

# The Union Advocate

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## The Latest Creations in Raincoats and Other Seasonable Goods

WE have on sale this week and the week following a lot of the newest styles in Raincoats for Ladies and Gentlemen, and with them many other seasonable goods. Prices on these goods have advanced since we made this purchase so the figures below are lower than prices on the same goods will be a little later in the season. Now is the time to buy.



### This is the Raincoat you have been looking for!

It is made of Rubberized Silk Poplin Cloth in loose style. All around belt, set in sleeves with wide turned back cuffs, button trimmed. Becoming convertible collar, worn in high style or reversed. Colors blue, fawn and grey. Very attractive.

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In navy blue or black. Back belt. Shapely convertible collar, storm strap finish, set in sleeves with extra rubberized silk lining for shoulders. An excellent coat.

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In assorted patterns. Novelty designed military and convertible collars. They can be used as a light coat as well as a raincoat.

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### Stop! Read these Specials

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High military collar, storm strap finish on set in sleeves. Back belt. A very serviceable coat.

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The same coat for Misses.

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#### Misses and Childrens Rain Capes

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#### Men's Rubber Sheeting Coats

Very serviceable as well as dressy

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#### Men's Tweed Raincoats

In assorted patterns. Two sizes 40 and 42. Reg. \$15.00

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#### Men's Police Rubber Coats

Well Lined. Built to stand the wear

**Specially Priced \$7.45**

#### Men's Fireman's Rubber Coats

A Great Bargain. Don't Miss It.

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### Just Try One of These!

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Men's Light Spring and Summer Caps, large variety in all sizes. Your choice 45c.

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Made of extra good quality leather to stand the wear

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#### Men's Blue Striped Overalls

**Union Made \$1.10**

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**Good Value 65c.**

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**Good Quality \$1.65**

You Never Know--You can't even guess how good these bargains are till you try them.

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### Sad Death at Douglastown

#### Dependent From Long Illness, James Dickens Takes His Own Life

The saddest tragedy that has happened on the Miramichi has occurred at Douglastown about noon Monday, when James Dickens, a respected resident, in a fit of melancholia induced by ill health, shot himself to death at his own home. His eldest son, a fine young man on the C. G. R. staff at Moncton, had been spending the Easter holidays at his home, and was to leave for Moncton that afternoon and the family sat down to dinner. Mr. Dickens at the time was upstairs in his bedroom and upon being called replied that he would be down in a moment. The family finished their meal and shortly after heard a shot. Upon the non-appearance of Mr. Dickens one member of the family rushed upstairs to see what was keeping him, and found him lying on the floor, and life almost extinct.

The late Mr. Dickens had been ill since New Years and had been noticeably dependent at times. He was a popular citizen and an honored member of Newcastle Lodge No 93, I. O. O. F. His widow, and eight children, his mother and two brothers survive. Deceased was 43 years of age.

### Annual Meeting of St. Andrew's Church

The annual business meeting of St. Andrew's Church was held on Monday evening, the 29th, under Presbyterian and Oddfellows auspices. Among the floral tributes was a beautiful wreath from Newcastle Lodge Services were conducted by Rev. Alex. Firth, and the choir of St. Mark's Church, Douglastown, assisted.

The action of the church corporation at a special meeting in December increasing the rector's stipend by \$100 was ratified and confirmed. The financial yearly report of the W. A. was read and filed. Votes of thanks were passed to J. E. T. Lindon for his services as secretary-treasurer and to the W. A. for their invaluable assistance. The officers elected for the ensuing year were Secretary-Treasurer—J. E. T. Lindon; Church Wardens—J. G. Kethro, David Ritchie; Vestrymen—Thos. Russell, E. E. Benson, A. J. Ritchie, T. M. Maltby, O. Roy, J. W. Davidson, H. Kethro, H. W. Brightman, J. H. Lindon, C. Saragant sr., O. E. Goodwin, J. G. Layton; Delegates to Synod—J. G. Kethro, D. Ritchie; Substitutes—E. E. Benson, T. M. Maltby; Auditors—T. M. Maltby, H. Kethro. A resolution was also passed to the effect that St. Andrew's Church place on record its deep appreciation of the sacrifices its many members in Khaki serving at the front, are in common with others rendering to the Dominion and Empire.


### No Bill in Arson Case at County Court

County Court opened in Newcastle, on Tuesday, Judge McLatchey made a strong address on the war crisis, and urged all good citizens to aid in the conservation and greater production of food. In the case against Mrs. Henry Price and Miss Price, of Tabusintac, who were charged by Miss Maria Ashford with arson, the grand jury found no bill in either case. A. A. Davidson for the prosecution, E. P. Williston, P. Hughes and O. M. McDade for the defence. A bastardy case was postponed on account of the non-appearance of the prosecutor T. H. Whalen for the prosecution and Geo. M. McDade for the defendant. Court adjourned.

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**NOTICE**

Notice is hereby given that the Voters List for the Town of Newcastle, for the year 1918 is posted at the Town Office, and the same is subject to revision up to and including Friday, April 12th next.

Dated the 20th day of March, 1918  
J. E. T. LINDON  
Town Clerk

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The Deputy Postmaster General sends out the following: Daily, weekly and other periodical publications prepaid at single paper rates, viz 1 cent for every copy not exceeding 4 ounces in weight, and 3 cents for every additional 4 ounces or fraction of 4 ounces, may be mailed to addresses in the United Kingdom in bundles containing one or more copies, but not more than ten. If, however, more than one copy is enclosed, each copy will be liable to the same postage as if it had been posted separately.

These newspapers and periodicals may also be sent by parcel post in parcels not exceeding 7 pounds in weight, prepaid at parcel post rates. When mailed to soldiers in France, and on other fronts, a number of copies not exceeding ten may be enclosed in one bundle but the rate will be 1 cent for each 2 ounces or fraction thereof.

This notice supersedes all previous instructions in regard to the British restrictions on daily, weekly, and other periodical publications imported into the United Kingdom

**HOLTVILLE**

Holtville, Mar. 30—The weather for the past few days has been very fine and the roads are in an excellent condition for sleigh-driving.

Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Reid were calling on Mrs. Reid's sister, Mrs. Raymond Munn.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McKell were the guests of Mrs. Archie Munn on Sunday.

Mrs. C. H. Reid was calling on Mrs. Jonathan Munn last Thursday. Service was held here last Thursday night, Rev. Mr. Smith officiating. Mr. John Reid had the misfortune to cut his foot quite badly while working in the lumber woods.

Miss Christian Reid and little Gracie Adams have returned to Fredericton after spending a few weeks with Miss Reid's parents Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Reid.

Mr. Thomas Hunter of Hayesville was calling on friends in Holtville recently.

Mrs. Chas. Clowater and son Merle were calling on Mrs. James McKell on Friday.

Mr. Douglas McKell and Mr. Tenyson Munn made a business trip to Boiestown, Tuesday.

We are very glad to report that Mr. Ernest Munn, who has been very ill at his home since Xmas is convalescing.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Harris are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a baby boy.

Miss Evelyn Reid and Chrissie Fowler were calling on Miss Annie McKell on Sunday.

Miss Ella Munn was the guest of Mrs. Justus Lyons on Saturday.

Miss Vilda Clowater, who has been spending the winter with Mrs. John A. Black has returned home.

Master George B. Reid spent Sunday with Master Freddie A. Fowler.

**Missionary Concert**  
St. James' Church

The annual Easter Concert in aid of the Foreign Missionary funds was given by the children of St. James' Presbyterian Church last Thursday night, and was well presented and well attended. Rev. L. H. MacLean presided.

The programme was as follows:  
Address by Chairman.  
Chorus—Easter day is here.  
Recitation—How the Robin got His Red-brown—Louise MacDonald  
Chorus—Easter Lilies,  
Dialogue—The Violets.  
Chorus—The Raindrops.  
Recitation—The First Robin—Harold Stothart  
Chorus—Seek Ye The Saviour.  
Dialog and chorus—Easter Eggs  
Chorus—Wonderful Easter Bells:  
Recitation—A Call to the Conqueror's Column—Leland Sprout  
Chorus—Why don't you wear a Uniform?  
Recitation—Sons of Britain—Dick Corbett.  
Recitation—The Red, White and Blue.  
Solo and chorus—Do your Bit.  
Recitation—Jerusalem Redeemed—Margaret McCurdy.  
Chorus—Khaki  
Recitation—We are the O. d. Stock—Jack Corbett.  
Drill—12 Girls.  
God Save the King.

**HENDERSON—McTAVISH**  
The marriage took place on March 27th, at the manse, Redbank, of Herman Henderson of Bridgetown, and Jessie McTavish, daughter of William McTavish, of Steinhadam. Rev. J. F. McCurdy performed the ceremony. The couple were unattended and will reside at Bridgetown.

