion and  
Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Co.  
are pitched on and near the future  
city's boundaries.

Mr. Dodge, superintending the  
government survey, has his camp  
stationed near the mouth of Turk's  
Inlet, just opposite Venn's Pas-  
sage, in view of historic Metlakatla.  
He intends to make a survey of  
the coast line waters of the in-  
let, and as this will take him con-  
siderable time he expects to re-  
main in camp until October, and  
has accordingly fitted up comfort-  
able quarters. He says the Met-  
lakatla carpenters have the honor  
of building the first house on  
Kaien Island, and is much pleas-  
ed with them as workmen.

Further east, up the inlet where  
surveys are now in progress at  
different points, the Grand Trunk  
Pacific Company's men are busy  
in the vicinity of their respective  
camps—one near Seal Harbor,  
where the new sawmill will be  
built, and one a mile and a half  
further east. Here the wharf and  
three buildings will at once be er-  
ected, as already piles for the  
wharf are being secured.

Ask for MINARD'S LIN-  
IMENT and take no other.

Browning—"They say Skinner's  
wife treats him shamefully."

Greening—"Why doesn't he get  
her a divorce?"

Browning—"He's afraid to. All  
his money is in her name."

First Stranger—in smoking car  
—"Why don't you look out at this  
beautiful scenery?"

Second Stranger—"Oh, I'm not  
travelling for pleasure. My wife's  
with me."

"Why did you fail to show up for  
the performance last night?" asked  
the sourette. "Where you sick?"

No, replied the comedian. "I  
wasn't exactly sick, but I felt funny."

Sunlight Soap is better than other soaps,  
as it is best when used in the Sunlight way.  
Buy Sunlight Soap and follow directions.

## The Onion.

The onion is a historic vegetable, hav-  
ing been used since the dawn of history  
by the Greeks, the Romans and the  
Egyptians.

## Bluestocking.

The term "bluestocking" is as old as  
the year 1400, at which date in Venice  
a society of literary ladies and gentle-  
men was organized, the members of  
which as a distinguishing badge wore  
blue stockings.

**First Paper Makers.**  
The Egyptians were the first human  
paper makers. Some of the papyrus are  
said to date from nearly 3000 B. C., ex-  
ceeding in antiquity the earliest Chi-  
nese paper by about 1,500 years.

**Romance of a Song.**  
The song "I'll Hang My Harp on a  
Willow Tree" has attached to it a bit  
of royal romance. It was written by a  
young nobleman who became enamored  
of Queen Victoria a year or so before  
she ascended the British throne, which  
event destroyed his hopes of winning  
her hand. The words first appeared in  
an English magazine set to music by  
Wellington Gurnsey.

## Indefatigable.

"He is so rigidly conscientious."

"Indeed?"

"Yes; she sticks to her principles as  
if it were a matter of etiquette."

According to an old superstition of  
the mediaeval church, whenever a cock  
crows a life is being told.

## Potatoes.

It took three centuries to dissipate  
the impression that potatoes, which  
were first brought to Europe in the  
fifteenth century, are responsible for  
the perpetration of leprosy.

## The Field the Field Still.

In Brookline a short time ago a woman  
was brought into court charged  
with intoxication. She was fined \$20,  
and as she arose she said to the judge,  
"Well, I suppose you need this \$20 to  
help paint your house."

"Oh, yes," said his honor. "I think  
you had better give me \$5 more, and  
I guess I'll paint the blinds."

The fine was promptly made \$25.—  
Boston Herald.

## Cruelty.

Mrs. Ascum—Mrs. Flannery has so  
many children I don't see how she  
manages to get them all looking so  
neat and clean every afternoon.

Mrs. Newitt—Well, she's a shrewd  
manager. Just before it's time to dress  
them for dinner she lets them blow  
soap bubbles. In that way they wash  
themselves.—Philadelphia Press.

## Awkward.

The Bouncer—I say, old man, that's  
a dashed pretty girl talking to that  
fellow in front. I'll tell you which of  
us goes and mashes her?

