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Zephyr Gingham, Matings, White Vestings, Prints, etc., in a great combination of colorings.

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MONCTON TWEED SUITS \$8.50 to \$13.00

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MONCTON TWEED SUIT.

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New Felt Hats, just placed in stock.

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A great deal of perfected "Piano talk" is not necessary, to show the superiority of a "Newcombe" as they are sold on their merit alone.

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JEWELERS.

TOWN COUNCIL.

Regular Monthly Business Meeting Held

TUESDAY EVENING.

Tenders For New Electric Plant Awarded. Other Business.

The regular monthly meeting of the Newcastle Town Council was held on Tuesday evening, March 9, at 8 o'clock in the Town Hall.

His Honor Mr. J. L. McKinnon, Mayor, presided.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The Police Department was reported on by S. J. Brown, Chief of Police, and the Fire Department by J. H. Brown, Chief of Fire.

The appointment of Harry Jones, for positions in the Police Department, was approved.

Mr. J. H. Brown reported on the Fire Department, and the appointment of Harry Jones, for positions in the Fire Department, was approved.

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CAMPBELLTON

Local and Personal News.

Special to the Advocate.

At a meeting of the Campbellton Town Council, held on Tuesday evening, March 9, the following business was transacted:

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

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LOCAL PARLIAMENT

Opened at Fredericton on Thursday.

LARGE ATTENDANCE.

Speech From the Throne and Speech of Mr. McLatchey of Restigouche.

The House of Commons opened its session at Fredericton on Thursday, March 9, at 10 o'clock.

The House was opened by Mr. McLatchey, M.P. for Restigouche.

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BOMBARDED.

Japanese Cruisers Pounding Vladivostok.

Vladivostok, March 6.—A fleet of five Japanese battleships and two cruisers appeared off this port at 1.25 o'clock this afternoon and bombarded the town and shore batteries for fifty-five minutes.

The fleet approached from the direction of Askold Island, at the entrance to Usuri Bay, and about 32 miles southeast of Vladivostok. Entering Usuri Bay, the enemy formed in line of battle but did not approach to a closer range than five and one-third miles. They directed their fire against the shore batteries and the town but no damage resulted as most of their 200 Japanese shells failed to burst.

The Japanese fire ceased at 2.30 p.m. and the enemy retired in the direction of Askold Island. Simultaneously, the torpedo boat destroyers appeared near Askold Island and two more near Cape Maidei. The Japanese ships were covered with fire.

The attack resulted in no loss to the Russians but cost the enemy two hundred thousand roubles (\$100,000) in ammunition. Most of the projectiles were six and twelve inch shells.

The population of Vladivostok were warned this morning of the presence on the horizon of hostile fleet and of the prospect of an attack during the day, but it remained tranquil.

St. Petersburg, March 6.—Official despatches received here concerning the bombardment of Vladivostok by a Japanese fleet this afternoon do not mention any Russian losses, but private advices say that five were killed, four sailors and the wife of an engineer. It is apparent the Japanese were afraid to risk exposing their ships to the plunging fire of the land batteries and it is considered probable here that the attack was really for the purpose of drawing the fire of the Russian forts, compelling the Russians to disclose the position and calibre of their guns and also for the purpose of ascertaining whether the Russian squadron is in port. If this was the object of the Japanese, it is believed to have failed signally, as the batteries did not fire a shot and if the squadron is in port it could not be seen from the Japanese position in the bay of Usuri on account of the high land which rises from the coast on that side, obstructing the view of the harbor.

The Baird Company's

Wine of Tar Honey and Wild Cherry

A Lubricant to the Throat.

A Tonic to the Vocal Chords.

The Baird Co., Ltd. Gentlemen—Two bottles of your Tar, Honey and Wild Cherry cured me of a severe cough. It is an excellent remedy.

G. H. FLEMING.

Perry's Point, Kings Co., N. B.

An interesting hockey match was played at the Dalhousie team and the Rovers team Friday evening. The result was a victory for the home team with a score of six to one.

Four curling rinks from Moncton visited Campbellton last Tuesday and played two games with a victory for the visitors of 14 points. After the game they were entertained by the home teams and other members of the club at Sharpe's restaurant.

Following are the rinks:—

AFTERNOON GAMES

CAMPBELLTON MOSCOW

Firth Hilyard
(Rev) Thomas Roberts
White Cook
Bruce skip 10 Smith skip 12
D. O'Keefe Henderson

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We, his majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the legislative assembly of the province of New Brunswick now in session, beg leave to extend our humble thanks to your honor for the gracious speech which your honor has addressed to us and we assure your honor that all matters which may be submitted to us during the session will receive our most careful attention.

Mr. McLatchey said: I arise with much hesitation and timidity to move the address in reply to his honor's speech, remembering that many eminent men who have performed this duty in times past, but I also remember the consideration which has always been extended to new members.

I am sure it is not only a matter of congratulation but also of pride that we are able to point to so many evidences of prosperity as exist in this province, and are referred to in the speech.

Looking over the field of agriculture, we are able to see proofs of advancement in every direction. It is not many years since the present minister of railways formulated his scheme for the improvement of agriculture in this province. It is not many years since all the flour used in New Brunswick came from the west, and now fully one-third of the flour we consume is grown in this province and is equal in quality to the best that comes from the west.

The butter and cheese industry is another branch of agriculture that is now in a most flourishing condition. Our butter and cheese find a ready market not only in this province but across the Atlantic.

You will also note a marked improvement has taken place in the character of our live stock and that at the Maritime winter fair in December last the exhibits from New Brunswick compared most favorably with those from our sister province.

All these things point to the fact that the policy of this government with regard to agriculture has proved a complete success.

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JAPANESE SCORE AGAIN!

They Have Destroyed Part of Siberian Railway

Cutting Off Russian Communications, Port Arthur May be Abandoned to the Enemy.

TOKIO, March 2.—A telegram was received here today in official quarters stating that the Trans-Siberian Railway between Harbin and Nikolisk has been destroyed for the distance of a mile and a quarter. The telegraph service to Vladivostok is also interrupted. The work of destroying the Siberian railway at the points indicated in the despatch was probably the task assigned to a force of Japanese which was reported to have landed at Possiet Bay a week or ten days ago. This cutting off of the Russian communications between Vladivostok, Russia's chief Siberian port, and Harbin, where the Russian army and supplies have been concentrating, is a severe blow to the Russian cause. The reported appearance of the Japanese fleet off Vladivostok recently was also probably for the purpose of keeping what Russian troops are there guessing, and diverting their attention from the Japanese who landed at Possiet Bay.

