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THE extraordinary bargains we are offering in Carpets have been the wonder of all who have, during the past week come to see them. So very slight is the damage, in most cases not perceptible at all, that people have asked us "What is the matter, why are you selling them so cheap?" And we have actually to point out the slight discolorations made by the water to convince them that they have really been through a fire.

All Wool Carpets	50c
Genuine Half Wool Carpets	30c
Union Carpets	25c
Union Carpets	18c

Just about half the price you would ordinarily have to pay. The better qualities are limited in quantity and are selling rapidly. Don't delay too long, you may lose the opportunity of your life.

**New Arrivals:** Ladies Belts in silk and kid, the newest shapes and designs.

**Ladies' Neckwear:** latest novelties.

Lustre and Cloth skirts, Rain Proof Coats, Ladies Spring jackets.

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

## NEW ARRIVALS.

NEW GOODS are now constantly arriving and we have just placed in stock some very interesting values in:

## PROGRESS BRAND CLOTHING.

Some of the nation's best goods yet produced in Gents' Ready made Clothing. We have a wide range of patterns, comprising Serges, Fancy Worsteds, Tweeds, etc., at prices from

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Fish. Fish. Fish.  
FOR THE LENTEN SEASON.

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All kinds of Canned Fish.

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For Spring  
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## 3 Tons White Lead.

150 Gallons Ready-mixed Paints.

Bought before the advance, at the Hardware Store.

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Principle Feature  
in Our  
Watches.

One of our many reliable Watches is the H. Williston & Co. Special. A solid nickel movement with 17 fine Ruby Jewels, cased in a Gold Filled Case, fully guaranteed, all for \$16.00. Other reliable Watches from \$8.00 up.

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JEWELERS.

ESTABLISHED 1889.

NEWCASTLE, N. B.

AMENDMENTS TO  
LICENSE ACT.

Proposed Amendment Which Will be Beneficial to Scott & Co's.

## AMENDMENT OPPOSED.

St. John Wholesale Liquor Dealers Will Oppose the Measure as Introduced.

Pioneer Tweedie, in introducing the proposed amendments to the liquor law, pointed out that the bill is made up of 12 sections, and that the first provides that it shall be unlawful for any person holding a license, either retail or wholesale, to sell liquor to any person in a city or town in which the C. T. A. is in force, or to any person in a city or town in which the sale of liquor is prohibited, who has been person has reason to believe that the person to whom the liquor is sold is engaged in the sale of liquor and the penalty for infringement of this section shall be the cancellation of the license of the offending person. The next section makes it unlawful for a licensee to send liquor through the agency of an express company to a district in which the Canada Temperance Act is in force, or where the sale of liquor is prohibited, to be paid for on delivery. In this case also the penalty for breach of the law is the cancellation of the offender's license. Section three makes provision for an added penalty of not less than \$10, nor more than \$100 against any one guilty of offering under the other sections of the bill, and a similar penalty against the manager or agent of any express company carrying liquor to be paid for on delivery in any county in which the C. T. A. is in force.

The bill seems to meet the views that have been presented to us by the temperance people. I furnished A. A. Stockton, their legal adviser, with a copy of the bill and he has written to me to express his satisfaction with it and has made some suggestions which will be considered when the bill is in committee.

With regard to the attitude of the Government on the temperance question there should be no doubt, yet I see a report in the papers that a clerkman recently in a public address stated that the Government was standing in with the liquor men and that the premier was working hard in hand with them. Now the members of the House know that this statement is wholly unwarranted. Wherever it has been shown to this Government that any parish or district is a county, not under the Canada Temperance Act, was ready for prohibition, we have given it to them and hereafter and some other parishes have taken advantage of this enactment.

Some three or four years ago a large delegation came to us with a petition and a bill signed by 10,000 persons and asked us to sign a general prohibitory law, this was during the meeting of the legislature, but that when the session was over we would deal with it. We did deal with it and declined to pass prohibition, because we felt that in a province where nine counties were under the Canada Temperance Act and that the act was not preventing the sale of liquor, a general prohibitory law would not be likely to be effective. The Government are desirous of placing the province on the highest moral plane and while it is easy to say that such an act should be passed, we must deal with a question of this kind in a logical way. Our experience is that while the Canada Temperance Act prevents the sale of liquor in the country districts, it is not a success in cities and towns. We cannot shut our eyes to this fact and are not to be driven into a position which is illegal and from which no good can result. The Government is not going with any party in this question and if we should pass a prohibitory law it will only be when there is some hope of its success.

## TEA SALE

Owing to contemplated changes in our business we have decided to close out our present stock of groceries at cost. We are commencing with plain Tea, and will sell Red Rose, Tiger and bulk Teas at 20 per cent. discount. This means:

25c. Tea for 20c.
30c. " 24c.
35c. " 28c.
40c. " 32c.
50c. " 40c.

To all Parties in arrears. We will allow three weeks in which to settle. After that all accounts will be handed to a lawyer for collection.

**FOLLANSBEE & CO.**

BEEF TRUST  
CASES FINISHED.

Evidence in These Cases not Sufficient to Convict the Prisoners.

## COLSON AND GOULD.

The Chatham Jewelry Store Cases Were Settled Yesterday.

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LUMBERING ON  
THE MIRAMICHI.

Winter Operations About Finished Under Favorable Conditions.

## ABOUT AVERAGE CUT

Prospects for a Good Summer Work if Drives Come out Recent Snow Storm Needed.

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

**ALBERT HOUSE.**  
Corner Duke &  
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CHATHAM, N. B.  
The most pleasantly situated hotel in the town, directly facing the Opera House and the beautiful Elm Lake. Rooms are modern, clean, and comfortable. For luxury, comfort and views, second to no other hotel in the town. Rates to suit all tastes. Telephone 111. Terms \$1.50 and \$2.00 per day.  
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BLACKVILLE, N. B.  
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Centrally located. Travellers drawn to all parts of the country. 20-11

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This hotel has been newly painted and renovated throughout.  
We are now prepared for permanent and transient boarders.  
Boarding stable in connection.  
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**THE CHATHAM INCUBATOR and Brooder has created a New Era in Poultry Raising.**  
The setting Hen as a Hatcher has been proven a Commercial Failure.

**THE CHATHAM INCUBATOR and Brooder has always proved a Money Maker.**

**A Light, Pleasant and Profitable Business for Women**  
Many women are today making an independent living and getting by money every month raising poultry with a Chatham Incubator.  
Any woman with a little leisure time at her disposal can, without any previous experience or without a cent of cash, begin the poultry business and make money right from the start. Perhaps you have a friend who is doing so. If not, we can give you the names of many who started with much less money than you are now, and who are now making money with the ease and rapidity with which the profits came to them.  
Of course, success depends on getting a good start. You must begin right. You can never make any considerable money as a poultry raiser with less than a Chatham Incubator and Brooder. You must have a good incubator and brooder, but this means in the ordinary way an investment of \$100. If you are not prepared to make just now, and this is just where our special offer comes in.  
If you are in earnest, we will set you up in the poultry business without a cent of cash down. If we were not sure that the Chatham Incubator and Brooder is the best and that with it and a reasonable amount of effort on your part you are sure to make money, we would not make the special offer below.

**WE WILL SHIP NOW TO YOUR STATION FREIGHT PREPAID**  
**A CHATHAM INCUBATOR and BROODER**  
You Pay us no Cash Till After 1906 Harvest

**Small Premises Sufficient For Poultry Raising.**  
Of course, if you have lots of room, so much the better, but many a man and woman are carrying on a successful and profitable poultry business in a small city or town lot. Anyone with a fair sized stable or shed and a small yard can raise poultry profitably.  
But to make money quickly, you must get away from the old idea of trying to do business with setting hens as hatchers. You must get a Chatham Incubator and Brooder.  
Remember every body to get a fair start in the right way in the poultry business, we make a very special offer which it is worth your while to investigate.

We can supply you quickly from our distributing warehouses at Calgary, Brandon, Regina, Winnipeg, New Westminster, B.C., Montreal, Halifax, Chatham, factories at CHATHAM, ONT., and DETROIT, MICH.

**The MANSON CAMPBELL CO., Limited, Dept. No. 228, CHATHAM, CANADA**

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### ON BUDGET.

General's report for 1905-1 financial year—  
Anticongress regular \$3,000.00  
Provincial Hospital 2,500.00  
Public Works 10,000.00  
Bridge account 2,100.00  
Bye Roads 1,000.00  
Credit Fund for relief 5,000.00  
Making a total of \$23,600.00

Under 20 percent of the total revenue.

Then we are responsible for the fact that the Government has been yearly increasing their travelling expenses. In 1905 they were as follows—  
Provincial Secretary \$1,225.00  
Attorney General 775.00  
Surveyor General 600.00  
Commissioner Agriculture 550.00  
Solicitor General 400.00  
Council of Public Works 1,400.00  
Total \$5,119.15  
Hospital Commissioners 525.00  
Total \$5,644.15

And they all travelled on horses. Then again all these men required a tremendous expenditure to keep their offices going and for telegrams, telephones and everything. Just look at the figures—

**CONTINUES OF EXPENDITURE**  
S. Attorney \$48.36  
Board of Works 151.85  
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is a soap that will not make your hands dry and cracked. It is made from the purest materials and is the best soap for the skin.

Common sense destroy the painted surfaces of wood work and take the color out of the cities.