The Other Man—Thanks, no. I don't  
think I will. The fact is that dashed  
pretty girl is my wife.—Pick Me Up.

## Premature.

"What do you think of the future of  
the airship?"

"My dear sir," replied the cold and  
practical person, "what is the use of  
talking about its future until it ac-  
quires a present?"—Washington Star.

## Deaf as an Adder.

"As deaf as an adder" is an allusion  
to the fact that the hearing of many  
kinds of serpents is far from acute  
owing to the circumstance that their  
auditory apparatus is covered by the  
outer skin or epidermis, which is shed  
every season.

## Old Irish Names.

Some of the old Irish names of lead-  
ing counties of Ireland were: The Mc-  
Murroughs or Cavanaghs of Hy-Kin-  
sellagh; the McCarthys, O'Sullivan  
and O'Donoghues of Desmond; the  
O'Flahans of Decies; the O'Carrolls and  
O'Dwyers of Ormond; the O'Melagh-  
lins of Meath; the O'Toole and O'No-  
lans of Dublin and Kildare and the  
O'Briens of Thomond.

## Byron's Pan.

Byron was as fond of puns as Ma-  
cauley. In one of the poet's letters oc-  
curs this passage, "I am living alone  
in the Franciscan monastery with one  
friar (a Capuchin, of course) and one  
friar (a bandy legged Turkish cook)."

## English Territory.

An Englishman can go round the  
world and touch on British territory all  
the way—viz. from England to Hal-  
fax, across Canada to Vancouver,  
across the Pacific to Hongkong, thence  
to Singapore, Penang, Mauritius, Cape  
Town, St. Helena and England, or  
from Penang to Ceylon, Bombay, Aden,  
Perim, Malta, Gibraltar and home.

## Water Colors.

Water colors drawings will, it is said,  
last 400 years if they are protected  
from direct sunlight.

## Highest Tide.

The highest tide in the world is in  
the bay of Fundy, between Nova Sco-  
tia and New Brunswick. The tide there  
sometimes rises to the height of sev-  
enty-one feet, and the increase is ca-  
sionally as much as a foot every five  
minutes.

## Yagua.

The fragrance of Havana cigars is  
imparted by wrappings called "yagua-  
s" in which they are rolled. A yagua  
is the thin net-like covering found on  
the leaves growing round the fruit of  
the yagua palm and is large enough to  
wrap a bundle of fifteen or twenty ci-  
gars.

## High Class Blacksmiths.

In Saxony no man is permitted to  
shoe horses unless he has passed a pub-  
lic examination and is properly qual-  
ified.

## To Make Waterproof Glue.

A glue which will resist the action of  
water is made by boiling half a pound  
of common glue in a quart of skimmed  
milk. Another method is to soak the  
glue till soft in cold water and then to  
dissolve it on the stove in linseed oil.

## A Strong Swimmer.

The shark holds the record for long  
distance swimming. One of these crea-  
tures has been known to cover 800  
miles in three days.

## Anne Bradstreet.

The first original composition printed  
in America was brought out by a wom-  
an—Mrs. Anne Bradstreet, wife of Si-  
mon Bradstreet, governor of Massa-  
chusetts, and daughter of the celebra-  
ted Thomas Dudley. She published a  
volume of poems in 1640, one year after  
the first printing press was set up  
at Cambridge, Mass.

## Odd Numbers in Siam.

The Siamese have such a superstitious  
dislike of odd numbers that they stud-  
iously strive to have in their houses an  
even number of windows, doors, rooms,  
closets, etc.

## Canary Land.

In many parts of Germany, particu-  
larly in the Harz mountains, women  
make large sums of money yearly on  
canaries. They give up two or three  
rooms in the house to them and in one  
room sometimes have as many as 200  
cages.

## Mouse Catching Horse.

At a stable in Harpurhey, England,  
there is a horse that catches rats and  
mice. If a rat or mouse run across his  
manger he will grab at it and, if suc-  
cessful in getting it, will drop it into  
his bucket of water, which is always  
left with him.