**Northumberland's**  
Annual Seed Fair

Very Creditable Showing Made  
by Miramichi Agriculturalists

The 12th annual Northumberland County Seed Fair at Clatham, last week was a success. The prize list was a large one, and as follows:

White Russian Wheat—P. S. Bremner, 1; Geo. E. Fisher, 2; F. L. Traer, 3; James D. Johnston, 4; George Creighton, 5; A. M. N. Dick, 6.

White Wheat A. O. V.—N. Nagle, 1; R. Leslie Loggie, 2; Ben Deroche, 3; W. M. Johnston, 4; George Creighton, 5.

Red Pife Wheat—R. Leslie Loggie, 1; James D. Johnston, 2; George Creighton, 3; Geo. E. Fisher, 4; Geo. J. Dickson, 5; Henry Gordon, 6.

Banner Oats—Henry Gordon, 1; Henry White, 2; John O. Johnston, 3; R. Leslie Loggie, 4; Hugh McLean, 5; George Creighton, 6.

Abundance Oats—Henry Gordon, 1; John A. Johnston, 2; James D. Johnston, 3; George Creighton, 4.

White Oats, A. O. V.—Keating Bros., 1; Henry Gordon, 2; James M. Johnston, 3; W. M. Johnston, 4; R. Leslie Loggie, 5; F. L. Traer, 6.

Black Oats, any variety—A. M. N. Dick, 1; Keating Bros., 2.

Barley, 4 or 6 row—George E. Fisher, 1; Keating Bros., 2.

Rough Buckwheat—Joseph Sobey, 1; John A. Johnston, 2; George Creighton, 3; Dr. G. J. Sprout, 4.

Smooth Buckwheat—John A. Johnston, 1.

Field Largo Peas—Henry Gordon, 1; John A. Johnston, 2.

Field Small Peas—Henry Gordon, 1; P. S. Bremner, 2; Joe M. Johnston, 3; John A. Johnston, 4.

Colored Beans—Dr. G. J. Sprout, 1; Henry Gordon, 2; P. S. Bremner, 3; G. E. Fisher, 4.

White Beans—Keating Bros., 1; George E. Fisher, 2; Joe M. Johnston, 3.

Timothy Seed—Keating Bros., 1; John A. Johnston, 2; Henry Gordon, 3; George Creighton, 4.

Green Mountain, Delaware or Carmen No. 1 Potatoes—Dr. G. J. Sprout, 1; P. S. Bremner, 2; Manfred Sobey, 3; Henry Gordon, 4.

Keating Bros. 5; Joseph Sobey, 6.

Irish Cobbler Potatoes—Keating Bros., 1; Henry White, 2; Henry Gordon, 3; George Creighton, 4; John A. Johnston, 5; F. L. Traer, 6.

Rose type—Beauty Highon, Early Rose, etc Potatoes—Henry Gordon, 1; Keating Bros., 2; Clemons J. Dickson, 3; Geo. W. Loggie, 4; George G. Dickson, 5.

Swede Turnips—Any variety, for seed purposes—P. S. Bremner, 1; Henry Gordon, 2; F. L. Traer, 3.

Best Collection of Field Roots for Seed Raising—Henry White, 1; Henry Gordon, 2.

Best Collection of Field and Garden Seeds grown in 1917—Henry White, 1; John A. Johnston, 2; P. S. Bremner, 3.

**Spring Weather**  
Hard on Baby

The Canadian spring weather—one day mild and bright; the next raw and blustery is extremely hard on the baby. Conditions are such that the mother cannot take the little one out for the fresh air so much to be desired. He is confined to the house which is often over-heated and badly ventilated. He catches cold; his little stomach and bowels become disordered and the mother soon has a sick baby to look after. To prevent this an occasional dose of Baby's Own Tablets should be given. They regulate the stomach and bowels, thus preventing or curing colds, simple fevers, colic or any other of the many minor ailments of childhood. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 75 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

**BOOM ROAD SCHOOL**  
REPORT FOR MARCH  
Pupils attending daily, 51  
Perfect attendance, Mary Allison, Lloyd Mutch, Allan Jardine, John E. Stewart, Elmer Sherrard, Jack Sherrard, Ruby Whitney, Myrtle Payne, Roy Allison, Edward Whitney, Clifford MacKay, Dora Dunnett, Lottie Howe, Mark Mullin and Annie Mullin.

Not missing more than two days:  
Norman Dunnett, Benson Forsyth, Dorothy Mutch, Jessie Jardine, Dora Sherrard and Mary Sherrard.

.....General Proficiency.....  
Grade V (a)—Mark Mullin, Mary MacAllister, Blair Menzies and Edward Whitney.  
Grade V (b)—Lottie Howe, Mary Ellen Allison, Allan Sherrard, Dora Sherrard, Annie Mullin and Daniel Howe.  
Grade IV—Dorothy Mutch, and Burton Whitney.  
Grade III—Norman Dunnett, Ruby Whitney, Mark Dunnett.  
Grade II—Allan Jardine, Kathleen Menzies.  
Grade I—John E. Stewart, Mabel Mullin, Willie Payne.



**These are Anxious Days**

**N**EVER in the history of this old world have the people lived under such tremendous nervous strain as to-day. Millions awake each morning in fearful dread of what the day may bring forth, and live each hour with nerves at highest tension.

While many are falling under the strain, others have found one means or another of fortifying the nervous system so as to maintain health and vigor.

The treatment most widely used is Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, popularly known as the food cure, because it feeds the exhausted nerves and stores up nerve force and nervous energy.

Nothing breaks down the nervous system so quickly as worry and anxiety, and this is why so many people are suffering from nervous headaches, sciatic and neuralgic pains, nervous indigestion and general failure of the vital organs to properly perform their functions.

When you get so nervous that you do not rest and sleep well nights it is time to be alarmed, for it is very much easier to prevent nervous prostration, paralysis and locomotor ataxia than it is to cure these dreaded diseases.

After years of testing under the most severe circumstances Dr. Chase's Nerve Food stands in a class by itself as the most successful nerve restorative to be had. This is being proven every day by new evidence. Ask your neighbors and friends about it and read the reports in this paper, from time to time, from persons who have been cured.

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50 cents a box—do not pay more—at all dealers or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Ltd., Toronto. On every box of the genuine you will find the portrait and signature of A. W. Chase, M.D., the famous Receipt Book author.

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"KING OF PAIN"  
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To MRS. R. D. BARRICK:  
The Rectory, Yarmouth, N.S.  
Dear Mother:—  
I am keeping well, have good food and well protected from the weather, but have some difficulty keeping uninvited guests from visiting me.  
Have you any patriotic druggists that would give something for a gift overseas—if so do you know something that is good for everything? I do—Old MINARD'S Liniment.  
Your affectionate son,  
Rob.  
Manufactured by the  
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tite and digestion all  
benefit from it. Thirst  
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The sum of \$58.25 was collected  
for the Halifax Sufferers from the  
citizens of Blackville by Miss Lillian  
Dale.

The following is a list of dona-  
tions:

M. Schaffer	\$ 25.00
A. Alcorn	5.00
Mrs. Priestman	2.00
James Gerrish	2.00
J. H. Dale	1.00
Mrs. J. H. Dale	1.00
Lillian Dale	1.00
Dr. Beaton	1.00
J. J. McKinnon	1.00
Mrs. Thos. Dunn	1.00
Mr. Thomas Dunn	1.00
John Burk	1.00
Joseph Grady	1.00
Waverly Underhill	1.00
Arthur Walls	1.00
Norman Sturgeon	1.00
John McDonald	1.00
Fred Hughes	1.00
Thomas Whalen	1.00
George Layton	1.00
Alfred Morsereau	1.00
Charles Dumphy	1.00
Frank Vickers	1.00
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A Friend	1.00
R. Robertson	.50
Fred Crawford	.50
Hayward McLaggan	.50
John Robear	.50
Arthur McKenzie	.50
Hugh Underwood	.50
Harold Crawford	.25

Miss Dale is in receipt of the fol-  
lowing letter of thanks:

Miss Lillian J. Dale,  
Blackville, N. B.

Dear Madam:

The Relief Commission has  
asked me to especially acknowledge  
receipt of the generous contribution  
of Fifty-eight Dollars and twenty-  
five cents, which you so kindly col-  
lected for the relief of the sufferers  
here.

Will you please accept for your-  
self and convey to all those interest-  
ed with you in this splendid dona-  
tion, our most sincere thanks for  
such a tangible expression of sym-  
pathy.

Yours truly,

(Sgd) Ralph F. Bell  
Secretary Relief Commission.

### DOAKTOWN

Doaktown, Mr. 21—Rev. Mr.  
Kincaid of Houlton, Maine, preached  
morning and evening of last Sab-  
bath in the United Baptist Church  
here, very acceptably to a large con-  
gregation. The Baptist Congrega-  
tion have extended a call to Rev.  
Mr. Kincaid.

Lorne Dixon has gone to Newcas-  
tle where he will work for a few  
months.

Mr. James Holmes and daughter  
Miss Helen visited Fredericton one  
day last week.

