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LADIES' WHITE WEAR SALE.

All our whitewear is offered this week at
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Newcastle, N. B.

NEWCASTLE TO CELEBRATE JULY 1

Big Demonstration Being Planned For Dominion Day

COMMITTEES APPOINTED

Will Report at Public Meeting to Be Held in Town Hall Next Friday Night

In the public meeting in the Town Hall, Friday evening, Mayor Miller presided. Steps were taken to prepare for a big celebration here on Dominion Day. The following committees were nominated and are to report at a second public meeting next Friday night:—
Managing Committee—J. R. Lawlor, chairman; Mayor Miller, Ald. Morrissey, McMurdo and Shaw; and Clara P. McCabe.
Soliciting Committee—Mayor Miller, chairman; Chas. M. Dickinson and D. S. Creighton.

WOMEN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

23rd Annual Meeting N. B. And P. E. I. Branch Held Last Week.

The 23rd annual meeting of the N. B. and P. E. I. Branch of the W. M. S. was held at Fredericton on June 2, 3, 4 and 5. The names of over ninety delegates were enrolled. The meetings were held in the auditorium of the Methodist Church and were interesting, instructive and generally helpful being conducted in a thoroughly business like and systematic manner. The year just closed comprised only eight months, the time of Branch meeting having been charged from last of Sept. to first week in June. In consequence of this a number of districts showed a deficit in receipts, but had the year been of the usual length the increase would have been quite marked.

The society had during the past year sustained the loss of one of its executive, the late Frances E. Palmer whose qualities of heart and mind had done much toward the successful work of the society. On Thursday afternoon a memorial service was held which was deeply inspiring and acting.

The corresponding secretary, Miss Stewart, reported 93 auxiliaries, with 1003 ordinary members, and 195 life members, making a total of 2,001. The number of associated helpers was given at 123.

The total amount forwarded to the treasurer, of the Branch was \$8,106.03, the amount sent to the general treasurer was \$7,840 and \$164.03 was sent to the test fund treasurer.

Election of officers resulted as follows:—
President—Mrs. J. D. Chipman, St. Stephen.

1st Vice president—Mrs. H. A. Stewart, Sackville.

2nd Vice president—Mrs. Howard, St. John.

3rd Vice president—Mrs. Trueman, Sackville, P. E. I.

Corresponding Sec.—Mrs. W. B. Coulthard, Fredericton.

Recording Sec.—Mrs. G. F. Dawson, Charlottetown, P. E. I.

Mission Band Cor. Sec.—Mrs. Enman, Port Elgin.

Treasurer—Mrs. F. S. Williams, Marysville.

Auditor—W. B. Coulthard, Fredericton.

Delegate to Board—Mrs. W. Lawson, Alternite—Mrs. Corbett.

The motto suggested by Miss Cunningham, who has labored in Japan for upwards of twenty years, and who hopes to return to the same field, was adopted by the Branch. Ephesians 3, 21, 22:—

unto Him that is able to do exceeding abundantly above all that we can ask or think according to the power that worketh in us, unto Him be glory in the church by Christ Jesus, throughout all ages, world without end.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be dispensed in St. Stephen's Presbyterian church, Redbank, on Sunday, June 14th.

FOR SCHOOL CLOSING

Remember to give us a call when you are looking for that prize which you intend to do to the Department in which your boy or girl is a pupil. It will please the children and will not cost you much if you come to our store.

Follansbee & Co.,
Public Square, Newcastle.

PARISH LIBERAL ASSOCIATION

Holds Annual Meeting on Saturday and Monday Evenings.

OFFICERS ELECTED

Delegates Chosen for County Convention.—New Members Received

The Newcastle Parish Association met in annual convention Saturday evening. President James Falconer in the chair. T. W. Crocker secretary.

It being the busiest evening of the week, the meeting, after receiving six new members, adjourned till Monday for further business.

A much larger number were present on Monday night, the same officer in the chair.

Reports were received, and bills settled. The speeches and discussions showed complete confidence in the triumph of the Liberal party at the approaching elections.

The following officers were chosen for ensuing year:—

President—Stanley W. Miller (elected over James Falconer by the casting vote of the latter).

1st Vice President—P. Hennessy.

2nd Vice President—Frank D. Ryan.

Secretary—T. Herbert Whalen.

Treasurer—James Falconer.

The following delegates were elected to attend the County Convention at Chatham, June 18th instant:—

Newcastle—S. B. Miller, P. Hennessy, James Falconer, Clement Ryan, Timothy W. Crocker, T. H. Whalen, J. J. Pallen.

