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Raisins, Currants, Peels, Figs, Dates, Prunes, Shelled Almonds and Walnuts
Pure Spices in bulk, Extracts in all flavors, Baking Powder, Pure Cream of Tartar, Chocolate and Icing Sugars, Corn Starch, Egg Powder, Jelly Powder
Butter, Cheese, Eggs, Ham, Bacon, Sausages, Fresh Meat, Fresh Pork, Molasses,
Oil, Cape-Cod and Native Cranberries, Apples, Oranges, Lemons, Grapes and Grape Fruit.

Our Victoria Blend and Orange Pekoe Teas are like Union Government Candidates, the oftener you have them the more you think of them.

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GEORGE STABLES, PHONE 8 GROCERIES CROCKERY

Pte. Perley Williamson Has Passed Away

Popular Young Man Died Saturday Evening—Funeral Tuesday Largely Attended

The death of Pte. Perley Williamson late of the 132nd North Shore Battalion, occurred at his home here on Saturday evening, after an illness extending over a year.

Deceased, who was one of Newcastle's most popular and best known young men, enlisted with the 132nd Battalion, shortly after its formation trained with C Company here during the winter of 1915-16 and accompanied that unit to Valcartier during their period of training there. When the final examination for overseas was held, it was found that the vigorous training necessary to fit young men for the trenches had been too much for his weak constitution and he had contracted an incurable disease.

After a short treatment at the Military Hospital, in St. John, he was sent home to spend the remainder of his days, which although he knew they were numbered were spent cheerfully by him, in the knowledge that he had done his duty and had sacrificed his all for his country.

Pte. Williamson was a boy of sterling character and lovable disposition to know him was to like him, and his short life was full of manly action and his death was heard on all sides with deep regret.

Deceased was 21 years of age, and is survived by his mother to whom every sympathy is extended in her bereavement.

The funeral took place on Tuesday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, and was largely attended. The members of the Wireless Garrison in command of Lts. Fowle and MacNaughton, attended in a body, and the Citizen Band headed the funeral cortege. The body was taken to St. James' Presbyterian church, where services were conducted by Rev. S. J. MacArthur who paid a glowing tribute to the worth of the deceased and his manly example. The choir sang two favorite hymns of the deceased—"Nearer My God to Thee" and "Safe in the Arms of Jesus".

Interment took place in the Miramichi cemetery.

Newcastle Unionists Get Busy

Efficient Committees are Canvassing and Ready for Polling Day

The "Smoker" held at the Unionist rooms, Castle Street, at the Miramichi Hotel, Monday night, was a success. Many attended. Speeches were made by the chairman (Ex Mayor C. E. Fish), T. M. Maltby, James Stables and others. Efficient committees were appointed as follows:

Transportation—James Stables, Charles Sargeant, A. S. Gremley, Ald. D. Ritchie, C. C. Hayward, John H. Sargeant, D. W. Stothart, D. S. Croaghan and Willis Nicholson, with power to add to their numbers.

Court House (Polling Booth) Committee—T. M. Maltby, Walter Amy, A. A. Davidson, R. A. N. Jarvis, Wm. Corbett, Robt. Galloway, R. W. Crocker, Ald. P. Russell, Wm. Ferguson.

Military Poll Committee—Returned Soldiers Evort, Black, Ernest Robinson, Wm. Gifford and George Masson.

Canvassing Committee—W. S. Loggie (Honorary), Ald. D. Ritchie, James T. Forrest, W. L. Curtis, R. H. Armstrong, A. A. Davidson, G. G. Stohar, George Stables, R. W. Crocker, S. B. Miller, Joseph Andor, H. B. Casidy, George Masson, R. H. Gremley, C. E. Fish, John Ferguson, Wm. Ashford, J. D. Croaghan, S. A. Russell, Ernest Robertson, Wm. Gifford, T. W. Crocker, T. Maltby, H. R. Moody, J. H. Sargeant, John Sobey, D. S. Croaghan, James Stables, James Falconer, John Runnie, E. H. Sinclair, Henry Nevin, John Williamson, John R. Allison, William Dalton, John Clark, C. P. Hayward, Edward O'Donnell, C. P. Stothart, Dr. D. R. Moore. The rooms are open every night.

The Unionist ladies have also opened committee rooms and have a strong organization.

ARE YOU A POLITICIAN?

It is good politics to call at A. D. Farrar & Co.'s Restaurant before attending the big meeting in the Opera House. Their Economy Sale will be in full swing.

TERRIBLE DISASTER AT HALIFAX THIS MORNING

Two Steamers Collide and one Loaded With Ammunition Blows Up---300 Reported Killed and City in Flames

Truro, Dec. 6, 4 p. m.—Latest reports reaching here from Halifax state that it is estimated that the loss of life will reach 300 and that many hundreds have been injured. Explosion took place at nine o'clock this morning when a large munition ship col-

lided with a Red Cross liner and a fire broke out in one of her holds. A terrible explosion occurred. The town from Queen Hotel on Hollis Street to North Station is in ruins. Relief is being rushed in from outside towns. Fire still raging. Hospitals are full.

HYMENEAL

RYAN—WHALEN

The marriage of Miss Annie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Whalen, and James Ryan, C. G. R. operator at Nepadogan, both of Newcastle, was solemnized in St. Mary's church, Monday forenoon at 10.30. Rev. P. W. Dixon, the officiating clergyman. The groom was attended by Lawrence Whalen, brother of the bride, and Miss Angela Ryan, teacher at Edmundston, sister of the groom, was bridesmaid. After wedding dinner at the home of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. Ryan took the southbound limited on a short honeymoon.

SUPREME COURT MEETS HERE

Circuit Court opened Tuesday, His Honor Chief Justice McKeown presiding.

King vs. Sylvain, Gauthreau and Ernest Gardiner, charged with killing an ox belonging to John Morrison. The Attorney-General for

OBITUARY

MISS JANE MITCHELL

One of Miramichi's oldest, most honored and best beloved residents, Miss Jane Mitchell, sister of late Hon. Peter Mitchell, was laid to rest in St. James cemetery yesterday afternoon, services in St. James church by Rev. S. J. MacArthur. There were many who followed the remains to their last resting place. Miss Mitchell died on Sunday at Loggieville where she had resided for some time. She was over 80 years of age, and kept her wonderful faculties of mind in fact to the last.

the Crown and Geo. M. McDade for defence.

King vs. One Gaudet. There is one civil court—Lavinia O'Brien vs. Lounsbury Co. Teed & Teed entered suit.

The jury in the first case disagreed yesterday morning and a new trial was ordered.

NOTICE

TO THE HAPPY HOUR PATRONS

The management of the Happy Hour have pleasure in announcing to their patrons that they have just closed contracts for the pictures to be shown at the Happy Hour during the ensuing year consisting of the greatest line up of stars and pictures ever before shown at one theatre. We have bought the biggest and best that could be had.

