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Rummage Sale

Starts Thurs. Feb. 26th., and ends Tues. Mar. 3

The Ninth Rummage Sale of this store opens a building packed with bargains to you Thursday Morning Feb. 26. Back of this sale are eight previous events of the same kind. We have striven to make each one of those sales better and more valuable to you than the one which preceded it. This will again surpass the others from intensity of the reductions and the large number of bargains and the new stocks that have been purchased specially for this event.

FOR SCOPE OF REDUCTIONS
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NEWCASTLE

Regular Meeting of the Town Council

The regular meeting of the Town Council was held Thursday, Feb. 19th, 1925 at 8 o'clock p.m. Present—Mayor Creaghan; Ald. Atkinson, Crocker; Dickison; MacKay; Morris; Ritchie and Russell.

The following bill from the Finance Committee was passed and ordered paid:

Barnes and Co. \$3.08
The tender of the Miramichi Publishing Co. Ltd., for printing 400 copies of the 1924 Annual Report was accepted.

The following accts. were passed and ordered paid:

Light & Water C.m.
Can. Gen. Electric Co. Ltd. \$100.45
Park & Fire Com.
Joseph Napke \$1.75
C. M. Dickison & Sons.....1.05
Public Works Com.

Joseph Napke \$12.00
Maritime Produce Co.....50.85
Police Committee
Joseph Napke \$5.00
Mir. Pub. Co Ltd.....11.50
P. Russell 79.50
B.F. Maltby 99.30

Annual reports for 1924 were presented by the Mayor and by the Finance, Light & Water; Public Works; Police; Park and Fire and Petition and Bye Law Committees and on motion the same were received and ordered printed in the Town Report.

The Police and Appointment to Office Com. recommended the re-appointment of Messrs. H. R. Moody, A.L. Parry; and J.H. Sargeant as assessors for the year 1925 and on motion they were declared duly appointed.

The Chairman of the Police Com. called the attention of the Council to the necessity of having a By-Law to regulate Dealers in junk and second hand articles and after discussion it was decided to have the By-Law Com. under the advice of the Town Solicitor, confer with the Attorney General with the object of having a Government Act passed

which would give the Towns authority to pass the desired By-Laws.

The Mayor and Town Clerk were appointed delegates to Ottawa as the official representatives of the Town Council on the Maritime delegation.

The reports of the Town Auditor and of the School Auditors were read and ordered printed in the Town Report.

School estimates for the ensuing year, totalling \$30,000 were submitted and were referred to the Finance Com. for inclusion in the estimates of 1925.

The Council resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the appropriations for 1925 with Ald. MacKay as Chairman. On re-assembling the following report was presented.

The Committee of the Whole would recommend the adoption of the following assessments for 1925:

Park and Fire \$4000.00
Police & Street Lighting.....5000.00
Schools 30000.00
Public Works 5000.00
Permanent Work 1000.00
Contingencies 4000.00
Sinking Fund 4700.00
Interest 2900.00
County Assessment 9488.40

This report was received and adopted and the Treasurer was authorized to issue warrants for several amounts.

The question of road repairs was discussed and on motion the Public Works Com. was authorized to procure stones and cinders and distribute same to repair the Highway between the Mill Cove and St. Clair's Mill at a cost not to exceed the amount at their credit for permanent work.

The extension of our Street Lighting System was discussed but action in the matter was deferred. On motion council adjourned.

HIGHLAND CUP WILL STAY AT NEWCASTLE

Newcastle—Afternoon

M. Jardine	R. Galloway
Skip 17	Skip 10
Edw. Burke	W. Crocker
Skip 12	Skip 14

Newcastle—Night

S. Heckbert	J. Russell
Skip 15	Skip 11
C. Stapleton	W. Gifford
Skip 9	Skip 21

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The Newcastle Curlers have held this Cup since 1922, successfully defending it in 1923 and playing a tie with their opponents last year.

Newcastle Curlers are still the possessors of the Highland Society Cup, having defeated Chatham on Tuesday in the usual sixteen-rink contest, four Chatham rinks coming to Newcastle and four Newcastle rinks playing in Chatham.

The total scores were 111 to 103 Newcastle winning by 8 points.

The skips were:

CHATHAM	NEWCASTLE
Chatham—Afternoon	
R. A. Irving	P. N. Brown
Skip 19	Skip 3
R. A. Snowball	J. H. Sargeant
Skip 6	Skip 24
Chatham—Night	
H. McKendry	A. S. Demers
Skip 15	Skip 11
C. McDonald	A. J. Ritchie
Skip 10	Skip 17

SOLVE CROSS WORD PUZZLE ON PAGE 3

For those interested in Cross-word puzzles, they will find on page 3 of this issue a huge puzzle which will prove both interesting and profitable. It is not a difficult one to solve and every thrifty shopper whether interested in cross-word puzzles or not, will find a solution that will add several dollars to their savings.

CALL FOR TENDERS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF NEW FERRY

The plans for the new Ferry Boat have been fully approved by the Marine Department at Ottawa; and the Chatham town council is now calling for tenders for the construction of the hull.

Tenders close Monday, March 2nd and the hull must be completed and launched by June 1st.

THE GRAND FALLS DEVELOPMENT

The Federal Government by order-in-council has approved the application of the New Brunswick Hydro Commission and granted authority to proceed with the province's hydro project on the St. John River including the construction of a dam above Grand Falls.

A request has been received by the commission to expedite this matter owing to the opening of the New Brunswick Legislature shortly, and it is expected that an executive meeting of the commission, which will be held in New York to deal with this and other questions a speedy hearing will be granted.

