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NEWCASTLE, N. B. WEDNESDAY MORNING, MAY 29. 1901.

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Our stock is too heavy for this time of year, and we propose to give our customers some genuine bargains along this line.

All papers that sold at 10c. per double roll, now 9c. All our 12c., 14c. and 15c. papers, now 10c. Four different patterns that sold at 20c. per roll now 10c. 18 inch borders to match, 3c. per yard or 50c. per roll. Heavy gilt papers that sold at 25c. to 35c. per roll, now all one price, 20c. All other papers not new subject to a discount of 25 per cent. All new papers subject to a discount of 20 per cent. Borders subject to a like discount. Ingrain or plain papers 35c. per roll. Borders 20 per cent. off.

In this stock of paper there are some elegant patterns. A great many of them are new this year, some are not. All the older papers have been cut in price in most cases to half price. The new papers are all very much reduced. These prices to take effect **WEDNESDAY MORNING, MAY 28th.**

CLARKE & CO.

THE REMAINS FOUND

AFTER NEARLY FOUR YEARS THE MYSTERY SURROUNDING THE MR. ANSLOW'S DISSAPPEARANCE SOLVED.

On October 13th, 1897 the late Editor and Proprietor of the Advocate accompanied by his son, Charles, drove up the Little Southwest on a business trip, it being their intention to spend a day shooting and hat. He at once advised the others of



An inquest was held by Coroner F. J. Desmond, M. D. in the Town Hall on Monday to establish identity. The following jury was duly sworn, J. D. O'Grady, Foreman, J. R. Sargent, Wm. Symington, George Stables, Simon McLeod, George Brown and Thomas A. Clarke.

After hearing the evidence of a number of witnesses the jury returned and found the following verdict.

We, the jury, appointed to enquire into the death of W. T. Anslow find that we are fully satisfied by the evidence given of the identity of the remains of said body, and also find that he came to his death by his having lost his way in the woods and by exposure to the inclemency of the weather and not by any violent means.

The remains were found near the bank of a small stream called Park Brook, near its junction with the Little Southwest. This is about nine miles by the river from the spot where Mr. Anslow was last seen and is about eight miles from any house. It is the opinion of witnesses that Mr. Anslow had probably been following a path and had been lost in the woods and then knowing that he had taken the path along the bank until overcome. His rifle, watch and chain, some money, and other articles were found by which the remains could be positively identified.

In order to reach this section of the country the deceased must have travelled many miles further than the actual distance between the point where he was last seen and the place where remains were found and must have been out of gunshot hearing as no cartridges were found although he had about fifty before leaving in the morning.

The finding of the remains clears up a mystery that has perplexed the minds of many.

The funeral with Masonic honors was held yesterday afternoon. The services at the house were conducted by the Rev. Mr. Pickles, assisted by Revs. Wm. Aitken and Geo. Harrison. At the grave the Masons held their impressive services. The funeral was largely attended.

VICTORIA DAY.

Was Very Quietly Spent in Town.

MANY PICNICS.

Plenty Fishers but few Fish.—Driving and Music.

Victoria Day dawned fair and bright but clouds began to gather and threatened rain but kept off well in town and only a few showers fell about noon. In some sections of the country it rained nearly all afternoon and fishermen and picnickers had a wet time. In town everything was very quiet, all the stores were closed and nearly all the inhabitants were either away or staid in doors. In the evening the Orange band came out and played in the band stand and a large crowd enjoyed the music. The lively stables did a rushing business.

SAW MILL BURNED.

McNair, the Owner—Loss \$3,000, No Insurance.

MONROE, N. B., May 27.—At Nash's Creek early on Sunday morning fire was discovered at Nat. McNair's saw mill, but not until it had gained such headway that it was impossible to save the building. Fortunately there was no wind at the time, and the mill hands and others were able to confine the fire to the mill itself, and practically no lumber was destroyed. About forty hands are thrown out of employment. The mill had been running only a month, and the fire is supposed to have originated from a heated journal. Loss estimated \$3,000; no insurance. This is the second loss Mr. McNair has sustained within six months his shingle mill having been destroyed by fire last winter.

ELECTRIC CAR COLLISION

Five People Killed and Over Forty Injured.

ALBANY, N. Y., May 26.—Electric cars were for a switch with running forty feet and four in opposite directions and five lives were thrown by a terrible collision. One of the prominent people are injured, some fatally, others seriously. The lobby of the local post office is filled with dead and wounded, and hysterical women and children are looking for relatives and friends. Surgeons are administering temporary relief and ambulances are being sent to the city taking the wounded to hospitals. These were the heaviest of the most terrible electric line accidents ever heard of in this vicinity. The scene of the accident was a point about two miles from the city on the line of the Albany & Hudson railway, a just completed road. The cars met on a single track with a sharp curve, and so fast were both running that neither was able to stop in time. The collision was so violent that the cars were hurled into the air and fell back on the tracks. The scene was a terrible one. The few women and children who escaped were hysterical and added their cries to the shrieks of the dying and mutilated. Men with broken arms and bones, dislocated joints, bloody heads and faces tried to assist others who were more helpless and there were many cases of philosophical bravery. With both motormen killed it was hard to get at the real cause of the accident but it is pretty well determined that it was caused by an attempt of the southbound car to reach a second switch instead of waiting for the northbound car at the first switch.

32 Bodies Recovered.

LONDON, May 27.—Thirty-two bodies, some of them terribly mutilated, have been recovered at the Universal colliery in Sengheval, where an explosion occurred last Friday morning. The gruesome work proceeds very slowly.

King Edward has sent a message of deep sympathy with the families of the victims and of admiration of the gallantry of the rescuers.

Died in Mexico.

Clarkson G. Brown of this Town Expires there.

A telegram announcing the death of Clarkson G. Brown, son of Mr. George Brown of this town was received by the afflicted father on Tuesday of last week last week announced in our last issue. He died that morning of pneumonia in Mexico City, Old Mexico. His brother J. M. Brown was with him during his illness and was his faithful attendant says the Aspen Times of Colorado. Clark Brown was prominent in mining matters in Old Mexico. He went there about sixteen months ago. His death was a great shock to his brother who resides here (Aspen). The best care was given him and the best physicians available were in attendance during his illness. He died at the American Hospital. His father, five brothers and three sisters survive him. His remains, accompanied by his brothers are carried this morning and the funeral will take place here tomorrow at 3 o'clock. The heartfelt sympathy of the community go out to Mr. Brown and his family in their bereavement.

As Clark Brown was a young man of great promise his sudden death has called forth the grief of all who were fortunate in his acquaintance.

Three Men Drowned.

NEW YORK, May 27.—The Munson Line steamer Carthage arrived today from Matanzas and other Cuban ports, and her captain reported that on May 21, about 8 miles north northwest of Manzanillo, Cuba, a derelict had been sighted floating bottom up with three men clinging to the keel. A boat manned by Chief Officer Goltzau and three sailors went to the assistance of the unfortunate men. When the boat returned to the Carthage it was learned that the wreck was that of the two-masted schooner Maria, of Sagua, which had been struck by a squall that morning and capsized. The captain, mate and cook had been drowned.

Infants too young to take medicine may be cured of croup, whooping cough and colds by using Vapo-Cresolene—they breathe it.

The Croup.
It's a terrible thing, isn't it? Sore throat, that awful cough, that hard struggle for air, can never be forgotten. Be a little fore-handed and prevent it. Keep Vapo-Cresolene in the house, and when the children take cold let them breathe in the vapor during the evening. It goes right to the throat, just where the croup lies. All irritation subsides, the cough quiets down and serious trouble is prevented. Vapo-Cresolene is sold by druggists everywhere. Vapo-Cresolene contains the Vaporizer and Amp, which should last a life-time, and a bottle of medicine, complete, \$1.50; extra supplies of Cresolene and Amp, 50c. Illustrated booklet containing physicians' testimonials free upon request. Vapo-Cresolene Co., 110 Fulton St., New York, U.S.A. Recommended and sold by F. R. Dalton, Newcastle.

WISHES TO SETTLE.
France Desires to Settle French Shore Question.

LONDON, May 18.—The draft of secretary Hay's proposal for a new arguata treaty was received from Pauncefort by the last mail. voluminous document and is printed previous to examination and discussion. It is described as a re-draft of the Hay-Pauncefort treaty with what appears from several perusal to be extensive annotations. Several weeks are likely to elapse before the cabinet shall commence its preliminary discussion.

The despatch relative to the possibility of the substitution of the Panamaisthmian route are read with interest in Downing street.

The Associated Press learns that the Panama Company have not approached the British government, but that if the United States should think it advisable to complete the Panama canal the definition would be mailed with no little satisfaction at the foreign office as an easy way out of the present controversy.

Further, the British officials are not any accurate knowledge of terms offered by the Panama company, and they incline to the belief that financial and other difficulties will probably prevent the United States from adopting this option of the affair.

It is advisable to abrogate the Clayton-Bulmer treaty on account of being out of date, said a high official, how much more so is it necessary to annul the French agreement, which was made before the Clayton-Bulmer treaty, and which had been a mill around the neck of Newfoundland.