Douglstown—Thos. Troy, Jas. Craig and Alex. Jesamin.

Lower Newcastle—James Russell, and Alex. Lyons.

SUCCESSFUL NORTH SHORE STUDENTS

Nortumberland County Representatives Distinguish Themselves at the U. N. B.

At the University Encenia at Fredericton on the 28th ult., Miss Iris A. Fish of Newcastle was a close competitor for Lieut.-Gov. Tweedie's prize of \$50 for proficiency in the ordinary subjects of senior year, the winner being E. Stanley Bridges of St. John. Miss Fish was awarded a special prize of \$25 given by a friend of the University. Miss Ina F. Mercereau of Doaktown took the degree of Ph. D. in course. Miss Iris A. Fish of Newcastle and Walter McN. Mathews of Chatham took degrees of B. A. in first division. W. K. McNaughton of Blackville took degree of B. Sc. in second division, and H. R. Loggie of Chatham in third. Miss Francis L. Fish took honors in Natural Science and English.

NORMAL STUDENTS PLAY NASTY TRICKS.

FREDERICTON, Saturday.—Several Normal School students got busy at the close of their entertainment last evening and marched around the streets during the night.

This morning a couple of historic cannons which were brought here and mounted on the river bank at considerable expense by the Improvement Association were found turned over and damaged and a head stone in the old cemetery had suffered similar fate.

Certain Normal school students are suspected and arrests may be made.

Shipping News

ENTERED.
Newcastle, June 8.—Schr. J. K. Stetson, 271, Hamilton, from Chatham ballast, for master; schr. Hugh John, 119, Johnes, from New York, with coal for Stothart Mercantile Co.; S. D. John Irwin, 80, Swinson, from Port Hood, with coal for Stothart Mercantile Co.

CLEARED.
Newcastle—June 6.—Portland, Rothwell, for Manchester, with coal from E. Hutchinson; June 8.—F. A. Higgins, Burgoyne, for Stanley, P. E. I., with lumber; Jubilee, 70, Coughlan, for Summerside, with lumber. June 9.—Burghead, 627, Eriksen, for Larnoe, with lumber for D. J. Ritchie & Co.

BIG TURBINE LINER FOR PACIFIC
SAN FRANCISCO, Tuesday.—The big turbine liner Cervo Maru, recently built for the Toyo Kisen Kaisha, left Yokohama today on her maiden voyage to this port. The vessel is of 14,000 tons displacement and can carry 800 passengers in addition to her cargo. It is expected that she will try to beat the record across the Pacific.

THE BOARD OF TRADE PROTEST

Against the Discontinuance of Subsidy to the Steamer "Dorothy N."

WIRE MR. MORRISSEY

Demanding Its Restoration Subsidy Will Likely Be Granted

Wednesday afternoon, June 3rd, the Executive of the Newcastle Board of Trade, met in the Town office to protest against the discontinuance of the provincial subsidy to the steamer "Dorothy N." With the exception of Hon. John Morrissey, president, the full Executive were present, and also a number of other gentlemen, members and non-members. The meeting was strongly of the opinion that the subsidy should be restored, and a telegram of no uncertain sound and signed by the ten members of the Executive was sent to Mr. Morrissey urging upon the government, the advisability of giving John Russell & Co. a subsidy this year of \$1000—the same rate at which they were subsidized last year by the Robinson government.

From unofficial sources we understand that the subsidy in whole, or in greater part will be restored.

NORMAL SCHOOL CLOSING EXERCISES.

Medals And Prizes Awarded For Professional Ability And Good Scholarship

Normal School closed on the 5th. At the conclusion of the regular programme, Principal Bridges announced the winners of the Governor General's medals, which have been offered annually for twenty years or more for professional work at the institution.

The winner of the silver medal was Marshall Nason, of Fredericton Junction, son of late Councillor Wesley Nason, who had won by only a few points above Miss Peacock, of Albert county. The winner of the bronze medal for those trying for second class licenses, was Miss Gladys McDermott, of Charlotte county, who found Mr. Blaney, of Charlotte county, a very close competitor. Dr. Inch was asked to present these medals, and he did so, making a brief speech.

Principal Bridges then announced winners of prizes offered by His Honor the Lieutenant Governor. The first prize of \$30 was won by Mr. Dally, of Albert county, who had won it from his closest competitor Miss McNair, of Westigoche, whose health unfortunately broke down during final examinations; while the other prize of \$20, for competition among those trying for second-class licenses, was won by Miss Curran. These prizes were awarded for highest position in general scholarship.

TUPPER NOT COMING TO PICTOU.