Miss Bertha Ogilvie has returned  
home after visiting Fredericton.

The Red Cross Society will meet  
on Tuesday evening at the Aberdeen  
Hotel.

Miss Faye MacDonald, graduate  
nurse, who has been visiting her  
home in Blissfield, returned recent-  
ly to her work at Halifax.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Betts of  
Houlton, Me., arrived in town one  
day last week, having been called  
here owing to the illness of Mrs.  
Betts' father, Mr. George Donald.

Miss Marjorie F. Welling of King-  
ston, N. B. supervisor of the Canning  
Clubs, was in town one day last  
week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lyons left  
Monday morning for Fredericton  
enroute for Houlton where they will  
spend sometime with their daugh-  
ter, who resides there.

Pte. Arch Pond of Margville, who  
enlisted sometime ago and went  
overseas with the Forestry Batta-  
lion and who has recently returned  
home owing to ill health, is spend-  
ing several days with relatives and  
friends in this town.

Miss Edythe Ross, graduate nurse,  
who has been the guest of her aunt,  
Mrs. F. D. Swim, for the past few  
weeks, returned last home to her  
home in Newcastle.

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**Morning Cup**  
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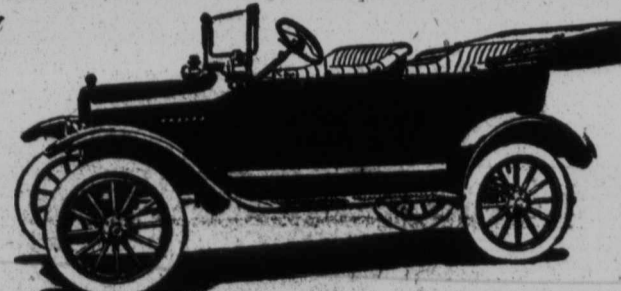
IT HAS been estimated that five acres of land are required to maintain  
one horse for a year, and that the same five acres would produce  
nearly enough food for two people. If 50,000 Canadian farmers each  
replaced one horse with a Ford, 250,000 acres would be added to the  
Nation's source of food supply and enough extra food made available to  
feed 100,000 people.

Just think what a great service this means to the country at the present  
time and the benefit to the farmers from the sale of food produced on  
this acreage.

A Ford car also saves the farmer a week or more of valuable time each  
year, which can be used for further productive work. The Ford travels  
three times as fast as a horse and rig—costs less to run and keep, and is  
far easier to take care of. With labor so scarce and high priced, time  
means money, so do not delay in getting your Ford.

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THURSDAY, APRIL 4 1918

**DEFEAT THE BILL!**

As the people of Newcastle take time to consider the proposition, barely endorsed by the Town Council by the casting vote of the Mayor, for the reduction of the Council to six members besides the Mayor, the less they like it and the greater the opposition which develops. Scarcely anyone is now in favor of the change in the members of the Council, although more favor the two-year term. There is nothing to be gained by a reduction in number, unless the fact that the smaller the number the easier it is for a small group of men to control would be a gain in the eyes of some. Until we have, if ever we do have, real commission government with a few salaried aldermen, as is the case of St. John, we should do well to hang on to the eight aldermen we have been accustomed to. The two-year term is a different thing. When the present bill before the ratepayers that compels them to vote on both questions at once is defeated, a bill can be brought in which will allow the people to express themselves intelligently on all points separately. Defeat the bill!

**THE PROGRESS OF THE WAR**

The German advance on the western front, begun on March 21st, has reached at its greatest width a point 65 miles from its starting point and about 60 miles from Paris and the same distance from the English Channel. The raid has been halted three miles east of Arras and about four miles east of Amiens. The French territory lost includes about 1000 square miles. The last few days the advance had been gradually slowing up, with the allies successfully counter-attacking in places. While the initial attack was against the British, the French to the southward of the Oise river strongly held the left bank of that stream and advanced to aid the British. Towards the North, at Moreuil, the French established contact with the Canadians, and the Franco-Canadian forces there distinguished themselves in one of the most bloody contests of the war. Some 100,000 American troops are now lined up with the other Allies, and the German armies have, for the moment come to a standstill. The French are and in their praise of the gallantry and efficiency of the Canadian troops. On the Euphrates the British have again routed the Turks, compelling them to retreat 63 miles further North, the British are now half way between Bagdad and Aleppo. In Palestine their advance guards cut the Damascus-Mecca railway, severing Turkey's communications with Arabia and practically linking up the British forces with those of the friendly Arabs of Hedjaz. The Turks, who claim the Crimea, have begun the occupation of Russian Armenia, but have been met by an uprising of the entire Georgian and Armenian peoples, who number about 3,000,000. The Tartars of the Caucasus will however, help the Turks.

There are signs that Russia and Ukraine are awaking to their danger from Germany. The capture of the important cities of Odessa, Nikoliev and Kherson from Germany by the Bolshevik Ukrainians, who are friendly to Russia, is announced, and it is important as indicating possibilities of trouble for the enemy in that quarter. Russia's peace treaty with Rumania would indicate that Russian troops have passed Odessa and hold one side of the Danube mouth. It is also reported that British and French officers are, with Trotsky's consent, with the Bolshevik forces on the Murman coast, near Norway, helping to defend the vast stores there. This coast is threatened by Germany's submarines. Finland's declaration that she is favorable to the Bolshevik government and that therefore does not intend to invade Siberia, is encouraging as showing that the Allies have not yet lost all hope of Russia. News from submarines continue to be heavy. Germany, if she does not win the war, or reaches the Channel, will have made her position worse and embittered her own people by her failure to do so. A million or more Americans on the western front soon would greatly hasten the day of victory.

**BOIESTOWN**

Boiestown, April 2.—Mrs. Nicholas Delaney is in her home with small-pox.  
Mr. Herbert Fross took his daughter to Fredericton on Tuesday to consult a physician as regard to her health.  
Miss Quigley of Fredericton was

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the guest of Dr and Mrs Ryan for the Easter holidays  
Dr MacMillan of Newcastle was in town Friday and Saturday  
Mrs Alex Norrad who has been ill with throat trouble for the past eight months is slowly improving  
Miss Annie Cameron is spending some time in Fredericton studying music  
Mrs Angus Edney, Mrs Clair Young and family Mrs Ell-good and daughter spent Easter with their parents Mr and Mrs Joseph Norrad  
The sad death of Mrs Alfred Munn occurred on Tuesday from heart trouble Deceased had been ill for some months She leaves a husband five small children and one brother a sister and father, James Brown of Hgville. The funeral took place on Wednesday afternoon, burial at the Baptist burying ground Services were conducted by Rev Mr Allaby  
The burial of Ende Bruce, infant daughter of Mr and Mrs Willis Norrad took place on Saturday afternoon Rev Mr MacNeil of Doaktown officiating  
Mr and Mrs Sandy Green are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son on the 24th instant  
Miss Fraser spent the Easter holidays with her parents at Covered Bridge  
Earl MacDonald, Willis Norrad, Fred Poiry and Mrs Harry Norrad were visitors to Fredericton on Wednesday.  
**FIVE KILLED IN RIOT IN QUEBEC**  
Trouble over the enforcement of the Military Service Act by the Dominion Police in Quebec City necessitated calling out the Military and proclamation of Martial law, and terminated on Monday night in a bloody riot, that had to be quelled by Machine guns. The riot took place in St Roch's quarter of the lower town  
Five persons were killed and a number wounded

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at the approaching civic election. I have served one year at the Council Board and upon all questions brought forward acted as I considered best on behalf of the electorate. I take this opportunity of thanking you for your support in the past, and as the time is short before election day, to solicit a continuance of the same, assuring you that if elected I will try to the utmost of my ability to serve in your interests.  
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- The Bandbox — **Louis J. Vance**
- The Recording Angel — **Corra Harris**
- The Right of Way The Battle of the Strong The Lane that Had no Turning The Seats of the Mighty The Judgment House — **Gilbert Parker**
- The Way of an Eagle The Knave of Diamonds — **Ethel M. Dell**
- Buttered Side Down Roast Beef Medium Person Plus — **Ferber**

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### RIOT IN CHATHAM

Sunday night Martin Cripps started in to run Chatham to suit himself, and before he was taken into custody, had beaten up several men, broken glass in several windows and mixed things up in general. At the same time Inspector Dickson was arresting a man for drunkenness and was set upon by several young men and was badly beaten up. Warrants were issued Monday and Clifford May was arrested that morning and the other will probably be in the hands of the police before morning. May was the only assailant recognized by the Inspector.

When the case of rioters came up before Judge Connors—Martin Cripps (a soldier) and smashing several windows, was let out on bail till Tuesday. Herman Rigley was fined \$50 for having a bottle of liquor on his person and was discharged with assaulting Simon Bass. Clifford May headed a party to assaulting Officer Dickson and was remanded till Tuesday for sentence.