Reports reveal the fact that negotiations to this end are progressing slowly. For the first time in the late negotiations France had to exhibiting a genuine desire to have the matter settled, though perhaps at the expense of concessions in other parts of the Atlantic Britain still endeavor to her wish.

ABSOLUTE SECURITY.
Genuine Carter's Little Liver Pills.
Must Bear Signature of *Dr. J. C. Carter*
Small and as easy to take as sugar.
WARRANTED FOR HEADACHE, FOR DIZZINESS, FOR BILIOUSNESS, FOR TORPID LIVER, FOR CONSTIPATION, FOR SLOW SKIN, FOR THE COMPLEXION.
PURE SICK HEADACHE.

The result of the conference between Mr. Bond, premier of Newfoundland, and Sir Wilfrid Laurier, premier of Canada, regarding reciprocity with the United States has not yet been communicated to the Colonial Office, though Colonial Secretary Chamberlain sincerely hopes the report of Canada's assent to Premier Bond's proposition are correct.

THE ARIZONA KICKER.

The circulation of the Kicker has not quite reached 100,000,000 yet, but it is so close to it that we can feel this side of the continent gradually tipping up.

It has been found that Coroner Willets who suddenly left town last week, had held over 40 inquests during the last year on the bones of cattle and mules. You can't beat western enterprise.

Our 68 subscribers at Lone Jack did not receive their papers last week for the simple reason that a cinnamon bear ate the mail carrier and his horse and mail bags up before he got to that point. We cannot be held accountable for acts of Providence.

We have to apologize to Mr. George Drew of the Bald Eagle saloon for saying last week that he was a fugitive murderer from Mexico. He has satisfied us that the man shot out there has recovered from his wounds, and that the affair was only an every day trifle at most.

A party which visited Bill Williams' mountain last week in the interests of science found undeniable evidences of a race of people at least 10,000 years old. We regret that it is too late to shake up a few subscriptions among them.

We have been invited to deliver an address on Shakespeare before the Grass Valley literary club one night next week, but we have begged to decline with thanks. We know the club of old. It is composed of seven men and a poker game, and when last we addressed it we dropped \$50 on three jacks.

In order to maintain our dignity as mayor of this town, we had to throw Col. Chivers down the city stairs one day last week, and we understand that he is likely to be laid up for some time to come. Sorry for the colonel, who is a good fellow at bottom, but our dignity must and shall be preserved.

The editor of the Blue Hill Times charges us with holding 11 different offices and grabbing for others. We hold only five offices and the only other we are reaching out for the presidency of the United States. Please correct and oblige.

We understand that the vigilance committee of Wolf Creek made three attempts to hang a horse thief last week, and the affair was so bungled up that the fellow finally committed suicide from disgust. That town should send a committee over here to brush up on art.

During the last three sessions of the common council not a gun has been drawn or a hard word spoken and it really seems as if the 20th century has at last come knocking at our doors. As presiding officer we will not permit ourselves to be entertained him as agreeable as possible, even to planting him in our editorial graveyard.

That we still have the esteem and confidence of the people was proved last when we were elected chief of the fire department, named as

A Nervous Wreck.
WAS THE CONDITION OF MISS GILLES FOR EIGHT YEARS.

One of the most common, at the same time one of the most to be dreaded, ailments which afflict the people of this country is nervous debility. The cause leading to the trouble are various, overwork or worry being among the most prominent. But whatever the cause, the affliction is one that makes life a burden. Such a sufferer for years was Miss Margaret Gilles, of White, Road Cross, P.E.I. Her life was one of almost incessant misery, and she had come to look upon her condition as incurable, when Dr. Williams' Pink Pills were brought to her notice and to this life-giving, nerve-restoring medicine, she owes her health and happiness. Miss Gilles tells of her illness and cure as follows: "For the past eight years my life has been one of constant misery. My nervous system was shattered, and I was reduced to a mere physical wreck. My trouble began in one of the ailments that so frequently afflict my sex. I was irritable and discouraged all the time, and life did not seem worth living. For seven years I was under treatment by doctors. I even went to Boston and entered a hospital where I remained for some time. While there the treatment temporarily benefited me, but soon my condition was worse than ever. Finally my nervous trouble took the form of spasms which caused more suffering than words can tell. When thus attacked I felt as though I was literally being torn apart. I would frequently become unconscious and sometimes would remain in that condition for half an hour. I have sometimes had as many as six of these spasms in a week, and no one who has not similarly suffered can imagine the tired, worn-out, depressed feeling which followed. Doctors seemed utterly unable to do anything for me, and these years of misery can never be forgotten. Then I began taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and in a short while found them helping me. Then another doctor told me he could cure me. I stopped taking the pills, and like the dog in the fable, while grasping at the shadow I lost the substance. I was soon in as wretched condition as ever. The pills were the only thing that had ever helped me and I determined to begin them again. I continued to take them for nearly nine months the trouble gradually but surely leaving me, until I am now in almost perfect health and fully released from what I at one time thought would prove a life of constant misery. I cannot praise Dr. Williams' Pink Pills too highly, nor can I too strongly urge those who are ailing to try their wonderful health restoring virtues."

In thousands and thousands of cases it has been proved that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are the greatest blood builder and nerve restorer medical science has yet discovered. The pills act speedily and directly upon the blood and the nerves and thus reach the root of the trouble, effecting a permanent cure. Other medicines merely act upon the symptoms, and when the patient ceases using them they soon relapse into a condition as bad as the original one. It is this blood in weak nerves which these pills will not cure. Those who are sick or ailing are urged to give the medicine a fair trial, and are cautioned against the numerous imitations which some dealers offer. The genuine pills always bear the full name "Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People" on the wrapper around every box.

orator for the next Fourth of July and asked to lead the church choir for the coming year. Integrity of character backed up by two guns will always win.

In a seven minute conversation over the telephone with Maj Davis of Apacheville we counted 226 expressive cuss words used by the Major and he assured us that it was an off day at that. The major is in the cattle business and he says he has to indulge in plain English to make any money.

The man who woke us up at midnight the other night by heaving accobles through a front window of The Kicker office had got a good start as we threw up the sash at him but we think we winged him by the way he limped around a corner. We are always ready

LAXA LIVER PILLS
Those who have used Laxa-Liver Pills say they have no equal for relieving and curing Constipation, Sick Headache, Biliousness, Dyspepsia, Colic, Torpid Liver, Heart Burn, Water Brash, any disease or disorder of the stomach, liver or bowels.
Mrs. George Williams, Fairfield Plains, N.J., writes as follows: "As there are many other medicines offered for sale in substitution for Laxa-Liver Pills I am particular to get the genuine, as they far surpass anything else for regulating the bowels and correcting stomach disorders."
Laxa-Liver Pills are purely vegetable, neither habit-forming nor dangerous, and easy to take and pleasant to eat.

Nine Boils On Neck.

Anyone who has ever been troubled with boils can sympathize with poor old Job. There was no Burdock Blood Bitters in those days, so Job had to suffer in silence. Now, a-days no one need endure the misery of boils.

All they have to do is take B.B.B. when their blood will be cleansed of all impurities, and every boil will quickly disappear.

Miss Lydia Moody, Ruseom, Essex Co., Ont., sends the following statement of her case: "Some time ago my blood got so out of order that many boils appeared on my body and prevented me having any work. I had nine on my neck at different times, and quite a number of small ones on my shoulders and arms. My next doctor advised me, seeing the condition I was in, to take B.B.B. for my blood, and I did so. After I had finished the first bottle I found that some of the boils had disappeared and all the rest were getting much smaller. I then got two more bottles, and by the time I had these nearly all gone there was not a boil to be seen. Besides this, a headache, from which I suffered greatly, left me, and I improved so much in health that I am now a strong, robust girl."

The Whole Story
Pain-Killer
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From C. F. Frost, 1100 St. John St., Montreal: "We frequently use Pain-Killer, Rheumatism, Stomach, Headache, Croup, Croup, and all ailments which beset men in our position. I have no hesitation in saying that Pain-Killer is the best remedy I have ever used."

for little surprise parties and always do our best to make them entertaining.

There is a rumor about town that Judge Harper and Capt. Calkin are to fight a duel some afternoon next week, the cause being a political misunderstanding. As neither of the gentlemen can hit a barn door at 10 paces, we advise that they use crowbars for weapons.

During our temporary absence from the postoffice on Wednesday afternoon an ill-favored stranger who is supposed to be a teamster entered the corridor and fired six bullets into the clock, and got safely away. If he will come some day when we are at home and start in to repeat the performance we will guarantee him the finest coffin to be had in town and a funeral procession half a mile long.

He—Let me kneel in the dust at your feet Aggie, and tell you how much I adore you!
She—I beg your pardon, but there is no dust on our carpets.

IF YOU CATCH COLD.

