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No. 8

## Clearing Sale of Ladies' Misses' and Children's Coats.

As the season is now drawing to a close we have decided to clear out the balance of the above mentioned garments at 20 per cent. discount.

We had a very large stock of misses and childrens coats and some of the best are left yet. We have a few lined with bearcloth, heavy and warm the price was 6.00 now \$4.80. We have some priced at 4.50 now \$3.60. Others marked 3.50 now 2.80, and so on to the end of the chapter

In Ladies' garments the prices range from \$2.25 to \$10.50. At our reduced prices this means \$1.80 for the cheapest and \$8.40 for the best. There are other prices between at the same discount.

Besides these we have 5 coats just received a few days ago from the manufacturer. They are right up to the minute in style and quality. Regular \$15.00 garments.

1 black, size 32. 1 light grey homespun, tight, fitting, size 32. 1 brown semi-fitting size 32. 2 light grey broadcloth, sizes 34 and 36. We offer them this week for speedy clearance at \$13.00.

**CLARKE & Co.,** The Cash System Store.



## Horse Trotting

Is not it with the pace our house set in the Overcoat Business. It is such a pace it is hard for any body to follow us. Some of the nobbiest people are wearing our ready to wear coats today. The leading fashion tell us Black and Blue is just coming in vogue again. We wish to call your special attention to some of the values we offer.

A nice Blue Beaver Coat Sateen lined Price \$6.00  
A heavy Black Beaver Sateen lined Coat, \$7.50  
A good Black Beaver English lining, \$10.00.  
A beautiful Black and Blue Beaver raw edges and seamed coat, \$17.00.

A nice dark cheque coat \$7.00. A Real good cheque coat \$8.00. A good line of Scotch goods 10x12. This is Newcastle's Overcoat store, if you buy without seeing our line, you run a risk of paying more than you should. Years of experience has taught us where and what to buy to give our customers the best value. We solicit a call from you whether you buy or not.

**L. B. McMurdo,**

The Peoples' Tailor and Clothier.

What you can get for

50c. at our store.

Silver necklets, heart locket, bangle bracelets, thistle brooches and hat pins, cuff links, blouse pins, collar supports, silver mounted manicure pieces, letter seal moisteners, mucilage pot, shoe horns and button hooks, tooth brush holders, tooth and talcum powder bottles, thimbles, tooth picks, knives, tie clips, Pearl necklets, pin and ash trays, drinking cups in case, ink stands, pocket knives, coin purses, gentleman's companions.

Sugars and creams, bon-bons, hair receivers, biscuit jars, cups and saucers, mustards, rose jars, cake plates, fern pots, cream jugs, baby plates, cut glass vases, peppers and salts.

Silver plated napkin rings, sugar spoons, butter knife, etc. Also a large variety of other suitable Xmas gifts at all prices. Call and see these goods, all are welcome.

**H. WILLISTON & CO.**

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NEWCASTLE, N. B.

Pearl Set Gold Brooches.

New Goods

Beautiful Designs.

A dainty Cresent only \$4.25

While others will be found at 2.50, 3.00, 4.50, 6.00, 7.00 up to \$12.00.

Nothing better for a Xmas gift to your mother, wife sister or sweetheart.

## BIG GAME SEASON CLOSED.

Most Successful Year Province has yet Enjoyed—Northumberland and the Banner Co.

The New Brunswick big game season closed Friday night and it has proved to be the most successful yet enjoyed by the province. The revenue has been large and the sportsmen have all gone home with a good impression of an big game country.

Northumberland county is undoubtedly the banner county. The direct revenue taken for licenses issued is between seven and eight thousand dollars. When it is considered that many of the licenses sold in York and Gloucester are for the Northumberland district it will be easily seen that ours is the leading county.

## MRS. F. P. THOMPSON DIED SUDDENLY.

Sister of Governor Snowball Expired at Fredericton Tuesday Evening.

Fredericton, N. B., Nov. 30.—The wife of Senator F. P. Thompson expired suddenly this evening. She was a sister of Governor Snowball. The Senator was on his way home from Ottawa when the sad event occurred.

Smelt fishermen have their nets set opposite Newcastle.

Saturday was the queen's birthday. The flag on the Post Office was flying in honor of the occasion.

Sugar has advanced ten cents per hundred pounds. This advance is due to the increase duty under the new tariff.

Alan Ritchie, Jr. returned Saturday from a hunting trip to the Ritchie Co.'s camps. He shot a moose and a caribou. The caribou is an exceptionally fine one.

The marriage of Mr. John Addison Flett and Miss Anna Louise Vereker is announced. The ceremony was performed on Monday, November 26th, at Dorchester, Mass.

On account of the weather the meeting of the united choirs and other who were to practise music for the Tennyson Smith meetings, given out for Tuesday night, has been postponed until Thursday night when it is hoped all who can sing will meet at the Methodist S. S. room and assist Mr. Peacock of Chatham, has kindly consented to be present.

John Walsh of Chelmsford had a narrow escape last Thursday morning. He was driving to town and when about to cross the track at Chelmsford siding a special train came along. Mr. Walsh is a little hard of hearing, and not expecting a train at that hour, did not observe its approach. The horse was nearly on the track when it shied and Mr. Walsh saw the train, and jumped out of carriage. Neither horse or man were seriously hurt and proceeded to town.

## BAD WRECK ON I. C. R.

Driver Daniel McQuarry Severely Injured—Fireman A. J. Forbes Uninjured.

OPEN SWITCH.

Accident Was at Redpine Station—Train Was Freight Bound West.

A serious accident occurred at Redpine station Monday evening, which seriously injured engineer Daniel McQuarry, and did considerable damage to rolling stock. The way freight, driver McQuarry and fireman A. J. Forbes was proceeding west after a stop at Redpine station and ran into an open switch. The train was going at a fair rate of speed and the locomotive turned over on its side. The fireman was thrown clear of the wreck but driver McQuarry was not so fortunate. He was caught in the wreck and before he could be released he was severely scalded about the shoulders, arms and face.

Awrecking train from Newcastle was soon on the scene and traffic was not long delayed, although six cars had left the rails.

Mr. McQuarry was brought to his home here shortly after the accident and at last reports is resting comfortably.

London, Nov. 26.—The Observer says it is regarded in political circles as practically certain that Sir Henry Campbell Bannerman will go to the House of Lords about Easter. This will make a vacancy in the British Commons and it is this seat that Mr. John McKane expects to contest when the by-election is held to fill the vacancy. Mr. and Mrs. McKane are at present in Scotland.

Mr. H. C. McLeod, General Manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia, in a letter to the Globe, Toronto which will be found on page three of this issue, calls the attention of bank shareholders to the fact that twenty-five per cent of the banks of Canada have failed within a period of 16 years, the last ten of which were years of unexampled prosperity, and urges the need of external inspection, which experience in the western hemisphere has demonstrated to be essential.

Percy Lindon, belonging to here, and Jos. C. Woods, of Harcourt, who have been playing baseball in Cape Breton during the past summer, have begun an action for the recovery of wages alleged to be them as ball players in the New Aberdeen C. B. base ball club during the past season. The commencing of the action has created quite a sensation in sporting circles. It has been generally suspected that the New Aberdeen club had paid the men in their service this year and this suspicion now seems to be well founded. All the players in the New Aberdeen club were recently suspended by the M. P. A. A. but it is not likely they will be very much concerned as to how the association will deal with them. Lindon and Woods were the star players on the New Aberdeen team.

## THE ESTIMATES FOR THE YEAR.

A Large Amount Voted by Parliament for Public Works.

Ottawa, Nov. 30.—The main estimates for 1907, presented to parliament Thursday total \$41,522,645 to be voted, of which \$24,224,645 is on consolidated account, and \$38,298,340 on capital account. There is in addition \$22,100,533 authorized by statute, making the grand total of \$105,689,519.