### NOTICE TO THE RATEPAYERS OF THE TOWN OF NEWCASTLE

Notice is hereby given that the Annual

### ELECTION

For Mayor and Aldermen for the Town of Newcastle will be held as required by law at the Town Hall, on

**TUESDAY**

**16th Day of April Inst.**

Polling from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Nominations of Persons duly qualified for the respective offices of Mayor and Aldermen will be received by the undersigned up to six o'clock on Friday the 12th day of April inst. Dated at Newcastle, N. B., this 3rd. Day of April, A. D., 1918. **J. E. T. LINDON,** Town Clerk. 15-16

### PERSONALS

Mr Adam Hill of Cassilis spent Wednesday in town. Mr. J. Russell McKnight is on a business trip to Montreal. Miss Helen Stevens of Campbellton is visiting relatives here. John P. Rider went to St John on Monday to spend a few days. Mr. Joseph Luffy of Fredericton, was in town for the week-end. Major Walter Stuart spent the week end at Fredericton. Mrs Florence Jardine spent Easter with friends at Jaquet River. Mr Gabriel Marrahe of Buctouche was a visitor in town last week. H H Stuart spent the vacation with friends in York County. Miss Margaret Dunn visited friends in Chatham last week. Mrs E J Parker, of Millerton was a visitor in town on Wednesday. Everett Black of Moncton is spending a few days at his home here. Reginald McMurdo, of Moncton is visiting Dr and Mrs Hector Sprule. Messrs Blair, Charle and McLean spent Easter at their home here. Messrs J. A. Creaghan and J H Drummie were visitors in Moncton on Tuesday.

Mr George Stables returned on Monday night from a visit to Fredericton. C M Mercereau publisher of the Northern Light, Bathurst spent Friday in town. Sergt Frank Leslie of the 62nd Regt. St John, spent Easter at his home here. Mr and Mrs Call MacRae are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a young daughter. Miss Annie Cassidy returned to Fredericton on Tuesday after a few days visit at her home here. Mrs Thomas Belmonte returned to her home in Fredericton last week after visiting her relatives here. Bert O'Donnell of Campbellton, spent Sunday in town with his parents Mr and Mrs E. O'Donnell.

Mr G. E. McGrath of the Campbellton Graphic, spent the Easter season at his home here. Mrs Louise Lawlor, spent the Easter season with her daughter, Mrs Thomas Howard, Moncton. Mrs Walter Crosby and daughter Miss Margaret spent the week end with friends in town. Miss Nina Nicholson returned on Monday night from Halifax where she had spent Easter. Mr. B. McKay of the Royal Bank spent the Easter holiday at his home in Bathurst. Mr Frank A Dennison of St John was spending Easter with Rev E S Murdoch, Renous. Miss Delphine Clarke went to Jaquet River on Friday to spend the holidays with relatives. Mr Vincent McEvoy of the C. G. R. Moncton spent Easter with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. McEvoy. At the Maternity Hospital, Concord, N. H., March 27th, to Mr and Mrs (nee Mirale MacLauray) Wm B Ormbee, a son. Bert McCormack of Moncton, spent the holidays with his parents, Mr and Mrs John McCormack here. Charles K McCulloch of Halifax, is spending a few weeks in town with his mother at the Union Hotel. Misses Katie and Jessie Black returned on Monday night from Fredericton, where they spent Easter. Miss Addie Parker, and friend Miss Robinson, of Fredericton, spent Easter with Miss Parker's parents, Mr and Mrs George Parker, Millerton. Miss Cicca McLaughlin, Alice Campbell and Margaret Callaghan, who are attending P N S Fredericton spent the Easter vacation at their homes here. Miss Lily Miller of Bathurst spent the week-end in town the guest of her parents Mr and Mrs S B Miller. Miss May Murphy of Shives Athol, was in town for the Easter vacation visiting her parents Mr and Mrs James Murphy. Gunners Wm Gifford, George Mason and Pte James McCabe have returned from St John, where they were on Military duty. Mrs Bessie Gough received word that her son Gapper Douglas Gough of the Canadian Engineers had arrived at Seaford, Sussex, Eng. Mrs Charles Keating returned on Tuesday from Bryerton where she has been the guest of Mrs John Bryerton. George Thomas of the Royal Bank staff here spent Easter at his home in Campbellton, returning to town on Tuesday morning. Mr and Mrs Walter Amy are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a son and heir at their home on Thursday last. Mr Norman Sutherland, who has been employed with Messrs Dickson and Troy for the past year has resigned his position and returned to his home in Redbank. Mrs D Gillespie, of Moncton is spending a few weeks in town the guest of her daughter, Mrs F J Desmond. Miss Louise Ryan, clerk and stenographer in the office of the resident Engineer, Bathurst, spent Easter with her parents Mr and Mrs J. Ryan. Mr John Clarke of Moncton spent the holiday with Mrs. Clarke at the

## House Cleaning Supplies

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| SOAP (all popular brands) | FLOOR PAINT             | LIQUID GLOSS       |
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| STOVE POLISH              | SWEEPING POWDER         | WINDOW BRUSHES     |
| STOVE PIPE VARNISH        | FLOOR VARNISHES         | FLOOR BRUSHES      |
| O'CEDAR POLISH            | B-H READY MIXED PAINT   | PAINT BRUSHES      |
| LIQUID VENEER             | TOILET PAPER HOLDERS    | STOVE BRUSHES      |
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Mr Myron Nicholson, of New Glasgow, N. S. spent the Easter vacation with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Osborne Nicholson here.

Mr James L Sugrue, President of the N. B. Federation of Labor, and Mrs Sugrue, of St John, who were visiting friends spent Friday in town.

### METHODIST MISSION BAND CONCERT

The United Workers' Mission Band held their annual Easter entertainment on Wednesday evening in the Methodist Church. Rev Dr

Squires presided. The Band presented their usual Easter offering and a silver collection was taken up in aid of Medical work in China. The program was as follows:—

Chorus—God will care for you—3 girls  
Exercise—Foreign Missions—7 girls  
Chorus—The Lord is Risen—Band  
Recitation—Willis Delano  
Exercise—What can I do—6 girls  
Chorus—The Children's Joy—3 girls  
Recitation—In Japan—Byron Petrie  
Chorus—The Children's Friend—3

boys and 3 girls

Reading—The Resurrection of the Roses—Eulah Stuart  
Dialogue—How the Children in China learn the Jesus Doctrine—5 girls  
Address on work in China—Mrs T A Clarke  
Collection  
Chorus—Goodbye—Band  
There was a very large attendance and the collection for Missions was much larger than usual.

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### SUNNY CORNER

Sunny Corner, Mar. 26th—Miss Mary Nolan, who has been spending the winter in Trout Brook arrived home last week.

Mrs. Nelson Young was a visitor in Cassville on Thursday evening.

Miss Mollie and brother Odo Mullin were guests of relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Mullin spent last week with Mrs. Percy Tozer.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas O'Shea are rejoicing over the arrival of a new baby girl.

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## Happening in The Local Legislature

Many Important Matters Considered—Bartibogue Boom Legislation Opposed

Fredericton, March 25—The House of Assembly met at 8.30 p. m. Collection of Stumpage was considered in committee.

Mr. Burchill said it was impossible for lumber operators to comply with the Act and have their statements in by May 1st. He wanted to change the date to October 1st. Operators should be allowed time to get information that would enable them to make an oath.

The committee reported progress.

**Prohibition Act**  
Hon. Mr. Byrne said that it would be permitted to give seized liquors to hospitals and similar institutions.

**Taxation of Wilderness Lands**  
The bill to tax holders of wilderness lands living outside the province higher than residents was agreed to.

**Exempt from School Tax**

Re exempting Hart B. Pot and Shoe factory, Fredericton, from taxes, including School taxes, Hon. Mr. Foster said he was opposed to exemption from school tax, but on account of representation made in regard to this bill he would vote for it.

In future, however, he would have to take a determined stand in such matters and oppose such exemption. The bill was reported with amendment.

**Highway Bill**  
Hon. Mr. Veniot submitted an amendment to the section having to do with land damages. It provides, in cases where the money is not paid by private parties for an assessment by the municipal council.

Hon. Mr. Veniot said that some sections of the province favored double winter roads while others were opposed to them and for that reason he had not dealt with the matter in the bill. He considered it advisable to allow the Municipal Council to regulate the matters. Section was allowed to stand.

On the section relating to statute labor an amendment was submitted by the minister requiring that statute labor must be performed before the 15th of July in each year. Supervisors were often too busy to look after roads at the proper time and were inclined to delay matters. He believed that all statute labor should be performed before the 15th of July.

Hon. Mr. Veniot said that his attention had been directed to the fact that no penalty was provided for those who scattered tacks and broken bottles or glass upon the roads. He had inserted a clause covering the case.

The committee reported progress.

Fredericton, March 26—The House met at 3 p. m.

The Bills re Hart Co., Wild Lands and Prohibition passed.