Many things may happen when you catch cold, but the thing that usually happens first is a cough. An inflammation starts up in the bronchial tubes or in the throat, and the discharge of mucus from the throat constantly irritates this. Then the very contraction of the throat muscles in the act of coughing helps to irritate so that the more you cough the more you have to cough. It is, of course, beyond question that in many cases the irritation started in this way results in lung troubles that are called by serious names. It is in this irritated bronchial tube that the germ of consumption finds lodgment and breeds. Great numbers of people disregard cough at first, and pay the penalty of neglect. Cough never did any one any good. It should be dispensed with promptly. Adams' Botanic Cough Balsam is a well known remedy, and it is the surest and quickest cough cure known to-day. It does not deceive by drugging the throat. It soothes the irritated parts and heals them, then the cough stops of its own accord. The action of this medicine is so simple that it seems like nature's own provision for curing a cough. Every druggist has it. 25 cents. Be sure to get the genuine, which has "F. W. Kinsman & Co." blown in the bottle.

Miss Oldgirl—It is not for lack of opportunity that I have remained single.

Miss Pert—No, I daresay you have given the men plenty of chances to propose.

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Land for Sale.
The undersigned has for sale a lot of land situate at Douglastown in the County of Northumberland, bounded southerly by the road leading from Newcastle to Douglastown, westerly by lands of William Taylor and Margaret Keogh, easterly by lands of Daniel Sullivan, Timothy Connolly and others, and in rear or northerly side by the rear line of the said lands, which said lot of land was formerly known as the Maguer lot, and is now owned by subscriber.

For terms apply to T. W. Butler, Barrister and Solicitor, Newcastle, N. B., or to the subscriber.
ANNIE KEENAN.
Newcastle, N. B., April 25th, 1901.

TENDERS.

Re the Estate of SAMUEL McLEWEE.
Sealed tenders addressed to the undersigned, endorsed "Tenders," will be received at his office until noon on TUESDAY, the 28th day of MAY, 1901, for the following property, viz:—A lot of land fronting on the northerly side of the South West Branch of the Miramichi River, and extending northerly across the Indiantown Branch Railway to the Kings Highway, bounded on the east by lands of Patrick Clancy and west by lands in possession of Thomas Power, being about a quarter of a mile above Derby Junction Station on the Intercolonial Railway. There is, partially erected, on said land, a building intended for a foundry or factory. Also one steam boiler about 50 horse power, one steam engine about 10 horse power, some shafting, pulleys, rope, nails, a quantity of cy tender oil, two peevies and one cooking stove, which may be used on the above premises. Also at Douglastown one steam boiler about 10 horse power, one stripper saw and frame, one ricker for spoolwood, 115 inches of moulding cutters, one boring machine, one hand saw 34 feet by 4 inches, two small saws, two boring spindles, two brass heads, twenty sets window sashes and frames. All the foregoing property to be tendered for in one lot. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Separate Tenders will also be received up to the same time and at the same place, endorsed "Tenders for Planer and Joiner," for one Champion planer and matcher and one 16 inch Perfection jointer and counter-shaft now in the building on the premises first above described. They are both new and were manufactured by the Macgregor Gouley Co., Ltd., of Galt, Ontario. No tender for these will be considered if for a less sum than two hundred and forty-five dollars.

Terms cash on acceptance of tenders. The above property having been assigned to me is being offered for sale under authority of an order of the Hon. William Wilkinson, Judge of the Northumberland County Court.

R. R. CALL,
Sheriff of the County of Northumberland.
Assignee.
Sheriff's Office, Newcastle, N. B., April 26th, 1901.

A SICK Torpid Liver

When the liver gets slow and stops in action bile is left in the system to poison the whole system and to give rise to serious bodily ailments. When there are biliousness, constipation and indigestion Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills make you well in a surprisingly short time.

Mrs. H. A. Smith, 132 Manning Avenue, Toronto, states: "My daughter has had a wretched time of it for quite a while with liver complaint, causing, among other troubles, weakness of the stomach, very yellow complexion, and a most miserable state of feeling generally. My husband had occasion to use Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, and spoke so highly of their merit that I concluded to have her try them, and since beginning their use she has markedly improved in every way. I can with confidence therefore recommend Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills."

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We would like to have good live correspondents in Whiteville, Redbank and Douglastown. Correspondents who will send in every week an account of the community they live in, and of great benefit to the local papers.

DERBY.

A large congregation assembled last Thursday evening in Grace church, to witness the ordination of Mr. A. M. MacLeod. Mr. Clark and Mr. Macintosh conducted public worship. Mr. Henderson put the questions of the Formula, which being satisfactorily answered, Mr. MacLeod was by prayer, and the laying on of the hands of the Presbytery, duly ordained to the office of the holy ministry. The newly ordained minister was addressed by Mr. Johnston, and the congregation by Mr. Lewis. Mr. MacLeod then received the right of fellowship from the Presbytery and after singing, prayer and the benediction by Mr. Boyd of Nova Scotia, the congregation gave a hearty welcome to Mr. MacLeod as they retired from the church. The choir of the members of the choir of St. Andrew's church, Chatham, and the singing throughout the service was of a high order of excellence. The solo beautifully rendered by Miss Robinson, was a marked feature of the proceedings.

SEVOGLE.

The perfect days of summer are again approaching. The farmers are nearly all done putting in their crops. The drives are nearly all down especially those on the N. W. Miramichi, and the people are glad to think that Mr. McCormick's drive came. Miss Katie Hyland is visiting her sister Mrs. John O'Shea for the past few weeks. Mr. Michael Ryan was the guest of Mr. John O'Shea Sunday evening. All the young men have returned from the drives looking hale and hearty. Miss Rachel Allison, who was spending the spring with her sister, Mrs. Hiram Harris has returned home to the Allison Settlement. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ashton are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son. Master George Johnson was the guest of Mr. John O'Shea the other evening. There was quite an enjoyable dance held at Mr. George Eady's last week. Mr. James Fitzgerald of this place is gone to work with his uncle in Newcastle. Mr. Jeremiah O'Shea is visiting friends in Redbank. Miss Mary Fitzgerald who has spent the last year or so in Redbank intends returning to her home this week.

BATHURST.

Mr. Frank Harrington, who has spent the past three years in Montreal employed as an electrician, has been obliged, because of illness, to resign his position and return home. His friends are glad to welcome him to Bathurst again, and hope that before long he may regain his usual good health. Mr. Joseph Lanteigne, of Caracquet, was in town through the week. Dr. W. P. Bishop spent a few days in Newcastle last week. Miss Bessie Turgeon and her brother Mr. Grey Turgeon left last week for Ottawa where the latter has accepted a position. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Young, of Caracquet, spent a few days in town during the course of the week. I understand that the popular young lawyer, Mr. J. P. Byrne has opened a branch office at Caracquet for the convenience of his clients at the lower end of the county. Although practicing in our town but little more than a year, Mr. Byrne has met with remarkable success. We wish him a continuance of it here, as well as in his new office. Mr. T. Gallagher, of Moncton, was in town for a day or so last week. Mr. Percy Wilbur, Jr., is again at home after visiting friends in Bangor.

Miss Toban, of Winnipeg, is visiting friends here—Events. While the train going to Caracquet was coupling up after shunting at Grand Anse yesterday, William Patterson, son of Duncan Patterson, of Big River, Bathurst, was seriously injured by standing on the drawbar of a flat car unobserved by the train hands. The train in backing up, the drawbar of the next car being higher, passed on top of the one he was standing on, badly smashing his left foot and leg. The injured man was brought to Bathurst and is being attended by Drs. G. M. and R. G. Duncan. The injuries are so serious that amputation of the leg below the knee is necessary. Much sympathy is felt for Mr. Patterson, who is well known, and a great favorite. He is only eighteen years of age and only returned a short time since from Fredericton, where he was attending college. He was on his way to Caracquet to spend the holiday.

The Editor's Mail.

To the Editor of the Advocate. In the report of the circumstances of the death of William Crocker copied from New York Herald, and published in your issue of the 22nd inst., the impression is given that his body may not have received proper burial. This I would like to correct, as it is not warranted by the facts edited after further inquiry. The report in the Herald while substantially correct in regard to the negligence displayed by the officials at North Brother Island in not notifying me at the time of Mr. Crocker's death, as they had been requested to do, and the contradictory reports made afterward, does not however give a true statement of fact in regard to his burial in so far as it casts a suspicion upon the identity of the body delivered to the undertaker. One of Mr. Crocker's friends who had not learned of his death until several days afterward, went to the Bureau of Vital Statistics and received a death certificate giving Potter's Field as the place of burial. When he brought this certificate to me I immediately investigated the matter, and found that the words "Potter's Field" was not in the original entry, but was written on the transcript by the clerk who supposed that all persons dying from contagious disease at North Brother Island were buried in Potter's Field. The undertaker who had charge of the burial, and who conducted one of the best known undertaking establishments in the city, and is thoroughly reliable, had all the records for identification, and says there can be no doubt the proper body was delivered to him. Of this I am also assured by the resident physician at the island. While it is unfortunate that the real death of Mr. Crocker should have become a subject for public discussion, it has, nevertheless, had the beneficial effect of calling public attention to the loose methods of the hospital authorities. Yours Respectfully, H. S. V. PARKER. New York, May 23, 1901.

