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Hon. P. J. Veniot, June 25.

IF YOU PATRONIZE The Everyday Bargain Store

YOU LEARN TO SAVE MONEY

An Unprecedented Opportunity

Simmons "White Label" Mattress at \$8.00 each. Made of soft layer felt. Covered in attractive design Art Ticking. These are regular \$12.00 mattresses but we were able to buy a quantity to sell at these prices.

Simmons Couches at \$12.00 each. Made of rust-proof twisted tint fabric, equipped with upholstered mattress covered in attractive cretonne.

Pratt and Lambert White Enamel. Made by the reliable manufacturers of "61" Varnish. We have it in all sizes as follows: Pints, 85c; Quarts \$1.45; 1-2 gallon, \$2.75; 1 gallon \$4.50.

New Wall Paper just received. Seventy-five patterns to choose from at prices ranging from six cents a roll up.

THE HOUSE WITH THE STOCK

A. W. PHILLIPS & CO.

Ladies and Gentlemen

THE NEXT THING ON THE PROGRAM IS

Stock Taking

This commences on the 2nd of February. To make this work lighter and to make room for spring goods to arrive, we will sell at the same low prices offered before Christmas, viz.: 10 per cent off all Shelf Dry Goods, such as Dress Goods, Grey and White Cottons, Shaker Flannels, Prints, Gingham, Towelling, Bed Quilts, Underwear, etc. Also 20 per cent. off any Boots or Shoes that have been in stock over six months.

Flour is higher but Sugar is cheaper. Will sell 12 lbs. granulated for \$1.00. Prime Barbadoes Molasses, 90 cents gallon. Paraffine Oil 27 cents gallon. Raisins, 13 to 20 cents per pound, according to quality. King Cole or any other tea at 5 cents off regular price. 14 bars Surprise, Gold or P. & G. Soap for \$1.00. Also Ham, Bacon, Finnan Haddies, Sausages, Pickled Herrings at reasonable prices.

Owing to the severe cold weather and drifted roads we have decided to continue this Cheap Sale until Saturday the 7th. Some hundreds of Remnants to be sold cheap. A dollar saved is a dollar earned.

Goods at these reduced prices not booked.

J. T. G. CARR

HARTLAND, N. B.

DON'T FORGET TO KEEP INSURED THIS COLD WEATHER. WITH BIG FIRES IN YOUR HOUSE OR YOUR NEIGHBORS THE DANGER IS INCREASED

Our Stock is Now Complete
Everything fresh and up-to-the-minute; we specialize in groceries, so you are sure of the best in that line.

PATENT MEDICINES
Baby's Own Tablets, we sell at20c.
Johnson's Liniment20c.
Gin Pills, regular 50c. our price43c.
Dodd's Pills, regular price 50c. our price43c.
Fellows' Compound Syrup of Hypophosphates \$1.50, our price\$1.25
Small size, reg. \$1.00, our price 90c.
Large Box Fruitives 50c. our price45c; small box,20c

Tanlac, reg. price \$1.15 our price 95c.
Large Bottle Scott's Emulsion reg. 1.30, our price\$1.00
Cascarets, regular 25c. our price 23c.
SPECIALS FOR THIS WEEK
Shortening, 20 lb. pall\$3.35
Shortening, 10 lb. pall\$1.75
Toilet Paper, roll,6c, 6 for 25c.
Tomatoes, per can20c.
Corn, per can17c.
Peas, per can17c.

BEST QUALITY MOLASSES 85cts. GALLON

Try FIVE CROWN Flour—it is the best.

YERXA-MALONE Co. Ltd.

Wholesale and Retail Dealers

Hagerman Block -:- Hartland, N. B

ANNUAL REPORT OF TOWN AUDITOR

Report of Finances of Town of Hartland up to and including December 31, 1924 as Compiled By Town Auditor.