Among the items are—

Improvements at Newcastle, I. C. R., \$32,000.

Campbellton improvements, \$15,790.

Tracadie lazaretto, laundry and sanitary works, \$5,000.

Buctouche—Channel through beach \$3,500.

Campbellton—Wharf extension, repairs, etc., \$15,000.

Caracquet—Wharf approach, ice breakers, etc., \$2,000.

Locomotive and car shops and land purchase at Moncton, \$520,000.

Clifton (Stonehaven)—Breakwater improvements and repairs, \$2,000.

Dalhousie harbor improvements, \$7,000.

Oak Point wharf, \$8,000.

Petit Roche breakwater, including connection with shore, \$6,500.

Richibucto—Extension of north pier, \$8,500.

Shippegan Harbor—Improvements at Shippegan Gully, \$6,000.

Shippegan Harbor—Wharf at terminus of Caracquet Railway, \$5,000.

Harbors, rivers and bridges generally in New Brunswick, repairs and improvements, \$170,600.

## SANTA CLAUS FOR CHILDREN.

An Effort to Have Christmas Tree For Newcastle Young People.

A number of Newcastle Ladies are planning to have a Christmas tree for the children of Newcastle. A committee of ladies has been formed in hand and a partial canvass of the merchants and others was very encouraging, all promising to donate something towards it. Full particulars will appear later.

## AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY HELD MEETING.

Annual Business Meeting Last Friday Afternoon at Chatham.

The annual business meeting of the Northumberland Agricultural Society was held in the Canada House, Friday afternoon and was well attended. Mr. B. M. Moran, Sec. Treasurer of the association, presented a financial account, which was audited by Mr. G. E. Fisher and Mr. A. G. Dickson, showing a balance of \$241.97 on the right side. It was decided to hold a Seed Fair in January, 1906. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: George E. Fisher, president; Wm. Kerr, 1st vice-president; M. F. Noonan, 2nd vice-president; B. M. Moran, sec. treasurer; Hon. L. J. Tweedie, John Dickson, Geo. P. Searle, Geo. Hildebrand, W. C. Stothart, B. W. Smith, Jas. Falconer, Geo. J. Dickson, J. McKnight, R. A. Murdoch, R. A. Snowball, John O'Brien, J. P. Burchill, A. McLennan, Milton Galloway, A. G. Dickson, Henry Gordon, Geo. Keating, Wm. Fenton, J. W. McNaughton, Geo. Loggie, Directors; A. G. Dickson, Geo. E. Fisher, George Hildebrand, audit committee.

## NEW ANNUALS!

Chums, Girls Realm, Chatterbox. Bo Peep, Father Tuck's Annual, Childs Own Magazine.

Buy Early as These Popular Books will Sell Rapidly.

See our window for specimens of Vines, Flowers, Bells, etc for Holiday decoration. You can brighten up your home for the winter at small cost.

**FOLLANSBEE & CO.**  
PUBLIC SQUARE, NEWCASTLE.

Local and General News

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

Cond. P. E. Heine recently shot a moose at Brown's Sliding, the antlers of which had a spread of fifty-four inches.

Mr. John Young, M. P. P., is reported seriously ill at his home in Tracadie.

**DEAFNESS CANNOT BE CURED** by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a running sound or imperfect hearing, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous services.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by Catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circular, free.

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It is with the deepest regret that we have to record the death of Thomas Hayes Sr. of New Mills, Restigouche County, N. B. which took place on Sunday 25th November, at the advanced age of 97 years.—Events.

I was cured of lame back after suffering 15 years by MINARD'S LINIMENT. Two Rivers, N. S. ROBT. ROSS.

I was cured of Diphtheria, after doctors failed, by MINARD'S LINIMENT. Antigonish. JOHN A. FOREY.

I was cured of contraction of the muscles by MINARD'S LINIMENT. MRS. RACHEL SAUNDERS. Dalhousie.

Our subscribers are kindly requested to notify this office if at any time they fail to receive their paper.

It is announced that the strike of the Canadian Express company's agents along the Intercolonial railway is settled. The strikers were I. C. R. telegraphers and station agents who have been acting also as agents of the Express company. In April last they struck for more remuneration for their services and various attempts at a settlement have since failed. For several days past a committee of the strikers has been in session at Moncton and it is now announced that the end of the strike will likely be declared to-day. A compromise has been reached, the agents to receive a minimum pay of \$2 a month and 5 per cent. on the business done.



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Stanfield's Underwear is made of long, silky, Nova Scotia wool—the finest in the world for Underwear.  
The superior quality of wool—together with the peculiar knit of the garments—give the greatest possible warmth with the least weight.  
**Stanfield's Unshrinkable Underwear**  
comes in sizes to perfectly fit all figures. Every garment guaranteed absolutely unshrinkable.

The bowling match held in the Miramichi Alleys Tuesday evening attracted a large number of spectators, who witnessed a close and interesting contest of skill. Follansbee's team won by the narrow margin of 29 points, the teams being very evenly matched, as the following score indicates:

FOLLANSBEE'S TEAM.		GREEN'S TEAM.	
game	1st 2nd 3rd Total	game	1st 2nd 3rd Total
J. Follansbee	124 145 166 435	W. J. Green	163 124 184 471
J. Baote	200 132 107 439	J. Robinson	133 96 115 344
J. Russell	263 161 178 502	F. S. Green	123 147 177 447
G. McWilliam	95 106 136 337	C. Dalton	131 159 132 422
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Considering that most of the players here are beginners, having never bowled before the alleys were opened a few weeks ago, and that some of the players were not up to their usual form, the scores are very fair.

The publishers of The Maritime Farmer announce their intention of issuing a special Christmas number on November 27th. They promise it will be one of the best issues yet published by them. The front cover will be printed in three colors, red, buff and black, and has a very appropriate design for the Christmas season. There will be forty-eight pages beside the cover, and they say that the reading matter is of the very best, both from a literary and practical standpoint. The price for single copies of this issue is ten cents and it will be worth the money.

Catarrh of the nose and throat should lead you to at least ask us for a free trial box of Dr. Shoop's Catarrh Cure. Nothing so surely proves merit as a real, actual test, and Dr. Shoop, to prove this, earnestly desires that we let you make that test. This creamy, snow white healing balm, soothes the throat and nostrils, and quickly purifies a foul or feverish breath. Call and investigate.—Sold by THOS. J. DURICK.

**CHATHAM SUFFERS FROM THIEVES.**

Epidemic of Sneaking Variety—Clothes Lines Robbed and Petty Depredations of Nightly Occurrence.

Chatham, N. B., Nov. 29.—Chatham is suffering from an epidemic of sneak thievery, and residents are alarmed at the boldness and frequency of the depredations. Men dressed in women's clothes go round in broad daylight and rob clothes lines, houses and stores. In spite of this open display, the police have done nothing and though the men are seen daily on the streets the police do not shadow them, nor are they able to catch them in the act. Women are frightened and householders take every precaution to have things carefully locked up.

Last evening two women or men dressed in women's clothes entered Jos. Arsenau's yard, west end, but were seen as they started to clear out the clothes line. Moore and Allen, two young men, gave chase and the robbers sprinted up towards the exhibition buildings and into the woods back of the race track, where they escaped.  
A tub of butter was also filched from Howard Fleigher's house last night. Other robberies include valuable furs, hats, as well as eatables. One of the sneak thieves stole a Duke resident's axe out of the wood shed the other night. The same one or another of the gang, entered the kitchen in the day time and stole two salt hering out of a pan on the stove. The woman of the house heard the door open and started for the kitchen a moment later and heard it close, but no one was in sight.