We have found however, that on account of the enormous increase in the cost of film rental, that it is necessary for us to pay much more for our pictures than we have in the past.

We have contracted for the entire output of Artcraft, Paramount, Fox and Metro production at a cost equal to that of the Mary Pickford production.

Now we were confronted with the question of arranging for all these pictures at these prices and increasing slightly our admission as a permanent policy, or of buying inferior pictures and charging the same admission prices.

We decided that our patrons would be willing to pay a slight increase in admission to see the biggest stars and production.

We want to show the best made—You want to see them.

We have therefore arranged for the biggest and best pictures and in view of this it will be necessary to slightly change our policy of prices,

viz: to 10c and 15c every evening

Some of the Stars to be seen here in the future

MARY PICKFORD	JULIAN ELTINGE	MOLLIE KING
DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS	LINA CAVALIERI	THEA BARA
GRIFFITH PRODUCTIONS	SESSUE HAYAKAWA	WM. FARNUM
ELSIE FERGUSON	WALLACE REID	DUSTIN FARNUM
DEMILLE PRODUCTIONS	J. PICKFORD-LOUISE HUFF	VIRGINIA PEARSON
GERALDINE FARRAR	VIVIAN MARTIN	JUNE CAPRICE
GEORGE M. COHAN	GEORGE BEBAN	GEORGE WALSH
W. S. HART	ANN PENNINGTON	FRANCIS X. BUSHMAN
MARGUERITE CLARK	CHARLES RAY	BEVERLY BAYNE
BILLIE BURKE	ENID BENNETT	ETHEL BARRYMORE
NADAME PETROVA	PAULINE FREDERICK	LIONEL BARRYMORE
PATTY ARBUCKLE	CHARLES CHAPLIN	LONESOME LUKE

Some of the big Paramount and Artcraft Productions to be shown in the next two months

D. W. Griffiths—"Big Pro-Ally War Picture" Produced on the Battle Fields of France.

Elsie Ferguson—"Barby Sheep". By Robert Hichens.

Geo. M. Cohan—"Seven Keys to Baldpate."

Marguerite Clark—"The Amazon". The famous play by Sir Arthur Wing Pinero.

Marguerite Clark—"In Mary Roberts Rinehart's Sub-Deb series the first being "Bab's Burglar"

Billie Burke—"The Mysterious Miss Terry". By Gilbert Burgess.

"In "The Land of Promise". By W. Somerset Maugham.

Madame Petrova—"The Law of the Land". Geo. Broadhursts Great Play.

Pauline Frederick—"Her Double Cross". By Hector Turnbull.

Julian Eltinge—"Mrs. Raffles Career."

Sessue Hayakawa—"In Wallace Erwin's extraordinary successful Japanese series "Hase Imura Tago"

Jack Pickford—"In The Varmint and Tom Sawyer,

Douglas Fairbanks—"In "Down to Earth"

Mary Pickford—"In "Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm"

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LOGGIEVILLE
At a meeting of "Lilly" lodge No 145, the following letter of sympathy was sent to Mr. William Tait:—
Mr Tait,
Dear Sir & Brother:
It is with sorrow, we, the members of L O E A "Lilly" lodge, No 145, extend to you our heart felt sympathy, in this year hour of sorrow, in the loss of a kind and loving brother, who was taken by the hand of death, and removed from his loved ones.
But, we feel, that God, in His Infinite love, doeth all things well, and that you can at this time look to Him and say with the servant of old "Al though He smiteth me, yet shall I believe and trust in Him" Always, trusting that this parting is only temporary, and there will soon be a reunion above where parting is no more.
Again, we extend to you our sincere sympathy.
We are
Yours fraternally,
MRS ELROY PEKCY—W M
ZENA WALLS—M S
Friday evening, the 23rd inst, was the date chosen by the citizens of this town, to show their appreciation of the services rendered our country by Pte. Kyzmcoff and Pte Hersey, who were, some time ago, invalided home. Mr Robert Loggie was chairman of the meeting which was held in the Temperance hall. Eloquent addresses were given by Rev Father Roach and Rev W B Rosborough. The combined choir of St. Andrews' and Knox churches rendered two selections in a credible manner, the solo parts were nicely sung by Miss Shirley McDonald and Haas Jenkins. A special feature of the evening was the music rendered by the Loggieville Orange Band, which, in making rapid strides forward under the efficient leadership of John Stapleton of Chatham. During the evening a beautiful club bag was presented to each of the returned heroes.
John Orr and family have moved to Rexton, where they will reside for a time.
A memorial service was held in Knox church on the evening of the 25th inst, in honor of Pte. John Duncan McKenzie, who died a German prisoner. In front of the pulpit was placed the honor roll of the church draped with a Union Jack. Flags also decorated the pulpit platform. Potted plants, and a few flowers added considerably to the appearance of the building. An unusually large congregation assembled to pay the last tribute of respect to another of our fallen heroes. Rev. W B Rosborough was the speaker. His sermon was based on the words of the 13th verse of the 15th chapter of St. John's gospel, viz:—"Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends." The special music by the choir consisted of the anthem "Safely they rest", a duet "Beyond the vale of tears" and a male quartette "Going down the valley one by one." The hymns were in keeping with the occasion. At the conclusion of the service, just before the benediction was pronounced, the Dead march in Saul was played by the organist. The service was the first of its kind held in Knox church.
Mr and Mrs John Edge of Amherst are spending some time with relatives in this town.

Eight Nurses Are Graduated
A New York Hospital Superintended by a Newcastle Girl Makes Good Showing
Eight nurses received their diplomas at the graduation exercises of St. Joachim's training school, Watertown, N. Y., Nov 21st ult. This very successful school is under the superintendence of Miss Adelaide Harriman, daughter of Mrs. Harriman of Green Street, Newcastle, N. B., and sister of F. P. Harriman of C. G. R., Newcastle. The graduating class were the following: Miss Olive Beatrice Regan, Miss Mary Cecelia Cain, Mrs. Florence Eucogene Rossely, Miss Roberta Salmon Babcock, Miss Muriel Eileen Woldon, Sister Mary Agnes, Miss Mary Theresa Hennessy and Miss Hilda Genevieve Cavanaugh.
Dr. H. L. Smith presented the graduating class.
"In presenting this class for graduation," he said, "I am sure I should be derelict in my duty did I not say a few words to you in regard to the manner in which their work has been accomplished, and to assure you that the high degree of efficiency which they have maintained in their class work has been made possible largely through the assiduous efforts of our very capable and worthy superintendent of nurses, Miss Adelaide Harriman. I have seen many classes graduated from St. Joachim's school and while some of them have been fully as good, surely none have been superior to the one we are here to honor tonight. There are many qualifications a nurse should possess, if she hopes to become a marked success. First she must possess an unquestioned integrity of character, a devout love for her Divine Creator, and intense desire to carry on His works. Born and reared with these fundamental principles, she can scarcely help but attain the high ideals of her chosen career. Such a class, I have faith to believe, I am presenting to the world tonight, and whether their lives shall be spent within our city, and the peaceful surroundings of our country, or given up to the grim monster death amidst the awful carnage of battle on the distant fields of Europe, I am unable to say. But of one thing I am certain, that there will be no faltering where duty calls."
The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength, by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Cure that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address: F J Cheney & Co, Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