Even the darkest green or blue, or the most delicate colors may be safely washed with Sunlight Soap in the sunlight without fading or destruction.

Your money is wasted when you buy from whom so, but Sunlight Soap is the only soap that will find any use for itself.

**5c. Sunlight Soap 5c.**

Mamma—Why did you say that God should stop your sister from telling stories? Sunlight Soap—Because she promised me she wouldn't tell that I took the cake and she did tell.

## WOMEN ANGRILY AROUSED

### All Over The Dominion

Let us turn from various provinces of Canada to the fact that any woman who has been deceived and induced to use the weak and inferior package dyes put up by unskilled and unscrupulous manufacturers to imitate the popular DIAMOND DYES.

Of course, when a woman through a gross mistake of time, money and valuable health, through the use of muddy, filthy and weak dyes, have directly laid the blame for their losses on the retail merchants who sold them deceptive dyes.

This action of indignant women has caused many of our retail and wholesale dealers to pick up and return to the manufacturers responsible, their worthless and dangerous dyes.

MORAL—When the ladies decide to do home dyeing work, it pays to use the celebrated and popular DIAMOND DYES, which have been the home friends of the ladies for over 25 years. When buying, see that each package is headed to you bears the words DIAMOND PACKAGE DYES. Users of DIAMOND DYES soon become experts in the dyeing work of home dyeing, and find that a new cent package will renew the life of any faded and dingy suit, dress, skirt, blouse, jacket, cap or husband's shirt, coat, vest or trousers.

All we need to offer you the something he calls "JUST AS GOOD." No other dye equal the DIAMOND DYES. Send your name and address to: Wells & Richardson Co., Limited, Montreal, P. Q. and you will receive free of cost new Dye Book, Card of Dyeing, Cloth Samples and Booklet in verse, entitled "The Long John's Trip to the Klondike."

Al! he signed. If you only gave me the least possible hope I— Good gracious! getting the hard belief I've been retorting you the least I ever gave to any man;

**CHILLS PROVE FATAL!**  
If warmth and circulation are not promptly restored, chills result in fatal pneumonia. This necessitates keeping Nerve-line on hand. Tired in hot water it breaks up a chill in two minutes. By rubbing freely over throat and chest it prevents cold. No limit to its strength, so penetrating, so swift to kill pain and inflammation. Nearly fifty years' record has proved the value of P. Leck's Nerve-line. You should get a bottle to day.

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## The Union Advocate.

NEWCASTLE, MARCH 7, 1906.

## THE BUDGET DEBATE

The debate on the Budget has been characterized by a good deal of ability by members on both sides the House.

The financial policy of the Government has been subjected to a good deal of criticism in fact the heaviest assaults of the opposition have been directed against the Government on this part of their policy. We believe that the policy of a government should be subjected to searching criticism as opposition can offer. It is better for the Government and better for the country at the same time more discussion criticism is not enough. People want something more than discussion.

And if the Opposition ever hope to win the confidence of the electors there will have to adopt different methods than those they have followed in the debate on the Budget. Unless they do in fact very much as if it were a question of the "outs" wanting to be the "ins".

A policy like that will never command itself to the people. The opposition may fulminate its denunciations against the Government's policy, but unless they have something better to offer the people they will never gain the confidence of the electorate.

The heaviest batteries of the opposition were brought to bear against the Attorney General. Charge after charge was hurled against him, which when he replied to his critics, rebounded with considerable force and we fancy hurt the opposition more than they did Mr. Ferguson.

The Attorney General's reply was made with considerable warmth. He gave the members of the Opposition a much needed lesson. They had made charges which they were unable to substantiate. When the light of facts has been let in a very different complexion has been given to the acts of the Government. The critics of the Government have made large use of the report of the Auditor General, piling figures on figures, mountains high, which speedily toppled over when the Attorney General breathed on them.

While perusing the reports of the speeches of some of the members of the opposition we could not help feeling that they had but an imperfect acquaintance with the ninth Commandment. They seem to forget or not to know, that the commandments are as applicable to the conditions of life as existing to-day, and in all its relations, business, social life, political, as they were in olden times.

We would imagine that the injunctions of the Decalogue has no reference to the ethics of political life. One of the greatest evils connected with our politics is the indiscriminate abuse that is heaped upon public men. Some who would seem to tell a lie in private do not scruple in political life to stab a man whose reputation for honesty admits of no doubt. Throw plenty of mud and some of it will be sure to stick seems to be the policy adopted by political opponents. Men who are forgetful of the amenities of public life stamp themselves as unfitted to occupy places in our legislative halls. If abuse and vituperation are qualities for representative honors then some of the members of the opposition have rightly earned the confidence of their constituents.

The Dominion Parliament will open on Thursday.

## IMPORTANT AMENDMENT.

A very important amendment to the Liquor License Act of New Brunswick is about to be introduced into the House by Premier Trowell. This amendment is the result of a petition by the New Brunswick Temperance Federation and promises to be a very great aid in the enforcement of the Canada Temperance Act. If this amendment becomes law there will be no little commotion amongst the wine merchants of Scott's Act Counties. The new amendment will prohibit licensed liquor merchants to send liquor into Scott's Act Counties C. O. D. or by any other means if they have reason to be-

lieve that it is to be sold therein. It is further reported that the Licensed Liquor merchants will take steps to oppose the measure, failing in this, and it is quite certain that they must fail, it is up to them to decide, if they can, some scheme to get around the Act. There are several which might be effective, and the probabilities are that one of them will be adopted. If they are unable to do upon any, and they do not wish to be named having their licenses, it will be up to the wine merchants of Scott's Act Counties to import their liquors from elsewhere. Indeed this will not be an all new, as they are at present at least a smuggler who import direct from Scotland, thus saving, as they say, the middlemen's profits. The new law, however, will do much to handicap the smaller "grocery shops" which are usually to be found in the country districts.

## PATENT MEDICINES.

The Department of Inland Revenue upon examining into the ingredients of Patent Medicines and their powders have laid more some startling results. The researches of the analysts have resulted in the discovery of a good deal of alcohol in the patent medicines and small quantities of powerful drugs in the headache remedies which seem all to be very much alike. The drugs used as the active principles in them are acetanilide, phenacetin and phenazone. Analyst McGill commenting upon them said in part: "The habitual use of any substance so potent in its physiological effects as acetanilide must be attended with danger to the person who uses it."

The table of the samples analyzed shows that in one case Peruna was 41.83 and in another case 38.75 per cent of proof spirits. The percentage of spirits in other medicines is Ayer's Sarsaparilla 38.71, Dr. Madison's Peruvian Tonic, 23.18; Standard Sarsaparilla 31.07; Nyl's Celery Nervine, 23.01; Pain's Celery Compound 32.19; Burdock Blood Bitters, 28.62 per cent proof spirits. With these figures before us it is plain that many of the so called "Medicines" are no more "Medicines" than the "Rye Whiskey or Scotch Whiskey of commerce, and certainly deserves the attention of the proper authorities. It would be a question as to whether they can be legally sold by druggists without a liquor license. There would appear to be little doubt but that it is covered by the Canada Temperance Act.

## Impoverished Soil

Impoverished soil, like impoverished blood, needs a proper fertilizer. A chemist by analyzing the soil can tell you what fertilizer to use for different products.

If your blood is impoverished your doctor will tell you what you need to fertilize it and give it the rich, red corpuscles that are lacking in it. It may be you need a tonic, but more likely you need a concentrated fat food, and fat is the element lacking in your system.

There is no fat food that is so easily digested and assimilated as

## Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil

It will nourish and strengthen the body when milk and cream fail to do it. Scott's Emulsion is always the same; always palatable and always beneficial where the body is wasting from any cause, either in children or adults.

We will send you a sample free.

Be sure that this picture in the form of a label is on the wrapper of every bottle of Emulsion you buy.

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CHEMISTS  
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50c and \$1.00.  
All Druggists.

## Pale, Thin, Nervous?

Then your blood must be in a very bad condition. You certainly know what to take, then take it—Ayer's Sarsaparilla. If you doubt, then consult your doctor. We know what he will say about this grand old family medicine.

This is the first question your doctor would ask: "Are your blood vessels clogged?" He knows that daily action of the blood is absolutely essential to recovery. Keep your blood active and your health regular by taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

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AYER'S  
We have no secrets. We publish the formulas of all our medicines.

## THE MIRAMICHI.

The current number of "THE CANADIAN GRAPHIC" contains a very interesting article on the "Canoe" of the Miramichi and incidentally refers to the sporting facilities of the North Shore. The writer of the article is in high praise of the "dog-out" of our river and is loud in his praise of the able manner in which they are handled by the natives. He says "Such a canoe can go anywhere in the rivers or whenever there is little sea. In deep waters of the tideway they can be rowed or paddled. In the current and in the rapids they are pulled and the New Brunswick canoe man is a deft hand with a canoe pole. His footing is limited to a few inches of width, he works in a line. Every movement must be calculated with the idea of balance as its foundation. He has no room for clumsy movements. He must stand on the balance line of his canoe, stretch out, plant his pole on the bottom of the river directly below him and shove the canoe forward on the line of its own keel. His figure is always balanced symmetrically, and his canoe fits with his movements and gives the line of the strong graceful action."

