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Town Council Regular Meeting Thursday Night

Much Discussion on Matter of Commission Government—On Vote Being Taken, Motion Carried.

Newcastle Town Council met in regular monthly session on the 21st instant, Mayor Morrissey in the chair. Aldermen present: Doyle, Kethro, Mackay, McCabe, McGrath, Sargent and Stohart.

Ald. Mackay reported that the Park and Fire committee wished to purchase 500 feet more hose, and he asked for permission to lay the same. Permission was granted on motion of Ald. Doyle and Kethro.

Following Light & Water bills passed: Inverness Ry. & Coal Co., \$77.31; Can. Gas Elec. Co., \$78.94.

Chief of Police W. O. Chamberlain made following report for December: No. of Street Act violations, none; Police Court—16 cases for drunkenness, 6 fines paid, 4 fines allowed to stand, amount collected \$48; magistrates' court, \$20; balance \$18.

Report was received and ordered filed.

Ald. Stohart reported that the Finance Committee were not ready to report on the Police Magistrate's report. The committee were given an extension of time.

It was moved by Ald. Doyle, seconded by Ald. Stohart, that the Mayor and Town Clerk be authorized to have a bill prepared for presentation to the Legislature at its next session, asking that the Town's Incorporation Act, in so far as it applies to the Town of Newcastle be amended so as to reduce the number of Aldermen for the Town from eight to four, and to have the Mayor and two Aldermen elected annually.

The vote was first taken without discussion.

Yeas—Ald. Doyle, Sargent, Stohart.

Nays—Ald. Kethro, McCabe, McGrath.

Not voting—Ald. Mackay.

The Mayor said that when a division was called every alderman had to vote. The Town Clerk, being appointed to make the same decision.

Ald. Mackay said that he wanted the Board kept at 8 members but the Mayor and 4 aldermen elected annually. He had moved thus at a previous meeting.

Ald. Kethro thought that Ald. Mackay should vote nay on the motion and then bring in his amendment as a new motion.

The Mayor agreed that this could be done.

Ald. McGrath wanted to know if Ald. Mackay wanted commission government. Every Aldermanic board in the province except in St. John, where the government was of the commission form with a Mayor and four Aldermen with salaries paid, consisted of 8 Aldermen and a Mayor. He strongly favored 8 members. In a small body discussion could be more easily shut off and doubtful transactions could be more easily rushed through without being noticed. A large council insured more discussion, more criticism, thereby rendering the procedure more safe for the public interest.

The second vote was called, and the six aldermen stood up as before, but Ald. Mackay hesitated. He wanted the matter held over, but the Mayor ruled that, as it had already gone to a vote, though it was decided because one alderman had not voted, it now must be voted upon, and every alderman had to vote. It was too late for an amendment at this stage.

He advised Ald. Mackay that his only reasonable course, seeing that he was not in favor of the motion, was to vote against it and then bring in his own idea. He himself was in favor of some such change.

Ald. Sargent wanted a change. Ald. Doyle said he did not want to force his motion upon the Council. Under the present system of election the whole Council might be changed each year. As soon as a man begins to get acquainted with his department he was liable to be defeated and a brand new man would step in a committee of three was too cumbersome. It was too much trouble for the citizens to have to consult two others about the least little things.

And the committee did not always agree with each other. It was also hard to get three good men to serve on the Board. He thought the number should be reduced, and by a two year term it is insured that one-half of each Council should be experienced men who had been in office the year before.

Ald. Mackay concluded that, since he could not amend the motion, he would vote for it, and the motion carried 4 to 3, after Ald. McGrath had made another strong protest against it.

Further Proof of Mr. Read's Good Standing

Official Visit From Inspector Evans Removes all Doubt—Large Negotiations Being Carried On.

It will be remembered that a few weeks ago The Advocate published a letter written by Mr. L. G. Read, in which he properly denounced the originators of a rumor which falsely associated his name with the German espionage system. We said then—as we say now—that Mr. Read's coming here has been a decided benefit to the community, in the business he has brought and is bringing, and while we feel that it is a sacrifice of dignity to take any further notice of such a mean rumor we are authorized by Mr. Read to say that he has had Mr. Evans, an official inspector, visit him and satisfy himself that there are no wireless apparatus or high tension or other strange things about

Mr. Read's home. And as Mr. Evans called at this office, after his very pleasant visit to Mr. Read, he only confirmed our own opinion that the rumor was pure nonsense.

Some very large negotiations are just now being carried on by Mr. Read, which if successful, will mean a good deal for Newcastle, in that one of the largest of British concerns will locate a branch here and as several of our most prominent citizens are familiar with what Mr. Read is doing in this matter, we think to use Mr. Read's words—that "the slander-mongers" had better turn their attention in some other direction, or, better still, turn their minds to some higher and lazier purpose.

British Officers Have Hard Time to Understand Canadians

London, Jan. 22.—The Canadian army is thoroughly American. Not only does it use American slang, sing American songs, and use emphatic American cuss words, but the spirit of the man is American and independent. It is because of this fact that the Canadians have been held in Salisbury Plain. This is best shown by a quarrel overheard between an English Major and a Canadian fellow officer.

"It was terrible," the English Major declared, "the way you Canadians came into London. Your officers and privates gathered together in groups of five or six, because of their many different

QUEEN MARY'S NEW YEAR'S GIFT

Every woman in Canada has been asked to give a donation to this gift. The list comprises all Soldiers' and Hospital Supplies and clothing for refugee children and waifs.

The Red Cross Society of Newcastle are making a special appeal for the Belgian Children from infants to twelve years of age. The gifts which are to be new are asked to be wrapped and marked with the donor's name and contents, and sent to any one of the following committees not later than Tuesday Feb. 2nd.

MISS DAVIDSON,
MRS. O. NICHOLSON,
MRS. E. H. SINCLAIR,
MRS. R. WALDO CROCKER,
MRS. G. GILMOUR STOHART.

Councillors Enjoyed Warden's Hospitality

Informal Dinner at Hotel Miramichi Was Most Pleasantly Enjoyed—The Speeches

Warden Frank D. Swim, M. L. A., entertained the County Councillors, Chief County Officials, and others, at an informal dinner party, at Hotel Miramichi, on the evening of the 26th instant. J. W. Vanderbeck, the general councillor of Derby, was chairman and musical director, being well qualified for both positions. Besides himself on the guitar, there were with him in the orchestra Thomas Stewart of the cornet and guitar, Lawrence MacIver, the clarinetist, and E. H. Gillis, the tuba player. Plans for the famous Amateur Players' Plan, W. J. Jardine, Ald. S. W. Miller, and Mr. Foxworth of Amherst, greatly assisted by rendering solos during the evening, and Mr. Blaudel showed himself as efficient in vocal as in instrumental music. Mr. Vanderbeck played and sang his own song, "The Canada Eastern Railway" a very clever parody introducing the names of prominent railway officials and local politicians in such a way as to be perfectly clear to all residents of the Miramichi and to being down the house regardless of political affiliations. Later in the evening Councillor of Chatham, and Councillor Gillis took the floor and gave fine exhibitions of time stretching. The speeches were opened and closed with God Save the King, and numerous patriotic pieces were among the songs rendered during the evening.

The speakers were E. A. McCurdy, manager of the Royal Bank; Hon. D. Morrison; Sec-treas. E. P. Whittier; Warden Swim; Ex-Ald. H. H. Stuart of Newcastle; the chairman; W. J. Jardine, manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia; W. C. Harvey of Halifax, Inspector of Royal Bank; Coun. Jas. Gillis and Ald. S. W. Miller of Newcastle.

Mr. McCurdy congratulated the town and county on the new bridge, which was a credit to both and greatly help the business of both, on the Wireless Station which has put both of them in communication direct with the British with the other on the one hand and San Francisco on the other; on the new Court House; on the great increase during the last decade in the county's population, and generally on the prosperous state of its industries. There was no cause for any pessimism, but every reason for congratulation.

Hon. Donald Morrison spoke in the same strain and said no banker need fear to discount any New Brunswick or Northumberland drafts. Our great industry—lumber—never closes.

Mr. Williston, who was a member of Northumberland's first council, in 1876, congratulated the county on the new court house. Northumberland had had the first county record office, built in 1846 and now had the finest county building in the province.

Coun. Vanderbeck congratulated the county upon Mr. Williston's saving it from being in debt \$1700 on account of smallpox bills. Mr. Williston was most valuable official.

Coun. G. P. Burchill excused himself from making a speech.

Warden Swim spoke of the long efforts in getting a new court house, but when they did get one it was a good one. The building committee—Couns. Burchill, Connors and himself—had striven to get the best possible building for the money, and he thought they had succeeded. He explained that the dinner he was giving was informal, as the great need of the Belgians was a reason against any elaborate display.

Mr. Stewart spoke of the comparative safety of the Maritime Provinces in general and of this county in particular, because of their many different

means of livelihood—farming, lumbering, fishing and manufacturing. He believed this country would come better equipped for our assessment and other laws was needed, greater care in selecting and more faithfulness on the part of the public servants, and a greater equality of opportunity for all classes. If these could be obtained the country would be bound to go ahead.

Coun. Vanderbeck said that while all our people would give liberally to patriotic or any other funds, they had to pay taxes. This county had already given fully \$20,000 to the new funds necessitated by the war, but they would not be likely to take kindly to any extra tax.

Mr. Jardine acted that business was going on as usual in spite of the war. The County's gift of \$500 to the patriotic fund was good, he urged the claims of that fund upon all.

Mr. Harvey spoke warmly of New Brunswick's great progress. One-third of New Brunswick's \$5,000,000 worth of lumber shipments came from this county. It was a permanent asset. There was no part of Canada where business was safer than in the Maritime Provinces, which were undoubtedly the most prosperous part of the Dominion. Newcastle was a credit to the county. Mr. Williston said that the hotel was a credit to the town. He congratulated the county on having such a council.

Coun. Gillis, the grandson of Duffy Gillis, the old loyalist celebrity of the Northwest Miramichi of a century ago, spoke of old times in this county and of the notorious Northumberland deal.

Ald. Miller said he had been the first to move for a new Court House, in the County Council. He had been laughed at for several years—but now we had the Court House. He pleaded for unity in the county.

KNOX CHURCH ANNUAL MEETING

Annual Meeting of Knox Church, Loggieville, Congregation Wednesday Evening

Loggieville, Jan. 25.—The congregation of Knox Presbyterian church held its annual rockings on Wednesday evening of last week in the Sunday School hall. Rev. D. Henderson of Chatham was chairman of the meeting, and W. W. Herlihy acted as Secretary. Reports from the societies in connection with the church, and also the report of the church work in general showed that the financial standing of the congregation never was better. On the current expenses a good balance was found on the right side. The debt on the church building fund was completely wiped out during the year. The total amount raised for all purposes during 1914 was \$3053.98. The societies actively at work for two years were: Sunday School, Ladies' Aid, Mission Band, Swastika Club, Excelsior Club, Presbyterian Guild, Junior Club, Women's Missionary Society. All the above mentioned handed in excellent reports, which show that the work is advancing.