Arrangements are also being made by the commission for the taking of evidence at Van Buren, Maine, before the end of the month and a further sitting may also take place at St. Leonard's N. B.

PERILS FACED BY MOUNTED POLICE ON ARCTIC PATROL

Ottawa, Feb. 19.—From the annual report of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police tabled in the House of Commons comes an account of hardship and endurance of the force on Arctic patrol. A detachment from Pond's Inlet in an attempt to establish communication with the Ellesmere Island detachment; travelled 650 miles in 47 days under most perilous circumstances.

The following paragraph is typical of the concise report: "We remained in camp until 3 p. m. on the 29th waiting for the ice leads to close. We then came within half a mile off shore. Here we found the movement of the ice more rapid and we were kept busy for several hours moving our kit from one ice pan to another. Upon nearing the shore we were confronted by a perpendicular wall of ice 30 to 40 feet high separated from the drifting ice by several yards of open water or alternately by a heavy grinding mass of broken ice. We eventually succeeded in getting Aheeta's outfit on firm ice just as darkness came on. By this time the ice was piled up all around our camp 20 feet high. So that it was impossible to move. The noise made by the grinding ice was deafening and the pressure was increased by a gale from the southwest. Early in the morning the following day the wind dropped and we succeeded in getting our outfit on firm ice by the noon on the 31st. The balance of the day and until late afternoon on the 1st was spent in drying out our clothes and equipment."

A succession of such incidents make up the 47 days patrol carried on by Sgt. Sergeant A. H. Joy.

PLAN TO ERECT WAR MONUMENT

At Cost Not Exceeding \$100,000 Conditions of Competition

The conditions of competition for a national commemorative war monument, to save the feeling of the Canadian people, as a whole; to the memory of those who participated in the Great War, and lost their lives in the service of humanity, which the Federal Government proposes to erect on Connaught Square, Ottawa at a cost not exceeding \$100,000 have been officially announced.

This competition is open to all architects, and sculptors; resident of the British Empire, who are British subjects, and also to those who are citizens or subjects of countries which were the Allies of the British Empire during the war.

POTATOES FROM CANADA SHUT OUT

The announcement of embargo on Canadian potatoes ordered by the British Ministry of Agriculture, Dr. J. H. Grisdale, deputy minister of the department, stated that every possible effort was made to prevent this embargo but to no avail.

The matter has been the subject of considerable recent correspondence between the federal department and the high commissioner's office in London, from which the representations have been made to the British ministry of agriculture. The Canadian authorities have endeavored to establish the fact that Canadian potatoes are entirely free from the Colorado beetle, which was found in shipments going from the United States and which was the cause of the embargo.

CHATHAM, N. B., BOYS SECOND IN IMPERIAL SHOOT

Ottawa, Feb. 19.—The junior shield in the Imperial rifle competitions of 1924 has been won by a Canadian corps the Canadian machine gun brigade corps of Winnipeg.

The competition was open to boy marksmen of the whole Empire. Of the 16,784 boys who participated last year; 2,142 were Canadians. Second and third places in the senior boy's competition also were taken by a Canadian corps; Trinity College school Cadet Corps; Port Hope; Ont. and Wingham; Ontario; High School cadets respectively.

The senior shield goes to the new Plymouth (New Zealand) technical college cadets.

Canadian boys also took second place in the Junior competition the Chatham (N. B.) Grammar School cadet corps coming next to the Winnipeg team. With the junior shield the Winnipeg boys get a prize of £110

WARNING IS ISSUED TO SKATERS

N. P. MacLeod, chairman of the N. B. Skating Association Board of Control, issues a warning to classes 10; 12; 14; 16 and 18 years that any class skater who competes in any class above his age and wins points must remain in the higher class, and cannot revert back to his own age class.

OBITUARY

MRS. THOMAS HICKEY
Aged 94 years Mrs. Thomas Hickey, Chaplin Island Road; died Feb. 16. She leaves one daughter, Mrs. John Whalen, with whom she resided; and two sons, Frank in Maine and John in Western Canada.

May Ask Right To Transfer Pulp

Fraser Companies; Ltd. Edmundston; N. B.; will; it is understood; ask the Maine Legislature at its present session for authority to use the International bridge across the St. John River from Edmundston to Madawaska; Me.; in connection with their proposed conveyor to carry pulp from their pulp mill at Edmundston to their proposed new mill on the Maine side of the river.

At the State House it has been reported recently that a bill providing such authority will be presented

N. B. Asks Bids For An \$808,000 Issue

The Province of New Brunswick is calling for tenders up to 3 p. m.; on Thursday, Feb. 26; for \$808,000 4% per cent. debentures dated Mar. 2, 1925; and maturing March 2, 1945; interest and principal payable in Canada only.

Alternative bids are asked for 10 year debentures, payable both in Canada and New York. The debentures will be issued for the following purpose: Permanent roads. \$530,000; St. John and Quebec Railway; \$238,000

Town Topics Tid-bits on the Tip of Everybodys Tongue

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Ribbons or Chocolates

First business man: "Where do you buy your typewriter ribbons?" Second business man (absentmindedly): "I don't—I buy her chocolates instead."

Moirs have what is considered the finest box making plant in Canada, manufacturing boxes and shocks not only for themselves, but a dozen other important firms. Still considering the quality of XXX Chocolates; there may be a little exaggeration in what one manufacturer said: "I hear you have a very fine box plant and that you manufacture shocks as good as your XXX Chocolates."