The total trade of Canada for the year ending June 30th 1905 was \$132,750,500 and the population of Canada at the last census was 5,371,315 or total of trade per head of the population of \$24.70 giving Canada the third position in the world in the commercial scale.

## INSURANCE.

When the Insurance Investigation Committee meets at Ottawa as it is expected to do during the coming Spring, there is little doubt that some startling facts will be revealed and the public may learn that even Canadian Insurance Officials are not free graft.

The writer is in receipt of a letter from J. J. Harpell who claims to be a graduate of Queens University. He has attacked a number of Canadian Insurance Companies on the general ground of graft, and certainly appears to be able to prove his assertion. His aims are to urge upon the Government the necessity of an Insurance Investigation such as has been done in New York, and since his object is about to be attained it is unnecessary here to comment upon his letter since the Insurance Investigating Committee will expose anything which may prove to be radically wrong amongst the Canadian Companies. The coming investigation will be looked forward to by policy holders with no little interest.

## INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY.

The Minister of Railways is determined that the Intercolonial Railway will no longer remain a burden upon the Government. The new passenger rates went into effect March 1st and the rates for a distance above one hundred miles show a material increase although still lower in many respects than either the Grand Trunk or Canadian Pacific, it is impossible to estimate what the increased rate means in increased revenue to the road. There is little doubt, however, that the increased revenue from distances above one hundred miles will be appreciable from a revenue standpoint.

Ontario might copy part of New Brunswick's new forestry policy with profit, thinks the Toronto News. It says:

One of the new forest regulations of the province of New Brunswick is that hereafter lumbermen must remove the tops and branches of the trees cut down. This brush, as it is usually called, dries out very quickly and is a menace to standing timber, because it is so inflammable. Although this regulation will cause the lumber gangs considerable work and a good deal of annoyance, we imagine it cannot fail to be valuable to the province. At the recent forestry convention, reference was made again and again to the great devastation caused by forest fires, and it was generally admitted that a rule dealing with the removal of such calamities could be too stringent. The proposal of New Brunswick is one that might be considered with advantage by the government of Ontario.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier has as many letters of the alphabet at the end of his name as can be carried with ease more probably than any other Canadian. He is B. C. L., of McGill; D. C. L., Oxon and Cantab; L. L. D., Toronto and Queen's Universities; L. L. D., Edinburgh University; G. C. M. G., and G. O. L. H., the highest rank but one in France.

## CHANGES IN COMPANY

(MONTREAL "WITNESS")  
The announcement is made that Mr. C. M. Johnson, who at one time was managing director of the Wells & Richardson Co., Limited, 200 Montcalm Street, Montreal, Que., but who was succeeded some time ago by Mr. Thomas Brady, is not now connected with this company in any way, and that Mr. A. E. Richardson, who was a former stockholder in the above named company, and also in the Wells & Richardson Co., of Burlington, Vermont, is not now connected in any form or capacity with either company, both of the above gentlemen having disposed of their holdings of stock. The Wells & Richardson Co., Ltd., of Montreal, are the sole proprietors, among other articles, of the well known Diamond Dyes, Improved Butter Coloring, Lactated Food, and Paine's Celery Compound, and at the present time; under the very able management of Mr. Brady, are doing the largest business in the history of the Canadian Company.

MISERABLE LIMENT CO., LIMITED.  
GENTLEMEN.—My daughter, 13 years old, was thrown from a sleigh and injured her elbow so badly it remained stiff and very painful for three years. Four bottles of MINARD'S LINIMENT completely cured her and she has not been troubled for two years.

Yours truly,  
J. B. LIVESQUE.  
St. Joseph, P. O., 15th Aug., 1900.

Pearl—I suffered him to steal a kiss last night.  
Ruby—The nerve! And did you call your mamma?  
Pearl—No, I am brave. I suffered in silence.

## Cash or Cure

If Shiloh's Consumption Cure fails to cure your Cold or Cough, you get back all you paid for it. You are sure of a Cure or the Cash.  
If it won't cure you, this offer would not be made.  
Can anything be fairer?  
If you have a Cold, Cough, or any disease of the Throat, Lungs or Air Passages, try

**SHILOH**  
25c per bottle. All dealers guarantee it.

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"Correct English—How to use it".  
A Monthly Magazine Devoted To The Use of English.  
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Partial Contents for this Month.  
Course in English for the Beginner.  
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How to Increase One's Vocabulary.  
The Art of Conversation.  
Should and Would: How to Use Them.  
Pronouns: (Country Dictionary).  
Correct English in the Home.  
Correct English in the School.  
What to say and What Not to Say.  
Course in Letter-Writing and Punctuation.  
Alphabet in list of Abbreviations.  
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Compound Words: How to Write Them.  
Studies in English Literature.

Agents Wanted.  
\$1.00 a Year. Send 10 cts. for sample copy.  
Correct English, Evanson, Illinois.

## How Red Rose Tea is Grown

TEA is a native plant of Northern India. Transplanted to Ceylon it lost much of its strength and richness, but gained in fragrance and delicacy. That is why Ceylon tea is not a strong tea.

That is why I blend Indian and Ceylon teas together—that is how the strength and richness, fragrance and delicacy of Red Rose Tea are secured—that is why Red Rose Tea has that "rich fruity flavor."

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

## ARE YOU GOING

With the crowd. The rush the next few months is going to be for McMurdo's The Big Clothing Store. We have the largest stock of clothing ever exhibited here we can meet your requirement no matter what they are. Everything that the Boy, the young or old, the big or small wants. The prices also suit the man with either small or large purse.

See our suits for men at \$5.75 to \$17.00.  
See our young men's suits \$1.75 to \$8.00 and \$9.00.  
See our Rain and Raglan coats for men at \$2.75 to \$14.  
See our children's clothing all styles and prices the largest assortment in town.  
See our Boy's and men's Extra pants.

Everything at the Big Clothing Store.

**L. B. McMURDO,**

The Peoples' Tailor and Clothier.



## Women's Spring Shoes.

The Shoe World always blossoms out with new shoe styles in spring time.  
We are now offering our trade the most Choice Spring Shoe creations we were able to select from the productions of the

## Best Makers of Womens' Shoes.

High or low cut made from selected kid skins, patent colt, patent kid, etc.  
Some New Lasts in both straight and swing.  
We'll venture the assertion that there is not a woman in this vicinity who cannot

## Please with Shoes and Shoe Prices.

Our Price Range on womens' shoes is a long one,  
\$1.25, \$1.75 up to \$4.50.

**D. R. McRAE & CO**

## Condition Powders!

OUR RAMSAY'S CONDITION POWDER IS GUARANTEED.

For horses and cattle it has no equal, as it tones up the system and gives a well groomed appearance wherever used.

It will also make HENS lay.

25c a BOX.

Put up and sold only by

**A. E. Shaw, Druggist.**

NEWCASTLE, N. B.

## PLUMBING.

The subscriber has opened up a plumbing and heating business in Newcastle. Estimates on above lines will be cheerfully furnished at any time.

All contract work guaranteed satisfactory. Repair work promptly attended. Charges moderate.

**W. E. FORBES.**

Orders left at Union Hotel Heating by hot water Will receive prompt attention.



## IMPROVEMENTS ON CANADA EASTERN.

Considerable Work Will be Done to Roadbed and the Bridges.

Mr. A. J. McGrath, inspector of masonry of I. C. R., came in from Moncton last evening and is at the Queen Hotel. He is accompanied by Mr. F. J. King, of Moncton.

Mr. McGrath's visit here is in connection with some rip-rapping being done on the steel bridge across the St. John river at this point. The work is being done in order to strengthen the granite pier when the ice goes out.

According to Mr. McGrath there are a good many improvements to be made along the Canada Eastern branch during the approaching season but as yet nothing definite can be learned as to what these improvements will consist of.

Just now the I. C. R. officials are too busy fixing up after the disastrous fire at Moncton to pay much attention to other work. Mr. McGrath says that the debris of the paint shop had been cleared away and the site for the temporary building in place. Mr. Karpus, engineer of maintenance, is the person in charge of the work and the erection of all temporary buildings will be well under way by the first of the week. As many men as can be obtained are being put to work.—Gleaner.

## SPENT NIGHT AT BOTTOM OF WELL.

While Making Evening Calls Blue Cove Man Went Down 35 Feet.

Grand Anse, Feb. 26.—George Deion of Blue Cove, Pictouville last Tuesday spent a few hours of the evening at F. Theriault's and started for Henry Theriault's about 9 o'clock, taking a short cut through the fields. There was an unlighted well about 35 feet deep a little distance from the house temporarily covered with poles and some snow. Mr. Deion on walking over fell through and remained in the bottom of the well until 12 o'clock the next day, when he was found by children who heard a noise in the well and ran to the house and gave the alarm. Ladders and ropes were procured and Mr. Deion taken out after fourteen hours imprisonment and greatly chilled and nervous. There was about two feet of snow in the well, which saved Mr. Deion from being killed in falling.

### LOCAL LEGISLATURE

(Special to Advocate.)

Replying to Mr. Hazen, Hon. Mr. Tweedie said that the offer to lease the New Brunswick Coal and Railway Co., came from Greenfield & Greenfield's, baristers, of Montreal on behalf of clients whose reliability they guaranteed, annual rental, if required to be paid in advance.

Bills relating to the town of Dalhousie and to authorize Restigouche to make County Valuation were passed at the House on Monday.

