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An Earnest Word

Every indication points to a scarcity of Merchandise later in the season. The war has called thousands of skilled; unreplaceable workmen to the colors. Raw materials are being bought by the Allied Governments for war needs. Ocean shipping is slow and uncertain. Prices are climbing higher and higher. These conditions will grow worse instead of better later on in the year, so we urge you to protect yourselves

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Sudden Death Of Mrs. P. Hennessy

Mrs. J. G. Kethro Mrs. Thos. LaRoque, James Connolly, and Clarence McKenzie also Pass Away

The death of Mrs Catherine Hennessy, wife of Ex-Mayor Patrick Hennessy, occurred very suddenly on Monday morning, after an illness of only half an hour. Deceased had been ailing somewhat last winter, but since then had been in good health and able to attend to business with her usual vigor and promptitude. She was 78 years of age. She was a native of Newcastle, and was widely known and highly respected. She was a prominent member of the Roman Catholic faith and had many friends. She leaves her aged husband, four daughters—Anastasia (Mrs Dr. P. F. Duffy), Chatham; Nellie (Mrs Charles J. Morrissey) Newcastle; Miss Mollie at home; and sister Mary Patricia, of the Congregation de Notre Dame, Montreal; and two brothers Michael Bannon of Newcastle and John of Brooklyn, N. Y. The funeral was held at St Mary's Church yesterday morning where Requiem High Mass was celebrated at 10 o'clock by His Lordship Bishop O'Leary, assisted by Rev Father N Power of Nelson and Rev Father S Crumbly of Blackville as Deacon and sub-deacon Rev Father J G Cormier of Douglasstown assisted as Master of Ceremonies of the clergy there were also present His Lordship Bishop Barry of Chatham, Rev Father A Martin of Chatham, and Rev Fathers Dixon and Trudelle. St Mary's choir were all present and were assisted by Rev Father Martin, who sang O Salutaris. There was a large congregation. Interment was made in St Mary's cemetery.

MRS JOHN G KETHRO
The death of Mrs John G Kethro, a much respected resident of Newcastle, occurred Sunday at the home of her sister, Miss Margaret J Staples, Chatham, where she went several weeks ago on a visit and became too ill to return home. Mrs Kethro had been ailing for some time and had been confined to her bed for about three weeks. She was seventy-two years of age. Deceased was formerly Miss Charlotte Staples, of Marysville. She leaves, besides her husband, Ex-Alderman Kethro, the following children: Horace and John B. Newcastle; Harry, Calgary; Lottie (Mrs W G Loggie), Loggieville; Edith (Mrs John Barron), Moncton; and Miss Marlon C. Chatham. The following brothers and sisters also survive: Moses Staples, Marysville; Hiram Staples, Fort Saskatchewan, Alta; Mrs Samuel Bird, Marysville; Mrs Elizabeth A MacLean, Newcastle; and Miss Margaret J Staples, Chatham. Deceased was a faithful and honored member of the Anglican Church, and was much beloved by a large circle of friends. The funeral was held at 2 o'clock. Services were conducted in St Andrew's Church by the Rector, Rev W J Bate, in the presence of a large gathering of the friends of the deceased. Interment was in the Miramichi Cemetery.

MRS THOMAS LAROQUE
The death of Mrs. Thomas LaRoque of St John occurred in a St John Hospital on Saturday. Deceased was formerly Miss Margaret Whitney, daughter of late Daniel Whitney of Whitensville and Mrs. Whitney, who is now Mrs George Peabody of Curventon. Besides her mother, she leaves her husband; two brothers, Chester Whitney of Newcastle and Cuthbert Whitney of Curventon; and two sisters, Helen (Mrs Murdoch Cameron) Black River; and Dora (Mrs John Hare), Curventon. The funeral was held in St John on Monday.

JAMES CONNOLLY
The death of James Connolly took place at his home here Saturday afternoon at five o'clock. Deceased was 48 years of age, had been ailing since September last, but had worked at his trade as a barber, at which he was an expert and very popular, until March 25th. Deceased was a native of Doaktown, but had lived in Newcastle some fifteen years. He is survived by his father, John Connolly, who now resides in Chatham; one sister, Catherine (Mrs John Skidd) of Chatham; his wife, formerly Miss Mary Scott of (Continued on page 5)

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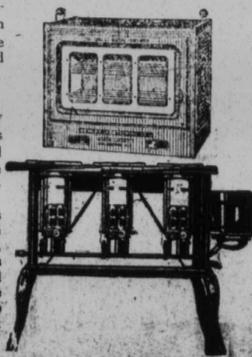
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B. F. MALTBY

Town Council
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Turo had agreed to the percentage basis. Motion was not considering any such travelling company during the war. The Dominion licence was \$250 per week. If the percentage basis was not adopted here the Company would apply for a straight theatre licence. The company had its own electric attachments. She did not know what power would be needed.

On motion of Ald. Sargeant and P. Russell, it was resolved that the delegation present from the Newcastle Women's Institute be heard.

Mrs. R. W. Crocker, Mrs. C. C. Hayward and Mrs. G. G. Spahart comprised the delegation. Mrs. Crocker was the spokeswoman.

Mrs. Crocker said that at the last meeting of the Women's Institute it had been decided to ask the support of the Council in regard to the enforcement of Compulsory Attendance at school, the Curfew law, and the law that forbids young children attending Moving Pictures without their parents or guardians.

Miss Murlock said that Bassini's Plays Ltd. was a Summer Carnival Co., passed as O. K. by the Dominion and Provincial censors, and employing 150 people. This company would turn over the money, 15 per cent of the proceeds of their Merry-go-round and twelve Vaudeville shows and 25 per cent of the proceeds of the 25 concessions (refreshments booths, etc.) to the Red Cross or any other fund named by the Town. The company would guarantee to pay at least \$300 to such philanthropic fund. The Town would be expected, on the percentage basis, to supply land and electric current free. The Company wanted to come here the week of July 22nd. They proposed to play in St. Stephen, St. John, Sussex and Newcastle in N. S., Halifax and the great need of making children go to school was apparent. Educated men were needed. It was of no use to allow a child to grow up uneducated, and then expect him to make a start of his own accord. She thought many parents did not send their children to school. Then there were the Curfew Law and the Moving Pictures questions. Would the Council help in these matters?

On motion of Ald. Sargeant and Stuart, it was resolved to take up the requests of the Women's Institute later in the evening and that a report of the decision be sent to the Ladies.

Following bills were passed:

G M Lake	\$4.75
R C Clark	50.00
The J D Creaghan Co	\$11.00
Park & Fire	
Summer Co.	\$11.50
Light & Water	
Summer Co.	\$68.00
Newcastle Planning, Mill	24.80
Can. Oil Co	114.96
Inverness Ry and Coal Co	384.98
Can. Gen Elec Co	9.70
Maritime Foundry	25.50
	\$337.94

Ald. John Russell submitted a list of officers for ensuing year.

