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We have now in Stock a large assortment of Summer Wash materials including

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YOUR CREDIT IS GOOD

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in leading fabrics and the most up-to-date styles. My Tailoring knowledge gives you a decided advantage in purchasing your Dresses from me, as I can advise you in regard to fit or necessary alterations.

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I am giving exceptional values as an introduction to this department. You are invited to attend.

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Regular Meeting Town Council

The last Regular meeting of the present Town Council was held in the Police Court room on Thursday April 15th.

Present—Mayor Doyle, Ald. Crocker, Durick, Fish, Jeffrey, Mackay and Russell.

On motion Captain Barry was heard before the Council, and stated that unless the Local Government would consent to bear one half the cost of maintaining the employment bureau service in the Province, it would probably be discontinued, as the Dominion Government would only pay one half.

He also advanced a number of reasons for its continuation and outlined some of its benefits.

It was moved by Ald. Durick, seconded by Ald. Crocker and carried that a committee of three be appointed to draw up and forward to the Government, a resolution urging a continuation of the service, on motion the Mayor and Ald. Durick and Crocker were appointed such committee.

On motion of Ald. Russell, seconded by Ald. Jeffrey the following resolution was unanimously adopted, viz:—Whereas on the twenty-seventh day of March last, it was necessary to borrow temporarily the sum of \$3000.00 to meet the current expenditures of the Town until such time as the rates and taxes are collected for this year, and whereas under the authority of the Town Council the Mayor and Town Treasurer did on the said day borrow on behalf of the said Town the said sum temporarily from the Royal Bank of Canada for the said purpose and in anticipation of the said taxes, and made the promissory note of the said Town for the said sum payable to the said Royal Bank of Canada, on demand with interest at 6% per annum. Be it therefore resolved that the said borrowing and the making of the said note be and the same are hereby accepted, adopted and confirmed as the act, obligation and note of the Town of Newcastle, and that as soon as the said rates and taxes or so much thereof as are necessary are collected that the said sum so borrowed be repaid by the said Town to the said Bank.

The Finance Com. recommended payment of the following bills

Union Advocate 22.50
Newsome & Gilbert 25.80

The Public Works Dept. recommended payment of J. H. Sargeant's account for \$154.00

The Police and Appointment to office Com. recommended the appointment of the following election officers.

Returning Officers—J. W. Davidson and F. V. Dalton.

Poll Clerks—F. E. Locke and E. W. Keating.

Constables—Geo. T. Bethune and John Fallon.

The Park and Fire Committee recommended payment of the American La France Fire Engine Co. a/c for \$7.00

The Light and Water Committee recommended payment of the following accounts.

John Maloney \$848.25
I. C. Coal Mining Co. Ltd. 891.60
Imperial Oil Co. Ltd. 86.95
Can Gen. Electric Co. Ltd. 161.60

On motion of Ald. Durick seconded by Ald. Crocker the council resolved itself into a committee of the whole to consider the bill of H. A. Russell for a refund for labor expended in Sewerage on Jane St. in 1917.

On the Council re-assembling Ald. Fish, Chairman reported that the Committee of the whole would recommend the payment of \$120.85 to H. A. Russell as a refund on account of expenditure made by him on sewerage on Jane St. in 1917. On motion of Ald. Fish seconded by Ald. Durick this report was adopted and the bill ordered paid.

Ald. Durick presented a report from the Public Works Committee recommending the expenditure of more money in permanent streets and if necessary a bond issue for the purpose if the rate payers so decided. This report was received, adopted and ordered filed.

The Mayor thanked the members of the Council for their assistance and cooperation during the past year Adjourned.

A woman never loses anything—except her temper. She simply puts things away in a safe place and then forgets where it was.

Civic Elections For Aldermen To-Day

The Civic Election is being held today in the Town Hall, the polls being open from 10 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Mayor D. P. Doyle, who was the only candidate for Mayor was elected by acclamation on Friday 16th inst. Five of last year's council viz: Ald. A. H. Mackay, P. Russell, Wm. L. Durick, R. W. Crocker and Thos. J. Jeffrey Jr., are in the field again and five new men viz:—Edward Dalton, John Witzell, John G. Kethro, William White and H. D. Atkinson are also aspirants for this year's council. Messrs Chas. Sargeant, A. J. Ritchie and C. E. Fish of last year's council are not re-offering their services this year. There being no contest for the Mayoralty, enthusiasm is lacking, and in consequence as large an amount in default taxes will not be collected. It is expected that the vote cast will be a small one, due to the lack of interest which is being shown in town affairs.