Hon. Mr. Tweedie announced that the House would sit on Saturdays, for the balance of the session.

Mr. Hazen continued the budget debate at Monday evening's sitting.

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia.

### Editor's Mail.

Editor Advocate:  
Dear Sir:—

In answer to an article that appeared in a recent issue of the Union Advocate, claiming that the Game Warden on the Little South West is not doing his duty and that a number of deer had been slaughtered on account of the Warden's negligence or inattention which was a very unfair statement of things.

If deer were killed I think it would be a great deal more like a man to come right out bodily and tell what they know about it instead of heating around the bush in this way, and laying all the blame on the Warden. We all know that the Game Warden can only be one place at a time, and any reasonable man will say that he is doing all a man can do. But in all probability there would have been no violation of the game laws if the reporter of this had been appointed Game Warden instead of Mr. McAllister. We all remember that North American blood was up upon the last provocation in years gone by and it is just the same with this class of people today.

I remain, Yours truly,

H. M. STEWART.  
Mikere, Southeast, Feb. 26.

## MASS MEETING WELL ATTENDED

Temperance Mass Meeting Sunday Afternoon Draws Big Crowd.

### GOOD ADDRESS.

The Temperance Mass Meeting under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. in the New-castle Opera House Sunday afternoon was, considering the heavy storm, exceptionally well attended there being about three hundred persons present.

Rev. H. Johnson acted as Chairman, and in a few well chosen words explained the object of the meeting and introduced the speaker, Rev. H. E. Thomas of Moncton. Rev. Mr. Thomas delivered a very appropriate address, and held the attention of the audience throughout.

The singing by Mrs. J. W. Miller, Miss Harley and Rev. M. J. Arnett, with a picked choir was greatly enjoyed.

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. are to be congratulated on the success of the meeting. The ladies of the W. C. T. U. wish to thank all who assisted.

The organ used was from the Lonsbury Company.

## HOUSE WILL SIT UNTIL MARCH 21

Hope to Have Supply at Fredericton Through Wednesday—

There has been some speculation as to the probable length of the present session of the legislature. Premier Tweedie said recently he expected the house would rise about March 21. He hoped, he added, to have supply through by Wednesday next; the compulsory education bill would then be taken up, to be followed by the liquor license bill and the bill relating to timberlands and forestry.

Minard's Liniment Cures Dis-temper.

She—Has your wife improved since she began to have her voice cultivated? He—Yes considerably. When she calls me down I notice that it is in a more musical tone than it used to be.

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns etc.

### GRAND ANSE

GRAND ANSE, N. B., Feb. 24.—A very sad and sudden death, that of John Fitzpatrick of New Brunswick, occurred Thursday. Mr. Fitzpatrick was about 60 years of age. He was of a splendid disposition and a favorite of all. He was employed in Lombard and Co.'s blacksmith shop at their griststone quarry at Clifton and Grand Anse during the summer months for a number of years, and during the winter worked in a shop of his near his home. On the Wednesday previous to his death he worked in his forge during the day and in the evening shod a horse for Hilbert Reddest, with lantern light, Mr. Reddest leaving him in the shop apparently in his usual good health, about 8 or nine o'clock. As he did not come home as usual, his wife and family became uneasy and about midnight went to their neighbors making enquiries for him, but neglected looking in the shop until about three in the morning. There they found him speechless and helpless. He was borne to the house and everything possible done for him. Dr. Meahan and Father Doucet arrived in a few hours, but could do nothing, and towards evening he died. He leaves a wife, five daughters and two sons—one son and three daughters are in the States, the son, Fenton, getting home for the funeral. The took place at the Grand Anse R. C. burying ground Sunday afternoon. It was attended by many Protestants as well as Catholics. Father Doucet officiated.

Prudent Aunt—You should not be in too big a hurry selecting a husband, my dear. I don't think much of the young men of today.

Ethel—Yes. But many a girl remains single all her life by waiting for the young men of tomorrow.

Her Father—My daughter is an expert in pyrography.

Her Suitor—That's all right, I'm very fond of pie.

Neighbor—How did your daughter's marriage with that count urn out?

Mrs. Brickrow—Her last letter stated he has spent all her money, and she is taking in washing; but, on I presume, she was-bes only for the nobility.

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M. RUSSELL.

## PROPOSED LINE OF STEAMERS.

English Capitalists Talking of Establishing Gulf Ports Service.

A large steamship company in England intends starting a Gulf Ports service, connecting with the Lady Ellen at Casper and, if satisfactory arrangements can be made, will call at Chatham. There will be two twin screw steamers of 1900 tons gross, with speed of 16 knots, and with accommodation for 1000 tons of freight and 100 passengers, giving an up-to-date service in every way. This will be a splendid service, besides enabling our merchants to get their freight from Moncton much cheaper than at present. It would afford our people the chance of a delightful trip by water to Montreal and other places. Mr. F. E. Neale, with whom the company is in correspondence, will lay the matter before the Town Council and the Board of Trade at the next meeting.

Miramichi merchants will act wisely by encouraging the new Gulf Ports S. S. Line to call here and thereby guard against a rise in the intercolonial freight rates—World.

## MR. INGRAM, SERIOUSLY HURT

Fell While Working in Hickson's Mill Tuesday Morning.

While working in Mr. Hickson's mill yesterday morning, Mr. George Ingram in some manner fell from a staging when he was tightening some bolts, to the floor below and was severely injured. His left shoulder was dislocated and head and badly bruised. Doctors Peden and Chesmond were called and replaced the injured shoulder and removed Mr. Ingram to his home where it was found that outside the injuries above mentioned and a severe shaking up he had escaped no serious injury. Mr. Ingram has been for a long time ill with rheumatism and his many friends will regret to learn of his injury.

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

To equal a predecessor one must have twice his worth.

How is father getting on with his riding lessons?

Very well. We children are allowed to watch him now.

Minard's Liniment Cures garget in cows.

Jonah must have been a high-priced lawyer, pa. What makes you think so? The whale could not retain him!

Coughs, colds, hoarseness, and other throat ailments are quickly relieved by Crook's Tablets, ten cents per box. All druggists.

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Great Expansion and Enlargement of premises to more than double capacity.

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Bargains offered in Carpets, Curtains, Table Linen, Napkins, Towels, Towelling, Floor Coverings, Hangings and Rugs.

Large Bleached Towels, 10c. Larger Towels, pure linen, 15c. Large size Cotton Blankets, Grey or White, - 79c. per Pair. Grey Cottons, prints and flannelettes, - 5c. per Yard and up.

Hewson's Best Homespuns for Men's and Ladies' wear. A few Ladies' Coats and Furs left over, Reduced to Half Price.

Just received from New York Men's New Style and Shape Hats, Caps, Shirts and Furnishings.



A large lot of remnants to be closed out regardless of former price.

J. D. Creaghan Co., Ltd.,

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Chatham.

Moncton.

Every fibre Pure Wool, and Nova Scotia Wool at that—in  
**HEWSON PURE WOOL TWEEDS**

Take my advice don't lend Borrowings any more money. I never did. Why, you use to think I was sure for I no. I used to think I was lending it to him, but I soon discovered it was purely a gift.

The Bride—Do you think they will know we are just married by our looks?

The Groom—Well, the looks you give me are enough to betray you on the spot.

What is the cheapest Christmas breakfast?—A roll in bed.

Has he changed his style of living much since he inherited this vast wealth?

No; simply changed from second hand clothes to second hand dishes and furniture.

He who loses hope may then part with anything.

Papa, what is the difference between a gaffer and a philanthropist?

Merely one of years, my son. A man is a gaffer before he is sixty and a philanthropist afterward.

Mamma—What are you tearing your doll to pieces for?

Hattie—I'm looking for the crumb of comfort papa said was to be found in everything.

## Logs Wanted

We are buying logs for immediate delivery or contract for same to be delivered when navigation opens. For further particulars apply to the

NEW BRUNSWICK LUMBER CO.,  
P. O. Box 212 Chatham, N. B.

## No More Gray Hair

### LADIES' STORE.

Bargains in Shirt Waists.

Black Lustre and Sateen, \$1.10 to 2.00, now 79c. French Flannels and Lustres, \$1.25 to 2.00, now 75c. Flannelettes, now 69c. and 39c.

MRS. S. McLEOD.

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I have much pleasure in informing my customers and the public generally that I have enlarged and very much improved my premises by taking in the store lately occupied by Clarke & Co., using that for stores only and keeping my old stand for Hardware, and other shop goods, making the establishment for size and appearance second to none of its kind in the Province. I would give a cordial invitation to all from a distance to call and see the new arrangement. My stock of Stoves of over sixty different styles and sizes consists in part of Steel and Cast Ranges and Cook Stoves at all prices Heating Stoves for any kind of fuel. Hardware, Enamelware, Japanese and Wire Goods, and Tinware of our own make in almost endless variety.

Yours respectfully,

J. H. Phinney.

### BRANCH MANAGER WANTED

By Carriage Manufacturing Concern, who intend opening a warehouse at Newcastle.

To one who has experience in retailing Carriages, Implements, &c., this is a fine opening.

A live Concern, best known goods in the Provinces and the intention of making this a permanent proposition should give all the chance expected. Apply by letter to

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are immediately relieved by an application of

DR. SCOTT'S White Liniment.

This preparation should be in every home or work shop, it is the very best of all our line of Liniments as it is invaluable for sufferers of Rheumatism.