Forestry Advisory Commission

House went into committee and took up consideration of the bill to establish a provincial forestry advisory commission.

Mr. Burchill asked what was meant by a lumberman, a practical man or a license holder.

Hon. Mr. Smith said it would mean a holder of lumber lands.

Mr. Murray (King) said that he doubted if a commission of five members including two from outside the department could accomplish what the minister desired. The minister would find it difficult to find the two outside members who would be willing to attend meetings which might be called practically at any time. The commission would really be composed of three members. Personally he was opposed to government by commission. The crown lands should be administered directly. By the commission suggested conservation would not be helped and the degree of reform expected would not be obtained.

Hon. Mr. Smith expressed the belief that a commission would be satisfactory. He was not attempting to shift responsibility and would perform his whole duty. One important thing under the commission would be the administration of the fire protection act.

Premier Foster said the Commission would be advisory rather than administrative, and in having lumbermen as two of its members possessed an excellent feature. The Minister of Lands and Mines would remain responsible for all of his acts and would have the advantage of some very valuable advice.

Ex-Premier Murray said that reference to previous Crown Lands administration had been made. He could state that the present Opposition had nothing to be ashamed of in that connection. In 1908 that party had some into power and found that the Crown Lands revenue had not been properly collected. It took hold of the matter and each year collected from the Crown Lands \$200,000 more. The late government had taken the first step to reorganize the Crown lands department and to classify the lands.

Premier Foster suggested that provision be made for the Minister

to appoint the representative of the licensees in the event of the lumbermen not selecting one.

The Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council was empowered to make regulations.

**Cost of Living**  
The bill was agreed to authorizing any city, town or country to borrow up to \$25,000 (St. John \$50,000) to purchase food, fuel, feed, fertilizer and seeds for production.

**Setting of Forest Fires**

The committee next went into consideration of the bill for prevention of forest fires. Section 3 declares that from the 15th day of April to the 15th day of October shall be known as the close season in respect to the setting of forest fires and empowers the minister to extend the season when it is rendered necessary by circumstances of unusual danger. Section 4 provides a penalty not exceeding \$50.00 in the case of a person who starts a fire on forest lands and leaves the same burning. Section 5 prohibits any person, firm or corporation from setting fires within one half mile of any forest debris except for cooking food or warmth without first having obtained a permit from the forestry commission.

Ex-Premier Murray supported the bill.

Section 13 requires the foreman of a lumber drive, survey or exploring party to provide himself with a copy of the Act and read same to his men before beginning work.

All railways have to maintain five patrols.

Cigarette smoking is forbidden.

Bill was agreed to with amendments.

Fredericton, March 27—House met at 3 p. m.

Forestry Advisory Fire Prevention and High Cost of Living Bills were adopted.

The government were authorized to grant Halifax sufferers an additional \$15,000.

**Stampage Bill**

The House then went into committee with Mr. Leger (West) in the chair, and took up further consideration of the bill to facilitate the collection of stampage.

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(Continued) Von Bleck walked hurriedly back to his office, donned his hat and coat, and strode out, leaving the others in the inner office, comforting that could mean nothing until they heard from their superior. Ten minutes later, Von Bleck was walking into the building in which was located the office of John Gwyn. He had, mapped carefully out in his proposition with which he intended to startle the young engineer. It was a proposition which would make Gwyn independently wealthy for the remainder of his life--and all that would be necessary for him to do would be cancel the contract.

As he passed through the revolving doors and walked toward the elevators, a crowd was surging toward the street. One of these, a young, stately built man, who carried a suit case, fairly rubbed arms with the agent of the Central Powers. It was John Gwyn! Neither took particular notice of the other they having never previously met. Gwyn went through the door to the street, and Von Bleck entered the elevator, to be driven upward to the former's office.

"Is Mr. Gwyn in?" he inquired of the secretary, as he entered. "Er sorry, sir," was the reply. "But Mr. Gwyn just left a few minutes ago for an indefinite stay in the West. He was just in to clear up a few matters and left with his suit case. Is it something important? Perhaps I could help you. He has left me in charge, and--" "It is important," Von Bleck broke in, "and I see no one but Mr. Gwyn himself. When does his train leave?" "He goes on the Limited to-night," was the reply.

Von Bleck was about to leave the office, when his eye caught sight of a picture hanging on the wall in the outer office. He walked over to it casually and scrutinized it. In the foreground was a young man, pipe in mouth, roughly clad in mining attire. Behind him was a stretch of typical mining country. "Is this your employer?" he questioned.

"That is Mr. Gwyn," the secretary answered. Von Bleck took another careful look at the picture, and, thinking the young man, left the office.

Again in the street, he sought the nearest telephone booth and called the office. "Gwyn leaves for the West to-night on the Limited," he told his confidante over the wire. "I shall be on the same train. I shall keep in touch with you while I am gone, and, in the meantime, you attend to any other matters that may come up during my absence. As soon as I am able, I shall wire you my address. I may need that five million before I get back."

The Limited was rattling over the rails toward the West with a speed that was astounding. Outside it was already dark, and the lights along the roadbed shot by so fast that they resembled sparks flying up a hearth chimney from blazing logs below. In the smoking compartment at the end of the car, John Gwyn sat, perusing some papers. The passengers parted and Von Bleck entered. He drew a cigar from his pocket and asked Gwyn for a match. The latter silently accommodated him. "Pretty long and lonesome trip," the Central Powers' agent commented. Gwyn nodded. He was apparently in no mood for striking up acquaintances. But Von Bleck persisted.

"I'm going out to Frisco," he said. "Maybe you're bound for there, too. My name's Von Bleck; it's nice to know some one on the train." "My name is Gwyn," the young engineer responded, glancing up from his papers and fearing that he might appear impolite by avoiding conversation. "I'm not going to Frisco, though. I'm on my way to a place called Lost Mine, in the wilds of the Sierra Majove is my getting off point."

Late that night, when the sleeper was black with darkness, except for the feeble rays of lights along the track that shone but for the briefest fraction of a second as they passed the ends of the car, a shadowy figure clad only in a dressing gown, quietly and cautiously emerged from one of the berths. It moved rapidly along, until it was outside of Gwyn's compartment; then bent over and peered in. A little pocket flash light suddenly illuminated the car and revealed, had any one been awake to see it, the dark features of Von Bleck. He covered the end of the light with his hand to dim its rays and put in between the curtains Gwyn was sleeping soundly. Von Bleck watched him for a moment to see that he was not aroused by the light, and then, satisfied on that score, reached across his body to a half-opened suit case resting in a rack near the window. Slowly and carefully, so as not to awaken its sleeping owner, he lifted the suit case from the rack and hurried back to his own berth.

For a quarter of an hour, Von Bleck, in the seclusion of his sleeping compartment, studied the contents of Gwyn's bag. A small packet of letters, which had been tucked carefully at the bottom, held his

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attention the longest. For the most part these were of a personal nature, and contained nothing of interest to him, but finally one caught his eye. It was postmarked "Majove" and was addressed in a flourishing Spanish hand. He opened it.

Dear Mr. Gwyn: Am shipping your last order tomorrow. You need have no fear of the supply becoming exhausted for some time to come. When am I to be honored by a visit from you? I trust before long. Faithfully yours, Carlos Ybarra.

Von Bleck smiled with triumph as he read the letter. It was the same smile that had played about his lips when he had met with his associates earlier that day. He folded the paper noiselessly and replaced it in the envelope. Then, as if realising the length of time which he had kept Gwyn's suit case, he put the packet of letters back into the bottom of the bag and stole cautiously down the aisle to Gwyn's berth. A glance secured him that its absence had not been noticed. The young engineer was still sleeping heavily. He had been thoroughly tired by the strenuous events of the previous day and his hasty departure. It required but a moment for Von Bleck to lay the suit case back on the rack near the window, where he had found it, and to hurry back to his own berth. Gwyn arose early the following morning, dressed, and used several articles from his bag. He did not notice that it had been tampered with. In the wash room he met Von Bleck who was attending to his toilet and nodded to him. The latter returned the salutation and watched keenly from the corners of his eyes to see if Gwyn should appear the least bit suspicious that his belonging had been ransacked. He was greatly relieved to learn that he was not.

Early on the fourth day after leaving New York, the Limited drew into the little Western town of Majove, at the foot of the great range of the Sierra Mountains. John Gwyn, his bag packed and his wraps on, was ready to alight, and start on his important mission. As soon as the train came to a stop, the young mining engineer jumped lightly from the platform and proceeded to the hotel, which was located a short distance from the depot. As the Limited chugged again, starting on the last leg of its journey to the west, Von Bleck, who had been watching alertly from his seat, felt Gwyn depart, jumped from his seat, he darted to the door, suitcase in hand, and whispered into the porter's ear, slipped a crisp bill into his hand at the same time. The portly worthy grinned knowingly and nodded. With a jerk he threw open the vestibule door on side of opposite the station. Von Bleck stepped down, grasped the handrail of the car, and swung out. The train was moving rapidly now and the jump was perilous. The car was quite a distance past the station. Von Bleck took one glance at the ground flying by under the train, sprang into the air, and went sprawling to earth.