LONDON, March 3.—The Express prints a despatch from Shanghai in which its correspondent has just arrived there from Kobe, where it is impossible to break through the most rigid censorship he ever experienced. The correspondent adds he had an interview at Kobe with V. J. Lippe, an American furrier, who was forced to quit Vladivostok on Feb. 29. Lippe described the city as then being in complete panic. No news had been received since the war began. The telegraph line was wholly devoted to the transmission of official messages to and from St. Petersburg. Private messages were refused. The people were terror-stricken and all their thoughts were bent on escaping. There were pitiable scenes at the railway station, whence the authorities allowed 110 persons to leave daily by empty troop trains that were going west. People fought and scrambled to reach the ticket office. Many who were unsuccessful

for knelt and prayed aloud, beating their breasts and offering any sum for a ticket. After the third day traffic was stopped, and many started to walk inland. Government offices, banks and hospitals have been removed to Nikolisk. All shops are closed. Prices have risen fabulously. The garrison, numbering about 7,200 troops, is victualled for four months. The cruiser Squadron, left Feb. 9th to attempt to dash around northern Japan and join the Port Arthur fleet, but the Japanese were patrolling the seas between Saghalien and Tsugaru and the cruisers were forced to return. They are now practically bottled up. When Lippe left there was still the wildest disorder, and constant false alarms of bombardment added to the terror of the people. Thirty-two searchlights were nightly flashed seawards. The military was constantly on the alert. Artillery men in the forts slept alongside their guns. One hundred and seventy-five Japanese disguised as coolies were caught on Feb. 11, while attempting to blow up a bridge and the railway.

LONDON, March 3.—According to a correspondent of the Times, Gen. Dragomiroff, former governor of Kieff, has been summoned to St. Petersburg. During the deliberations he severely criticized Russia's war policy, and insisted that both the fleet and army should evacuate Port Arthur in order to avoid greater disaster.

NEW YORK, March 3.—Ominous rumors, says a cable to the Herald from St. Petersburg, have spread through business circles that Port Arthur will be abandoned to the enemy after sinking the ships, as was done in the Crimean war. Baron Suematsu, son-in-law of the Marquis Ito and formerly minister of the interior in Japan, arrived here yesterday from Yokohama on his way to London. Baron Suematsu spoke unofficially about the far eastern war, saying his country was not seeking territory, but that it was a matter of national existence for Japan. Regarding reports of interference by France, he said that so far the action of that so far the action of that government had been scrupulously correct, but if France saw fit to send warships to fight Japan, his country having vanquished one fleet, would not mind fighting another. Baron Suematsu denied that Japan had violated international law in beginning the war. The policy of Japan in Korea and Manchuria, he said, would be to secure the same trade privilege for all nations. The baron said he was going to England for his health.

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Can be stopped in a few minutes and permanently cured in one hour by inhaling fragrant healing Catarrhozone. No remedy compares with Catarrhozone for cold in the head and nasal catarrh. It soothes and heals the inflamed mucous membrane, prevents sneezing and coughing, clears away the "stuffed up" feeling in the forehead. If you haven't used Catarrhozone get it to-day and try it on your next cold. You'll be surprised at the efficiency of this delightful inhaler treatment which places everyone because it cures so quickly. Complete outfit \$1.00 trial size 25c.

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The editor smiled broadly. Good joke, isn't it? said the would-be humorist who had handed it in. Sure, replied the blue pencil manipulator; I laugh every time I see it.

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YOU ARE DOUBTLESS SUFFERING FROM DISEASED KIDNEYS—SUREST CURE IS FERROZONE

Unless you want to be stricken with incurable Bright's Disease, don't let your kidneys go without attention. Ferrozone is a special remedy for this trouble, and never fails to give prompt relief and bring about a perfect cure. Mr. Gordon J. MacFarlane of Bradford was cured by Ferrozone, after being treated unsuccessfully by three doctors for kidney complaint. "My kidneys were in a very bad shape," he writes, "and I had dreadful pains in the back and sides, and was never free from a dull, heavy feeling, that made life miserable. I spent a lot of money on local doctors, but was not benefited to any extent. Then I tried Ferrozone. One box helped me so much that I got six more, and before they were used I was quite well. I never used anything giving such prompt and lasting relief as Ferrozone. It beats all other kidney cures." People suffering from kidney disorders quickly lose strength, and often die young. Therefore it is important to get Ferrozone at once, and be released from every symptom of this fearful disease. Price 50c. a box, or six boxes for \$2.50, at all druggists, or by mail from The Ferrozone Company, Kingston, Ont.

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All the people use it. HARLIN FULTON, Pleasant Bay, C. B.

Muggins—I hear that Geening's new melodrama has no villain in it.

Critics—It doesn't require any. The play itself is villainous.

THE VERDICT OF PUBLIC OPINION

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CHINA WAKING UP.

An Englishman who has spent six years in China and is now in New York en route to Liverpool, tells a New York paper some astounding things about rapid development in China. If his statements are correct, the average American and Canadian idea of China must be revised. He says:—

Although I have been but a few days in America I have heard enough and read enough in the newspapers here to convince me that yours people have the impression, generally, that the Chinese are standing still. Never was a greater mistake made, as both America and Europe will one day find to their cost. Chinese behind, indeed! Why, they are turning out in their arsenals over there rifles and guns of all sorts, up to monsters of forty-five tons, all of the most modern design, too, including machine guns perfect in design and construction. That is the secret of Japan's great Naval and military strength just now. China has for years been contributing to Japan's armament. The Chinese arsenals are located in Fagasaki, and they are of immense size. All the labor, too, is Chinese, with Americans and Englishmen at the head. China is also reorganizing her army and navy; railways are being constructed, mainly by German, French and Belgian companies; motor cars are being used in their cities, electricity is growing in favor, and thousands of Chinese ride the bicycle. Here, you thing the Chinese are beneath contempt, but you mark my words they will have to be reckoned with in the near future, whether Japan wins or not in her fight with Russia, as one of the races that will control the world.

I was talking with an educated Chinaman, a few days before I sailed, on the future of his country and in referring to American and European people he remarked with the philosophy characteristic of his countrymen.

You peoples seem to reckon your rate of progress by the noise you make and the dust you raise. We, however, as you ought to know, do not judge a smith by the sound of his hammer, nor a carpenter by the number of his shavings.

It is easy to catch the drift of that fellows meaning.



Three Stomachs on a Week's Vacation.

Eat, drink and be merry while giving the digestive apparatus a healing, wholesome rest! It can be done by the use of DR. VON STAN'S PINEAPPLE TABLETS.

Pineapple will digest meat in a dish at 100°. The rest cure is the best cure, the only cure for dyspepsia. That's the whole story except that the large tablets digest food, the small ones tone up the digestive apparatus. Price 25 cents.

Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder, opens a new tunnel in a choked up nostril and lines it with a new membrane. In ten minutes will relieve cold or catarrh or cure the most obstinate headache. A quick cure—a safe cure—not a slow remedy. 17.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. E. W. L. Seven Million boxes sold in past 12 months. This signature, E. W. L.



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Whooping Cough, Croup, Bronchitis, Cough, Grip, Asthma, Diphtheria

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CRESOLENE is a long established and standard remedy for the diseases indicated. It cures because the air is kept moist and the throat is kept open, giving prolonged and constant treatment. These are a consumptive, a lung, or suffers from chronic bronchitis, find immediate relief from coughs or inflamed conditions of the throat. Descriptive booklet free.