The list was adopted as read.

On behalf of the Police Committee Ald. J. Russell asked a few days grace for appointment of a Day Policeman.

Ald. Stuart said that according to the Building By-Laws adopted two or three years ago, the office of Building Inspector was a most important one and should have a salary attached. No one may erect or alter a building without permission, and the Inspector must see that the law is in every case carried out, that all new and altered buildings are properly placed and safely constructed. No man could be expected to properly fill such an office for nothing.

Ald. Doyle understood that the Building Inspector was to be paid by the owner of the building inspected.

The Mayor said that no person should be allowed to put up any building without the consent of the whole Council. No one should erect a building that spoils the look of the street. Architects should have to submit their plans to the Council.

Ald. Durick said that there were other laws to go by than the By-Laws on Building. The Fire Company expects the Town to appoint proper officers. The Building Inspector was very necessary. The Town was not in a position to pay all officers. The Building Inspector should collect from the people to whom he gives his services.

Ald. Sargeant said that the Town should not allow people to block a whole street for a month.

Ald. Russell spoke of a company not clearing off the sidewalk after building.

Ald. Doyle said he had granted that company an extension of time for clearing the sidewalk.

Ald. Sargeant said that that company intended to get a concrete sidewalk down before they finished and were also willing to pay half the cost of a concrete crossing opposite

The list of officers was adopted as read:

It was moved by Ald. Doyle and seconded by Ald. P. Russell that section 1 of Bylaw No. 26, "A Bylaw Relating to Dogs and Dog Taxes," be amended by striking out the words "one dollar" in the 2nd line thereof and substituting therefor the word "Two dollars, so that the amended section shall read:

1 That there shall be imposed on the owner, keeper or harbinger of each dog in the town of Newcastle, an annual tax of Two dollars for each dog and five dollars for each bitch.

Ald. Stuart said that considering the Food Department's assurance that it cost \$34 a year to feed the average dog, that three hundreds in town had been lately raided by dogs with disastrous effect, that many sheep in country districts were killed by dogs, and many dogs were cross and many more useless, the keeping of dogs, especially in war time should be restricted and their undue increase discouraged. He moved, in amendment, that the tax be \$5 instead of \$2. The amendment was not seconded and the motion carried.

Ald. Crocker, pursuant to notice, moved that the price of electric light be raised from 15 to 20 cents per kilowatt, except where otherwise provided by special contract, the discount at for payment within ten days after the end of the month to remain at 20 per cent. This was seconded by Ald. Sargeant.

Ald. Durick asked if the chairman of the Light and Water committee had any idea of the cost of light per kilowatt.

Ald. Crocker replied that it had been figured out that light cost 16 cents here. A traveller had told him that in Sussex the rate last year was 15 cents for house light and 14 1/2 cents for power, with 10 per cent discount. This year the discount was being discontinued.

Ald. Durick said it was unfortunate that the Town had no certain date to go by. Twenty cents looks too big on paper. He favored charging 18 cents, with ten per cent off. That would sound better and be a little more profitable than 20 cents, with 20 per cent off. The big light rate was like what Ald. Stuart said about the tax rate.

Ald. Crocker said that the large discount was meant to insure prompt payment. Sussex charged 25 cents meter rate and made every light bill at least \$1.00, including meter rent.

Ald. Doyle and Stuart agreed with Ald. Crocker.

Motion carried.

The Mayor reported that the C. G. R. officials were in town recently on a tour of inspection. Short notice was given, and it was impossible to get the full council together to meet them. Ald. Durick could not go. Ald. Crocker and P. Russell had come with himself and also George Stab-

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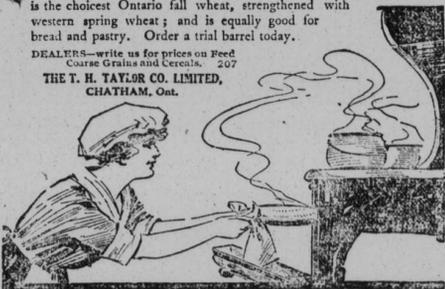
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The Week's Happenings

HAD A NARROW ESCAPE

A young man from Douglastown, who, had imbibed to freely of liquor, extruded as "James Glasgow" lost his balance while trying to navigate along the bank near Ritchie's Mill on Monday evening, and made a quick descent to the road below. Beyond a few scratches and bruises and a good shaking up, he came off little the worse of his twenty-five foot drop.

BRUSH FIRE CAUSES DAMAGE

A blaze in some brush behind Mr. Bursstrom's barn, on the outskirts of town Monday afternoon shortly before six o'clock, burned 50 cords of Mr. J. D. Creaghan's wood and endangered Mr. Bursstrom's house and barn, and those of his neighbors, Mr. Herbin. The firemen, however, were soon on the spot and after heroic battling with the flames, soon stepped the blaze.

MISSIONARY ENTERTAINMENT AT NELSON

The Women's Missionary Society of St. James' Presbyterian Church, held an entertainment in the church Sunday evening, May 12th, at 7 o'clock. Being Mother's Day a programme was carried out to that effect; the young people of the Sunday School and Christian Endeavor recited a splendid address on "Missions" given by Mr. David Gulliver of Port Huron. This was much enjoyed by all present. Songs were sung by Miss Theresa McLeod, Messrs. Henry Brown and David Gulliver; choruses by the little ones, and a hymn by Marion McKenzie. Barbara McLeod and Ethel Brown, assisted by Dell Blackmore, and readings by Violet McKenzie and Mont Vee. The offering which amounted to \$7.24 was collected by John Gulliver, Roy Bateman, and Dell Blackmore.

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CARD OF THANKS

The members of the Newcastle, N. B. Branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society extend grateful thanks to the members of St. Mary's Choir for their kindness in repeating the "Private Secretary" as a benefit for Red Cross Funds. They also extend thanks to Mr. Richards for giving the Opera House free of charge, to the Orchestra for valuable assistance, and to Mr. Gallant for use of organ.

W. M. S. ELECT OFFICERS

At their May meeting the Ladies Auxiliary of the Methodist W. M. S. elected following officers: President, Mrs. Pollanshee; 1st V. P., Mrs. John H. Ashford; 2nd V. P., Mrs. A. E. Petrie; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Leard; Treasurer, Mrs. T. J. Jeffrey; Corresponding Sec., Mrs. Henry Price; Supt. of Christian Stewardship, Mrs. H. H. Stuart; Supt. of Miss Boxes, Mrs. J. Robinson Allison; Supt. of Quilts, Mrs. Jessie Gough; Supt. of Cradle Roll, Mrs. Leard.

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NEW PASTOR FOR BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Earl A. Kinley, who has been Pastor of the United Baptist Church, Bathurst for several years past, has resigned and accepted the Pastorate of the Newcastle B. C. Church, made vacant by the resignation of Rev. S. Gray. Rev. Mc Kinley was a most popular Pastor as well as citizen of Bathurst. He is an enthusiastic singer and will be warmly welcomed to town.