CHEAP  
BARGAINS

At Miramichi Market  
Co's Store

100 dozen Eggs at 15 cts per  
dozen, Beef, Fresh Pork, Lamb  
Mutton, Hams and Bacon. Whole-  
sale and Retail. All No. 1 goods  
at lowest market prices.

**M. RUSSELL.**

ALTHOUGH THE SEATING  
CAPACITY AT  
**Fredericton Business  
College**

Was increased for this term, every seat  
was taken. We leave you to guess the  
reason why. After April 1st, which is  
good time to enter, we will have accom-  
modation for several more. Free Cata-  
logue will be sent to any address on  
application. Address:  
**W. J. OSBORNE,**  
Principal, Fredericton, N. B.

## Livery Stable.

I have lately installed a number  
of good horses, up-to-date carriage-  
s and harness, and can supply the  
best turnouts in town.

**Charges Reasonable**

Hack to any part of the town to  
and from all regular trains.

**O. McGowan**

## CARAQUET RAILWAY CO.

The Annual Meeting of the Shareholders  
of the Caraquet Railway Company will  
be held at the Company's Office, Bathurst,  
at 11 a. m. on **TUESDAY, 17th day of JULY,**  
1906, to receive the report for the current  
year; for the Election of Directors for the  
next year and for the transaction of such  
other business as may be brought before  
the meeting, with which it may be competent  
to deal.  
**B. C. MULLINS, JAS. WEBSTER,**  
Secretary, President.  
9th June, 1906—37-34

Just Now  
Is Always  
the Best Time

For entering the College. We have no  
summer vacation. Our cool summers make  
vacations unnecessary.

We want 100 well educated young men to  
learn shorthand. All over Canada and the  
United States there is a demand for Male  
Stenographers that cannot be supplied, and  
there is nothing like shorthand for getting  
promotion and big pay.  
Send to us for booklet, "The Male Steno-  
grapher in Demand."  
Catalogues containing Terms, etc., to any  
address.  
**S. KERR & SONS,**  
St. John (N. B.)

**To Cure a Cold in One Day**  
Cure's Grip  
In Two Days.  
**Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets.**  
Seven Million boxes sold in past 12 months.  
This signature, *E. W. L.*  
on every box, 25c.

## Local and General News

Of Special Interest to Our Readers, Gathered  
By Our Reporters from Many Sources,  
Whirl of the Town.

For additional local matter see page two.

More rain fell on Sunday and it was a cold, disagreeable day.

Visiting cards printed at 50 cts. per pack of 50.

The Newcastle fire company team is practising for the Fredericton sports.

The 12th Field Battery under command of Major Lawlor left Monday night for Camp Sussex.

After digging to a depth of about 220 feet a good supply of water was obtained at Chatham Junction. A large water tank will be built there.

Arthur Tweedie, the fourteen year old son of Premier Tweedie, shot a bear and one of her three cubs up the Northwest the other day, and is very proud of the feat, especially as his brother Fred has never succeeded in bringing down such large game—World.

The Salvation Army officers have received notice of transfer. Capt. Glen has been removed to Halifax and Capt. Tatum of St. John will be in charge here. Capt. Reeves who has been in Chatham for some time has been transferred to Charlottetown.

The weather took a sudden change Friday. A northeasterly breeze springing up and soon it was cool enough for overcoats. About four o'clock rain began to fall and continued all night. The rain was much needed both to water the crops and to put out the forest fires.

The summer time table went into effect on Sunday. The Ocean Limited leaves Newcastle bound south at 12:20, north at 10:05. The Maritime, south 7:15, north 24:45. Accommodation south, 10:40, north 13:05. It will be noticed that the Maritime north arrives here at about the same time as by the winter arrangement, not an hour earlier as in former years.

At the Methodist Conference in Marystown, the following has been tabled as the first draft of the station sheet for the Chatham District—Chatham, G. A. Seiler; Newcastle, H. C. Rice; Tabusintac, Supply; Derby, J. S. Greig; Richibucto, A. Lucas; Buctouche, A. D. McCulley; Harcourt, J. B. Champion; Bathurst, R. Opie; Campbellton, W. A. Thompson.