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Antiseptic Tablets

dissolved in the mouth are effective and safe for coughs and irritation of the throat.
10c a box. ALL DRUGGISTS 301

25¢

That Cough

which ordinary remedies have not reached, will quickly yield to

GRAY'S SYRUP OF RED SPRUCE GUM

It cures those heavy, deep-seated coughs—takes away the soreness—breaks the throat—strengthens the lungs. None the less effective because it is pleasant to take. Just try one bottle and see how quickly you get rid of that cough. At your druggists. 75c. bottle.

25¢

Envelopes,

Note Heads,

Statements.

At this season the three articles mentioned above are in demand and to meet that demand we have placed the prices of these to the very last notch.

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Total Assets

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All of which we are prepared to make up in the latest styles and at moderate prices.

Leave your orders early before the cold weather and the rush comes

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The safest way to file your papers is on a genuine SHANNON LETTER FILE. Papers are held securely on the arch and cannot be lost or misplaced. When the file is filled transfer the letters to SHANNON BINDING CASE. Keeps them in the same order as the file.

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COMPLETE FILE,

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and the varying Depths
of the Shallow Water
There.

Port Arthur harbor is formed by an oval inlet of the sea, two miles long from east to west, and a mile from north to sea. It is surrounded by hills and its sole entrance is on the southern side by a narrow channel guarded at the southwest end by a couple of dangerous reefs and protected against bad weather by a narrow spit of rocky land known as the Tiger's Tail, which runs diagonally across its northern extremity.

Before the extensive dredging operations were undertaken no vessel of any size could enter, owing to the shallowness, and even now there are berths for only three battleships in addition to smaller craft. The major portion of the Russian fleet has thus always been forced to lie outside the heads or else enter the swing basin or wet dock which lies to the east, facing the entrance to the harbor proper.

The approach to the harbor and basin is very confined. The width of the entrance from Pinnacle Rock on the west to the opposite shore is barely 350 yards, while the three fathom channel at its narrowest is not more than 500 ft. in width. Within the heads it widens out somewhat, and between the end of the Tiger's Tail and the entrance to the basin there is a width of 430 yards; even this makes it a most difficult task for any vessel over 300 feet in length to enter or leave either the harbor or basin. This was particularly shown a few days before the outbreak of war, when the Russian fleet was mobilized and taken from the inner harbor into the roads. The operation took the greater part of three days.

The basin or east port was excavated primarily by the Chinese as also was the dry dock cut in its northern side. It has an average depth of three and a half fathoms, or 21.2 feet, and can accommodate nearly a dozen large vessels. The western end is devoted exclusively to torpedo craft, though a dock for these small boats is in construction on the eastern side.

The dry dock, repaired and enlarged by the Russians, is 452 feet over all, 370 feet over blocks, 90 feet wide at the entrance and has a depth on the sill at high water ordinary spring tides of 22 feet. Thus, even with her draught augmented nearly six feet, the Retvizan could still enter the dock for repairs at high water. Just inside the Tiger's Tail the mud has been dredged away so as to allow destroyers to lie right alongside the building ship, and here eight to a dozen are nearly always moored.

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the sea. At the extreme end of the spit is a small island, which is a ship for destroyers from which two lots of four have recently been launched after being sent out in sections.

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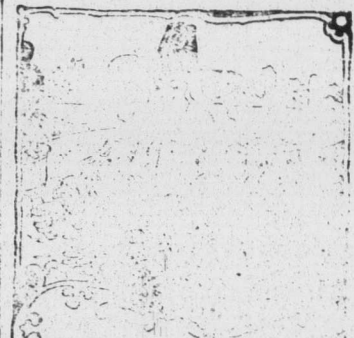
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A HINT TO THE WORKING
MAN.

Men who are interested in the elevation and improvement of the condition of working men should impress upon these men, upon all men, that one of the best, one of the most effective, one of the most useful lessons which can be taught is independence. And independence can best exhibit itself in the faithful discharge of obligation, whether the obligation be to the whole state, to the community or to one's fellow man. The worker in the community, no matter what his form of labor may be, who pays his just debts to his fellow man, no matter what the form of the debt may be, is the man who can look the whole community of his fellows in the



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be very little doubt that she will be able any time within the next three months to place more men on a battlefield than her opponent. The courage of the little brown men is unquestioned; their patriotism is the only thing they have that resembles the fervour of a religion, and an enthusiasm similar in degree to that which in the ages of faith sent men and delicately nurtured women to the boats in the arena or to the stake, prompts the Japanese soldier to parallel sacrifices and devotion. It is safe to say that if Russia wins victories they will be costly ones, and one repulse, however severe, will not discourage these active, daring and hardy warriors of what the Chinese call the Dwarf Nation.

In this estimate there is no disposition to under value the resolution and the military power of Russia. It is undoubted, however, that it is just as undoubtedly unwieldy. The international expedition for the relief of the besieged locations in 1900 afforded an unusual opportunity of contrasting the soldiery of the various nations, and the general opinion of the competent judges who observed the demeanor and conduct of the troops engaged was that the Japanese is the equal of the Russian. The question is, how many are there east of Harbin, for it is in these regions that the fighting will take place. Every circumstance seems to point to the fact that Japan will have more men at the points at which she chooses to strike than Russia will. Korea is already safe from Russian occupation. No Russian army dare venture down the peninsula while Japan's vessels are ranging up and down both sides of it. Having accomplished this without loss of any kind, she will be able to turn her whole energies to pressing the Russian intruders out of Manchuria. It must be remembered that in this work she will have the sympathy of the native population. They will be able to advance leaving behind them the minimum of men to protect their communications, whereas Russia will be beset by enemies on every side.

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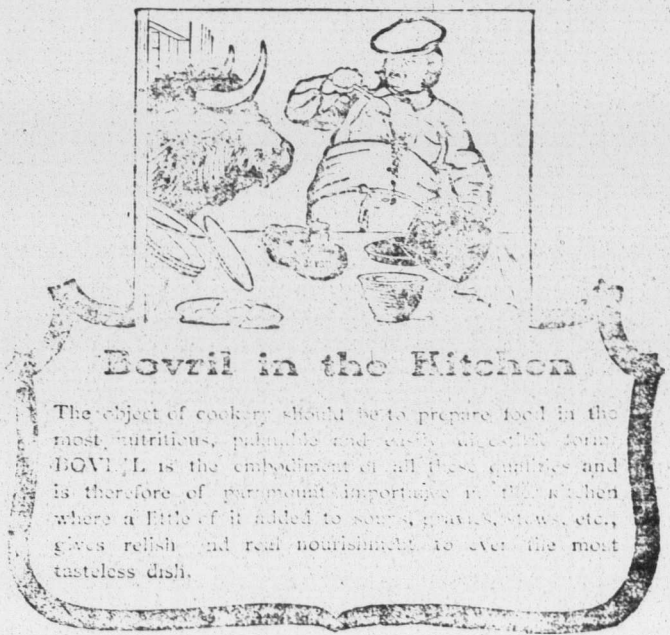
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The object of cooking should be to prepare food in the most nutritious, palatable and easily digested form. BOVRIL is the embodiment of all these qualities and is therefore of paramount importance in the kitchen where a little of it added to soups, gravies, stews, etc., gives relish and real nourishment to even the most tasteless dish.