**A Daring Distribution**

The undersigned Druggist at the earnest solicitation of the Ferrol Co., Limited, of Toronto, has made a thorough and searching investigation into the merits of FERROL, and of the methods of that Company, and he finds that: Every cure claimed by the Company is absolutely genuine; that FERROL is manufactured from the best quality of Munn's Celebrated Cod Liver Oil (the whole of the oil) and is richer in oil than any other emulsion, and while it contains just the right quantity of the best form of Iron and Phosphorus, it is so scientifically prepared, that not one in a thousand finds any trouble in taking it; that the medicine has accomplished the most amazing results in its own city; that its sales in the Home City have been phenomenal; that it is endorsed by all druggists without hesitation or qualification; that it is, in short, all the Company claims for FERROL, and more.

The more I investigated the more enthusiastic I became. It is no longer a question of my willingness to handle the preparation—FERROL—but how can I bring it to the immediate suffering of this city?

It is a heavy responsibility, but I have faith in the honesty and fairness of the Ferrol Company, Limited, of Toronto, and the unequalled merits of their preparation, FERROL.

(Signed) **A. E. Shaw.**

I find also that the druggists in other cities have taken upon themselves the solemn responsibility of standing behind this medicine; and that these druggists have made in each city a daring and remarkable distribution of full-sized bottles.

Impressed by the action of our fellow-druggists, and convinced that they would not have given this remedy such unqualified approval without positive knowledge of its merits, I have decided to follow their example and distribute free of charge

**75 Large Bottles of FERROL Free to the Sick**

**FRIDAY, Dec. 7th, 1906.**

at A. E. SHAW'S, DRUG STORE, NEWCASTLE, N. B.

Maintaining a first-class Drug Store, the above named Druggist occupies a commanding position in the retail drug trade of this city, and almost every remedy that is offered to the public seeks an outlet through his store. But with an eye single to the interests of his many patrons he is careful to handle the most reliable preparations. Consequently when a medicine is recommended and endorsed by this Druggist, that medicine must have merit.

**FERROL**

He has purchased from the Ferrol Co., Limited, of Toronto, a large number of bottles of this remedy, for free distribution, and he hereby invites every person suffering from any form of blood trouble; any person who is run down, discouraged and in need of a powerful tonic; any person suffering from Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Croup and all Bronchial or Lung Trouble, Chronic Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Insomnia, Loss of Weight, and all wasting diseases; any person who has sought relief in any other remedy or Cod Liver Oil preparation, and failed to find it, cut out the certificate printed herewith, fill out the blank lines, present it at the store on the dates given, and get a bottle of this wonderful preparation, FERROL, Free.

It was necessary for me to purchase a large quantity in order to have the privilege of making this free distribution, and the responsibility assumed by me in this matter, I am positive will be appreciated by the public, and the immense sales that are sure to follow will more than compensate me for the expenditure involved.

There is absolutely no sentiment in this endorsement of FERROL. It is merely a business recognition of a preparation that possesses positive merit, and a keen desire on the part of a progressive concern to always supply the best goods at the lowest possible price.

No other distribution will be made, and it will be necessary for you to come early in order to be sure of securing a large size bottle of FERROL ABSOLUTELY FREE

REMEMBER, only ONE bottle will be given to each family. Tell your friends of this Wonderful Offer for fear they will not see this advertisement.

**FERROL WHAT IT IS AND WHY YOU SHOULD TAKE IT**

**THE FERROL CO., LIMITED**  
CITY  
May 24th, 1906

GENTLEMEN,  
The bottle of FERROL I secured from you, I have found to do great good. My son used it for a bad cold, and it cured him. I know it to be an excellent remedy for a bad cold and for building a person up after sickness. I might say that it was a prominent doctor friend of mine in the city, who used it for his son, and spoke to me of it. I have since recommended it to a great many of my friends to try.

Yours truly,  
J. B. TENING  
T. P. AGY.

**WHAT FERROL DOES**—A careful personal of the foregoing will readily suggest to the reader what FERROL does. It builds up the run-down constitution as no other preparation can. It cures Anemia, no matter how chronic, by supplying the blood with just what it requires in the only form in which impoverished blood can be so supplied. It prevents Consumption by fortifying the constitution against its attacks. It restores Nervous Vitality in a manner little short of marvellous. It cures Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis and kindred diseases by building up the constitution so that the system will throw off the disease by NATURAL PROCESSES—a very different thing from the usual method of treatment by administering cough medicines and other drugs which are sure to impair digestion and are always debilitating in their effects. FERROL, on the other hand, while removing the disease, at the same time increases the weight, enriches the blood and improves the patient in every respect. Cod Liver Oil, Iron and Phosphorus are not new remedial agents; for ages their merits have been known and recognized, and for many years physicians have indulged the hope that some day a satisfactory combination of these remedies would be perfected and the full strength and the system is rendered peculiarly susceptible to the attacks of disease. It strengthens the muscles, tones up the nerves, improves the vitality, strengthens the action of the heart, and builds up the whole system so that the germs of disease can obtain no foothold. It has a wonderful recuperative effect on the Brain—bringing it to its proper firmness. Phosphorus, the Brain's chief constituent; attacks of depression and world-weariness, "brain fog," etc., are dispelled—the cure is local, constructive and complete. **WHAT IT IS NOT**—It is not a "Patent Medicine"—the ingredients are freely made known, only the method of manufacture being secret. **REMEMBER**—There is only one Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil, Iron and Phosphorus, and that one is FERROL. If you feel the need of a Restorative see that you get FERROL and do not be put off with something "just as good"—there is nothing half as good—nothing "just the same." **WHAT IT IS**—FERROL, as its name implies, is composed mainly of Oil and Iron, in short a PERFECT KATLACON OF COD LIVER OIL AND IRON, with a solution of Phosphorus added, and is positively the only preparation combining these ingredients. The apparently extravagant claim that it has no equal in its peculiar sphere is based on the following common sense reasons: It combines in palatable form Cod Liver Oil, the greatest tissue builder and flesh-producer known to medical science; with IRON, the most potent agent which will supply impoverished blood with the red corpuscles which it must have in order to insure a healthy condition; and Phosphorus, which has no equal as a nerve tonic.

**THIS CERTIFICATE**

Properly filled out and signed, entitles the holder to one large sized bottle of FERROL (Cod Liver Oil, Iron and Phosphorus), if presented at A. E. Shaw's Drug Store on **FRIDAY**, from 9 a.m., until samples are exhausted.

Name of Patient, \_\_\_\_\_

Address, \_\_\_\_\_

Disease, \_\_\_\_\_

The bearer of this certificate hereby agrees to give this medicine a thorough and faithful trial and to report to the druggist named above, within three weeks, the improved condition of his health that is almost absolutely certain to follow. This Coupon must be presented by adults.

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For downright honest service, there's nothing like HEWSON TWEEDS.  
They are wool—PURE WOOL—and ALL WOOL.  
If you want a suit that will wear—see that the Hewson trademark is on the cloth.



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The Modern Pain Cure

It banishes pains and aches of every description and stands unrivalled as the foremost household remedy. Is the safest and surest relief for Cuts, Bites, Bruises, Burns, etc., and is without an equal in all cases where a liniment or pain cure is required.

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We guarantee Bentley's Liniment to do all we claim or refund your money. Could we treat you any later?  
Accept only the genuine BENTLEY'S. Sold by all dealers, especially Druggists. 2 oz. Bottle, 10c.  
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The Largest Bottle of White Liniment on the market.  
F. G. WHEATON CO., Ltd.,  
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**To Cure a Cold in One Day** Cures Grip in Two Days.  
Take **Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets**. On every seven bottles is a gift. This signature, *E. W. Little* box 25c.

### INDEPENDENT INSPECTION OF CANADIAN BANKS.

An Interesting Letter by H. C. MeLeod, General Manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia, on an Important Subject.

