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The Store's Semi-Annual Bargain Event The Famous Winter RUMMAGE SALE Fore Word

No explanations of the "whys" of This Sale seem necessary. This is the ninth event of its kind, each of which has surpassed the other in MAGNITUDE, in Greater values offered to you and in the elegance of the styles. This EVENT

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Suits, Coats,
Dresses
Blouses
Skirts, Sweaters
Coats



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\$32.00 " now \$12.00
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\$15.00 " now \$7.50

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\$40.00 " now \$20.00
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\$6.50 SKIRTS, now \$1.95
\$6.95 " now \$1.95
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NEWCASTLE FELT TWO SHOCKS OF THE EARTHQUAKE

At ten twenty Saturday evening a severe earthquake was felt here. The tremor lasted about a minute and was violent enough to shake buildings to such an extent that doors and windows rattled; furniture and dishes moved. The second shock came about three o'clock Sunday morning but was shorter and less severe.

The first shock caused much alarm among the citizens and resembled distant thunder; followed by the jar and swaying of buildings. Many persons rushed from their houses to the streets; while others were aroused from their slumbers and hastily arose to ascertain the cause of the disturbance.

Electric light fixtures swayed six inches; doors creaked; clocks stopped and many residents reported that they felt as if they were taking a dizzy spell; while others were seized with a feeling of irritation and felt a great nausea. The shock apparently was felt a little more severely in the business section of the town than in other parts; but it is conceded by all as being the most severe shock ever experienced in this locality. Scientists in the area affected found their data rather difficult to interpret; but their preliminary observations tended to indicate that the disturbance centered in the region of the Great Lakes perhaps near the mouth of the Saguenay river in Quebec.

From reports received the damage caused by the quake was slight.

It is stated that the flow of water from the Newcastle Town artesian wells; which was at a low ebb, because of the dry fall and winter months; has increased to a large extent since the quake on Saturday evening.

FORTY MILE GALE DOES DAMAGE

A gale which did more damage than any wind in several years sprang up suddenly shortly before eleven o'clock Thursday night and at times reached a velocity of more than forty miles an hour. A squall of snow accompanied the wind which continued for about an hour at its worst. Trees suffered and in a few minutes the streets were full of broken twigs and branches. In some cases large limbs were torn off.

The long distance lines of the New Brunswick Telephone Company suffered heavy damage. This was due to trees being blown down and falling across the wires breaking them and often breaking the poles off also.

NEWCASTLE CUR- LERS DEFEAT MONCTON

Four rinks of Moncton curlers were in Newcastle and Chatham on Saturday playing friendly matches with the clubs on the North Shore towns in the afternoon and evening. In both matches the visitors were badly defeated. The score at Newcastle was 54 to 37 against Moncton and at Chatham the Moncton rinks lost by 61 to 39.

After the Newcastle game the visitors were entertained to luncheon by the local curlers.

The play by rinks was as follows:
Newcastle Moncton
A. J. Ritchie 7 G. C. Allen 12
W. Gifford 18 P. McDonald 5
R. Galloway 18 C. Robertson 8
J. Sargeant 11 E. W. Givah 12

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LOCAL DELEGATES RETURN HOME FROM OTTAWA

The Newcastle delegates who left early last week for Ottawa at the request of the St. John Board of Trade to augment the Maritime delegation which interviewed the Prime Minister and Opposition heads in the matter of securing assurance of Canadian trade through Casaguan ports; returned home during the week-end and on Sunday. Part of the delegation arrived here Saturday on the delayed trains of Friday and the remainder of the delegation arrived on Sunday evening's delayed Ocean Limited which was several hours late.

Speaking to the Advocate's representative members of the delegation stated that they had joined the Maritime delegation as desired and were present at the interview held in the parliament buildings with the various members of the House of Commons as well as members of the government. The local members were chiefly concerned; however; with the purely local matters which they had been able to take up with the departments concerned; the chief matters in this respect being the proposed changes in our Post Office building and the matter of the Newcastle-Tracadie Railway. The delegates speak highly of the courtesy extended them by the county's representative Mr. W. B. Snowball, M.P.; and feel satisfied that some good results will materialize from their representations.

castle and Bathurst was broken in several places; causing the lights to go out several times; but repairs were soon made and very little; if any inconvenience was experienced.

WOMEN'S INSTITUTE
The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Institute; Millerton met at the home of Mrs. Wm. Kirk singing "Oh Canada" the president in the chair. Roll call was answered by seven members; with a Valentine greeting. The question box was opened by Mrs. Wm. Kirk with many helpful things given. The subject of the meeting was variety in Fish Dinner; everyone had something good on this subject. The meeting closed by singing the National Anthem. Luncheon was served by the hostess.

WHAT RADIO IS COSTING THE CANADIAN NATIONAL

The two wireless stations installed by the Canadian National Railways at Ottawa and Moncton cost \$18,253, and \$22,500 respectively according to answer made by the railway department to questions of George Black Conservative, Yukon in the House of Commons. Twenty passenger cars have been equipped with wireless a-

a total cost of \$10,843.39 averaging per car. The equipment of the according to the statement "to afford information and entertainment for passengers and thereby attract passenger business to Canadian National's lines."

The management received 3,122 telegrams; cards and letters acknowledging the broadcasts from all sections of Canada; United States; Great Britain and Cuba.

"BUY AT HOME"

WILL STAGE COMEDY ON ST. PATRICK'S DAY

St. Mary's Choir will on March 6th, and 17th present the Farce Comedy "A Full House" in the Newcastle Opera House. Plan of the hall for March 16th may be seen at T. J. Durick's Drug Store and that of March 17th at E. J. Morris' Drug Store. See advt elsewhere in this issue.

Town Topics Tid-bits on the Tip of Everybody's Tongue

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The Berengaria

Of the Elder Dempster Line, left St. John on her last trip carrying amongst the rest of her cargo four cases of Moirs Chocolates for the ending dealer in Cape Town, South Africa.

Regular shipments to South Africa in one direction, to New Ze-

land in another—the fame of Moirs Chocolates is girdling the globe.

In this connection, the Captain of the All Black Football Team from New Zealand wrote a very nice letter in appreciation of a gift of Moirs Chocolates from a friend. He can now get these chocolates in the four leading clubs of his homeland.

VENIOT REQUESTS CANADA TAKE OVER VALLEY RAILWAY

Ottawa, Feb. 26—Premier P. J. Veniot, of New Brunswick, had a conference this afternoon before the opening of the House of Commons with the Federal Government on the question of taking over by the latter of the St. John Valley Railway. He was received by the Prime Minister, Hon. George P. Graham, Minister of Railways and Canals, and Hon. Arthur B. Copp, Secretary of State.

The present financial condition of the road and the results of its operation were, it is understood, dealt with by Premier Veniot in his representations which were promised careful consideration.

Both Losing Money.

It was learned from other sources that both the Federal and the New Brunswick Governments are losing money from the operation of the road. By the old arrangements the New Brunswick Government get 40 per cent of the gross receipts and the Federal Government 60 per cent, the former Government having built the road and the latter operating it. It is stated by those in the east that at the present time the two Governments are losing about \$250,000 each annually in the maintenance of the St. John Valley Railways.

HON. DR. BAXTER TO LEAD OPPOSITION

Belief of Provincial Party—Hydro and Prohibition.

St. John Globe

The programme of the Opposition party in the Provincial Legislature during the coming session was decided on here on Tuesday afternoon at a meeting of the executive of the provincial opposition.

Hydro and prohibition were dealt with along with other questions of lesser importance. A feature of the meeting is understood to have been an indication that Hon. Dr. J. B. M. Baxter, K. C., M. P., will be called upon to lead the Opposition forces in the next provincial campaign.

As a result of the caucus, the Opposition party in the local House will be instructed, to give support to the broad policy of provincial hydro development by the government especially in reference to the Grand Falls project.

The Opposition will be directed closely to watch the financial arrangements to see that that aspect of the question is in order.

Hon. Dr. Baxter is said strongly to have favored public development of hydro and since his party is opposed to the stand of the present Conservative leader, C. D. Richards, who in the House last year went on record as personally in favor of private development, it is assumed that the Opposition of Hon. Dr. Baxter and the direction which will issue to the Opposition party as to the line to be followed in the House, means that Hon. Dr. Baxter will be asked to lead the Opposition forces when the government appeals to the country.

Hon. Dr. Baxter's attitude on hydro is said to have influenced the caucus in its decision to support public development.

The attitude of the Opposition party on prohibition is also said to have been defined in general terms. It was agreed that the present prohibitory law should be enforced, and that in view of the



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NORWEGIANS TO GATHER AT TWIN CITIES

Fifty Thousand Canadian-Norwegians Will Attend Norse-American Centennial at Minneapolis and St. Paul in June.

King Haakon, President Coolidge and Lord and Lady Byng Invited.



Professor Gisle Bothne

In June next, between three and four hundred thousand Canadians and Americans of Norwegian origin will gather at the twin cities of Minneapolis and St. Paul to celebrate by a great national gathering the hundredth anniversary of the landing in America of the first organized party of Norwegian settlers on the Continent. It was in 1825 that the little sloop Restauration, of 46 tons, set sail from Stavanger carrying a little band of adventurers who settled in New York state and ever since that time there has been a steady stream of newcomers to this continent from their homeland.

The coming gathering and its purposes were recently discussed at the head offices of the Canadian Pacific Railway, Montreal, by Professor Gisle Bothne of the Minnesota state University at Minneapolis. The professor stated that the Legislatures of Minnesota had endorsed the gathering and had forwarded through the Secretary of the State of Washington invitations to President Coolidge, King Haakon of Norway and the Governor General of Canada. President Coolidge has already accepted and Lord and Lady Byng have given assurance that they will attend. It is expected that about 50,000 Norwegians now living in Canada will attend the Norse-American Centennial.