I have just received a large shipment from the makers and will give a Free Sample to every household who will call.

Be sure and send for Sample first.

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Weak, Sleepless Men and Women Cured Every Day by Dr. Hamilton's Pills.

The physical suffering and mental anguish that victims of sleeplessness endure is indeed a sad story. But in Dr. Hamilton's Pills there is a swift relief from this awful condition. Thousands have proved the merit of this grand medicine, among them Mrs. G. T. Lyons, one of the best known residents of Geneva, who writes: "My health ran down and I was unable to sleep. I had headaches and pains in different parts of my body. In the morning I was weary and exhausted—no rest or comfort came from the slumbers of sleep."

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Knicker—It must be awful to be caught with the goods on you.

Subbubs—It's worse to be caught with the goods off you. I forgot three of my wife's errands yesterday.

### COUGHERS, HAWKERS, SPITTERS:

Public expectation is against the common law, against the laws of health also. When the throat tickles, that's the need "Catarhaze," it soothes irritation, cuts out the phlegm less the tight feeling. You'll cure that catarhaze and throat with Catarhaze. It positively cuts new attacks and cures old ones for all time to come. Don't be one word for it, try Catarhaze yourself. Once used you'll be delighted with its pleasant and helpful influence.

Papa—And the travelers walked for two hours under a tropical sun. George—Tropical sun? Wasn't it the same sun they have at the north pole?

### A GUARANTEED CURE

For All Forms of Kidney Disease. We the undersigned Druggists, are fully prepared to give the following guarantee with every 50 cent bottle of Dr. Pettin's Kidney-Wart Tablets, the only remedy in the world that positively cures all troubles arising from weak or diseased kidneys:

"Money cheerfully returned if the sufferer is not relieved and improved after use of one bottle. Three to six bottles effect astonishing and permanent cures. If not relieved and cured, you waste no money."—F. R. Dalton, Newcastle, N. B.

What do you think of the simple life, my dear? If it is any more expensive than the ordinary way of life, of course it must be better.

### WHAT CAUSES APPENDICITIS.

The commonest cause of appendicitis is constipation. When you require physic don't use cheap drastic pills—get Dr. Hamilton's Pills which strengthen the stomach, regulate the bowels and prevent any tendency to appendicitis. In one day you'll feel the tremendous benefit of Dr. Hamilton's Pills. By purifying the blood and cleansing the system they prevent headache, lift depression and drive away weariness. No medicine so successful as Dr. Hamilton's Pills, sold everywhere in 25c. boxes with yellow cover; get the genuine.

Pa, what is this realistic school they talk about? I guess that must be one of the old fashioned ones in which they have not abolished corporal punishment.

### THE SOURCE OF NEURALGIA.

It runs hand in hand with poor blood and weak nerves. Health runs down, nerves get irritable, neuralgic tortures follow. For the moment applications may relieve—but to thoroughly cure, the system must be strengthened with nutritious blood. What can equal Ferro-China? It increases the appetite, forms abundance of rich life-giving blood, supplies nutrient and building material for worn-out nerves. Ferro-China completely cures neuralgia. Every root and branch of the disease it cures. Absolute success in every case. Sleep suffering—fifty cents buys Ferro-China. Fifty chocolate coated tablets in a box at any drug store.

And, said the Sunday school teacher, when Delilah cut Samson's hair he became mild as a lamb. Can you understand that, well, my son, replied Tommy, does make you feel ashamed when a cuts yer hair.

### CASTORIA.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Be sure this is the kind you have bought.

## The Return of Sherlock Holmes.

By A. Conan Doyle.

Author of "The Adventures of Sherlock Holmes," "The Hound of the Baskervilles," "The Sign of the Four," "A Study in Scarlet," Etc.

(Illustrated by F. D. Steele.)

"I have told you all that happened, Mr. Hopkins," she said wearily. "Could you not repeat it for me? Well, if you think it necessary I will tell these gentlemen what occurred. Have they been in the dining room yet?"

"I thought they had better hear your ladyship's story first."

"I shall be glad when you can arrange matters. It is horrible to me to think of him still lying there." She shuddered and buried her face in her hands. As she did so the loose gown fell back from her forehead. Holmes uttered an exclamation.

"You have other injuries, madam? What is this?" Two vivid red spots stood out on one of the white round limbs. She hastily covered it.

"It is nothing. It has no connection with this hideous business tonight. If you and your friend will sit down, I will tell you all I can."

"I am very glad to hear that, madam. I suppose you are not married yet. I would like to know that our marriage has not been a happy one. I fear that all our neighbors would tell you that, even if I were to attempt to deny it. Perhaps the fact may be partly mine."

I was brought up in the free and conventional atmosphere of South Australia, and this English life, with its proprieties and its prudences, is not congenial to me. But the main reason lies in the one fact which is notorious to every one, and that is that Sir Eustace was a confirmed drunkard. To be with such a man for an hour is unpleasant. Can you imagine what it means for a sensible and high-spirited woman to be tied to him for day and night? It is a sacrifice, a crime, a villainy, to hold that such a marriage is binding. I say that these monstrous laws of yours will bring a curse upon the land. God will not let such wickedness endure." For an instant she sat up, her cheeks flushed and her eyes blazing from under the terrible mark upon her brow. Then the strong, soothing hand of the doctor drew her head down on to the cushion, and the wild anger died away into passionate sobbing. At last she continued:

"I will tell you about last night. You are aware, perhaps, that in this house all the servants sleep in the modern wing. This central block is made up of the old wing, with the kitchen behind and our bedroom above. My maid, Theresa, sleeps above my room. There is no one else, and no sound could alarm those who are in the farther wing. This must have been well known to the robbers or they would not have acted as they did."

"Sir Eustace retired about half past 10. The servants had already gone to their quarters. Only my maid was up, and she had remained in her room at the top of the house until I needed her."

### HOW'S THIS?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We the undersigned have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.

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Manager—you do not inject enough contempt, spite and venom into that word, Actress—I can do no better. Manager—Nonsense speak it just as you say Plush when you meet a rival in an imitation seal skin.

### Eczema, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Itch Ring Worm, Herpes, Barber's Itch.

All of these diseases are attended by intense itching, which is almost instantly relieved by applying Chamberlain's Salve and by its continued use a permanent cure may be effected. It has in fact, cured many cases that had resisted all other treatment. Price 25c. per box. For sale by R. C. Yee.

Do you consider frenzied finance a question of the hour? The hour! echoed the magazine publisher so ruffly. It is the question of several years at least.

### Sleeplessness.

Disorders of the stomach produce a nervous condition and often prevent sleep. Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets stimulate the digestive organs, restore the system to a healthy condition and make sleep possible. For sale by R. C. Yee.

Duke McGlue—Why do you call your dog feathers? Count Noaccount—Because I dislike to call him down.

### CLARK'S CORNED BEEF.

In properly cooked and canned. A revelation in taste and tenderness.

services. I sat until after 11 in this room, absorbed in a book, then I walked round to see that all was right before I went upstairs. It was my custom to do this myself, for as I have explained, Sir Eustace was not always to be trusted. I went into the kitchen, the butler's pantry, the gun room, the billiard room, the drawing room and finally the dining room. As I approached the window, which is covered with thick curtains, I suddenly felt the wind blow upon my face and realized that it was open. I flung the curtain aside and found myself face to face with a broad shouldered, elderly man, who had just slipped into the room. The window is a long French one, which really forms a door leading to the lawn. I held my bedroom candle in my hand, and by its light behind the first man I saw two others, who were in the act of entering. I stepped back, but the fellow was on me in an instant. He caught me first by the wrist and then by the throat. I opened my mouth to scream, but he struck me a savage blow with his fist over the eye and felled me to the ground. I must have been unconscious for a few minutes, for when I came to myself I found that they had torn down the bell rope and had secured me tightly to the ornate chair which stands at the head of the dining table. I was so firmly bound that I could not move, and a handkerchief round my mouth prevented me from uttering a sound. It was at this instant that my unfortunate husband entered the room. He had evidently heard some suspicious sounds, and he came prepared for such a scene as he found. He was dressed in his shirt and trousers, with his favorite blackthorn cudgel in his hand. He rushed at the burglars, but another—it was an elderly man—stopped, picked the poker out of the grate and struck him a horrible blow as he passed. He fell, with a groan, and never moved again.

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## WHO SHE WAS

### SKETCH OF THE LIFE OF LYDIA E. PINKHAM

And a True Story of How the Vegetable Compound Had Its Birth and How the "Panic of '73" Caused it to be Offered for Public Sale in Drug Stores.

This remarkable woman, whose maiden name was Bates, was born in Lynn, Mass., February 24, 1829, coming from a good old Yankee family. For some years she taught school, and is now known as a woman of an alert



Yours for Health Lydia E. Pinkham

and investigating mind, an earnest worker after knowledge, and above all, possessed of a wonderfully sympathetic nature.

In 1849 she married Isaac Pinkham, a builder and real estate operator, and their early married life was marked by prosperity and happiness. They had four children, three sons and a daughter.

In those good old-fashioned days it was common for mothers to make their own home medicines from roots and herbs, nature's own remedies—calling in a physician only in specially urgent cases. By tradition and experience many of them gained a wonderful knowledge of the curative properties of the various roots and herbs.