MACDONALD-WHITNEY

The marriage of Mr. Scott Macdonald of Chatham and Miss Charlotte Whitney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Whitney of Newcastle, was solemnized at the Methodist Parsonage, Newcastle, May 15th at 9 p. m. Rev. Dr. C. W. Squires performing the ceremony, assisted by his father, Rev. John Squires. Allan Macdonald, brother of the groom, was best man, and Mrs. K. B. Galley, sister of the bride, acted as bridesmaid.

The charming young bride was dressed in a suit of dark green broadcloth with light hat. The happy couple received many valuable gifts, among them a handsome rocking chair from the W. S. Loggie Co. of which the groom is an employee. Mr. and Mrs. Macdonald will reside in Chatham.

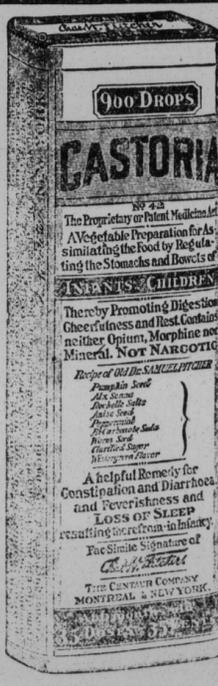
MISSION BAND HAVE SUCCESSFUL YEAR

The annual meeting of the Methodist's United Worker's Mission Band was held on Friday afternoon, May 11th, at the home of Miss Delphina Clarke. The following were elected as officers for coming year: President—Doris Atkinson; Vice Pres.—Marion Gough; Rec. Sec.—Josie Jeffrey; Cor. Sec.—Annie Ashford; Treasurer—Margaret Clarke; Supts. Palm Branches—Katherine Mackay and Mary Crocker; Supts. Miss Boxes—Fred Gough and Byron Petrie, Eulah M. Stuart and Mary Crocker received Life Membership certificates.

During the year the Band raised the sum of \$48.00.

At the regular monthly meeting of Excelsior Mission Circle the following officers were elected for ensuing year:

Hon. Pres.—Mrs. J. Robinson Allison; Pres.—Mrs. Merrill Wilson; Vice Pres.—Miss Ethel Allison; Rec. Sec.—Miss Florence Price; Cor. Sec.—Miss Mrs. Allison; Treasurer—Miss Maude Atkinson.



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THURSDAY, MAY 23rd 1918

BRANCH LINES BOUGHT

The Dominion parliament has voted \$518,000 to buy seven branch railways, including the Carquet and Gulf Shore line. For the latter arrangements have not been completed. This move of the Government is a good one, and will greatly please Northern New Brunswick.

THE WAR

During the past week, the Allies have made a few small gains on the western front and the Germans none. A considerable gain has been made in Macedonia by the French and Italians. The other fronts are quiet. Germany's claims of success dwindle daily.

The placing of Bohemia under martial law shows that the Austrian government fears an uprising of the 8,000,000 Czechs and the 20,000,000 other Slavs of the Empire.

S S OFFICERS ELECTED

The annual meeting of the Newcastle Methodist Sunday School was held last night. The Treasurer reported a balance on hand. The superintendent reported good attendance during the year. The following officers were elected: Superintendent—Thomas A. Clarke; Assistant Supt.—H. H. Stuart; Sec. Miss Florence Price; Treas. Mrs. A. E. Pettie; Supt. Home Dept.—Miss Maud Atkinson; Supt. Cradle Roll—Miss Maude Atkinson; Supt. Cradle Roll—Mrs. T. A. Clarke; Sec. for Missions—Miss Maud Atkinson; Supt. Primary Dept.—Mrs. Leard; Teachers—T. A. Clarke, H. H. Stuart, Mrs. H. H. Stuart; Miss Jennie M. Fellows, Miss Maud Atkinson, Miss Delphine Clark and Miss Eulah M. Stuart.

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SUNNY CORNER

Sunny Corner, May 21—Miss Annie Dunnett was in Trout Brook for a few days last week. Pte Allan Curtis is home on leave of absence for a week, he is getting a hearty handshake from every one. Miss Eliza Matchett spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. E. Matchett. Mrs. David Mullin visited friends and relatives in Boom Road last week. Miss Stella Astles has gone to Newcastle for a visit. Miss Myrtle Harris spent the former part of last week at the Corner the guest of relatives.

Many Questions Discussed by Town Council

Decide to Raise Dog Tax \$2.00—Law Regarding Truancy to be Enforced

Newcastle Town Council met in regular monthly session on the 18th instant, Mayor John H. Troy in the chair. Aldermen present: D. P. Doyle, W. L. Durick, John Russell, Perley Russell, Charles Sargeant, H. H. Stuart and R. W. Crocker.

The Committee of the Whole which had met on the 4th instant reported that at the request of the Newcastle Town Improvement League then presented it had authorized the Mayor to call a public meeting on May 7th to discuss the question of Greater Production, and had authorized the Police Committee to engage a Day Policeman and Default Tax Collector at a salary of \$35 a month and ten per cent of all default taxes collected.

Report was received and adopted. Payment of the following bills was moved by Ald. P. Russell, chairman of the Finance Committee, and seconded:

Assessors	\$362 88
N S Leader	168 35
Union Advocate	28 38
	\$559 61

The Assessors' bill brought out a sharp discussion.

Ald. Stuart said that, no matter how capable the Assessors were as appraisers of the taxes, they had evidently failed as Valuers. The amount to be raised this year was a little more than 125 per cent of last year's and the tax rate had gone up in just about the same proportion from 3.9 per cent to 5 per cent. From this it was evident that no attempt whatever had been made by the Assessors to rectify the assessment of last year and previous years, which was almost, if not quite, universally admitted to be ridiculously incorrect and unjust. With a tax rate of 5 per cent Newcastle was alone, or certainly almost alone, among the towns and cities of Canada and of North America. But neither Real nor Personal Property nor Income was assessed in Newcastle as the law directs, at full value. He had heard prominent men, who were in a position to know, admit that legal property in Newcastle was assessed at from only one-third to one-half its value, and personal property hardly taxed at all. It was plain that this year's assessment was, with a few changes as to new properties, merely a copy of last year's. Now, the fact that all properties are assessed below their real value results, in practice, in the small property and small income being assessed at much nearer its full value than the large property and income, therefore making the poorer citizens pay a much larger percentage of the total taxes than they should. The Assessment Law, while it is law, should be enforced. It is now disregarded both in the letter and in the spirit. He did not remember and wondered if the Mayor or any of the Council remembered when the last valuation of Newcastle was made, in the absence of an official Valuator, or with a valuation out of date, the assessors had to make their own valuation. And they were not doing it correctly. The Council should, during the present year, arrange to have a true valuation made and also see that the next Board of Assessors are men who will assess according to a true valuation in the way that the Assessment Law directs. He did not intend to oppose payment of the Assessors' bill this year, but he wished to protest against the system of Assessment and wanted a new Valuation and the law observed.