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MARCH MAGAZINES.

In each number of The Canadian Magazine a persistent purpose is visible. Canadian history and Canadian life in all their phases are discussed and illuminated. Forty Canadian teachers went to South Africa and their experiences are commemorated in an article entitled "A Year in a Boer School," in the March number. A Canadian doctor, living in London, makes some contributions to philosophical thought and speculation, hence comes Arnold Haultain's article on "A Search for an Ideal." The philosopher is Dr. Beattie Crozier. A young man rises from a subordinate position to the control of a large industrial corporation, and hence comes a biographical sketch of Mr. F. W. W. Thompson, Manager of the Ogilvie Flour Mills Company. New methods for the regeneration of criminals are being tried, hence there is an article on "Crime and Its Suppression," by J. J. Kelly. Several newspaper men once came near losing their positions because they wrongly reported Sir William Van Home, hence C. F. Paul writes of "The Discredited Interview." Canada's treaty-making powers are termed inadequate, and Thomas Hodgins briefly explains why he agrees that it is time for a change. W. L. Grant points out where the teaching of history is weak so far as our educational system is concerned. Add to these, three Canadian short stories, the third installment of Mr. Bradley's historical serial, and the usual departments, and the work of the March Canadian Magazine is outlined. This publication covers a broad field, but the work is fairly well done.

There are several important articles in the March Cosmopolitan, which is even more profusely illustrated than usual. The table of contents bears such names as Max Nordau, Edmund Gosse, Cyrus Townsend Brady, H. G. Wells and Clara Morris. In the leading article the editor, Mr. Walker, deals in a striking and prophetic manner with the question of aerial flight, predicting that within a year the airship will be a practical success, and that within a quarter of a century aerial navigation will be the safest transportation. The illustrations form a pictorial history of the development of balloons and flying-machines. Max Nordau contributes a paper on "Socialism in Europe," and Edmund Gosse a delightful essay on "Immortality and Fame." Gertrude Lynch discusses the "Art of Coquetry," and William R. Stewart contributes an illustrated article on public banquets; Clara Morris gives her reminiscences of the late Justice Lamar. Fiction is contributed by A. G. Wells, Howard Markle Hoke, Clinton Dangerfield and Cosmo Hamilton. The popular Captains of Industry series is continued with W. K. Vanderbilt and Peter Cooper Hewitt.

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PROFITS OF BEING PUBLIC SPIRITED.

In every community there are men who have given the opportunity of their time, thought and effort for the furtherance of the public good. There are others who, while possessed of the talents that would make them highly serviceable to the public, yet selfishly deprive the public of the services they might well render. Which of these two classes is the better off? We frequently hear men criticised as spending so much time in the public interests that they haven't any left for their own business. We frequently hear others commended as sticking "strictly to business." This criticism is not always logical. There are many men who give much of their time to the public and yet succeed; there are many who attend "strictly to business" and yet fail. The devotion of part of one's time to affairs outside of his business is not harmful unless so much time is absorbed that a man does not know what is going on within his own private domain. A reasonable amount of time given in the public interest is really helpful to one's own business—it brings him in contact with other men; it keeps him informed on many things of great concern to himself that he might not be able otherwise to learn of; it quickens his faculties; it is more or less of an advertisement to be "in the public eye." In time one's devotion to the public is sure to tell. The time he gives is so much capital invested that comes back to him at length with accrued interest added. The man who serves well in a public capacity wins a way into the confidence of people that he would not otherwise gain, for he has an opportunity to show a busbel by living within himself.

—Ex.

SCHOOL FIRE-DRILL.

The advantage of, nay absolute necessity for, having regular fire-drill in every institution or school where a number of children are daily assembled was conclusively proved at a fire which occurred recently in St. Mary's Catholic School at Evansston, Ill.

The children, terrified by the flames and half suffocated by smoke, became completely panic-stricken and started a mad stampede for the doors which, if unchecked, would undoubtedly have resulted in many serious accidents. When the excitement was at its height one of the little girls, Ethel Jennings, whose name should be remembered, hurried to an organ and began playing a lively march. Above the din rose the music and the children, remembering the fire-drill which they had so often practised for just such an emergency, fell mechanically into line and marched out of the building.

Another instance of remarkable presence of mind was shown by one of the boys, little Raymond Schaeffer, the nine-year-old son of Sergeant Schaeffer of the Evanston police. The child ran hatless and coatless to the fire-box a block away, and standing on his tiptoes managed to turn in the alarm.

Thanks to the courage and quickness of these two children, the fire was soon extinguished with no loss of

life or limb, and small loss of property.

Two instances have occurred in Toronto this winter where fire broke out in schools, while the children were at their lessons. In both cases, absolute discipline was preserved, and the children marched out without panic, not one of the 1,600 children being injured in the slightest. In one case, they put on their clothing and in the other walked out without it. The fire-drill worked splendidly, because of eight years of continuous practice and because the teachers were level-headed. These cases are in strong contrast to the one above—March "Canadian Magazine."

A GOOD RESOLUTION.

Russian censorship of newspapers and other literature, native and foreign, has brought more contempt upon the nation than any possible license of the journalists, correspondents and authors could have done. Now it is said that the system will be abolished and that complete liberty of the press will be established. The resolution is somewhat heroic taken at this time, when a restraint on the publication of military intelligence might be expected. But Russia will certainly stand better with the world when her government follows the example of other nations, and takes the consequence of any criticism that may be published at home and abroad. She will have a more patriotic press of her own, and if the people are loyal to the Empire, they will take care that the newspapers truly represent the national impulse.—Ex.

LOCAL PARLIAMENT.

Continued from 1st page.
Another evidence of prosperity is to be found in the development of our mineral resources. The coal areas of Queens county have long been known but until recently they remained undeveloped. All this is now changed and where there was blackness and despair there is hope. The development of the Queens coal field has been greatly hastened by the construction of the railway from Chipman to Minto and coal is now being mined in large quantities and carried over the line to points where it is required. Here we can see the beginning of what will in the end prove to be a great success.

In Kent county there is another deposit of coal which the government has assisted to make useful by subsidizing a branch

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Keep the bowels open with one of Ayer's Pills at bedtime, just once.

railway. This railway has been constructed during the present winter and is now in operation. I am prepared to say that the coal produced at this new mine is equal to any in Nova Scotia or Cape Breton. From 150 to 200 tons of coal per day is being raised at this mine, but it is the intention of the owners to increase the output to from 3,000 to 5,000 tons per day. I need hardly say what this would mean to the county of Kent and the province of New Brunswick. Nor need I refer to the money it would bring into the county.

The success of this mine is an ample justification of the mining policy of the government. The province will receive a royalty of ten cents a ton on all the coal produced and when the output amounts to 3,000 tons a day this will mean a revenue for the province of \$300 for every day in the week, or \$9,000 a year.

