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## JANUARY SALE. Big Whirlwind of Bargains.

In Stock-taking we find many lines which have not moved as quickly as we would wish and in order to make them go we now apply the price-knife vigorously. It is our policy to get rid of what we have for what we can get, and invest the proceeds in New Goods. This rule of business creates great money saving chances.

The Careful Shopper Should Consider These Prices:

**FLANNELETTES.**  
Good quality Flannelette in nice light and dark patterns.  
4 1/2c per yd.  
Regular 10c value in light and dark patterns, 34 inch width, 10 yds for 75c.

**EMBROIDERY.**  
500 yds White and Colored Cotton Embroideries. Also Grey Flannel-trimmed with Red, Blue, etc. The prices range from 6c to 15c.  
now clearing at 4c per yd.

**PRINTS.**  
Several pieces of regular 15c Prints placed on the table now at 10c per yd.

**WHITE MUSLINS.**  
In pretty Striped and Checked Patterns. These must be cleared out, and it will pay you to buy now at only 4 1/2c per yd.

**TAPESTRY CARPETS.**  
In nice bright patterns, worth 65c, a small quantity left to be cleared at 35c per yd.

**LACE CURTAINS.**  
A few pairs of regular 1.00 Curtains, 3 yd length, to clear at 75c per pair.

**RIBBONS.**  
Several pieces Silk and Satin Ribbon, 1/2 inch width, 2c per yd.

**BLACK SILK BELTS.**  
Regular 35c Belts, very pretty designs.  
Clearance Price 23c each.

**HEAVY UNDERWEAR.**  
The balance of our Men's and Ladies' Heavy Underwear now going at specially reduced prices.

**TABLE LINEN.**  
Extra quality Bleached Linen, 70 inches wide, regular price 75c, now reduced to 49c per yd.

**LINEN TABLECLOTHS.**  
Good quality Linen, large size, fringed, regular price \$1.00, clearing at 75c each.

**TOWELS.**  
Large size Linen or Turkish Towels, regular 35c quality now reduced to 25c per pair.

**LINEN TOWELING.**  
Regular 8c Roller Toweling now reduced to 5c per yard.

**A. H. MACKAY, Newcastle.**

## Inventory Sale.

As we have almost finished our stock-taking we find that we have a number of **Ladies' Hand Bags** which we have placed on the counter at 50c, 75c, \$1.00. Special values.

We have a fine line of **Ladies' Waisting** when made-up makes a very nice Wash Waist, in White, Red and White, Blue and White, 15c, 17c and 25c per yd.

Come and see the Great Bargains we offer in Children's Boots.  
Also a great bargain can be had in Men's and Women's Boots.

We have a large number of **Belts** left which we intend selling for 24c.

For One Week Only we offer Gentlemen's 25c Ties for 19c.

WHAT A BARGAIN.

We have received some of our Spring Goods, among them are a few **WHITE SILK WAISTS**, \$1.75, \$2.25, \$3.00, \$3.50.

We find that we are overstocked in **Corsets**, so we offer them for 35c and 50c for one fortnight only.

**Mats.**  
Now is the time hooking commences. We wish to remind the public that we carry an up-to-date line of Mats, also the popular Dye known as Dyala.

Come and see the large number of **Remnants** we have placed on the counter to sell below cost. We take great delight in showing them. **SILK, FLANNELETTE, MUSLINS, PRINTS.**  
Come Early and get first Choice.

**D. MORRISON, Newcastle.**

## The Moving Process

Goes slowly but gradually on. We hope in a few days, by the first of February at all events, to be quite thoroughly established in our new quarters. In the meantime some rare bargains are to be had in the store which we are vacating. There are some pieces of Dress Goods, Skirtings, etc., and a lot of Short Ends of most all kinds that are being disposed of at **Half Price or less.** It would be a good idea to look in anyway, you might see something you need.

Still a few **LADIES' COATS** left. The prices on them has dwindled to so very small a figure that we blush to quote.  
**Do you know anyone that wants a Coat? Send them to us.**  
Carpets at 25 per cent. Discount this week.  
Oilcloths at 22 and 27c per yard.

**CLARKE & CO.**

## DO IT NOW.

Bring us your watch which stops or does not keep time.  
Also your clocks that are out of order.  
And your jewelry that needs repairing.

We are in a position to turn out first-class work and will do our best to please you.

**H. WILLISTON & Co.,**

JEWELERS.

ESTABLISHED 1889.

NEWCASTLE, N. B.

## ALD. WYSE PRESENTS REPORT.

Asks for Authority to Ad for a Scott Act Inspector.

