

WOMEN'S FURNISHINGS.

This week we are placing before our customers a splendid lot of Top-Skirts, Wrappers, Shirt Waists and Ready-to-wear Hats. All these are exceptional values and consist of very late patterns and designs.

TOP SKIRTS.

To arrive this week, some 50 new garments of excellent style and cloth. Price \$3.75.

WRAPPERS.

To arrive this week some a dozen very new garments in Print, direct from the makers. Wide at skirt, marked down in price.

READY-TO-WEAR HATS.

To clear all in stock we have reduced to nearly half price.

MEN'S FURNISHINGS.

This line is receiving our best attention, and continually we are adding new things just as they come from the makers.

W. G. & R. SHIRTS AND COLLARS.

Large variety of new goods just in. The patterns have a freshness about them that makes them ready sellers. We can supply your needs.

THIN SUMMER UNDERWEAR.

We have it in fine Merino, Balbriggan or fine All-Wool in every size and prices right.

SUSPENDERS.

The celebrated 'D' and 'Chester' suspenders are all right. We have a fine assortment now on sale.

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Fine and cool for the warm weather. See the window full. "Walkers" Hose included in this lot.

R. N. WYSE, - NEWCASTLE, N. B.

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Both Ladies' and Gent's. Now is the time to purchase a first class wheel. We have the famous Massey-Harris and Imperial.

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The Nevins Store, Opposite Episcopal Church.

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New SHIRT WAISTS and a large variety of DRESSES and HEADWEAR for Misses and Children. Mrs. S. McLEOD.

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To Let after June 1st, the suite of rooms on the second floor of The Lonsbury Block, at present occupied by Prof. J. E. Layton. For particulars apply to THE LOUNSBURY CO., LTD., March 30-04. Newcastle.

NOTICE

All persons having any claims against the Estate of the late William Cottier, late of Newcastle, are hereby requested to render the same, duly attested, to the undersigned, and all persons indebted to the said estate are required to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated at Newcastle this 15th day of June, 1904. SAMUEL A. RUSSELL, R. T. D. AITKEN, EXECUTORS.

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You save all the hard work of bread making. One case just received, send and get one on approval. Price reduced to \$2.35.

Creamers, strainers, pails, and a large variety of the very best.

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J. H. PHINNEY, NEWCASTLE.

Wanted at Once.

Coat, Pant and Vest Makers. Highest wages paid. Also a girl to learn coat making.

Apply to J. S. WILLIAMSON.

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DRESS GOODS

Several pieces 50c. Cashmere reduced to 20c per yd. DOUBLE FOLD DRESS LINEN 25c quality now 15c per yd. 15c quality now 10c per yd.

TOWELS & TOWELING

About 50 Roller Towels, guaranteed pure linen, regular price 25c reduced to 18c each. ROLLER TOWELING 5c, 6c, 8c, and 10c per yard.

SUNSHADES

We have on hand a lot of ladies and children's sunshades which we are clearing out at from 10c to 25c each.

FELT CARPET

This is excellent for bed rooms. 1 1/2 yds wide. The regular price is 75c per yd. now 25c to clear.

STRAW MATTING

Very nice patterns 1 yd. wide reduced to 12c per yd.

FLOOR OIL CLOTH

Regular 30c quality for 25c per square yard. We have it in 1, 1 1/2 and 2 yard widths.

MEN'S SUITINGS

Scotch tweed, Doeskin, Broadcloth, etc. The regular prices were \$1.75 and \$2.00 per yard, now placed on the table at 50c per yd.

MEN'S UNDERWEAR

We have on hand a large quantity of Men's underwear in cotton, merino and balbriggan which is placed on the counters at 50c per suit.

HALF HOSE

A lot of men's coloured socks which sold regularly at 25c and 35c per pair, clearing out at 2 pairs for 25 cents.

BELTS

We are clearing out a lot of boys' belts at 5c, 10, and 15c each.

MISCELLANEOUS BRIAIR PIPES

Regular 25c pipes now reduced to 15c each.

TOBACCO

In 12c and 15c packages clearing out at 5c per package.

WHITE LINIMENT

Minards, Nelsons or Champions, 2 bottles for 25c.

POCKET KNIVES

Regular 25c knives reduced to 15c each.

COMBS

All kinds, coarse or fine. The regular 10c kind for 5c each. Pocket combs in case 5c each.

SPECTACLES

The regular 50c quality now 25c per pair. Cases 3c and 5c each.

BROOMS

The regular 25c brooms clearing out at 2 for 25 cents.

A. H. MACKAY, NEWCASTLE. SUCCESSOR TO THE LATE JAMES BROWN.

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Large and Representative Audience. Grand Excellent Effort of Pupils.