The following are the church managers for 1915:

Robert Loggie, chairman; David Russell, Geo. W. Loggie, J. W. S. Bubbick, Will Herlihy, Secy; Robert McDonald, Algar Baker, James McLean, John R. Johnston, Geo. Lewis, Stanley Simpson, W. G. Loggie, Treas.

The usher's are: Roy Whyte and Wesley Dempsey. The auditors William Archer, Jr., A. H. McKay. The Presbyterians here have recently extended a call to Rev. B. R. Rosborough, B. A., of Mulgrave, N. S. The stipend offered is \$1100.00 and the use of the Manse. If the congregation here is successful in securing Mr. Rosborough's services the outlook for the future is bright and encouraging.

Rev. Mr. MacArthur favored the motion.

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W. A. Park replied that the Executive members from each parish could meet together and arrange among themselves. Blackville might have 5 or 7 members on the Central Committee.

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Rev. Dr. Harrison—That would imply calling public meetings in each parish.

Mr. McCurdy—Yes: Let each Parish look after its own local organization.

Motion Carried.

At suggestion of Mr. Bate, it was decided to add all Parish clergymen to the Executive.

The members to be added to the Central Executive were then nominated, the Parish representatives being as follows:

Ludlow Parish, Couns. A. C. Avery and Arthur O'Donnell; Rev. Geo. W. Tully, J. H. Richards, Bolesdown; Wm. Brown, Paisley P. O.; J. H. Pond, Ludlow; John McAleer, McNamee; Ambrose Holt, Pleasant Ridge; Rev. Henry Waterton, Doaktown.

Blissfield—Couns. F. D. Swim and J. C. Weaver, Rev. Mr. Lewis, Wm. Whyte, C. B. Betts, Wm. Cumming, Alex. Storey, Doaktown; Theo. Cowie, Moan; Zachariah Gillis, John A. McDonald, Blissfield.

Blackville—Couns. Geo. Hay and D. G. Schofield; Bert Donalds, Dunphy; Herbert Morehouse, Rev. A. K. Dunlop, Morehouse; Rev. Fathers Murdoch and Scindon, Renous; Rev. M. Beaton, Rev. Fathers Crombly and Thibeau, Blackville.

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North Esk—Couns. Alfred Sinclair, and M. O'Shaughnessy; John McColm, North Esk Boom; P. A. Fosythe, Whitneyville; David Sherrard, Boom Road; Wm. I. Murphy, John S. Mullis, Ekmore; Wm. Dunnett, John Copp, Trout Brook; Joseph Sobey, Protectionville; and Paul Kingston Wayerton.

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Mrs. O'Grady is survived by two sons and five daughters. The sons are James of Great Works, Maine, John of Orono, Maine, the daughters: Mrs. B. Pierce, Orono, Maine, Mrs. J. McDermott, Ballernea, Mass., Mrs. Thomas McDermott, Orono, Maine, Mrs. Mary DeCoursey, Sussex, N. B. and Mrs. C. O'Leary of Emerson. Besides she is survived by 34 grandchildren and forty great-grandchildren.

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Patriotic Committees Meet Councillors

Many Parish Representatives Added to Executive and Steps Taken to Organize Whole District.

The Executive, Finance and Relief Committees, upon call of the President, met with the County Councillors of the parishes wishing to be included in Newcastle Patriotic District, Friday evening, January 22nd.

There were present: C. J. Morrissey, President; R. L. Maltby, Ist. V. P.; H. H. Stuart, Sec.; Rev. S. J. MacArthur, Sec. Relief Committee; Revs. W. J. Bate, P. W. Dixon and Wm. Harrison; W. A. Park and E. A. McCurdy of the Finance Committee; J. D. Buckley and Ald. S. W. Miller; also the Councillors from Ludlow, Blissfield, Blackville, Derby, North Esk and South Esk parishes.

It was moved by W. A. Park and seconded by R. L. Maltby, that the Executive Committee be increased by adding thereto the Councillors of the parishes under the Newcastle Branch to either with three or more residents from each of the said parishes.

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PERSONAL

J. D. Creghan was in Moncton on Saturday.

Miss Mary Lawlor is visiting friends in Dalhousie.

G. B. MacCallum, of Moncton, was a visitor to town on Saturday.

The Misses Kathleen and Margaret McGowan are visiting in Boston.

Mr. William McGrath of Petit Rocher spent Sunday at his home here.

F. C. Hibbert of the Bank of Nova Scotia, was visiting friends in Fredericton.

Miss Florence Price is the guest of Miss Birdie Barry of Blackville.

Mrs. Arthur Metcalfe of Moncton is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sinclair have gone to California where they will spend the next three months.

Mr. F. P. Gutelius, General Manager of the I. R. C., returned to Moncton on Saturday from his trip to the south.

Congratulations are being extended to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Brown on the arrival at their home of a son on Saturday, January 23rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ryan of Fredericton, are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby boy at their home on Wednesday morning.

The engagement is announced of Miss Carrie Sobey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sobey, of Protectionville, to Mr. Arnold Adams, of Strathadam.

County Council Session Closed on Friday

Coun. Gillis Brought up the Matter of an Overhead Crossing at N. W. Bridge—Much Other Business Transacted.

WEDNESDAY

Coun. Schofield reported from the Committee on Alms-house Accounts, recommending the following assessments:

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| Chatham | 500.00 |
| South Esk | 75.00 |
| Derby | 100.00 |
| Lawlor | 100.00 |
| Newcastle | 100.00 |
| Glenelg | 175.00 |
| Blackville | 200.00 |
| Rogersville | 150.00 |
| Nelson | 225.00 |
| Hardwicke | 275.00 |
| Blissfield | 200.00 |
| North Esk | 200.00 |
| Alawick | 150.00 |

The Committee on the accounts of the County Council for 1914, reported a balance of \$2 on hand.

On motion of Coun. Hurdhill the report was adopted.

Coun. Watling asked why it was that Glenelg had been charged so much more for lunatics than larger parishes were taxed.

Sec. Treasurer read the list of patients, including Frank Gillis.

Coun. Watling—He is in Chatham parish.

Sec. Treasurer—He is dead.

Coun. Watling said a relation of his had paid \$5 a week for his daughter, and yet it appears by this that they have taxed the parish for her.

Coun. Arsenau said Rogersville was asked to pay \$235, while it really had only two patients, there besides one whose father was paying for him. The father had paid \$25 and supplied two suits of clothes, as required by Dr. Anglin, and why should the parish be also required to pay him. It seemed to him that the Government was making the Council a mere paying machine, and every Council should kick against it. There was evidently more than one Flemming in the Legislature.

Coun. Vanderbeek—Did we not pass a resolution not to pay this tax?

Sec. Treasurer—Yes, but the Government kept it out of the Board of Health fund, and we have to refund it to the Board.

Coun. Vanderbeek—This is direct taxation to pay Flemming's salary, which in 1913 was \$6144.00. We should make the Government take this back—out the tail off this bill right behind the ears.

Coun. O'Shaughnessy—We have only one patient from North Esk, and yet we are charged for two.

Sec. Treasurer—You had two last year; one of them is dead.

Coun. O'Shaughnessy—Then why should we pay for the dead man this year?

Sec. Treasurer—I have made a mistake. North Esk should pay only \$130 instead of \$208.

Coun. O'Shaughnessy—Then I've saved the parish \$78.

Coun. Comors asked to be excused from acting on the Petitions Committee.

Coun. Vanderbeek—I move that he be excused.

Carried.

Coun. Fowle—I move that Coun. Watling be appointed to fill the vacancy.

Carried.

The Warden—The country is at war, the tramp of armed men is borne to our ears by every breeze, the County Council is sitting in this building, and yet the national flag is not flown from the building. I think we should fly our flag, and thereby show our loyalty to the Empire. The constable will please have the flag down this afternoon.

Constable Irving—There are no halliards and no flag.

On motion of Coun. Vanderbeek it was resolved that the Jail Committee be instructed to procure halliards and flag.

On motion of Coun. Benson,

Council adjourned till 2 o'clock.

Afternoon

The Warden read a writ that had been served on him, as Warden of the County, at the instance of Thos. Power, who claims that \$270 is due him, plus \$50 interest on a balance of wages for inspecting the work of construction of the County Court House.

Coun. Burchill said this claim had been referred to a committee at the last session, considered and allowed. He moved that a committee be appointed to consider and report what action should be taken on it.

Carried.

Committee—Anderson, Van derbeek, Doyle.

Coun. Schofield presented Blackville default list, and returns of Andrew Craig, Jas. Burchouse and Jas. Hayes (810) 74 lines, each with collectors of rates. Passed.

Coun. Gillis moved to memorialize the Minister of Railways in regard to the dangerous level crossing at N. W. bridge, and ask for an overhead crossing at that place.

Coun. Vanderbeek said the Government had promised to do this 32 years ago. In 1908, after some earth had been killed there, and there had been many narrow escapes, he had moved a similar resolution to this, and a similar one had been passed every year since then. A high official of the road had told him that the Council was no good. Why, instead of passing resolutions, did they not put their feet down? The Government would rather pay \$20,000 a year to some high official than 50 cents to protect the farmers from danger. They had better wake up before the next election. The Chief Engineer had promised Coun. Parker and himself to build the crossing.

Coun. Benson—The Railway made plans for the crossing, the County to close the two level crossings, and the Council has not closed them. Why not carry out the plans of the Railway engineer?

Sec. Treasurer said he had sent the resolution, passed last session, to Mr. Gutelius, and had received no reply.

Coun. Arsenau—The Government doesn't care to do anything to remedy bad crossings. Two men were killed at a crossing near Rogersville, and the officials had promised to do something. All they had done was to tear down a snowfence and a pile of sleepers.

Coun. Lavoie—I am told that a contract has been let for an overhead bridge at that place.

Coun. Parker—It was Coun. Vanderbeek's amendment to the resolution to close the level at the N. W. bridge that kept the Government from building an overhead crossing there.

Coun. Vanderbeek—That was three years ago. You can't get that off on me.

Coun. Benson—I move for a committee of three to look into this matter.

Carried.

Committee—Parker, Benson, Anderson.

Coun. O'Shaughnessy said the crossing at Jones' was even more dangerous than at the N. W. bridge, as the trains ran faster. He asked that a memorial be enlarged to include a subway at Jones'.

On motion of Coun. Vanderbeek the whole matter was postponed till 2 o'clock Thursday.

On motion of Coun. Anderson the following County Accounts were passed: Sec. Treasurer, filling school lists, \$47.10; J. F. Benson, advertising, \$11.25; Dr. Losier, certificate of lunacy, \$4; D. P. MacLachlan, revising, \$9; M. Bannon, jail, \$13.50; M. S.

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Coun. Comors said it was the duty of the Clerk of the Peace to advise collectors and other county officers in regard to their duties. He was paid for doing so.