Ald. Durick said there was a lot in what Ald. Stuart had said re the valuation. He thought that the Assessors were not appointed in time to go through the property to make a valuation. They were not paid enough also, to make separate and correct assessments. Now, this kind of assessment as Ald. Stuart said, had been going on at practically the same rate for years past, with new industries probably coming under the same rate. There was a difficulty, however, connected with a new Valuation. The County would take care valuation at 2 1/2 per cent, thus making us pay too large a proportion of the County taxes. Chatham and Newcastle towns are paying at most half the taxation of the whole County, which is not fair.

The towns should have a direct understanding with the County as soon as possible, the sooner the better. If Newcastle doubled its Valuation now it would have to pay twice as much County taxes. With an assurance from the County Council that a revaluation in the towns would not make us pay more of the County taxes than we should, we could then go ahead and revalue till then it would be of no use to do so.

Ald. P. Russell thought that both Ald. Stuart and Durick had hit beyond the mark. He thought the Assessors were assessors only. If we want a valuation we must get Valuers.

Ald. Durick said he did not object to paying the Assessors, who had done their work and were entitled to their pay.

Ald. P. Russell, I know you don't. Ald. Stuart, replying to Ald. Durick and Russell, said the former was incorrect as to the County and Town Valuations. The County makes its own valuation for both parishes and towns and must follow that. If it should take Newcastle's new valuation as the County valuation of Newcastle, it must value all the rest of the County on Newcastle's basis. If not, then the Courts would compel the County to act fairly. This fear of what the County would do should not hold Newcastle back from the righting of a great wrong. In reply to Ald. P. Russell, he would say that the Assessors are practically Valuers and act as such, and they are not valuing correctly.

Ald. Durick said he understood from the Town Clerk that the County took the Town valuation, former Town Clerk—The County is supposed to make its own valuation, but it asks for our Town list.

Ald. Durick then said that if the County took our list, the Town had no comeback.

Ald. P. Russell moved, That the \$15 paid the Town by the Wireless soldiers who gave an entertainment for the Y M C A be paid over to R C Clark, Treasurer of the Y M C A fund. Carried.

On motion of Ald. Doyle and Sargeant, Miss Murdoch, representing the Bassin's Plays, Ltd., was heard.

Mayor Troy introduced Miss Murdoch, who is the daughter of a distinguished Canadian officer belonging to Winnipeg, and had been in war work the last four years. (Continued on page 2)

A Nervous Breakdown

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DOAKTOWN
Doaktown—Mrs. (Col) G. W. Mersereau who has spent the winter with her daughters at Fredericton and Halifax has returned home accompanied by her daughter, Miss Mersereau.

Mrs. Karl Elderbrand went to Chatham on Tuesday where she will be the guest of relatives and friends. Rev. and Mrs. Paterson of the Rectory, Doaktown, will spend several days this week in Chatham.

Miss Ethel O'Donnell of Carolla Crossing visited her old home recently.

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Starving Man Is Found In Woods

Mystery surrounds a man named Jean Pique, who is now an inmate of the Highland View Hospital. Amherst Pique was discovered in the woods on the Halifax Road by Mr. Frank Cook, and at that time the man's feet and ankles were swollen to an enormous size. Medical aid was summoned and the stranger was conveyed to the hospital. The doctor stated that the man's feet had been frozen. Although Pique speaks very poor English, they gathered that he was French and came from Northern New Brunswick, although he was recently employed in Minto. He also had an envelope in his pocket bearing the address of Frank Velderhen, Newcastle, N. B.

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DEPT. OF THE NAVAL SERVICE

Sealed Tenders, addressed to the undersigned, and marked "Tender for distribution of Fish Fry", will be received up to noon of the 5th day of June, 1918, for distributing fry from the Miramichi Fish Hatchery at South Esk, N. B.

Full information may be obtained from the Officer in charge of the Hatchery

G. J. DESBARATS
Deputy Minister of Naval Service
Ottawa, May 9, 1918
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In these days when local Souvenirs of the higher priced type are practically off the market, one of these fine Views will make a neat reminder from the Old Home Town.

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OBITUARY

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Bartibogue; and two daughters, Regina aged five years, and Mary Degina aged three months. The funeral was held at 3 p.m. on Monday to St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church.

CLARENCE M. MCKENZIE
Clarence M. McKenzie, a prominent Sons of Temperance worker and faithful member of St. Mark's Presbyterian Church, Douglstown, died suddenly on Sunday afternoon, about 4:45 o'clock. He had been ill for three weeks. He was only 26 years of age, and was a general favorite. At the time of his death he was Superintendent of Young People's Work in Caledonia Division, Sons of Temperance, and had held the chairmanship and other offices of that Division. He leaves his sorrowing parents, Mr. and Mrs. John MacKenzie; a sister, Dorothy (Mrs. George Wood), all of Douglstown; and a half-sister, Bertie (Mrs. Joseph Barr), Lynn, Mass.

CHATAQUA FOR NEWCASTLE
Robert A. Sutcliffe, representative of the Swarthmore (Penn.) Chataqua is in town endeavoring to arrange for a short Chataqua course here for next fall. He is meeting with considerable success so far in his effort to introduce that valuable institution to the Maritime provinces. St. John, Fredericton, Sackville, Charlottetown, Halifax, Sydney, Truro, North Sydney, Windsor, Kentville, New Glasgow, and Springhill have already signed contracts for the Summer Chataqua, and St. Stephen and Woodstock will again take the three days Winter course offered to Newcastle.

At a public meeting here Tuesday night, the following local Chataqua Committee were chosen, with power to add to their number: D. W. Stothart, chairman; Rev. L. H. MacLean, Rev. Dr. C. W. Squires and Ald. H. H. Stuart.

Mr. and Mrs. Barber Williston of Bay du Vin spent the week-end with friends in town.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

I have received for publication the list of persons who were vaccinated at the town's expense, and give notice that all persons not desiring their names to appear in said list will kindly make arrangements to pay the costs of said vaccination either to the doctor, by whom vaccinated or to the undersigned within the next ten days.

I also give notice that all refuse that has been deposited upon the streets by householders during the winter must be cleaned at once or the law in this regard will be rigidly enforced.

GEORGE STABLES
Chairman Board of Health.

DEPT. OF THE NAVAL SERVICE

Sealed tenders, addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Parent Salmon," will be received up to noon of the 31st day of May, 1918, for capturing and delivering 1500 parent salmon to the Miramichi Salmon Retaining Pond at South Esk, N. B.