FINE MUSICAL TALENT.

Very Attractive Program. Inter-spired With Distribution of Many Prizes.

BOYS IN BLUE. NOW IN CAMP.

McLeod Battery Under Command of Lieut. Col. Maitly Under Canvas.

TWELVE DAYS TRAINING.

Present Camp Surpasses Any in History of Newcastle's 24 Battery.

SUMMER HOLIDAY FOR TOWN PEOPLE.

Closing Exercises at Harkins Gymnasium Marked by Inspiring Addresses and Music.

MEDALS PRESENTED.

Large Assembly Hall With Interested Spectators on Friday.

With a representative and enthusiastic audience composed of the parents and friends of the pupils of St. Mary's Convent, the closing exercises of that splendid institution were most auspiciously carried out on Thursday evening last.

The Convent hall was unable to seat half of those who sought admittance, and both entrances were blocked with spectators.

The affair was notable for the perfection of the arrangements, for the excellence of the exercises and for the strikingly handsome gowns worn by the pupils and by the ladies in the audience. The Mother Superior and the other Sisters are to be congratulated on the unqualified success achieved, and the splendid work of the pupils, bespeaks volumes in praise of St. Mary's as an educational institution.

Miss Marian Doyle was the valedictorian. Many will recall with pleasure a very clever little sketch given by Misses Doyle and Tennant at a concert given by the pupils of St. Mary's about four years ago. Since then both Misses Doyle and Tennant have become young ladies, and very talented ones at that judging from their efforts on Thursday evening. Miss Doyle read her valedictory with an irresistible charm and grace and won unstinted praise from the audience.

The scholars were attired in dainty white frocks, and sat on elevated tiers facing the audience. The exercises were opened by a welcome song and chorus. The soloists were Misses A. Morris and L. Folan and they sang very sweetly indeed.

The following number was rendered by the convent orchestra in a very pleasing manner. This organization is a splendid one and a credit to the convent.

Then came a song "Merry Little Birds Are We" by the little ones. These little tots carried off their share of the applause. Their work was very clever.

"A Rustic Dance" by C. Benelike was rendered very cleverly on the piano and organ by Misses M. Howard, C. Fitzgerald, N. Arbo and M. Sullivan. Just here it might be mentioned that the Convent is turning out some very clever musical talent. The instrumental music was especially a very attractive feature of the exercises.

A motion song "The Musical Club" by the pupils of Grades II, III, and IV, won well merited applause.

A recitation "Flora of the Zones", by Misses L. Foran, L. Slager, M. Sullivan, A. Condon and N. Arbo, was given in splendid style.

Another very delightful feature was the "Fitz Villageoise" by Miss I. Bourgeois, piano, Miss N. Lawlor, violin, Misses E. De Wolf and N. Arbo, mandolins.

A class recitation "Choice of Occupations" was given in a very pleasing way by Misses I. Leblanc, K. Donovan, A. McComb, W. Walker, A. Morris and J. Doyle.

Misses G. Beaudry and I. Bourgeois played a very pretty value in fine style, displaying excellent touch and technique. Miss M. R. gave a very clever reading "An Order For a Picture."

An instrumental duet "La Grace" by Misses A. Hamel, M. Lawlor H. Hickson, Continued on page 5.

The Newcastle 24th Field Battery under command of Lieut. Col. Maitly went into camp for twelve days Monday about a mile and a half from Newcastle proper on the banks of the Miramichi. There are about 60 men in all and 74 horses.

Yesterday afternoon a reporter for the Advocate visited the camp and was shown about by Col. Maitly. There are twenty-two splendid tents and two marquees. There are fine cooking facilities both for the officers and men. Theater get pork and beans every morning and "squares" every noon.

The horses are a splendid lotting and come from different parts of the province. The forage is supplied by Mr. James G. Fish, Miller Bros. have the contract for the rations.

The following officers are in camp: Lieut. Col. Maitly, Cap. Lawlor, Lieut. Andrew, Lieut. Sergeant and Surgeon Major Nichols.

The non-Coms. are composed of Sergeant Major Jones, Quartermaster Sergeant Russell, Barrister Sergeant McCullum, Orderly Sergeant, Sergeant Cruger, Royal Canadian Field Artillery attached as instructor and Sergeants, Kitchen, Cooper, Murphy, Harris, and Bean, also Corporals Craig, Black, Daniel, Edmunds, Wm. Edmunds, and Leslie Johnson, Hospital Corporal George Miller, Bombs, Allan Maloney, David Crocker, George Miller, Ernest Scott, and Percy Lindon.

