

WE WISH ALL OUR FRIENDS AND READERS A HAPPY NEW YEAR

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CLEARANCE!

Four More High Power Sale Days

This week positively closes the biggest bargain feast this district has ever seen. If you have not visited our store last week, ask your neighbors, your friends and hurry hurry. Hundreds are taking advantage of our offers, do not delay!

The Slogan Here is: "Get Two for the Price of One"

In other words, one dollar spent here will do the work of two, and in many instances, three spent elsewhere.

FOR WOMEN

All wool Serge Skirts, style and quality. Sold as high as \$10.50.....	\$10.50	\$ 4.98
Women's 100% pure wool SWEATERS, several colors and styles. Sold as high as \$10.50....	\$10.50	4.95
Women's Pull-Over Sweaters, all wool.....	4.00	2.95
Women's Bed Room Slippers.....	2.25	1.65
Women's Suits, trimmed with beaver collars and cuffs.....	90.00	45.00
Women's Tricotine Suits, the last word in style and quality, sold as high as.....	55.00	33.50
Women's Coats, with fur collars and cuffs, sold as high as.....	75.00	42.50
Swagger Coats in variety of Scotch plaids....	25.50	19.50
Brushed wool Gauntlet Gloves.....	1.75	1.25

FOR MEN

Heather Coat Sweaters.....	1.75	1.25
Grey Coat Sweaters.....	2.25	1.75
Men's Boots, black or tan.....	4.75	3.25
Men's Tweed Hats.....	1.98	.65
Mackinaw Coats, buy one at the price marked get another one for.....		1.00
Men's Suits, only 14 left. Buy one at the price marked and get another one for.....		1.00
Silk Neckties.....	1.00	.49
Men's Caps, assorted patterns.....	1.20	1.25
Boys' Mackinaw Caps.....	1.75	.95

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"The Advance House of the North Shore"
NEWCASTLE, N. B.

XMAS CLOSING OF HARKINS' ACADEMY

The Public School closing of Harkins Academy was held on Wednesday afternoon. The pupils gave an attractive program, in which the joyful spirit of the Christmas season was amply demonstrated in musical and literary pieces. Pupils from the primary to the High School grades took part. Books were laid aside and the children celebrated the coming again of Christmas with songs and recitations, which they had been enthusiastically rehearsing for weeks past. Many friends and parents attended the exercises and enjoyed the program prepared.

The following is the program:

1. Chorus—"Sing Ye Merry Xmas"
2. Drill—Christmas Dolls.
3. Exercise—Christmas Grouch
4. Song—"Christmas Bells"
5. Monolog—Wendall Champion
6. Recitation—Five Little Chickens
- 7.—Wreath Drill.
8. Recitation—What some Little Girls Like to Do.
9. Exercise—Christmas Stars
10. Dialogue—"The Rugelee" Xmas
11. Chorus—"Smiles"
12. Monolog—Mary Crocker
13. Dialogue—Grandpa's Slippers.
14. Recitation—Sunshine Nurses.
15. Chorus—Come All Ye Faithful. God Save the King

EMPRESS THEATRE ON WEDNESDAY

Making his screen debut in "North of the Rio Grande," a Bebe Daniels-Jack Holt Paramount picture which will be shown at the EMPRESS THEATRE on Wednesday, is Robin Hood, as well-known in the horse world as the stars of the photoplay are in the world of cinema.

Robin Hood is nationally known as a champion jumper with a record of six feet. He belongs to Mr. Holt and was taken on "location" for this picture because of scenes requiring the jumping of small canyons and towering stone fences.

The jumping of Robin Hood in "North of the Rio Grande" is all the more remarkable because the western trappings of both horse and rider are much heavier than those used for horse show jumper.

Undoubtedly the feats of this picture will prove of interest to horse lovers of this town. However, Robin Hood is not the only star equine performer, as twenty-five cow-punchers, borrowed from Arizona cow ranches brought with them their favorite cow-punches. The punches include such notables as Red Eagle, champion "bull dogger" of the world; Cheyenne (Pascal Nelson), champion hardback rider of Arizona; Pearly and Tom Morris, champion team ropers of Arizona.

"North of the Rio Grande" was adapted by Will M. Ritchey from "Val of Paradise" by Virgie E. Ross. Included in the list of players are Charles Ogle, Will Walling, Alec B. Francis, Jack Carlyle, Fred Hunter and Shannon Day.

NOTICE

The general annual meeting of the Highland Society of New Brunswick at Miramichi will be held within the Canada House, Chatham, N. B., on Saturday, January 13th, 1923 at eleven o'clock a. m.