To the Editor of the Globe: Through the press and from the platform the banking system of Canada is lauded as being the best in the world. In many particulars the system is admirable, our elastic bank currency and the readiness with which the banking requirements of new districts are met by branch extension being its strongest features. However, it is not without defects, some of them of vital importance. Of these the most prominent is the lack of external inspection, which experience in the western hemisphere has demonstrated to be essential. The public have been reminded of this necessity by the recent failure of the Ontario Bank and the leading papers of the country are almost a unit in demanding reform in this particular. The reasonableness of this demand is made clear by a review of Canadian banking history since 1880 and before, and is confirmed by the experiences of our neighbors prior to the civil war. In 1880 there were in existence in Canada forty-one banks, since then seven have been incorporated and have commenced business, making a total of forty-eight banks. Of this total twelve have failed and some others have saved themselves by amalgamation. The failures are, therefore, twenty-five per cent. within a period of twenty-six years, the last ten of which were years of unexampled prosperity, with steadily rising deposits, conditions under which even insolvent banks seldom close their doors. Most, if not all of the above mentioned failures were fraudulent, and it is now plainly evident that a few hours' examination by a skilled banker would have disclosed an insolvent condition in any one of the banks, years before it collapsed. In each of the most recent disasters a correct diagnosis could have been made ten or more years ago. Some urge that the Government should call for special returns, but what value should attach to special returns from the bank of Yarmouth, from the Ontario Bank or from any of the other wrecks gone before? They would simply have enlarged the piles of incorrect and deceptive bank returns in the Finance Department. What is written by one having unusual facilities for observation is eminently true: "It is extremely rare to find a bank has failed without some of the officers committing fraudulent or illegal acts to hide it." There is at least sufficient truth in the above to dispel the suggestion of special returns and to dispel faith in the returns of badly managed banks.

Some Canadian bankers, including one writer, whose words are entitled to great weight, contend that Government inspection has failed in the United States. Under the national Bank Act of that

### One of Three Things Always Cause RHEUMATISM

Do you know the system rids itself of waste matter through bowels and kidneys? Yes, but by the skin as well. As a matter of fact, the skin rids the system of more urea than the kidneys do. If the skin, or bowels, or kidneys are unhealthy—they won't throw off enough urea. This urea is changed into uric acid—carried by the blood to joints and nerves—causing Rheumatism.

One never inherits Rheumatism. One does inherit weak kidneys, irregular bowels and bad skin action.

### Fruit-A-Tives

will positively cure Rheumatism because they increase the eliminating action of skin, kidneys and bowels—and make these three organs so vigorous and healthy that there can be no urea or waste retained in the system to poison the blood and irritate the nerves.

FRUIT-A-TIVES are fruit juices, combined with tonics—the whole forming the most effective cure for Rheumatism.

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"Why do you call him 'Cuba'?"  
"Kase he's hard to hold in harness, can't be trusted en always kicking up a fuss obeh nuffin."

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country there has been a more imperfect system by some of the State Bank Departments. I say imperfect, for under the national system there were employed last year 78 examiners, whose duties required the making of no less than 11,516 inspections each year! For the forty-three years during which the National Bank Act has been in operation there have been established 7,966 banks. Of these 460 have failed, the failures being equal to 5.1 per cent. of the whole number for the period. As for the banks other than national, with a more imperfect system of inspection, or no system at all, the failures reached 17.1-2 per cent. The comparison of the percentages appears as follows: National banks failed in 43 years.....5.1 per cent. Other U. S. banks failed in 43 years.....17.1 per cent. Canadian banks failed in 26 years.....25 per cent. National banks failed in 26 years (same period).....5 per cent.

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The health of many women is constantly imperilled through failure of certain organs to work according to nature's requirements. Where this condition occurs there is no safer remedy to employ than Ferrozone, which has a specific action in female troubles.

Not only does it act directly on the organs, ensuring regularity and freedom from pain, but by forming rich red blood fortifies the system against weakening drains.

Ferrozone possesses a volume of merit totally absent in the ordinary medicine, and its superiority is proclaimed by thousands of women it has restored to vigorous health. From Mrs. E. G. Caldwell comes the following endorsement, written from her home in Clarksburg: "I went through a most trying experience with what is commonly called 'Female Trouble.' It isn't necessary to state my symptoms, but I suffered a great deal. My health was well nigh ruined, and I got into such a condition that I couldn't even sleep. I was dreadfully nervous, weak and pale. Different prescriptions were recommended and I tried them all. But Ferrozone was the first to help. I improved steadily under Ferrozone and normal conditions were finally established. I gained weight, my color and spirits improved, and my former health was restored. Ferrozone cured me, and with a full heart I recommend this good medicine to all other women.

Beware of imitations—don't allow a druggist to palm off anything else for Ferrozone, which costs 50c. per box or six boxes for \$2.50 at all dealers.

### Wedding Bells.

Chatham, Nov. 29.—The marriage of Miss Minnie E. daughter of William Cahill, to James N. Creamer, conductor on the Chatham-Loggieville division of the I. C. R., was solemnized in the pro-cathedral Chatham Tuesday afternoon, nuptial mass being celebrated by Rev. Father O'Keefe. The bride wore an elegant gown of light grey cloth and blue hat, and Miss Kate Purcell, the bridesmaid, was also attired in a suit of grey cloth and white hat. Mr. Martin English supported the groom. A reception was held at the home of the brides parents after the ceremony, then the happy couple drove to the home Dennis Creamer, where they will reside. Among the many gifts was a beautiful sideboard from the groom's fellow employees.

### FOUND RELICS AT OLD FORT.

Two Hunters Visit Ruins Near Bartibogue and Make a Find.

Chatham, Nov. 28.—Peter Gil-mour and A. McLennan returned Monday from a trip to the Bartibogue hunting grounds. While there they paid a visit to the old fort discovered last year, about twenty-eight miles back from the river. They walked from Jack Robertson's lumber camp six miles to the old habitation, and in measuring the walls found them to run a distance of 150 feet north and south, and 125 feet to the west. This was evidently an outer wall for purposes of protection, and was formed of hewed stone, standing four or five feet high in places. In the middle of the enclosure was a hollow, like a cellar, a chimney. This was almost five feet high. Digging around in the cellar they unearthed an old iron vessel, shaped like a churn, a cross-cut saw, rusted and time-worn, with a length of seven feet, and a small cannon ball about one and a half inches in diameter, and weighing a third of a pound.

### Our Grandmothers had great faith in Flaxseed Tea.

Always had a potful handy during the winter for coughs and colds. It was not pleasant but it cured the cough.

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While no woman is entirely free from periodical suffering it does not seem to be the plan of nature that women should suffer so severely. This is a severe strain on a woman's vitality. When pain exists something is wrong which should be set right or it will lead to a serious derangement of the whole female organism.

Thousands of women have testified in grateful letters to Mrs. Pinkham that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound overcomes women's special pains and irregularities.

It provides a safe and sure way of escape from distressing and dangerous weaknesses and diseases.

The two following letters tell so convincingly what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will do for women, they cannot fail to bring hope to thousands of sufferers.

Miss Matilda Richardson of 177 Wellington Street, Kingston, Ont., writes: Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"Some four years ago my usually good health began to fail. I had severe pains in my back, my head ached, I would have dizzy spells, and during my monthly periods I would suffer intense pain. I was advised to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I am so glad that I did, for it brought new life and health to me. My monthly periods were natural and painless, and my general health improved. I have not had an ache or a pain since, and I feel it a duty as well as a pleasure to tell you what your medicine has done for me."

Mrs. Louise McKenzie, of Mount Carmel, Montreal, Canada, writes: Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"I had heard so much good about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound that I asked Mrs. Pinkham's doctor—A Woman Best Understands Another's Pain."

I started to take it for painful periods so that when it cured me I was not surprised. I had suffered with blinding headaches and pain until it seemed that I must scream. These pains lasted from five to ten days every month, and you can understand how glad I was to get relief. I am in the best of health, and am pleased to give you this testimonial for what your medicine has done for me.

Such testimony should be accepted by all women as convincing evidence that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound stands without a peer as a remedy for all the distressing ills of women.

The success of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound rests upon the well-earned gratitude of Canadian women.