Following is the general assessment sheet of the Town of Hartland for the year ending December 31, 1924:

Debits	
To 1921 delinquents	7.40
To 1922 Delinquents	181.51
To 1923 delinquents	2382.38
To 1924 Poll Tax	1086.00
To 1924 Real Estate	2643.30
To 1924 Personal Property	1612.80
To 1924 Income	754.20
To 1924 Real Estate Non-resident	693.00
Total	\$9260.59
Credits	
By 1921 delinquents uncollected in 1924	7.40
By 1922 delinquents collected in 1924	108.81
By 1922 delinquents uncollected in 1924	72.70
By 1923 delinquents collected in 1924	1922.06
By 1923 delinquents uncollected in 1924	360.32
By 1924 Polls collected	725.00
By 1924 general tax collected	4870.50
By 1924 delinquents	1193.80
Total	\$9260.59

CASH BALANCE SHEET GENERAL ACCOUNT

Debits	
To 1924 poll tax paid	\$ 725.00
To General Taxes paid	6104.70
To Water	46.01
To 1922 arrears collected	108.81
To 1923 arrears collected	1922.06
To fines collected	31.00
To licenses collected	28.00
To Miscellaneous	50.00
To outstanding cheque 228	1.00
To overdraft, Bank Montreal	718.63
To cash on hand Dec. 31, 1924	188.46
To bal due fire and water	37.34
Total	\$9961.01
Credits	
By cash paid lighting system and lights	\$1768.96
By cash paid roads	2404.69
By cash paid fire and water	1171.05
By salaries	790.05
By interest	157.89
By police	205.65
By poor	42.76
By miscellaneous, inc. county draft	2719.57
By overdraft, 1923	484.45
By discount, 1924	191.94
By cash on hand, Mr. Plummer	24.00
Total	\$9961.01

Respectfully submitted,
R. B. HAGERMAN,
Auditor, 1924.

Fire and Water Assessment Balance Sheet

Debits	
Taps	\$1870.00
Water	1674.90
Total	\$3544.90
Credits	
Taps Collected	\$1326.00
Water Collected	1366.30
By deduction	30.00
Arrears 1924	822.60
Total	\$3544.90
Receipts	
To Tap tax	\$1326.00
To Water Rates	1366.30
To Sewerage	40.00
To miscellaneous	104.96
To cash from general account	127.48
To outstanding cheques Nos. 42 and 43	69.50
Total	\$3084.24

Disbursements	
By light	5.25
By Fuel	472.90
By Miscellaneous	1470.01
By salaries	412.50
By discount	88.21
By interest	405.15
By Bank Balance	111.94
By balance due from general account	37.34
By shortage	30.94
Total	\$3034.24

Respectfully submitted,
R. B. HAGERMAN,
Auditor, 1924.

This is to certify that I have carefully audited the foregoing figures, covering the finances of the Town of Hartland, both general and Fire and Water and find them to be true and correct.

It might be well to add that the (Continued on Editorial page)

GRAND FALLS

Grand Falls, N. B., Feb. 4.—At about 3.30 o'clock Sunday morning the new sawmill of Alexander Le Clair was discovered to be on fire, and that fire had gained such headway that nothing could be done to save the mill on account of the high wind; the fire looked very dangerous to the near-by houses for a time, but as there was snow on the roofs and by much well-directed effort, the fire was kept from spreading to other buildings. The mill had been recently built and was considered as safe as could be made. Mr. LeClair cannot understand how the fire could have originated. This is an awful loss both to Mr. LeClair and the surrounding country, and it was only last July that Mr. LeClair suffered the loss of the mill on the same site. There was no insurance and the loss was between eight and ten thousand dollars. Much sympathy is felt for Mr. LeClair who is a hard-working man and a good citizen.

We are still having very cold weather and considerable snow.

Miss Groom of Fredericton has accepted a position at the hospital here as nurse.

Miss Vella Merritt leaves this week to take a training course at the Caribou Hospital. Her young friends made a farewell party for her and presented her with a handsome wrist watch.

Dr. Bailey was in town last week, looking over the school children and having their ailments corrected.

Allan McLaughlin who was operated on for appendicitis last week is doing fine, his many friends are glad to know.

Mrs. Harry Bowmaster was operated on this week for appendicitis.

Mrs. Woods who has been nursing here returned to her home in Houlton Tuesday.

Mrs. C. F. Merritt spent the weekend with Mrs. Davis and Mrs. J. E. Andrews.

The Ladies Aid met at the home of Mrs. William Estey last week and will meet at Mrs. C. A. Estey's this Thursday.

Mrs. R. Kirkpatrick intends going to Ottawa this week, where she will visit with her son.

Wm. Stroup spent Sunday at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. White and Mrs. O. B. Davis went to Quebec and Montreal last week. They expect to be home Wednesday.

Miss Grace McMillan went to Presque Isle to spend a few weeks, Monday.

J. D. Robertson is in Truro, N. S., on business this week.

COLDSTREAM.