Sec. Treasurer read the law on the subject. Widows, whose property was valued at less than \$1500, were exempted \$500 and \$100 more for every minor child in the family—from all except school taxes. Assessors should levy taxes on the owners of property. If they assessed an estate they would have to sell it if the taxes were not paid; they could not issue executions in such cases.

On motion of Coun. McNaughton the following Glenelg accounts passed: Malcolm Watling, col. of rates; Road Account, \$6.96 on hand; Jas. Hackett, supt. of roads; P. Whelan, \$1.50 for services in the last election and a resolution asking the Sec. Treasurer to take the necessary steps for recouping Glenelg for the amount that had been taken from the parish for the support of Frank Gillis in the asylum, as Gillis did not belong to Glenelg parish.

On motion of Coun. Gillis' South Esk accounts passed as follows: Dan'l Silliker, col. rates and road taxes; Wm. Hyland, col. rates; Geo. Sutherland, col. rates; John D. Goodfellow, supt. of roads; Road Account; list of parish officers.

On motion of Coun. Savoy the following Hardwicke returns passed: Israel Durrell, col. road taxes and rates; and list of parish officers.

Coun. Watling presented a petition in reference to the running at large of sheep in certain parts of Glenelg and had it referred to the Committee on Petitions.

Coun. Savoy moved that the returns of Alex. McDonald, col. of rates; the Hardwicke road account, \$35.05 on hand; and the Pauper Lunatic Account for his parish, \$4.39 on hand, pass. Carried.

Coun. Vanderbeek, in the name of the Warden, invited Councilors, reporters and county officers, to assemble at Hotel Miramichi, at 9 o'clock, and partake of supper, all guests being expected to make short speeches.

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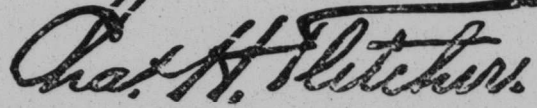
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COUNTY COUNCIL SESSION

CLOSED ON FRIDAY

Continued from page 2. The Warden said he hoped all would attend. It would be in the forenoon. He referred to Com. Vanderbeek to supply the matter.

On motion of Com. Anderson the following county accounts passed: Wm. Irving, prisoners' board, \$661.10.

Com. Arsenau—Since January or July? Com. Anderson—July.

Passing of county accounts resumed. Sec. Treasurer, Jury list: Dr. Desmond, viewing a body and attending jail patients, \$10.40; W. Irving, constable work, \$13.25; J. Jardine & Co., jail, \$3.35; Dickson & Troy, jail, \$2.05; Wm. Irving, cleaning jail, \$16.

Com. Connors, from the Finance Committee, reported a resolution authorizing the borrowing of \$6,000 as might be required for county exigencies. Adopted.

On motion of Com. Parker, adjourned till 10 a. m. Thursday.

THURSDAY

Com. Burchill—I notice that the bills for prisoner's board in the County jail, for the past year, amount to \$951.30. The cost was largely caused by prisoners from the two towns. It seems to me though I have not studied the question, that a prison farm, or some industry in which prisoners could be employed, ought to be established, to make prisoners work and thereby earn their board.

I suggest that a committee be appointed to see if such a scheme cannot be worked out on a paying basis.

Com. Arsenau—I had intended bringing this matter up, and wonder why it has not been done before. But it is not too late—it's never too late to do right.

There are two classes of men—namely, reckless and idle persons who don't care whether they are in jail or not, and the other class—industrious working men who have to devote part of their wages to pay the board of the reckless ones. The matter should be taken up with the Town Councils, to see if something cannot be done to make prisoners earn part of their board at least. I beg to second the motion.

Com. Watling—Most of the prisoners are from Chatham and Newcastle, whose Town Councils don't do their duty. We had a Christmas eve entertainment in Glenelg, and the number of drunken men who came from Chatham was ridiculous. I have to be taxed to support those fellows. I'd like to see something done to make them earn their grub.

Com. Harrigan—The jailer has to feed the prisoners and must be paid for it. I have noticed that several soldiers have been in prison for drunkenness, and I feel

Com. Doyle—It is time for a change. When we have to pay \$1000 a year for prisoners' board, it is time to think. But a prison farm would not defer men from getting drunk, and the proposal would have to be well considered in its financial bearings.

Mayor Morrissey—Legere, held by the military authorities, is a deserter from the garrison, is in jail by military authority.

Deputy Sheriff Irving—Legere is there now—has been there two weeks. Boney Coughlan was outside, doing some work for me, when Com. O'Shaughnessy saw him.

Com. Arsenau—There are drunkards in the country as well as in town. The thing to do now is to consider what is to be done.

Com. O'Donnell—it would be a good idea to enlarge the scope of the inquiry and see if a workshop of some kind cannot be established in which prisoners may be employed.

The resolution was adopted and the following committee appointed—Burchill, Arsenau, O'Donnell.

Com. Doyle reported from the Belgian Relief Committee. Of the \$1500 voted, 200 lbs. of flour, costing \$1190, which would cost \$1490 now, 120 bundles of dry codfish at \$5; and \$109 worth of hand-picked beans were bought. He need letters of acknowledgment and thanks for the goods.

Report received and papers filed.

Com. Burchill moved that the Sec. Treasurer send \$84, the day's pay that had been voted by the Council at the special session, to the Belgian Relief Fund.

Com. Allen moved in an amendment that the committee send the money.

The original motion carried. Com. Sinclair—Who is the legal adviser of the Council?

Com. Parker—The Clerk of the Peace.

Sec. Treasurer—You appoint your own legal adviser.

The Warden read the law on the subject, showing it to be the duty of that official to advise parish and county officers.

Com. Anderson—Then we have no legal adviser. Should we appoint one?

Com. O'Donnell—If we do we'll have to pay him.

Com. Burchill—Is there any legislative body that is supplied with a legal adviser?

Com. Connors—I have been here twenty years and the Clerk of the Peace has always been the legal adviser of this body. Mr. Thomson and Mr. Butler always attended to that duty. The Warden, if not satisfied, can get other advice in cases of suit.

On motion of Com. Anderson the following bills passed: W. J. Groat, horse hire, \$5; N. S. Leader, adv., \$4.75. Adjourned till 2 p. m.

Afternoon

On motion of Com. Connors the following passed: Wm. Johnston, road master, filed; J. L. Stewart, printing, \$11; to be charged to parish of Chatham; Sec. Treasurer account with Chatham; Chas. Grav, col. road tax; Parish Account; Pauper Lunatic Account; Alex. Campbell, col. of rates, default and road taxes; Thos. King, col. rates.

Com. Schofield's report from the Almshouse Committee was adopted.

Com. Schofield read a letter from Rev. Mr. Beaton, against the contemplated opening of a poolroom in Blackville. He moved a bylaw prohibiting the opening of such a place in that parish, seconded by Com. Hayes.

Mayor Morrissey supposed it did not apply to any society.

The bylaw was adopted.

On motion of Com. McNaughton, a list of parish officers for Glenelg passed.

On motion of Com. Parker the following Derby accounts passed: E. Allison, col. rates; Road accounts, \$495.07 on hand; list of parish officers.

On motion of Com. Avery, Ludlow parish officers were appointed, and the report of John S. Pond, supt. of roads, passed.

Com. Parker moved a resolution respecting the necessity of an overhead railway crossing at the N. W. bridge, urging on the railway management the closing of the dangerous level crossing, and

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making an overhead one, in default of which the county to appeal to the Railway Commissioners for redress. Adopted.

Com. O'Donnell moved that Theodore Pond, col. rates, Ludlow, whose returns are incomplete, be ordered to furnish a proper return next session. Carried.

The Warden said his attention had been called to the supposed fact that a building in Newcastle was on the public land, and he had referred it to the Land Committee. He read a letter from Mr. Murray, asking that the matter be brought up and attended to and proposing that a survey be made to see whether or not the Miller Brothers' building encroaches on public land.

Com. Burchill of the Land Committee said he had not heard of it.

On motion of Com. Connors the correspondence was referred to the Land Committee.

Com. Anderson moved that the bill of Dr. McGrath, \$10.80, that had been laid over, pass. Carried.

It regard to another bill of Dr. McGrath, for serum, the committee found that the patient was well able to pay and the county was not liable.

On motion of Com. Allen the Alwayick Road Account passed; return of W. A. Allain, sup. of roads, was filed; Parish Account passed; return of J. Burchill, Angus Fraser and Samuel Martin, col. of rates, passed; Pauper Lunatic account, showing debit balance of \$156, passed.

On motion of Com. Hayes, parish officers were appointed for Blackville, and the following passed: Parish Account; Road account, balance on hand \$76.49; Pauper Lunatic account, debit balance of \$78; assessment for lunatics, \$312, passed.

On motion of Com. Avery the following passed: Ludlow Parish Account; Pauper Lunatic account.

On motion of Com. O'Shaughnessy the following North Esk accounts passed: John Forsyth, James A. Matchett (\$16.45 due the collector), Hiram Harris and D. S. Gordon, col. of rates; assessment of \$130 for pauper lunatics; Road Account. There had been \$844.20 assessed on the

parish for roads, and it appeared that only \$126.32 had been used. What had become of the rest?

Sec. Treasurer—Write to the department for the supervisor's returns.

Com. O'Shaughnessy—I wrote ten days ago and have received no reply.

Com. Vanderbeek—Last year, out of the \$1200 for Derby, only \$655.52 appeared to have been expended. He had made inquiries of the department, and found that of \$900 taken from the people, only \$300 had been spent. There was no trace of the other \$600. Let the Councilors take their own money and spend it on the roads; let the Government attend to the bridges.

Council adjourned for its committee to meet the Patriotic Fund delegates, and when the Warden again took the chair he asked for the report of the committee. No report was made, but Mr. Geo. Watt, being called upon, read resolutions that had been adopted, as follows:

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Morning service, 11 a. m. Sunday School, 2:30 p. m. Preaching service, Derby, 5 p. m. Evening service, Newcastle, 7 p. m. Mid-Week Service—Wednesday Prayer and testimony meeting 7:30 p. m. Seats free, all welcome.

St. Andrew's Church

(Anglican)

Rev. W. J. Bate

Holy Communion—1st Sunday in month at 11 a. m. 3rd Sunday in month at 8:30 a. m. Morning and Evening Prayer—Matsins at 11:00 (except 3rd Sunday in month). Evensong at 7:00. Wednesday Evensong, 7:30.

St. Mary's Church

(Catholic)

(During winter months from November to May.)

Early Mass with sermon, etc., 9:00 a. m. Late Mass with sermo, etc., 11:00 a. m. St. Agorina Society for boys, 1:30. Children baptized, when there are baptisms, 2:00 p. m. Sunday School Classes, 2:30 p. m. Veasps, with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament, etc., 7:00 p. m.

Methodist Church

Rev. Dr. Harrison

Sunday Services 11:00 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. Prayer and Praise Service, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

The Kirk

St. James Presbyterian Church

Rev. S. J. McArthur, M. A. B. D.

Worship Sunday, 11:00 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. Sabbath School, 2:30 p. m.