When women are troubled with irregularities, displacements or ulceration of the organs, that bearing-down feeling, inflammation, backache, bloating, (or flatulency), general debility, indigestion and nervous prostration, or are beset with such symptoms as dizziness, faintness, lassitude, excitability, irritability, nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, they should remember there is one tried and true remedy—Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once removes such troubles. Refuse to buy any other medicine, for you need the best.

Don't hesitate to write to Mrs. Pinkham if there is anything about your sickness you do not understand. She will treat you with kindness and her advice is free. No woman ever regretted writing her and she has helped thousands. Address: Lynn, Mass.

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NEWCASTLE, DEC. 5, 1906.

Mr. H. H. Stuart, of the Harcourt Superior School, has accepted the editorship of the ADVOCATE and will enter on his duties the first of the new year. Mr Stuart has been a contributor to the ADVOCATE for some time, and has organized Kent county. Besides doing the editorial work, Mr. Stuart will take charge of the news service and circulation of both the ADVOCATE and Campbellton Events.

**PROHIBITION.**

A great revival—a genuine and permanent revival—is apparent in temperance matters in this province. In the year 1905-6 the provincial I. O. G. T. increased fifty per cent. in membership, while the Sons of Temperance and other temperance bodies made substantial gains. Last January the N. B. Temperance Federation was formed to organize the province for prohibition along the lines of the P. E. I. Act. It has several counties organized, and has Rev. E. Tennyson Smith in the field. With the exception of Balmoral parish, all sections of Restigouche Co. recently declared for the Scott Act; and Kent Co. temperance societies have greatly increased in numbers and membership within the last two years and a half. The time seems ripe for the crystallization of this temperance sentiment with law. We believe that the province is ready for prohibition.

Prohibition, however is not a matter to be hastily decided by mere parliamentary enactments. A majority in favor of it does not necessarily imply that a majority are determined to enforce it. Many who would vote for it, even would lift no finger nor spend one cent to carry it out. Let the government call for a referendum vote on the question, either at the general election or on a special occasion, preferably at the former time. Let the conditions be clearly understood beforehand. Let it be known that if a clear majority of the registered electorate, or a certain per cent. of those who go to the polls, vote for prohibition, that the government will immediately grant the legislation required; and also that, if the necessary vote is not forthcoming, no change will be made. Thus all responsibility will be shifted from the Legislature to the people themselves. What the majority definitely demand neither government nor opposition dare oppose. Let the majority rule. "The voice of the people is the voice of God."

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**Keep the bowels regular with Ayer's Pills and thus hasten recovery.**

Mr. Fielding's Budget speech, on the 29th ult., introduced the best tariff that has been considered in the House of Commons for years. It is three column arrangement, comprising general, intermediate and British preferential departments. The general tariff is applicable to all countries not entitled to the British preferential schedule. The intermediate plan will be applied to the goods of any country that will give us similar reductions. Thus Canada declares herself ready for complete or partial reciprocity with any country that wishes to treat with us on equal terms. Free trade is the ideal fiscal policy, but it takes two to make a bargain; and the Canadian government wisely declines to continue until such time as Germany ceases her discriminations against Canadian trade. If Germany declines to lower her tariff against us, that is her own business; we can live without her. The British preference continued; and whenever Britain wants still better terms and is prepared for a mutual preference Canada is ready to agree. The changes in the general tariff are many but are not in the direction of higher rates. The clamor of the manufacturers for higher protection has not been yielded to.

It is announced that the best of the Cobalt mining areas have fallen into the hands of the United Cobalt Exploration Co. of New York—a foreign concern into whose coffers will henceforth go the bulk of the great mineral wealth of the Temiskaming country. This could have been prevented by the Ontario government, as the Cobalt, silver and nickel mines there were discovered at the time the Ontario government railroad was built and were on public property. The title to the lands should have been retained by the public, for the benefit of Ontario and Canada, not merely to swell the fortunes of New York speculators. If the Americans are to be allowed to gobble up everything in sight, Canada may some day find herself in the portion of Cuba.

The trial of the four men, who were committed for conspiracy in the London, Ontario election case, will come up at the criminal assizes on January 12th. It is to be hoped that full justice will be meted out. He who uses unfair means to influence an election should, no matter what his party, church or nationality may be, receive the full penalty of the law. The preventive of majority rule by bribery, coercion, or counting out is high treason.

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Usual Christmas Announcement.

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son to the state and should receive the same punishment. Neither party in Canada can show a clean sheet in this matter. Both leaders agree as to the evil in question, and we trust that the present session will find a solution of this, the most difficult problem of democratic communities.

If Britain would remove her embargo on Canadian cattle, which is only an excuse for a protective tariff, and meet Canada half way, we should have a real union of the British empire. British statesmen are apparently letting things drift, neglecting their opportunities to more closely bind the colonies to the mother country. But the coming Imperial Conference may bring the much desired consummation.

There has been a great improvement in the finances of the I. C. R. this year. For 1904-5 the revenue of the road was \$1,725,504 less than the working expenses; but for 1905-6 the revenue was \$61,915 greater than the expenses. The day of deficits, we feel sure, has passed.

The Ontario government road, like our Central railway in New Brunswick, is also paying for itself.

The efforts of the western counties of N. B. to divert the Grand Trunk Pacific to the St. John valley route are evidently doomed to disappointment. Those counties are already fairly well served by the C. P. R. and Central, and in summer have the cheap freight rates of the steamers. What we need is the opening of new country; and this the central route will do. We believe that the new railway will pass through Chipman, thus opening up an area rich with lumber but at present destitute of transportation facilities. St. John trade can be easily forwarded from Chipman by the Central and I. C. R. All the western trade that the C. P. R. can handle will continue to enter St. John by the latter's line, which can be doubly or trebly tracked whenever business demands.

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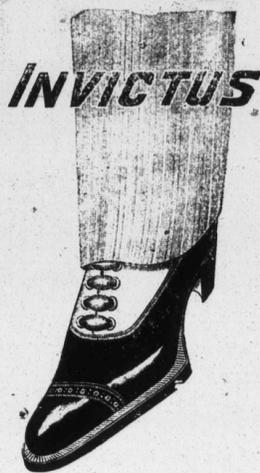
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Grangeville, Nov. 27.—Mr. and Mrs. J. Irvine Blakney moved into their new home on the 24th instant. Tonight (Tuesday) a large number of Harcourt, Upper Trout Brook and Grangeville people surprised them with a housewarming party. Many valuable gifts were presented, and a general good time enjoyed.

The buck deer which Perce Jones shot last week had antlers measuring 21 inches with 16 points.

Rev. J. R. Champion of Harcourt hunted here on the 22nd and 23rd but got no large game.

On the 24th, 32 members of Grangeville Division met in regular session, and after business, opened the session to the public, a program being provided and refreshments served. After the public were dismissed, Mrs. Margaret Page of Coal Branch, and Crawford Bailey of Upper Trout Brook were initiated. There are now 60 members in good standing.

Harcourt, Dec. 1.—Mrs. James W. Lyon of Millerton is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Livingston here. Her brother, John Livingston is still in very poor health; but her sister, Miss Sadie, is improving very much.

Rev. R. Hensley Stavert, M. A., spent most of this week in P. E. I.

Mrs. Hutchinson is convalescent, and is now visiting her daughter Mrs. George Perry at Acadieville.

Frederick Young, of Coal Brook, who has been very ill for ten days is somewhat improved.

Rev. J. B. Champion and daughters returned from Moncton on the 27th.

## PINE RIDGE.

Pine Ridge, Dec. 3rd.—Mr. C. J. Holmden left on Thursday for Quebec.

Miss Annie MacLean is spending a few weeks with her sister Mrs. C. J. Holmden.

The many friends of Miss Isabel B. Holmden, will regret to hear of her illness.

Little Miss Maudie MacLean, MacLean Settlement, is spending the week with her aunt Mrs. Chas. Holmden.

