

Grand Mid-Summer Clearing Sale.

Beginning today our SALE of SUMMER GOODS, including Dress Goods, Prints, Muslins, Organdies, Demintuos, Laces, Embroideries, etc., will be clearing at our Summer Cut Sale Prices.

Dress Goods.

Your choice of any piece in the shop with the unusual discount of 25 per cent. off.

SILKS.

Japanese Silk, good black Silks and Fancy Silks, all less 20 per cent. Prints, Cottons, Ducks, Gingham, Sateens, Muslins, Lawns and Wash Goods, less 15 per cent.

100 W. G. & R. Shirts. See the window display and note the price, 69c each.

R. N. Wyse, Newcastle, N. B.

Unparalleled Value IN BOYS' AND MEN'S CLOTHING.

ABOUT 50 BOYS' SUITS, sizes 23 to 30, made from good dark Tweeds, nicely trimmed and finished, very stylish appearance, regularly priced at \$3.00 and \$3.50 each, but in order to reduce our stock we now place this lot on the table, all sizes at \$1.98 per suit.

We are showing a nice assortment of MEN'S SUITS in Black and Blue Serge, Tweeds, Fancy Worsteds, etc., and as the season is pretty well advanced, we now cut down the prices accordingly.

Regular \$8.50 Serge Suits now reduced to \$5.50 each.

MEN'S SHIRTS in Denim, Duck, Black Twill, Cotton Mole, Sateen, Fancy Negligee, etc. Some of which are regular 65c and 75c value, now all one price, 50c. Each.

E. T. CORSETS. We have just received another shipment of this celebrated brand of Corsets, which makes our stock one of the most complete and up-to-date shown in Newcastle. We are showing the best 50c Corset yet produced for the money.

TAPE GIRDLES, just the thing for Summer wear, price 35c per pair.

A. H. MACKAY, NEWCASTLE.

Rain Proof Goods.

As we write this morning the clouds are dark and lowering the wind blows from the east, damp and chill. It is even now raining. The probabilities are that after the big dry season we shall have a good deal of rain.

- 3/4 Length Coats, \$3.75
Full Length, 4.50
3/4 Length, heavier cloth, dark grey shade, \$5.25
Full Length, 6.00
Also Full Length Coats at 6.50, 10.00 and \$10.50.

CLARKE & CO.

NEW SOUVENIERS.

Pretty nearly everybody now-a-days wants something in the Souvenir Line. Our new stock contains very many pretty but inexpensive reminders of the town.

Come in and look them over before you go on your summer trip. You can pick up many appropriate gifts for your friends.

H. WILLISTON & CO.

Established Jewelers

SPECIAL MEETING OF TOWN COUNCIL

Many Petitions Dealt With—Police Requested to Enforce Scott Act.

ACCOUNTS PASSED.

Town Officials Appointed and Other Town Business Transacted.

The adjourned meeting of the Town Council was held in the Council Chamber Thursday evening, June 23rd. There were present: His Worship, Mayor Miller and Ald. Ritchie, Gremley, Russell, Desmond, Williston, McMurdo and Wyse.

A communication from R. M. Armstrong, chairman of the committee in charge of construction of New Highway recommending that Mr. C. E. Fish be paid \$150 on account was read.

Ald. Williston asked how much was due Mr. Fish on contract price.

Town clerk—\$175.00

The amount asked for was ordered paid. A petition of Fulton Gjerde, re assessment was referred to the committee on petitions.

Ald. Wyse of the Committee on Petitions submitted reports on various petitions as follows:

Re Royal Bank. Committee asked for an extension of time until the next meeting to look more fully into matter of petition. Extension granted.

Re The Lounsbury Co., Lt.

Report of the Petition Committee:

TO THE MAYOR AND TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF NEWCASTLE:

GENTLEMEN:—Re the assessments of the Lounsbury Company, Ltd., and Mr. J. D. Creghan, your committee would say, that the assessors have done their duty according to our humble estimation, acting within their rights, governed by the law respecting Incorporated Companies, but considering the fact that the head office or chief place of business may be removed to some other town or city, rendering the companies liable for assessment on real estate and income only, your committee would recommend that some concession be made in the matter of their respective assessments.