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All women ought to know the wonderful effects of taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound even on those who seem hopelessly ill. Here are three actual cases:
Harrisburg, Penn.—"When I was single I suffered a great deal from female weakness because my work compelled me to stand all day. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for that and was made stronger by its use. After I was married I took the Compound again for a female trouble and after three months I passed what the doctor called a growth. He said it was a miracle that it came away as one generally goes under the knife to have them removed. I never want to be without your Compound in the house."—Mrs. FRANK KNOBL, 1642 Fulton St., Harrisburg, Penn.
Hardly Able to Move.
Albert Lea, Minn.—"For about a year I had sharp pains across my back and hips and was hardly able to move around the house. My head would ache and I was dizzy and had no appetite. After taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Liver Pills, I am feeling stronger than for years. I have a little boy eight months old and am doing my work all alone. I would not be without your remedies in the house as there are none like them."—Mrs. F. E. YOST, 611 Water St., Albert Lea, Minn.
Three Doctors Gave Her Up.
Pittsburg, Penn.—"Your medicine has helped me wonderfully. When I was a girl 18 years old I was always sickly and delicate and suffered from irregularities. Three doctors gave me up and said I would go into consumption. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and with the third bottle began to feel better. I soon became regular and I got strong and shortly after I was married. Now I have two nice stout healthy children and am able to work hard every day."—Mrs. CLEMENTINA DUERRING, 34 Gardner St., Troy Hill, Pittsburg, Penn.
All women are invited to write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for special advice.—it will be confidential.

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Dear Mother:—
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Blissfield
Blissfield, Nov 27—The weather for the past few days has been very fine.
Mrs Lavina Mersereau was calling on Mrs John Sutherland one day last week.
Miss Gracie Weaver spent Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs James C Weaver.
Sergt. Major McCullum spent the week end with friends in Blissfield.
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Mr Thomas Moran made a flying trip to Doaktown on Tuesday.
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Mr Edward Hogan of the Forks was calling on Mr. Mathew Bowes Sunday last.
The stork visited Mr and Mrs Ww Colford Sunray last; it's a girl.

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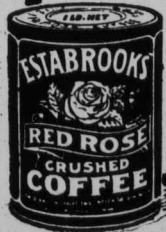
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GRAND DIVISION ENDORSES UNION GOVERNMENT

Order Has 2277 Paid-Up Members—Prohibition Working Well—Greater Devotion to the Order Urged

The 70th annual session of the N. B. Grand Division Sons of Temperance, which met in Newcastle Temperance Hall November 28th and 29th ult., was attended by 21 delegates from 10 divisions. The two Mocton delegates, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Atwood, did not arrive until Thursday morning.

Geo. A. Fawcett, of Middle Sackville, G. W. P., presided.

The G. W. P.'s report referred in laudatory and patriotic terms to the great war and the part taken in it by members of the Order. Some divisions are so drained of members by the war that they have ceased meeting. The 75th anniversary of the National Division of North America held in Boston last September had been a most successful one. N. B. had been well represented by Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Hennigar and Joshua Stark of St. John and Past Most Worthy Patriarch Rev. R. H. Stavert of Norton.

The new provincial prohibitory law was generally working well. The government's appointment of a convicted violator of the law as Vendor for Shediac under the Canada Temperance Act was, however, resented by the temperance people, and Premier Foster had been personally appealed to remedy the grievance.

Grand Scribe, reported 42 divisions in good standing. Of these 22 had paid per capita tax to September 30, 1917, and the other 20 were one or more quarters in arrears. 7 divisions are suspended for non-payment of per capita tax.

The gain in membership in 6 months had been 59; loss 66—net loss 7.

Present membership on returns sent in	\$1277
Divisions reported in good standing	909
Total	2186

7—That we record our high sense of admiration for our grand officers, who have given of their time, energies and means, in discharging the important duties of their several offices during the Grand Division year now closing.

8—That the Grand Division record its surprise and concern that a convicted violator of Sectt Act should be appointed vendor under the act for the Town of Shediac. Further, that we register our protest in strong terms, and that we request most respectfully that the Premier, Hon. W. E. Foster be asked to cancel the appointment and name some man with a clean record and one acceptable to the Temperance people.

9—That the Grand Division has the greatest pleasure in endorsing the efforts of the Chief of Police George Rideout of the city of Moncton in suppressing illicit liquor selling in Moncton and other places in the County of Westmorland.

10—That our thanks be extended to the Press for courtesies shown, or that may be shown, in giving publicity to our deliberations.

Yours in L. P. and F.
(Sgd) B. H. THOMAS
W. H. ANDERSON
C. EDGAR COOK

Both reports were adopted.

A short devotional service in honor of the Order's dead in Europe was held by Rev. B. H. Thomas.

It was decided to hold next semi-annual session in Middle Sackville, on the first Thursday and Friday of July.

Adjournd

New Vessel Launched in N. S.

N. S. and T. Co., of Which H. A. Frank of Millerton is a Member, Build a Schooner in Less Than Four Months

(Liverpool Advance)

On Saturday afternoon (Nov. 10th, 1917) about five o'clock, there was launched at the shipyard of the Nova Scotia Shipbuilding & Transportation Co., in Bristol, from Slip No. 1, a tern schooner of about 450 gross tons. The keel, which is 118 ft. in length between perpendiculars, was laid on July 27th. This is a remarkably short time to complete a vessel of this size, considering the fact that at the same time, the plant was installed and a second vessel was framed and partly ceiled. The vessel was christened the "Ruby W." by Miss Vivian Gardner, daughter of J. S. Gardner, the master builder.

The vessel is owned by Captain Walter Wrightson, of Mobile, Alabama, who is so well pleased with the construction, that he has placed an order for another vessel, to be an exact duplicate, with the above firm.

Liverpool should consider itself proud to have within its limits a shipyard which set the pace in modern, up-to-date equipment. The yard from which the above vessel was launched was the first shipyard building wooden vessels, in the Maritime Provinces to install a complete compressed air equipment.

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SUNNY CORNER

Sunny Corner, Nov. 27—Misses Ida and Jennie Mullin spent Sunday at the former's home here.

Mr and Mrs George Leach and family have moved up from Nelson for the winter.

Miss Roberts Johnston left for Boston the 27th. She was accompanied by her aunt, Mrs. Mary Johnston, Redbank.