Mr. Alonzo Jones of MacLaughlin Road, spent 29th in Pine Ridge.

Mumps is prevailing in both districts. Lower Pine Ridge school, which was closed on that account for two weeks, re-opened Monday, also there are a number of the Upper Pine Ridge school ill.

Mr. Alexander Cail, and sister, Miss Mabel, accompanied by Miss Sullivan, teacher at West Branch, spent Saturday at Pine Ridge, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Cail.

Miss A. Cail spent today with Miss Miss Elizabeth MacDermott, Main River.

A number of the Pine Ridge folks attended the wedding reception of Mr. and Mrs. George Carruthers at West Branch.

Miss Nellie Currie is spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Moody MacMichael, West Branch.

Messrs. Joseph Cail, and Willie Girvan, have commenced lumbering. George Cail will commence next week.

Mr. James Cail will leave for River Herbert, N. S. on the 4th.

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Mr. Samuel Brown left for N. S. on the 2nd.  
Messrs. Samuel Howell and Jas. Scott spent the 1st at Richibucto.

## COAL BRANCH.

Coal Branch, Dec. 3.—Rev. Fr. Leger assisted by Rev. Fr. Tessier, is holding a mission in the church of St. Timothy at Adamsville this week.

Mr. Wendall Sherwood has accepted a position in the I. C. R. works at Moncton.

E. T. Swift spent Sunday at his home here.

William Swift visited his sister at his home, South Branch, last week.

Mrs. Frank Tower of this place intends going West in a few weeks to join her husband.

Mrs. Albert Fearon of Harcourt spent a few days visiting friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Kenny of Clairville are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a son.

Mr. Thomas Howard spent Sunday at his home in Clairville.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Spencer of Beersville spent the past week visiting friends here.

Some of our young people have joined the Temperance Lodge at Grangeville.

Miss Rogers teacher at Clairville has re-engaged to teach there next term.

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Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Druggists are authorized to refund money if PAIN OINTMENT fails to cure in 6 to 14 days—50c.

Special attention of our readers is called to A. H. Mackay's adv. on the page 8 of this issue.

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The outlook for the 6th Agricultural Winter Fair, to be held Dec. 3rd to the 6th inclusive, is brighter than that of any previously held. The Hon. D. C. Fraser, Lieutenant Governor of Nova Scotia, has graciously consented to be present and deliver the opening address. Premier Peters of Charlottetown, Premier Murray of Nova Scotia and other prominent gentlemen will be present and speak. The gentlemen who will deliver the Educational addresses are from among the foremost in Canada. Four days of continuous educational effort, both orally and by object lessons. The crowning effort of the year. Ample accommodation for all. You are especially invited to be present.

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Montreal, Nov. 15.—A special London, cable says: After a consultation with Lord Strathcona and in accordance with instructions of Hon. Mr. Oliver, Bruce Walker has made several changes. Webster goes to Glasgow from Dublin, which offices will be temporarily closed. Offices will be operated in Aberdeen, Londonderry and York. The Aberdeen agent's territory will be north of a line drawn across Scotland through Perth. Murray, the agent at Cardiff, goes to Exeter.

Mr. Walker recommends the purchase of one motor omnibus to be used carrying the products of Canada through the midland counties and north of England, also three light Democrite for use in the Welsh and Scotch hills. The motor exhibition car is at present at Peterborough to have its electric dynamo removed so as to decrease the weight of the vehicle by a ton and a half.

C. F. Just is reinstated at the Charing Cross office.

A vigorous policy of awakening the local of awakening the local kooking agents and efforts regarding British emigrants is to be redoubled.

If "taken at the Sneeze Stage" Preventives—a toothsome candy Tablet—will surely and quickly check an approaching cold or La-grippe. When you first catch cold or feel it coming on—take Dr. Shoop's Preventives, surely supply the proverbial "ounce of prevention". Sold in 5 cent and 25 cent boxes by—THOS. J. DURICK.

Last week's Royal Gazette contained the following:—Herbert B. Allen, Grace H. and Edith M. Schofield and Rowland Frith, all of St. John, apply for incorporation as the Schofield Paper Company, to take over and carry on the business now conducted by Herbert and Allan Schofield. The capital is \$49,900, divided into 449 shares.

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Exciting Experience of Automobileists at a Jain Temple. A thrilling story of how the side slipping of a motor car nearly resulted in a man being roasted alive is told by Ernest Esdale. The incident occurred in Duhlia, a village on the road from Delhi to Bombay. The car was being driven slowly past a Jain temple, amid the whooping of natives and the beating of tom-toms. "At the temple entrance," writes Mr. Esdale, "stood two priests, regarding us with no friendly visage. Bang! And our back tire has burst; a deep rut in the road has caught the wheel lock. In a moment we awoke round and, horror, smash right into the temple door! Alas, we have committed sacrilege and of the worst kind! "We set to work to repair the tire, and just as we have finished a heart-rending, ear-piercing shriek rings out from the temple enclosure. We rush in, brushing aside two juvenile priests, who try to stop our progress. A crowd of white-robed priests stand between us and the inner sanctuary. But the three of us are old football players; the priests are down like ninetails. "We tear the curtain aside and stand for a moment rooted with horror. There on a rude altar our poor native motor boy is being literally roasted alive. Only a second's pause to take in the situation, and with a rush we are on them. "Seizing the uplifted knife from the nearest fanatic, we cut the leather strings and lift the fainting sacrifice from the altar. Then we beat the priests off, regain our car and ride away amid a shower of missiles."—Motoring Illustrated.

The average consumption of popcorn for the last five years has been about 300 carloads for the United States. A great many people ask me what comes of all the corn that is grown here, and when I tell them that it is all popped and consumed they hardly believe me. A great many people have the idea it is manufactured into some kind of breakfast food or used as an adulteration of flour. This is not so. In the first place, popcorn is too expensive to admit of its being used for this purpose. All through the mountain regions there are little towns that are quite large consumers of popcorn. In the south there is very little corn grown, and this is another very good market. The largest consumers of popcorn are the New England states. Probably three-fourths of all the popcorn grown is consumed east of the Mississippi river, although there is hardly a town in the United States of 50,000 population but will consume one to three carloads a year.—Report of the Kansas Board of Agriculture.

Whisky Made From Rags. "This whisky," said the chemist, "was made from rags. It was made from a bundle of old shirts and collars. Will you sample it?" "No, thank you." "I made the whisky as an experiment," the chemist explained. "Everybody knows that it is possible to convert linen rags into sugar and alcohol, but I doubt if any one has ever actually done the trick before. "First I immersed the linen in strong sulphuric acid. This dissolved the cellulose, leaving one molecule of water, resolves itself into glucose. I recovered the glucose by neutralizing the excess of acid with salt. Then, by means of the ordinary process of fermentation, alcohol appeared. The final result was this small flask of whisky. I assure you I have tasted worse."—New York Press.

The Dardanelles. Turkey has on the Dardanelles (ancient Hellespont) probably the most formidable fortification in the world, no other works even approximating them in strength except those at Gibraltar. This narrow channel unites the sea of Marmora with the Grecian archipelago. It is about forty miles in length and varies in width from less than one mile to four miles. No matter what else is in Turkey may decay, these works always are kept up-to-date, with guns of the latest pattern, and largest caliber. There is frequent talk of "forcing the Dardanelles" to attack Constantinople, but more than one recognizes authority has expressed doubt if the combined navies of the world could succeed in getting a single ship through, so formidable are the batteries.