Don Carlos Ybarra trudged up the steepest steps to the summit of the mountain beseah the border of two wooden cases which he bore upon his shoulders. They were a heavy load for one so old as the rugged Spaniard, but he was strenuous and energetic, and his muscles were hardened by years of rustic living in the West. His gray hairs were no symbol of feebleness. Don Carlos was a man, and sturdy, and would be until the end. As he reached a stump of bushes beside the footpath on which he was walking, he paused to look suspiciously about for

a second, and then parted the shrubbery, revealing the entrance to a spacious cave. He tore his way through the bushes, allowing them to close behind him, deposited the two cases among many more that were hidden in the dark corner of the cavern, and came out again. Once more he looked carefully about him, as if to satisfy himself that no one had been observing his actions, and they started to walk toward a little hacienda several hundred yards away, which served as his mountain dwelling. Precisely at the moment that he turned his back, two glaring eyes, filled with hate, appeared from behind the undergrowth, but a few yards from the cave's entrance. It was "Shoestring" Drant, a human coyote, ever stalking Don Carlos. (Continued next week)

BLISSFIELD

Blissfield, Mar. 25--Mrs. John Weaver spent Thursday with Mrs. Ronald Hurley.

Mr. T. A. Hurley left last week for his home in the west.

Miss Violet Sutherland spent Thursday the guest of Mrs. Lydie Sutherland.

Miss Mary Weaver spent last week the guest of Mrs. Susan Brennan.

Mrs. James Weaver spent Wednesday with Mrs. E. D. Crosby. Mr. Levi Morehouse has returned home from the hospital much improved.

Mrs. William Sutherland spent one day last week in Doaktown.

Mrs. Ronald Weaver and sister Minnie spent one day last week the guest of Miss Violet Sutherland.

Mr. Robert Brennan was calling on friends on Monday evening last.

Miss Mary Boves spent one day last week with Mrs. Michael Heaney.

Mr. Robert Boves made a flying trip to Doaktown on Friday.

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Military Service Act Important Announcement to All EXEMPTED MEN and to the Public Generally IN dealing with the very large number of claims for exemption brought forward for consideration in connection with Class 1 under the Military Service Act, it has occurred, as was inevitable, that as a result of false statements and difficulties put in the way of investigation, some individuals have secured exemption whose proper place is in the Army. It is not the intention of the Government to allow these men to evade permanently their obligation to bear their part in the military defence of the Country and of the ideals for which we are fighting. To do so would defeat the purpose of the Act, and cause grave injustice to men in the second class necessarily called out to fill their places. Exemptions Granted on False Grounds It is, therefore, proposed to scrutinize carefully all exemptions granted to date in order to separate those which have been granted on false or insufficient grounds from those that are well founded. With this object in view the various Registrars under the Military Service Act have been instructed to issue a series of questionnaires to exempted men. These questionnaires must be filled up correctly and returned promptly under penalty of forfeiture of exemption for failure to do so. Exempted Men Who Have Changed Address It is therefore important in their own interest that all exempted men who have changed their address since their exemption was granted and who have not already notified the Registrar of such change should notify him at once. Under the Regulations it is the duty of exempted men to keep the Registrar advised of any change of address, and failure to receive the questionnaire by reason of neglect of this duty must be treated as equivalent to failure to return the questionnaire after receipt. Citizens Urged to Assist In many instances information has been furnished by members of the public which has led to the cancellation of exemptions obtained by false or misleading statements. Further co-operation of this character is invited. The Government regard it as the Duty of all loyal citizens, not only to the Country, but to the men at the front, to assist in this way in securing reinforcements on a just and legal basis. Correspondence of this character will be treated as strictly confidential and will receive the fullest investigation. CHARLES J. DOHERTY, Minister of Justice. Correspondence should be directed to W. A. Ewing, K.C., Registrar under the Military Service Act, St. John, N.B. 40217



# The Stowaway

By LOUIS TRACY

Author of the "Pillar of Light," "The Wings of the Morning" and "The Captain of the Kansas."

The Stowaway is a typical Tracy story that grips the interest with the first chapter and holds it firmly until the last. A conspiracy against the safety of a ship, a beautiful girl in distress, a brave sailor who aids her and speedily learns to love her, a mysterious island which is the scene of a South American revolutionary plot—these are some of the characters and themes utilized by a master story teller in weaving a romance of life under the mystic Southern Cross.

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### CHAPTER IV.

#### SHELLED BY A MYSTERIOUS FOG ON SHORE

COKE remained on the bridge until long after Iris had seen and admired the cluster of stars which old time navigators used to regard with awe. When shafts of white light began to taper pennon-like in the eastern sky the girl went back to her cabin. Contrary to Hozier's expectation, Coke did not attempt to draw from him any account of their conversation prior to the inexplicable mishap to the wheel. He examined a couple of charts, made a slight alteration in the course and at 4 o'clock took charge of the bridge.

"Just 'ave a look around now while things is quiet," he said, nodding to Hozier confidentially. "I'll tell you wot I fancy. A rat dragged a bit of bone into a gear box. If the planks is badly worn anywhere, get the carpenter to see to it. I do 'ate to 'ave a feelin' that the wheel can let you down. 'S'pose we was makin' Bahia on the homeward run an' that 'appened! It 'ud be the end of the pore ole ship, an' oo'd credit it! Not a soul. They'd all say, 'Jimmie threw 'er away!'"

Hozier found a gnawed piece of ham bone lying in the exact position anticipated by Coke. The carpenter busied himself with sawing and hammering during the whole of the next two days, for the Andromeda revealed many gaps in her woodwork, but the escape of an errand ham bone was utterly eclipsed by a new sensation. As daybreak one morning every drop of water in the vesicle tanks suddenly assumed a rich blood red tint. This unerring discovery was made by the cook, who was horrified to see a ruby stream pouring into the earliest kettle. Thinking that an iron pipe had become oxidized with startling rapidity, he tried another tap. Finally there could be no blinking the fact that by some uncanny means the whole of the fresh water on board had acquired the color of a thin burgundy.

Coke was summoned hastily. No blame could be placed on the captain, he reluctantly essayed the task of sampling this strange beverage.

"It ain't 'pison," he announced, gasping suspiciously at the little group of anxious faced men who awaited his verdict. "It sartinly ain't 'pison, but it's wuss nor any teetotal brew. I've tacked in all me born days. 'Ere, Watta, you know the tang of every kind o' likker—'ave a sup."

"Not me!" said Watta. "I don't like the look of it. First time I've ever seen red ink on tap. For the rest of this trip I stick to bottled beer or something with a label."



"DOES THE CAP FIT?" SNEERED COKE.

Iris on hearing the steward's version of the affair came to the bridge for further enlightenment, but Coke merely told her that the island was a Lloyd's signal station, so she could cable to her uncle.

"Can I go ashore?" she asked. "I dunno. We'll see. It's a convict settlement for the Brazils, an' they're mighty particular about lettin' people land, but they'll 'ardly object to a nice young lady like you 'avin' a peep at 'em."

As his tone was unusually gruff, not to say jeering, she resolved to find an opportunity of seeking Hozier's advice on the cablegram problem. But the portent of the blood red water was not to be disregarded. Never was Delphic oracle better served by nature. The Andromeda began to roll ominously. Masses of black cloud climbed over the southern horizon. At midday the ship was driving through a heavy sea. As the day wore the weather became even more threatening. A sky and ocean that had striven during three weeks to produce in splendid rivalry blends of sapphire blue and emerald green and tenderest pink were now draped in a shroud of gray mist. With increasing frequency and venom vaulting seas curled over the bows and sent stinging showers of spray against the canvas shield of the bridge. Instead of the natty white drill uniform and canvas shoes of the tropics the ship's officers donned oilskins, sou'westers and sea boots. Torrents swept the decks, and an occasional giant among waves smote the hull with a thunderous blow under which every rivet rattled and every plank creaked. Despite these drawbacks the Andromeda wormed her way south. She behaved like the staunch old sea prowler that she was.

Iris, of course, thought that she was experiencing the storm of a century. Badly scared at first, she regained some stock of courage when Hozier came twice to her cabin, pounded on the door and shouted to her such news as he thought would take her mind off the outer furia. The first time he announced that they were just "crossing the line," and the girl smiled at the thought that Neptune's chosen heir was uncommonly like the English channel at its worst. On the second occasion her visitor brought the cheering news that they would be under the lee of Fernando Noronha early next morning. She had sufficient sea lore to understand that this implied shelter from wind and wave, but Hozier omitted to tell her that the only practicable route led in the land, being on the weather side, would be rendered unsafe by the present adverse combination of the elements. In fact, Coke had already called Watta and Hozier into council, and they had agreed with him that the wiser plan would be to bear in toward the island from the east and anchor in smooth water as close to leeward point as the lead would permit.