Now, it is estimated that there are in the coal fields of the province not less than 17,000,000 tons of coal awaiting development. This coal will in the course of time make New Brunswick the hive of industry besides adding enormously to the revenue. A few years ago the total revenue received by the province of Nova Scotia for royalties on coal did not exceed \$100,000 a year, now it amounts to from \$200,000 to \$300,000. I have every confidence that we shall witness a similar growth in this province and that in the next ten years we will be receiving \$250,000 annually from royalties on coal.

For a long time we have been familiar with the hopes and aspiration of St. John to become the winter port of Canada. The question has now passed the experimental stage and we can confidently predict that in the future the traffic of St. John will only be limited by the facilities of the port.

We have now arrived at the point where a contract has been entered into for the building of a dry dock and St. John will soon be equipped with a splendid dock, so that vessels will be attracted to it and it will become the great export city of Canada for the winter trade.

You are all aware that one result of the last census was to show that New Brunswick was likely to lose a member in the house of commons in consequence of a rapid growth of the west. The attorney general holds the opinion that under a proper interpretation of the British North America act we were not entitled to lose a member. To test the matter he took it before the Supreme Court of Canada. I regret that the decision of that high tribunal will be in favor of our claim.

The question of the fisheries is another matter in respect to which the government has acted wisely. After consideration the dominion claimed not only the administration of the fisheries but likewise their ownership. From time to time this claim has been made by the dominion government. The most recent decision of the highest tribunal in the empire is that the province owns both the sea and river fisheries. This is a great victory for New Brunswick and its share of the Halifax fishery award.

This award amounted to the sum of \$5,300,000, of which Newfoundland received \$1,000,000. The balance went to the province of New Brunswick. By the decision of the privy council it has become clear that the money belonged to the provinces and in a short time I believe that New Brunswick will receive its due share of this award.

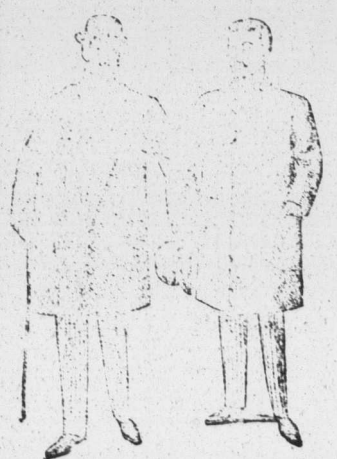
The readjustment of the provincial subsidy is another matter of vital importance which I trust will shortly be settled to our satisfaction for it will mean an increase of about \$250,000 a year in our revenue.

The establishment of one of the MacDonnell schools in this province is another very gratifying event. You all remember the origin of these schools which was in the offer made by Wm. MacDonnell of Montreal. This matter was taken up by the government and now we have at Kingston five distinct units and a splendid school which has cost about \$20,000. This is certainly a move in the right direction for it means the amalgamating of school districts instead of their separation which has been the direction in which we have been heading.

Many of our school districts are so small to furnish a sufficient number of children or to properly support a teacher, and this is one reason why children in our country schools are at a disadvantage as compared with those in the town. Under the new system of amalgamating schools I look to the time when all our boys and girls whether in city or country will have an equal chance.

The introduction of the Sloyd system is another matter for which the government deserves the greatest credit. There has been too much theory and too little the practical in our teaching, and the effort has been to draw the boys from the farm. We are now going back to the natural method. I am proud to say that the town of Campbellton in which I live was one of the first to take advantage of the Sloyd system. Since its introduction the attendance has been greater and the interest in the schools

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The People's Grocer.

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Two or three smart, intelligent men to push out subscription list in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia. War is now on and we have FREDERICK PALMER with a corps of seven artists and photographers with the Japanese Fleet and Army. RICHARD HARDING DAVIS has also been sent to the front. We have three correspondents with the Russian army. We expect a big list of subscribers therefore. Write for information to Collier's Weekly, 181 Prince William St., St. John, N. B.

Notice of Sale.

To Lawrence K. Lloyd, of the parish of Newcastle, in the county of Northumberland, in the Province of New Brunswick, Butcher, and all others whom it may concern.

NOTICE is hereby given that under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain Indenture of Mortgage bearing date the twentieth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety nine, made between the said Lawrence K. Lloyd, of the first part, and Mary T. Davidson, John M. Davidson and Allan A. Davidson, all of the town of Newcastle, in the said county of Northumberland, executors and trustees of the last will and Testament of the late Allan A. Davidson, late of Newcastle, aforesaid, Barrister at Law, deceased, of the second part, duly registered in the Northumberland county records, Volume 35, pages 47, 48 and 49, and numbered 33 in said Volume, there will for the purpose of satisfying the moneys due on and secured by said mortgage, default, having been made in payment thereof, be sold at PUBLIC AUCTION in front of the Post office in the said town of Newcastle, on TUESDAY, THE FIFTEENTH DAY OF MARCH, next at 12 o'clock, noon, the lands and premises mentioned and described in the said Indenture of Mortgage, viz., all that certain lot or parcel of land and premises situate, lying and being in the parish of Chatham, in the County and Province aforesaid, near the Newcastle ferry where said ferry road, northerly by the Miramichi river, southerly by lands owned and occupied by John McFarlane, and easterly by the Percival lands, so called, by the lands and premises conveyed said Lawrence K. Lloyd by John M. Davidson by deed bearing date the said 20th day of April 1899, together with the and improvements thereon, privileges, hereditaments and appurtenances to the same belonging.

Dated this thirteenth day of March, 1904.

MARY T. DAVIDSON,
ALLAN A. DAVIDSON,
Surviving trustees.

Mr. Hazen gave notices of enquiry with regard to the damage done to the Harris bridge by the tug S. M. King, and the amounts paid for the consolidation of the statutes. Mr. Fleming gave notice of enquiry with regard to the building of piers in the St. John River near Vanburen by the St. John Lumber Company. The house adjourned until Wednesday.

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Tom—What are you eating?
Jack—So I do.
Tom—Then why are you eating them?
Jack—I'm going to a leap-year ball to-night. See?
I wonder what makes Miss Elderleigh so awfully nervous?
She—Why, this is the first opportunity she has had in eight years.

HO FOR SUMMER CLIMES
The Grand Trunk Railway System have issued a handsome publication entitled "Winter Tours to Colorado," "California," and which are now in their City Ticket Offices for free distribution. The publication deals with the attractions of the states of Colorado and California as winter resorts for northern people, and as the present season is the time to visit these winter resorts for pleasure, and to prepare for health the publication is issued as an opportune time. The publication is handsomely illustrated with photographs of the Garden of the Gods, the Grand Canyon of Arizona, the Yosemite Valley, the Redwood Forests of California, and other interesting points on the Grand Trunk. It also contains a great deal of information regarding the various winter resorts, and is a valuable guide for anyone planning a winter vacation. It is available at all City Ticket Offices, and can also be obtained by mail on application.

CANNED AND EVAPORATED GOODS TRADE.