VANCOUVER, Tuesday.—It is stated here in circles close to the Tupper that Sir Hibbert Tupper has abandoned all intention of contesting Pictou county, and that he has forwarded a letter to a prominent Conservative leader in New Glasgow announcing that he has decided to withdraw his acceptance of the nomination tendered him some months ago. It is freely stated that both Sir Hibbert and his father are sore because R. L. Borden made no attempt to call off the McBride factionous opposition to Tupper's nomination in Vancouver, and that the younger Tupper is out of the game for the present.

BRISTOL HONORS STRATHCONA
LONDON, Friday.—The freedom of the city of Bristol was yesterday conferred on the Earl of Dudley and Lord Strathcona. At the annual banquet last night of the British Chamber of Commerce Earl Dudley and Lord Strathcona were the principal guests. President Sydney Humphries presided.

WORCESTER, Mass., Sunday.—Three persons were drowned by the upsetting of a canoe on the lake near here today. The party composed two girls and a boy.

THE MODUS VIVENDI

LONDON Morning Post Says Government Should Take a Firm Stand

LONDON, Tuesday.—Referring to the proposed renewal of the modus vivendi the Morning Post declares that the Newfoundland fisheries situation requires nothing more than a firm announcement that the fishery will be conducted this year under the 1813 treaty, and a cruiser sent to see that the British regulations are respected by all concerned.

ELECTIONS IN QUE. AND ONT.

Provincial Government Won By Big Majority In Each Case

BOURASSA VICTORIOUS

Ontario Conservative by Increased Majority; Quebec Still Liberal

Montreal, June 8.—The parties in next Quebec legislature will probably stand: Government (Liberal) 58; Opposition (partly Conservative and partly Nationalist Liberal) 16. The two Conservative leaders were defeated; while the Nationalist chiefs, Henri Bourassa and Armand Lavergne, take their place. The last House stood: Government 67; Conservative 7. The Conservatives have merely held their own, the slight opposition increase going to the Nationalist Liberals. Bourassa defeated Premier Gouin in the warmest personal fight in Montreal for some years.

Toronto, June 8.—Final election returns show: Conservatives, 87; Liberals, 18; Canadian Labor Party, 1. The eight Toronto seats all went to the government, which have gained several seats elsewhere.

MAYOR DREYFUS SHOT AT.

Revival of Old Feud on Occasion of Zola's Entombment in Pantheon.

PARIS, Thursday.—At the conclusion of the ceremony this morning in connection with the placing of the body of M. Emile Zola in the Pantheon and while the procession was emerging from the Portico to witness a defile of the troops a member of the Staff of the France Militaire who gave his name as Gregoire fired two shots point blank at Major Alfred Dreyfus. The latter, however, was only struck once in the hand. His assailant was arrested. Dreyfus' injury is only a slight one. The attempt on the life of Major Dreyfus was made at the foot of the Catalaue, directly in front of the Tribune from which M. Doumergue, the minister of Public Instructions, delivered an eulogy on M. Zola's matchless courage in arousing the conscience of the nation to the necessity of doing justice to Dreyfus.

RUSSIA HAS DEFICIT OF \$100,000,000.

ST. PETERSBURG, Wednesday.—According to the Russ. Finance Minister Kokoysoff has sent a letter to the cabinet proposing the immediate issue of an internal loan of \$100,000,000 to cover the deficit in the 1908 budget and other expenditures that cannot be deferred. The approval of the Duma will have to be obtained. The money will be applied as follows:—\$20,000,000 to the deficit; \$8,000,000 to famine relief and \$30,000,000 to the Ministries of War and Marine, principally for the augmentation of munitions of war and military stores.

NOISELESS TYPEWRITERS

TORONTO, Wednesday.—The click-click of the typewriter is soon to become a memory. A "silent" and a "noiseless" typewriter company have been granted charters at Albany, N. Y. The "silent" is to be capitalized at \$50,000, and the "noiseless" at \$50,000.

S. J. Moore, Toronto, and C. W. Colby, Montreal, are directors of the "silent," and John McKay and Robt. Kilgour, Toronto, of the "noiseless."

Mr. Moore said last evening that the plans contemplate the establishment of factories in Ontario, England and the United States. The company just organized has taken up the preliminary work of five years. The invention is now ready for the market, but the machines will not be offered for sale until after the factories have been established, which will take several months.

A model was recently in Toronto, but has been sent to England for exhibition there. Model machines will be on exhibition here before and probably at the Toronto Exhibition.

OMAHA, Neb., Sunday.—The tornado which passed over Southern Nebraska and Northern Kansas last night was the most destructive ever seen in this territory. At least 21 persons were killed.