Mrs. Belle McTavish is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Albert Torer.

Mrs. Hubert Matchett was the guest of Mrs. Charles Mullin Sunday.

The river is frozen over at Sunny Corner and every one is taking advantage of the excellent skating.

Quite a number of ladies and gentlemen attended the political meetings Saturday and Monday evenings. Both parties gave impressive address es.

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SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS

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In certain districts a homesteader may secure an adjoining quarter section as pre-emption Price \$3 00 per acre Duties—Reside Six months in each of three years after earning homestead patent and cultivate 50 acres extra. May obtain pre-emption patent as soon as homestead patent on certain conditions.

A settler after obtaining homestead patent, if he cannot secure a pre-emption in certain districts Price \$3 00 per acre Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate 50 acres and erect a house worth \$300.00 Holders of entries may count time of employment as farm laborers in Canada during 1917, as residence duties under certain conditions.

When Dominion Lands are arreverted or posted for entry, returned soldiers who have served overseas and have been honorably discharged, receive one day priority in applying for entry at local Agent's Office (but not Sub-Agency). Discharge papers must be presented to Agent.

W. W. CORY,
Deputy Minister of the Interior
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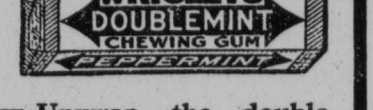
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Italians Hold the German Lines Back on the Brenna and Piave

London, Nov 25—In the battle of Nov 20-21, near Cambrai, the British captured 40 square miles of land and ten villages.

London, Nov 25—In the capture of Bourlon Wood and village, the British have obtained one of the most important points since the battle of the 20th and 21st.

Rome, Nov 27—The formidable Austro-German attack between the Brenna and Piave rivers, began on Thursday, continues with undiminished intensity. The Italians are resisting successfully and inflicting heavy losses. French troops are pouring through the Alpine passes to day. Relief is in sight for Italy.

Rome, Nov 28—Within the last twenty-four hours, Italian troops, as summing the offensive, have smashed German first and second lines, inflicting tremendous losses on the invaders. With the French and British aid now rapidly approaching the front, Rome looks for a decisive strategic step of vast importance.

Washington, Nov 30—One and a quarter million Frenchmen have given their lives valiantly to the war and a similar number have been seriously wounded, out of an army of 7,000,000, according to Representative Johnson of Washington State. Just back from the west front, Johnson declares he has these figures on the authority of a French General.

London, Nov 30—British casualties reported during the month of November totalled 120,089, divided as follows:—

Officers, killed or died of wounds, 1,152; men 24,292.

Officers, wounded or missing, 3,537; men, 91,108.

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DOMINION ALLIANCE MEET IN NEWCASTLE

Seventh Annual Session the Most Successful Yet—Prohibition in Nearly Every Other County—Good Balance on Hand—E. A. McCurdy one of the Executive

The seventh annual convention of the N B Branch of the Dominion Temperance Alliance convened in St James Hall, Newcastle, yesterday afternoon, at 2 o'clock.

Officers and delegates present: were Donald Fraser, Plaster Rock, Pres; Rev Thomas Marshall, Fairville 1st V P.

W G Clark, Fredericton, Treasurer; Rev W D Wilson, Fredericton, Chief Inspector for N B; Rev C Flemington, Secretary, Andover.

Northumberland Co Temperance Alliance—Joseph Ander, Sec., Newcastle.

N B Sons of Temperance—James Falconer, G. W. P. Newcastle; Past G. W. P., Rev. R. H. Stavert, Norton; Rev W R Robinson, G. S., St. John; Newcastle Methodist Church—Rev. Dr. C. W. Squires, John H. Ashford, H. Stuart, Mrs T A Clarke, H P Atkinson.

Newcastle Sons of Temperance—Miss Helen McLeod.

Newcastle W. C. T. U.—Mrs Bessie Gough, Mrs J W Miller.

Newcastle Presbyterian Church—Rev. S. J. Macarthur.

Newcastle Baptist Church—C. C. Hayward.

Chatham Methodist Church—Rev. J J Pinkerton.

New Mills Presbyterian Church—Rev. F. L. Jobb.

Doughstoun Sons of Temperance—R. H. Jessamin.

Redbank Presbyterian Church—Rev J. F. McCurdy.

Charlotte Co. Temperance Alliance—C. N. Vroom, Secretary, St. Stephen.

York Co. Temperance Alliance—E. H. Clarkson, Pres., Cross Creek.

New Bandon Sons of Temperance—Rev. H. C. Upton.

Fredericton Methodist Church—Rev. Geo. M. Young, Ald. James M. Lemont.

St John W C T U—Mrs R D Christie, Mrs. J. W. Seymour.

Sackville Methodist Church—Rev. H. E. Thomas.

Hampton Station Baptist Church—C. W. Newman.

Zion Methodist Church, St. John—Rev. F. E. Boothroyd.

Loggville Presbyterian Church—J. W. S. Babbirk.

Inspectors under Prohibition Act—Gloucester Co East—J. B. Blackard, Grand Anse.

Gloucester West—J. M. DeGrace, Beresford.

Madwaaska—Aurele Serube, Edmundston.

Campbellton—Timothy T. Mann.

Kent Co. East—Albert F. Coates, Coates Mills.

Kent Co North—Leo Daigle, Richibucto.

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Victoria and Carleton—R. W. Deming, Arococtock Jet.

Chatham Town and Northumberland Co.—James Davidson and Harry Brobeck.

Restigouche Co. East—Wilfred McLean, Black Point.

Devotional services were led by Rev F L Jobb.

The report of the Executive said that the hopes of the Alliance re Prohibition had been more than realized. The Field Secretary, Rev W D Wilson had proved most efficient. An advisory committee had been appointed consisting of the President, V. P. and Treasurer.

In St John city from May 1 to Nov 30, 1916, charges of drunkenness at Police Court, were \$65, in the corresponding part of 1917 only 136. Similar improvement was noted in Campbellton, Bathurst, Edmundston.

A provincial council was also chosen the North Shore members of which are: Joseph Ander, C C Hayward, E A McCurdy, H H Stuart, Newcastle; Rev Dr Wyllie, Rev J J Pinkerton, Chatham; A C McG Mac Donald, Campbellton; Rev F L Jobb, New Mills; Geo N Clarke, Rexton; M A Kelly, Campbellton; W R Mac Millan, Jacquet River; Wm Anderson, Burnt Church; Rev Father Doucet, Grand Anse; Rev W McN Matthews, Bathurst.

The officers and E A McCurdy, Rev W D Wilson, J Willard Smith, T H Estabrooks, C W Weyman, J M Lamont and Mesdames A C M Lawson, R D Christie and J W Seymour are the Executive.

Several resolutions were passed. One expressed regret at illness and absence of Mr A C M Lawson, also showing appreciation of good work of the Provincial Inspector Rev W D Wilson and thanking St James church for use of hall.