Full information may be obtained from the Officer in Charge, Miramichi Hatchery

G. J. DESBARATS,
Deputy Minister of the Naval Service
Ottawa,
10th May, 1918.
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Little Girl Dies Result of Accident

Little Ethel Copp, who on Saturday, the 11th instant, was struck on the head by a stone at French Cove Quarry, died Sunday morning, as a result of the injury. She was eleven years old past August ninth last and was a most lovable child. She is survived by her parents and several brothers and sisters.

The funeral was held on Tuesday afternoon at 6:45. Services were conducted at the house and grave in the Miramichi Cemetery by Rev. Dr. C. W. Squires, assisted at the house by Rev. John Squires. The Hymns sung were: Unvett Thy Bosom Faithful Tomb and Safe in the Arms of Jesus. The pallbearers were Privates Wm. Gifford and George Masson and Messrs. Robert Young and Perley Brown. Floral tributes were sent by the Methodist Sunday School, by deceased's own class in that Sunday School, by Grade IV of Harkins Academy, from Baird and Peters' staff, and others.

PERSONALS

The many friends of Mr. John Maloney will be sorry to hear that he is ill at the Hotel Dieu, Chatham.

Coun. Wm. Anderson of Burnt Church was a visitor in town on Monday.

Mrs. John Hutchinson, of Harcourt who has been visiting her son Charles at Millerton and her brother H. D. Atkinson here returned home on Saturday.

Mrs. Hiram Copp and two sons of Chatham were in town on Tuesday to attend the funeral of Miss Ethel Copp.

Mrs. James Robinson and Mrs. Holmes Frank who have been spending the past two months in New York, have returned to Millerton.

Mr. Holmes Frank who was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Robinson for a few days returned to Liverpool, N. S. on Wednesday accompanied by Mrs. Frank.

A daughter was born on the 17th inst. to Mr. and Mrs. Everett Gray of Douglstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Phillips Jr. of Douglstown are rejoicing over the arrival of a new boy in their family on the 17th.

Mr. and Mrs. George Walker of Chatham, are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby girl born May 14th.

Mr. Daniel Donovan, of Moncton, is spending a few days at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Park and Master Frank, were in Fredericton last week attending the closing exercises of the U. N. B.

Rev. Father Crumley of Blackville was a visitor in town last week.

Sheriff A. J. Mehan of Bathurst spent part of last week in town.

Mr. Jas. B. H. Storer, of Bathurst, was in town last week.

Mr. H. W. Woods, P. O. Inspector St. John was in town on Tuesday on official business.

Sargeant's Corner To Be Transformed

The valuable lot known as Sargeant's Corner, on Pleasant Street opposite the Post Office, has been purchased from Mrs. Annie Harley by the Stothart Merchants Co., Ltd. The lot is 48 by 112 feet. In the very business centre of the town Messrs. Stothart will erect on it a two-story brick building 48 by 80 feet with an e. 30 by 52 feet, to accommodate their rapidly growing hardware, grocery and feed business, for which their present quarters on Castle Street are much too small.

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The Stothart Merchants Co. are among our most progressive merchants, and their having to remove to larger and more central quarters speaks volumes for the quality of their business.

Mrs. Samuel Bird and Mr. Moses Staples of Marysville attended the funeral of their sister, Mrs. J. G. Kethro, Tuesday.

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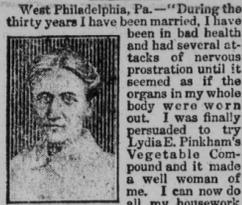
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A NEWCASTLE HERO

Lines on the death of Willard MacDonald, who fell at Vimy Ridge, April 9th, 1917.
Kind people pay attention, I'd have you lend an ear,
A melancholy story you are about to hear.
It's of a fine young man as ever you did see,
Who joined the 132nd a soldier boy to be.

Willard McDonald is his name, as you can understand,
A native of Newcastle in fair Northumberland,
As straight and upright fellow as ever you did know,
He was beloved by young and old wherever he did go.

Of all the boys Newcastle sent he with many another one,
Was left to fill a soldier's grave beneath France's burning sun;
Was left to slumber there alone in France's lonely vale,
No tongue can tell the anguish that this brave soldier felt.

At length a German bullet found his noble heart,
And on the battle field did his brave young life depart,
No mother's hand to pass a drink or wipe away a tear,
Far away in that foreign country with strangers standing near.

Now of this young man's parents a word I am going to say,
It must have nearly broke their hearts to see him sail away,
They little thought as they took his hand and bade him a fond goodbye,
That in a foreign country their boy was going to die.

So now my story's ended and I hope this war will soon be o'er,
I understand the soldier boys will be coming home once more,
And on the day they do arrive and the hands begin to wave,
Just think of the one who is left behind and a prayer for him say.
MAE R. JARDINE
Newcastle, N. B.

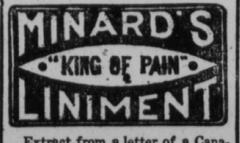
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DOAKTOWN

Doaktown, May 14th—Mr and Mrs Harry Russell arrived in town yesterday from Quarryville and are the guests of Mr and Mrs Frank Russell. Mrs William Ogilvie Sr, went to Fredericton on Friday to spend a few days with her Grand daughter Mrs Ernest Logan.

Mr Jack MacKay was a visitor to town last week. While here she was the guest of Rev and Mrs Paterson. Mrs Herbert Arbeau and son who were called here from Boston Mass, on account of sickness have returned home.

Rev Mr Kincaid pastor of the United Baptist Church here was called to Portland Maine, recently owing to the illness of his little son. Mr and Mrs Thos Morehouse, and family who have resided in this town for many years, have recently moved to Fredericton.

Miss Mary McCormick has returned to her home after spending a few days in Fredericton. Rev Herbert Smith, Methodist pastor preached very acceptably to a large congregation on Sunday last. Mrs Henry Swim visited Ludlow quite recently.

Mr Lorne Dixon has returned from Newcastle where he has been working for some time. Mrs Ruth Donnelly who has spent the winter with her daughter Mrs Robert Bell at Chipman, has returned home.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church met at the home of Mrs Wm Bamford last Wednesday. Miss Florence Hinton has returned home from Boiestown where she has spent several days.

Mr Harold Lyons was a visitor to Ludlow one day last week. Mrs Chas Mitchell has returned home after spending several days with Mrs Underhill at Blackville. Capt and Mrs Fred Mersereau who have spent several months in Florida, arrived in Fredericton on the day last week and are guests of Mr Mersereau's sister, Mrs Wm Scott. They are expected to leave next week.

The many friends of George MacLellan in Doaktown and Blackville will be sorry to learn of his death which occurred on Sept 15th 1917. Previous to enlisting he lived for several years in our midst. He enlisted in London Ont, and went overseas with the Medical Corps. From that place he was sent to a base hospital in France. Not being satisfied there that he was "doing his bit," he joined the stretcher-bearers, which took him to the front line. While carrying the wounded he was hit by a shell inflicting terrible injuries, which resulted in his death soon after words.