A Monument For Johns Hopkins. Baltimore, which received in the Johns Hopkins university and the Johns Hopkins hospital and in other forms \$10,000,000 from its famous philanthropist, is to erect a memorial in his honor. The institutions named are his greatest memorial, but the city, with characteristic southern generosity, feels that it must itself do something to show its appreciation of one whose citizenship and services so greatly benefited. The form the memorial will take has not yet been decided and probably will not be until the entire sum needed for the purpose is raised. A Scarce Bird. Eggs of the apteryx, a recently extinct wingless bird, being very high priced, fine colored specimens fetching as much as \$750 to \$1,000 apiece. The apteryx, or New Zealand kiwi, is a bird which, though still living, is becoming scarcer from day to day, and its final extinction is only a question of years. These kiwi breed very slowly, only one or two very large eggs being laid during the season, and as yet there is no record of the successful raising of young in captivity.

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FREDERICTON BOY IN THE FAR NORTH. A Long Trip from Dawson City to Fort MacPherson by dog train —Otto Dever one of Party.

The Wide World Magazine for November contained an interesting article of considerable length on the Northwest Mounted Police from the pen of F. R. Wall, who is dealing with the life of the members of the force gives the following account of the experiences of three of the members, one of the trio being Constable Otto Dever, of Fredericton.

Another long-distance run made by the police was the trip to Fort McPherson and back, a distance of nearly a thousand miles, in the dead of winter. It was desired to communicate with Herschel Island, where the police kept a station in the highest latitude, seventy degree north, to prevent whalers from selling liquor to the Indians. There had been frequent reports brought in by the Indians that there was a shorter route through the Rocky Mountains to Fort McPherson than that usually followed from Edmonton down the Mackenzie River. Three of the crack "mushers" of force—Constable Mapley, Dever and Rowley were selected for the long journey, and started out on December 27th, 1904, with two Indian scout out of whom had been over the route nine years before. Each Indian took a team of five dogs, as did each member of the force. The dogs chosen by the police were the private property of Sergeant Smith, "huskies" of Porcupine Creek. So careful had they been trained and bred that they were the pride of all Yukon for speed and staying qualities. Each dog weighed from ninety-six to a hundred and fifteen pounds. As there was no beaten track to follow, it was a case of break trail all the way, so each man wore snow-shoes and each dog was hitched up to a toboggan instead of to a sled. Fur robes, mail, guns, ammunition, and food for man and beast made the whole of the cargo. A tent and stove was among the outfit at the start, but they were "cached" after the first hundred miles out. This run across the top of the world was a succession of arduous experiences, describes by one of the party as "Chute, chute, chute; they climb a mile of mountain standing on end. In shooting the glassed the dogs would be unharmed, the best route down the mountain would be picked out with the eye, and the toboggan and its precious load would then be sent alone on its downward journey. It is a fact, although it seems well-nigh impossible, that this difficult trip to Fort McPherson and back across a virgin and practically unexplored wilderness, was made without a single accident, except that one of the dogs injured a leg and had to be shot. The party was thirty-eight days in making the Fort, and twenty-five days in coming back to Dawson. They found a feasible "cut-off" through the Rocky Mountains at Seela Pass; and as a result of the expedition it has been decided to annex that part of the Mackenzie district, including Fort McPherson, to the Yukon and to make Dawson the headquarters.

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Tommy Brokeleigh—"Let's get married at once, darling. I positively can't live another day without you." Sadie Gotrox—"Indeed! Why, I had no idea you were so hard up as that!"

Dear Mother Your little ones are a constant care in Fall and Winter weather. They will catch cold. Do you know about Shiloh's Consumption Cure, the Lung Tonic, and what it has done for so many? It is said to be the only reliable remedy for all diseases of the air passages in children. It is absolutely harmless and pleasant to take. It is guaranteed to cure or your money is returned. The price is 25c. per bottle, and all dealers in medicine sell. SHILOH This remedy should be in every household.

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SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST. Homestead Regulations. Any even numbered section of Dominion Lands in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, excepting 8 and 26, not reserved, may be homesteaded by any person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years of age, to the extent of one-quarter section of 160 acres more or less. Entry must be made personally at the local land office for the district in which the land is situate. The homesteader is required to perform the conditions connected therewith under one of the following plans: (1.) At least six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each year for three years. (2.) If the father (or mother, if the father is deceased) of the homesteader resides upon a farm in the vicinity of the land entered for the requirements as to residence may be satisfied by such person, residing with the father or mother. (3.) If the settler has his permanent residence upon farming land owned by him in the vicinity of his homestead, the requirements as to residence may be satisfied by residence upon the said land. Six months' notice in writing should be given to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands at Ottawa of intention to apply for patent. W. W. CORY, Deputy of the Minister of the Interior. N. B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.—47-26.

Local and General News

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

It commenced to snow Monday afternoon.

Smelt fishing commenced Friday. Some good hauls have already been made.

Durick's X'mas Opening will be held Friday and Saturday. A choice line of fancy goods and holiday novelties will be displayed.

Now for the Christmas shopping. Read the advertisements in the ADVOCATE for pointers as to where and what to buy.

The weather turned cold Saturday night and Sunday and Monday morning a thin coating of ice covered the river and put an end to navigation for this season.

Fire broke out in the Robb Engineering Co's. plant, Amherst, Monday morning, destroying the offices, draughting rooms, and part of the machine shop. The loss is estimated at about \$25,000.

The Miramichi Lumber Company, which took control of the William Richards property on the Miramichi, will take out about thirty-five million feet this winter. Their camps are now in full swing.

The boys of the Round Table of King Arthur invite their parents and friends to be present at an open convale of the order, next Friday, Dec. 7th in Park's hall. Doors open at 7.30. An usher will be in attendance.

The sad news was received here by telephone last Saturday of the death of Edith Putnam Weir, second daughter of Dr. Wier of that place. The deceased was in her sixteenth year and much sorrow is expressed for her untimely demise.

The annual sale and tea of the ladies of St. Andrew's Guild was held in the town hall Thursday evening and was very successful. The receipts were larger than usual and the supper served sustained the reputation enjoyed by the ladies of St. Andrew's.

The first quarter of the missionary year will be up this month, and as the last auxiliary meeting for the quarter will be held Friday 7th inst., it is important that all members be present. All women of the Methodist congregation are invited to attend the monthly meetings, which are held at Mrs. Leard's.

Last week a young lad was seriously injured by coasters on Henry Street. He was walking down the sidewalk when a sled run into him throwing him against a wire post, then under the sled. He was seriously bruised, but got up and proceeded on his way home. When near Dr. Pedolin's office, he collapsed, and had to be driven home where he was confined to his bed for a few days. The young man is slightly deaf and did not hear the coasters.

At a largely attended meeting of the Presbyterian Church congregation, Douglastown, held on Thursday evening, Rev. H. J. Preser presiding, it was unanimously resolved to extend a call to the Rev. F. C. Simpson, who has supplied the pulpit of St. Andrew's church, Chatham, since last July.

Last Friday evening a number of the young people met at the home of Miss Bessie Crocker and formed an amusement club to be known as the E. Dodek Club, with green and red for the club colors. The idea of the club is to provide amusements for the young people at intervals of two weeks.

Look out for five dollar bills that show a picture of a man watering a horse at a pump trough, at which a plump pig is also drinking for they are bad, absolutely worthless. They belong to the long-since defunct Bank of Prince Edward Island, and no less expert concerns than we the most careful St. John banks and a large retail mercantile house have been taken in by them, or you can reverse this saying and remark that the bank was a very successful one.

Fishery Overseer Abbott of Chatham found a net set from a Nelson wharf last week before the season opened. He could not haul the net in so cut it adrift.

Four Frenchmen from the North Shore, employed at a lumber camp at Taxis River, made things rather lively, a few days ago. They found fault with the culinary department of the camp and gave vent to their anger in a lively fight and went so far as to threaten the cook's life, and but for the intervention of the camp foreman with a stout club, they they might have carried out their threat. After doing all the damage they could the rioters packed their duds and headed for Boiestown.—Herald.

President E. Hutchison received the following greetings from St. Andrew's Society Fredericton, on St. Andrew's Day.