FOR ALDERMEN

DURICK, W. L. 221

ATKINSON, H. D. 219

MACKAY, A. H. 208

DALTON, EDWARD 199

WITZELL, J. J. 182

CROCKER, R. W. 175

RUSSELL, PERLEY 165

JEFFREY, THOMAS J. 156

KETHRO, J. G. 152

WHITE, W. J. 83

FOR PLEBISCITE

FOR 161 • AGAINST 100

Mess. Durick, Atkinson, McKay, Dalton, Witzell, Crocker, Russell and Jeffrey will be the members of the Town Council for the ensuing year.

The Plebiscite was won by a majority of 61 votes. D. P. Doyle was elected Mayor by acclamation.

Millerton Women's Institute

On Thursday evening April 15th, W. I. met at the home of Mrs. E. Rowlands, the President in the chair. 12 members present. Roll call was answered with Current Events, which brought forth some interesting discussions.

Mrs. Lyon reported that Mr. J. W. Vanderbeck had consented to help get up an entertainment to raise funds for the proposed improvements to Derby Superior School. Mrs. Flett suggested that a Tag Day be held for this purpose and this idea was taken up. It was decided to hold the Tag Day on Saturday, May 15th, and to canvass the Parish of Derby.

The Canvassers appointed were:—Misses Zella Parker, Audrey Simpson, Daisy Peterson, May Flett and Pauline Crocker.

The Secretary read a copy of the resolution sent to the Government in reference to damming the White Rapids and correspondence from the N. B. Water Powers Commission in answer to same, which stated provision would be made at an early date for supplying electric power along the Miramichi River, if not from the White Rapids then from some other source.

The Subject, "House-cleaning" was discussed by several members, many useful hints being given and short papers read.

The Secretary reported a short course in Domestic Science would be held in the Household Science rooms, Chatham, April 27th, May 7th to which all members of Institutes were invited.

One new member was received. Luncheon was served by the hostess.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of Stanley John Parks reported missing on the field of battle, after the Battle of Langemark, April 24th 1918.

"To live in the hearts of those we love is not to die."

OVERALL MOVEMENT REACHES MONTREAL

MONTREAL, April 19—With touch of Spring weather prevailing here to day overall movement secured its first adherent. A prominent business man was seen to walk the streets to his office clad like a janitor, with a very dingy coat and hat to round off his overalls.

Conservative Party Conference in May

Ottawa, April 15—Announcement that the supporters of the federal Conservative party intends to hold a Dominion-wide conference around the tenth of next month was made here tonight by Hon. Robert Rogers former Minister of Public Works in the Borden Government. Interviewed by the Canadian Press, Mr. Rogers stated that all arrangements have been completed for a great-get-together movement.

"During the last few months," said the ex-Minister, "Liberal Conservative organizations in different provinces have been discussing the advisability of a Dominion-wide organization such as we had in 1911. This discussion has borne fruit. It has been decided to hold a round table conference in Toronto on or about the tenth of May next. The delegates to this conference will be selected from the duly organized ranks of the Liberal-Conservative Party in all the provinces of Canada. It will be a national conference of the moving spirits of the Liberal Conservative Party. It will have the advantage of compactness and may be expected to transact business with despatch.

"It is perhaps too soon," continued Mr. Rogers, "to discuss policy but in a general way it may be said that the policy that was good enough for Sir John MacDonald and Sir George Etienne Cartier is good enough for us. This policy which has always governed the actions of the Liberal Conservative Party we could consecrate anew in the hearts and minds of the Canadians bringing up to date, of course as MacDonald and Cartier would do if they were alive today, and putting it abreast of the wonderful opportunities which present them selves to develop our tremendous natural resources.

"This great policy," Mr. Rogers continued, "the national policy, whose magic name, its opponents are trying to steal, has stood the test of forty years. It is a common sense policy and never in Canada's history has there been greater need of courage and common sense on the part of Canada's rulers than there is today. If Canada is to be saved from disaster then disunion, disorganization and distrust must disappear and a policy pursued which will insure stability to Government. We believe that the old policy, with certain necessary modern improvements, is the policy to preserve our Canadian heritage, for the Canadian people. Only by according justice to all classes and all sections can we hope to promote general good feeling and build up our country on a durable foundation."

"Our policy," Mr. Rogers concluded, "does not lose sight of the age-long principles on which civilization has always flourished. We respect every man's right to the reward of his efforts. The measure of that reward is the measure of the quality and extent of his endeavors. While keeping abreast of true democracy we must adjure the false. We have only to look at Russia to realize the disaster which results when private enterprise and intelligence are denied their legitimate rewards."

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