Rev. H. Johnston goes to Summerside and Rev. Mr. Strothard to Moncton.

On Wednesday morning last Mr. W. C. Winslow, chairman of the arbitration board left the Waverly hotel to go to the telegraph office to send a telegram, and on reaching the office noticed that there was considerable smoke coming from his clothing, and it is needless to say that much excitement was caused in the office when it was discovered that Mr. Winslow's clothing was on fire. The necessary assistance was rendered and the fire soon extinguished. As Mr. Winslow is not a smoker very many rumors are afloat as to the cause of the blaze.—Tribune.

H. B. Dominick, of New York, who has been fishing salmon on the Miramichi with James S. Whitman, reports magnificent sport. In nine days sixty-two fish were killed. One morning in one pool a single rod captured nine fish in three hours. The sportsmen are most enthusiastic over the Miramichi pools, and certainly the record justifies this feeling. From some other waters the report is not so encouraging but generally the fish are unusually numerous.

A very pretty wedding took place at St. Andrew's manse, Chatham, on the 11th, when Miss Mabel MacKay of West Branch, River John, N. S., was united in marriage to Archibald Giggie, of Lower Newcastle, Rev. Messrs. McLean and Henderson officiating. The bride was daintily attired in blue broadcloth with white trimmings and hat to match. She was attended by Miss Cessie Giggie. The groom was attended by Mr. Robert D. Giggie, uncle of the bride.—World.

Monday next will be observed as Dominion Day and the stores will be closed as usual on that day.

The marriage of Miss Emma Estelle Coffin, of East Boston, to Mr. Walter Brown Walls, formerly of Chatham, but now of Chelsea, Mass., took place on the 21st inst.

The summer tourist traffic on the I. C. R. is now on. The morning express was crowded with passengers on Saturday night.

Mr. Wm. McLaggan, suffered a heavy loss in the destruction of his house and barns at Blackville last Wednesday. The fire is supposed to have been caused by a defective flue.

The fire underwriters have appointed a committee to devise a scheme to meet the competition of the non-tariff companies on household insurance.

It is reported that a company with a capital of \$50,000 is about to be formed at Chatham for the purpose of building, equipping and operating a tannery in that town.

Mrs. MacMillan wishes through the columns of the Advocate to express her appreciation of the kindly feeling shown to her in the address and handsome gift sent from the ladies of St. James' church.

The marriage of John Doyle, of Bartibogue, and Miss M. Corcoran, of Boston, was solemnized at St. Peter's church, Bartibogue, on Wednesday. Rev. William Morrissey officiating. The bride was supported by Miss Gertie Connell, and the bridegroom by Mr. M. Martin. The gifts were numerous and costly.

On Wednesday last Mrs. Ellen Stairs, Woodstock, who is slightly demented, left the residence of her sister, Mrs. Tapley, Woodstock, and cannot be found. She is about fifty years of age.

Mr. Arthur Robinson, a prominent stock broker of New York, who has lately purchased a large tract of land on the Little Southwest is now enjoying the fishing on that popular salmon stream. Mr. Robinson has a number of friends with him and they are occupying a fine camp recently erected. It is said he has a moving picture machine and an operator, and that they will endeavor to get pictures of big game in their native haunts.

Two Newcastle sports had a no less interesting experience at the Oxbow on Saturday. It does not appear that they were in a physically responsible condition, but the horse which they had left tied to a tree while they were fishing, evidently thought them rather ungrateful for leaving it alone and "slipping the anchor" trotted home, leaving the fishermen to follow at their leisure with the wagon. The latter they left at Redbank and walked to town, arriving at an early hour Sunday morning.—Leader.

The above was no doubt inspired by an item which appeared in last week's Advocate, but must have been written by some person who did not know the young men alluded to in our item or they would not have been mentioned as "not in a physically responsible condition." Both the young men have been known to be in any but a responsible condition. The Leader should be careful to obtain the facts before it publishes such a slander on two young men.