Report was received and after discussion it was resolved that the petition be referred back to committee and that the committee report at next meeting what they consider a fair valuation for assessment purposes.—Carried.

Re The J. D. Creghan Co., Lt., this was disposed of as the above petition.

Re The G. A. Lounsbury estate:—

Report of the Petition Committee.

TO THE MAYOR AND TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF NEWCASTLE:

GENTLEMEN: With reference to the petition of Geo. A. Lounsbury Estate for reduction of Assessment your committee would say, that whereas the Assessment of this property is based upon the valuation of the assessment and not upon the appraised value as contended in said petition and whereas no sworn statement of valuation has been placed in the hands of the assessors for assessment purposes, we see no reason why the prayer of the petitioner should be granted.

After discussion Ald. Ritchie moved that this petition also be referred back to committee.

Ald. McMurdo said he did not think it was fair to the committee to refer this back. The committee had done their work and reported according to their humble opinions and it was now up for discussion of the board.

Ald. Williston thought there was no grounds for the petition. The estate had

CASTORIA. The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of

A NEW STORY.

There is still time to secure one of our burnt or painted leather Post Cards. This is the newest line extant.

We have also placed in stock a line pretty and dainty cups and saucers at the reasonable price 20 and 25c. each. These goods are saleable at all seasons and our selection has been particularly good.

Our stock of confectionery is running quite low. We like this to occur often. It guarantees the freshness of our goods.

Our lines of groceries are all new and of the best grade.

Follansbee & Co.

BRUTAL ASSAULT BY BROTHER.

Elijah Arbo of Upper Blackville Brutally Assaulted his Brother.

LET FOR DEPT. IRVINE

Reuben Arbo was Unconscious for Long Time. Is Slowly Recovering.

Two brothers, Elijah and Reuben Arbo of Upper Blackville had a quarrel it is said, over some harness, and in order to emphasize his arguments Elijah Arbo used a club with dire effect on Reuben Arbo who was left for dead on the field of battle.

Elijah became alarmed at the outcome of the quarrel, and arming himself with a gun and some food took to the woods.

In the meantime word had been sent to Newcastle and Deputy Sheriff Irvine and Policeman Gallah went at once in search of the fugitive and after considerable trouble captured him and he is now in the jail here awaiting examination. Deputy Irvine was obliged to wound his man before the capture was effected, but the wound was not serious.

The preliminary examination was commenced on Saturday and adjourned until Tuesday and again adjourned until Friday next as a number of witnesses from Blackville are required. Reuben Arbo has been taken to the Hotel Dieu hospital, Chatham where yesterday he was reported as slightly improved.

THE COTTAGE HOSPITAL.

EDITOR ADVOCATE:—

Sir,—As hospitals and other institutions of a like nature are the direct fruit of christianity may I supplement the important announcement made at the concert given by the Lady Minstrels that the proceeds of Tuesday evening's performance would be donated to start a fund for the establishment of a Cottage Hospital for Newcastle, by two suggestions?

1 To have one Sunday in the year to be known as Hospital Sunday when a special collection could be made in the churches in aid of the Hospital scheme. This is an old and generally established custom in England and the hospitals, etc., receive very considerable financial aid towards their maintenance.

2 To this might be added Hospital Saturday when collectors could be appointed to certain locations in the streets. This plan has been adopted in London by young ladies with good financial results. Few, I venture to think, would be so ungrateful as not to respond to their winning smiles.

T. H. CUTBERT.

paid taxes on \$11,000 for a number of years. He moved as an amendment that the report of the Committee be adopted.—Amendment carried.

Ald. Wyse from the Police Committee reported as follows on petition of W. C. T. C. Report of the Police and Appointment to Office Committee.

TO THE MAYOR AND TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF NEWCASTLE:

GENTLEMEN: With reference to the petition of the W. C. T. U. respecting the illegal sale of liquor and cigarettes, your committee would recommend the Town Council support the Town officers in carrying out the law respecting these evils.

This report was received and adopted. The Town officers for the year were appointed. These will be published later.

On motion of Ald. Desmond of the Finance Committee the following accounts were passed:

- L. B. McMurdo \$25.00
B. N. Call 7.07
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T. W. Battler 42.50
Augh Astles, B. of H. 28.50
Thos. Maltby & Son, 6.85
Miramichi Farm Imp. Co. 2.37

A report from Mr. J. A. Follansbee was read and referred to the Water and Light Committee.