Coldstream, N. B., Feb. 4.—Miss Marion Page has returned home after a pleasant visit at her aunt's, Mrs. Thomas Corbett of Lakeville.

Sorry to report that the postmaster Edmund S. Estabrooks is confined to his home with the grippe.

Earl Belyea who is working in Hartland, spent the week-end with his family here.

Mrs. Faulton and her daughter, Mrs. Tapley have returned to their homes after spending two weeks with the former's daughter, Mrs. Walter Caldwell.

Claude Haines and Claude Estabrooks spent Sunday evening at the home of Hatfield Shaw.

Mrs. J. B. Craig of Windsor, spent the week-end with Mrs. Francis Cook.

James Dickson was calling on Edward Swim Sunday afternoon, who is very ill.

Miss Marjorie Nevers spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Francis Cook.

On account of the bad roads there was a very small attendance at Sunday School and service Sunday morning.

Walter Caldwell has returned to his home here from Lakeville where he has been engaged in cutting lath-wood for F. W. Smith.

PROCEEDINGS OF COUNTY COUNCIL

January Meeting Opened on Tuesday Morning of Last Week—Collection of Rates Poor—Economy is Watchword of Council.

Official Report Tuesday

The semi-annual meeting of the Council of the Municipality of Carleton commenced in the Court House at 11 o'clock on Tuesday morning, January 28th, 1925.

The council board consists of the following councillors:

Aberdeen: Arthur E. McIntosh,

Hugh J. Flemming,

Brighton: Fred Brown, Henry Smith,

Kent: G. W. Perry, Louis Boyd,

Northampton: H. A. Phillips, C. Arthur Gibson,

Peel: E. W. Melville, Edward Saunders,

Richmond: K. F. Dalling, W. A. McDougall,

Simonds: W. N. Raymond, James W. Peters,

Wakefield: Robert Bell, J. Allan Good,

Wicklow: Hugh Tweedie, R. Becher Tracey,

Wilmot: W. F. Anderson, Bert E. Cliff,

Woodstock: C. W. Clark, J. W. Marsten,

Woodstock Town: Wm. Balmain,

H. T. Stevens, H. M. DeWitt,

Hartland Town: Warren White,

Led by Coun. Robert Bell, the councillors sang the National Anthem.

Rev. A. L. Baker, pastor of the Advent Church, opened the session with prayer.

Warden Anderson welcomed the councillors in a few remarks. He was pleased to announce that there had been no deaths in their ranks since June session. The county was fairly prosperous considering the present conditions in the potato market and he trusted the English market would remain open until all the potatoes were sold. Money was scarce in the county at present and collections were light. Collectors may not make as good showing as expected. Economy must be practised by the Council until times take a turn for the better.

Minutes of June session were read by the Secretary-Treasurer.

On motion of Couns. Melville and McIntosh the minutes were confirmed as read.

Adjourned.

Tuesday Afternoon.

Council met at 2 p. m. Warden Anderson in the chair.

Couns. Melville, Phillips and Balmain reported as to the binding of books in the vaults of the registrar. There were 78 books that only needed canvas covers, but many books were in very bad shape.

Moved by Coun. Melville, seconded by Coun. Balmain, that Registrar Munro be heard at the board at the same time as the other delegates.

Carried.

The different standing committees were not ready to report.

Coun. Melville has Mr. Hartley heard anything about the resolution we passed in June in regard to the bridge at Brighton. The bridge has been out two years now and the people are complaining.

Mr. Hartley—The Government answered that the matter was under consideration.

Coun. Brown—I understand from a god source that the bridge will be commenced in the spring.

The following committee was appointed to communicate with the Workmen's Compensation Board in regard to a case originating in Aberdeen and report in June: Couns. McIntosh, McDougall and Flemming.

Coun. Bell—Has the committee anything further to offer as to the settlement with Hartland?

Coun. Melville—After the adjournment in June, we had a meeting with the Town Council at Hartland and the Town Council at Hartland and (Continued on page 6)

Town Topics

Tid-bits on the Tip of Everybodys Tongue

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JOLLYING A DEALER

A man from the Maritimes asked a British Columbia merchant for a box of his very best chocolates. The latter produced Moirs and to jolly him, the customer said: "Surely those aren't your best—they're no good." The mer-

chant replied: "They're not, eh? Well, let me tell you, they're so well liked by my customers I'm dropping all other makes."

She: "You never bring me chocolates like you did before we were married."

He: "Did you ever hear of a fisherman using bait on a fish after he had caught it?"