Salvation Army

Capt. P. Forbes

Holiness Meeting—11 a. m. Praise and Testimony Meeting—3:00 p. m. Salvation Meeting—8 p. m. Public Meetings—Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays—8:00 p. m.

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SHOP IN YOUR OWN CITY FIRST

This "Make in Canada" movement can be brought a little nearer home to each individual by emphasizing this suggestion: "Patronize the stores of your home town."

Each man is entitled to spend his own money where it will buy the most—whether it be in Rome or Paris.

But in fairness—Is it not wisdom before purchasing elsewhere to see what the stores of our own town have to offer?

The prosperity of each of us is tied up with the prosperity of his neighbor.

Acquaint yourself with what the stores of your own town are offering by reading the advertisements in The Union Advocate.

BELGIAN RELIEF

Urgent Relief to the Inhabitants of Large Sections of Belgium is Greatly Needed at Once—Canada Will Do Her Share—New Brunswick Must Help.

The Belgian Relief Committee in St. John is prepared to receive gifts of money, food and clothing to be forwarded to Belgium for distribution by British and Belgian authorities. Cash gifts should be sent to Mayor Fink, chairman and treasurer, of the fund.

The committee appeal to clergymen, churches and organizations of all kinds and to private individuals to cooperate with contributions and in organizing sales and entertainments.

A depot for receiving food and clothing has been opened in the new Pettigill warehouse, Water street. This committee will be glad to receive clothing of all description, new or old, for men, women and children, blankets of wool or cotton, and food of non-perishable nature that can be transported to Belgium.

Shipments from outside points to the Belgian Relief Committee will be handled by the railways free of charge.

Information as to the plans of the committee will gladly be furnished any desiring to assist by the secretary, G. E. Barbour, St. John N. B. Telephone Main 216.

The local Branch of the Red Cross Society will receive all contributions to the Belgian Fund at the Town Hall on Tuesday evenings.

I wish to thank the public for their most generous patronage and to announce that our new term will begin Monday, Jan. 4.

W. W. COFFY, Deputy of the Minister of the Interior.

N. P. — Jan. 4th. This advertisement will not be paid for.

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By Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Wants Other Suffering Women To Know It.

Murfreesboro, Tenn. — "I have wanted to write to you for a long time to tell you what your wonderful remedies have done for me. I was a sufferer from female weakness and displacement and I would have such tired, worn out feelings, sick headaches and dizzy spells. Doctors did me no good so I tried the Lydia E. Pinkham Remedies—Vegetable Compound and Sanative Wash. I am now well and strong and can do all my own work. I owe it all to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and want other suffering women to know about it."—Mrs. E. E. MANN, 211 S. Spring St., Murfreesboro, Tenn.

This famous remedy, the medicinal ingredients of which are derived from native roots and herbs, has for nearly forty years proved to be a most valuable tonic and invigorator of the female organism. Women everywhere bear willing testimony to the wonderful virtue of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

No woman suffering from any form of female troubles should lose hope until she has given Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a fair trial.

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (consultant) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

What we have we'll hold, so keep the wheels going, keep the crops growing, and keep the dollar at home.

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COUNTY COUNCIL SESSION CLOSED ON FRIDAY

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the information in the afternoon and it was laid over till then.

Coun. Doyle presented the Board of Health report. There was a small increase in scarlet fever cases, mostly of a mild type, twenty-five cases and two deaths; a marked decrease of diphtheria, four cases with no deaths from this disease. There was one case of smallpox, a Dominion Pulp Co. workman from Ontario, and all necessary steps had been taken to prevent the spread of the disease. The Government had given notice that they will no longer contribute towards the cost of fighting this disease, and all expenses incurred had to be paid by the county. The total cost for the year was \$118,600. No appropriation is asked for the present year. In moving the adoption of the report he wished to thank the Dominion Pulp Co. for having placed an isolated building at the disposal of the board. The Chairman of the Newcastle Board informed that the County Board had been lax in regard to fumigating, etc., but such was not the case. All of the cases did not originate in the county. He had visited a house, miles away in the country, and far from any other house, and the woman said the only way she could account for having the disease in her family was that she had visited Newcastle. Years ago there were many cases of contagious disease in town, and Mr. Maltby could not prevent it, but had left it to the present County Board to stamp them out.

Coun. Anderson had much pleasure in seconding the adoption of the report. Too much praise could not be given to Councillors Doyle and Vanderbeck for the manner in which they had handled the Board of Health matters.

Coun. Vanderbeck had heard that 'Dr. Maltby said the County Board was composed of wooden men, but they had kept the County bills down to \$118 for the whole county while 'Dr. Maltby's was \$155 for Newcastle. It was \$867.67 for Newcastle the last year 'Dr. Maltby was in charge of the whole business, but he had cut it down since the reign of economy had been instituted by the present County Board.

Coun. Watling said diseased meat had been sold in Chatham—something terrible. He knew of the sale of a diseased cow in Chatham. Something should be done about it. If he had known about it at the time he would have got after the offender.

Mayor Tweedie was sorry to hear that there was so much bad meat in Chatham but he had never run up against any of it. It was a matter that should be considered.

Coun. Vanderbeck said a veterinary had told him that there were diseased cattle in Chatham and Newcastle.

Coun. O'Shaughnessy asked why it was that the towns could exempt industries from taxation for a term of years while the parishes had no such power.

Coun. Connors replied that the towns did not have that power, but had to get legislative authority for every exemption.

Adjourned till 2 p. m.
Afternoon
Coun. Connors reported from the committee of last Session to visit the Hotel Dieu Hospital as follows:

We visited the hospital on the 16th day of January instant. We were taken through the hospital by two of the nurses, visiting the male and female wards, and unoccupied private rooms and operating room and found every place scrupulously clean and in order. Shortly after starting on our inspection, Dr. McKenzie joined us, and in the operating room showed us some of the latest up-to-date surgical instruments and appliances, and the genial doctor's explanations were much appreciated by your committee. And since our visit it has come to the knowledge of your committee that a short time ago, an instrument costing in the vicinity of \$100 was donated to the hospital by Dr. McKenzie.

up-to-date in every respect and serious operations are performed every day by some of the attending doctors. There were 270 operations performed during the year. On patients belonging to Northumberland 218 operations were performed. They belonged to Chatham, Newcastle, Nelson, Derby, Rogersville, Glendy, Hardwick, Blissfield, North Esk and South Esk. The other patients on whom operations were performed were from the counties of Gloucester, Kent, Westmorland, St. John and Victoria. Your committee are well satisfied and pleased with their visit.

H. H. Lamont,
E. J. Parker,
J. E. Connors.

Coun. Allain moved that the same committee be reappointed, carried.

Coun. Avery's resolution was taken up and adopted.

Coun. Vanderbeck read the resolution of last session re the Rogersville-Glendy road, asking for repairs to it, and asked what had been done about it, and about the resolution asking that the Council be given the power to appoint commissioners to expend the road money. The Government had replied that they had no intention to amend the Highways Act as requested, and it was of no use to say anything more about it. He had heard it said that he was animated by hostility towards the Minister of Public Works, but it was not so.

Coun. Sinclair asked if any one had been fined more than once.
Inspector—Yes; one person in Nelson nine times.
Coun. Sinclair—Is that the way we want the law enforced.
Coun. Gillis—How many cases were lost and how much was paid for losing them?
Coun. Burrehill moved that the Inspector enforce the law. Carried.

(Continued Next Week)

PRESENTATION TO SUPERINTENDENT
Mr. J. W. Robertson of Tabusintac Methodist S. S. Presented With Driving Gloves and Address from Pupils

(Too late for last issue)
On the Sunday following the New Year, Mr. Jas. W. Robertson, the superintendent of the Methodist S. S. at Tabusintac, was presented with a pair of driving gloves accompanied by an address from the pupils of the S. S. of that place. The address was read in behalf of the pupils, by Miss Evelyn Hierlihy and Miss Clara Hierlihy made the presentation.

Mr. Robertson has been S. S. supt. for a number of years, and by his constant attendance and kindly manner has endeared himself to the pupils, who took this opportunity of showing their appreciation.

Although Mr. Robertson was taken entirely by surprise he made an appropriate and feeling reply. The address was as follows:
Dear Mr. Robertson,
We, the children of the Methodist S. S. wish to present to you, this small token of our regard, in acknowledgment of your efforts in our behalf.

We know that you have often sacrificed your own personal comfort, for that you might be present to direct our study of the Divine Word.

We pray that God may continue to bless you, both in your home, and in your duties as superintendent of our S. S. and that the young lives which are being trained, Sabbath by Sabbath, may result in adding glory to our Risen Saviour.

Signed in behalf of the S. S. scholars,
EVELYN I. HIERLIHY,
CARA A. HIERLIHY,
Jan. 1915.

HARD TIME TO UNDERSTAND CANADIANS
(Continued from page 1)
ed together. You can't build up an army with such familiarity." "But that is the way we have to build it," replied the Canadian with a slow heat. "A Canadian soldier has no illusions about his officers. He knows them in private life and he knows what they are worth."

"You haven't got our idea at all," answered the British officer. "It is paternalism in our army. I'm the father of my men. They ask my advice and they have confidence in me. If I was familiar with them, they would not do so. A soldier is not expected to have any individuality. His only duty is to blindly follow his superiors."

"Well, none of that stuff would go with us," declared the Canadian. "Our men are from Missouri and must be shown."

Then it took half an hour for the Canadian to explain what "from Missouri" meant.

51 informations were laid, eight of them for search warrants, 5 cases were dropped, 5 dismissed and one is pending; 35 convictions were secured; 25 fines had been collected and 7 commitments are outstanding. The total collections were \$1250.00. Bal. from last year \$436.06. \$1685.06

The expenses were:
Salary \$500.00
Counsel 306.00
Travelling 273.70
Uncollected Justice fees 73.09
"witness" 227.45
Telephone 7.30
Analyzing liquor 20.00
Ex. Search warrants 10.00 1417.35

ALMOST EVERY ONE NEEDS A TONIC

Almost everyone—man, woman and child—needs a tonic at some time. It is often said that a man is lazy because he takes little or no interest in his work; but the truth is he is not well. He needs a tonic. He is the same in a woman who does not make over her home work, but only feels fit to be in bed. She is not merely tired, but ill. A dull pain in the stomach with low spirits and loss of strength with low spirits and loss of interest in life show that you need a tonic to brace up the nerves and give you a new lease of life. The tonic that takes all the trouble quickly disappears. The new tonic—the only tonic—for weak and ailing men, women and children is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which speedily bring back abundant health, strength and energy. They have done this in thousands of cases as is proved by the following. Mr. Ed. A. Owen, Bardett, Alta. says: "About two years ago my health was in a wretched condition. My whole system seemed to be run down and the doctor seemed puzzled at my condition. I had no appetite, exertion would leave me breathless, and I was troubled much with dizziness. All the medicine I took did me no good and I was steadily growing weaker. My mother urged me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and before I had taken them very long I began to feel like a new man and continuing their use I was restored to complete health. I now recommend them to all run down in health as they are the best medicine I know of."