**ANDERSON COMPANY.**

Again up Before the Board for Discussion—Annual Reports Submitted.

The regular monthly meeting of the Newcastle Town Council was held in the Council Chamber Thursday evening.

There were present His Worship Mayor Miller and Alds. Lawlor, Russell, Greenley, McMurdo and Wyse.

Applications for position at power house were read from John Jardine, T. W. Hay and Allan J. McLean, and were referred to the Water and Light Committee.

A communication from R. A. Lawlor, presenting a claim from the Smart-Turner Co. for \$25 for a piston rod was read. The Clerk explained that this had been ordered as a spare rod in case the other one, which had a flaw in it gave out but in shipping it the company had sent it with draft attached to the bill of lading and the town did not care to take it over without the right to inspect same. Communication was referred to the Water and Light Com.

A communication was also read from R. Carter of Halifax offering his services as Auditor. Communication was received and clerk asked to notify Mr. Carter that an auditor had been appointed.

A communication from H. J. Currie with quotations on oil was read and referred to the Water and Light Committee.

A petition of Howard Norton and Wm. Craig asking for electric lights for their open air rink was read and referred to the Water and Light committee.

Ald. Wyse from the Police and appointment committee read the following report:

**TO THE MAYOR AND ALDERMEN OF THE TOWN OF NEWCASTLE:**

GENTLEMEN:—I beg to hand to you the memorandum of the several accounts collected by Policeman Gallah during the time of his appointment in March until his dismissal in November.

**Peddlers Licenses** \$110.00  
**Police Fines** 71.00  
**Dog Taxes** 92.00  
**Scott Act Fines** 509.00  
**Hog Reeves Fines** 7.50

I would recommend that the amount of \$750.50 be paid over for Hog Reeves Fines to returned to Mr. Gallah as I am of the opinion this rightly belongs to him.

With reference to a question asked at the last meeting as to whether Mr. Gallah was Scott Act Inspector or not, I would say that in October last Mr. Gallah appeared before me and said that he was doing with this part of his work and as a confirmation of this statement shortly after handed to me a report of all complaints laid against Scott Act violators by him, the statement you will find attached to this report.

Further I wish to draw your attention to the fact that there are several hotels and shops openly selling liquor over bars put in for the purpose of open violation of the Canada Temperance Act, and I would like to ask the Council to authorize the Police and Appointment to office committee to advertise for, and recommend to the Council a competent man, who will enforce the law, with the view of stopping this nefarious traffic, and punishing offenders if they will not cease, this man to act as Policeman and Scott Act Inspector with the duties attached to that office.

Signed  
**R. N. WYSE,**  
Chairman.

This report was received and referred to committee of the whole council.

Ald. McMurdo of the Ferry Committee submitted the report of the Ferry Com-

## MR. D. D. FLETCHER DIES SUDDENLY.

Well-known North Shore Resident of Boston Died Saturday.

Mr. D. D. Fletcher of Boston died suddenly at his home 1 Eldon Street, Dorchester, Saturday morning, Jan. 13th.

Mr. Fletcher was in charge of the Merchants Bank of Halifax years ago at Bathurst, but went to Boston where he has been in business for some years.

During his residence there he made numerous friends by whom he was held in high esteem.

The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon. Many handsome floral tributes adorned the casket.

A widow formerly Miss Draper of Bathurst, and a family survive, who will have the sympathy of many friends here.

## EIGHTEEN DEAD IN C.J.A.L. MINE EXPLOSION.

Chatham, N. B., Jan. 18.—An explosion of dust in the mines of the Kanawha Coal Company, on Point Creek, about twenty miles from here this afternoon, resulted in the death of eighteen men.

Eighteen are reported killed. The explosion could be heard for miles. A rescue party was sent for and up to the present time six dead bodies have been recovered.

ministry for the year which was received and adopted.

Ald. Lawlor of the Water and Light committee reported recommending 1000 to the amount of \$117.50 for operating expenses.

The return of the Police Magistrate was read showing the amount of fines as follows:  
Fines, Police Court. \$ 71.00  
Canada Temperance Act, 107.50  
C. T. A. since account was handed in 100.00

Total \$ 278.50  
This report was referred to the Police and Appointment to Office Committee.

The report of Inspector John Menzies was read. This showed fines amounting to \$200.00 had been collected by him for violation of the C. T. A. in Newcastle.

This report was also received and referred to the Police and Appointment to Office Committee for report at next meeting.