The gathering will be opened on June 6 next and about forty "Bygdelags" or Norwegian Clans will hold meetings during the first day. On Sunday June 7 the Bishop of Oslo, which until recently was known as Christiania, will hold a divine service and the succeeding days will be given up to meetings, field sports and musical competitions, and an historical pageant depicting the Viking activities of one thousand years ago and the history of Norsemen at home and abroad up to the present time, portraying their contributions to civilization, in discoveries, science, agriculture, industry and commerce, in art and literature will be staged. The costumes will be magnificent and in brilliancy of technique, in magnitude and splendour the whole array will rival anything of its kind that has heretofore been produced. The other features of the Centennial are being prepared on the same elaborate scale.

It is already arranged that a large delegation from Norway's parliament will be present and there is some hope that the Norwegian Crown Prince may attend. Five Norwegian-American universities are closing for the summer early so that their faculties and students may be present. Professor Bothne pointed out that the Norwegians had done much in the building up of the central western states and their influence was shown by the fact that the governors of no less than five states were of Norwegian birth or descent. It has been proposed that the Canadian Department of Colonization shall have an exhibit at the convention.

In the course of the interview professor Bothne stated that undoubtedly the new United States immigration laws would result in large numbers of Norwegians coming to this country during the next few years.

Large number of new voters who will have the franchise at the next election there should be a plebiscite taken on the question of continuing the present laws or having sale under government control.

Cleanup of Logs This Summer Is Forecast

Those in close touch with the lumbering industry of New Brunswick forecast a cleanup of logs in the various sawmills of the Province during the sawing season of 1925. The opinion is based on the facts that few logs were carried over in any section of the Province from last year and that logging operations of the present winter have been carried on generally on a scale which will prevent any glutting of the market.

The anticipation is that there will be a sawing season throughout the province which will be as long as the average and which will employ the usual number of people.

Chatham is expected to have less milling than usual because of the non-operation of the Snowball mill. In other lumbering centres the milling will be about as usual.

There has been a steady



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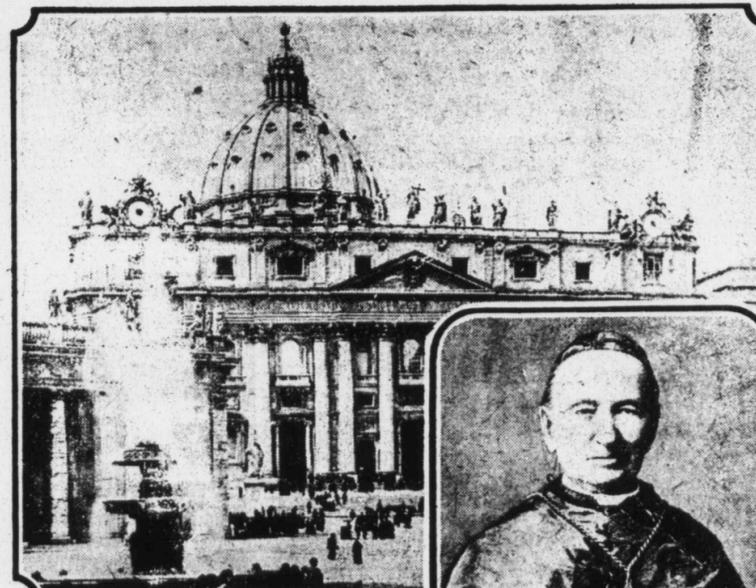
movement of manufactured lumber out of the Province. The North Shore has sent our large quantities. Much went overseas from North Shore ports last autumn and during the winter much more has moved out by rail to the United States market. It is anticipated that there will be less competition from Pacific Coast lumber

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Canadians Make Pilgrimage to Holy City



St. Peter's, Rome.

Canadian response to the Papal Bull promulgating the "Holy Year Universal Jubilee" is, according to reports of transportation companies operating between this continent and Europe, assuming unexpected proportions. Canadian Pacific officials report that applications for accommodation on the "S.S. Minnedosa" chartered by the Holy Tours Incorporated to carry Holy Year pilgrims to Bordeaux this summer, are steadily pouring in from all over Canada and the United States and that the Canadian contingent will be accompanied by many distinguished members of the episcopate, clergy and religious orders. His Eminence Cardinal Louis-Nazaire Begin, of Quebec, has signified his intention of sailing on the Minnedosa as have several other high dignitaries of the Church in Canada.

The opening rites of Holy Year have already been performed and the Papal Bull, formally announcing its commencement and inviting Catholics the World over to assemble in Rome has been issued. The purposes of the Great Jubilee as set forth in the Papal Bull are to live to achieve men in divine charity. The opportunities to preside Pentecostal ceremonies afforded them by His Pious XI, are powerful factors in many to visit the Holy City. The Minnedosa sails from Montreal and



His Eminence Cardinal Begin who will head the Canadian Pilgrimage to Rome, leaving Montreal and Quebec on May 5 next on board the Minnedosa.

Quebec on May 5th next, one of the first sailings from the St. Lawrence season for Bordeaux where the pilgrims will disembark and continue their journey by rail, stopping at Lourdes, Carcassonne, Marseilles, Nice and Genoa en-route to Rome. This vessel has accommodation for seven hundred passengers and in view of the special low rate quoted for the tour, it is expected that the Minnedosa will carry a capacity passenger list.

Although born in Levis, Quebec, in 1840, Cardinal Begin is well known in Rome as it was there in 1865, that the present head of the Roman Catholic church in Canada was ordained to the priesthood. In 1888 he was created bishop of Chicoutimi and, in another three years, Archbishop of Cyrene and coadjutor of His Eminence Cardinal Taschereau. In 1894 he took over the administration of the diocese of Quebec, being elevated to the Cardinalate in 1914.



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MANNERS THREE CENTURIES AGO

Very Plain Language Used—Customs of the Times.

Liverpool.—Letters and documents dealing with manners and customs of daily life in the 17th century which came to light recently tend to show that it was customary in those days for "persons of quality" to have sets, their own spoons knives and forks which they took with them when invited out. These papers were of particular interest just at this time to collectors of antiques in connection with an addition made recently to the British Museum. This was the earliest hall-marked table fork known, engraved with the crest of Manners and Montagu, 1632. About the same time a silver spoon of identical hall-mark and crest was taken to Haddon Hall.

Mention of such a set is made in the will of Mrs. Katherine Ridgeway, dated May 9 1627 which was among the documents destroyed in a fire some time ago at the Four Courts, Dublin. The will says: "I bequeath to the Right Honorable the Lord Chancellor my little seller of chystol bottles intem. I give and bequeath to my lady of Elye my gilt spoon with the forks and pen-knife suitable to it."

Mrs. Ridgeway was widow of George Ridgeway, secretary of the Irish Council, and the Lord Chancellor was Adam Lofus, Lord Loftus of Etyl.

Books on etiquette and able manners were far from being the prerogative of the Victorian age, it is revealed as in 1663 there was published in London a book entitled "The Accomplished Lady's Rich Closet of Rarities," in which the following rules are laid down:

"A gentiewoman being at table abroad or at home must observe to keep her body straight, and lean not by any means upon her elbows—nor by ravenous gesture discover a voracious appetite. Talk not when you have meat in your mouth; and do not smack like a pig—nor eat spenemeat so hot that tears stand in your eyes.

"It is very uncourtly to drink so large a draught that your breath is almost gone, and you are forced to blow strongly to recover yourself. Throwing down your liquor as into a funnel is an action fitter for a juggler than a gentiewoman. In carving at your own table distribute the best pieces first, and it will appear very decent and comely to use a fork; so touch no meat without it."

Reference to the fork was of particular interest to the museum authorities, for those present say indispensable instruments had not then been long introduced, it appears.

Forks were first imported from Italy and their use in England at the time was considered pedantic and laughable. One writer of the time speaks of a silver fork as "being used of late by some of our spruce gallants," which did not tend to make a fork popular at all among certain sets.

WHY ELECTORS DO NOT VOTE

A book has been issued by Chas. Edward Merriam and Harold Foote Gosnell, instructors in political science in the University of Chicago which has a peculiar interest. It is called "Non-Voting," and it presents an exhaustive study of conditions as they existed in Chicago at the municipal election of 1923.

The authors not only obtained the views of 300 experts in electoral processes, but examined 6,000 non-voters selected from scattered groups through out the city. They found that about half this number were simply indifferent or neglectful, the classification being as follows:—General indifference, 2,240; intended to vote, but failed; 677; indifference to particular election, 153. The other half gave the following explanation: Illness, 770; absence, 660; ignorance or timidity regarding elections, 565; disbelief in woman's voting, 505; insufficient legal residence, 450; fear of loss of business or wages, 396; disgust with politics, 338; disgust with own party, 267; belief that one vote counts for nothing 126; detained by helpless Member of family, 120; failure of party workers to get them out, 117; poor location of polling booth, 108; congestion at polls, 64; objections of husband, 60; belief that ballot box is corrupted, 52; disbelief in all political action, 35; fear of disclosure of age, 16.

Many of these "reasons" would be better described as excuses. The voter who will not vote unless he is driven to the polls, or unless the polling booth is handy to his home or who pleads that his one vote "doesn't count" can hardly escape the verdict of "indifferent or neglectful." And voters are also guilty of neglect when they stay indoors all day and then find themselves barred from the polling booth in the last half hour of voting because so many others have done likewise.

The findings in Chicago would be

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Here and There

An unusual consignment passed through Montreal recently in the care of the Dominion Express Company when six Rocky Mountain sheep were shipped to Austria to form part of a zoological exhibit there. The animals, which are valued at \$600, came from the National Park at Banff, Alberta.

Alberta farmers have recently been shipping a new commodity to the market. During the past few years there has been a considerable increase in the number of bee-keepers and last year 160 keepers had a total production of nearly 60,000 pounds of honey, valued at approximately \$15,000. The exact number of bees is not known.

Contract for aeroplane spruce has been made between Vickers Limited, manufacturers of aeroplanes, and Frank L. Buckley, of Vancouver, B.C. The spruce will be logged on the Queen Charlotte Islands and milled at the Buckley Mill at Port Clement, on Graham Island and at Burrard mill, in Vancouver. The contract calls for the delivery of two million feet during 1925.