Mr. A. W. Grindley, Agent of the Department of Agriculture in Great Britain, gives the following information in regard to the trade in canned and evaporated goods during 1903, in addition to the extracts from his annual report published last week.

FRUIT PULPS:—

Their is a good demand for the following fruit pulps which can be put up in Canada:—Strawberry, Raspberry, Gooseberry, Black Currant, Peaches, Pears, Apricots. The above fruits are largely used in jam factories in Great Britain.

Canadian packers of fruit pulps should observe the following point.

1. Use a heavy grade of charcoal tin plates for making the cans.
2. Do not use rosin for soldering the inside seams as the least portion imparts a bad flavor to the contents.
3. One gallon tins are preferable to cans holding five gallons chiefly because there is less loss in case of a puncture or other cause of damage.
4. For colored pulps an internally lacquered tin is very much preferred.
5. No coloring matter or preservatives of any kind should be added.
6. Have cases holding cans made strongly and with tight covers, not slats.

TINNED MEATS.

There is a good demand in Great Britain for tinned meats but complaints are made that Canadian tinned meats are often colored next the tin by some acid action. This may be caused by using light grade tin plates for making the cans. These plates are rolled after being tinned and so much of the tin being taken off the iron is exposed in spots and a chemical action exists in shortening the life of the goods as packed. Some British firms who import heavy lines of canned goods from Canada furnish the tin plates from which the cans are made and also have an export representative to supervise the packing of their goods during the season, the result being general satisfaction and increased demand for the brand.

The quality of Canadian beef and mutton is preferred to the imports from other countries the packs of which countries are often filled with meat from which extracts have been taken to make fluid meat preparations.

TINNED LOBSTERS.

There is a good demand for Canadian tinned lobsters if properly put up. Only heavily tinned plates should be used for making cans, the inside of which should be lined with heavy parchment paper and the lobster packed while thoroughly fresh. This requires large packing factories. Small factories do not as a general rule employ skilled labor and as they cannot pack as fast as supplies come in during the packing season the result is that scale or partially stale goods are packed which go off flavor very quickly.

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The Baird Co.'s Wine of Tar, Honey and Wild Cherry is the best remedy for coughs and colds I have ever used.
MARY A. SHAW.
Woodstock, N. B.



Miss M. Cartledge gives some helpful advice to young girls. Her letter is but one of thousands which prove that nothing is so helpful to young girls who are just arriving at the period of womanhood as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I cannot praise Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound too highly, for it is the only medicine I ever tried which cured me. I suffered much from my first menstrual period. I felt so weak and dizzy at times I could not pursue my studies with the usual interest. My thoughts became sluggish. I had headaches, backaches and sinking spells, also pains in the back and lower limbs. In fact, I was sick all over. Finally, after many other remedies had been tried, we were advised to get Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I am pleased to say that after taking it only two weeks, a wonderful change for the better took place, and in a short time I was in perfect health. I felt buoyant, full of life, and found all work a pastime. I am indeed glad to tell my experience with Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, for it made a different girl of me. Yours very truly, Miss M. CARTLEDGE, 533 Whitehall St., Atlanta, Ga."—\$5000 forfeit if original of above letter proving genuineness cannot be produced.

DESICATED VEGETABLES.
There is a growing demand for desiccated vegetables in Great Britain not for home consumption, but for Naval stores and the war office.

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We find KENDRICK'S LINDSEY gives excellent satisfaction, and our sales constantly increasing.
J. M. JONES.
Bart's Corner, N. B.

Edyth—I just heard something about you.
Mayne—It must be something scandalous.
Edyth—Why do you think so?
Mayne—Because you look pleased.

Wife—I wonder why the fashions are always changing?
Husband—Oh, I suppose women realize after a time what frights they are and want something more frightful.

Piles
To prove to you that Dr. Chase's Ointment is a certain and absolute cure for each and every form of itching, bleeding and protruding piles, the manufacturers have guaranteed it. See the testimonials in the daily press. You can use it and get the same results. Dr. Chase's Ointment is sold by all druggists and by the manufacturers, J. B. Chase & Co., Toronto.

POWER OF THE PRESS.
Hon. Clifford Sifton tells the story of the Rising Success of the Government's Immigration Policy.

The Canadian Club in Toronto had an address from Hon. Clifford Sifton on the work of the Immigration Bureau the other day. Mr. Sifton admitted every disposition of the government was subject to criticism and an address on immigration might touch controversial points, but he would endeavor to speak of facts only. The question before them was that of procuring a population for Canada and placing it on their vacant lands.

Mr. Sifton then described the methods of the Immigration Bureau and its officers in lively, conversational style. The western States were selected in 1897 as the most profitable place to organize a propaganda. The difficulties of an agent who located in a western city and tried to get people to come to Canada caused much amusement. One went away full of hope, and expected to move the whole States over in a short time. In three months he telegraphed his resignation. When Mr. Sifton wanted him to go back he said there was not the slightest use. Nobody over there knew where Canada was. The newspapers would not print an item about it. After two weeks' holiday he was persuaded to go back. After another trial he again resigned, and was again sent back with instructions not to write or telegraph until he was asked. After six months he telegraphed that he had secured one family. This agent has sent 5,000 people since then. The first year only 712 came from the whole States. With eight or nine agents and 200 or more sub-agents it was seen that a new course must be adopted, and a special study of the problem was made at Chicago.

Power of the Press.

Advertisements offering our free farm lands were placed in 1892 with a circulation of 5,800,000, reaching one-third of the United States people. The Editorial Association was invited over and escorted from the Atlantic to the Pacific. The editors went back and wrote appreciative accounts in their papers, which the department promptly collected in the form of a book, and then circulated 500,000 copies of this testimony among the farmers.

"Agents are now on pretty good terms with the press there, and they refuse to insert matter derogatory to our work," said Mr. Sifton. In 1897 the work was done in the form of a book, and then circulated 500,000 copies of this testimony among the farmers.

In Great Britain the work had been organized on business principles, the semi-diplomatic methods of the High Commissioner's office not being adapted to the conditions. A newspaper devoted to the resources of Canada had been prepared and mailed to 1,500,000 names of practically all the farmers and farm laborers in the United Kingdom. Forty to fifty thousand dollars a year was spent on advertisements in papers reaching ten millions of readers. Half a million books on Canada had been put in the schools, and 25,000 wall maps. To prove their loyalty at the coronation, and incidentally do a little advertising, they built the arch, which it was said the two figures of the coronation were the King and the Canadian arch. They had a business office in the heart of London city, open from 9 till 6, fitted up with Canadian wool, set up by Canadian workmen, heated by a Canadian furnace. Business was done sharply and promptly. Last year 50,000 immigrants came from England, 100,000 from the United States, and 12,000 from the continent.

On the European continent arrangements were made with the North Atlantic Trading Co. to obtain suitable immigrants, and 41 per cent. was paid for every acceptable person landed in Canada, 18 per cent. of these having been farmers in a small way at home and going directly to the land.

Counting the Cost.

