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TOWN COUNCIL

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MAYOR PEDOLIN said that modern science looked upon drunkenness now as a disease.

ALD. STUART said that the adoption of the resolution and the report that would follow need entail no expense whatever upon the town. Any recommendation adopted could be forwarded to the proper authorities by mail. It was the duty of the council to take all possible means to prevent the citizens being poisoned by alcohol or any other harmful drugs. As to the possibility of being laughed at by the government, all good measures were laughed at first. He was willing to be laughed at while helping along anything for the public good. Recommendations from this council might be rejected at first by the government, but would have an effect upon the public mind and would ultimately bear fruit.

The resolution was lost on the following vote:

Yea—Ald. Stuart.
Nay—Ald. Clark, Kethro, Russell and Sargeant.

Not voting—Ald. Butler.

ALD. KETHRO, when the time came for considering his motion at the previous meeting to ask the legislature to grant Newcastle the right to levy a license fee upon residents of the rest of the county, said that, as he had since been assured that the legislature would not grant the permission requested, he would drop the motion.

ALD. STUART moved the appointment of a committee to Frederickton to support the legislature the Bill being prepared by the Union of N. B. municipalities to amend the resolution passed by the Union on Oct. 12th last and unanimously by Newcastle council some time

previously, requesting the legislature to pass at its next session a bill providing that any County, City or Town in the Province of New Brunswick shall, upon a majority vote of its qualified ratepayers voting, have the power to reduce or abolish within its jurisdiction. Taxes on polls, improvements, personal property and income, or any one or more of these, and raise its revenue by means of a land tax with or without a system of business licenses.

ALD. CLARK opposed the motion, saying that it would cost too much to send a delegation. The town needed every cent it had.

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After some further discussion on the subject, the resolution not being seconded, council adjourned.

COAL IN MIRAMICHI

Mr. Chandler, who is superintending the soundings for the new bridge here, reports that on Wednesday coal was found at a depth of 108 feet. It is understood the seam is there.

Lawson's
Pure Wool
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Underwear

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Mixtures sold under the name "soothing" are usually dangerous to the life of the little ones whom they are supposed to help. They contain opiates and narcotics and any sleep prompted through their use is false sleep—to be plainer the little one is drugged into insensibility. The only absolutely guaranteed remedy for little ones—the only remedy backed by the guarantee of a government analyst to contain no opiates, narcotics or other harmful drugs is Baby's Own Tablets. They cannot possibly do harm—they always do good. Thousands of mothers have learned their value. They help not only the new-born babe but also the growing child. Stomach and bowel troubles; worms; colds; simple fevers are all banished by them and they promote that refreshing sleep so helpful to little ones. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

NOTICE

Of Proposed Construction of Boom on the South West Branch of the Miramichi River, in the Province of New Brunswick.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned, Thomas W. Flett, of Nelsco, in the county of Northumberland, in the said Province of New Brunswick, Lumber Merchant, has deposited with the Honourable the Minister of Public Works for the Dominion of Canada at Ottawa, the Plan and Description of the Boom proposed to be constructed by him in front of the lot of land owned and occupied by him on the southerly side of the said River, in the Parish of Nelson aforesaid, and has deposited a duplicate of such in the Office of the Registrar of Deeds for the said County of Northumberland at Newcastle.

Dated this fifteenth day of February, A. D. 1912.

THOMAS W. FLETT.

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the Advocate.

On Thursday Feb. 29th—Miss Constance Crawley the English Star will appear at Newcastle in a modern farce comedy "What Kitty Did." This is one of the best English farces of its kind and opens with a scene in a London law office showing an English young lady thrown on her own resources by her father's death seeking a means of livelihood in the great metropolis. She appeals to her cousin, the lawyer, for assistance in securing a position. Her cousin in conversation with a client, a polished English gentleman, learns that the latter has been left a fortune by his father on one condition—that by a certain date he shall have been married, but not to a certain Peruvian widow. The heir wants the lawyer to suggest how his uncle's fortune may be obtained, and yet he be allowed the right to marry the widow. The lawyer says there is no way except to meet the terms of the will, and suggests an ingenious scheme. The heir shall arrange, with the widow's consent, a temporary marriage with some obscure girl, leave immediately for a tour of Europe with the widow and her chaperone, and after one year, application will be made for divorce, the fortune secured, and the heir after divorcing his legal wife, shall be free to wed his choice. The lawyer's cousin, who is seeking employment, consents to be his legal wife, temporarily, and pretends that she is a bashful country girl. All goes as planned, except the heir, an exceedingly vacillating gentleman, falls in love with his wife, decides to remain with her, and leave the mercenary widow to wed another who has less money.

All the members in the company carried out their parts last evening in a manner that greatly delighted the audience. Miss Crawley, proved herself an actress of rare qualities. She gave a true and delightful rendition of her part Mr. Arthur Maude kept the audience in constant laughter by his superb acting. He is a fine performer, and gave a faultless interpretation of his part. Mr. Clinton Moore, as the lawyer, was excellent while Miss Rose Campbell, played a different role, she gives a strong rendition of her part—Moncton Transcript

Agricultural Meeting at Whitneyville

The annual meeting of Newcastle, Northesk and Southesk Agricultural Society No. 122 will be held next Tuesday evening March 5th in Whitneyville Hall. Several well known speakers will address the meeting which will open at 7 o'clock.

MRS JAMES HENDERSON

The death of Mrs. James Henderson of Douglastown occurred on Saturday afternoon at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Robert Simpson. Deceased was 85 years and nine months old. She had been in failing health ever since being hurt by a fall about six years ago but was able to be around the house up to about a week before her death. Deceased was formerly Miss Mary Ingram and was born in Newcastle in May, 1825. She was a lady of sterling character, much loved and honored by the community among whom she lived so many years. In religion she was a Presbyterian and was one of the pillars of that demonstration. She will be sincerely mourned by many besides those connected with her by blood. Her surviving children are:—Wm. Henderson, San Francisco; George Henderson, Douglastown; Joseph Henderson, Bathurst; Albert E. Henderson, Whitehouse; Yukon; and Mrs. Robert Simpson, Douglastown. Mrs. Matthew Russell of Victoria, B. C., and Mrs. John Fleiger of Chatham are the only surviving sisters of the deceased. Her husband predeceased her about 16 years. Albert E. Henderson left Victoria, B. C., on Wednesday for home and arrived yesterday. Interment will be in St. James' cemetery, Newcastle. The funeral leaves the late residence of the deceased tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock. Rev. F. C. Simpson will conduct the services.

MEMORIAL SERVICE

NEXT SUNDAY

The service in St. Mark's church Douglastown next Sabbath evening will take the character of a Memorial Service for the late Mrs. Jas. Henderson. Special and appropriate music will be given by the choir.

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REV J. F. McCURDY CALLED

At a special session of Miramichi Presbytery here yesterday. Redbank and Whitneyville congregations, represented by Messrs. Murdoch Sutherland, James Parks and James Johnston of Redbank and Peter Forsythe and Goodfellow of Whitneyville presented a call to Rev. J. F. McCurdy of Canard N. S., which was sustained.