MARRIED.

At the home of the bride's father, Chatham, Thursday evening, May 16, by the Rev. W. C. Matthews. Alexander C. Anderson, of Douglastown, to Agnes E. Corbish.

DIED.

At Upper Nelson, May 4th 1901, George A. Stewart, aged 81 years.

Killed by street car.

BANGOR, Me., May 24.—Everett McFarland, aged 33, of this city, was run over, and instantly killed by a street car in Brewer tonight. He was drunk and had fallen across the track at a dark spot where the motorman could not see him until too late to stop the car.

Coal Mine Horror.

LOS ANGELES, May 24.—An explosion occurred this morning at the Universal colliery at Sengben, in the Jondra valley. About a hundred men were in the pit at the time and there is little hope of any of them.

The Air for Spring of 1901

Snappiest, Strongest and Best ever before the public. They represent the Acme of skill in expert shoe making. TURN, WATTS, MCKAYS. McMillan's Boot and Shoe Store.

OVER THE WIRES.

Little Girl Lost.

BATHURST, N. B. May 24.—Lucy Dugan, four years old, and her sister, daughter of Timothy Dugan, of Moose Mountain, seven miles from here, while coming home from school Wednesday, were attacked by a dog. The children were terrified and ran away in opposite directions. The elder reached home in an exhausted condition but Lucy has not as yet returned. About 100 men have been searching everywhere for the little girl, but have not as yet found her or even a clue as to the direction taken. The woods are some 100 rods from the road, and it is not thought probable that she was ever there. The mill stream has also been thoroughly searched but without success. St. John's, May 25.—A despatch received this afternoon says the child was found Friday evening under a stump in a clearing, one and a half miles from home. The child was completely exhausted and in a critical condition, but with good care it is hoped she will pull through all right. She had no food for more than 48 hours.

Morgan's Latest Trust.

NEW YORK, May 25.—It is now stated that J. Pierpont Morgan contemplates the establishment of the largest bank in the world, an institution that will involve the consolidation of several of the largest and most important houses in this city. The object of its creation will be, it is said, to furnish a bank strong enough to act as a bulwark between the United States Treasury Department and the financial troubles.

Germany's Growing Navy.

LOS ANGELES, May 25.—Germany seems bent on doing all she can to challenge Britain's supremacy. Additions to the German navy are to be on a larger scale than ever before. At present Germany only comes fourth in the list of naval powers, but even so, she can put in action at short notice 44 vessels of which fourteen are iron clad, and she has almost as many battleships building as Great Britain.

Somewhat Sarcastic.

LOS ANGELES, May 25.—The St. James' Gazette, in an editorial headed "The Anglo-Saxon millennium," commenting on a pessimistic proposal that "Yankee Doodle" be made the national anthem, that the American language be made compulsory in the schools, and that the coronation of J. Pierpont Morgan be arranged for June or July next, says: "But there is a bright side of the Americanization of this insignificant country. It ought to make war impossible. How can the patriotic American suffer from Anglophobia when he loves England so much that he wants to be her owner? How could he sink merchant ships in which his own money is invested? War would ruin his industrial enterprises, stage, press and locomotive companies, philanthropic schemes, race riding—in fact everything except our agriculture, which has ceased to exist."

Indians Arrested.

FREDERICTON, May 24.—Four Indians and one squaw were arrested yesterday and brought to Fredericton, charged with causing a riot in their village in St. Mary's. Policeman Rideout and Indian Commissioner Farrel, who made the arrests, arrived on the scene to prevent a big row which would probably have had serious results. The Indians who were making disturbance were filled with firewater.

Twelve Drowned.

BAY CITY, Mich., May 24.—A special to the Tribune from Lansing City says: A terrific northeast gale prevailed all day and night. The steamer Baltimore, coal laden, broke in two and sank off Ausable this morning before daylight. Thirteen were drowned, including a woman and a boy.

The tug Columbia of Detroit with a government steam dredge and two loaded lighters, was caught in the storm. The lighters and dredge were lost, parting their six inch cable. The crew of six men is missing. They were nearly dead. Another man was on the raft, but was lost despite the efforts to save him.

Desperadoes at Digby Neck. Digby, May 23.—Word reached here this afternoon of the re-appearance of the two burglars on Digby Neck. Yesterday morning the same suspicious men were seen in the vicinity of Keen's Corner about two and a half miles from Digby. Deputy Sheriff Burham and Chief of Police Bowles started immediately in pursuit. They traced the criminals through the woods to the Digby Neck road and found that they had been seen near William Bishop's property. The officers could get no more close and therefore returned to Digby until to-day.

A telephone message received here from Centerville at noon stated that the burglars had made their appearance in that locality and that they had fired three shots at Mr. Tuttle Graham, of that village. It seems that Graham left home early yesterday morning to peddle fish through Rosaway. About noon he was met by two strange men who wanted to purchase a fish, the price of which was five cents. The men asked Graham if he would change a \$20 bill Graham said he could change anything, a thousand dollar bill if required. The men did not produce the bill and therefore no more business was transacted.

Where Boers Will Settle.

BERLIN, May 23.—From the report of Hasmatic Colonization Company it is learned that a number of Boers have engaged to settle in the company's colony in Southern Brazil.

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Hall's Harbour, May 24, 1900. C. GATES, SON & CO., Middleton, N. S.

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LOST.

A purse containing a sum of money and valuable papers. Finder will be rewarded by leaving same at this office.—1w.

Col. Steele Talks.

An Ottawa dispatch to the Montreal Gazette says: Col. S. B. Steele, C. B. and Mrs. Steele arrived in Ottawa to-day from Montreal. The Strathcona colonel has some business to settle with the Militia Department before he leaves for South Africa to take his command in the South African constabulary. The date of his departure depends somewhat on circumstances; but in any event he hopes to leave before the end of the month. He will sail next week if at all possible.

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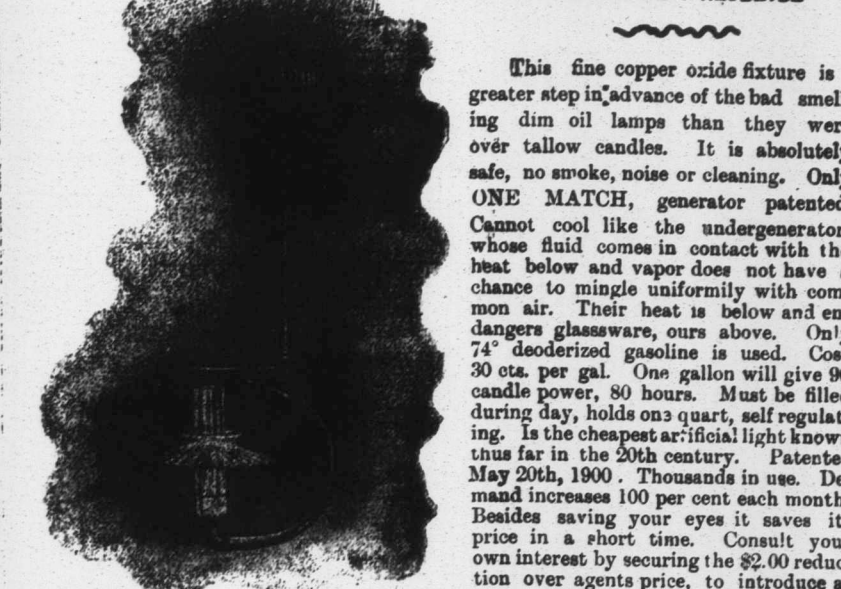
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LA DAME A LA CLEF.

By Walter Littlefield.

There were three of us one evening in the reading room of the Press club—M. Paul Blouet, better known as "Max O'Ror," through his sketches of French and English life and character; M. Charles P. Lebon, instructor of French, who by the way, is a litterateur of some little note, and myself. The conversation, after various fluctuations, had assumed a story telling drift. M. Blouet had just related an amusing anecdote of his Boston journey, and we were sitting in that agreeable languor that arises from a good weed and a good story.

On drawing his card from his pocket M. Lebon brought forth a small bright object that glinted a second in the lamplight as it fell to the floor. He stooped for it with rather undue haste; with so much haste, in fact, that he called our attention to a movement that otherwise would have passed unnoticed.

"What is it?" inquired M. Blouet. Without a word Lebon handed him the object he had dropped, but eyed him carefully as it was examined.

"A key," remarked M. Blouet, "a key and evidently of gold." And he passed it to me.

I held in my hand a key of perhaps an inch in length and half as wide. There was nothing particularly remarkable about it unless it were the material of which it was composed, that appeared to be gold. Suddenly my eye caught sight of a date and an inscription upon the ring of the key—"For June, 1848. Memento mori!"

"A curious key," I suggested as I returned it to M. Lebon. "Tell us about it."

The one addressed puffed absently at a moment or two as he twirled the mysterious key between his forefinger and thumb, but he made no reply.

"Come, come," said M. Blouet as he leaned forward with interest, "there must be something to tell about a key like that. Why not let us have it?"