A good deal of money was spent, but while in 1898 the expense was \$7.77 a head, in 1903 the cost was only \$3.25. In five and a half years up to June, 1903, 123,000 immigrants had cost to procure, \$5.67 per head, and in return they brought into Canada 1,230,000 dollars, \$18,000,000 worth, and at the lowest calculation \$25,000,000 in cash. The farmers as a rule take up half or complete sections, and in six years are producing \$2,000 per year, averaging fifty millions a year added to the wealth of Canada.

These settlements made openings for young men. A place where a few years ago there were not a hundred people now had a large and thriving town, with a Board of Trade and all the concomitants of civilization, and no doubt a Canadian club to follow. One map there cleared last year \$50,000. "And he made it all out of the farmers' money," said Mr. Sifton. Immigrants were carefully looked after from the time of landing till they were settled. Everything depends on taking hold of them when they arrive. It was said that last year 650,000 went to the United States, while we only got 135,000. But only 13 per cent. of the United States immigrants were agricultural, the remainder being of a class of which we could make no present use. It was not true that the public lands in the States were exhausted. More had been taken up there last year than in Canada, and violent opposition was met with from railway companies and others.

The Bureau never assisted any one to come over. "A man who cannot scrape up money enough to come, is not worth having when he gets here."

The Doctor Leads Him by the Nose

Ninety-nine hearts out of a hundred are failing to do their work. There may be no pain there, but it is felt somewhere for some organ is robbed of its proper need of blood by this insidious heart failure, and distress follows. Cure where the trouble and pain begin.

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"DR. AGNEW'S OINTMENT" will drive filth from the system, cure rheumatism, neuralgia, sciatica, etc., etc. From 50¢ to \$1.00 per bottle.

Principals in Montreal.

Montreal many years ago had a tall, handsome young Scotchman, an assistant minister of St. Andrew's Church. His name was Robert Story. To-day he is Principal Story, of Glasgow University, and the other day he was telling the young lady students of the commercial capital of Scotland that their mental culture will not expand over reading the novels of Annie Swan and Mrs. Henry Wood. He is equally famed in Scotland for his acid wit and fine presence. Tall, white bearded, with handsome flashing black eyes, the Principal carries himself with the air of an old-time cardinal. In debate in the Established General Assembly he is feared for the keenness of his replies, couched in irony which no member can equal. An example of his withering retorts may be given. An officer in the suite of the Lord High Commissioner had, in the lobby of the Assembly, accidentally engaged his spur in the Principal's foot. The Principal's apologies followed, but the Principal was not to be placated. Staring at the delinquent with his haughtiest gaze, Principal Story lightly remarked: "An officer of Volunteers, I presume?"

The history of the game is no less interesting. Though tradition gives an earlier origin, the first authentic proof of its existence dates to about the middle of the sixteenth century, and is in the shape of a curling stone, inscribed 1551, found near Traillane. It is ten inches broad, eleven inches long, and four inches thick, and is simply a rough block of stone, pierced by holes for finger and thumb. This is called a "finger" stone, the addition of a handle to the instrument having been a later improvement.

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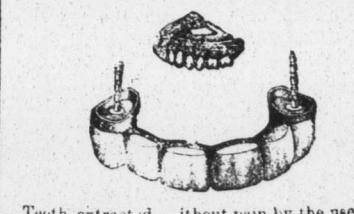
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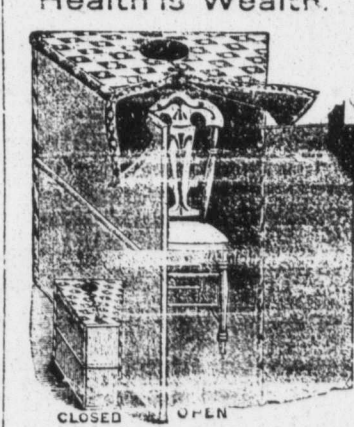
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J. H. PHINNEY,
Newcastle.

Local and General News

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

Don't forget the St. Patrick's concert.

The 1904 Chatham Exhibition will be held Sept. 26, 27, 28, and 29.

Large numbers of men are coming out of the woods. Many of the operators have completed their work.

Ladies overcoats at half price at McMillan's.

WANTED: Board in a private house by the day preferred. Apply to the Advocate Office.

Word was received here Monday of the death of Mrs. Campbell, mother of Ex. Warden Campbell of Pilestown. Mrs. Campbell was ill for some time.

Judge McLeod returned Saturday from Bathurst, where he has been holding court. One criminal case, which resulted in the discharge of the accused, and two civil cases were tried.—Sun, March 7.

There was a long strip of open water extending from near Messrs. Burdell's wharf to the ferry landing after the rain storm of Thursday.

300 yds black and blue Serge, just arrived at McMurdo's. Heavy and light weight, fine and coarse in texture. Prices range from \$14.00 per suit to \$24.00. A call is solicited.

Miss Mary Ingram wishes to announce that she has just received about 20 Ladies costume lengths from which she is prepared to make Ladies tailor made suits at moderate prices. She guarantees fit and workmanship.

The following Dominion appointments have been made. James Anderson, Burnt Church, of Northumberland, New Brunswick, to be wharfinger of the government wharf at Burnt Church.

The following provincial appointments have been announced. Thomas Weaver of Doaktown, and William A. Hickson to be justice of peace. William A. Hickson to be commissioner of Almshouse, parish of Newcastle, in room of Robert R. Call deceased.

The general creditors of the Maritime Sulphite Fibre Co. are receiving a dividend of 25 per cent, and there will probably be another small one before the business is wound up.

The election on Tuesday March 2nd, to fill the vacancy in the Chatham Town Council resulted in the election of Mr. Donald Fraser by a majority of 78. The vote was—Fraser 78; England 195.

One of the engines of the E. P. and H. railway, which has just been turned out of the shop of the Maritime Engineering Co., has been leased to the Carquet Railway for a short time and was sent north yesterday. The engine on the Carquet road is to be repaired. The E. P. and H. has another engine at Havelock.—Times.

The World is greedily devouring the feast is being partaken of as to its recent reflections on the furniture factory enterprise in Newcastle, the proposition to give town aid to which has been unanimously endorsed by the town's ratepayers.—Advance.

It was a radium night as the last meeting of The Chatham Natural History Society. Mr. Hutcheson was present, with a specimen of radium he brought from Europe and a general synopsis was held on that wonderful mineral. The lights were turned out and everybody looked through the lens at the marvellous manifestation of energy and illuminating power given by the infinitesimal particles of imprisoned radium. It is supposed that this energy, like that of the sun, will endure forever, or for millions of years, but this is only a theory as yet. Radium rays are said to have penetrated a foot of iron so as to cast a shadow on the other side. Mr. Hutcheson showed the members some specimens of Monte Carlo gold coin and other things picked up in the places he visited.—World.

Dental Notice.

F. Carter, Dentist, owing to the increased business at his office will be obliged to close his Newcastle branch office every three months beginning with September next 29th to last, and on DECEMBER, MARCH, JULY, and SEPTEMBER, on the same days. I will make a DISCOUNT OF 20 PER CENT ON ALL DENTAL WORK done for 6 months. Will pay patients (great for 6 months dental work that has been tested and proven for the last twenty years on the continent. Long experience and simple procedure warrants this statement people want value for their money and this opportunity will not be neglected by those who know as I do not feel like leaving my progress far when I have worked so long have discount it made to pay in part for waiting until I can visit them which will be often enough to give teeth proper attention.