In the evening a public meeting was held addressed by Revs W D Wilson, W R Robinson, T Marshall, S J Macarthur and Mr Donald Fraser.

Next convention will be held in Sackville.

PERSONALS

Mrs C C Hubbard spent Saturday in Moncton.

Mr W J MacNeil of Campbellton was a visitor in town this week.

Mr James D Lyon of Millerton who was severely injured last week is improving.

Mr A C Chapman Union's candidate in Westmorland was a visitor to Newcastle last week.

The Misses Rachael and Muriel Underhill of Underhill, spent Saturday in Newcastle.

Mrs C C Crocker of Millerton who has been in St John undergoing treatment has returned home improved in health.

Gr. Clarence Crocker of Millerton who recently returned from overseas was in Newcastle last week renewing acquaintances.

Mr F E Ives, Passenger Agent of the Great Northern Railway, Montreal, spent Sunday here the guest of Mr and Mrs W F Copp, on route to Halifax, N S.

Miss Angela Ryan of Edmundston, was in town this week attending the wedding of her brother, Mr James Ryan to Miss Annie Whelan.

Miss Jessie M Lyon for the past three years stenographer for the Miller Extracts Ltd of Millerton has been transferred to the head office of that company in Montreal and left for Montreal on Monday.

Mrs Jane McMurray who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs Wm Onasbee at Pannacook, Mass, for some time, returned home this week. Mrs Onasbee accompanied her and will spend a few weeks in town.

Mrs Richards, Lady Superintendent of the Miramichi Hospital, returned on Monday from a short visit to Battle Creek, Mich. Mrs Richards also visited Montreal, Toronto and other cities en route and studied the methods used in the management of the leading hospitals.

Over \$500,000 For Victory Loan

Northumberland Answers well to Appeal for Money To Carry on The War

Northumberland county has raised \$569,575 for the Victory Loan—\$507,550 new business and \$62,025 conversions. The share of Northumberland East was \$235,950 new business and \$1000 conversions—total \$236,950. The amount raised by Northumberland West was \$271,600 new business and \$61,025 conversions—total \$332,625. The Chatham district had 569 applicants; the Newcastle district, 824—total 1393.

The Secretary for the Newcastle district was J A Creaghan, who was ably assisted by D A Jackson. Both, along with their corps of canvassers, and J D Creaghan, Superintendent of the District, and his capable committees, deserve the greatest praise for their work.

The detailed result in the Newcastle district is as follows:

Canvasser	New Business	Applicants
J E T Lindon	\$66850	172
E Connolly	60550	163
W Amy	19150	97
J D Koane	1050	7
Bank of N S	25800	58
Royal Bank	19100	18
	182,500	515
..... Nelson	.....	.....
G P Burchill	\$28100	87
Derby	.....	.....
J J Clarke	14,850	39
John Bet's	5350	21
R W Robertson	350	4
	20,550	64
..... Blissfield	.....	.....
Dr John Wier	\$20,150	49
Ludlow	.....	.....
Hedley McClosky	6050	44
E Hovey	1600	18
Howard Holmes	250	3
	7900	65
..... South Esk	.....	.....
Stanley Tozer	\$5400	15
Blackville	.....	.....
A Alcorn	3800	8
D P Sullivan	750	6
	4550	14
..... North Esk	.....	.....
John Aylward	2400	14
Total	271,600	824
..... Conversions	.....	.....
Newcastle:		
J E T Lindon	\$47,300	
E Connolly	11,800	
W Amy	1925	
	\$61,025	
Total	\$332,625	

London, Dec 3—East Africa, Germany's last colony, has been completely cleared of the enemy, the last German troops having taken refuge in Portuguese territory.

On the 30th ult the Germans gained some ground near Cambrai. On the 2nd the British had regained some of the lost territory. On the 3rd they were compelled to leave it, but took it the same day. The Germans claim 6000 British prisoners. The Italians are holding fast.

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UPPER BLACKVILLE
The weather has been very nice for the past few days.
A number of young men have been to Newcastle and Fredericton to pass examinations for the war.
Several of our young boys are in the woods lumbering.
Miss Helen Campbell was visiting the Misses Charline Morehouse and Grace M Martin.
Miss Helen Campbell and Grace Martin were visiting Mr. Alexander Connors Sunday last.
The Red and Blue clubs were held at Mrs. Cuthbert Donald's home on Friday of last week. There was a large attendance.
The Morehouses and Dunphy schools are preparing for a Christmas entertainment.

STRONGLY URGES ALL TO SUPPORT UNION GOV'T.

Rev. S. J. Macarthur in Stirring Sermon Puts Issue Squarely Before Congregation—Union The Only Solution

In St. James Presbyterian church, Sunday night, the pastor, Rev. S. J. Macarthur, addressed a large audience on questions pertaining to the War and the Election.
Rev. Mr. Macarthur spoke from the passage contained in St. Mark X:45-48, which tells of James and John seeking from the Savior the best places in the earthly kingdom they expected He would soon set up.
Rev. Mr. Macarthur spoke, with all his heart and soul, and, in part, as follows:
The two men who wished to be respectively the Savior's Premier and Chancellor of the Exchequer were driven by the same malignant spirit of worldly ambition that was soon to cause the death of their Master and later of themselves. What group that those men should ask for places in a nation soon to be wiped out! If Jesus had not been more than human neither they nor He would ever have been heard of again. For the Jews were hastening to their downfall.
Another scene—Alexander the Great wiping the blood off his sword and exclaiming that there were no more worlds to conquer. Before Alexander's time the Greeks fought over trivial things unconscious of the danger hanging over them. Listen to Demosthenes thundering against Philip and trying to rouse the States of Greece to union. Imagine his hearers shrugging their shoulders and exclaiming there was nothing in it. But soon Philip's armies swept down and Greece was Greece no more.
Consider the chosen people of God. They thought God would save them whatever they did, but they were dispersed abroad.
I was much exercised over the propriety of taking up this question. But I argued the matter out and I feel my bounden duty to speak out.
I want to read what Mr. White an American, says of the hundreds of thousands of French and Belgians torn from their homes and forced into slavery, of the streams of broken humanity sent home through Switzerland, the adults dying of the