"You are right, gentlemen. There is a curious story concerning this key, and since you desire it I will tell it to you for truly, gentlemen, without exaggeration, this little bit of metal that I hold in my hand has one of the most remarkable of histories."

"Tell it! Tell it!" we both exclaimed in a breath.

Fresh cigarettes were lighted, and still holding the key in his hand as if to bear witness to what he said, M. Lebon began his story.

"It was in 1871, just after the surrender of Paris. The second empire had fallen. M. Thiers and his party held the government. Evacuations of the terrible commune were on every hand, still the city was beginning to look like the habitation of a civilized people. One morning Le Journal des Debats announced the death at Versailles of a Russian lady who for more than 20 years had kept all the gossips of the Paris salons busy concerning a mystery that seemed to surround her. For reasons that I shall presently explain she became known as 'La Dame a la Clef.' Now, a nickname in Paris means a great deal more than it does here. When one is nicknamed there, one carries that name to the grave.

"The notice in Le Journal des Debats mentioned 'La Dame a la Clef' est morte.' It did not give her own name. That would have signified nothing. The paper concluded by saying that she died, aged 45, in complete solitude. It seems that her husband, who was much older than she, had visited her regularly every six months during the past ten years and then had disappeared, no one knew where. All was mysterious about this 'Lady of the Key.' One day came to her the news of her husband's death. She survived him but a short time, and it was whispered that she had allowed herself to die from hunger. That was all the notice of her death had to say about the matter. The mystery still remained unexplained, and the interest concerning her grew less and less and gradually died away altogether."

M. Lebon paused to relight his cigarette, which he had allowed to go out. After doing this, he settled back in his chair, puffed once or twice, but did not seem at all inclined to continue the story.

"Well," I ejaculated, "go on. That is no story. Why, you haven't even said what the mystery was, or why she was called 'La Dame a la Clef.'"

"Ah, yes," he replied pensively, "quite right. I had forgotten. Gentlemen, I have not said that she was beautiful, yet such was the case. Her face was one of the loveliest that I have ever seen, her figure was perfect, and—"

"Well," interrupted M. Blouet somewhat impatiently.

"Gentlemen, I will not bore you," continued M. Lebon smiling. "Simply imagine her beautiful in face and form; then, gentlemen, around her neck, which was of the purest gold, was riveted a golden chain to which was attached this key. And, gentlemen, from the 1st of June, 1848, to the day of her death the chain never left her neck, nor the key."

"If you would permit me to ask," continued M. Lebon smiling, "suppose I imagine her beautiful in face and form; then, gentlemen, around her neck, which was of the purest gold, was riveted a golden chain to which was attached this key. And, gentlemen, from the 1st of June, 1848, to the day of her death the chain never left her neck, nor the key."

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rator completely to himself. In a moment the latter began again, speaking rapidly and in short sentences.

"In 1848 her husband owned a country house near Paris. She was then young and gay. No chain or key adorned her neck then. One day she was surprised by her lord, shutting somebody in the wardrobe. A servant had betrayed her. The Misses Othello turned the key twice in the wardrobe, took it out, then told his wife to follow him. A traveling helmsman stood a few paces from the villa. More dead than alive, the unhappy woman obeyed. When the husband had placed her in the carriage he gave an order in a low voice to the coachman. 'Keep this key,' he said to his wife. 'I have forgotten something and will return,' then went back to the house."

"He returned, according to his promise, but as the carriage descended the hill the poor woman saw flames issuing from the windows of the villa. She fainted. Three days she remained unconscious. On regaining her senses she perceived that a gold chain was riveted around her neck, to which was attached a golden key, the exact counterpart of the original, bearing an inscription. She wished to kill herself, but her husband pointed to the inscription and added that if she would save her family from dishonor she must ever observe it. She was therefore condemned to live. Her strange necklace excited much curiosity in Paris. At last her tyrant allowed her to retire to a quiet retreat on the express stipulation that she would not attempt to destroy herself during his lifetime. His death released her from this condition."

Some three weeks later I was calling on my friend Lebon, who wished to show me some old manuscripts that he had been collecting. He produced a large box of rosewood, which he usually remarked contained his family papers. To my astonishment, he drew from his pocket the mysterious key and inserted it in the lock, which yielded readily to his pressure, and the lid flew back.

"Why," I exclaimed in wonder, "that is the key?"

"The key?" he interrogated. Then he laughed long and loud. "Ah, you know all that," he said when he could control his merriment.

"Certainly," I replied grimly. "By the way, though, it wouldn't make a bad story, would it? I think it will work it up—elaborate it a little, you know."

I left the house feeling deeply mortified to think I had been so effectually "sold." A desire for revenge took possession of me, and I determined to steal a march on him. I have done so—entirely.

MR. BOWSER, GEOLOGIST.

He does Some Reading, Talking and Investigating.

The Bowsers had just finished dinner when a package was delivered at the house, and there was a look of ponderous profundity on Mr. Bowser's countenance as he took charge of it and made a great show of removing the wrapper.

Three books were finally brought to light, and after glancing at their titles Mrs. Bowser observed:

Well, you must have got a new streak on to buy such works as these. They are all on geologist. What are you going to do with them?

What am I going to do with them? he repeated as he drew himself up and folded his arms. Perhaps I am the sort of man to pay \$5 apiece for books and use them for cow feed. Those books were bought to be read, of course, and I am impatient to get at their contents. I may talk with you later in the evening, but I do not wish to be disturbed now.

Mrs. Bowser sat down to some sewing, and he selected one of the volumes, and was soon so deeply immersed that the breaking of two plates and the fall of the teakettle in the kitchen did not attract his attention.

At the end of half an hour he suddenly rose up and made his way to the back yard, and when he returned he had a pint of earth in a paper. Depositing it on a reading table, he passed out of the front door, was absent five minutes, and returned with another sample of earth.

After making comparisons, consulting his book and gravely nodding his head, he said:

Mrs. Bowser I don't suppose you have the slightest interest in the science of geology—no woman has—but nevertheless you might turn to it for a few minutes just for a change. I wouldn't exchange what I have already learned for any man's \$5000 in cash.

What have you learned? she queried.

Do you know how many periods there have been in this world? Have you ever paused to reflect on the gigantic changes that have taken place since this earthly sphere was created?

Of course not. Instead of ascertaining that there has been a post tertiary period, a cretaceous, jurassic, triassic, permian and carboniferous period, you have spent your time on novels instead of posting yourself as to whether this is the reptilian or the silurian age, you have been on the rush to get a pair of 60-cent stockings for 39 cents, at a bargain counter. I can't say that I blame you, as the Lord did not intend woman to know much, but right here and now is an opportunity for you to get an idea or two.

I shall be very glad. What are those packages of earth for?

I wanted to give you an object lesson. Here is the earth taken from the back yard. It belongs, as I suspected, to the lower silurian era and is composed of calciferous sand rock.

It looks as if it was composed of bricks and sawdust, she said as she bent over it.

That's because of your ignorance. Woman, let a wave of awe sweep over you when I tell you that this soil was created at least 100,000,000 years ago. Think of the mighty changes in 100,000,000 years!

The wave not only swept over Mrs. Bowser, but so affected the family cat that she shuddered from head to foot and wished she was out on the back fence.

And this other soil, said Mr. Bowser, as he pointed to the second package, is from the front yard. Over a month ago I suspected that it belonged to the permian period, and I now find that such is the case. There was a lapse of 10,000,000 years between the creation of the two soils.

Why weren't both made at the same time to save cost and trouble innocently queried Mrs. Bowser.

Am I talking to a born idiot? he indignantly shouted. I suppose you think this earth of ours was created in the same way a man fills up a mudhole. Let me tell you that the earth grew foot by foot, instead of being dumped out of a cart, and that right here where our house stands there was a pause in nature for millions of years.

Why did she pause?

She paused because—because—She paused because she—she. Well only the Creator knows why she paused, but pause she did, as the difference between these two soils proves. Think of your sitting over a soil created millions and millions of years ago! When this soil was growing its first crop of weeds, Niagara falls wasn't two feet high, and elephants 29 feet tall were roaming over New Jersey as thick as fleas on a dog. It makes one's neck cold to think of it. What in thunder soils that eat?

I think the dimly realizes what you are talking about, and is rejoicing that she wasn't born in the jurassic period.

Mr. Bowser didn't know exactly how to take the remark, but finally decided to pass it over for the time being. After swallowing the lump in his throat he said:

I presume you have heard the word salina?

Yes, a few times humbly answered Mrs. Bowser.

And what does it mean?

It means salt or salty, doesn't it? It does, and I shall give you due credit. As there were corniferous and Catskill periods, so also was there a salina period. It was during that period that the salt springs and beds of the earth were created. In digging for fishwms in the alley the other day I thought I came across evidences of the salina period.

You probably had found a spot where some butcher had dumped out a barrel of brine, was suggested.

I probably didn't do any such thing! That's the trouble with conversing with ignorant persons—they ridicule what they can't understand. I think I shall put on my hat and walk down there and investigate a little further. If it turns out that the soil around here was created during the lower silurian, the permian and the salina periods, geologists ought to know it. If I am the first to discover and report, I shall probably receive a medal from the Royal Geological Society.