As for Iris' wild foreboding that the ship was intended to be lost, Philip did not give it other than a passing thought. Coke was navigating the Andromeda with exceeding care and no little skill. He was a first rate practical sailor, and it was an education to the younger men to watch his handling of the vessel, throughout the worst part of the blow. About midnight the weather moderated. It improved steadily until a troubled dawn heralded some first glimpse of the island. By that time the magnificent peak of Fernando Noronha was plainly visible. Coke came to the bridge and set a new course, almost due west. Soon it was possible to distinguish the full extent of the coast line. Houses appeared and trees and green came of contrast.

There was a strong current setting from the southeast, and the dyking gear left its aftermath in a long swell. But at the Andromeda rolled on with an increasing comfort. Even Iris was tempted forth by the sunshine. Coke was on the bridge at the moment Mr. Watta was taking the watch. Hozier was on deck forward. Suddenly the captain appeared. He greeted Iris with a genial nod.

"Ah, there you are!" he cried. "Not seen you since this time yesterday. Sorry you weren't on the wrong side of the island, but I'd toss you a bit if you was to try an' land in either of the bays. Make 'er in easy now. Mr. Watta. That's our anchorage-over there." And he pointed to the mouth of a narrow channel between South point and the Isle des Frigates, the latter a tiny islet that almost blocks the entrance to a shallow bay into which runs a rivulet of good but slightly brackish water.

The ship slowed perceptibly, and Hozier himself with the lead which a sailor was swinging on the starboard side from the small platform of the accommodation ladder. Iris did not know what was said, but the queer figures repeated to Coke seemed to be satisfactory. Headlands and rocky points were visible on the island closed in on them. A faint scent as of sweet grasses reached them from the shore. Iris could see several people, nearly all of them men in uniform, hurrying about with an air of excitement that betokened the approach of a steamer. The ground on the south side of the island was a novelty.

Now they were in a fairly smooth roadstead. The remnants of the gale were shouldered away from the ship by the towering cliff that jutted out on the left of the bay. The crew were mostly occupied in clearing blocks and tackle and swinging two lifeboats out ward on their davits.

"All ready forward?" roared Coke. Hozier ran to the fore-castle. He found the carpenter there, standing by the windlass brake.

"Keep her here!" he said, half turning to the wind. The wheel was changed the indicator from "full speed" to "slow ahead." In a few seconds the anchor chain would have rattled through the bawse hole when something happened that was incomprehensible, stupefying—something utterly remote and strange from the ways of civilized men.

The Andromeda quivered under a tremendous buffet. There came a crash of rending iron and an instant stoppage of the engines. Almost overbearing into the noise of the blow came a loud report from the land, but that in its turn was drowned by the hiss of steam from the exhaust.

Coke appeared to be dumfounded for an instant. Recovering himself, he ran to the starboard side, leaned over, looked down at a torn plate that showed its jagged edges just above the water line and then lifted a blazing face toward a point halfway up the neighboring cliff, where a haze lay like a veil of gauze on the weather scarred rocks.

"You blasted pirates!" he yelled, raising both clenched fists at the hidden battery which had fired a twelve pound shell into the doomed ship. The Andromeda herself seemed to recognize that she was stricken unto death. She fell away before the current with the aimless drift of a log.

### SUNNY HILL

Sunny Hill, April 1st—The weather for the past few days has been very springlike.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Robinson and Miss Lizzie were calling on Mrs. Robinson's sister, Mrs. Minnie Hovey of South Road on Saturday. Mrs. Roy Simms of Doaktown spent her Easter with her mother Mrs. Lily Arbeau, of this place.

Mrs. Charlie Robinson and Mrs. Irvine Robinson spent Saturday in Fredericton. We are glad to learn that Miss Almir Mitchell is able to be out again.

Mr. Wm Robinson and brother, James of Blissfield were calling on Mr. Geo Donalds of River View quite recently.

Dr. McDonald of Blissfield made a flying trip through this place one day last week.

Miss Gracie Robinson was the guest of her schoolmate Miss Janie Harris on Saturday last.

Mr. Zed Arbeau spent Saturday in Fredericton.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Robinson, Wm Robinson, and Mrs. Sophia Ballard drove to River View on Sunday.

Mr. Peter Harris was calling on Mr. Marvin Robinson on Sunday.

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There are flowers under the snow. A spring is hid in the earth; Soft winds again shall blow, And tell of Summer's birth, The snow shall burst its bonds ere long, As under a weight of grief Lies the lit and lift of a song.

Oh heart! O world! weighted down With long and weary pain, Beneath a cold fate's frown A spring shall wake again, For under earth's cruel cage, And under its bitter woes, There's hidden a world that's fair— There are flowers under the snow. William W. Craig

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- That after April 16th, 1918, the Town Council of the Town of Newcastle shall consist of a Mayor and six Aldermen.
- That the Mayor shall be elected annually.
- That of the Six Aldermen elected on April 16th, 1918, the three receiving the lowest number of votes shall go out of office at the end of the first, year, and thereafter Three Aldermen shall be elected for the said Town at every annual election of Aldermen.

Ballots "For" and "Against" the said expediency may be had at the polling booths and at the Town Office on the day of said Election.

Dated this 27th day of March, A. D. 1918. J. E. T. LINDON, Town Clerk.

#### LOWER DERBY SOLDIERS' COMFORTS CLUB

The report of the Lower Derby Soldiers' Comforts Club from January 22nd to March 22nd was as follows:

Receipts	
Jan. 22 On hand	\$32.23
Jan. 29 Collection	45
Feb. 5 Collection	95
Feb. 12 Collection	1.95
Feb. 19 Collection	1.30
Feb. 28 Collection	12.65
Mar. 7 Collection	1.65
Mar. 20 Collection	1.50
	\$53.68
Expenses	
Jan. 24 Yarn	7.50
Jan. 24 Postage	1.40
Feb. 3 Yarn	7.50
Feb. 23 Yarn	7.50
Mar. 23 Postage	33
Mar. 23 Yarn	10.00
	\$47.70
Balance on hand	19.45
Jan. 24—Sent away 37 pairs socks	
March 23—Sent away 47 pairs socks	





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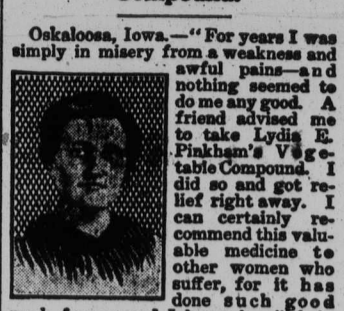
## In The Legislature

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Hon. Mr. Smith said that the shipping of pulpwood cut from Crown Lands was prohibited, but under an act of 1916 operators are permitted to cut from both granted and private lands and mix logs. The bill was agreed to, and reported.  
**Bill to amend Northwest Boom Company's powers was passed.**  
... **Highway Bill**  
In committee, the Minister was empowered to appoint a supervisor when the one elected by the people failed to act. No County Councilor may be a Supervisor. In certain cases, new roads may be less than four rods wide but not less than two. The weight of loads carried over roads between March 15th and May 15th was increased to 3,000 lbs. No motor vehicle but a doctor's or an ambulance may run over the roads while the frost is coming out. Committee reported progress.  
The Corporations Committee discussed the Barbog Boom Co's bill to increase its fees for rafting. A delegation, including A. C. Chapman of Moncton and John Kingston and Morris Manderville of Newcastle, opposed the bill, claiming that the fee of \$1.70 per thousand for ties was excessive, and that on account of the operators having already made their contracts for the year, they would drop money if the fees were increased. James Robinson of Millerton said a few words in support of the bill, but it was stood over until Thursday next for further consideration.  
**Re Compensation Act**  
A delegation of lumbermen among whom were W. B. Snowball of Chatham, Mr. Harquail of Campbellton, and representatives of the Bohart Lumber Co., and Micamichi Lumber Companies, interviewed the government re the Compensation Act.  
**Lands and Mines Report**  
Hon. Dr. Smith's report of the Lands and Mines Department advocates stricter supervision of scaling. He had provided that no stump should be smaller than 12 inches inside the bark for spruces and fir. Early in the season he had sent a circular letter to every operator on Crown lands under the authority of legislation passed at the last session, asking for the cut on both granted and crown lands. The responses from the lumbermen to a very large extent, were unsatisfactory. As the law was enacted after