Mayor Miller stated that it had been thought advisable to get some special legislation enacted in reference to certain changes in the assessment law, permanent sidewalks, the establishment of a fire district and the public slip matter. He thought the council should take the matter up at once.

The report of the Tawa Board of Health was read and received.

The committee's report on the Anderson Furniture Company was again taken up.

Ald. Lawlor said he did not agree with the committee's report from the part concerning "We might state" but that the agreement clearly stated, if he understood English, that the company must employ seventy-five hands ten months of the year in each and every year for twenty years, and further he would move an amendment that this part of the report be struck out.

Ald. McMurdo stated the Committee only reported according to its judgement. In casually reading the report that was the interpretation it took from the clause and Mr. Anderson had also understood it in this way.

Ald. Lawlor moved that the report of the committee be adopted striking out all the words in the report of the committee after "We might state," to the end of the report "Carried."

Ald. Lawlor thought that legal advice should be procured as to the meaning of the clause in dispute.

The Police and Appointment to Office committee recommending that Messrs. W. A. Hickson and J. W. Davidson be appointed auditors of the School Board books and accounts.

Report received and adopted.

Ald. Lawlor thought as there was a number of important questions to come before the committee of the whole council that a meeting should be held in the near future.

Mayor Miller gave notice of such meeting for Sunday night at 7 o'clock. Council then adjourned.

**Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.**

**BORN.**  
On the 18th inst. at Parsons, W. Virginia, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Marshall.

**DIED.**  
At Chatham Head, on Friday morning, 13th inst. Wm. Jackson, aged 80 years.

**CASTORIA.**  
The Kind You Have Always Bought  
Bears this Signature

## VERY MILD WINTER WEATHER.

January Has Been an Unusually Mild one With few Storms.

**CONDITIONS ELSEWHERE.**

Oldest Residents say This is a Banner Winter Ice Running.

The mild weather of the past week has been the subject of much comment and old residents say they cannot remember the like of the weather we have enjoyed so far this winter.

From up river districts comes the report that the ice in the various branches of the Miramichi has broken up and the river is clear in many sections, something unheard of at this season and it is said that unless hard weather comes soon the hard frosts in the woods will not be fit to work on.

Tuesday's despatches state that a cold wave is travelling eastward so that it is likely we will have some winter weather soon.

Monday, Jan. 22.—In marked contrast to the weather of the same month last year has been the weather the past few days. To day in Moncton the weather is 11° in the shade, and the readings of many local thermometers show the temperature to be between forty five and fifty above. Monday, the lowest reading of the official thermometer was forty-two above and the lowest twenty seven above. On the same date last year the lowest was eleven below and the highest fifteen above. January last year was one of the worst in the history of the International line being continually blocked by snow and trains held up for days at a time.

Tuesday, Jan. 22.—There was only a slight fall in temperature here during the night. The sky was overcast, and during the early forenoon there was heavy fog. The superintendent of the street bath house reported that 522 persons were in the water there during yesterday.

**WEDDING BELLS.**

Mrs. Mary Vanlandingham, who left this place twenty years for the West, was married at Clifton, Arizona, December 12, to John L. Scofield, Rev. Love of Clifton officiating. The marriage is the result of a love affair which began in St. Louis some time ago where she made the acquaintance of Mr. Scofield. He is now superintendent of the Coronado Copper Company's mines at Metcalf, Ariz., which company is capitalized for \$5,000,000 and has been interested in mining for some years. He is well known through the West as a temperance and political speaker, and has filled many public offices.

They will remain at Metcalf until spring, when they will go to Miles City, Montana, to look after an extensive ranch which he owns.

Georgetown friends extend hearty congratulations and good wishes.—Independent Press, Griggsville.

Mr. Scofield has many friends on the Miramichi who will join with the Advocate in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Scofield a happy and prosperous life.

## HIGHLAND SOCIETY ELECTS OFFICERS.

Annual Meeting Held at the Waverly Hotel Jan. 13th.

The annual meeting of the Highland Society was held at the Waverly Hotel on Saturday Jan. 13th. The following officers were elected:—

President—E. Hutchison.  
Vice Presidents—A. A. Davidson, S. W. Miller, J. C. Miller.

Treasurer—Wm. Wilson.  
Secretary—R. T. D. Aitken.  
Chaplain—Rev. H. Arnold.  
Piper—John S. Templeton.

Charitable Com.—Rev. Wm. Aitken, Jas. Robinson, Rev. D. Henderson, E. Hutchison.

The Advocate understands that it is the intention of this society to give a ball in the Opera House here this winter and a committee has been appointed to make necessary arrangements.