Canada leads the world in automobile exports in proportion to production, domestic sales or ownership of motor vehicles or to population. Not relatively but absolutely the automobile exports of the Dominion are only exceeded by those of the United States. Since 1920 the motor vehicle exports of Canada have nearly doubled, the increase being from 9.8 per cent. to 17 per cent. of the automobile export trade of the world.

A special train of forty-two cars, containing nearly 900 head of stock for export to Great Britain, arrived at the Canadian Pacific Railway's East End stock yards, Montreal, recently. These, added to shipments from Pakenham, Ont., Toronto and other points in Ontario and Quebec, made up what cattlemen claimed to be the greatest concentration of Canadian cattle for export in the history of the trade. From the yards the cattle were shipped by special train to the ship's side at St. John, N.B.

When the round-the-world cruise passengers aboard the Canadian Pacific steamship "Empress of France," reached Egypt recently, they were entertained by Ensal Khattab, a prominent sheik holding authority over a large number of villages along the Nile. Unfortunately, the sheik succumbed to a sudden attack of heart failure. The visitors from across the Atlantic before returning to their ship were permitted to attend the funeral, which was conducted in the desert with weird and impressive religious rites, an experience few world-travellers have known.

Between 300,000 and 400,000 Canadians and Americans of Norwegian origin will gather at Minneapolis and St. Paul in June next to celebrate by a great national gathering the hundredth anniversary of the landing of the first organized party of Norwegian settlers on this continent. President Coolidge, King Haakon of Norway and Lord Byng, Governor-General of Canada, have been invited to attend. Meetings of some forty Norwegian organizations, divine service by the Bishop of Oslo (formerly Christiansia), field sports, musical contests and historic pageants will make up the programme.

Here and There

He tried to cross the railroad track. Before the rushing train; They put the pieces in a sack, But couldn't find the brain!

One hundred British farm families are due to reach British Columbia early next spring. These are the fore-runners of 3,000 families that are to come out to settle in Canada on the land. Provincial and British Government assistance is being given them to get started.

A remarkable statue modelled entirely in ice is to be seen at Quebec. It represents one of the latest or 2300-type locomotives of the Canadian Pacific Railway, about one-fourth full size and is perfect in every detail. Ice statuary has been brought to a fine art in the Ancient Capital.

Skaters from New York, Boston, Montreal, Toronto and Ottawa will compete with Quebec champions in a great international amateur figure skating contest, to be held in Quebec city February 23-24, for handsome trophies and medals donated by the Frontenac Winter Sports Club. A record attendance of spectators is expected.

Skiing parties over the week-end are being conducted by the Laurentian Winter Club in different points in the Laurentian Mountains, the tours being superintended by a competent skier. To those remaining in Montreal the big six-chute toboggan slide on Mount Royal has an added attraction in toboggan races every Saturday, winners receiving prizes.

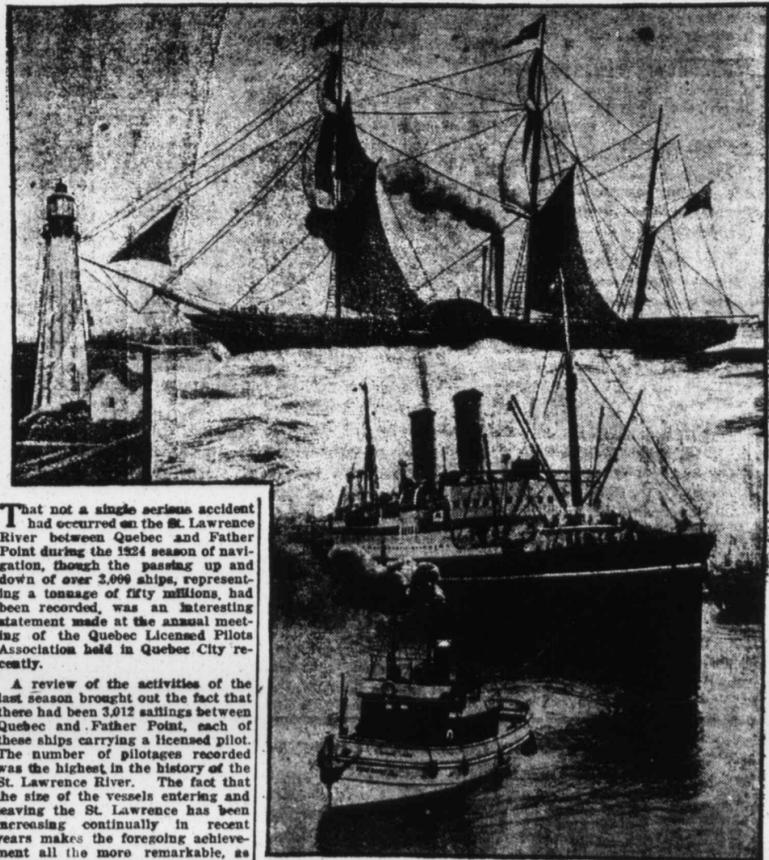
That Canada is on the verge of a trade boom which may last until the end of this year was the statement made in Toronto recently by Richard Conway, Vice-President of the Brookmire Forecasting Service of New York. "The main factor responsible for the upswing of Canadian business, he said, is the opening of the foreign markets to the grains of the past year.

Federal control of United States railroads, adopted as a war measure during the period December 31, 1917, February 29, 1920, cost the country \$1,874,500,000, of which \$1,123,500,000 was total loss, \$536,000,000 estimated expenses and \$15,000,000 was required to reimburse small deficit roads, according to James C. Davis, Director General of Railroads, who has just submitted his annual report.

Remarkable absence of timidity is being shown by wild animals in the neighborhood of Banff, Alberta, it is reported, as a result of kindly treatment. Heavy snows recently brought elk and deer into the main part of the town, where a parade by these animals is not an uncommon sight. They make the rounds of the houses, looking for tit-bits, which are not denied them. One big elk, with a magnificent set of antlers, is as regular on his schedule of calls as the milkman.

The most recent addition to the Canadian Pacific Railway's British Columbia fleet of 28 passenger ships, freighters, barges, ferries and tugs is the British Admiralty Rescue type tug, "St. Florence," which will leave Glasgow at an early date to make the 8,600 mile journey to Victoria under her own steam via the Panama Canal. She will be one of the largest towing tugs in Pacific coast waters and is capable of towing the biggest liners making use of ports in that ocean.

St. Lawrence Route Claims Pilotage Record



That not a single serious accident had occurred on the St. Lawrence River between Quebec and Father Point during the 1924 season of navigation, though the passing up and down of over 3,000 ships, representing a tonnage of fifty millions, had been recorded, was an interesting statement made at the annual meeting of the Quebec Licensed Pilots Association held in Quebec City recently.

A review of the activities of the last season brought out the fact that there had been 3,912 sailings between Quebec and Father Point, each of these ships carrying a licensed pilot. The number of pilotages recorded was the highest in the history of the St. Lawrence River. The fact that the size of the vessels entering and leaving the St. Lawrence has been increasing continually in recent years makes the foregoing achievement all the more remarkable, as this has naturally increased the draught of the liners, some of which, as in the case of the Canadian Pacific steamships, reached thirty and at times thirty-three feet.

Advance bookings to date, indicate that the St. Lawrence route during 1925 will prove even more popular than heretofore. A large number of Holy Year pilgrims to Rome will enjoy a trip down the River on the

Above, "The British Queen," one of the first steam vessels to ply the St. Lawrence. Below, a huge Canadian Pacific steamship, with pilot aboard, is towed into the stream at Montreal. Inset, the Lighthouse at Father Point, where the pilot will leave her.

Canadian Pacific S.S. Melita early in May, and when the more general movement of tourists to Europe begins later in the year, large numbers of them, whether from the United States or Canada, will leave from Quebec or Montreal. With but four days on the open sea, this route to Europe affords advantages other than scenic which are responsible mainly for the increase in traffic and the corresponding increase in tonnage and size of vessel operated over it.

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PREMIER PROMISED CONSIDERATION

Speech by Hon. Mr. King in Reply to Delegates

Hon. Mackenzie King, in replying to the address made by the delegates to Ottawa, on Thursday morning, said:

"How can we hope to develop Canadian trade through Canadian ports, when such discrimination is allowed to exist?" The Premier asked the delegation after quoting from a report which showed that ocean rates were lower from New York to Liverpool, than from Saint Lawrence ports to Liverpool, during the grain movement season. If, the government could find some method for controlling these ocean rates, the problem of directing trade through Canadian ports was all but solved.

"We have given the subsidy on one condition that the government of this country fixes rates on the vessel," Mr. King declared. The Government felt that the time had come when something must be done to cope with a situation which was causing grave injury to Canadian ports.

"The only serious consideration at present, is that of ocean rates. The suggestion that the British preference be confined to Canadian ports had been made, said Mr. King. He pointed out that there were two phases which must be considered, when this suggestion was under review. There was the international as well as the national side of the question.

If specific exclusion of goods coming through American ports and over American Railways was adopted, then the natural result would be some measure of retaliation on the part of the United States. On the other hand the Government had already taken steps toward encouraging trade to flow through Canadian ports in the adoption of a discount of 10 per cent from the British preference on such goods.

The result of this legislation had been that in the fiscal year 1923-24 all but a small fraction of one per cent of the total imports from the United Kingdom had come through Canadian ports, Mr. King warned the delegation that millions of sons of American produce was now moving through Canadian ports, and that it would be unwise to take any action which would discourage the business.

Mr. King said that the Government would be pleased to receive the written memorial which the delegation proposed to present and would give it careful consideration.

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SERVICE SCHOOL THIS WEEK IN ST. JOHN

Officials of the Studebaker Corporation of America who are on a tour through the Maritime Provinces were in Moncton on Wednesday and held a conference with Mr. C. C. Hayward, General Manager and other representatives of the Lounsbury Co., Ltd., who are the Studebaker Distributors for New Brunswick.