He was buried in a Roman's garden and his grave was decked with flowers, but we are sorry to say that place is in the hands of the enemy now. These particulars were received from South Newwood, England, on Tuesday, Mar 14th.

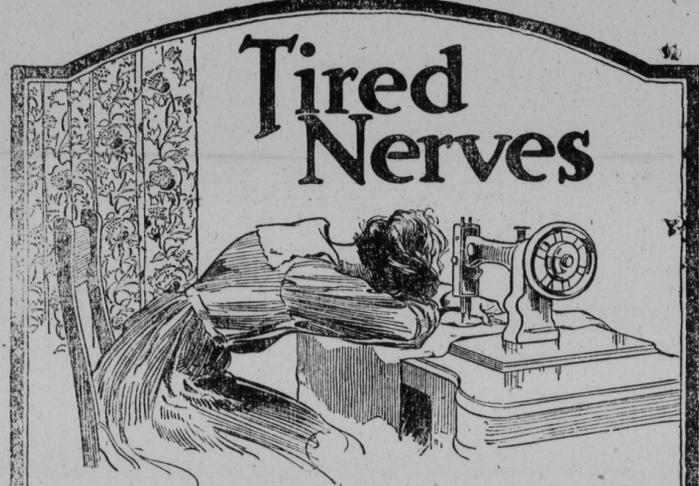
Mr Everett Donald has returned to town after spending a few days with her mother, Mrs Berry at Blackville. Mrs Howard Holmes of Carrolls Crossing spent the weekend with her daughter Mrs Lawrence Donk. Mr Beale of Blackville was in town one day last week. Mrs Frank O'Donnell and Mrs J. M. Brown of Carrolls were in town one day last week.

Rev Sterling Stackhouse visited his former parish here a short time ago. Mr and Mrs Frank Janstone and son Archie have moved from this place to Boiestown where they have purchased a farm. Mrs Bradley McDuff returned on Monday evening after spending a few days at her old home in Marysville.

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DOUBLE MARRIAGE CEREMONY.
A very interesting ceremony took place at the Manse at Fredericton, N. B. on the afternoon of April 24th, when Mr Everett M. Donald, of Doaktown, and Miss Bessie V Barry, of Blackville, were united in marriage, and Mr. James McKenzie and Mrs. Grace E. Mountain, of Blackville, were joined together in the same relationship. The double wedding was performed by Rev J. S. Sutherland, and the contracting parties were unattended.

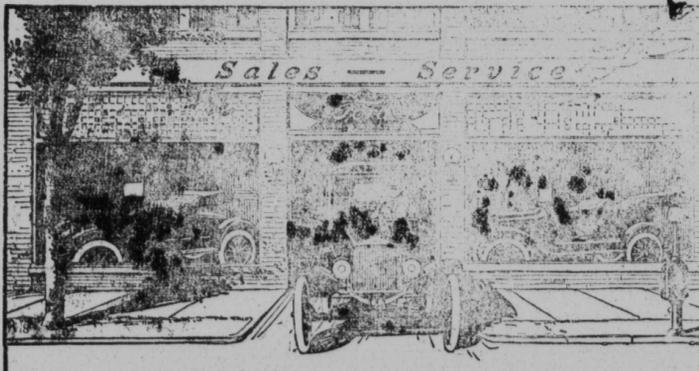


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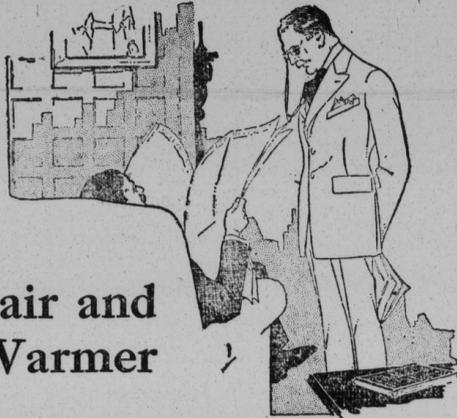


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As he spoke, Gwyn pushed the throttle over to the last notch. The roaring engine made the bridge creak beneath it as it tore along at full speed. In the center it seemed for a moment as though the whole structure, with the engine, must hurtle down to the river below, but by a miracle, the bridge held the weight, and the engine emerged safely from the smoke at the other end of the bridge.

"Thank God, we're safe," Gwyn said, relieved "It was one chance in—"

"Look! Look! Step!" Nan shouted. "The chasm bridge. See. They've blocked the track."

Gwyn peered ahead through the dark of approaching night. Directly in the center of the track he could see a great, dark form loom up at the end of the chasm bridge nearest him. Von Bleck and his men had piled lumber and stones over the track. It was impossible for him to pass, and if he attempted to break through the blockade, they would be thrown into the gulley to certain death. There was no alternative; Gwyn shut off the throttle and threw on the brakes with a jam. The wheels scraped and the engine slowed and finally stopped. It was within but a few feet of the obstruction. The old cable ferry, which was close enough to be within plain view, was the first thing to attract Gwyn's attention.

"We've got to risk that cable," Gwyn cried to Nan. "If we don't get to town everything is off. Are you willing to try?"

Nan nodded, and Gwyn grabbed the basket. It was rotten, and tore apart at his first pull. Gwyn threw all his weight on the rope. If it was like the basket, there was no hope. But it held! Nan grasped it, also, near Gwyn's hands, and, as they swung out into space, Von Bleck's

men could be heard coming up the road toward the engine.

They stopped for a moment to watch the two gliding along the cable, then ran up to the engine. Von Bleck was at their head. As he approached the steam train, the hatch of the water tank in the back of it slowly opened, and the wet, bedraggled figure of "One-Lung" emerged. He handed Von Bleck some papers which he held in his hand.

"Here are the deeds," he said. "I got them for you, but now you'll have to beat that guy to town and fire."

Von Bleck put the papers in his pocket. By this time his men had cleared the track of the obstructions, and they all boarded the engine and began to run across the trestle.

"You'd better be careful," "One-Lung" cautioned. "The water in the tank has run out and we're liable to explode." The driver, however, did not heed his warning, and drove ahead at full speed.

At the other end of the bridge Nan and Gwyn had landed safely from their perilous ride across the chasm. They were in a quandary as to how to proceed to town, when Causley's automobile, standing where Nan had seen it on her trip to the mine, met their eyes. They jumped into it, and a thrilling race between the engine and the auto began.

For several miles the race continued, until they arrived at a spot where the road was unusually close to the track. A bullet from the engine had punctured one of Gwyn's tires and thrown the car off a balance, but Gwyn, by shooting into the other had overcome this difficulty. The engine was drawing dangerously close to the auto. Nan looked back and screamed a warning, but Gwyn could do no more. He had already been running the car at its highest speed.

Suddenly, as Gwyn was struggling to urge the motor even faster, Nan shrieked. There was a terrific explosion that shook the ground, and the engine was enveloped in smoke. As "One-Lung" had cautioned, the steam in the empty water tank had caused the boiler to blow out, and it seemed, as Nan and Gwyn looked back, as if everyone aboard the engine must be killed.