the operations were completed last season, he had concluded, however, unwillingly, not to press the matter too strongly against the lumbermen in this connection, but should proper returns not be forthcoming during the present season, the law will have to be invoked and the penalties claimed as provided by the timber regulations.  
One of the hard problems he found in taking over the administration of affairs in this office was to know how to deal fairly with the settler on crown lands in disposing of the pulpwood he cuts in making his clearing. If it were a matter dealing with bona fide settlers, then the problem would be a simple one, but where the records of the department show that a very large proportion do not fulfil the requirements of the setting act, it would be seen at once the question of dealing out justice is approached with a great deal of difficulty. Accordingly he gave orders that all green pulpwood cut outside of the first ten acres be subject to a stumpage of \$3.75 per cord, burnt wood \$1 per cord and payment be exacted by the department. When it is shown that the settler has complied in every way in homesteading his lot, then 75 per cent. of the stumpage collected will be returned to him.  
**Sale of Timber Licenses**  
On the first of August, 1918, the licenses which were sold in the year 1893 and not renewed under the legislation passed in the year 1913 will expire. There was strong influence brought to bear that they shall allow the licensees to pay the bonus and interest, an amount that would equalize the payments made by those who renewed their licenses under the legislation referred to, but the Government thought it would be more advantageous to the province to allow these lands to go up for sale.  
**Game**  
Game licenses for residents had been lowered to \$2.00. The game is decreasing. A three year's close season was necessary to save partridge from extinction.  
**New Settlements**  
In Madawaska 4902 acres and in Restigouche 12,050 acres were laid off for settlement, in blocks of 100 acres, 60 rods wide, with road through the centre.  
**Finance**  
The total net receipts for the year 1917 were \$544,191.64 as compared with \$549,336.06 for 1916.  
Fredericton, N. B., March 27—The Legislature to-day, finally passed bills to provide for the appointment of a forestry advisory commission, to prevent forest fires and to amend the act relating to the high cost of living.  
Bills to facilitate the collection of stumpage and to amend the act incorporating the Northwest Boom Company were agreed to.  
The Highway Act was taken and further discussed.  
Hon. Mr. Veniot moved an amendment to the effect that if a supervisor elected should fail to act, the minister would have the power to appoint a supervisor to act in his place; also that no member of the municipal council would be eligible for election as supervisor on either trunk or branch roads. The amendment was adopted.  
Mr. Veniot moved an amendment to the section relating to the width of roads to the effect that roads two rods or more in width and less than four rods in width might be laid out if deemed necessary.  
Hon. Mr. Veniot, speaking to the section prohibiting the passage of portable mills or of vehicles carrying loads of 2,000 pounds or more over highways between March 15 and May 15 in any year, said that he had framed the section with no desire to interfere with commerce, but solely for the purpose of protecting the highway.  
Hon. Mr. Veniot replied that all portable mills were barred except under certain conditions set forth in the amendment.  
The amendment forbidding motor vehicles to run on the highways in the spring, while the frost is coming out of the ground, was amended by the minister so as to make an exception in the case of a physician or an ambulance.  
Fredericton, Mar. 29—Hon. Mr. Veniot introduced a bill to amend the act relating to motor vehicles. He explained that under the bill it was proposed to compel all licensed chauffeurs to undergo an examination. The bill also fixed a minimum license fee for auto at \$10.  
Mr. Burchill introduced a bill to amend the act incorporating the Tracadie Boom Company.  
Mr. Allan introduced a bill to amend the act relating to the Tabusintac Boom Company.  
Hon. Mr. Veniot introduced a bill to vest the title of wharves, built wholly or in part by the Provincial Authorities in the Federal Government of Canada. The Federal Authorities had agreed to take over and keep in repair all wharves in tidal waters in the construction of which the Provincial Government had assisted. The Federal Government had also agreed to pay a long standing debt which the province had against it on account of wharf construction. The House adjourned at 5.45 until 8.30 p.m. Tuesday.

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### LUMBER OPERATORS TO INTERVIEW GOVERNMENT

A delegation of lumber operators, most of whom are from the North Shore, are in Fredericton to discuss lease renewals with the government. They want certain Crown Lands Lands Crown on the market by the government when the sale of expired leases takes place in August next. The smaller operators want certain concessions made in regard to their leases. Those in attendance are W. H. Miller, Campbellton; D. E. Richardson, Campbellton; C. L. Fenderson, Fredericton; J. W. Brantley, Chatham; Leonard O'Brien, Nelson; N. M. Jones, St. John; and A. D. Love, Bathurst.

## The Week's Happenings

**NOT EXEMPT**  
It has been ruled that neither Theological students nor bank clerks are exempt from Military Service.

**MAY SOLEMNIZE MARRIAGE**  
Rev. L. H. MacLean, M. A. of Newcastle, Presbyterian, has been registered to solemnize marriages.

**W I NEXT TUESDAY**  
The regular meeting of the Newcastle Women's Institute will be held next Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. John McCormack.

**DAVIDSON-PARKS**  
At the home of the bride's parents Upper Derby, on Tuesday April 2nd Nellie, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Parks was united in marriage to Mr. Allan Davidson of Tabusintac. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Alex. Rettie M. A.

**PTE W F RYAN WOUNDED**  
Mrs. Wm. F. Ryan has received word that her husband, Pte. Ryan of the 87th Battalion, has been removed to a hospital in England, suffering from a fractured arm. Pte. Ryan has been fifteen months in France.

**A MAYORALTY CANDIDATE**  
The card of Ald. John H. Troy, as a Candidate for Mayor appears in this issue. Mr. Troy, who has served one year at the Board as Alderman has proved himself to be a very efficient member of the Council. He is also a successful business man, and very popular with all classes of citizens and would make a very worthy occupant of the Mayoralty chair.

**NEWCASTLE PATRIOTIC FUND**  
The semi-monthly meeting of The Canadian Patriotic Fund, West Northumberland branch, was held on Tuesday evening in the Town Hall. Mayor Morrissey presided and there was a large attendance. Several grants were considered and several applications for Separation Allowance were signed by the Chairman to be forwarded to Ottawa.

**MARRIAGE**  
On Wednesday, April 3rd at St. Andrew's Church, Newcastle, by the rector the Rev. W. J. Bates—Mr. Charles Burton Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Smith of Blackville to Irene Mabel Crawford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Crawford also of Blackville. The happy couple who were unattended returned to Blackville the same day by train.

**TWO MILLERTON BOYS IN AMERICAN ARMY**  
Arthur Simpson of Boston, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Simpson of Millerton, has enlisted in the American Army, as has Gerald Miller of Denver, Colo., son of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Miller. Mr. Simpson has a brother, Ernest in the 58th Howitzer Battery, C. E. F., who has been in France since August, 1917. He enlisted from Dalhousie College where he was taking a course in Civil Engineering.

**DEED**  
Upper Bay Du Vin, March 24th William Dickson in his 89 year May his Soul Rest in Peace.

**MILLINERY OPENING**  
Millinery Opening at Basin House Sample Rooms, Millerton, Tuesday April 9th. All are cordially invited 15-1 MRS. GEO. MURCHISON

**PTE WALTER SHANNON GASED**  
Pte. Walter T. Shannon, of Lower Derby a former member of the Wireless Garrison here, who went overseas with the 132nd Batt. is reported a victim of German Gas.

**TO MODERATE A CALL**  
A meeting of the Congregation of Blackville and Querryville will be held in St. Andrew's Church, Blackville, on Tuesday evening, April 16th instant, at half past seven o'clock for the purpose of moderating in a call to a minister.

**WINS PROMOTION**  
Friends of Jas. Hubert Parker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Parker, Millerton N. B., who has now been in Active Service for nearly two years, in France will be pleased to learn that he has again won a promotion and is now bearing the rank of Regimental Quartermaster Sergeant.

**NEWCASTLE S S CONVENTION NEXT WEDNESDAY**  
The Sunday School Convention for Newcastle and Nelson Parishes will meet in Newcastle Methodist Church April 10th at 2:15 and 7:30 p.m.

The program includes, besides devotional exercises, reports of officers and Departmental superintendents, addresses by Joseph E. Anderson, and Revs. L. H. McLean and W. A. Ross and others. All Sunday School Workers are delegates.

**Easter Services**  
The Easter Services at St. Andrew's Church at 8 and 11 in the morning, and 7 in the evening were all well attended, the majority of communicants making their Easter communion at the early service.

Mrs. Sargeant officiated as organist and the choir was strong and very efficient. The eleven and seven o'clock services were largely choral. In the evening the choir were heard to very pleasing effect in the anthem "Rejoice the Lord is King". The altar was a mass of choicest white flowers, gifts from the members of the Altar Guild and "in loving memory" from Mrs. E. Lee Street of St. Andrew's, formerly of this town, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Davidson, Mrs. and Miss Harley, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Ritchie and Mrs. T. Davis. The offerings of the congregation amounted to \$59.07. At St. Mark's Church, Nelson, the service was at 2:30 p.m. and was well attended. The music was appropriate to the festival. Mr. McLaughlin was organist. Easter flowers were in evidence on the altar being provided by the members of the congregation. The offering amounted to \$10.11.

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Grade I—Atta Donahue, 90.5; Alden Donahue, 86.5.

The subscriptions to the King's College Advance Movement Fund now amounts to \$53,000. A successful campaign at Chatham secured \$1200, with more to come. On April 14th and following days, President Boyle will be at Newcastle.

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