Sold by all medicine dealers, or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50, from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

AGRICULTURAL CONFERENCE

The great demoralization of agriculture in Europe imperils the food supply of the British Empire and the Allies and makes it essential that the Dominions across the seas should increase their agricultural production in an effort to maintain the vast quantities of food supplied needed to ensure the ultimate victory of the Allies.

To this end the Dominion Government has arranged a series of Agricultural Conferences, to be held throughout Canada, to explain and discuss conditions in countries where live-stock and agricultural production have been and will be affected by the war. Agricultural specialists have been making a study of agricultural production throughout the world, and are now prepared to place information before the farming community that will be of value to every farmer and to business men generally.

The duty and the opportunity of Canadian farmers to increase the aid and assistance which they have already given to the Empire in this war will be discussed by able speakers. The call for Canadian farmers to attend these agricultural conferences comes to them from the Government of Canada, but more than that, it comes to them from the entire British Empire. It is their duty, if at all possible, to attend the meeting in their district and to do everything in their power to assist in bringing about the object for which it is being held.

Red Cross Notice
The Red Cross Membership Cards are ready and all members may obtain same at the Tuesday afternoon meetings or by applying to the Secretary, Miss N. Adelaide Stables.

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Barber Shop Fire
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Friends of Miss Jessie Melroe of Newcastle who went to Boston in November to enter the Arlington Heights Training School, Arlington Heights, Mass., to train for a nurse, will be glad to hear that she has successfully passed her examinations and is now a regular student nurse.

NOTICE
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Local Express 14.10
Night Freight 3.25
ARRIVALS FROM EAST
Fredericton Express 23.10
Fredericton Freight 15.45
From Blackville 10.05
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20% DISCOUNT ON HEATING STOVES
Just think what this means. Stoves that formerly sold for \$18.00 now \$14.40; \$16.00 now \$12.80; \$14.50 now \$11.60; \$13.50 now \$10.80; \$11.50 now \$9.20; \$9.50 now \$7.60; \$7.25 now \$5.80. The "New Empress" steel Range, former price \$48.00 now \$38.00, a great chance for someone. A few Camp Stoves at 20% discount

20% DISCOUNT ON SKATES
\$5.00 Skates now \$4.00
2.25 " 1.80 " 1.25 " 1.00 " .80
\$4.50 Skates now \$3.60
1.00 " .80 " .60
\$2.50 Skates now \$2.00
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Balance of our Hockey Sticks at half price
Double Bitted Axes, any make, \$1.25 each. Poil Axes, any make, 75c. each
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PATRIOTISM AND PRODUCTION

The Duty and Opportunity of Canadian Farmers
A PATRIOTIC AGRICULTURAL CONFERENCE
will be held in the
New Hall, Napan
on Feb. 4th, at 2 p. m. and 8 p. m.

SUBJECTS:
Agricultural Production of the World and its Relation to the War.
Ways and Means of Maintaining the Empire's Food Supply.

SPEAKERS:
Hon. John Morrissey, Minister of Public Works; Rev. John Harris, Chatham; W. W. Hubbard, Supt. Experimental Station, Fredericton; Duncan Anderson, Orillia, Ontario, and others.
Hon. J. A. Murray, Minister of Agriculture, OTTAWA
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A New Questions and Answers Department of Interest to Shooters

J. O., Scandinavia, Wis.:

I write you in regard to rules and regulations for starting a Rifle Shooting Club in our village. Would you please send us some instruction as to rules and by-laws?

I would suggest first that you write to the various Arms and Ammunition Companies as they publish considerable literature on the subject which is valuable. Some of these booklets are very complete and cover the matter thoroughly. The first procedure in forming a Rifle Club is to call a meeting to organize a new club. This can best be done by writing the sporting goods dealers or the hardware dealers in your town interested, then set a date for an organization meeting, and write a little article for the paper, giving the outline of the plan and the time and the place of the meeting. Complete procedure for organizing a rifle club would require rather more space than I have at my disposal. Be sure to write to the various companies and secure their literature on the subject.

R. R. M., Jr., Citronelle, Ala.:

I have an 1893 Mauser rifle that was used in the Spanish-American war. I would appreciate it very much if you would tell me the velocity, size and shooting ability, i. e., what it will shoot through. Also, tell me how it compares with the new Springfield in use by the militia.

The 7 mm. cartridge was used in the Model 1893 Mauser rifle. The ballistics of this cartridge are as follows: Weight of bullet, 175 gr., muzzle velocity, 2300 ft. per second; muzzle energy, 2056 ft. lbs. Accurate range up to 1000 yds. Penetration, soft point, twelve 7-8 inch pine boards; metal cased, sixty soft pine boards. The government Springfield Model 1906 cartridge which is the cartridge in use by the United States government and National Guard at present has a velocity of 2700 ft. per second and muzzle energy of 2426 lbs. It is accurate up to 1200 yds. The government cartridge is more powerful than the first mentioned.

Duck Gun, Fresno, Cal.:

Which do you think is the best duck gun, a 12, 16, or 20 gauge shot gun?

If you mean by "best" the gauge which will be the most effective, there is absolutely no question but that the 12 gauge is best. The 12 gauge throws more shot than either of the other gauges and will therefore kill ducks at a longer range than the 16 or 20 gauge.

Which do you think is the best pump gun made?

This is a question for you to decide. Ask some of your brother sportsmen or a reliable sporting goods dealer.

What size shot do you think is best for ducks?

The size of shot required must be determined in a great measure by the distance at which the ducks are flying. The most popular sizes are Nos. 4, 5 and 6.

C. L., Penfield, N. Y.:

Which cartridges are the best for a .22 calibre rifle, greased or ungreased?

Greased cartridges are without

question the best. Ungreased cartridges are very hard on the barrel. Which will carry the straightest and strongest in the .22 calibre rifle, twist barrel or straight barrel?

I assume you mean a barrel with rifling or without rifling. If so, a rifled barrel will shoot very much more accurately than a smooth bore barrel.

What size shot and what weight of powder is the best load for pheasants in a twelve gauge shotgun?

The most popular for pheasant shooting is 3 drams of bulk smokeless powder or its equivalent of dense, and 1-1/2 oz. of No. 6, 7, or 7-1/2 shot, depending on the conditions of the shooting, i. e., whether in comparatively open territory or heavily wooded section.

Will a double barrel shotgun shoot just as straight as a single barrel?

Yes—if properly made, i. e., if the barrels are very carefully tested during the heating-together process, I assume in the above that you refer to the proper placing of the pattern in relation to the line of sight over the rib.

At how many yards will a .22 rifle kill with .22 Long Rifle Lesmok cartridge?

It is quite impossible to answer this question definitely. To do so it would be necessary to know what of game and also where the bullet hit. If squirrels, for instance, are the game, and the bullet strikes the heart, a kill will result at even as much as 200 yards. If a rabbit was shot at this distance and the shot hit in the paunch, the chances would be extremely good that the animal would escape, but of course death would result later on.

Alfred P. Lane

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DOAKTOWN

(Too late for last issue)

Jan. 11—The Doaktown Red Cross Society has resumed its meetings after having a short holiday during the Xmas season. The meetings are usually held in the sample rooms, Aberdeen Hotel.

The Doaktown C. C. Club which has a membership of over fifty held a very pleasant reception Xmas night in the Orange Hall. A good time was enjoyed by all. The Club meets every two weeks.

His Lordship Bishop Richardson preached to a very large congregation in the St. Andrew's church Sunday Dec. 27th.

Mrs. Dr. Ryan of Boiestown, was returning calls here one day last week.

Miss Freda Wier, B. A., has returned home from Harcourt, where she has been teaching the advanced Dept. of the Grammar school. She purposes staying at home for the winter.

Miss Florence Hinton has returned home from Chatham and Strathadam, where she has spent a very pleasant vacation.

Mr. Lewis, the Presbyterian minister has moved into Everett Mitchell's house for the winter. On Friday evening a donation was held for him. Games and music were indulged in and all report a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Mitchell spent the holiday season with Mr. Mitchell's parents.

Our schools have responded with their former teachers in charge Mr. C. A. Warden, of the advanced Dept. and Miss Margaret Cook of the Primary Dept.

Mrs. Wm. Murray, who has been ill for some time, is now glad to know, steadily improving.

Miss Rena Russell, who has been conducting a large class of music pupils, both vocal and instrumental, at Rollbank, has returned home for a vacation.

The many friends of Mr. Wm. Whyte, will be glad to know he is steadily improving from the effects of his accident.

Quite a number of our citizens spent a few days vacation in Fredrick during the Xmas season.

Mr. Cleveland Price who has been spending the past five years in the west has returned home.

Mr. H. Earle Swim has returned home after having spent two weeks vacation with friends in Boston.

Mr. F. D. Swim, M. L. A., has returned home from an extensive trip.

Mrs. Thos. Chalmers has returned home from a pleasant visit to friends in St. John and Bathurst.

Mr. Jackson Miller of New Mills, Rest. Co., is spending a month with his daughter, Mrs. Frank Russell.

Mrs. Jas. Swim and son Ashley spent New Years with her mother and sisters.

The young people of Blackville gave a very enjoyable concert here on the evening of the 29th. They were welcomed by a large and appreciative audience.

Mrs. Robt. McLaggan and Mrs. Arbo of Blackville, spent the weekend with their brother, Mr. Wm. Cumming.

Mr. Ralph Holmes has gone to Halifax where he will attend the Military school there.

A large lumbering operation is being carried on here by Mr. Jas. Holmes and Sons.

TIMELY TOPICS

Why can't the Canadian railways start a "See Canada First" movement. Many will want to travel next summer and very few will care about making the grand tour. And there are thousands of Canadians who have never yet been across the continent but who would run over to Europe at the first opportunity if the climate was not so unfavorable.—London Advertiser.

Who is the oldest knitter of comforts for the men in the trenches? The Bruce Herald says Mrs. McDonald, Victoria street, Walkerton, Ont., who is in her ninety-seventh year, turned in a pair of socks last week to the Women's Institute there. Is there by any chance someone knitting for the men of 1915 who was born before Waterloo?—Toronto Globe.

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CASTORIA

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A while ago Lord, Kitchener gave it as his opinion that the war would last three years; now he says, "I don't know when it will end, but I do know when it will begin, and that is in the month of May." Only a series of skirmishes so far, it seems.—Erie Dispatch.

MORE BUSINESS THAN USUAL PATRONIZE HOME TRADE

FEDORA

BY VICTORIEN SARDOU

(Continued)

One result of her thinking was that she sent for her majordomo, a Frenchman whom she had secured at an enormous price, because she knew she would need the services of a man who could use all Paris, if that were necessary.

"Monsieur Paul," she said to him, "I want you to get for me this afternoon at any cost an equipage with which I can astonish Paris. I say nothing of details. I leave everything to you. I wish Paris tonight to talk of the Russian princess who drove on the boulevard this afternoon."

Monsieur Paul did not say it would be difficult; he merely bowed and waited an impatient while to give the princess an opportunity to give further orders if she wished. Then he left, and that afternoon the Princess Fedora Romanoff rode in an equipage which had been made for the wife of an American millionaire, and for which the major domo paid a price that was fabulous.