## Social Personal.

Mrs. J. D. Paulin is visiting in Montreal.

Rev. H. Johnston was in St. John Sunday.

Mrs. Jas. Duthie of Chelmsford, spent Friday with friends in town.

Miss Broden, of Kirkville, Mass., is visiting friends in town.

Miss Russell left last week to spend the summer at Yonghal.

Miss Aggie Russell arrived home from Portland Me., yesterday.

The Misses Quigley have returned from a pleasant visit to St. John.

E. P. Williston Esq., and Miss May returned from Windsor last week.

Mr. Andrew Brown of P. E. I. is visiting his brother, Mr. George Brown.

Mrs. C. Hubbard and Master Bruce, of Carleton are visiting Mrs. Adams.

Mrs. Hammond Johnston was visiting Miss Whitney, Whitneyville, last week.

Mr. Chas. Jardine of Superior is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Jardine.

Mrs. William Russell is visiting her sister, Mrs. Charles Scott, Sackville, N. B.

Mrs. M. H. McMillan left yesterday afternoon for Medicine Hat to join Mr. McMillan.

Mr. Humble of Toronto, is visiting friends in town. He is the guest of Mrs. James Troy.

Mrs. James Copeland and two children left yesterday to visit friends in British Columbia.

Miss Laura Aiken has returned from Montreal where she was attending Truett College.

Miss Annie Rawser is home from Boston and is visiting Dr. and Mrs. John S. Benson, Chatham.

Mr. John Hutchinson of Buctouche, N. B. was in town visiting Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Steeves.

Many friends here will regret to learn that Mrs. F. P. Vorster, of Sawyerville, P. Q. is seriously ill.

Mr. O. N. Brown who has been attending the Provincial Normal School, Fredericton, arrived home Thursday night.

Miss Clara Currie, of Chatham, has gone to Montreal where she will be one of the principals in an interesting event.

Mrs. James Cunn has returned home after a pleasant visit to her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Buckley, Methuen, Mass.

Willie Morrissey and Sam Doyle returned on Friday from Sacred Heart College, Carleton, to spend their vacation at their homes.

James McCabe, C. and J. Creighton, and C. Demers, who have been attending St. Joseph's college are home for the summer vacation.

Mrs. Henry Bell left last week on a visit to her home, Picton, N. S. She will also visit her daughters at Amherst and Sackville before she returns.

Mrs. Geo. Delbois, who was visiting friends here returned to Hinsdale, Ill., yesterday being called by the severe illness of her sister, Mrs. Geo. Beaton.

Miss Helena, daughter of Archibald Frecker, Chatham left last week for Dawson City, where she will be one of the principals in an interesting event.

Rev. W. R. Robinson, a native of Newcastle and formerly pastor of the United Baptist church at Gills, has been appointed to a pastorate near Chicago, and enters upon his duties at once.

Mrs. John Ferguson was in Halifax last week attending the closing exercises of the Halifax Conservatory of Music, at which her daughter, Miss Bessie, graduated. She returned Thursday night accompanied by her daughters, Misses Bessie and Florence.

Many friends here will be pleased to learn of the promotion of Mr. Graham Jardine. He has recently been appointed manager of the East end branch of the Royal Bank of Canada, Vancouver, B. C. Graham expects to come east this summer and it is said that he will not return to B. C. alone.

## SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

SOME TIME in August next we expect to make some extensive alterations in our store, renovating its interior throughout. We have a large quantity of goods on our shelves which will have to be either disposed of or warehoused while the work is being done. We have considered the matter carefully and have decided that it is better to give our customers the benefit of the movement and to clear out the greater portion of the goods at almost any price, rather than go to the trouble and expense of warehousing same. With this end in view we are therefore starting a big

## Alteration Sale.

Here are Some of the Lines which are the first to  
Fall Before the Price Knife:

1000 PAIRS RIBBED HOSE, IN ALL SIZES, AT 10 CENTS PER PAIR. 1000  
Or, for Quick Clearance, \$1.00 per Dozen Pairs.

Colored Muslins

Excellent in colorings and designs, regular 12c. value.

