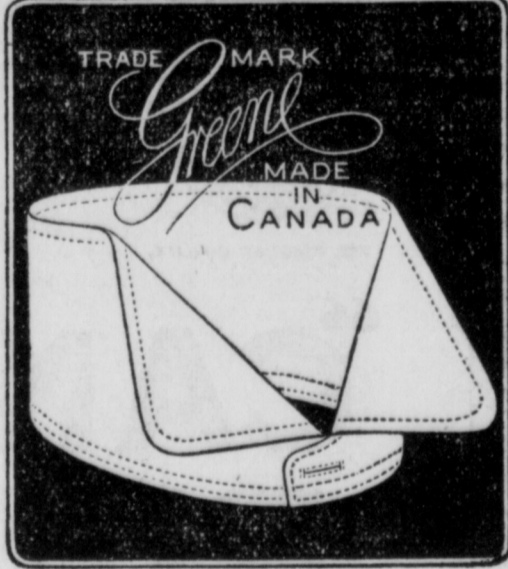


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## Stock Taking Sale.

I have just finished taking stock, and I find the following lines all broken in sizes, in some cases only one and two sizes left in each line. Now in order to clear them out I will mark as follows:

Men's All Felt Boots, were \$2.00, now \$1.65  
 Women's " " " 1.59, " 1.25  
 Men's " Slippers " 1.25, " 1.00  
 Women's " " " 1.10, " .85  
 Women's Felt Boot, Leather Sole, were \$1.35 now \$1.10. Women's Gaiters' from 38c to \$1.20, were 50c and \$1.50.

I will also allow 10% discount on all regular lines, (excepting Rubbers and Shoe Pack.) in order to make room for spring Goods which will soon be along. This is a Genuine Clearing Up Sale as we always mark our Goods in plain figures you can compare sale price with former price.

Sale begins Wednesday the 17th, and closes Saturday the 27th, inst.

WALLACE GIBSON, Cor. Main and Queen Sts, Woodstock.

### Social Events.

Miss Hattie Gabel entertained a number of friends very pleasantly on Wednesday evening. Whist was the order of amusement.

Mrs. W. P. Jones entertained a number of very small people at a tea party on Wednesday afternoon to celebrate the fourth birthday of her son Randolph. The little guests spent a merry afternoon.

Miss Lou Smith entertained a number of friends at whist on Thursday evening.

Miss Stewart entertained a number of ladies at a very enjoyable afternoon whist party on Monday four till seven. She was assisted in receiving her guests, by Mrs. A. D. Hoyoke of Truro (N. S.) Dainty refreshments were served about six p. m. The prize winners were Mrs. W. P. Jones, first, Mrs. Wm. M. Connell, second, and Mrs. F. B. Carvell, consolation.

Mrs. Duppa Smith entertained the Boys and Girls Club most enjoyably on Friday, eight till twelve. The young people "tripped the light fantastic" and spent a delightful evening. Refreshments were served about eleven.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Carr gave a very pleasant whist party on Friday evening in honor of their guest, Miss Tibbits, Fredericton.

Mrs. T. A. Lindsay entertained about thirty of the friends of her daughter, Marion, at a delightful children's party on Friday eight till ten thirty. Miss Mildred Carvell and Master Gordon Bailey were the prize winners in an interesting contest. Games and dancing were the amusements of the evening. Supper was served about nine-thirty.

On Monday evening Miss Gussie Connell entertained about thirty of her friends at progressive whist. The prize winners were Miss Tibbits, Fredericton, and Mr. Jack Dibblee. Miss Edith Jordan and Mr. Raymond Gabel were awarded the consolations. Dainty refreshments were served at eleven thirty.

On Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Newcombe gave a most enjoyable drive whist party. Fifteen tables were arranged and several hands of whist were played with much interest, after which dainty prizes were presented to the successful players. A delicious supper was served about eleven thirty.

### Presentation to B. M. Macleod.

A very large number of citizens gathered at the Aberdeen Hotel on Tuesday evening of last week to express to Bruce M. Macleod their regret that he was to leave Woodstock. At eight o'clock His Worship Mayor Munro in a filicitous address presented the guest of the evening with a massive and handsome sterling silver loving cup with stag handles, bearing the inscription, "Presented to Bruce Morpeth Macleod by the citizens of Woodstock, 1906" Mr. Macleod was deeply affected by the demonstration of kindness and goodwill, and in a short speech thanked his friends.