Mrs. Pinkham took a great interest in the study of roots and herbs, their characteristics and power over disease. She maintained that just as nature so bountifully provides in the harvestable and orchard vegetable foods of all kinds; so, if we but take the pains to find them, in the roots and herbs of the field there are remedies expressly designed to cure the various ills and weaknesses of the body, and it was her pleasure to search these out, and prepare simple and effective medicines for her own family and friends.

Chief of these was a rare combination of the choicest medicinal roots and herbs found best adapted for the cure of the ills and weaknesses peculiar to the female sex, and Lydia E. Pinkham's friends and neighbors learned that her compound relieved and cured, and it became quite popular among them.

All this so far was done freely, without money and without price as a labor of love.

But in 1873 the financial crisis struck Lynn. Its length and severity were too much for the large real estate interests of the Pinkham family, as this class of business suffered most from fearful depression, so when the Centennial year dawned it found their property almost to be found.

At this point Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was made known to the world.

The three sons and the daughter, with

their mother, combined forces to restore the family fortune. They argued that the medicine which was so good for their woman friends and neighbors was equally good for the women of the whole world.

The Pinkhams had no money, and little credit. Their first laboratory was the kitchen, where roots and herbs were stored on the shelves, gradually filling a goodly bottle. Then came the question of selling it, for always before they had given it away freely. They hired a job printer to run off two pamphlets setting forth the merits of the medicine, now called Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and these were distributed by the Pinkhams sons in Boston, New York, and Brooklyn.

The wonderful curative properties of the medicine were, to a great extent, self-evident, for whoever used it recommended it to others, and the demand gradually increased.

In 1877, her husband left her the family had saved enough money to commence newspaper advertising and from that time their growth and success of the enterprise were assured, until today Lydia E. Pinkham and her Vegetable Compound have become household words everywhere, and many tens of thousands are using them annually in its manufacture.

Lydia E. Pinkham herself did not live to see the great success of this work. She passed to her reward years ago, but not till she had provided means for continuing her work as effectively as she could have done it herself.

During her long and eventful experience she was ever methodical in her work and she was always careful to preserve a record of every case that came to her attention. The case of every sick woman who applied to her for advice—among these were thousands—received careful study and the details, including symptoms, treatment and results were recorded for future reference, and to-day these records, together with hundreds of letters from grateful patients, are available to sick women the world over, and represent a vast collaboration of information regarding the treatment of woman's ills, which for authenticity and accuracy can hardly be equaled in any library in the world.

With Lydia E. Pinkham went her daughter-in-law, the present Mrs. Pinkham. She was carefully instructed in all her hard-won knowledge, and for years she assisted her in her vast correspondence.

To her hands naturally fell the direction of the work, when its originator passed away. For nearly twenty-five years she has continued it, and nothing in the work shows when the first Lydia E. Pinkham dropped her pen, and the present Mrs. Pinkham, now the mother of a large family, took it up. With woman assistants, some as capable as herself, the present Mrs. Pinkham continues this great work, and probably from the office of no other person have so many women been advised how to regain health. Sick women, this advice is "Yours for Health" freely given if you only wish to ask for it.

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Nov. 13th. 1904

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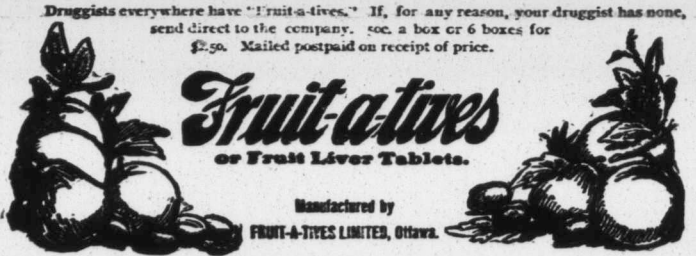
"Fruit-a-tives" also took away that severe pain in the kidneys.

No cathartic, purgative, pill, powder or salt will cure Constipation. "Fruit-a-tives" will. Cathartics and purgatives do not act on the liver. They irritate the lining of the bowels. This irritation does make the bowels move, but it so tires and inflames the muscles that they won't act again until irritated by another dose of purgative. Bile from the liver is the only thing that makes the bowels move naturally. "Fruit-a-tives" don't act on the bowels at all. They tone up and invigorate the liver—enable the liver to send more bile into the bowels—and make the liver so strong that it will do this regularly every day. And bile is nature's only purgative.

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It is nourishment and stimulant combined and concentrated.  
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We are now prepared to receive your wheat, and will guarantee you every satisfaction as to returns and quality of flour. Grain from a distance either by rail or water will have our special attention.  
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We will buy and pay cash for Farmers' Surplus Wheat and Buckwheat.

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A second class teacher for school District No. 7 Parish of Nelson.  
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Our make will suit you.  
Ask for them.  
Mince Meat.  
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## HARCOURT Social and Personal

Miss Agnes Perry school teacher at Beersville spent Sunday with friends here.  
Mr. Mervin English has been spending a few days at his home here.  
Mr. Rupert Lutes of New Mills is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Lutes.  
Miss May Howard of Coal Branch spent Sunday with her brother Mr. Walter Howard of this place.  
Mr. Aubrey Hetherington has been spending a few days at his home here.  
Miss Sadie Buckley who has been some time in Moncton returned to her home here on Thursday.  
Mrs. John Beattie of this place returned home Thursday after spending a couple of days in Amherst and Moncton.  
Mr. W. E. Lutes operator is spending a few days at his home.  
Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Buckley of Gloucester St. are spending at his home here.  
Mr. J. Lutes Day Agent here spent Saturday in Moncton.  
Mr. Frank Price of Rogersville was in town Saturday.  
Rev. H. Staver returned to this place on Saturday after spending a couple of weeks at his home in Prince Edward Island.

## A \$50,000 MONTREAL FIRE

Montreal, Feb. 27.—At 4 o'clock this morning fire broke out in the building known as Karn Hall, on St. Catherine street, between Metcalf and Peel streets, and the fire gained such headway that the interior of the building was very badly damaged, entailing a loss estimated roughly at \$50,000. Two stories on the ground floor were occupied by Novi-Modi Ladies ready made clothing company, and J. H. Superior dealer in musical instruments. The upper flats were occupied mostly as musical studios, business college and Karn concert hall.

## DEEP SEA ANIMALS.

How These Who Live Below All Vegetation Get Their Food.  
"Naturally the fish of the deep portions of the ocean are carnivorous, no vegetable life being found below 200 fathoms," writes W. S. Harwood in Harper's Magazine. "In the Atlantic ocean the vast Sargasso sea, containing 8,000,000 square miles of surface—a great marine prairie as large as the whole of the United States exclusive of Alaska and dependent islands—affords vegetable food for uncountable animals, which in their due time die and are precipitated to the depths, their bodies in turn to be eaten by the animals which live far below all vegetation. So it is throughout the whole ocean; animal life is constantly falling from the surface waters for the support of the animal life of the abyss. A very large number of the deep sea animals are exceedingly tenuous or translucent in form—so to put it—having no special organs of nutrition, but taking in their nourishment through the walls of their bodies, appropriating from the water the food which suits them. Some of them have a bony structure, a skeleton, which they form also from the water, silica and carbonate of lime being the chief skeleton forming materials."

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

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**CARTER'S LIVER PILLS.**  
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PURELY VEGETABLE.  
**CURE SICK HEADACHE.**

I noticed after you left the house this morning you went back again. Don't you know that's unlucky? Well, it would have been a good deal more unlucky for me if I hadn't gone back.

## D. MORRISON, M. P. P. ON BUDGET.

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only limited by their consciences, apparently some of them had none.  
**THE DEAF AND DUMB INVESTIGATION.**  
was another excuse for waste.  
In 1903, J. H. Barry had received as Commissioner \$2,026.35 in full; J. D. Phinney \$800 in full. A stenographer \$684.35 and witness fees cost \$1,170.95. Now in 1905 we had Mr. Phinney coming back and getting \$488.90 and for some reason A. G. Gregory got \$390. These two sums were paid by Order in Council without a voucher of any kind. It was not, he said fair to the Province to give away the peoples money without any explanation or receipt.

**THE HIGHWAY ACT.**  
The Premier had changed his time with reference to this measure and now admitted he was willing to take advice and suggestions. It would be well to do so for there is not one man in ten but will condemn the Act.  
I have always agreed with the stand this Government has taken in regard to provincial rights. Why not apply to the same principle to Municipalities which are better qualified, being always in touch with their constituting in each parish to appoint superintendents.

There is another reason and that is the difficulty the department will have in getting good superintendents. These men are recommended by the County members and are bound to be political appointments. If, said he, you hand this Act over to the municipalities you may get it to work. The Councilors are the men to select the best men for superintendents. Municipalities should be allowed to spend the money which they raise. The Government had refused to give the money to the counties which had previously been given, by providing for it in the law and he was fearful that the Government intended to withdraw all their grants. The Chief Commissioner in his report says that many of the Superintendents report that they will have enough money from taxes to cover the cost of keeping the roads in repair and assist in keeping up the small bridges. Years ago we had money from current revenue to put on the roads and bridges, but now they are putting it somewhere else to pay interests or to pay some of our hungry lawyers.