The representatives of the corporation included Mr. Geo. E. Willis, Manager of Export Sales and Mr. F. J. Mayo, Supervisor of Customs; of South Bend, Indiana; also Mr. J. A. Robertson, Manager of the Montreal Branch of the Corporation.

The conference discussed the question of better service to Studebaker owners and completed arrangements with the Lounsbury Co. in connection with the holding of a service school in St. John this week for N. B. dealers; similar to the school being conducted in Halifax. It was stated that the idea of the school is proving of great benefit to dealers; educating them in a manner that will give better service to Studebaker owners. The establishment of thoroughly up to date service stations was also gone into at the Conference; the idea of the Corporation being to make service a big feature that all auto owners will appreciate.

The popularity of new Studebaker models this year; of which there is a fine variety; is to be found in the fact that Studebaker sales up to date this year are 200 per cent better than last year and points to this being a good year for Studebaker.

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The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

G. F. Goad Is Warden Of Maritime Penitentiary

George Thomas Goad has received the appointment as warden of the Dorchester Penitentiary from the Civil Service Commission; effective from Feb. 1. Mr. Goad joined the staff of the institution in 1919 as guard; was promoted to warden's secretary then to storekeeper and has been acting warden for one and a half years. He served in the World War as a private and was promoted on the field to captain. Mr. Goad has shown excellent administrative ability and special capacity for prison work and is the youngest warden in the service.

BATHURST WON FROM SUSSEX IN VERY FAST GAME

Bathurst, Feb. 24—With a score; 7 to 6 in favor of the Bathurst team; the Sussex-Bathurst playoff was staged at the Arena tonight. Nearly eight hundred spectators got their money's worth from going to gong. The ice was in the pink of condition and there was plenty of speed established on both sides.

First Period
J. LeClair scored the first goal two minutes after the faceoff and that was the only time during the game when the visitors had the advantage. R. Cripps tallied the first score for the home team at 7 minutes and Lawlor scored the second one minute later while Carrol notched the third in just thirty seconds. For the next minute and half both goalies were kept busy and at ten minutes Lamb registered the visitors second; followed by H. Radcliffe with another at thirteen. With the score tied the fans were wild and witnessed some hard play on both sides until just before the gong. D. Cripps landed one past LeClair and the period ended, four three in favor of Bathurst.

The second period was very fast. Carroll scored at five minutes and LeClair at seventeen. The period was much faster than the first and the locals showed better form than the visitors. LeClair; the Sussex goalie; was peppered with shots and a couple of saves were made in a rather doubtful manner. Finnegan too; was called upon to stop quite a few but for the greatest part of the time the puck was in Sussex territory.

The third period opened with the visitors showing the strain but nevertheless there was eleven minutes of fast hockey before R. Cripps scored a counter. This was followed two minutes later by one from McKenna after which both teams made many attempts but failed until H. Radcliffe scored for the visitors at seventeen minutes and again at eighteen. The last two minutes were scoreless but every man on the ice was working for all there was in him. The ice waxed excellent; undoubtedly had the same condition prevailed at Sussex last Friday the paper town boys would have been the victors.

Penalties were all handed out during the first period; Crosby getting two of two minutes each and Reid one of the same length. Fans were present from Campbellton; Newcastle; Chatham; Fredericton; Moncton and Sussex.

Jack Brown handled the whistle. The lineup: Sussex—G. LeClair; goal; Lamb and Radcliffe; defense; J. LeClair; centre; H. Radcliffe; and F. Reid; wings; F. Hunter and E. Brooks; spares.

Bathurst—W. Finnegan; goal; Cribby and R. Cripps; defence; Carroll; centre; Lawlor and D. Cripps; wings; McKeewen and Skidd; spares.

KING MUST TAKE REST

London, Feb. 22.—King George must; on recovery from his present illness betake himself out of the rigorous English climate as a precaution against the possibility of a second attack of influenza; which is very prevalent in England at the present time. So the Kings physicians; Lord Dawson; Sir Milson Rees and Sir Frederick Stanley Hewitt have ruled. The three physicians paid their customary morning and evening visits to the palace today and after a rather long consultation issued a bulletin at 6 o'clock this evening, revealing for the first time how very severe the bronchial attack had been and why recovery was so slow.

The physicians have advised the

King to spend the remainder of the winter in a yachting cruise in the Mediterranean and it is not questioned that their advice will be followed. The official's bulletin reads: The King passed a fair day. There is still a rise of temperature in the evening but the slow progress continues.

At its outset; the influenza which attacked His Majesty was somewhat severe; the bronchitis extending to the base of the lungs a form of radly which is apt to be tedious and resistant.

In order to secure complete restoration of health and fitness we advise; when the stage of convalescence has been reached; that His Majesty shall proceed to the south of Europe and cruise in his yacht for a few weeks.

Signed
Hewitt
Rees.
Dawson

Presumably; in view of this decision; the Royal duties will devolve on Prince Henry; as the Duke of York is in Africa and there is no suggestion of any change in the plans of the Prince of Wales.

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A Thousand Stories in Lake District of Manitoba Says Canadian Authoress

Martha Ostenso Gave Best First Novel of Year that Setting

Miss Martha Ostenso, who was awarded the \$13,500 prize and royalties on the book for the best first novel submitted during the past year, in a contest organized jointly by the Dodd, Mead & Company, Pictorial Review and Famous Players-Lasky Corporation, is a twenty-four-year-old school teacher from Manitoba. Miss Ostenso's novel will be serialized, filmed and published in book form in 1925. The story, which is called "The Passionate Flight," deals with the farmers of the Western Prairies and portrays the romance of one whose ambition to soar beyond the black loam led to dramatic consequences.

More than 1,500 manuscripts were submitted. The judges state that Miss Ostenso's was so far superior that no other story seriously rivalled it.

A brief sketch of her life and the circumstances which inspired her novel, as related by Miss Ostenso, follows: "Where the long arm of the Hardangerfjord penetrates farthest into the rugged mountains of the coast of Norway, the Ostenso family has lived in the township that bears its name since the days of the Vikings. The name means 'Eastern Sea,' and was assumed centuries ago by an adventurous forerunner who dreamed of extending his holdings over the mountains and through the lowlands of Sweden eastward to the very shores of the Baltic. Although his dreams never came true, the family name recalls it and the family tradition of land-holding has persisted unbroken; the part of the land that borders the lovely fjord is still in its possession, handed down from eldest son to eldest son.

"My father, a young son, was free to indulge his roving disposition. A few years after his marriage to my mother he decided to emigrate to America.

"My mother's parents lived high up in the mountains, remote from the softening influence of the coast towns. At their home it was, near the little village of Haukeland, that I was born. This, the first of many small towns in which I have lived, is known to me only through hearsay, for when I was two years old we came to America.

"The story of my childhood is a tale of seven little towns in Minnesota and South Dakota. Towns of

the field and prairie all, recolent of the soft from which they had sprung and eloquent of that struggle common to the farmer the world over, a struggle but transferred from the Ostensos and Haukelands of the Old World to the richer loam of the new. They should have a story written about them—those seven mean, yet glorious little towns of my childhood! In one of them, on the dun prairies of South Dakota, I learned to speak English. What a lovely



Martha Ostenso

language I found it to be, with words in it like pail and funeral and alone, and ugly words, too, like laughter and cake and scratch! What strange sounds the new words made to me.

"Later, in another of the little towns, I learned that it was fun to make things with words. It was while living in a little town in Minnesota that I became a regular contributor to the Junior Page of the Minneapolis Journal, and was rewarded for my literary trial-balloons at the rate of eighty cents a column. In the public school of that little town there still hangs, perhaps, a large print of a rural scene in a resplendent frame, with a neat name-plate at the bottom of it. That also came from the Journal, in recognition of an essay which, in my eleven-year-old opinion, placed me abreast of Emerson.

"When I was fifteen years old, I bade good-bye to the Seven Little

Towns. My father's restless spirit drove him north to the newer country. The family settled in Manitoba.

"It was during a summer vacation from my university work that I went into the lake district of Manitoba, well towards the frontiers of that northern civilization. The story that I have written lay there, waiting to be put into words. Here was the raw material out of which Little Towns were made. Here was human nature stark, unattired in the convention of a smoother, softer life. A thousand stories are there still, to be written.

"My novel lay back of my mind for several years before I began to write it. In the intervals of those years, spent as a social worker in a great city, I often compared the creaking machinery of skyscraper civilization with the cruder, direct society of the frontier. Slowly, as my work among the needy brought me nearer and nearer to the heart of the city, the border life began to be limned clearly against the murkier background of my work-a-day scene.

"A year ago last summer I returned to Manitoba. The approach to remembered scenes renewed my interest in my story; the character stood out clear-cut at last, and I made the first draft of the novel.

"I was not satisfied with the result and laid the manuscript aside, with no definite purpose regarding it. It was not until spring that I returned to the city and learned of the Curtis Brown contest. It was with diffidence and reluctance that I was persuaded by friends, who thought well of the early draft and its possibilities, to rewrite it in time to submit it for consideration. At best, I felt, if it were as good as my friends said, it might not be wholly ignored.

"I leave it to the scientists and pseudo-scientists who argue interminably about the relative influence on men of heredity and environment to decide the responsibility for what ever merit my story may have. The blood of the Norsemen! The Seven Little Towns? Perhaps—I do not know. No—but I have my own very unscientific opinion. It won't bear stating, but this much may be said of it: It has something to do with magic and fairies and all the other impossible, beautiful things that I believe in."

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WEDDINGS

HARVEY—RUSSELL

The marriage of Miss Bessie Russell; daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Russell of Chatham Head; formerly of Legaceville; and Paul Harvey of the Magdalen Islands; was solemnized in St. Mary's church at 10.30 Monday morning by Rev. P. W. Brideau. The bride was dressed in blue canton crepe with hat to match; the bridesmaid; Miss Alma Harvey cousin of the groom; wore grey canton crepe with hat to match. The groom was supported by George Vinneau of Bathurst. A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents in Chatham Head; on Monday afternoon and evening. A large number of presents; including cut glass and silver; was received by the bride and groom; testify to the high esteem in which they are held. Mr. and Mrs. Harvey will reside in Newcastle and their many friends wish them many years of happy wedded life.