white plague and the children for lack of nourishment.
Deliberate misrepresentations are being made to people to win votes. The other day in this town a woman was threatened if she voted for conscription.
Saturday I went into a house where the people do very little reading. The woman has one son in France; one, who was turned down, is now married in St. John; and one boy left at home. Into that home went a man who knew better and told her if she voted for Loggie and conscription her last son would have to go, but if she voted for Morrison he would be left home. The man lied! That boy will not have to go even if the local tribunal says he has to. All such cases will be exempted.
The Minister of Public Works, in the local government went to Bay du Vin a week ago Thursday and said there was no need of further recruits, as only 3,200 Canadians had been killed altogether. Fred Williamson told him he knew that 32,000 had been killed and the total casualties were 100,000—he had a paper at home to prove it. Hon. Mr. Veniot said it was not so. While Mr. Williamson was away for the paper the meeting closed.
It is the basest treachery to decry the brave self sacrifice those men have made on the field of battle. We ought to have the truth told—no lies! Why did Mr. Veniot say that at Bay du Vin? Because he through the people there were ignorant!
When I am told I ought to vote against the Union Government, because the Conservative party did so, and so, I reply that the Conservative party is out of existence.
I am told that the rifle the Canadian troops had at first burned their hands. That rifle was made by the Liberal Government and supported by Sam Hughes.
Politics do not count with me. My father was an active Liberal who loved the old party. I scorn to think were he alive today he would desert his son at the front and his nineteen year old grandson, my boy, whom I could have held back another year, who is training to go in the aviation corps where the chances are 10 to 1 he will never return.
The man who would desert the soldiers is not worthy of support. I think he is in the position of the two men in the text who wanted a place.
It is reported that the Germans deliberately bombed Red Cross hospitals, and afterwards dropped letters threatening destruction of all hospitals that were not 20 miles back of the front. Why? To have soldiers die before reaching the hospital! Mr. White also states that out of 10,000 to 12,000 Allied women were done by German officers for by their orders—not by the rank and file.
The blood of the Canadians who died in France and Flanders is smeared on our door posts to save us. As the Germans did in France and Belgium they are doing in Italy today. Nothing but the sacrifice of Major Belyea and the other 32,000 Canadians has so far saved us.
Supposing, if the Union Government is voted out, our 62,000 men at the front, with only 35,000 infantry to reinforce them, leave the trenches and refuse to fight to save a people that will not help them! Would they not be justified? Would the British and French shoot them? I think not. But peace might come at once. And then all Canada and the U. S. A. would have to conscript every man for the next conflict.
Had it not been for the Canadians who have died we should now be under the heel of Germany. For Britain is taxed to the utmost. France is bled white.
Canadian losses the last four months have greatly exceeded the recruits. In less than three months the reinforcements will be used up.
Friday or Saturday I was told that one returned soldier was saying that Canadian soldiers at the front were against conscription and not in need of it. I have not met him. But I have yet to meet one man—and I have talked with about fifty—who does not say that more men are needed.
I talked with a Frenchman who was with Major Belyea, and he said men were needed. And so all of them. Major Papineau, a cousin of Bourassa, since killed, wrote to Bourassa urging him to change his anti-conscription course. I have in my hand a copy of Major Leger's letter urging conscription. He is the son of an anti-conscription candidate, and glorifies that 6,000 Canadians are in the ranks. Major Gordon, who has been through all the Canadian trenches,

and whom I have heard myself, says more men are needed. And so do all the wounded men I've met—some wounded three and four times. The young Frenchman I spoke of said he couldn't understand why any one opposed conscription—why anyone refuses to go.
This is not a political contest. E. M. McDonald—one of the three in line for the next Liberal premiership—who supported Sir Wilfrid to the very last, refuses to run again. No man can put his finger upon any act of F. B. Carvell's tarnishing his reputation for honesty. The son he brought up—he had none of his own—and who married his daughter, is dead at the front. And men who have sons who can't go or won't go rise up and say Carvell is bought! Both sides have been corrupt in the past. But those men who left Laurier did so from principle.
I cannot see where the question of religion comes into the present contest. Nearly half of Germany and practically all of Austria—two-thirds of the Central Empires—is Roman Catholic. And the most Catholic country in the world is Belgium, where Cardinal Mercier, one of the world's great men, for standing out against Germany is silenced today, gagged by Germany. Only four or five weeks ago two of his leading clergymen were shot, and I suppose he is silent today to save what are left of his innocent clergy and parishioners. The Pope asked Emperor Charles of Austria to see that the atrocities perpetrated in France and Belgium be not repeated in Italy, but Germans are with the Austrians and the same things are being done in Italy. Women and children there are used as screens for the Austro-German armies.
He who votes in this election for any candidate because of the latter's religion has not good sense. Vote for the men who will stand behind the soldiers.

If I were a bitter hater of the Roman Catholic church (and you know I am not; at college some of my warmest pals were Catholics, and some of my warmest friends are Catholics) I would sing a te deum for what has happened in France and Belgium and Italy. There is a renaissance of religion in France. France after the war will be one of the most religious of countries. But her religion will not be Protestant. If I controlled the Roman Catholic church in Canada I would go to the succor of France. Quebec has been banded and hoodooed by both political parties for years. I hope the three brilliant Frenchmen who have come to Canada to speak will be successful.
This is not a political contest nor a religious one. He who deliberately sets French and English against each other is an enemy to his country. There are both Protestant and Roman Catholic clergymen in Canada against conscription. If one opposes conscription and advises his people to let the other side go so that they may buy their lands, the other side are apt to stay home too. He who raises one church against another is no friend of liberty or his country. The rights of all citizens should be respected.
He or she who votes against Union Government and the Military Service Act helps Germany to grind the bayonets that are pointed against the breasts of our men.
Every man or woman who votes for Union and the act helps to blunt the German bayonets and give our boys a better chance.
Every vote for Union lessens the chance of your last boy being drafted. If you've a boy at the front your boy at home is exempt.
Defeat of the Union Government and Military Service Act will take the heart out of the boys at the front, and encourage the Germans who seek to kill them.
If you vote to do that you are so misguided (without knowing it, perhaps) you are a traitor to the interest of your boys at the front. We must stand behind them. Who is the man or woman base enough or foolish enough to lift up the hand to encourage the Kaiser and make faint the hearts of those who are upholding our cause at the front? A great principle is at stake. I will vote for Loggie and ask my wife to do likewise. I don't want the blood of Belgium and the 32,000 dead Canadians on my soul or my family's souls. I will vote for the Military Service Act, remembering that Israel fell, that Greece fell because they forgot. I think that many Canadians have

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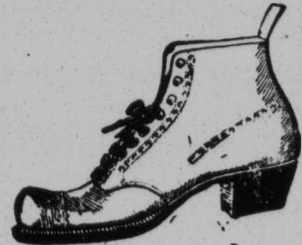
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To Back up the Boys—
To Hasten Victory—
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Unionist Party Publicity Committee.

SON OF LAURIER CANDIDATE STRONG FOR UNION POLICY

Major J. Arthur Leger Welcomes Conscription.---- While 6,000 are in Khaki, He Acadians Does not Understand Attitude of Quebec.----Says the Party of Neglect will Have to Answer to Soldiers After the War.