Fredericton, N. B. 30th, 1906.  
Ernest Hutchinson, President Highland Society of Miramichi, Douglastown, N. B.

Here's the Scots in Miramichi. May joy attend your meetin'. Ower the board we tak' yer han'. An' with ye kindly greetin'.  
A. S. MUARAY.

President of the Fredericton Society of Saint Andrew.

Mr. Frank Burgess returned home to Windsor on Saturday, bringing with him 700,000 salmon eggs from the Miramichi Fish Hatchery to be placed in the hatchery here. It will only take a very few years to show the wisdom of the work now being done here in the interests of the artificial propagation of salmon and other fish.—Windsor, N. S. Journal.

Rev. P. G. Snow, who was formerly rector of St. Andrew's church here, but now rector of St. Paul's church, Kinderhook, recently tendered his resignation of that charge, but at a full meeting of the vestry the members taking into consideration the good work done by Mr. Snow in the parish, and that the affairs of the church have prospered under his care and guidance, expressed a wish that he would withdraw his resignation, and by a unanimous vote decided to increase his salary one hundred dollars per annum. The reverend gentlemen, deeply affected by the kind expressions of good will and appreciation of his services and assured of the vestry's hearty cooperation, decided to remain. Rev. Mr. Snow is an eloquent preacher, musical, and of decided executive ability, and the congregation of St. Paul's is to be congratulated in having him still remain rector of the church.—Kinderhook Notes.

OBITUARY

"Well done, thou good and faithful servant, enter thou into the joy of thy Lord."

This verse rings in our ears with impressive appropriateness, as we recall the recent death of Mr. Neil Gordon of Strathadam, who was called to his eternal home the twenty-first day of November, only a few months after the death of his beloved wife.

He was a life long member of the Presbyterian church, always taking great interest in its welfare, and looked up its teachings as the greatest help to attaining the plane of Christian living, his whole philosophy of life was founded on the Bible, and his deep rooted faith enabled him to take it as it was, he felt the touch of Christ through his familiarity with the scriptures, and made his God the great centralizing power of his life.

He was a straightforward man with great calmness of judgement and in all his dealings with his brother men could help them with his wise counsel and advice, his character was consistent to a rare degree, a staunch friend, and the unwavering adherent of duty.

His was one of the truest, happiest and healthiest natures God ever made. So has this faithful soldier and servant of Christ rounded out his long and useful life of over four-score years, and passes on to his just reward, leaving us to cherish the memory of a dear friend, and a noble man, the noblest work of

Social and Personal.

Mr. J. D. Phinney of Fredericton was in town last week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Doyle have returned from a very pleasant wedding trip.

Dr. Ferguson of Moncton spent Sunday here the guest of his brother, Mr. John Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. Beveridge of Chatham were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Miller on Thursday.

Miss Annie Aitken has been appointed assistant Superintendent of the Western Hospital, Montreal. Many friends here will be pleased to learn of her success.

Mrs. Fleiger and Mrs. Johnstone spent Thursday at Bartibogue, Mrs. Johnstone and children with Miss Clark returned to their home at Chipman, on Saturday.

Mrs. Archie Johnston and Miss Ethel and Bessie, with their aunt Miss Frances M. Clark, of Chipman, Queens Co., were visiting at Mr. and Mrs. Fleiger's last week.

Miss Mary Doyle, of Newcastle, who was the guest of Mrs. E. A. Riley, Moncton, left last week to visit friends in different parts of Nova Scotia.

J. G. Troy of Boston, who has been ill for some time arrived home Saturday night for a month's vacation. His mother Mrs. Jas. Troy who was visiting in Boston returned with him.

The express was three hours late Monday morning and about two hours on Tuesday.

On Friday night, at the Salvation Army Barracks, Captain Cavander will give a very thrilling telescopic service, illustrated by one hundred views, entitled Ben Hur, and Blad Colliers child. Don't miss a treat.

BORN.

At Bangor, Maine, on Nov. 24th to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Elliott a daughter. Mrs. Elliott was formerly Miss Jessie McAllister, of Red Bank, Northumberland Co.

DIED.

At Strathadam, Nov. 27th, Neil Gordon, aged 86 years, 6 months.

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AN EXPLANATION.

Some time ago we advertised that we were about to make extensive alterations in our store, but we found it impossible at that time to get anyone to do the work, all local contractors having too much on hand to undertake the job at that season, however, the contract is now taken by Mr. Jas. Troy, and the work is to be commenced on the 9th day of January, next. This makes it necessary for us to reduce our winter stock at once, and, although it comes right in the holiday season, we have decided to "Slash the Prices" in most of the heavier lines, as we have to give Mr. Troy full possession of the ground floor on January 9th. All stock on hand at that time will have to be removed to the 2nd floor.

It is obvious that we must clear out thousands of dollars worth of goods in the meantime, as the space then at our disposal would be totally inadequate to hold our stock in its present dimensions.

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A lot of 4.50 and \$5.00 coats now reduced to 2.50 and \$3.00 each.

MEN'S SUITS.

Regular prices from 7 to \$15, now cut down to from 5 to \$9 each.

ENORMOUS BARGAINS

in Boys' two and three piece suits, we have these in great variety at all prices. Call and look them over, the reductions will interest you.

FLANNELETTES.

All 6 and 7c flannelettes now reduced to 5c per yd. Dozens of patterns to select from. Regular 10c flannelettes now clearing at 8 1/2c a yd. All 12c flannelettes now marked at 9c per yd.

Cut Prices in all Dress Goods. LADIES' UNDERWEAR.

20 dozen vests and drawers regular 28, 30 and 35c qualities, now all in one group at 23c per garment.

HOSIERY

50 dozen pairs stockings in heavy wool, worsted, ribbed and plain cashmere, 25, 30 and 35c grades now all marked 23c per pair.

NOTE:—These cut prices will last only until each line is sufficiently reduced to enable us to handle it on the 2nd floor as stated above.

A. H. MACKAY, Newcastle.

A New Line of Skates.

All Sizes, Nickled and Polished, All Kinds, All Prices.

ALSO

Skate Straps, Skate Sharpeners, Hockey Sticks and Hockey Pucks.

A LARGE AND WELL ASSORTED STOCK OF CHILDRENS' SLEDS AND SLEIGHS JUST RECEIVED.

THE STOTHART MERCANTILE CO.

CHRISTMAS 1906.

You have only seventeen more days to do your 'Xmas shopping. Do your buying now, before the rush. It will be to your advantage as well as ours.

We have some fine Values to offer you in the following lines.

W. G. & R. Shirts, Collars and Cuffs.

We have just received the very newest things for the 'Xmas trade, in fact, we have next years styles in stock now, as we purchased the travellers samples at a 35 per cent discount, which, will be given to the purchasers while the stock lasts.

Neckwear.

A glance at our showing in neckwear, will certainly prove that we have the swellest and newest designs in town for 'Xmas. We will show only the goods we bought for the holiday trade. To each purchaser, we will give free of charge, a handsome engraved box for presentation purposes.

Gloves and Mitts

In any style you wish.—Kid, lined and unlined. Mocha, Wool, plain or fancy. Don't fail to ask to see these lines, as they are beyond reproach.

Suspenders.

This is another line which we are strong in. All fresh stock, and anything from silk to the all leather brace.

BELTS.

Direct from the American manufacturers in the latest styles.

Hosiery.

A more suitable gift cannot be given. All sizes, styles and colors.

Mufflers.

Way, Satin and Silk padded Mufflers, Squares and Visor hoods. A description of these goods would not do the line justice. Call and inspect them, and be convinced that they are the best in town.

Hats and Caps,

In this line we are unsurpassed. All American and latest styles. The famous Suffolk and Ames hard and soft hats. Caps in the latest American styles

Handkerchiefs.

Our stock of these is well assorted, and we feel sure that we can please the most fastidious. We have them in Silk, Mercelien, Excelsa, Linen, and Cotton, either plain or with fancy borders.

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