Lieut. Col. Maitly, is well pleased with the camping ground. In fact he considers it an ideal spot.

The following is the daily camp routine: Reveille Gun Fire 5:30 a.m.; Roll Call 6 a.m.; Morning Stables and Fatigue 6:30 to 9:15 a.m.; Issue of forage 6 a.m.; Breakfast 7 a.m.; One-hour s.a.m.; First Daily parade, 8:30 a.m.; Mid-day stables and fatigue, 11:45 to 12:15; Dinner 12:30; Second daily parade, 2 p.m.; Evening Stables, 3 to 5:15; Supper 6 p.m.; Issue of rations 6:30 p.m.; Guard mounting 6:30 p.m.; Retreat 7:30; Trench first post gun fire 9:30; Last post, 10 p.m.; Lights out 10:15.

Nearly as day yesterday the grounds in the vicinity of the camp were besieged by interested spectators.

This year promises to be the hantest year in camp. All even so far as members go surpasses any previous years and Col. Maitly is to be congratulated on the steady increase of men under his command.

BISHOP BARRY UP NORTH

His Lordship, Bishop Barry, of Chatham, accompanied by Rev. Father Campbell of Barnaby River, Rev. Father Baucher of Desnois and Rev. T. O'Leary secretary, arrived in Campbellton, on Monday evening, to commence the Confirmation tour of Restigouche County. His Lordship administered the sacrament of Confirmation to 87 persons on Tuesday evening. Very Rev. Father Maurice, O. W. C., addressed the children on meaning and necessity of this sacrament and Father Campbell spoke briefly to them on the sacrament of the Holy Eucharist. In the afternoon His Lordship, accompanied by Father Wallace and Father Campbell, visited St. Annes, The Indian Mission, and expressed himself well pleased with the mission, particularly with the splendid church which is in process of construction. On Wednesday Bishop Barry and his companions visited Tobique, where His Lordship confirmed 18 persons, and Glenelg where he confirmed 7 persons. Upon his return to Campbellton in the evening the Bishop performed a supplementary ceremony of confirmation in favor of those who because of their occupations were unable to attend the ceremony of Tuesday morning and administered the sacrament to 20 additional persons. After presiding at the ceremony of the investing with the Holy Habit of Sister St. Joseph, Miss Anna Belle-Lisle, at the Hotel Dieu on Thursday morning, His Lordship, accompanied by Fathers Maurice, Campbell and O'Leary left in the afternoon for Balmoral, where he will confirm on Friday.—Event.

NOTICE

That our canned goods are all new and carefully selected stock.

We name a few — Pigs feet, oysters, lobsters, clams, halibut, salmon, sardines, lunch tongue, lunch ham, corned beef, chicken loaf, potted and devilled ham, condensed coffee, condensed milk, peaches, peas, corn, tomatoes, jams, Armour's soups, etc.

We also carry a nicely assorted line of pickles.

Our syrups are the best and include all the flavors in popular demand.

Try Royal Yeast Cakes. When fresh they have no superior.

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Next door to H. Williston.

The pupils of the Harkins gymnasium returned to the class room after the last of the closing exercises which were marked by music and addresses.

The large assembly hall was crowded to the doors during the closing exercises which were marked by music and addresses as well as the pupils' prayer.

Principals McKenzie presided in a happy manner.

The programme was "Welcome Chorus" by number was very pretty in fine style.

Miss Dorothy Nicholson, Duon in a very pleasing evoked lots of applause.

A chorus by eight girls well rendered.

A Sanflower drill by feature of the programme.

Miss Annie Corbett, Geography Demonstration.

Another recitation, saved, by Miss Annie Corbett, prettily rendered.

A German Cradle, ladies won well merited.

A recitation—"Miss Frances Fish, exceedingly clever in a drill by twelve carried out.

A recitation—"The by Miss Annie Corbett, fine taste and expression.

A chorus by ten girls, too much praise deserved. Just here that the excellent largely due to the McLeod who very for two weeks.

At the conclusion prizes were presented for general very happy address by the Wyse medal.

Simon McLeod in Mr. Justice.

Interesting address by Mr. Justice.

Rev. Mr. Justice, remarks in presence of Mr. Justice.

Rev. Mr. Justice, address suitable.

The following:

1st prize, E. Davidson; 2nd, Honorable Mary Jeffrey.

1st prize, McCullum; 2nd, Honorable Alder D.

1st prize, Taylor; 2nd, Writing; Honorable Clair Carr.

1st prize, Allison; 2nd, Prize for Honorable Laura Allison.

1st prize, Boyes; 2nd, Steward; Honorable F. C.

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