New Goods arriving daily at McMillan's shoe store.

There was good skating and iceboating on the river Saturday, Sunday and Monday.

St. Andrews Church—Fourth Sunday evening Lenten Address—"Intelligence in Work." Time, 7:00.

Rev. Mr. Meikle begins special services on Wednesday evening at 7:30 in Methodist church. Everybody invited to attend.

A few pairs of Ladies Dongola Oxfords only 75cts per pair at McMillan's.

The public are hereby notified that the fire alarm will be sounded at 7:30 o'clock Thursday evening to call the firemen for practice.

The pupils of St. Mary's Convent will hold their usual St. Patrick's day concert in the New Hall on March 17th. See adv. for particulars.

We do not wish to be eternally reminding our subscribers that it is necessary for them to pay up promptly, but we must remind all these who are three years or more in arrears that we will be obliged to use harsh measures to collect the amounts due unless we have a settlement on or before March 1st.

We have already allowed those of our subscribers who are in arrears several days of grace. We extend the time of settlement to Saturday, March 12th after which date all persons owing for three years or over will be obliged to pay a legal collector with costs. In such cases \$1.50 will be charged for each year, as that is the price of the Advocate when not paid in advance. Settle at once and save costs.

Notice is given by Mr. C. Atkinson that application will be made to the Legislature of the Province at its present session for an act to incorporate the Kent Electric Railway Company to construct and operate an electric Railway from Weston, County of Kent, to Chatham, in the County of Northumberland, with power to extend the same or build branches therefrom to any point or points in the counties of Kent and Northumberland.

Mr. J. Stafford Williamson, formerly of this town, but who has served in some of the leading tailoring establishments in the province has rented the rooms over Mr. Jas. Mailer's store here and will open an up to date tailoring establishment where none but the best work will be turned out. He expects to be open for business early April.

A. E. Shaw Warrants Every Bottle. If troubled with rheumatism give Chamberlain's Pain Balm a trial. It will not cost you a cent if it does no good. One application will relieve the pain. It also cures sprains and bruises in one third the time required by any other treatment. Cuts, burns, frostbites, quinsy, pains in the side and chest, glandular and other swellings are quickly cured by applying it. Every bottle warranted. Price 25 and 50 cents.

BRIEF NEWSLETS.

Short Paragraphs of General Interest Clipped From Exchanges.

Bourgeois, N. B. March 6.—The residence of Mrs. Louis Savoie, a widow residing at Black River, about six miles from Buctouche, was destroyed by fire Saturday morning last, and three of her sons were burned in the flames, namely, Joseph, aged 26; Thaddeus 14, and John 12, while Alphonse, her fourth son, aged 27, is so badly burned that no hope of his recovery is entertained.

Sussex, N. B., March 5.—On Saturday, ten Scott Act cases were up for hearing before Justices Wm. N. Beggar and David Little at Sussex.

Booke, Ia., March 6.—Mrs. Sherman Dye is under arrest here charged with having sent poisoned candy to Miss Rena Nelson at Pierre, S. D.

Boston, March 6.—The Herald will say tomorrow: "It is reported in marine circles that the str. State of Maine has been sold by the Eastern S. S. Co. to the Joy Line, and that she will be used in the New York and Providence service. Parties interested in the transfer said yesterday that the sale had not been completed, but that the deal would be closed tomorrow."

London, March 6.—King Edward, who is suffering from a cold is much better today and will preside at a privy council at Buckingham Palace tomorrow.

BOARD OF HEALTH NOTICE.

All persons having any claims against the Newcastle Local Board of Health will please present them to the undersigned without delay.

JOHN CLARK,
Secy. of Board.

Social and Personal

Alt. Stables, Master Stewart and Miss Helen went to Fredericton to attend the opening of the Legislature. They returned Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Price of Dakota, North Dakota, are visiting his former home on the Miramichi. Mr. Price has found many changes after a lapse of forty three years. They also spent a very pleasant time on P. E. Island visiting different places to see their relations and old friends. Mr. Price is a brother of James Price of this town.

Miss Lenore Layton is visiting her brother of Springhill, N. S.

P. S. Martin, spent Sunday at his home at Campbellton.

Messrs. John Morrissey, M. P. P. and Donald Morrison, M. P. P. arrived home Saturday night from Fredericton. They will return Thursday.

Messrs. Wm. Corbett and John Menzie left yesterday for St. Stephen to attend the meeting of the Grand Orange Lodge which is meeting at that place.

Mrs. A. B. Cepp, of Sackville is visiting her home here.

Mr. James Stables, of New York is visiting his brother A. L. Stables. It is twenty years since Mr. Stables last visited this town and he naturally sees many changes and improvements.

Mrs. John Russell is visiting in Truro, N. S.

Miss M. J. Ingram left Tuesday morning to attend the spring Millinery opening at St. John.

J. A. Valentine, representing the Emporium Cigar Co., Sherbrook, was in town on Monday.

Miss Helen Black leaves to day for St. John, to attend the Millinery opening.

Married at Seattle.

Married at the residence of the bride's parents, at 1 p. m. Sunday January 17th, 1904. Miss Fanny Robertson and Mr. Percy Parks. They were attended by Miss Tot Dick and Mr. Johnny Barwell. The bride was tastefully and daintily attired in cream silk, with all over embroidered chiffon and carried a bouquet of white carnations and wore a veil clasped with a wreath of the same. Her only ornaments were pearl beads and a pin representing the beautiful order of Maccoches, of which she had the honor to be a member. Miss Dick wore a pale blue muslin de soie, and carried a bouquet of pink carnations. The ceremony was performed in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends by the Rev. Mills of Edgewater Congregational Church. A delicious dinner was served in the home of Mr. Parks, 3625 Aurora Avenue, which adjoins that of his father-in-law, where the young people have taken up their abode, and will be home to their many friends after Feb. 1st. The presents were numerous and beautiful, consisting mainly of silver and china. Those present besides the immediate family were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Robertson, Mr. Ross Robertson and Miss Maud Cole of Tacoma, Mr. and Mrs. H. Parks, Mr. and Mrs. L. Reimig, Mr. and Mrs. George Donberger, Miss Freda Stokes, Mrs. J. Dick, Mrs. Olive Mynatt and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bailey, of Seattle, and Mr. Louis Robertson of Dungeness.—Seattle paper.

New Brunswick Guides.

At the meeting at Fredericton of the New Brunswick Guides Association some discussion took place in regard to an alleged interview with a prominent guide a few weeks ago, setting forth that members of the association had been guilty of violating the game laws. The allegations were given an emphatic denial by the members present and regret was expressed at the publication of the statements. The guides think that it would be a mistake to further curtail the open season for moose and caribou.

Wanted.

A girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. W. S. MOORE.



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