Gwyn stopped the car with a jerk and whirled in his seat to look back. The force of the explosion had literally torn the engine to bits. A great hole had been blown in the ground and a cloud of smoke and vapor rose over the scene like a fog. He shuddered, transfixed at the horror of the sight.

It was a matter of humanity now. In spite of the fact that the injured men were their enemies—and deadly enemies! But in moments like this compassion is greater than hate.

Under the cab they found the engineer, dead beside his throttle. They were still searching the wreckage when the whistle of another engine announced the arrival of the sheriff. Von Bleck they found at the foot of the embankment, a very much bruised and battered Von Bleck but stunned rather than seriously hurt.

"I'm glad he isn't dead," Gwyn told the sheriff, "but I shall have to ask you to put him under arrest before he escapes. He and his confederates have stolen the deeds to the mine!"

Von Bleck started and sat up, the old look of cunning breaking through his stupor. He raised a trembling finger and pointed down the road.

"Arrest me?" He laughed. "Don't worry about that, sheriff. Look—there is your car. Gwyn stole it. He is a thief."

It was a small card, but it took the trick. The sheriff knew his master. "It's true," he said. "Mr. Gwyn, you are under arrest." White with anger at such outrageous treatment, Gwyn sprang forward in vigorous protest, but Nan caught his arm and restrained him with a whispered warning. The explosion, she knew, sounded its own alarm, and he'd be on his way from the village.

Help did come, and very soon. The road up the mountain side was dotted with motors and horsemen before the last echo had died, and at the head of the procession came a bright red machine with a strip of flying bunting whipping in the wind behind it. Its radiator was boiling like a kettle when it drew up beside the track. The man at the wheel was "Square Deal" Hogan, a wiry little Irishman who had come to Lost Mine when it was still a municipal infant, and whose standing among the townspeople was won by the fact that he was ready to give each newcomer his hand or his fist, as the conduct and intentions of the visitor might warrant. He took in the situation at a glance.

"What's the trouble?" he asked, stepping forward.

Gwyn started to explain, his audience growing larger every minute as the rescuers arrived. Nan, standing at his side, sought the eye of each friend in the crowd, nodding silent assent. When Gwyn concluded

there was a silence. Hogan read the faces about him with growing confidence and walked out to face the sheriff. But Causley, too, had seen the swift rise of suspicion. With a wink to Von Bleck he turned to Gwyn with a smile of conciliation.

"Why didn't you tell me this before?" he said. Then, turning, he almost shouted at the abject Von Bleck. "Stand up there! Come here! You are under arrest, do you hear?"

Von Bleck rose painfully and was led to the sheriff's machine.

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Sure! High Heels Cause Corns But Who Cares Now

Because style decrees that women crowd and buckle up their tender toes in high heel footwear they suffer from corns, then they cut and trim at these painful pests which merely makes the corn grow hard. This suicidal habit may cause lockjaw and women are warned to stop it.

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The Week's Happenings

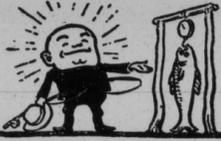
DESBTER SHOT
At Buctouche, Sunday, Lorenzo Sawyer, a deserter from the 165th, was shot while resisting arrest. He was seriously hurt.

PATRIOTIC FUND
At a meeting of the Patriotic Fund Executive on Tuesday night, several new grants were made to soldiers' dependants, and recommendations made for separation allowances.

CHANGE IN BANK HOURS
Commencing on June 1st the chartered banks of Canada will advance the hours of opening and closing half an hour, making banking hours from 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. instead of 10 until 3. Saturday hours remain unchanged.

NEWCASTLE GIRL WINS PRIZE
At the closing exercises, of Mount Allison College last week Miss Helea MacMichael, daughter of Mr and Mrs J. R. F. MacMichael of Newcastle was awarded the prize for English Composition for first year students.

TRUE BILL FOUND IN MURDER CASE
The trial of Robert Kierstead, of Salmon Creek, charged with the murder of his wife, Elsie Kierstead, at their home on December 22nd, began at the Queen's County Circuit Court, Gagetown, Tuesday afternoon, when the Grand Jury found a true bill for murder. The case is still going on.



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The Sinking of the "Lusitania"

When, on May 7, 1915, the news was flashed across the world that the great ship "Lusitania" had been sunk by a German submarine, the whole nation was stunned with horror and stricken with grief. So dastardly a crime as the murder of 1,200 non-combatants—men, women and children, many of them neutrals—was at first unbelievable.

But the American people had yet to learn of the base treachery which inspired the outrage. Chief Flynn uncovered the fact that while the suave and smiling German Ambassador spoke sympathetic words of sympathy to the American press, treating the tragedy as a deplorable act of war, he was the man, he was the mind that planned and perfected the execution of the Crime of the Ages.

Through his incessant activities Chief Flynn secured one of the "Lusitania" medals, designed by Germany, and distributed to commemorate the sinking of that gallant ship.

The medal is dated and was distributed in Germany TWO DAYS BEFORE the sinking.

The "Lusitania" was sunk off the Irish Coast on May 7, 1915. She had on board at the time 1,951 passengers and crew, of whom 1,198 perished. That the plot was hatched in America at a time when we were at peace with Germany indicates the true feeling the German War Lords endeavored to stimulate in Germany, and is proof positive that such crimes are not merely regarded favorably, but are given every encouragement in the Land of Kultur.

Graphically presented in the first episode of "THE EAGLE'S EYE" this big scene is led up to by a suspense creating portrayal of the work of the plotters exactly as they happened, though necessarily fictionalized, from the records of Chief Flynn.

It is the patriotic duty of every person to learn the inside history of the war against autocracy, and it is your opportunity to present these facts to them through the medium of "THE EAGLE'S EYE."

See it at the Happy Hour

Monday & Tuesday June 3rd and 4th

IN THE CASUALTY LIST
H. M. McCloskey, of Boletown, appears in the casualty list as wounded with the infantry.

POST OFFICE RECEIPTS
The receipts of post offices for the last fiscal year have just been issued. Included in these are: Chatham, \$12,579; and Newcastle \$12,146.

HEROES HOME FROM THE WAR
Among the returned soldiers arriving at St. John on Monday were: J. Fallon, Newcastle; A. Roy, West Bathurst; and R. Ward, Bass River, Kent Co.

SUNDAY SCHOOL GIVES TO Y. M. C. A.
The pupils of St. Philip's Sunday School, Whinneyville, contributed \$5.24 towards Y. M. C. A. work at the front. This amount has been forwarded to John Dougall and Son, Montreal.

OAK POINT DID SPLENDID
In our last issue the amount credited to the citizens of Oak Point, for the Y. M. C. A. Campaign should have read \$102.00, instead of \$12.00. The residents of that section are to be congratulated upon their generous response.