On motion of Ald. Desmond the Board of Trade delegates were heard.

Mr. Troy on behalf of the Board of Trade read a resolution of thanks to the Town Council for the help that body had given in the matter of sending delegates to Ottawa.

The meeting then adjourned.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria

We are prepared to do typewriting, copying, manifold etc. promptly and neatly.—Anslow Bros.

LADY MINSTRELS MAKE A HIT

Are well Spoken of by all and Efforts Being Made to Have Show Repeated.

WHAT OTHERS SAY

Tuesday Evening's Performance Better Than First Night. Changes of Programme.

That the Belles of Darktown made a decided hit is clearly evidenced by the grand receptions they received. Despite the heavy rain of Tuesday evening a good house greeted the performers and the performance was even better than the first night. Various bouquets were presented at different stages of the performance.

The following letter has been received by the Advocate:—

June 27 1905.

EDITOR NEWCASTLE ADVOCATE. Sir,—Happening in town tonight it was our good fortune to drop in to see the play "The Belles of Darktown." We would like to express our appreciation of the artistic manner in which the programme was rendered, the more so as we understand the talent employed was purely local. The whole performance certainly in our humble estimation reflects great credit on the histrionic efforts put forth by the ladies of Newcastle.

We heartily wish the ladies every success in their efforts in assisting so laudable an enterprise as the erection of a cottage hospital for your town. We have to thank them for a most enjoyable evening.

Yours truly,

A pair of Transient Travellers.

We understand that the people of Millerton and Chatham have approached the ladies and are endeavoring to have the show produced in these towns. We are sure that the show would be appreciated.

PIANO RECITAL.

A large audience greeted Miss Quinn and her pupils at their first piano recital given last Friday evening in the Temperance hall, and from the opening number to the finish, the greatest interest was taken by those present. Each number was well rendered, and the pupils displayed great talent. Particular mention must be made of Miss Katie Donovan, whose voice by Godard, was played with strict attention to touch and technique. The vocal solo by Mr. J. Copeland, was much enjoyed, as was Misses Elliott and Anderson. It was Miss Anderson's first appearance in public since her return from London, and she was given a hearty greeting and kindly responded to an encore. Mrs. Osborne Nicholson's reading was much enjoyed.

The following was the programme:

- 1 Piano Duet—"Merry Making," Misses Bertie Rae and Alice Rundle
2 Piano Solo—"On the Lawn," Miss Flacie Ramsay
3 Piano Solo—"Cuckoo Song," Miss Hazel Steeves
4 Piano Solo—"Child's Play," Master Herbert Morrissey
5 Vocal Solo—(a) "Oh! That We Two were Maying," (b) "Sing Me to Sleep," Mrs. J. W. Miller
6 Piano Solo—"The Millwheel," Miss Lyle McCormick
7 Piano Solo—"Melodie," Miss Mae Keating
8 Piano Solo—(a) "Summer," (b) "Barcarolle," Master Augustus Mitchell
9 Vocal Solo—"Only in Dreams," Miss Elliott
10 Piano Duet—"Moonlight," Misses Jean Allan and Cassie Armstrong
11 Reading—Selected, Mrs. O. Nicholson
12 Piano Solo—(a) "Marianettes," (b) "Yonhail Joy," Miss Canale Armstrong
13 Piano Solo—"Boat Song," Miss Alice Rundle
14 Piano Solo—(a) "Sonatina," (b) "The Huntsman's Return," Miss Jean Allan
15 Piano Solo—"Caprice," Miss Bertie Rae
16 Vocal Solo—"The Violet," "The Robin," Miss Anderson
17 Piano Solo—"Dance of the Water Nymphs," Miss Helen Stables
18 Piano Solo—(a) "Cabaletta," (b) "Valse," Miss Katie Donovan
19 Piano Duet—"On the King's Bench," Misses Morrison and Quinn

Miss Quinn is a graduate in music of the Mary Queen's, and great credit is due the Sisters of Congregation de Notre Dame for many years in assisting them in their musical studies.

The piano used on the occasion was a high grade Duxon port & Stacy and is owned by Mr. John M. Corsey.