Northumberland Girl Married

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the Parish Church at 6.30 o'clock Tuesday evening when Rev. A. F. Bate rector of Fredericton; united in marriage Miss Abby Vada Storey daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Myles Storey; of Storeytown; Northumberland county; and Harold William Curley of Chipman. They were united and will reside at Chipman.

Cotton Mill On Full Time In Two Months

A. O. Dawson of Montreal; managing director of Canadian Cottons Ltd. who with W. R. Allen past-president of the Montreal Rotary Club; was among the speakers at the opening of the new building of the Dawson Club at Marysville Thursday night; made a most pleasing announcement in the course of his remarks; when he forecasted the resumption of full time at the Gibson Cotton mill within the next two months. The mill for some months has been on four days a week and before that was on three days.

DOG TAX COLLECTIONS

The dog tax collections for 1925 have been placed in the hands of Chief of Police F. C. Hopkins; who has already started on his work. Judging from the number of dogs daily seen on the streets; the Town should receive a large revenue from this collection; but we hear many complaints; that only a few pay this dog tax; while others are permitted to go free. These residents who pay; dislike this discrimination and expect all taxes to be paid. The Chief of Police says he is determined this year to collect from every body who owns a dog.

PERSONALS

Mrs. A. H. Cole has returned from a business trip to St. John.

Mrs. M. E. Beynon is a patient in Hotel Dieu Hospital; Chatham.

Mr. Frank Wallace of Halifax; N. S.; was in town over the week-end.

Mr. John F. Kingston was a visitor to Fredericton last week on business.

Mr. James Ryan; has returned from a pleasant visit to New York and other American cities.

Mr. Geo. Stables has returned from a pleasant visit to Fredericton and Fredericton Junction.

Warden R. J. Gill and County Sec. Treas. W. H. Teed were visitors to Ottawa last week.

Harry Cassidy of Hamilton; Ont. arrived home on Thursday to spend a month's vacation with his parents Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Cassidy.

Friends of Miss Helen MacMichael will regret to hear that she is ill with influenza at her parents' home in Moncton.

Mr. Perley Roy; of the Lounsbury Co.; Ltd. automobile staff; is in St. John this week attending the Studenbaker School; which opened in that city yesterday and will continue throughout the entire week.

Mayer D. S. Creaghan; Town Clerk J. E. T. Linton; AM. John Russel and Messrs. David Ritchie; C. E. Fish; F. V. Dalton; E. P. McEvoy and W. F. Smallwood were in Ottawa last week attending the meeting of the Federal Government and the Maritime delegation.

Report Cabinet Favors The C. N. R. Taking Valley Ry.

Ottawa February 27. It is possible that the Government may initiate steps to have the Canadian National Railway take over the St. John Valley Railway.

Premier Venlot of New Brunswick had a conference with Hon. Geo. P. Graham; Minister of Railways; at which this matter was discussed and it is rumored that Mr. Graham expressed the desire of the Government to meet the wishes of the New Brunswick Government as far as possible.

Premier Venlot also urged the construction of the Kingsclear Vanceboro branch in New Brunswick which the Senate eliminated from the branch line programme last year.

DISCOURAGEMENT IS DEFEAT

How much does it take to discourage you? That is an important question; because the answer is a fair criterion of your chance to succeed. Some young people succumb to the barest trifle. A supercilious lifting of somebody's eyebrows a superior frown twisting from somebody's lips drains them of all the confidence as if it were gas in a balloon some one had pricked. "He took all the heart out of me;" such young people will say with self-commiseration; when self-contempt is deserved.

Those who are easily discouraged are easily defeated; for discouragement is defeat. To lose heart is to lose all. The men who achieve great things are proof against discouragement. Failure; ridicule; hardships; and contempt have no effect on their resolute purpose than hailstones would have on Gibraltar. Think of almost any great man in Canadian history; and you will confront a personality against which discouragement had no available. How much does it take to discourage you.

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SASKATCHEWAN TO HOLD GENERAL ELECTION SOON

A special despatch from Regina to the Winnipeg Tribune says: "Saskatchewan will be in the throes of a provincial election campaign within six weeks according to predictions by persons in close touch with Premier Dunning's cabinet."

"It has been generally understood for some time that the Saskatchewan elections would occur during the summer; to clear the way for the federal elections which are expected during the fall."

"An important factor in this situation is the question of Mr. Dunning's possible elevation to the Federal Cabinet. It is well known that advances have already been made to the Saskatchewan Premier on one or two occasions; but he had hesitated to make the change. It is now firmly believed that the reason for holding the Saskatchewan elections so early in the spring is to make it possible to reorganize the Provincial Cabinet so as to release Mr. Dunning for the Federal Field. It is thought that his acceptance of a federal portfolio; probably as Minister of Immigration would greatly strengthen the prospects of Liberal candidates in federal ridings; not only in Saskatchewan but in Alberta and Manitoba as well."

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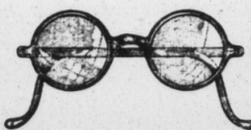
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Certificates To Be Given Plumbers

The examining board for N. B. plumbers announced Monday evening that 238 plumbers had satisfied the board that they were qualified for registration under the regulations of the Health Act and would be granted certificates. Final decision on applications for registration for those practicing the art of plumbing in New Brunswick was made Monday evening; when the committee disposed of several cases held in abeyance. It was announced that in future anyone wishing to practice plumbing in the province would have to pass the required examinations. It was pointed out that those who did not comply with the regulations under the Health Act would be liable to a fine not exceeding \$200. Several apprentices have registered and these will come up for examination after they have had five years' experience.

Autos Kill 20,000 Yearly In U. S.

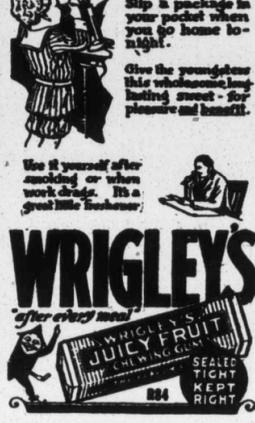
In the last ten years the number of persons killed each year by automobile accidents has increased from 5,000 to 20,000; according to the report of the U. S. National Safety Council. The increase in the number of deaths last year over those of the previous year was between 1,000 and 2,000 due principally to the continued increase in the use of automobiles. In 1924 there were 17,700,000 automobiles registered in the United States; or one to every 6.2 persons. Recommendations of the council are that drivers should be licensed only after tests and examinations by the state and licenses should be revoked for cause; uniform traffic regulations should be adopted by the States and all laws and regulations designed to prevent accidents should be rigidly enforced.

Ontario To Impose Three Cent. Gal. Gasoline Tax

Premier Ferguson told a large deputation from the Ontario motor league and branches from all over the Province that the government proposed a gasoline tax of three cents per gallon. The league while agreeing with the principal of the tax on gasoline objected to its imposition as a surtax and asked that the tax be postponed until January 1 next to enable the government to work out a reduction in the motor license fees so that no extra burden would be placed on the motorists as they were already carrying enough. The three cent tax announcement of the Premier surprised the deputation who were fighting on a maximum tax of two cents.

The Premier informed them that Quebec was asking that Ontario put on a four cent tax to have uniformity between the two provinces. The Premier announced that if there was

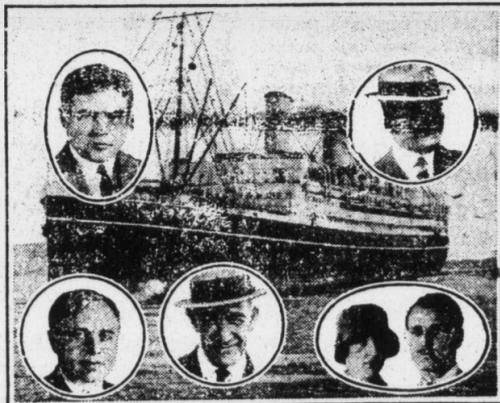
Bello Daddy - don't forget my Wrigleys!



Slip a package in your pocket when you go home to-night. Give the youngsters this wholesome, long-lasting sweet - for pleasure and health. Use it yourself after smoking or when work drags. It's a great little husband. **WRIGLEY'S JUICY FRUIT** SEALED TIGHT KEPT RIGHT

a great revenue from the gas tax the motor license fee might be reduced for 1926 but he made no promises. The three cent tax it is estimated; will bring in an additional revenue of \$3,000,000.

Prominent Passengers on Empress of France



Top left, E. W. Beatty, K.C.; right, Hon. Charles A. Dunning; bottom left, Lord Beaverbrook, E. W. Bok, Prince and Princess Obolensky.