Other addresses were made by Ex-mayor Dibblee, Ex Mayor Hay, Ex-Mayor Belyea, Councillor Henderson, George E. Balmain, G. F. Burden M. P. P., A. C. Calder, Geo. E. Phillips and N. Foster Thorne. After giving three cheers and a tiger for Mr. Macleod the party broke up.

Mr. Macleod left on Thursday for St. Andrews where he visits his mother and sister a few days after which he will go to Edmonton, Alberta, to the management of which branch he has been promoted.

### A Different Dye.

It used to be: one dye for silk, another for wool, yet another for cotton. **DY-O-LA** is a different dye.

The same package colours anything in cloth. Gives exquisite shades that the sun won't dim.

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For doubling the usefulness of drapes, gowns and things, no dye's so easy, so satisfactory, so economical as **Dy-o-l-a**. Mrs. W. Obleman, Ellisboro, Sash., writes:—

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At your druggist's 10c. Send 2 cent stamp The Johnson-Richardson Co., Limited, Montreal, Can., for color-card-dyed exactly as you'd do it at home.

Mrs. GREGORY, wife of his Hon. Judge Gregory, who is suffering from an incurable disease is somewhat better and the attending physician thinks there is no immediate danger.

### Lamented Death.

The death occurred Thursday morning at the residence of John Oldham, York street, Fredericton, of Richard Williams, an esteemed gentleman, after an illness extending over some months.

The late Mr. Williams was born 74 years ago in Carleton County and had lived in the town of Woodstock for upwards of fifty years, following the business of a builder. About two years ago he moved to Fredericton to live with his son-in-law, Mr. Oldham. Some months ago Mr. Williams was taken ill and since that time he has been gradually getting worse.

Deceased, who survived his wife by about eight years, is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Oldham, and one son, Charles, who has been at Butte, Montana, for the past fifteen years.

The remains were brought to Woodstock on Saturday, the funeral taking place from the depot. Rev. G. A. Ross conducted the services.

### A Sad Death.

Mrs. Isaac N. Draper died at Grafton on Monday afternoon of blood poisoning, at the age of twenty seven.

She was a daughter of the late George Hale. A husband, I. N. Draper, principal of the Broadway school, an infant child and one sister, Miss Ivy Hale, mourn the loss of a kind wife, mother and sister. The deepest sympathy of the community go out to them in their sad bereavement. Mr. and Mrs. Draper had been married only about a year.

### Telephone Amalgamation.

The Union Telephone Co. Ltd. has amalgamated with the Central Telephone Co. Ltd., head office at Sussex. The directors of the Central are T. H. Estabrooks, St. John, President, S. N. White, Sussex, Vice President, Hon. Wm. Pugsley, G. W. Ganong, M. P., G. W. Fowler, M. P., J. M. Scovil, H. P. Robinson. To these have been added since the amalgamation Senator Baird, Dr. Brown and Dr. Ross. The new company has exchanges in Woodstock, Andover, Campbellton, Dalhousie, Chatham, Richibucto, Bucroche, Sussex, Hampton and Kings County lines. They have connection with a Quebec Company nearly to Montreal and have important connections in Nova Scotia. A copper metallic circuit is now in operation from Andover to Dumfries, Prince William and Lower Prince William, Central Kingsclear, Kingsclear, Lower Queensbury, Lower French Village, Macnaquac and Scotch Lake, in York Co.

### Scott Act to be Enforced in York County.

At the last meeting of the York County Council a motion to appoint a Scott Act inspector by Coun. C. W. Pond, of Stanley, was carried without division after a lengthy debate. Strong speeches in favor of the motion was made by Councillors C. W. Pond, H. F. Grosvenor, Carr, Goodspeed, McFarlane, Fred Pond and Fox, while Councillors Scott, Murray, McKee and Thompson spoke against it. Perhaps the most interesting feature of the debate was the speech of Coun. McKee, who declared that he had been a drinking man most his life, and was now past three score mark, and could still hold his own with the best of them. He also made the statement that Fredericton under the Scott Act had five times as much drunkenness as St. John under a license law. Rev. J. J. Colter of Fredericton, was appointed inspector at a salary of \$500, out of which he is to pay his own travelling expenses. Rev. Mr. Colter, who is a retired Methodist minister, has had considerable experience in the enforcement of the Scott Act, and his appointment will no doubt be satisfactory to the temperance people.

W. T. Howe, of Stanley, was appointed Scott Act inspector many years ago, but declined to act. The position has since been vacant.