Mr. Morrison referred to some of the peculiar ways the Government had of dealing with the road administration. He was surprised to learn that out of all the Superintendents appointed in Northumberland one only had made a return before the 31st of October representing an expenditure amounting to \$350.00.  
From an enquiry made he was informed by the commissioner that there was \$600 expended in 1905 besides this amount, yet we have not a return for one dollar of this expenditure.  
He had thought his County was alone in this respect but from enquiry made he found the same unbusinesslike system applied more or less to other counties, that the large sum of \$54,000 was expended on the roads in 1905 that does not appear at all in the accounts of the past year but is borrowed from the banks and will be a charge against the Province in 1906 for this service.

This is a vicious system of book keeping and would not be tolerated by any business house. It shows to what extremes the Government is put to help cover up a large deficit and is on a par with the Attorney General method in changing the major portion of his commission for collecting succession duties after the end of the fiscal year, notwithstanding they were due before that and should properly appear in the account of 1905.

Mr. Morrison also referred to the new lumber policy of the Government foreshadowed in the Premier's remarks. He would support any lumber policy having for its object the conserving of, of our lumber lands which did not add a too heavy burden on our operators engaged in this, the largest industry in his county. He would wait with some interest for the details of the new policy before pledging himself to support it.

He closed his speech by pledging his best efforts for a better administration of public affairs.

**Sore Throat and Coughs**  
A simple, effective and safe remedy for all throat irritations is found in  
**Crescogene Antiseptic Tablets**  
They combine the germicidal value of Crescogene with the soothing properties of slippery elm and licorice.  
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means merit. No house would offer to refund money, unless they were sure you would not want to have it refunded. When a house with a well-earned reputation says, "your money back if you are not satisfied with our goods," you may be sure the goods are right.  
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That is why we make this emphatic offer. It's worth \$100 to be relieved of the agonizing pains—its worth \$1 or even \$2.50 to be completely cured. And we refund the price if they fail. You certainly get your money's worth either way. See box for \$2.50, at druggists or direct from  
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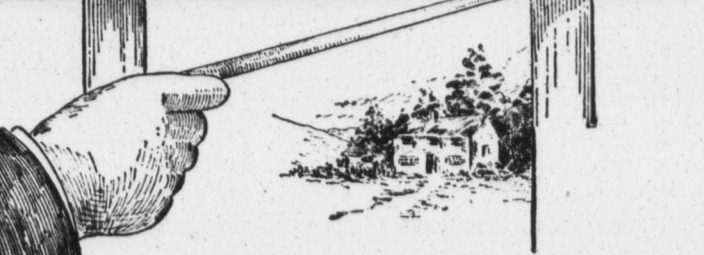
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During this month I will ship to schools in N. B., N. S. and P. E. I. the best Maps, Globes, Desks and Blackboards, Etc., Made in Canada, at cost to advertise their merits. Also I will allow Trustees 2 months to pay, because of vacation.  
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If every home in Canada had this sign there would be far less sickness and disease and home would be a happier and brighter place than it sometimes is.  
**PSYCHINE** can help every member of the household.  
Mother worn out with her daily toil and complaining of Lassitude, Weakness, No Appetite, Dyspepsia and Decline.  
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The Children with their innumerable little ailments.  
All these can be cured by **PSYCHINE** and when, through neglect some serious illness visits the home, such as Pneumonia, Pleurisy, Bronchitis, Consumption, La Grippe, etc. then is **PSYCHINE** just as valuable.  
Purchase a bottle of **PSYCHINE** this winter and you will be surprised to find how much suffering it will relieve and how much money it will save you.  
**PSYCHINE (pronounced Si-keen)**  
The Greatest of all Tonics  
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## Local and General News

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

## St. Patrick's Day.

The St. Mary's church choir, Newcastle, assisted by several well-known amateurs will on the 16th and 17th inst. have the annual St. Patrick's Day celebration in the Opera House, a principal feature of which will be the staging of the popular Opera "Alvin Kreyer the Sailor's Return." This Opera, wherever played, has elicited bursts of applause. On Saturday night a special train will run to and from Indian town at excursion rates. For additional details see posters and the advertisement of next week.

See advertisement for bargains in shirt waists at the Ladies Store.

Douglas town people were shocked on Wednesday last to learn of the sudden death of Miss Mary Morrison.

You can fit your little boy out without any trouble, at McMurdo's. All kinds of suits and prices to choose from.

The Advocate learns that an effort is being made to hold a public meeting here previous to the civic election, probably Friday evening, April 13th.

Cold or Rubbers? We have the rubbers and you can secure the cold by going without them. We handle only rubbers with a reputation.—D. R. McRAE & CO.

Our mechanic's shoes are made according to our own ideas of how a thoroughly good mechanic's shoe should be made. To know them is to wear them.—D. R. McRAE & CO.

Eggs: fresh stock have been selling in St. John as low as 15 cents a dozen, 15 cents being the top figure for choice stock. Last week's prices in Moncton ranged from 17 to 20 cents.

Rev. J. D. Murray, of Baieville, underwent a very critical operation at the Moncton Hospital Saturday morning. At the latest accounts he was rallying nicely. The operation was performed by Dr. Ross assisted by Drs. Myers and Harris.—Transcript.

At the annual meeting of the J. D. Creighton Co. at Moncton on Friday, P. S. Archibald, J. D. Creighton, J. W. Y. Smith and Howard McKendry were elected directors. Mr. Creighton was re-elected president and managing director and Mr. McKendry secretary-treasurer.

It will be difficult to specify which of the twenty odd articles in the March issue of The Bay Man's Magazine is of most interest. From the capital character sketch of Mr. Frederic Nicholls, who has done so much to promote Canadian industry, to the amusing monograph on his seventieth birthday by the prince of humorists, Mark, there is not a dull page in the number. All classes of people are catered to in its contents.

The death of Mrs. Emma Miller, widow of Samuel Miller, of Bathurst, occurred at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Gatain, on Thursday morning. The deceased lady was born in Banquo, Ireland, 78 years ago, came to St. John with her parents when only four years of age, and for the last fifty three years has made Bathurst her home. Three brothers, John and Henry, of Boston, William and one sister of St. John, survive, besides two sons, Samuel T. and John, of Bathurst; two daughters Mrs. Cabot of New York and Mrs. Annie Gatain, of Bathurst.

Baron & Bailey are negotiating with E. Tiffin, general traffic manager, and John M. Lyons, general passenger agent of the I. C. R., for a tour of their circuit over the I. C. R. The lower provinces are probably the only well populated sections of America or Europe that have not been visited by Baron & Bailey, the principal reason being the extremely long trip necessary to reach St. John and the long return trip to Montreal. However, the contract for the transportation of the eighty car-compelling the Baron & Bailey special train will probably be signed within the next few days.

Monday evening February 26th was "Social night" at St. James' Guild, and one of the most pleasant evenings of the season was spent by the members. The following program was carried out:—Reading Mrs. T. A. McLean, Solo—Rev. Henry Arnott, Reading—Miss Agnes Corbett, Duet—Rev. H. Arnott, and A. E. Shaw, Reading—Miss Fleming, Solo—Miss Williamson, Solo—Miss M. Elliott, Gramophone selections. After the program refreshments were served bringing to a most enjoyable entertainment. Mrs. C. Hubbard, treasurer of the social committee, and her staff of assistants are to be congratulated on the success of the evening. On Monday evening March 10th the Rev. Frank Pater will deliver a lecture in the school room on behalf of the "Gull" Association. A small hall will be used for the purpose.

Bors pants just opened up at McMurdo's.

The Maritime express was one hour late Monday morning.

Men's new spring hats and furnishings at Creighton's.

The February standing of the school pupils will appear next week.

A slight increase in railway fares on the I. C. R. went into effect last Thursday.

Enlargement sale at Creighton's store enlarged to double the space. Come, you are sure to see bargains.

The worst storm of the season commenced Saturday evening and continued until Sunday night. A large quantity of snow fell.

Rev. W. W. Rainnie has received a call from the Presbyterian church Millerton, and will probably accept it instead of the Douglas town call.

Rev. Richard Opie has received unanimous invitation to return to the Bathurst circuit for the third year. The invitation was accepted subject to the action of the conference.

The concert by the Redden Family in the Opera House last Tuesday drew a full house. The Redden Family, assisted by some local talent rendered a programme of much merit and each member received merited applause.

The final meeting of the creditors of the estate of W. C. Cunningham of Doucetown who assigned to Sheriff O'Brien recently, was held Wednesday afternoon. Sheriff O'Brien presented his report, and a dividend of 40 odd cents on the dollar was declared. The liabilities of the estate amounted to \$8,000, and the assets about \$5,000.

Buy your clothing at McMurdo's; the prices are right the assortment large, the goods well made and trimmed.

The Chatham Board of Health received a despatch from Dr. Fisher, Thursday morning, to look out for John Savage, Patrick Anderson and Wm. Flieger, who had escaped from a quarantine camp in King's County. Mr. Strang immediately located Savage at the residence of his father, Mr. Timothy Savage, and Anderson at the residence of his father-in-law, Mr. Patrick McGinnis, and quarantined both houses.

A city wholesale liquor dealer, speaking yesterday concerning the proposed new liquor license amendments, said he thought it quite probable that action by the local wholesale liquor merchants and brewers will be taken. Under the lately introduced law, he said, the local liquor merchants would be almost completely barred from doing business in seven counties of this province, and that the merchants in the other provinces would be favored at the expense of the New Brunswick dealers. A delegation is to be sent to Fredericton.—St. John Telegraph.