The tide of steamship traffic is turning westward again, and the St. Lawrence route is still the favoured one. Beside large numbers of immigrants and returning Canadians, a great many European tourists are now turning toward Canada and these form no small percentage of steamship passenger lists. Perhaps the most distinguished list this season, was carried by the Canadian Pacific S.S. Empress of France on her last westward voyage. Among those on board was Lord Beaverbrook, who with several members of his family will spend some time in this country. He was also accompanied by T. Marston Till, O.B.E., his secretary. Other prominent British passengers were Right Hon. Sir Evelyn Cecil, O.B.E., F.R.C., M.P., and Col. Vaughan Morgan, O.B.E., M.P., of London. E. W. Bok, the famous Philadelphia publisher of Peace Prize fame also made the voyage. Two passengers in whom much interest centered were Prince and Princess Serge Obolensky whose recent marriage in Paris was one of the big social events of the year. The Princess was formerly Miss Astor. The Hon. Charles A. Dunning, premier of Saskatchewan, was also on the France. Other prominent passengers included Mr. R. Bosch, the inventor of the Bosch Magneto, and Mrs. W. H. Taft, who was met at the dock by her husband, W. H. Taft of the U.S. Supreme Court and ex-President of the United States. E. W. Beatty, President of the Canadian Pacific Railway, returned on the Empress of France from short visit to the Company's agencies in England and Scandinavia. He was much impressed by the great possibilities of a furtherance of trade between these countries and Canada. Asked whether he had seen the Canadian papers while abroad, and had noted the storm of comment and protest that had followed upon the putting into effect of the Crow's Nest Pass rates, Mr. Beatty replied that he had seen a good deal of this, and it was nothing more than had been expected by himself and other railway officers. "At the time the proposed restoration of the Crow's Nest rates was under discussion," he said "it was made abundantly evident by the railroads that they could not afford in the face of existing costs of operation for labor, materials, equipment, etc., to extend the operation of the Crow's Nest rates beyond the limits originally fixed. It was also fully explained that if restoration was forced upon the railways the inconsistencies would inevitably result, and some parts of the country would be unduly favored in comparison with others." "One of the grave difficulties of the day in railway operation in Canada is that theorists in railroad management are preaching a doctrine that gives no thought to the cost of operation in relation to the price the railroad is permitted to get for the service it gives as a common carrier. In most other lines of business, cost to the consumer is based on the cost of production. I cannot see why it should be different in the selling of freight or passenger transportation. Somebody has got to pay wages and other operating costs, and if the shipper is not willing to do so, I do not know who will, unless the country will pay it as a whole and I imagine that even the strongest supporters of public ownership will agree that we have reached the limit in that direction." "It is axiomatic, too, that the continuous betterments and improvements to existing railway lines and the provision of capital for extensions and new constructions generally depends directly upon the earning power of the companies, especially in the case of the Canadian Pacific, whose funds must be secured in the money markets of the world and it would be in every respect unwise to borrow unless the general earnings of the company were satisfactory. One of the difficulties facing the railway companies in Canada is that there is not a sufficient margin between revenues and outlays to permit of surpluses for working capital and for the general purposes of the companies. Until this margin is re-established extensive borrowings are highly undesirable. Nothing is more conducive to satisfactory commercial conditions than a healthy transportation situation and this can only be accomplished if a proper relation exists between revenues and disbursements." "I should like to point out," said Mr. Beatty, "that the Interstate Commerce Commission in the matter of rates and charges on grain and grain products in the western United States very recently decided that the general basis of rates then in effect did not appear to be unreasonable and dismissed the application for reduction. Here it should be remembered that rates on grain and grain products now in effect in western Canada are not less than 25 per cent. lower than those in the United States. The Interstate Commerce Commission is comprised of highly qualified economists who approach the technical and allied questions of railway rates and costs in a thoroughly scientific manner. On the other hand, the rate situation in Canada which has been the subject of so much comment recently has been brought about by the restoration by act of Parliament of a scale of rates fixed nearly thirty years ago without regard at all to present day costs of the inevitable disruption of the relationship which otherwise existed between various commodities and various producing centres." Mr. Beatty added that figures had been filed with the Government showing the approximate decreases in revenue to both the Canadian National and the Canadian Pacific railways by the adoption of the Crow's Nest rates on grain. These, he said, reflected a very serious loss of earning powers to the roads which would be made still more serious by the recent restoration of the rates on the balance of the commodities enumerated in that act.

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In a world where appearances are valued as indexes to character, *Your Stationery* should represent you worthily—always and everywhere. That atmosphere of character and refinement, which should distinguish all self-respecting correspondence is assured when you place your stationery order with us. If you allow us to furnish you

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they will reflect the dignity and self-respect of the discriminating, and be an excellent advertisement for your business, for a business man may be judged by the quality and style of his printed matter.

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is without doubt the best equipped on the North Shore, and consequently in a position to turn out all kinds of Job Printing *Neatly, Promptly and Satisfactorily*, at very reasonable prices. We are constantly adding new type and material to our already up-to-date equipment, and we have recently put in several of the newest type faces manufactured.

Let Us Prove

to YOU the truth of the above statement by giving us a trial order for any of the above mentioned office requisites, or an order for

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in fact, **ANYTHING YOU WANT PRINTED Neat, Artistic Two-Color Work a Specialty. Call on us when you need anything in our line. We assure satisfaction. Mail orders receive our careful and prompt attention. Write us for prices.**

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Everything in Printing.

Assuring Your Business

A policy of advertising is a policy of life assurance, and the protection thus secured is well worth its annual cost.

Old customers die or move away—they must be replaced.

Old customers are subject to the influence of temptation—they may be induced to divide their custom—to do some of their shopping at a competitor's.

New comers to this community will shop with you—become regular customers—if they are invited to do so.

Your competitor's advertising is an influence which must be offset if you are to maintain your trade.

Not to advertise regularly to the readers of the UNION ADVOCATE is to leave your business unprotected.

A WORD TO THE PUBLIC

It is no sign of weakness to follow the lead of advertising. You owe it to yourself to get the most for your money, the best goods and the best service. And if you find that your inclination is to shop where you are invited to shop rather than to continue to be a customer of the shop which never solicits your good-will you need have no compunctions of conscience.

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Child's 20 Year Endowment

\$250 Annual Premium	\$9.95
\$300 " "	\$11.94
\$400 " "	\$16.00
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Returns your Money plus 25%

W. E. RUSSELL
AGENT
Newcastle, N. B.

Notice

All persons are warned that trespassing on Beaubear's Island is strictly prohibited and any person who is found on the Island will be prosecuted.

O'BRIEN LTD.

July 13th, 1922. Nelson, N. B.
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NOTICE To Our Subscribers

We are revising our Mailing List and all subscribers in arrears are respectfully asked to pay the amount due on their paper. Look at your address label, and if it does not read 1925 you owe us something and we would be pleased to have your remittance at once.

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We buy only Screened Coal and give prompt and careful delivery. All Coal weighed

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NOTICE



All Dog Taxes are now due and have been put into the hands of the Chief of Police for collection, and all unpaid Taxes will be collected through the Court.

F. C. HOPKINS,
Chief of Police

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A JOB FOR YOU \$6 to \$10 DAILY.

50 MEN WANTED—No previous experience necessary. Write for 46-Page Free Book, which explains how you can earn while learning to work in city and town shops as Auto Mechanic, Engineer, Electrical; Battery of Welding Expert, Chauffeur, Salesman, etc. Also Brick-laying; Plastering; Mechanical Dentistry, and Barbering. Don't die a labourer. WRITE NOW! Which job. Address Hemphill Government chartered Trade Schools Free Employment Service, 163 King St. W., Toronto.

MAIL YOUR REMITTANCE
We have rendered our subscription accounts and would respectfully request each subscriber to remit us the amount due.

TENDERS

Sealed Tenders addressed to the undersigned will be received up to March 14th for the lease of the following properties of St. James' Church for a term of five years

Peninsula Meadow Lot
Gillan " "
Copp " "

and Fishing Lease on the North West Miramichi.

A. A. MacTAVISH,
Secretary

Notice of Application For Legislation

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of New Brunswick, at the next session thereof, for an Amendment to the Act "THE UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA ACT". Chapter fifty nine of the Acts of the Legislature of New Brunswick 1924, making provision for the time of the vote to be taken between the first day of January, 1925; and the tenth day of June, 1925 ALSO with reference to the qualifications of those qualified to vote.

Dated this second day of February A. D., 1925.

KENNETH J. MACRAE,
Pugsley Building
St. John, N. B.

6-4 On behalf of the Applicants

NOTICE

Unless the School Taxes as stated below are paid to the undersigned with costs for advertising, proceedings will be taken to recover same.

Michael Maher Property, Douglasfield

YEAR	AMOUNT
1922	\$3.75
1923	3.90
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Jan. 13th 1925

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Wood in any quantity or size at reasonable prices; also trucking done promptly and carefully.

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Ten Tests Of A Town

A very well thought out list of attributes of a Town, which make it attractive has been made by the Hon. J. H. McCreary, Chairman of the Department of Journalism; in Kansas University; and it appears in "Kansas Municipalities."

The ten questions which are generally asked are given as follows:—

1. Attractiveness—Is it pretty and well kept?
2. Healthfulness—Is it well managed.
3. Education—What are the facilities.
4. People—Are the residents good citizens.
5. Recreation—What is provided.
6. Living—Is this expensive.
7. Accessibility—Is it easy reached from other towns.
8. Business—Are there good opportunities for investment.
9. Employment—Are there prospects of employment.
10. Progressiveness—Is it going ahead.

It concludes: "You cannot control the climate, naturally scenery nor historic associations of your town; measure up to the standard that will be applied to it by intelligent townbuyers get busy and help make it measure up. The first big job, or a town salesman is to see to it that his community is right."

REMEMBER THE BIRDS

Remember the birds! Also remember that the same howling winds that caused you to turn up your coat collar makes it practically impossible at this time of the year for these feathered friends to obtain much food. Ground that is frozen and barren; shrubbery that is bare of berries; and bird baths pools that are now firm ice offer little in the way of food or drink for these associates who help to save our crops and our grain and spread their song so cheerfully. Why not scatter a few bread crumbs in some sheltered spot in the yard? Why not set out a pan water now and then? An apple or a piece of suet tied to a shrub would be welcome. You will feel amply repaid when you see the little fellows feast on your refreshment. Remember the birds!

IS YOUNGEST OFFICIAL OF CANADIAN PACIFIC



LEO SOLLOWAY

Leo Solloway, recently appointed Asiatic Freight Agent of the Canadian Pacific Railway with office at Montreal and supervision over Oriental and Australasian traffic via Pacific Ports.

Born in Vancouver in 1895, Mr. Solloway has the distinction now of being the youngest official in Canadian Pacific service, a distinction which he has won through fourteen years' service in the freight department of the Company. He commenced work as stenographer in the steamship department of the General Freight office in Vancouver in 1910, and remained in that department until 1915 when he enlisted for active service with the 72nd Highlanders. He returned from overseas in the Fall of 1917 and was attached to the steamship export department in Vancouver until 1918 when he was loaned to the British Ministry of Shipping, acting as assistant to the agent of the Ministry at the Pacific port.