### Griddle Cakes Without Soda.

To one cup of milk add one cup of warm cooked rice, one-half level teaspoon of salt, the well-beaten yolks of two eggs, one tablespoon of melted butter, the whites of two eggs beaten stiff and enough flour to make a thin batter. Bake in spoonfuls on a greased griddle. Do not make the cakes any larger. Turn when browned on the under side.

### Coffee With An Egg.

Put one-third cup of ground coffee, half an egg and half a cup of cold water together, and beat well. Pour on two cups of boiling water and boil three minutes. Pour a little from the spout, turn back and set the pot in a dish of hot water on the back part of the range to stand five or ten minutes. Be careful not to shake it about, and never let it boil a second time.

### Farewell Address.

The Rev. W. J. Fowler, pastor of the Presbyterian church of South Richmond, who has been president of the Carleton County Sunday School Association, having accepted a call to a church in the Presbytery of Truro, N. S., has issued the following address:—

To all County and Parish S. S. Officers and S. S. Superintendents and Teachers in County County:

MY DEAR FELLOW-WORKERS,—As we have entered upon a new year let us renew our efforts to advance the Sunday School Work in all parts of our County. Forgetting the things that are behind we should with apostolic zeal reach out to those that are before. Notwithstanding all that has been accomplished in the past, a large sphere for Christian activity in Sunday School Work lies before each earnest, zealous, consecrated Sunday School Worker.

Let this year be characterized by effectual fervent prayer on the part of all Sunday School Workers. We need to keep in close communion with the source of Spiritual Power. "They that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength." Physical strength is needful for manual work, so likewise spiritual strength is requisite in doing the work of the Lord.

Let this year be characterized by better service and larger self-sacrifice in all departments of the Sunday School Work throughout our County. What a sphere for loving service and self sacrifice the Sunday School Work offers to all willing workers! Each worker should recognize that he is working for the Lord Jesus Christ. In His service two things are very essential. The first is goodness. The successful servant must reflect something of his master's character to those among whom he serves. The Man Christ Jesus was good, and throughout all the days of His public ministry, "He went about doing good." Be good if you would do good. The second is faithfulness. The test of faithfulness is not so much in doing the great things of life, but rather in doing what may seem to be the little things at the right time, in the best way, with a willing, loving, trustful, obedient spirit. "He that is faithful in that which is least is faithful also in much."

Would you make this new year one of real blessedness to yourselves and to others, then be good and faithful servants of Jesus Christ in all departments of Christian service. Let each pray and work this year for the advancement of the Sunday School Work in our County with the consciousness that the Master's eye is upon him, that He expects good and faithful service from each of us, and that He waits to bestow all needed grace and strength for service.

Yours in the Master's work,  
W. J. FOWLER, County, President.

## SICK KIDNEYS

Mean Aching Backs and Sharp Stabbing Pains That Make Life Almost Unendurable.

An aching, breaking back, sharp stabs of pain—that is kidney trouble. The kidneys are really a spongy filter—a human filter to take poison from the blood. But sick, weak kidneys cannot filter the blood properly. The delicate human filters get clogged with impurities, and the poison is left in the system to cause backaches, headaches, rheumatism, dropsy and fatal inflammation. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are the one sure cure for sick kidneys. They make new, rich blood, which flushes them clean and gives them strength for their work. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills set the kidneys right, and make lame, aching backs strong and well. Mr. George Johnson, of the village of Ohio, N. S., says:—"My son, now eighteen years old, suffered from kidney trouble and severe pains in the back, which caused him many a sleepless night. We tried several medicines, but they did not hold him, and he grew so weak that he could not do the work that falls to the lot of a young boy on the farm. We were advised to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and this was the first medicine that reached the cause of the trouble. He took the pills for a couple of months, when every symptom of the trouble was gone, and he was as healthy as any boy of his age. I am satisfied Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will cure kidney trouble in its most severe forms."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills actually make new rich blood. In that way they strike at the root of anaemia, indigestion, kidney trouble, liver complaint, erysipelas, skin diseases, neuralgia, St. Vitus dance, and the special ailments of growing girls and women whose health depends upon the richness and regularity of their blood. The genuine pills have the full name "Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People," on the wrapper around each box, and may be had from all dealers or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 by writing the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

### Cream of Tomato.

Put two cups of canned tomato into a saucepan, add a half blade of mace, a slice from a large onion, a sprig of parsley and half a stalk of celery. Simmer for 15 minutes. Heat four cups of milk in a double boiler; add three level tablespoons of flour and a rounding tablespoon of butter, rubbed together. Cook six or eight minutes and add the tomato, strained through a strainer that will take out the seeds. Add a teaspoon of sugar and a pinch of soda and serve at once.