I shouldn't go spooking around the alleys at night time. The salina period will keep until tomorrow, and then I'll have the cook bring in a whole pauloff.

Mrs. Bowser was too deeply interested, however, to wait a single hour. Taking a newspaper with him to bring home the salina dirt (Continued on page seven.)

For twenty-four years Vapo-Crescens has been continuously used for all forms of throat and lung ailments.

Dressmaking.

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Douglstown Property

For Sale.

The property owned and occupied by the late Daniel Magner. For terms and particulars apply to DAVIDSON & AITKEN. Newcastle, April 4th, 1901. 3m

Farm For Sale.

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Charitable Old Lady—Poor woman! And are you a widow?

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To be sold at Public Auction on Tuesday, the 29th day of July 2, 1901, in front of the Registry office in Newcastle, Miramichi, N. B., between the hours of twelve noon and 5 o'clock P. M.

All the right, title and interest both legal and equitable of James Johnston, deceased, to him by the last will and testament of the late William Johnston deceased, of and to the lands and premises described as follows to-wit:

"All that certain piece or parcel of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Town of Chatham, being part of Lot No. 36 granted to the late George Henderson deceased, and is bounded as follows:—North-easterly or in front by the Queen's Highway across the said lot past the 3rd bodist, Chapel, on the easterly or lower side by St. John Street, southerly by land belonging to the estate of the late Samuel Fleming, and now occupied by John Towley, and westerly by that part of the said Lot formerly occupied by John Hea and now occupied by Edward Keary, being the premises formerly occupied by one James White and conveyed by the said James White to Richard Hutchison by mortgage bearing date the 30th July, 1855 and the equity of redemption conveyed by James Mitchell, Esq., Sheriff of the County of Northumberland to T. G. Allen by conveyance 6th February, 1861, and by T. G. Allen conveyed to Richard Hutchison and dated 6th of May, 1861" and now known as the Canada House property, the same having been seized by me under an execution issued out of the Supreme Court against James Johnston.

R. R. CALL,

Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Newcastle, N. B., 8th April, 1901.



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will be wonderfully freshened up, and his whole little fat body will shine with health and cleanliness after his tub with the "Albert"

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Mr. Bowser, Geologist.

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in, he clapped on his hat and set out.

The alley was dark, and ash heaps and old barrels were plentiful but he went forward with his mind busy with thoughts of a great discovery. He had nearly reached the spot when he was suddenly seized all over at once by two tramps who were looking for the cretaceous or some other period and before he could make out whether he had been kicked by a cow or rolled over by a barrel he was down on his back, and the fellows were going through him.

They were through with him in about a minute, and as they ran away with his wallet and watch he gathered himself up and galloped for home. Mrs. Bowser and the cat heard him coming, and were in the hall as he burst open the door.

He was hatless, and his eyes bulged out. He was covered with the ashes he had rolled in, and his knees were wabbling under him.

Well, what sort of period is this? asked Mrs. Bowser as he stood gasping for breath.

He uttered a sort of gurgle in reply.

Would you call it the coal ash and tramp period?

He worked one arm up and down but the words would not come.

I think you have geologized enough for one night and had better take a bath and get to bed. Some mighty changes have taken place in this locality since the lower silurian era, but what concerns you most just now is how to get your watch and wallet back. You should notify the police the first thing in the morning. Specimen of the jurassic period ascend.

Mr. Bowser wanted to yell "woman" at her and to charge her with conspiracy and threaten the usual divorce proceedings, but his wind was gone and his head in a whirl, and he groaned in despair and drew himself upstairs.

Wife (to unhappy husband)—I wouldn't worry, John. It doesn't do any good to borrow trouble.

Husband—Borrow trouble! My dear, I'm not borrowing trouble. I've got it to lend.

Piles—To prove to you that Dr. Chase's Ointment is a certain cure for each and every kind of Piles, the manufacturers have guaranteed it. See the illustration in the daily press and see for yourself what they think of it. You can use it and get your money back if it fails to cure you. Dr. Chase's Ointment is sold by all druggists and by F. R. Dalton, Newcastle.

Old-amine—Young man, have an ideal. Have an ideal, I say, and hug it to your bosom at all times and places.

Youngdogge—She won't allow me.

Prepare for your days work by drinking a cup of invigorating Red Rose Tea.

Shortsighted old Gentleman—I think you have made a mistake. It is a parlour-maid I want not a foot-man!

Applicant (in rational costume) I think you have made the mistake sir. I have come about the parlour-maid's place, but as I only live about twenty miles from here I just ran over on my machine.

More than one Woman—Who has been cured of backache and kidney trouble by the use of Don's Pills has written us as follows: Mrs. Wm. Bishop, Palmyra, Ont., writes: "I have used Don's Pills for lame back and know they are an excellent pill, as two boxes completely cured me."

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Mrs. J. F. Griffith, Montague Bridge, P.E.I., writes: "About six months ago I suffered terribly with weak and lame back. I took one box of Don's Pills and am thankful to say that they cured me and I have not had any sign of my trouble since."

Young Wife—You always seemed to have plenty of money before we were married.

Loving Husband—It was only seeming. I had very little.

Young Wife—And you told me you expected to be rich.

Loving Husband—I am rich, my dear. I've got you.

The best of good Teas—RED ROSE.

While watching the circus parade Rastus became separated in some unaccountable way from his sweetheart, and he asked a policeman to help find her.

What does she look like? queried the officer.

Well sah, replied Rastus, she's—she's a brunette, sah, with a yeastah hat on her haid, an her name's Jophessy, sah.

Pile Terrors Swept Away.—Dr. Agnew's Ointment stands at the head as a reliever, healer, and sure cure for Piles in all forms. One application will give comfort in a few minutes, and three to six days' application according to directions will cure chronic cases. It relieves all itching and burning skin diseases in a day. 35 cents.—79

For sale by F. R. Dalton, Newcastle.

Beggar—Could you spare a poor fellow only ten shillings for a meal?

City Man (aghast)—Ten shillings?

Beggar—S'cuse me, sir, I meant tenpence. I've just escaped from Klondyke, an' ain't got used to London ways yet.

Life's a Burden.—If the stomach is not right, is there Nausea? Is there Constipation? Is the Tongue Coated? Are you Light-Headed? Do you have Sick Headaches? Any and all of these denote Stomach and Liver Disorder. Dr. Agnew's Liver Pills act quickly and will cure most troubles and chronic cases. 40¢ a box.—77

For sale by F. R. Dalton, Newcastle.

Mrs. B.—Oh, Charles, we can never sit down with 13 at table.

Mr. B.—Pshaw, I hope you are not so superstitious as that.

Mrs. B.—Of course not; but we have only 12 dinner plates.

Tea blended and packed in St. John, is now sold largely in Ontario.

Mrs. Henpeck—If you marry Dick, you need never expect me to come to see you.

Daughter—Just say that into the phonograph, won't you please?

Mrs. Henpeck—What for?

Daughter—I want to give it to Dick as a wedding present.

Dr. A. W. Chase's 25¢ CATARRH CURE—Is sent direct to the diseased person by the Express. It is the only cure that cures the disease and permanently cures it. It is sold by all druggists and by F. R. Dalton, Newcastle.

Father—Wot the dickens yer been doin' with my razor?

Son—Father, I cannot tell a lie. I've been opening oysters with it.

Father—Go and give it a rub on a brick-bat immediately, or I'll never be able to get a decent shave to-day.

"Bought my Life for 35 cents."—This was one man's way of putting it when he had been pronounced incurable from chronic dyspepsia. "It was a living death to me until I tried Dr. Von Sion's Pineapple Tablets. Thanks to them to-day I am well, and I tell my friends I bought my life for 35 cents." 60 in a box.—80

Sold by F. R. Dalton, Newcastle.

Ethel—Did you notice how ravenously your friend at dinner ate last night?

George—Well, my dear, he'd been fishing since lunch.

Ethel—Indeed! But, really I don't see what that had to do with it.

George—Well, you see, he hadn't had a bite.

The Poisoned Spring.—As in nature so in man, poison the spring and disease and waste are bound to follow—the stomach and nerves out of kilter means poison in the spring. South American Nerve is a great purifier, cures indigestion, dyspepsia, and tones the nerves. The best evidence of its efficacy is the unolicited testimony of thousands of cured ones.—76

For sale by F. R. Dalton.

Miss Lacey—I don't feel comfortable in this waist at all.

Miss Gracey—Why not?

Miss Lacey—It makes me feel uncomfortable to be a good fit.

The Only Liniment
Really good for internal and external use. It is the most reliable remedy for all the ailments of the body. It is made of pure vegetable matter and is free from all the dangerous and poisonous ingredients of other liniments. It is the only liniment that will cure all the ailments of the body. It is the only liniment that will cure all the ailments of the body. It is the only liniment that will cure all the ailments of the body.

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Is your blood impure and poisoned and circulation sluggish? It must be if you have eruptions, blotches, sores, pimples, eczema or all rheum. With such troubles the blood is fast on its way to disease and every part of the system.