Hon J B M Baxter, of St John, has received the following letter from Major J Arthur Leger, of the 165th Battalion, now overseas, and son of Auguste T Leger, the Laurier-Liberal candidate in Kent County:

France, August 9th, 1917
Dear Mr Baxter:
Canadian news filters through to us here rather slowly, and it was only a day or so ago that I heard definitely that the Conscription Bill had passed in Canada. It is needless to say I am pleased. You have long known my sentiments in the matter. The Government would have been well advised had it forsaken all niceties of sentiment at the very outbreak of war, and enacted conscription at once. As it is, any opposition to the present enactment will have to contend with every Canadian in khaki irrespective of his national origin or religion and after the war the factor to contend with in Canada will not be the short-sighted and irresolute pacifist, but the clear seeing and resolute man who saw the need of the times and sacrificed his own and family's interests in the interest of the cause of humanity and civilization.

The attitude of my own compatriots of French origin has been an awkward one for myself and other Acadian soldiers to explain to our comrades here and to others with whom we come into contact. Only the other day I had an audience with Monsieur Pichon, formerly French Minister of Foreign Affairs. Like all others with whom I have conversed, he failed to understand the French Canadian attitude and naturally could not appreciate the nice differences between French Canadian and Acadian. To say the least, it is humiliating to myself and compatriots to have to constantly explain why the

people at home do not more vigorously champion the Allies' cause. The public men of Canada who have instilled the germ of non-participation in the war into the hearts of the people of French origin have incurred a most grave responsibility. By their traitorous and seditious propaganda, they would succeed in blasting the honourable people. I do not set myself up as my brother's keeper and if certain individuals have not a sufficiently wide conception of their duty to volunteer their services in the nation's interests I shall not judge them. (It is the nation's duty to see that the decision be not left to them) but, speaking as an Acadian and a soldier, I consider no punishment too severe for the individual who undertakes in such times as these to further his own or some individual interest by educating a people into his own insular bigotry.

There has been altogether too much politics in Canada, and too great a deference to political expediency. The Canadian soldier in France today is not a Conservative nor a Liberal. He is simply a British subject fighting in the defence of the Empire. In the cold, grim business of grappling with death, there is little time for tolerance of party interests, especially when such interests interfere with the business of war. The party man who neglects the soldier for his party will answer to the soldiers after the war and after deposing Prussian militarism Canadian politics will not allow them.

The French people of Canada have a grievance, and a serious grievance. No French people of Canada feels that grievance more keenly than I do. Every drop of my blood is French, and if I'm spared to return from this war, no one will be louder in his demand for justice to the French people than I shall be. But that grievance is secondary. It is insignificant compared with the issues of this war. No honorable man would stand passively by and watch his mother being assaulted by an unscrupulous murderer, and justify his attitude by the statement that he was self-supporting and his mother was not essential to his being, or by the statement that on one or two occasions his mother had unjustly punished him in childhood. To err is human. Nations err like individuals. Britain has erred on occasions, but on the whole she has been a good mother to us, and the recreant who would preach against assisting her in her present need is too craven to be spoken of as a man. The tolerated existence of such an individual cries aloud to heaven for vengeance.

The French people of Canada have been duped by unconscious leaders of all political complexions. The national and religious cry has been worked overtime for several years back, and instead of being suppressed at the outbreak of war was fanned into more vigorous flame. The Acadian or French Canadian has had this campaign to combat in making his decision in the matter of enlisting. His English speaking fellow citizen has, on the other hand, been aided in his decision by a carefully conducted educational campaign in the duties of citizenship. That there should be discrepancies in the response from these two factions is not to be wondered at under the circumstances. Personally I believe that the Acadians have responded as heartily as other native-born Canadians. To my personal knowledge over 6,000 out of our comparatively small population have come overseas. To all true Acadians, it is a most disappointing fact that these men have lost their identity in the C. E. F. by being merged indiscriminately into English-speaking units with the result that the Acadian race is now sharing in the opprobrium everywhere being showered on the French Canadian.

I welcome conscription, and every other Canadian soldier welcomes it. Not alone because it is going to support us in our efforts, but also because it will save our national honour—save our brothers from their own near-sightedness. The Canadian young man is not a coward. The so-called sallow is not a coward. He simply doesn't see his duty—doesn't realize the needs of the hour. We are all at times prone to condemn such lack of perception, but when we consider that it took the whole American nation to the south of us three years to see light, we are forced to give our own young men the benefit of the doubt. As an eminent French orator said the other day in excusing such tardiness, "the thousands of miles of cold ocean lying between Europe and America



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makes a very poor conductor of patriotic fire." The so-called "slack" owing to his being far removed from the evidence of Hun atrocities, fails to see the crying need of France and Britain—the plight of civilization will relieve him of the necessity of appreciating this need—it will save him from himself, and save Canada's honour before mankind.

I repeat that the Canadian soldier is pleased at the adoption of conscription. His faith in the governors of the country has been somewhat restored. He was, to use his own term, "fed-up" with the existing state of affairs which permitted eligible young men to vigorously take part in sports and pleasures at home while he was undergoing the privations of the damned in their defence in France. Each succeeding newspaper from Canada added to his righteous wrath and it is my honest opinion that the Government did not come to his aid any too soon.

Your sincere friend,
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NAVIGATION CLOSED EARLY
The last boat from Newcastle to Chatham ran on the 27th ult. On the 29th, workmen crossed from Chatham to Millbank on foot.

INCREASE IN SEPARATION ALLOWANCE
An order in council has been passed to increase the separation allowance to the dependents of private soldiers from \$20 to \$25 per month, from December 1st. This action of the new Union Government is to be highly commended.

RETIRES TO PRIVATE LIFE
Lieut. A. S. MacNaughton who for the past two years has been quartermaster at the Wireless Garrison, has at his own request, been relieved of his duties here and leaves shortly for his home in Black River, N. B. Lieut. MacNaughton has made many friends while stationed here who will regret his departure from Newcastle. He has always been active in both the sporting and social life of the garrison and will be much missed by the boys of that unit.

SMELT FISHING SEASON OPENS
Smelt fishing in New Brunswick opened on the 29th and hundreds of nets were set from coasts and from the ice at many places in the province. The quality and quantity caught in the Miramichi last week were small, but better this week. The fishermen got ten cents a pound last week, but expect to get more soon. At Rexton the price paid the fishermen was 7 cents per pound. Collectors of customs are authorized to license, the export, of dried, cured, prepared, salted and smoked fish from Canada to the United States. The U.S. is the principal market for smelt's.

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JOINS FLYING CORPS
William V Creaghan, a member of No 9 Siege Battery, and son of Mr JD Creaghan, has gone to Halifax to take preliminary examinations preparatory to joining the flying corps.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED
Mr and Mrs James H Dale, Blackville, announce the engagement of their second daughter, Miss Ida Elizabeth Dale to Mr Stephen Decatur Bagley, supervisor of Westboro State Hospital, Westboro, Mass. The marriage to take place at an early date.