ALLAN J. FERGUSON,
Secretary

To the many friends whose steady patronage we so gratefully appreciate, we extend The Season's Greetings, with Wishes for a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

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FATAL ACCIDENT CASTS DEEP GLOOM OVER COMMUNITY

A deep gloom was cast over this community on Christmas morning, when it was known that Mr. Allan J. Murray had succumbed at midnight Sunday, from injuries received in the local C. N. Railway yard on Sunday afternoon, while attending to his duties at the coal shed.

Mr. Murray was performing his last duties before leaving for the day when the fatal accident occurred. He was in the act of braking an unloaded coal car from the coal shed to a siding, when in some way he lost his balance and in falling fractured his leg at the thigh. He was picked up by his associates and conveyed in the ambulance to the Miramichi Hospital, where it was found necessary to amputate the leg. The injured man had become exceedingly weak from loss of blood and was unable to withstand the shock, passing away at midnight.

Deceased was well and favorably known and his death was a great shock to all, more especially at this festive season of the year. Mr. Murray was, for a number of years, a member of the Newcastle Brass Band, and enlisted for overseas service in the 132nd Northumberland Battalion. He was in his 50th year and leaves to mourn a sorrowing widow who was formerly Miss Eva Bryenton and a family of eight children, also one brother James Murray, at one time Town Electrician. The children are: Willis, Rex, Chester, Boyde, Percy, Grace, Margaret and Ida.

The funeral, which is to be a Military one will be held on Wednesday afternoon, interment taking place in the Miramichi Cemetery.

JANUARY ROD AND GUN

The January issue of "Rod and Gun" in Canada, the opening number for 1923, is a high standard for the subsequent issues to come. This number is now on sale, and it should please every sportsman. An assortment of splendid stories greets the reader, among them "The Hunt" by himself in his splendid collection "A Christmas Day's Duck Hunting," while "A Trip up the Taku River" is another article that is almost sure to please. Harry M. Moore, the gifted Canadian writer, has never written a better story than "Pones," which is another big attraction in this issue. The various departments, the diversity of features, the fine illustrations all these help to make up a magazine of quality and excellence.

"Rod and Gun" in Canada is published monthly at Woodstock, Ontario, by W. J. Taylor, Limited.

REGULAR MEETING TOWN COUNCIL

Council Reduces Price of Electric Current for Light and Power Purposes

The regular monthly meeting of the Town Council was held in the Town office on Thursday, Dec. 21st at 8 o'clock p.m. Present, Mayor Fish, Aids, Atkinson, Dalton, Doyle, Locke, Mackay and Sargeant.

The Finance Com. submitted a list of uncollected default taxes amounting to \$1252.00 and on motion of Aid. Locke, seconded by Aid. Doyle it was ordered that this amount be written off.

The following bills were passed and ordered paid.

F. Hogen	\$26.50
L. Coughlan	4.00
Barnes & Co.	39.19
C. H. Pitch	83.95
Maritime Produce Co.	1.65
I. C. Coal Mining Co. Ltd.	335.08
Can. Gen. Electric Co.	335.43

It was moved by Aid. Doyle, seconded by Aid. Atkinson and carried that the first street north of C.N.R. including the part opened up this year be called Railway Street. The Council resolved itself into a committee of the whole to consider a reduction in light rates for 1923. Aid. Doyle was appointed Chairman. On re-assembling the following report was presented:

To The Mayor and Members of the Town Council

Gentlemen:—

After considering the advisability of reducing our rates for electricity, the Committee of the whole would recommend that after January 1st 1923, the price of electric current for lighting purposes be:

- For first 50 K.W.H. per month 15 cents per K.W.H.
- For next 50 K.W.H. per month 12 cents per K.W.H.
- For next 200 K.W.H. per month 10 cents per K.W.H.
- All additional K.W.H. per month 8 cents per K.W.H.

Meter Rental to be 10 cents per month. A discount of 20% to be allowed on all accounts paid within 10 days from the first day of the month for current used during the preceding month. Minimum charge for each service to be \$1.00 per month.

For Power, Cooking and Heating. If monthly consumption is 50 K.W.H. or less, 12 cents per K.W.H. If monthly consumption is over 50 but not over 100 K.W.H., 8 cents per K.W.H.

If over 100 K.W.H. 6 cents per K.W.H. Meter Rent to be 25 cents per month.

No discount on Power, Heating and Cooking.

(Signed)

D. P. DOYLE,

Chairman

The above report was received and adopted. Aid. Mackay gave notice that at the next regular meeting of the Council, the Bye Law governing Electric Lighting would be amended to cover the rates as adopted above.

The Mayor stated that he had been requested by members of the I. O. O. F. E. and of the Red Cross to call a public meeting to discuss the erection of a War Memorial and it was agreed that the Mayor call a Public Meeting at some convenient date early in January. Council adjourned.