MAY ENTER NORMAL SCHOOL AT 16
On account of the scarcity of Teachers, the entrance age for admission to the Provincial Normal School has been reduced from 17 to 16 years.

WAS SUCCESSFUL
The dance in Nordin School house Friday evening, in aid of the School Building Fund was a decided success. The net proceeds will be between \$40 and \$50. Much credit is due the energetic teacher, Miss Katherine Driscoll.

T. I. L. WILL ELECT OFFICERS
The regular monthly meeting of the T. I. L. will be held in the Council chamber next Tuesday evening, May 28th, at 8 o'clock sharp. Officers will be elected and much other important business will come up. All are welcome.

THE "MAX AITKEN" IN COMMISSION
The new steamer "Max Aitken" made its first trip on Monday, from Newcastle to Chatham and proved a great success. On Tuesday morning she began her regular trips on the Redbank, Newcastle, Chatham route. Her timetable appears in another column. She is a fine boat and is heartily appreciated by the people along the route. A number of Newcastle's leading citizens enjoyed the first trip.

METHODIST LADIES AID ELECT OFFICERS
The Ladies Aid of the Methodist Church held their annual meeting Monday night. The amount raised during the year was \$248.46. The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. T. W. Crocker; First V. P. Mrs. H. D. Atkinson; Second V. P. Mrs. Henry McLean; Secretary, Mrs. Beattie Gough; Treasurer, Mrs. Follan; Parsonage Committee, Mrs. T. A. Clarke, Mrs. A. E. Petrie, Mrs. B. F. Maltby, and Mrs. T. J. Jeffrey.

C. S. E. T. Do Well For Y. M. C. A.

Fine Entertainment Given in St. James Hall Last Thursday Evening

A very fine entertainment was given in St. James Hall Thursday evening, 18th instant, by the Comrades C. S. E. T., assisted by Miss Maude Atkinson and others of the Canadian Girls in Training, Miss Beattie Crocker, Mrs. Chas. Sargeant and others. The gross proceeds in aid of the Y. M. C. A. exceeded \$49.00. The Hall was well filled. Rev. Dr. Squires presided.

The programme was as follows: Opening chorus—Call of the Motherland—C. S. E. T. Piano Duet—Mrs. Sargeant and Miss Crocker. Reading—Miss Ella O'Donnell. Solo—Miss Florence Price. Pastime—Austin Clark and Fred McCormack, Willie Patric. Flower Drill—C. G. T. girls. Solo—Miss Crocker. Address—Captain March. Solo—Mrs. L. H. MacLean. Reading—Miss Dorothy Nicholson. Reading—Rev. S. Gray. Chorus—Marching to the Front—C. S. E. T. Stump Speech—Rev. Dr. Squires. Britannia—Delphine Clarke, Britannia; Edna Benson, Ceylon, Gordon Mackay, Afrim; Florence Jardine, Australia; H. Atkinson, Gibraltar; Austin Clarke, Hong Kong; Doris Atkinson, Canada; Fred Gough, Yukon; Gladys Scribner, New Zealand; Edwin A. Stuart, Ireland; Edna Menzies, Scotland; Gordon Petrie, England.

MEN OF 19 AND 20 MUST REGISTER

The young men of nineteen years of age are called upon to register on or before June 1. Any man who does not come under any exception of the M. S. A. who has attained the age of nineteen, but was born on or since October 13, 1897, and is unmarried or a widower without children, shall, on or before June 1, 1918, report in writing by registered post to the registrar or deputy registrar under the said Military Service Act of 1917, for the registry district in which he resides, his name in full, the date of his birth, the place of residence, giving his usual post office address.

ARRESTS IN IRELAND

In Ireland last Saturday and succeeding days, the leaders of the Sinn Fein party were arrested and interned. It is charged by the Government that there was a pro-German conspiracy in which some Irishmen were implicated.

Town Council

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The Board of Health. They had been told that the Railway had not the money for extensive changes. But they were willing to deed to the town the large of Jane Street owned by them and extend their sewer to the head of Jane Street; there to meet the extended town sewer, with which they would connect at current rates, sewerage all their buildings at the station.

Since that visit, the town Clerk had written to Moncton as follows: Newcastle, May 8th, 1918. L. S. Brown, Esq., Assistant General Manager, C. G. R., Moncton, N. B.

Dear Sir,
With further reference to Water and Sewerage in the vicinity of the C. G. R. Station here; I am requested by the Mayor to ask if, in the event of the Town extending water and sewerage to the head of Jane Street, the C. G. R. will extend both these services to their Station and Robid House and become regular subscribers.
This information is desired so that the question of extending these services may be discussed more intelligently at the next meeting of the Council on Thursday 16th.

Yours very truly,
(Sgd) J. E. T. Lindon,
The reply was as follows:
Moncton, May 11th, 1918.
J. E. T. Lindon, Esq.,
Town Clerk, Newcastle, N. B.

Dear Sir:
This will acknowledge yours of the 8th of May with reference to water and sewerage matters at Newcastle.
I will be glad to look into this matter at once, and write you further in connection therewith as early a date as possible.

(Sgd) L. S. Brown
This was the last to date.
A. D. Durick said that it looked at last as if the Town had a direct assurance from the Railway of details. The people in vicinity of Jane Street had been asking for water and sewerage and were entitled to it. The Council last year had decided to extend water and sewerage up to "Widdell's", but the chairman of the Light and Water Committee had failed to secure the necessary pipe to enable the residents at their own expense, to have the digging done. The C. G. R. now wanted installation up to the head of the street. The people there had paid taxes on the cost of water and sewerage to others, while they themselves had none. They should have consideration from the water system. The sanitary conditions on that street were bad, and fully dealt with. The C. G. R. must have to pay \$5000 a year on account of their private water system. This might come to the town when our water system is extended far enough, if it is extended soon enough. He understood that the C. G. R. were contemplating the expenditure of \$35000 to \$40000 to improve their water system. The sanitary conditions on that street were bad, and sooner or later stricter steps would have to be taken. It was claimed that the cesspools at the station were slowly rendering the lands further down the street unfit for wells. If the Town considers it cannot give water and sewerage to that and other streets that have asked for it, then the town should relieve the residents from water and sewerage taxes.
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Oranges, Bananas, Grape Fruit, Oregon Apples, Pine Apples, Ripe Tomatoes, Cucumbers, Rhubarb and Lettuce. Some very fine Carrots, Evaporated Peaches and Apples, Prunes. Large can delicious Apples, 1 gal size 45c.

TEA has advanced in price, we are having big sales of our celebrated brands in bulk. Victoria Blend at 50c and Orange Pekoe at 60c per lb. OUR PRICES WILL NOT ADVANCE UNTIL JUNE 1ST.

Just received another shipment PURE MAPLE SUGAR Put some in your next Overseas Box

Our Store will be closed on Friday May 24th.

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