MR CARVELL COMING SATURDAY
The electors of Newcastle will be given an opportunity of hearing Hon F. B. Carvell tell why he joined the Union Government and why Mr W S Loggie should be supported, on Saturday evening in the Opera House. As Mr Carvell also speaks in Chatham the same evening, the meeting will open at seven o'clock sharp. Mr Loggie and Mr W B Snowball will also address the gathering.

NEWCASTLE GIRL ACCEPTS POSITION IN U.S.
Miss Marion E. Harvey has accepted a position as laboratory nurse and anesthetist at Newton Hospital Newton Lower Falls, Mass. Miss Harvey is a graduate of Newton Hospital of the Class of 1912 and has just completed a course in Laboratory work under Professor Walters of the Boston University and "anesthesia" under Dr. Mary Leavitt. Edit. NI NU

TWO CHATHAM MEN WHO HAVE DONE THEIR BIT ARE HOME

Two more of Chatham's young heroes arrived home last week from the battle scarred fields of France, Danie Woods and Harold Clark. The former enlisted with the 6th Mounted Rifles and went overseas with that unit, being severely wounded in the leg at the battle of Hooge in June 1916, and has since been in various hospitals in England. Private Clark went overseas with the 132nd and was drafted over a year ago and was drafted to France shortly after his arrival in England. He was wounded in the neck and face at Vimy Ridge. Both these young soldiers are receiving a hearty welcome home from their many friends.

MAJOR CAMERON IN NEW POSITION

The command of the Wireless Garrison has been taken over by Capt Edgar March, late of the 26th Battalion. Lt Fowle remains with him, next in command. Major A S Cameron who has been very popular in Newcastle, has been appointed to the command of the overseas depot which has been established at Chatham in connection with the recent selective draft and men who have not yet complied with the Military Service Act are advised to report immediately to Major Cameron who will establish an office in the Army building here. For the present this depot will receive only men of this class. As it is to their own benefit to report immediately the O C will be glad to get information at once as to the location of men who have as yet failed to register or make claim for exemption. Major Cameron made many friends while in Newcastle, who regret to learn of his departure, but congratulate him on his promotion.

CHATHAM LADIES MEET MONDAY
The Ladies of Chatham who support Union Government will meet in the Town Hall, Chatham on Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

LADY VOTERS ATTENTION
The last day for the revision of lists by the enumerator will be Tuesday Dec. 11th. All ladies entitled to vote will apply to him in person in order to have their names added to the voters list. The Newcastle list were placed in the Post Office on Monday, Dec. 3rd. Mr. John H. Troy is the enumerator for Newcastle Polling

WEST BATHURST HOSPITAL BUDDED

On the 28th ult the John H Dunn Hospital in West Bathurst was burned. The fire started in the attic so the 12 patients were safely removed. The interior was completely destroyed and practically none of the furnishings were saved.

The institution was a gift to the town from Mrs H C Dunn. It was of a memorial nature and it has been called the John Hamut Dunn Hospital. The building is insured for \$7,000, which, it is stated, is not sufficient by any means, to replace it. There is also 1,500 insurance on the furniture and fixtures and this amount, too, is inadequate to cover the loss. The total loss approach \$20,000.

The lists of voters for coming election have been placed in the post office and Town Hall. If your name is not on it apply to the enumerator, John H. Troy and have it put on. Only female names can be added.

MARY PICKFORD IN WAR STORY FRIDAY

Mary Pickford, plus Cecil B De Mille, plus a powerful story, a wealth of action, a series of remarkable spectacular effects, a number of surprises that will positively thrill and a cast of unusual capabilities is what "The Little American" a new Artcraft picture, at the Imperial has to offer today. Each individual connected with the production of this picture feels that he or she has contributed their very best talents to the cause of this stirring subject. The picture has already created a sensation among film circles and that it will prove the greatest cinema success of the year is freely predicted by many who are in a position to judge.

TO VOTERS

Dec. 11th is the last day to add names of female voters to the voters' list. Those entitled to have their names added are the wives, widows, mothers, sisters, daughters or half sisters of any person male or female, living or dead, who is serving or has served without Canada in any of the military forces or within or without Canada in any of the naval forces of Canada or of Great Britain in the present war, also the above mentioned relatives of members of the Air Service either within or without Canada. We would urge you to have your names handed in to the enumerator, if he has not called upon you or if your name has not been collected by some of the canvassers of either party.

WOMEN VOTERS WHAT DO YOU THINK?

(Contributed by the Ladies Unionist Association)

While making a purchase in a store of this town recently a young lady, whose brother has been fighting in the trenches and whose brother in law has returned wounded and unfit for further military service was accosted thus by the proprietor (of military age):—"If you vote for Union Government, the young men will be taken from their homes and sent to France and shot like moose. If your sister has another child, it will be an idiot. The boys shouldn't be forced. I don't want to leave my home and go. Morrissy will keep the boys at home." Think of it, mothers and sisters and wives. Your son or brother or husband can go over and lay down his life or be wounded to save such a man, who will stay by his cozy fire and want the women to vote to keep him and such slackers home. Will we do it, or will Union Government send recruits and help our boys and bring them home? A vote for Loggie is a vote for our boys!

PATRIOTIC FUND MEETING

The West Northumberland Patriotic Fund Executive met on Tuesday night, President C J Morrissy in the chair. Others present: Revs. W. J. Bate and S. J. Macarthur, and Messrs Williston, R. Corry Clark, W. A. Park, R. A. N. Jarvis and H. H. Stuart. A letter from head office stated that the increase of separation allowance from \$20 to \$25 does not meet the Patriotic Fund allowance, which latter must not be decreased because of the increase in the separation allowance.

The name of a lady whose pension on account of her son killed in action is \$480 per year, was struck from the Patriotic fund, from which she used to receive \$10 a month. The patriotic allowance of one lady whose son's pay had been increased to \$2.25 per day in the Forestry Corps, was struck off from date as per order from head office. On motion of Rev. S. J. Macarthur,

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SUNNY HILL
Sunny Hill, Dec 3—The weather for the past few days has been very cold and stormy and feels very much like winter.
Mr Murray Brewer and Avondale Boone of North Devon, were the guests of Irvine Robinson last week.
Mrs Wm Harris and son Reginald spent part of last week, the guests of Mrs Daniel Miner.
Mrs Irvine Robinsons spent part of last week visiting friends in Newcastle.
Miss Lizlie Robinson was the guest of Mrs Minnie Hovey of South Road on Sunday last.
We are glad to learn that Mr Melvin Robinson is much improved and has returned to his work.
Mrs Gordon Robinson and little son Vincent, were the guests of Mrs Jessie Robinson on Saturday last.
Misses Evelyn and Almira Mitchell were calling on their brother Everett of Doaktown one day last week.
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Get a small bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store. You surely can have beautiful hair and lots of it if you will just try a little Danderine. Save your hair! Try it!

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