In June 1919, Mr. Solloway went to Montreal as chief clerk to the Asiatic Freight Agent. Two years later he was appointed chief clerk to the General Foreign Freight Agent, and last May appointed as Acting Asiatic Freight Agent which office has been confirmed by promulgation.

MISERABLE AND ALWAYS IN PAIN

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a Dependable Help for Mothers

Port Greville, Nova Scotia.—"I took your medicine for a terrible pain in my side and for weakness and headache. I seemed to bloat all over, too, and my feet and hands were the worst. I am the mother of four children and I am nursing my baby—the first one of four I could nurse. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound before the baby's birth, so you can see how much it helped me. I cannot praise it too highly for what it has done for me. I took all kinds of medicine, but the Vegetable Compound is the only one that has helped me for any length of time. I recommend it to any one with troubles like mine and you may use my letter for a testimonial."—Mrs. ROBERT McCULLLEY, Port Greville, Nova Scotia.

Before and after child-birth the mother will find Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a blessing. Many, many letters are received giving the same sort of experience as is given in this letter. Not only is the mother benefited, but these good results pass on to the child. No harmful drugs are used in the preparation of this medicine—just roots and herbs—and it can be taken in safety, by the nursing mother.

86 out of every 100 women reported benefit from its use in a recent canvass among women users of this medicine.

G. F. Goad Is Warden Of Maritime Penitentiary

George Thomas Goad has received the appointment as warden of the Dorchester Penitentiary from the Civil Service Commission; effective from Feb. 1. Mr. Goad joined the staff of the institution in 1919 as guard; was promoted to warden's secretary then to storekeeper and has been acting warden for one and a half years. He served in the World War as a private and was promoted on the field to captain. Mr. Goad has shown excellent administrative ability and special capacity for prison work and is the youngest warden in the service.

Bathurst Chief Of Police Decides To Remain

Chief of Police Gilker of Bathurst who tendered his resignation to the Town Council; has decided to remain. At a special meeting the Council assured him of their co-operation. Lagare Russell, of West Bathurst; was appointed to the position of policeman.

Old Age Pension Legislation This Session

The government has "under consideration" the introduction of legislation on old age pensions; the Prime Minister stated in the House of Commons in answer to T. L. Church Conservative; North Toronto. Mr. Church asked if any steps were to be taken in view of the report of the committee on old age pensions which was made last session.

Here and There

Rex Beach, the eminent American author, was recently in New Brunswick as a guest of W. G. McIntyre. On leaving for his home in the United States at the conclusion of his visit, Mr. Beach expressed himself as a strong booster for the hunting and fishing possibilities of the province, charmed with its scenic beauties, delighted with its people and solemnly proposing to return with his gang next year.

The largest and one of the most valuable shipments of foxes ever to pass through Montreal, Que., by Dominion Express Company, was handled by that organization recently. There were 35 animals in the shipment, valued at \$17,000, 30 being silverback foxes and the rest black foxes. The former were destined for exhibition at Minneapolis, while the latter went to different points in the Canadian West.

The Eastern International Dog-Sled Derby, which was so successful last year, will again be held at Quebec in 1925, the dates set being February 19th, 20th and 21st. As on former occasions, the distance to be covered will be 120 miles, at an average rate of 40 miles a day. Earl Bridges, Le Pas, Manitoba, now holds the handsome trophy awarded for the race and is expected to defend his honors. Many teams are already working out.

A decided acquisition to Trois Rivières, Que., is the new Canadian Pacific Railway station, which was opened there on November 8th. The building is Italian in design. Rose and Macdonald, of Montreal, were the architects. Remarkable speed was made in the construction, as the contract for the work was only signed on June 2nd last. The opening ceremony was performed by Grant Hall, vice-president of the company, in the presence of many notables.

Three moose and one deer was the total bag of W. B. Leeds, jr., young American multi-millionaire, and his friends, Nils Florman, Albert Hopkins, Paul Smith and Mortimer Davis, jr., as the result of their recent hunting trip into the Kipawa district. The leader of the party expressed himself as delighted with the results, as he had not hoped for such luck. Great quantities of game of all kinds were seen.

That the Land of Evangeline (Nova Scotia) now ships over 2,000,000 bushels of apples abroad annually was the recent statement of F. G. J. Comeau, general freight and passenger agent, Dominion Atlantic Railway. A number of British apple growers and buyers are at present putting large tracts of land under fruit. With the apple growing industry increasing from year to year, at the rate of two to three hundred per cent per decade, only twenty per cent of the orchard land available in the province is yet under fruit.

Perhaps the most remarkable, certainly the first aerial stowaway in history was discovered by Pilot Caldwell of the Laurentide Air Service, operating in the neighborhood of the Rouyn gold-fields, the other day. Caldwell, on rising for a long flight, found his machine so badly balanced as to be almost unmanageable. Cigarette butts and other clues led to the uncovering of the extra weight, which turned out to be a miner. As the man had taken this cheap but decidedly dangerous way of reaching civilization in order to see his sick wife, he was not detained or punished.

Here and There

A party of 50 Australian boys will be the guests of the Exhibition at Toronto from August 30th to September 3rd. They are public school boys from all parts of Australia and their visit to Toronto will be made on their way home from the British Empire Exhibition.

British Columbia is now the third manufacturing province of Canada, with 2,673 manufacturing establishments, over 41,000 employees, invested capital amounting to nearly \$225,000,000 and a value of products of approximately \$260,000,000, according to Government statistics.

New Brunswick in 1923 produced more coal than at any other time in her history. The output for the year exceeded that of 1922 by more than 12,000 tons and amounted to 251,091 long tons. It is estimated that this industry creates a value of over \$1,100,000 annually, most of which goes out in supplies and wages for the benefit of the province.

What will probably be the last big round-up of horses in the West will take place shortly in the range country south-east of Calgary, Alberta, for the purpose of clearing the range of stray horses. The horses will be gathered in one central corral, where owners may claim their animals. It is anticipated that about 10,000 animals will be secured. The Department of Agriculture is supervising the arrangements.

Unsolicited praise from prominent citizens and the press of Alberta is given the Canadian Pacific Railway in connection with the Company's recently announced branch line construction program, affecting the southern portion of the province. C. R. Mitchell, member of the Provincial Legislature for Bow Valley, describes the announcement as the most important made in many years.

"Perhaps the most noteworthy fact we discovered was the vastly improved psychology of the people of the west to that which existed a year ago," commented E. W. Beatty, President of the Canadian Pacific Railway, on his return from a recent inspection of the Company's property. "They are full of hope and confidence and realize, as the east should realize, the tremendous benefit to the whole of Canada of a second consecutive large harvest."

The number of big industrial undertakings projected for immediate construction on the coast of British Columbia provides a striking indication of how that province is going ahead. A \$400,000 logging railway up the Shehalls River Valley, a \$1,000,000 pulp plant at Chemainus, a \$200,000 amusement centre at Victoria and a \$200,000 saw-mill at Port Coquitlam, with about \$10,000,000 in power plants in the Seave Lake District are, some of the more important and a host of smaller projects are also under way.

Practically all Canada's production of newsprint for export in March was absorbed by the United States. Of March shipments amounting to 127,583 tons valued at \$9,756,530, the United States received 125,848 tons, valued at \$9,617,823. The only other Canadian exports of newsprint of importance were 599 tons to South Africa and 1,037 tons to New Zealand. It is expected that April shipments will show an even greater proportion of consignments to the United States.

The concentration camp for emigrants to Canada and the United States maintained by the Canadian Pacific Railway and other steamship companies, is located at Southampton, England. It has an average daily attendance of 600 and, on some days, the number is about 1,000. Comfortable quarters and meals at moderate cost are provided and features of the camp are the special dining-room for Jewish passengers, the private shower baths, with towels and bathing gowns supplied and the individual rooms which are also available.

When laden tables challenge

Wherever the neighbourhood gathers to eat—church socials, anniversary suppers, picnics—is yours the baking people ask for? Are you proud of it?

Bake with Quaker Flour—and your bread, cakes and pastry will always bring you fame among the cooks of your community.

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Deal with the dealer who sells Quaker Flour. If you do not know his name, write us and we will direct you.

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Local and General News

WORK HELD UP

The recent thaws have held up the operations in the woods. In some cases the lumbering ceased altogether. Cold weather and more snow would be welcomed in many districts.

ENTERTAINED DELEGATES

Hon. A. B. and Mrs. Copp entertain the members of the Westmorland and North Shore delegates at their residence in Ottawa; Thursday evening.

OVER RADIO

Miramichi radio listeners were delighted with the two solos: "The Dream Tryst" and "Thora"; broadcast by Mr. John McFarlane formerly of Chatham; from station W.E. E. 1; Boston on Thursday evening.

A LARGE CONGREGATION

On Monday evening the Church at Chocranville was filled to capacity when the Pastor gave a talk on "Girls That Disappear." On Thursday evening the 4th; he will give a talk on Scotland and the Puritans.

A LOCAL APPOINTMENT

George W. Byron, of St. Andrews has been appointed King's Printer. For many years Mr. Byron was one of the active liberal leaders in Charlotte county and it will be readily understood that his appointment was from the local government and not in connection with the federal civil service.

BETTER PROSPECTS

The Royal Bank's monthly trade circular expresses the opinion that "no one can form a definite opinion in regard to our farmers' prospects for 1925-26 until the crop is harvested; but it can at least be said that the prospects look distinctly better than they did a year ago.

FANCY SKATING

The fancy skating features; which were put on at the local rink last Friday evening by Miss Carlyle and Miss Friedman Peterson was an exceptionally fine demonstration of the art. These young ladies are rated as the finest lady skaters as a team; which America has produced.