Before she went for her drive she wrote a note to the ambassador in which she said:

"I shall be at home tonight, and will be glad if you will call upon me. I wish to consult with you."

She wrote this note in accordance with an arrangement with the ambassador to that effect.

CHAPTER V

Without including in unnecessary figures of speech, it may fairly be said that Fedora passed the time, until she dressed for her drive, in a state of feverish unrest. Perhaps if she had loved her fiancé more she would have been less thirsty for vengeance on his destroyer; but, after all, that is a speculative matter.

She certainly was intense in her hatred of Boris Ipanoff; but that did not prevent her taking a natural interest in her personal appearance; though, for that matter, the success of her plans, aside from any personal feeling, made it necessary for her to appear at her best.

Nature, alone had done as much for her as even a woman could demand. And, in addition, the resources of Parisian art had been called into service; and it must be confessed that Parisian art can, at least, set off even the most perfect beauty.

When the Princess Fedora stood ready to leave the house that afternoon she was a creature to look twice at and to delight in. Even Marka stood off and admired, and she was accustomed to the beauty of her mistress in all its most alluring aspects.

"Mon Dieu!" she exclaimed, for she relieved her feelings always in French now. "Mon Dieu Madame la Princess, but you are beautiful!"

Fedora glanced again in the mirror, and said rather more grimly than was pleasant:

"I am glad of it. I hope I shall look so to men."

"But they will be ravished," said Marka, in a tone that was partly conviction and partly wonder; for as yet she had not been admitted to Fedora's confidence and did not understand why her mistress should speak so openly of a feeling that all women might have, but most would sedulously conceal.

Fedora turned to leave the room, Marka holding the portiere aside for her. Suddenly she gave her that little toss which indicates a new idea, and she stopped and began taking off the gloves which fitted her plump hands so perfectly.

"Give me my driving gloves, Marka."

"Yes, madam," said Marka, with a little start, as she hastened to obey. "Er—er—madam knows there are six horses?"

"Yes, I know that," answered Fedora, shortly, and Marka, like a well-trained maid, said no more; but she shrugged her shoulders when she was alone, and muttered:

"Does she think she is on her

own estate? All Paris will be talking of her tonight. What has come over her?" and then she ran to the window to see the start.

It was a striking equipage certainly. The carriage and equipments were modest and elegant; but six spirited horses, each held by a groom, made a very pretty showing; and when three of the horses were coal black and three were snow-white the showing was more than pretty—it was striking. Three blacks were on one side, and three whites were on the other.

A footman sat behind, and another held the door of the carriage open; the six grooms held the prancing horses; the coachman held his beautiful reins and his long whip, and sat as if it did not matter to him how long he waited. He was an Englishman, and understood his business.

Fedora stood for a moment, and scanned the equipage with a calmly critical air; then she said in that matter-of-course way that is impossible to question:

"She has done it well, I will drive."

If Fedora had been, as usual, but a Russian, perhaps it would have been the same if he had been an American; these might have been some attempt made to dissuade her. As it was, the footman shut the door as if he had expected to do nothing else, and the coachman moved, without any loss of dignity, to the lower seat.

A moment later Fedora was perched on the driver's cushion, and was taking the reins from the hands of that distinguished person. He abated nothing of his immobility, but nevertheless stole a glance out of the corner of his eye at the dictates of that feeling which he had in common with the rest of mankind—self-preservation. He had an interest in knowing how far his life was to be endangered by his altogether charming mistress. One glance was enough. He saw the reins slip naturally between the correct fingers, saw even that the little hands could also hold the whip in a properly knowing way, and it is enough to say that from that moment he not only felt that his life was safe but that his mistress was a woman whom he might consistently respect.

"Ready?" she said, shortly, and the grooms loosed their hold on the fretting animals.

They danced and plunged for a moment, and then under skillful guidance passed out of the courtyard, and turned into the street. It was beautifully done, and Fedora felt a pleased flush mount to her face. It was not quite a flush either, but rather a glow of color, which remained like the bloom on a sun-kissed peach.

There was so much of robust health in the princess that it was impossible for her not to enjoy the situation in all its aspects—whether as a mere drive behind six fine horses; as the center of a genuine sensation, from the very moment of her start; as a consciously beautiful woman under peculiarly favorable circumstances; or as triumphantly accomplishing the first part of her plan.

She knew she was creating a sensation. Oh, it was more than that; it was a furor, and nothing less. Grant that it was not the first time that six horses of striking appearance had been driven along the Bois, grant that such had been driven by the fair hands of a woman grant even that the fair hands had been those of a pretty woman, and it must still be admitted that a combination of all these things could not but produce a sensation of the liveliest kind.

At any rate, it was talked of at the cafes that night, and in the lobbies of the theaters and the opera, in fact, everywhere that le monde was to be found. And that were repeated; there were many picturesque things said that these things were said; she drove like an Englishman; the turn-out was tres chic; she was a Russian princess; a widow; immensely wealthy; beautiful—ah—h! Not spirituelle, but, ah—h! such hair! such eyes! such color!—the peach

bloom had been noticed. But these are only the truths were not true, as that it was her custom, on her own estate, to harness ten wild horses at once and drive them over the steppes. The Frenchman never stops at a little improbability.

Well, she was the talk of Paris that night and it did not make her blue eyes any less bright to be conscious of it. No doubt Nemesis herself, being a woman, enjoyed many little triumphs of this sort that were incidental to the main object of her existence.

When Count Rouvel, the ambassador, called that evening, he bowed with rather more emphasis than he had done before in meeting the princess, and he permitted himself to note the charms of the woman, as well as the claims of the accredited princess.

The cessation of the afternoon had not been without its effect on the count. Fedora saw it, but, being a widow, it did not trouble her very much, knowing how to remove any wrong impressions from his mind. She disregarded his faint glow of gallantry with a cool carelessness that was without any sign of embarrassment and was quite as free from any bravado.

The count recognized his error, and became the obliging ambassador in a moment. This pleased Fedora, and she dropped her haughty air as a garment, and met the diplomat frankly. He was delighted. He had been set straight without any loss of self-respect, and he admired the woman who had done it.

All this was before a word had passed between them. He had loved, and used his eyes. She had—well, what he had done is simply indescribable; but by the time he was seating himself for two were in rapport as treating diplomats.

"Thank you for coming," said the princess.

"The gratitude is mine that I am permitted to come." This not gallantly, but respectfully polite.

"I hope you have heard that I drove on the Bois this afternoon."

"All Paris is frantic."

"That is what I had hoped. Do you know the Countess Olga Soukareff?"

The count just fingered his gray moustache. That was his only sign of embarrassment. Was the princess trying to surprise his knowledge by the abrupt question? No, evidently not. The count smiled.

"I think every Russian knows her," he said. "Yes, I know her."

"Does it necessarily condemn a woman who knows her?"

"No; but a woman would need to have courage. There are ladies of social standing who visit her salon—women of wit. It needs that. She goes everywhere. She is interesting—men find her fascinating. She encourages genius."

"I would like her to visit me," I would like to visit her. After that I will hold a salon too. You will always be welcome."

"And you would like me to be the intermediary?"

"I would not compromise you in any way. If you may not do it then procure me the right person."

"There would be no question of compromise. I can do it as well, perhaps, being ambassador, a little better than any one else. Your position would be less equivocal if introduced by me."

He looked meaningfully at her; but she answered in a way that proved that she was acting with open eyes.

"Do not think of me, but do this for me, and I shall be grateful to you."

"It shall be done. When?"

"As quickly as may be. Of course I have an object in it; but no one will suspect it, and haste cannot matter."

"Perhaps I can bring her here tonight."

"It was in the hope of it that I drove the six horses this afternoon."

"Permit one who has grown

gray in diplomacy to bow to you." "As much audacity as wit, count. You go at once, then?" The count had risen to go, and he smiled an assent.

"Yes. If it were not to please you, I would wish to go, in order that I might hear what is being said in a salon where there is more wit than anywhere else in Paris."

CHAPTER VI

After all that has been said, the Countess Olga can need no introduction. It may be noticed that no one, looking at her, would have suspected her of being what she was.

Rather under the middle height pleasant, dimpled face, sparkling eyes, good-natured mouth. That is what most persons saw—most persons, and not all persons, because the lips could curl out of their good nature, and shoot very sharp shafts of wit and sarcasm if there were occasion.

She had not been rich in Russia, but she lived like an exiled queen in Paris. No one knew how; but it was a fact, and a pleasant fact to more than one impetuous man of wit or genius.

The Count Rouvel had said only the truth when he had told Fedora that he was anxious to hear what was being said in the salon of the Countess Olga. He gave the order to drive here and drove himself back among the cushions of his carriage, and gave himself up to wondering what the mission of the princess was.

According to the easy usages of the Countess Olga's salon, he was not unamused on his arrival, but was permitted to enter as quietly as he chose. There was an unusual number present, considering the earliness of the hour, and the count was delighted to discover by the first words he heard, that he had not been wrong in his prognostications—the Princess Fedora's drive was the subject of almost universal conversation.

There was a mixture of all sorts and conditions of men in the room, mostly, but not all, Russians; and, to one who knew them all as the count did, it was a singular sight to see Socialists and nihilists, exiles, fugitives, and representatives of the government all mingling together on friendly terms on this common ground.

He was greeted with nods, smiles, and witty salutations as he passed from group to group, but he did not stop until he was on the outskirts of the largest gathering in the salon. It was here that the countess held her court, for it was little else.

"And nobody knows her?" he heard the countess say.

"Only that she is the widow of the old Prince Romanoff," some one said in response.

"She cannot be well known even in St. Petersburg," said another; "for I never saw her as heard of her."

"Ah," laughed the countess, "the prince's devotion in the first place and his grief at his death in the next must have kept her out of society. But surely some one must know something about her. Where is Ipanoff? He is the latest arrival; he may know."

"I may have heard of her, but I do not remember," said a quiet, deep voice.

"I might have known that," said the countess. "For she is only a woman."

"It is a misfortune, certainly," said the same voice as quietly as before, and the countess laughed merrily.

"Ipanoff, you amuse me," she said.

"It is a man's office to amuse your sex, I believe," was his answer, not surlily given, but with even calmness.

"I think you are right, but an I to learn nothing of this Russian princess who in one afternoon makes all Paris talk? If I can learn in no other way I will call upon her."

There was a general murmur of low laughter at this threat, as it seemed, and the countess looked around with a slightly flushed face.

"But I will," she said, with a certain vexation in her tone.

If the opportunity had been made for him, the count could not have been better suited. He gently pushed his way through the circle, and with a bow of salutation, said:

"And you would do well, countess. She is a woman you would

like."

"Ah, Count Rouvel. Then you know her? Tell me about her."

"Tell you what? You know she drove her six horses like an Englishman, and made all Paris talk; what more is there to tell?"

"It is said she is young and beautiful, to say nothing of being as rich as an American."