To be clean, sound, vigorous and healthy you should use Paine's Celery Compound. Its vitalizing and health giving virtues show at once upon the blood it is unequalled as a cleanser and health-giver.

The ordinary bitters, nervines, scrapparillas or pills cannot remove the dangers that lurk in your system at this season of the year. For pure, red blood, rosy cheeks, and good digestion you need Paine's Celery Compound that has done such a marvelous work for others in the past.

Beware of the substitutes that are offered for Paine's Celery Compound—these worthless imitations that are foisted on the unsuspecting for the sake of large profits. Insist upon having "PAINE'S," the kind that makes people well.

The Impossible—So your friend didn't catch his train after all? No; he's a detective.

He—I asked your father's consent to our engagement by telephone.

She—What was his answer?

He—Oh, he just said, "I don't know who you are, but it's all right."

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Mrs. Hatterson—I am going to meet my husband at one o'clock to select some decorations for the drawing room.

Mrs. Catterson—What do you want him with you for?

Mrs. Hatterson—Well, in case they don't turn out right, I can say it is his fault.

"My Kidneys are all Wrong!" How shall I insure best results to the shortest time? It stands to reason that a liquid specific of the unquestionable merit of South American Nerve will go more directly and quickly to the seat of the trouble than the "pill form" treatment, and when it strikes the spot there's healing in an instant.—78

For Sale by F. R. Dalton, Newcastle.

T. H. Estabrooks, the St. John Tea importer and Blender has travelled in the West, Rupert (Pratt) having headquarters in Toronto; and large quantities of Red Rose are now shipped to Ontario customers.

TOOTHACHE CURED IN ONE MINUTE.

Not only toothache, but any nerve pain is cured instantly by Paine's Nerveine. Thousands have testified that its powerful, penetrating, pain-subduing properties make it an absolute cure for neuralgia, rheumatism, toothache, cramps, colic and all other pains and aches that beset mankind. The world is challenged to equal Nerveine as a household liniment. Large bottles 50¢.

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They will build you up, make rich red blood and give you vim and energy.

Price, 50c. per box, or three boxes for \$1.25, at druggists, or will be sent on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

Ask for Milburn's and take no other.

Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart acts directly and quickly, stimulates the heart's action, stops most acute pain, dispels all signs of weakness, fluttering, sinking, smothering, or palpitation. This wonderful cure is the sturdy ship which carries the heart-sick patient into the haven of radiant and perfect health. Gives relief in most acute forms of heart disease in 30 minutes.—71

ALARM CLOCK AND THE COOK.

Look as if you'd had an attack of grip or something," was the comment of the other members of the Harlem Husband Association, when the president assumed the chief seat at the head of the table in the usual meeting place on the corner.

"Worse," rejoined the president dismally. "I've had an attack of the Seven Sleepers."

"An attack of the what?" chorused the rest of the Association, sitting and taking notice.

"Of the Seven Sleepers," I said, snapped the president. "We've got one of 'em. My wife calls her new hired girl, but I know she is one of the Seven Sleepers, and that she can slumber the other six to a standstill. If you'll keep quiet I'll tell you about it. The secretary will please enter this on the minutes, as it may prove valuable to other members of the association."

"Well we acquired her in the usual way, that there was nothing in the contract about morning slumbers. You see, we never guessed she was one of the Seven."

The first morning my wife had to wake her. The second morning I had to arouse her, and the third morning it took both of us to summon her from the arms of Morpheus. The fourth morning I was about to get the axe when my wife dissuaded me, and said that, when we got back into the house we oughtn't to do anything to hurt her feelings, and that we ought to have gotten an alarm clock in the first place. I admitted the force of his argument, though I rudely declared that the able-bodied alarm clock that could break that sleep hadn't been built yet. In that I reckoned without my host. I went to a clock shop and told the proprietor I wanted a cross between a fire-gong and a watchman's rattle, for I had to wake a Seven Sleeper. He picked out a measly little dial that looked as if it ever struck itself to death if it ever struck the hour. I asked him if it thing like that could really wake a cook.

"For answer he wound it up and turned it loose and I thought the ceiling was being torn off in strips. 'It's a jewel,' I said, 'I'll take it.' I tried it myself once or twice, just to test it and then I had rapped up and slipped it into the capacious

pocket of my ulster, for I had the usual bundles to carry and I wanted to get it home at once. I got aboard a Broadway cable car in Herald square and started for home. The car was pretty well crowded, but I got a seat in the corner and disposed my bundles comfortably in my lap. We hadn't gone six blocks before the car bumped into the rear end of a coal wagon and jolted us almost out of our seats. The next instant the air in the car was rent by the most unearthly din you ever heard in your life. It sounded like three ambulances and a fire engine. A cold perspiration broke out all over me. It was that blamed alarm clock. I must have wound it up once too many in the shop and the jolt had set it going in all its wild, weird loveliness.

"Gentlemen for what seemed a thousand years I was a circus to a whole carful of people. I couldn't get at the clock because of the bundles, and I couldn't get up because of the crowd. The conductor thought somebody was ringing up fares on him and came in to investigate, which only made matters worse. The infernal clock kept on until it had rattled and banged itself hoarse, and by that time I had aged 10 years. I finally managed to make my escape, but the rude guttafaws of the passengers followed me home. Once there only my naturally angelic temperament prevented my throwing the clock at the cook. However, I have had my revenge. That clock actually wakes her in the morning, though the night has threatened to complete the deed of blood."

Cultivate Good Health
Whenever there is an ache or pain, when the appetite fails, when there are sleepless nights and momentary spells of weakness, look for the cause, and see that it is removed at once.

Cultivate good health while yet there is something to be gained. If you are waiting until the nerve force is depleted, and vitality completely exhausted. To persons suffering the results of thin blood and wasted nerves, Dr. Chase's Nerve Food supplies all the needs of the system and brings perfect health. It occupies a field by itself and is unique in these respects: that it cures by forming new, rich blood and nerve force, building up the system and increasing the weight.

It is a reconstructive, restorative and revitalizer of the most unusual merit, which sends new life and new vigor to every part of the body, and gradually and permanently cures all nervous troubles and diseases resulting from weak blood and low vitality. 50 cents a box, at all dealers, or Edmanston, Bates & Co., Toronto.

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N. N. McLeod is prepared to do all work in tailoring, both Ladies and Gents garments. Rooms over J. D. Creaghan's store.

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For sale by F. R. Dalton, Newcastle, N. S.

The WHIRL of the TOWN

Mass are commencing to take bait and a few have been taken.

The Light ship has gone to her station at the entrance of the bay.

The government survey of the site for the new Mill Cove bridge has been completed.

The Free Masons are having their lodge room renovated.

We have a first class Fire company let it be properly equipped.

The much needed rain fell steadily Wednesday night and Thursday and the crops are coming along nicely.

The band occupied the band stand Friday night, and their music was much enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Williston were to the Oxbow last Thursday and caught some fine trout.

Millions of dead smelts are lying on the banks of the river and on the islands, and the river is full of others just able to move.

We carry a small stock of paper bags in all sizes from 10 to 20 lbs. Also hat bags, twine, and paper in rolls. Our prices are right.

Mr. Sinclair's new steamer William M. was launched recently from Messrs Miller's Foundry. She is one of the best boats on the river.

Nine sailing vessels arrived in port on Friday—4 for F. E. Neale, 2 for T. Lynch, 1 for E. Hutchison, 1 for D. and J. Ritchie, 1 for T. B. Neal and Co.—World.

Forest fires have been raging along the I. C. R. in Kent and part of Northumberland counties. At Rogersville a house and barn belonging to Mr. Buckley were destroyed. Thursday's rain extinguished them.

Carrie Arsenault the mail driver between Chatham and Tracadie, was arrested on Monday, May 20 for selling liquor on the mail route. He was brought to Newcastle where he acknowledged and paid his fine.

A heavy brush fire started on the lower end of Beaubien's island Sunday and the picnic grounds on that popular resort are ruined for a season at least. The fire destroyed a large quantity of valuable pine timber.

We learn from a valued correspondent that Mr. John A. Fish, who was the organizer and manager of the Gurney Manufacturing Co. with head quarters in Boston, has severed his connection with that firm, and is about to establish another and different business in the State of Kansas.

Come gentlemen! of the Town Government and hurry up with a water supply, you must have seen that it takes too long to get a stream on a fire, and one gallon when a fire is in its incipient stage will save far more property than when it has progressed for an hour. The necessity for a ladder truck is so great that we ought to have one.

Mr. F. E. Winslow, who has been manager of the bank of Montreal at Chatham for the past 26 years, has been superannuated. And Mr. R. B. Crombie of Belleville, Ont., formerly of the Chatham branch, has been appointed to fill the position.

MATRIMONIAL.—There were forty or fifty persons present at the reception given, at the residence of the bride's parents, on the occasion of the marriage of Mr. Alex. Anderson and Miss Aggie Cornish. The bride looked lovely in white muslin with veil and lilacs of the valley. Miss Edith Bridges was bridesmaid and Mr. Wm. Williston supported the groom.—World.