Ladies' latest style fall coat and furs, a few left over at half price.—At Creighton's.

**A GUARANTEED CURE FOR PILES**  
Fitching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Druggists are authorized to refund money if PAIN OINTMENT fails to cure in 10 to 14 days.—50c.

## DIED.

At Chelmsford on Feb. 25th of Bronchitis Loretta Mary, aged 1 year and two months only child of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Harrigan.

At Chelmsford March 4th, after a lingering illness Pearl Harper, aged 90 years.

At Newcastle Feb. 23rd after a brief illness, Mr. Wm. Rust aged 83 years a native of Dundee Scotland, leaving a widow and one daughter to mourn the loss of an affectionate husband and father.

## BORN.

At Chelmsford on Feb. 25th, to Mr. and Mrs. James Palmer, a son.

When you see a  
**MORSE'S TEA Adv.**  
doesn't it seem like  
shaking hands with an  
old friend?

It does if you're a  
Morse's Tea user.

## Social Personal.

Miss Dora Humphrey is visiting friends in Moncton.

Mrs. C. W. J. Upham of Sussex was in town last week.

G. L. McIntyre of Sussex spent Sunday at the Waverly.

Mrs. I. DeBoo is visiting friends in Sussex and St. John.

N. W. Lattier of the Canada Paper Co. was in town Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Stables returned from Moncton on Saturday.

Sheriff and Mrs. O'Brien of Nelson spent last week in St. John.

W. A. Park, Esq., was registered at the Royal, St. John, on Saturday.

T. W. Crocker, Esq., was in Moncton last week, arriving home on Friday.

M. Woodside Doran of Nelson entered the Royal Bank of Canada last week.

Mr. R. N. Weeks and Miss Weeks of Millerton spent Wednesday in town.

Mr. Allan Loggie of the Royal Bank here has been transferred to St. John.

James Robinson, Esq., of Derby, was registered at the Royal, St. John, on Saturday.

Electrician Follansbee's many friends are glad to see him about again after his recent illness.

Mrs. Chas. Sargeant of Nelson, was hostess at a delightful five o'clock tea on Monday.

Miss Florence Hickson returned on Friday from a visit to friends in Montreal and Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Buckley and daughter Gertrude, of Rogersville, spent Sunday in Moncton.

Mr. Vincent representing Manchester, Robertson & Allison, St. John, spent Sunday in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheagren of South Lake, Miramichi, are visiting their son, I. E. Sheagren Woodstock.

O. N. Brown, Esq., who is taking a course in Manual training in Fredericton, spent Sunday at home.

Miss Mamie Murray who is attending St. Mary's Convent was visiting at her home in Richibucto last week.

Vancouver World, 20th: Messrs. F. M. and L. L. Tweedie, who are interested in up country mining, left for St. John this morning via the C. P. R.

Rev. H. E. Thomas of Moncton, who delivered a lecture in the Opera House on Sunday was a guest at the home of Rev. H. and Mrs. Johnston while in town.

Mr. Robert Archibald of Amherst N. S. is visiting Mrs. J. S. Lewis. Mrs. Archibald's husband has just recently been appointed manager for the Eastern Coal Co. at Macan, N. S. a concern owned and to be operated by Toronto capitalists.

A thick growth of whiskies will keep away colds.

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

**Property For Sale.**  
The house and property at present occupied by Burton Somers, Newcastle. Lot contains one acre, situated about a mile from town.  
For terms and particulars, apply to BURTON SOMERS, Newcastle.

**Lost, Strayed, Or Stolen.**  
A fox terrier pup, strayed from home on Saturday. Finder will confer a favor by returning to H. TAYLOR, Newcastle.

**DRESSMAKING.**  
Miss S. Ryan wishes to announce to the public that she has rented rooms in the Park building, and is now prepared to do all kinds of work in the line of dressmaking. 23-1 wk—pt.

Save your 1907 Calendar orders for us. We are getting our samples in order and our representative will call on all shortly. Drop us a card if you desire anything in this line.

## LOST

Between Newcastle and Edward Sinclair Lumber Co. a horse's leather neck strap. Finder please return to office of the above.

## WANTED.

Two girl apprentices to learn the dress-making trade. Apply to MRS. J. D. PAULIN.

**WANTED AT ONCE**—A good upstairs girl and a good kitchen girl who can do plain cooking. Apply at once to ALBERT HOUSE, 15th. Chatham.

## ORGANIST WANTED.

Organist wanted for St. James' Presbyterian church, Newcastle after April 1st 1906. Apply for further particulars, stating salary to A. E. SHAW, NEWCASTLE 20-11.

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## More Bargains.

This week we intend offering the balance of our winter stock which we previously advertised and a few more lines at reduced prices.

**CAPS.** Our spring caps are coming in and we will offer our present stock at cut prices.

**FELT BOOTS.** Next season these goods will be higher in price, buy now. We have all sizes in Men's, Ladies and Misses.

**Buckskin Moccasins, Larrigans and Snowshoes.** Only a few pairs left and they must go.

**OVERSOX.** Stream drivers will need them. You will find this a good opportunity to get a pair cheap.

**BLANKETS** in White and Grey.

**SHAWLS** in plain and fancy plaids.

Quilts, Wool Sleigh Wraps, Eiderdowns, Tams, Hoods, Toques, Golf Jackets, Wool Clouds, Fascinators.

Camp blanketing, Sheepskin Coats, Mackinaw Jumpers, Legging, Yarns, Flannels, Wrapperettes, Homespuns, etc., etc.

## JOHN FERGUSON.

Lounsbury Block.

Telephone No. 10.

Newcastle, N. B.

## AT McLEOD'S

Fashionable Tailoring Establishment.

We have now a full line in Black and Blue Clay and Tyke Serges. Fancy Tweed Suitings in great variety. Beautiful Panting. Overcoatings in black, blue and fancy. In fact our stock in all lines is the best in the market for fall and winter. We will make them up in the latest styles and at pretty low prices for such goods.

Come early and look them over and get satisfied.

## SIMEON McLEOD,

Carter Block.

## Stoves, Ranges, Furnaces.

To the Public:—By this ad. my aim is to let the general public know that I am keeping a **FIRST CLASS LINE OF STOVES**, and also a complete line of Tinshop Goods.

Never before in the history of Range making has the Public been offered a Range so complete in every detail as the **OXFORD CHANCELLOR** a Steel Range made by the Gurney Foundry Co., which is the oldest and largest stove foundry in Canada. This Range has the largest Fire Box of any Range made. It takes a large stick, 30 inches long, has a Copper Reservoir next the fire box holding 12 gallons. As a baker it cannot fail to give satisfaction. I might also mention the **ENTERPRISE MONARCH** which is a trade winner. This range is the most elaborate and highest class cooking apparatus in the Dominion, and offered at a price within reach of all. Many other cook stoves always on hand which are not the run of one foundry only but are a **SELECTION OF THE BEST STOVES** of different Foundries. Be sure you see my line before buying elsewhere.

I also keep a complete line of **KITCHEN FURNISHINGS** always in stock.

My Tinware and Granite ware is of the best quality and every article guaranteed.

Jobbing work of every description promptly attended to.

Metal Ceilings furnished in many beautiful designs and colors.

Stove repairing promptly done, a large assortment of stove repairs always on hand, for Sackville, Amherst and Moncton Foundry Stoves.

**FURNACE WORK:** Estimates for heating private houses, schools churches, etc., furnished on application.

Reliable Goods at Reasonable Prices.

Call and be convinced.

**B. F. MALTBY,** Opposite Waverly Hotel.

THE POLICY WHICH  
Fireman John E. Murphy

**WON** at the Firemen's Sports recently is issued by The Imperial Guarantee and Accident Company of Canada, (subscribed capital one million dollars), and will pay him or his heirs

**\$1,000.00** in case of **ACCIDENTAL DEATH.**

**1,000.00** for Loss of Sight of Both Eyes.

**1,000.00** for Loss of Both Hands.

**1,000.00** for Loss of Both Feet.

**1,000.00** for Loss of One Hand and One Foot.

**1,000.00** for Loss of One Eye and One Hand or One Foot.

**500.00** for Loss of One Foot.

**500.00** for Loss of One Hand.

**333.33** for Loss of One Eye.

**500.00** for Permanent Disablement.

**5.00** per week in case of Total Loss of Time for 52 weeks.

**2.00** per week in case of Partial Loss of Time for 52 weeks.

If any of the above losses occur while Mr. Murphy is riding as a passenger in or on a passenger conveyance propelled by steam, electricity, compressed air, gasoline, naphtha, or cable—or while on a passenger elevator—or while in a burning building

**Double the Amount will be Paid.**

If Mr. Murphy is sick with any one of Thirty Diseases named in Policy, he will receive \$5.00 per week, with \$2.50 per week while convalescing, for 26 weeks; and if he should lose his eyesight by disease, or suffer total paralysis of two feet, two hands, or one hand and one foot, by disease

**He will Receive \$500.00 in One Sum.**

Now, isn't that a good Policy? And it costs so little that

**Everybody Can Afford to Have One.**

Special Combination Policy issued to select and Preferred Class Risks.

## Everything in Insurance.

A talk with me on Insurance matters will cost you nothing, and I shall be most happy to give any information you may require. A postal will bring me to you.

Ernest Scott Peacock,

Law Chambers, Chatham, N. B.

## If You Knew