"Yes, she is all that."

"Well, well, well! Don't you see that I am dying of curiosity. What has she done over there that she comes here and makes her debut in such a fashion? Oh, don't tell me she has come here just to come here?"

"But I know nothing that she has done. I believe she is here, simply to be here like—well, like many of us."

"Very well added. But you said I would like her—why? I don't like women because they drive six horses."

"She is beautiful, she is young, she is rich, she is witty."

"Ah, that last excuses the rest, but why, why, did she drive these six horses? That is what still puzzles me."

"She asks for motives in a woman," murmured some one.

"She is herself a woman," said another.

"Oh, no," said the first speaker, "she is not."

"What an idea!" demanded the countess.

"An exception," interjected the count before the person addressed could make the complimentary answer he had at his tongue's end.

The countess led the laughter that followed, and then turned to Rouvel once more.

"But if she is all that you say, she belongs to the regulars, and would faint with horror at even an intimation of a visit from the Countess Olga Soukareff."

The count shrugged his shoulders as if half weary of the subject, and answered:

"Yes, she belongs to the regulars, as you say, but I thought the Countess Olga was afraid of nothing."

"Afraid? Oh, it is not a question of fear. I am not afraid."

"No," said the count, carelessly. "I suppose not. Well, let it go, but I should have liked to see you two meet."

The countess looked up quickly, with a gleam of mischief in her eyes.

"And I would like nothing better than to gratify the Count Rouvel," she said. "It rests only with him, it seems to me."

"But how?" he asked, with an air of surprise.

"You know her. Take me to her."

A smile of amusement passed around the circle at the manner in which the diplomat had been entrapped, and all waited to see how he would extricate himself. He looked for a second as if he did not relish the trick; then with an air of recovering himself, he lifted his eyebrows, and answered:

"I should feel it an honor. My carriage is at the door; will the Countess Olga do me the honor of accepting my escort?"

He threw such an air of feeling that he had turned the tables on her in his tone and manner, and the spectators of the little passage at wits laughed so merrily that the countess threw her head up.

"If my guests will excuse me, I shall be only too happy to accept your offer, and if they will await my return," she went on triumphantly, "I will make a report to them of my adventures."

The scrutiny was all turned on the count now, but his face was inscrutable. He simply bowed and said:

"At your service."

The countess flashed a glance around the faces watching her and asked for her maid.

CHAPTER VII

The Count Rouvel would have liked, had it been possible, to warn the Princess Fedora of the spirit in which the Countess Olga was prepared to visit her; but as it was not possible, and as he was not in any way responsible for the consequences of the meeting, he prepared himself for whatever enjoyment there might be for him.

As for the countess, she realized that she was in a false position almost before she committed herself to going with the count; but, as she felt that the count was in an even more false and unpleasant position than herself, she was not

disposed to blame him.

She was not disposed to blame herself either, and, since it was necessary to make somebody responsible, she very logically turned the resentment she naturally felt toward Fedora.

She chatted very pleasantly with the count during the ride to Fedora's; but all the while she kept up an under-current of thought of how to extricate herself from the predicament she had forced herself into with as much celerity as possible.

She pictured Fedora to herself as almost unapproachable in the pride and hauteur of beauty, station, wealth, and youth, and conceived the project of first shocking her by frankness and then bearing her down by the aplomb and savoir faire which her peculiar experience of the world had brought to her. As for Fedora—well, it required no acting on her part to look beautiful, and her taste was too good to permit her to overdress for the occasion. She looked charming, and as one would look who anticipated spending an evening at home, and had everything to make her happy and contented.

The little boudoir in which she sat was elegant, but what struck one most was a certain sense of luxury. This was premeditated on her part, and was a part of a plan already well laid out; but it would probably have been so in any case, since the almost barbaric warmth of her temperament would have induced it.

When the count and the countess were admitted by the footman the former said:

"Tell the princess that the Count Rouvel and—"

"And a friend," interjected the countess.

"And a friend," said the count, "have done themselves the honor to call to pay their respects."

Presently Marka came to them and begged them to excuse the informality, and to go to the boudoir of Madame la Princess, since the salon was at that moment so cheerless.

"This is kind of you, my dear count," said Fedora, greeting him with a pleased smile.

"The Countess Olga Soukareff," said the count, introducing his companion at once.

"Of whom you have heard, no doubt," added the countess, as she bowed low with a slight exaggeration of courtesy.

"Oh, yes," answered Fedora, with a frank smile that might be a confession of complete knowledge or of simple pleasure.

"Yes," said the countess, with a curl of her lip. "I don't doubt that the name of the Countess Olga is used as a warning in every well-regulated family in St. Petersburg."

"I do not know," answered Fedora, a little wonderingly. "Perhaps so. I have always wished to meet you."

"As one would go to the menagerie to see a newly discovered wild animal, perhaps."

Fedora laughed.

"Perhaps, or as one would go to see a young woman who had driven a six-in-hand on the Bois, Countess," she said, laughing merrily.

The countess bit her lip for a second, and then laughed as frankly as Fedora. It was not at all as she had foreseen, and it was as if the tables had been turned upon her; but she was too good-natured and frank herself not to admire the same qualities in another, and in a moment she abandoned any thought but that of meeting her hostess on common ground.

"Yes, that is true," she admitted. "All Paris is wondering what sort of Amazon it is who comes suddenly upon the Bois and drives a six-in-hand like an Englishman, and I wondered like the rest. Only I was fortunate to find a person who had the happiness to know you—I think it must be a happiness—and—well, I made it impossible for him to refuse to bring me here. If there is an impropriety in it, I am the one at fault."

"Impropriety! Oh, but I am afraid you will not believe me if I say it was the thing of all others that I have wished for—to know you; but it is true."

"To know me! But why, then should the Princess Fedora Romanoff wish to know the Countess Olga Soukareff?"

"Why? Oh, you ought not ask

me that. But is it not true that men of wit, of genius, of learning are glad to assemble in your salon?"

"That is certainly true."

"Why, then? You see I am going to make you answer your own question."

"This innocence is delicious," murmured the count. "The young one is actually outwitting the older one."

"No," laughed the countess, "you will not. My salon is to those men what it could not be to you—a refuge. You have no need of me; they have. Well, never mind why you want to know me. I count it my good fortune that you do. Then you will come to my salon?"

"Indeed, yes."

There was much more said between them, but it was not important, since Fedora had already accomplished all she desired in the invitation to the salon of the countess.

When the Countess Olga rode away from the house with the Count Rouvel she was silent for some time, and the count did not disturb her, knowing she was thinking of the princess, and knowing also that he would learn more by not asking than by interrupting her thoughts.

"A charming creature," she said at last. "She has fascinated me. What could she not do with a man if she chose? Oh, count?"

"Anything, countess. I am too old; but if she would permit it, I would flutter with the rest for all that. I am glad you like her, countess."

"Yes, I like her. But what kind of a service have you done by introducing me?"

The count was an astute man of the world, and thought he knew woman in most of her phases; but this question, so plainly posed, posed him. When a man is posed he repeats his question.

"What kind of a service have I done her? I do not understand."

"Yes, you do."

"But, countess, I was between Scylla and Charybdis. How could I refuse to introduce you? If I had you would have been angry. That was certain. I could hope that she would not be. But if she had been I could better afford to lose her good will than yours."

"Well answered, count; and I suppose truthfully answered, though one can never be sure of a diplomat."

Of course her salon awaited her return with an unusual curiosity; for the action of the countess had been an extraordinary one, and the issue of it interested them all.

"The most charming woman I ever met. Perhaps you will some day be able to judge for yourselves," was all she vouchsafed to tell them, and their curiosity concerning the princess was redoubled thereby.

The next morning, at an hour when the countess was usually in bed, she ordered her carriage, and had herself driven to the Princess Fedora's. On the card she sent in to the princess she penciled:

"Just a word with you."

Fedora had bathed, and was part way through with her toilet—a very simple one, by the way, as became her youth and freshness—but when the card was

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THE WEEK IN NEWCASTLE

A Generous Grant
The Kent County Municipal Council has voted the sum of \$1,500 to the Belgian Relief Fund and \$1,000 to the Patriotic Fund.

Forwarded \$25.00
The Local Branch of the Red Cross Society have forwarded \$25.00 to the Head Office of the Society, for the purchase of surgical supplies.

Called a Pastor
The Presbyterians of Loggville have extended a unanimous call to Rev. W. B. Rossborough of Mulgrave, N. S. Rev. Mr. Rossborough is a graduate of Pine Hill and is twenty-five years of age.

Held Over
Through lack of space and a delay in getting to press, interesting letters from Salisbury Plains have had to be held over until next issue.

Another Deserter
Stanley Sweeney, of-Williamstown, N. B., who deserted from the garrison at the Wireless, was arrested at Renou on Thursday and brought to Newcastle. His case will come up on Saturday, Feb. 6th.

Arrengu-Chambers
The marriage of John Arrengu and Miss Bella Chambers took place in St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church Tuesday morning, Jan. 18th. Rev. P. W. Dixon officiating. Their many friends wish them a happy married life.

Change for the Better
The heavy rain-fall the latter part of last week made things look very serious for the drives, but Monday's heavy snowstorm has made a change for the better. Such a dearth of snow has not been known for many years.

Men's Union Meeting
The Newcastle Methodist Men's Union met Thursday night and decided to meet regularly during the present winter. H. R. Moody presided, and the following officers were elected: Dr. Wm. Harrison, president; Howard Whistler, vice-president; H. H. Stuart, secretary.

Presentation
On behalf of the Excelsior Mission Circle, of the Methodist Church, Mrs. J. A. Follansbee was on Thursday night presented with an address and a certificate of life membership in the circle. The address was read by Miss Berdie Dick and the presentation was made by Mrs. H. H. Stuart. Another pleasant feature of the evening was the serving of a dainty lunch.

Maritime Nurses
The militia department has issued a supplementary list of nurses for service with the Canadian forces. Those chosen for the maritime provinces are: Marjorie E. Moran, St. John, N. B.; M. Dibble, Woodstock; A. A. Thompson, Chatham Harbor, N. B.; F. Armstrong, St. John; Joyce Wishart, St. John; A. L. Mackay, Halifax; M. C. Drew, Liverpool, N. S.; Alice Mills, Truro, N. S.; M. M. Ellis, Halifax.

Red Cross Sends Boxes
On Tuesday January 26th, the Newcastle Branch Red Cross Society sent to the Provincial Branch at St. John, two boxes containing the following articles:
4 dressing gowns, 1 bed jacket, 6 suits pyjamas, 7 day shirts, 17 hospital shirts, 13 bandages, 29 scarfs, 4 caps, 14 prs. wristlets, 24 prs. socks, 9 prs. mittens.
N. ADELAIDE STABLES, Secretary.

Red Cross Lottery
The local branch of the Red Cross Society will, in the course of a couple of days, place tickets on sale for the drawing of a barrel of Quaker flour which has been kindly donated by Baird & Peters, the value of which is \$8.50. Tickets will be sold for 25 cents, and some lucky person is going to get it. The order for the tickets has been placed with The Advocate Job Dept. Four quarters could be spent in a less worthy and profitable way, and no one will miss it. Watch for these tickets and remember that four is a lucky number to take. Drawing will take place Feb. 15th.