Sale Price, 8c. per yd.

White Muslin

Regular 7 and 8c. values.

Sale Price, 5c. per yd.

Cotton Voiles

Very pretty patterns, 40 inches wide, regular price 15c.

Sale Price, 9c. per yd.

Canvas Suiting

Regular 25c. value in white, cream, pink, etc.

Sale Price, 15c. per yd.

Zephyr Gingham

In neat striped patterns, regular price 15c.

Sale Price, 9c. per yd.

Pique

In Blue only, regular price 16c. To clear at

11c. per yd.

GREY COTTON. Good Quality Cotton. Sale price, per Yard, 4 Cents  
Better Quality, full width Cotton, Sale Price, per Yard, 5 Cents.  
Best Bengal Shirting, 10 Cents per Yard.

Boys' Overalls

Made of good strong Denim, sizes to fit ages from 3 to 12 years.

Sale Price, 25c. pair.

Prints.

Regular 14c. prints for 10c. yd.

10c. " " 8c. yd.

7c. " " 5c. yd.

Black Sateen Underskirts

Well made of good quality mercerized sateen. Regular price \$1.00.

Sale Price, 80c. each.

Big Reductions in  
Men's, Youths' and Boys' Ready Made Clothing.

A. H. MACKAY,

Newcastle.

## KEEP COOL!

The place to buy your  
new Spring Hat is  
The Sargeant Store.

We have a very complete stock  
of Millinery and are pre-  
pared to fill all orders  
neatly and promptly.

Take a look through our stock  
it will repay you. Prices  
as low as the lowest.

MRS. H. A. QUILTY.

The hot weather has come. Now is the proper time to prepare for it. Read this advertisement and you will find something you may need.

UNDERWEAR—Plain and Fancy Balbriggan, all sizes.

HOSIERY—Black, Tan and Fancy, in Cotton and Cashmere.

SHIRTS—Plain and Fancy, Soft Bosom, new patterns. Men's sizes, 14 to 18.

Boys' sizes, 12 to 14.

COLLARS—Wear a Palmatto or Bedford Collar while the warm weather lasts.

NECKWEAR—Washable Ties in Four-in-hand and Narrow Stripes, Silk Stripes to be worn either in bow or four-in-hand, Flowing End, Puffs, Bows and Four-in-hand. All new stock, just in.

BELTS—In the Narrow and Wide, all sizes from 30 to 42.

COATS—Black Lustre and Linen, all sizes from 36 to 44.

VESTS—Washable Vests in White and Fancy.

STRAW HATS—We have them in Sailor, Fedora and Panama shapes. The nicest goods in town.

LINEN HATS in several shapes, all sizes and prices. Also White Duck and Flannel Hats.

BOOTS AND SHOES—White Canvas Boots, Goochwear welt. Tennis and Baseball Shoes.

BATHING SUITS—Two Piece suits in 3 sizes.

JOHN FERGUSON,

Telephone No. 10. Lounsbury Block. Newcastle, N. B.

SOMETHING NEW.  
Furniture at Lounsbury's

We have now in Stock a Full Line of Furniture.

## IRON AND BRASS BEDS.

BEDROOM SUITES in Solid Oak, Surface Oak, Mahogany Finish, Birch, Elm, Etc.

Mattresses, Springs, Parlour Suites and Couches, Sideboards, Tables, Chairs, Etc.

Goods that will satisfy the most exacting. Call and see them. Excellent values.

ALSO

OUR REGULAR WELL KNOWN LINE of Perrin Sulky Plows, Fleury Wheel Plows, Wilkinson and Fleury Hand Plows, Celebrated Deering Disc Harrows, Spring and Spike Tooth Harrows, the famous Chatham Wagons, Churns, Washing Machines, Wringers, Etc.

It will Pay you to Consult our Agents, or Call and Inspect our Goods Before placing your order.

The LOUNSBURY COMPANY, Ltd.

## He Didn't Enjoy his Breakfast

Because the Tea served  
wasn't

MORSE'S