CHATHAM WOMAN IS

N. B. DELEGATE

Mrs. H. B. McDonald; president of the Chatham Red Cross; has been chosen as the New Brunswick delegate to attend the Central Council of the Dominion Red Cross which meets at Toronto the middle of March. This is the first time this honor has fallen to any of the smaller centres; delegates having been chosen in the past from the cities.

MIRAMICHI PRESBYTERY

The quarterly meeting of the Presbytery of Miramichi will be held in the United Church of St. Andrew and St. John; Chatham on Tuesday March 3rd; opening at 2 p.m. Among the items of business to engage the attention of the Presbytery will be the enrollment of representative elders for 1925; reports of all standing committees. Home Missions recommendations; election of commissioners to the General Assembly which meets in Toronto; June 3.



Treat Colds Externally

For sore throat, bronchitis or deep chest colds, rub Vicks VapoRub briskly over throat and chest and cover with warm flannel.
Vicks VapoRub in two ways—both direct and indirect—relieves and soothes the throat. A quick relief for the cold troubles of all the family.

FELL AND BROKE ANKLE

Night Policeman Thomas Hill, while on duty this morning slipped in front of Mr. E. J. Morris' drug store and broke his ankle.

SIGN OF SPRING

Sure sign of Spring; the small boys are pitching marbles and the street sweepers are going strong.

FLOUR AGAIN UP

Flour which has been stationary in price for the past week or ten days has advanced twenty cents per barrel bringing the wholesale price up to \$12.25 per barrel.

HELD ANNUAL MEETING

The Southwest Miramichi Boom Company held its general annual meeting last Tuesday in the Miramichi Hotel.

SALE EXTENDED

Owing to the inclement weather during the past week, A.D. Farrah & Co. have extended their Rummage sale until Saturday March 14th.

CAME IN LIKE A LAMB

The month of March was ushered in like a lamb. Sunday was fine and towards evening a mild south-west wind sprung up. During the night three or four inches of soft snow fell; which soon disappeared on Monday.

PREPARATORY MEETING

The regular monthly meeting of the Provincial Government meets in the capitol today. This meeting is preparatory to the opening of the House of Assembly, which will take place on the 12th inst. a week from Thursday.

CAN SOLEMNIZE MARRIAGES

Rev. Charles Daniel Macintosh of Dalhousie; Presbyterian clergyman has been registered and is authorized to solemnize marriages in New Brunswick; according to notice published in the Royal Gazette.

THE SAND MAN

We don't know of any person who is so welcome as the sand man. When he makes his appearance and makes walking safer for the citizens who have to be out he is sure of many compliments. But another tablespoonful should be added to the quantity.

A COMMUNITY AFFAIR

In the recent shower on behalf of Mrs. Wm. Russell it may be said further; that it was the Secret Rebekah Lodge that started the affair and the residents rallied around them; in other words it became a community affair.

HELD UP BY SNOW

Sunday's Ocean Limited from Montreal was held up by snow between Lewis and Montreal and was five hours late in reaching Newcastle. Several of the local delegates; who were at Ottawa were passengers on the belated train.

WON PRIZE

The Rev. Robert M. Brodie of the Derby Circuit is receiving the congratulations of the residents in having won the first prize out of about 250 who entered; in connection with "What do You Think of the Sentinel" competition. His letter appears in the issue of The Sentinel for Feb. 24th.

APPOINTED GOVERNOR

Announcement has been made by the executive of the International Federation of Catholic Alumnae; Washington, D.C.; that the office of federation Governor for New Brunswick; left vacant by the resignation of Mrs. J. E. McMurray; of St. John has been filled by the appointment of Mrs. Howard McKendry of Chatham a member of St. Michael's Association.

DERBY I.O.O.F.

On Wednesday evening a very pleasant time was spent in the I.O.O.F. hall Millerton; much help being received from the various talks given by the brethren. At their next meeting on Wednesday March 3rd. one of the members will give a talk on a "Tour of Scotland". It is hoped that all members will seek to be present.

NEW LUMBER COMPANY

James Russell Lumber Company is incorporated with head office at Russellville; Parish of Newcastle Northumberland County; and capital stock of \$24,000. The company is authorized to carry on a general lumbering business. Those incorporated are Miss Mary B. Russell; J. Douglas Russell; Nell D. Russell; Miss M. Gertrude Russell and Miss Frances H. Russell all of Russellville.

THE TIME IS OUT OF JOINT

During the month of January we have usually been treated to a real thaw; this year; however; we experienced almost record breaking cold weather throughout the month. Usually the thaw does not extend very far into February but this year the month of February was one prolonged thaw; with April showers. Last Thursday and Friday still in the month of February; we experienced a real March gale; one that roared over the roofs and howled down the chimneys while at odd intervals gusts of snow swept the countryside.

Change in Train Service Newcastle—Loggieville Effective March 2nd

Train No. 203 will, on and after March 2nd; leave Loggieville at 9.40 A.M. instead of 9.10 A.M. as heretofore; arriving at Newcastle at 10.25 A.M. instead of 9.55 A.M.; daily except Sunday.

Train No. 209, leaving Loggieville at 10.20 P.M. for Newcastle; will, on and after March 2nd; leave Loggieville at 11.20 P.M. daily except Sunday; arriving at Newcastle at 12.05 A.M.

Newcastle Men Making Good in U. S.

The Belmont (Mass) Citizen of Feb. 14th has a long article on the Waverly Trust Company's new quarters. These new banking rooms were made necessary by the increasing business of the company. Among the names of the Directors of the bank is Alexander E. Corbett, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Corbett Sr. of this town and on the bank staff Victor D. Moody commercial department teller. Mr. Moody is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Moody of this town and a former Bank of Nova Scotia boy.

IN THE ESTATE OF JAMES E. PETRIE. DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given that all persons owing the above estate are requested to make payment to the undersigned, and all persons having a claim against the said estate to forward them to the undersigned duly verified by affidavit.

THE CANADA PERMANENT TRUST COMPANY

Administrator.
St. John, N. B. Feb. 21, 1925
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VIOLINS

Bows—Violin Cases
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Everything for the
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Jewellers—Est. 1889—Newcastle

OBITUARY

NORMAN CAMPBELL

Friends in Newcastle have been shocked to hear of the sudden death from heart disease at his hotel in Boston of Norman Campbell at the age of sixty years. Mr. Campbell was a Newcastle boy who left here about forty years ago; and when quite young entered the employ of the New York Air Brake Co. and was inspector for that Company for a number of years previous to his death. His duties in that capacity required him to travel all over the United States and a few years ago he made a tour of South America as representative of the Company. He had therefore a very wide circle of friends; those in Boston showing their esteem by sending a delegation to accompany his remains to his home in Hartford Conn. having covered his casket with a blanket of roses.

The deceased has left to mourn their loss; his wife and one son Dean, Hartford Conn. his mother and three brothers of Brooklyn and one brother in Jersey. The brothers are Geo. R. John R. and Fred C. of Brooklyn and Melvin A. of Jersey who attended his funeral. The deceased was a Presbyterian; the services at the home being very impressive and the music furnished by a male quartet. Three brothers of the deceased have at different times in recent years visited the old home town and Norman was planning at an early date to see Miramichi again.

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For Infants and Children
In Use For Over 30 Years

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St Patrick's Day

The Annual St. Patrick's Day Concert will be held in the

OPERA HOUSE, Newcastle
Monday and Tuesday Eve.
March 16th. & 17th.

St. Mary's Choir will this year present the
Farce Comedy

"A Full House"

This newest and funniest of farce comedys was written by F. R. Jackson the well known short story writer and is backed up by the prestige of an impressive New York success and the promise of unlimited fun presented in the most attractive manner.

The large and talented orchestra is in itself a
entertainment

Matinee Monday Afternoon at 3.30

(Children admitted to Matinee only)

ADMISSION— Children 25c Adults 50c

Plan of the Hall for March 16th. at T. J. Durick's Drug Store.

Plan of the Hall for March 17th. at E. J. Morris' Drug Store.

ADMISSION

Orchestra Seats \$1.00 Reserved Seats 75c
Doors open at 7.30 p. m. Performance begins at 8.15

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City Meat Market

We have a large variety of fresh fish daily for the Lenten Season

**Fresh Cod, Fresh Fillets, Fresh Frozen Salmon, Smoked Fillets, Kipper-
ed Herring, Finnen Haddie, Digby Herring, Salt Cod, Herring,
Selected Mackerel, Canned Salmon, Lobsters**

Clams, Sardines, Heinz cooked Spaghetti and Beans

Strictly Fresh Eggs per dozen 60c

MacLaren's Kraft Cheese. Large assortment of Pure and Compound Jams in 4 lb tins, 4 b jars, tumblers etc. Tumblers in 8 and 16 oz. Our prices on these are right

Car No. 1 Horse Hay just arrived. Also a Car of Flour, Feeds and Oats.

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Quality STABLES' GROCERY Service.

**Fresh, Smoked, Pickled and Canned
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Fresh Fillets
Smoked Fillets
Finnen Haddie
Large Salt Herring
Kipperd Herring

Canned Shrimps
Salmon, Clams
Sardines

Lobster
Oysters
Kipperd Snack

MEAT SUBSTITUTES

Heinz Spaghetti, Baked Beans without Pork, Macaroni, Rice Lima Beans in cans, Asparagus Peanut Butter, Maple Butter and Cheese. St. William's Jams and Marmalade are just like home made, had a big sale last week another shipment on the way

Raspberry Jam 1 lb glass 40c	Marmalade 4 lb glass \$1.00
Strawberry Jam 1 lb glass 40c	" 4 lb tin 80c
Black Currant Jam 40c	Raspberry & Strawberry Jam 4 lb tin 75c
Orange Marmalade lb glass 35c	P. E. I. Creamery Butter 40c
Jams in 3 lb tin 80c	7 lb good Onions 25c
Jams in 4 lb tin \$1.00	2 lb choice Prunes 25c
Marmalade 3 lb glass 80c	Apricots, Peaches, Cooking Figs 2 lb 25c

A Parcel of Dry Goods left here Christmas Week still awaits An Owner

JAMES STABLES

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