Ladies' Catholic Club
A meeting of the ladies of St. Mary's congregation was held in the convent on Wednesday evening to talk over ways and means of building a hall for the Catholics of Newcastle. The meeting was called to order by Miss Hennessy, president of the Children of Mary, and Mrs. John Morrissey was appointed to the chair. A nominating committee was appointed, consisting of Mesdames F. J. Desmond, W. J. Dunn, P. J. McEvoy, G. F. McWilliam and Miss Clare Craggan, and they reported the following: President, Mrs. John Morrissey; vice-presidents, Mrs. D. P. Doyle, Miss M. A. Quigley and Mrs. J. D. Paulin; Secretary, Miss Katharine Wood; Treasurer, Miss Mollie Hennessy; convener of sewing committee, Mrs. Frank D. Ryan. The members adjourned at 9.30 to meet Thursday evening at 7.30 in the A. O. H. rooms, Regent street. The society will be known as the Ladies' Catholic Club.

Booming Business
Mr. W. S. Cole is at present doing Donktown and Blackville districts in the interest of The Advocate. All orders given him will receive prompt attention.

Auxiliary Entertained
Mrs. Harrison entertained the Ladies' Auxiliary at the parsonage Thursday night. The lesson for the month, taken from "The Child in the Midst," was led by Mrs. A. B. Leard.

Coffee and Cake
The Catholic Ladies' Club will serve coffee and cake in the A. O. H. rooms on Thursday evening. Everybody is invited to come and enjoy their hospitality. 10c a plate.

Distributed Copies of Bible
The Canadian Bible Society through its Newcastle Branch, distributed a well bound copy of the New Testament to each of the soldiers at the Wireless Garrison this week.

Fire at Chatham
Word was received last night of a fire in Chatham, which started about 2.30 o'clock in the telephone exchange, destroying that building, Staples' confectionery store and the Diamond building.

The Archer Cup
On Thursday night the Bathurst curlers will come to Newcastle to try their skill against local curlers in a match for the Archer cup. During the game tickets will be sold by the young ladies of the Red Cross Candy Committee for a drawing, the prize for which will be a good turkey donated by Mrs. E. H. Sinclair. The drawing will take place at the end of the game. After the game the Red Cross Society will serve a supper to the curlers in the town hall.

Special Appeal
The Newcastle Branch of the Red Cross Society are making a special appeal for new gifts for Belgian children from the ages of infants to those twelve years of age. A committee of five ladies has been appointed to look after all gifts which are to be wrapped and marked with the donor's name and sent to either of Queen Mary's New Year's Gift and every woman in Canada has been asked to make a donation. Further particulars are given elsewhere in this paper.

County Court
County Court was held here yesterday, His Honor Judge McLatchy presiding. There were no criminal cases, and only one civil case—R. A. Lawlor vs Fred Carvell. The latter was a suit for return of \$300, deposit to take up an option for Black Foxes. Plaintiff's lawyer was Hon. L. J. Tweedie, with Robt. Murray for the defence. The jury—Messrs. J. W. Vanderbeck, Derby, foreman; Holman, Chaplin Island Road; Wm. Baldwin, Douglasfield; Thos. Lynch, Nelson; and Wm. Burns, Blackville, decided in favor of the plaintiff and court adjourned.

New Department
Beginning with next issue The Advocate will open a new department, which will be of special interest to the ladies. A space will be devoted which will contain many valuable suggestions and items of interest, which will be well worth following up. This department will be edited by a very capable and interesting lady contributor, who is conversant with the delicate subjects which will appear weekly in this column, and who, while writing non de plume, is a resident of the town. This department will be found intensely interesting, as one of its special features will be the answering of questions on live subjects for which a cordial invitation is extended. We trust this new department will create a lively interest among The Advocate's many lady readers.

An Apology
The Advocate begs to apologize to its readers for its late appearance this issue, which has been caused by an unavoidable delay in getting its new newspaper press erected. For the past few months it has suffered great inconvenience in consequence of trouble with the press on which the paper has been printed. A great delay in the paper reaching its subscribers was the result, but it is hoped that with this larger and faster press, The Advocate will be able to come to its subscribers at any earlier hour than has been the case of late. It is the intention to put the paper to press on Wed. & Sat. mornings, instead of in the afternoon, and advertisers are respectfully asked to send in their ads. charged positively not later than 10 o'clock on Tuesday mornings. This change is made for their benefit just as much as for the paper's, as we will then be in a position to catch the mails and give them a better service. While many of our advertisers will be quick to see the benefit of this necessary change, there will be some who will forget, but it is hoped that there will be no friction caused through a refusal to accept late copy, and that all our advertisers will give a helping hand to make The Advocate a better paper, both as a matter of news and as an advertising medium.

CAMPBELLTON WINS OVER NEWCASTLE

The Game was Hard Fought, but Lacked Good Hockey—Score 11-5.

The first game of hockey of the season here was played on Thursday night between the local team and Campbellton, the latter winning 11-5. The locals showed up good considering the small amount of practice they have had, and much better team work was expected of the visitors. Referee Cole was kept busy sending players from both sides to the boards, which while not his fault, took the cream off the game.

Although the score shows up bad against our local team, their showing was such that with better team work and less individual playing, they will prove a harder proposition the next time these teams meet.

Morell, unfortunately proved a poor net man, giving the visitors a lead which took the heart out of his own team which for the most part was the means of their losing. Treadwell, after the first period, proved a better man, stopping some very snaky shots, but even he, towards the end, was incapable of blocking them.

It may be here said that had some local hooters put their energy into supporting the game team instead of shouting out mean insinuations, through some petty jealousy, it would have shown a better spirit to outsiders, even had it proved of no assistance to their home team. Their support, Campbellton

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| Goal | Newcastle |
| Geo. Matthews | E. Treadwell |
| Point | |
| Earl Asker | D. Cormier |
| Coverpoint | |
| Hugh McLatchy | J. H. Drummie |
| Left wing | |
| Albert Payne | Barry Foley |
| Right wing | |
| Roy Matthews | C. F. Hibbert |
| Centre | |
| Bernard McLatchy | M. McInerney |

NOTES

If you don't like the line-up, form a second team.
Drumie played a good game, but is rather light for the position. Campbellton saw this and took advantage of it, but you can't kill him.

Keep together boys and get the job done.
The good attendance was encouraging anyway.

Newcastle-Chatham Game
On Tuesday night of last week the Newcastle team played the first game of the North Shore League with the Hustlers of Chatham, defeating them in a fast game 7-4. McInerney and Treadwell starred for the home team.

Will Hold At Home
The Executive of the Red Cross, L. O. O. P. of Douglasdale, will be "At Home" to the Red Cross Lodges of Chatham, Blackville and Millerton, on Saturday evening next, Feb. 1st.

Booked her Wrist
While on her way to a monthly meeting of the Methodist Ladies Auxiliary on Thursday night, Mrs. Anna Murray had the misfortune to fall, breaking her wrist. Her many friends hope for her speedy recovery.

Honorably Acquitted
The court-martial of Leo L'egere of Bathurst, for alleged desertion from the Wireless garrison here, which was held a few days ago, the evidence being sent to Ottawa, has resulted in an acquittal and the liberation of the accused.

Edmund Brennan
The marriage of Charles Edmunds of Newcastle, to Mrs. Annie Brennan, nee Macnee, widow of the late Michael Brennan of Douglasdale, took place in St. Mary's church, Monday afternoon, Rev. P. W. Dixon officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Edmunds will reside here.

Newcastle Men's Club
The Newcastle Men's Club, organized some weeks ago, with Geo. M. Lake as President, W. C. Allison, V. P.; B. W. Hutchison, Sec. and H. I. Hicks, Treas., opened its Reading Room and Gymnasium in the Temperance Hall last night. Addresses were given by Rev. S. J. MacArthur and Mr. J. J. Ander, after which the institution was formally declared open by President Lake.

A basket ball game was then played by the following teams:
Capt. Allison's team won, 10 to 6. G. M. Lake referee.
centre A. H. Morell
W. C. Allison forward Chas. Aharon
A. E. McInerney forward T. A. McNeil
Robt. Crocker defence J. C. Cook
J. C. Cook defence Erri Macdonald
James Sullivan H. I. Hicks
The Club has about 50 members, a goodly number of whom were present. The gymnasium contains travelling rings, swinging rings, punch bags and opportunity for basket ball and volley ball. Upstairs, separate is a fine reading room. The Club expects to provide interesting and healthful entertainment during the winter hours. It will meet on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday evenings, and (for reading only) on Sunday afternoons.

BATHURST CURLERS HERE ON FRIDAY

Will Endeavor to Take the Archer Trophy From The Local Club

The first games for the Pector Archer Trophy, which is now held by the Newcastle Curling Club, will be played on Friday night when three rinks from the Bathurst Club will endeavor to lift the silverware, while skips Joseph Jardine, Bryan Hennessy and J. E. T. Lindon will endeavor to keep it for the Newcastle club. On Friday, Feb. 5th the winners play four rinks from Campbellton and the following Friday Chatham with two rinks play the winners.

Local curlers have selected Hon. John Morrissey, W. A. Park, J. R. Lawlor and John Russell as skips for the North Shore Boogie, to be played in Campbellton early next month.

Owing to the mild weather the Truro Curlers were unable to play for the McLellan Cup at Bathurst last Wednesday night, but will play tonight. The Newcastle rinks who were to have played tonight, will therefore not play until next Wednesday, Feb. 2nd.

Bathurst successfully defended the McLellan Cup against Truro last night (Wednesday) winning by a score of 29 points.

Methodist Men's Union
At the Methodist Men's Union last night the principal address was delivered by Rev. Dr. Harrison, the subject being "What would have happened to us as a Nation and to the Allies if England had held out from the present war?"

Dr. Harrison held that Britain was morally bound by her treaties to Belgium neutrality and with France to interfere to save Belgium and France from wanton aggression. Germany aimed at no less than world domination, and it would have been suicidal for Britain to have stood off while her neighbors were being conquered. Her turn would surely have come next. British civilization was of a higher order than Germany's. Rev. M. S. Richardson entirely agreed with the eloquent address of Dr. Harrison. He believed that as

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SUNNY CORNER

Mrs. Wm. Walsh, Redbank, visited relatives here Saturday.

Maggie Hines is spending a few weeks with Mrs. Irvine Harris.

Miss Lottie Stewart is visiting Mrs. Archibald McLean.

Miss Nelly Hyland has returned from a short visit to Trout Brook.

Four men created quite an excitement passing through here the latter part of last week. A great number thought their German spies, but they turned out to be apple tree inspectors.

Misses Harriet Schofield and Edith Tezer spent Sunday with Misses May, George and Rose Tezer.

Mr. Jack Edmunds, of Boston, Mass., is spending a few weeks vacation at his home here.

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