It is learned that the lumber operators on the Little South West Miramichi are having a hard time with no certainty of being able to bring the lumber out. The water is exceptionally low for this season of the year. There are between 4,000,000 and 5,000,000 feet in the Little South West cut for Richards, Hutchison and Ritchie. The other Miramichi drives are in or nearly so.—Gleaner.

FOR EARLY CLOSING.

Newcastle, N. B. May 27th 1901.

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Social & Personal

Mr. T. J. Gallagher of Moncton was in town last week.

Miss Katie Fleming has been obliged to return from Normal School, Fredericton, on account of sickness and is confined to her home.

Wm. McMullen of St. John was in town last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ferguson were in Moncton last week.

Allen Wheeler was visiting his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Belyea were visiting Mrs. Belyea's home in Albert County.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. McMillan who have been spending the winter in the south arrived home last Saturday night.

Mr. Wm. Johnston, who some years ago conducted the Newcastle Book-Store was in town Saturday.

Rev. Mr. Street of Bathurst occupied the pulpit of St. Andrew's church on Sunday.

Dr. Cates is in town attending his patients in this vicinity as usual.

Miss Hattie Chesman of Chatham spent a few days with friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Snow left last Thursday, for Mr. Snow's new charge in New York state. They went via Montreal. Their many friends on the Miramichi wish them success in their new field.

James Robinson, M. P. has returned from his duties at Ottawa.

Mr. J. J. Arslow, of the Hans Journal, Windsor, N. S. arrived Monday night to attend the funeral of his late brother.

Miss Jen Woods has returned to Douglas-town from Boston. Her many friends are glad to see her.

Mrs. Wilfred Reid of Boston, is visiting Mr. Reid's home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter DeWolfe are receiving congratulations on the arrival on May 24th of a daughter.

Messrs. R. H. Armstrong and J. R. Lawlor were in St. John several days last week. They returned Monday night.

May Aggie Ryan left Monday morning for Portland, Me.

No. B. Anslow of Sydney, was here yesterday to attend his father's funeral.

Messrs. Wm. and J. M. Brown arrived this morning from Aspen, Col. accompanying the body of their brother.

EMPIRE DAY.

1901.

Rooms Prettily Decorated—The Programme.

At Harkin's Academy on Empire Day May 23rd the public who attended the exercises were given a rare treat. The different rooms were beautifully decorated, the blackboards containing a large number of drawings in color. In the afternoon the pupils and visitors assembled in the large assembly room and the following programme was carried out.

Opening Address—Mr. Geo. McNaughton Speech of Welcome—Herbert Morrison

Song—"Songs of the British Empire"—School Address—Mayor Morrison

Recitation—"This Canada of ours"—Gertrude Davidson, Aggie Corbett, May McLean and Lily Williamson.

Reading—"Canada's place in the Empire."—Adolphus Brown

Song—"Up with the Union Jack"—School Address—Mr. John P. Burchill

Recitation—"The Imperial Army"—Katie Donovan

Lesson on the "Union Jack"—(Teacher) Mabel McGregor; (Pupils) Maggie Irving, Percy Burchill, James McCabe, Marjory Davidson and Gertrude Williamson.

Song—"For dear old England's sake"—Pupils of the Advanced department

Address—Rev. A. F. Brown

Recitation—"Canada's Pibroch and Reply"—Annie A'Hearn and Minnie Swezey.

Flag Drill—eight girls from Primary Department.

Patriotic exercise—"Canada"—Pupils from Miss Dunnet's room.

At the close of the programme Trustees McLeod and Principal Vorton were called on and both briefly responded. After a lusty rendering of the National Anthem by pupils and audience the afternoon's entertainment came to a close.

LIBERAL MEETING.

The liberals of the parishes of Northesk and Southesk are requested to meet at Red Bank on Friday, May 31st to discuss business and reorganize the Association.

ROBERT PARKS.

ICE CREAM
AND CAKE.
BEER and SYRUPS,
CONFECTIONERY,
etc., etc., at
H.W. Kitchen's.

Transvaal Coin.

6 PENCE,
1 SHILLING,
2 SHILLING PIECES

For sale or mounted to order in brooches, charms stick pins, cuff links, etc.

H. WILLISTON & Co.
JEWELERS.

Says He is Guilty.

When arraigned in Sussex this morning on the charge of arson, William Brown pleaded guilty. The case of Black for stealing will be taken up in the morning.

Shipping in the Miramichi.

CHATHAM, N. B. May 27.—There are 17 square rigged vessels and two ocean steamships for deal cargoes at the Miramichi. Nine steamers have already cleared with cargoes. About 27 million feet of lumber has been shipped since the 7th inst.

CATARH EASILY AND QUICKLY CURED.

Poor remedies have given Catarrh the reputation of being incurable. But it is curable, easily and quickly, if the right method is employed. Scalding or irritant powder or ointment up the nose, won't cure Catarrh, neither will cathartics, purging or stomachic medicines cure. These treatments fail because they are not far reaching enough. They only affect local conditions, but do not remove the cause, which is germ life established deep down in the lungs, bronchial tubes and nasal passages. Ordinary remedies do not reach these remote parts, but Catarrhazone does for it is breathed through and inhaled into every cell in the lungs, into every air passage in the head and throat. No matter where the Catarrh is, Catarrhazone will reach it. It kills the germs, heals sore spots, clears the nose and throat instantly. Universally used; pleasant and clean; guaranteed to cure or money refund. Try Catarrhazone, 25 cents and \$1.00. Drugists, or Pelson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

South Africa.

London, May 25.—"Gen. Botha has asked Gen. De Wet to meet him," says the Pretoria correspondent of the Daily Mail, "to discuss the situation."

The Daily Chronicle says it learns from a good source that the Boers are likely to take advantage of the high commissioner to conclude peace, so as to "save their face" on the question of their objections to him.

Western Crops.

WINNIPEG, May 25.—C. P. R. crop report, covering Manitoba and the North West Territories, published to-day, is of a very favorable character. All agents state that the prospects were never better. Wheat seeding has practically finished and the rougher grains are now being put in.

To Catch Fish



Some sort of an outfit is necessary. Needn't be elaborate or expensive, but it should be good.

Most likely you know that such an outfit can be obtained here. We carry a complete line. Don't charge exorbitant prices either.

Rods from 10c. to \$6.00. Reels from 25c. \$5.00. Lines from 3c. to \$5.00. Flies of all kinds from 10c. to 50c.

NEWCASTLE DRUG STORE,

Successor to FRANK R. DALTON, Prop.
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NEAR POST OFFICE.

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ICE CREAM. ICE CREAM

By the glass, quart or gallon served at shortest notice.

Choice Fruit in season always on hand at the

NEWCASTLE BAKERY,
H. WYSE.

Something of Interest

To the Musical People of Newcastle.

To buy a piano or organ well is to buy wisely, and to buy wisely is to purchase from a reliable firm like THE W. H. JOHNSON CO., LIMITED, whose vast experience for the last thirty years in all the different makes should be a guarantee of their ability to furnish a good instrument. Their pianos are the best, their reputation proves it, and the prices and terms are all that could be desired. Their customers are their best agents. The Chickering, Newcombe, Mendellson and other pianos, as well as the Mason & Hamlin and other organs are always kept in stock in large varieties.

Mr. J. A. Prince, representing the above firm has appointed Prof. Layton local agent for Newcastle and any enquiries concerning prices and terms will be promptly attended to.

THE W. H. JOHNSON CO., LTD.
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ENVELOPES

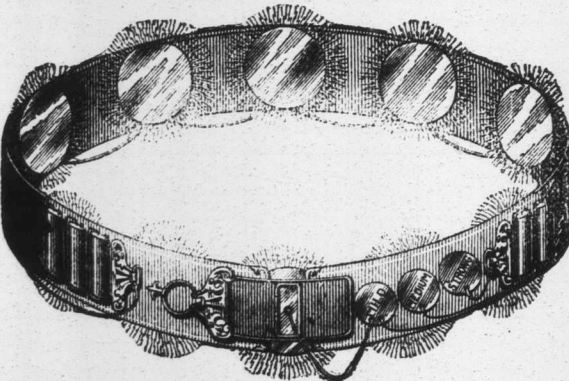
We have just received 100,000 ENVELOPES which we are able to print in first class style at prices ranging from \$1.25 to \$2.50 per m.

ALSO 20,000 PAY ENVELOPS.

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ELECTRIC BELTS.

FOR TWO WEEKS FOR TWO WEEKS



We will send one of our \$10 ELECTRIC BELTS FOR \$2.00 if you mention this advertisement.

The Belts cure Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Lumbago, General Debility, etc., etc.

T. W. HAY,

Next door to H. Williston & Co's.

COMMERCIAL PRINTING.

We again call your attention to our exceptional facilities for handling the above class of work. With our large assortment of new type and good paper stock we can produce work in the latest styles of the art at prices that compare favorably with city offices. Order at once before the spring rush.

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Baking Powder
Makes the bread more healthful.
Safeguards the food against alum.
Alum baking powders are the greatest menaces to health of the present day.