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RADIO-MILITARY BALL A BRILLIANT ONE

Nearly Two Hundred Couples Trip the Light Fantastic Friday Night--Many Beautiful Costumes Worn.

The Radio Military Ball on Friday night was a most brilliant event and a great social success. A large number of couples were present...

Newcastle Town Council Meeting

Annual Reports Submitted--New Pump Ordered--Building Bye-Law Amended--Tax Reform and Abolition of Property Qualifications Get No Hearing.

Newcastle Town Council met on the 17th instant, all present but Ald. A. H. MacKay, who was ill. Minutes of previous sessions were read and confirmed.

The Mayor's Report. To the Electors of the Town of Newcastle, Ladies and Gentlemen: I have much pleasure in submitting for your consideration my report for the year 1915.

The past year has been a prosperous one. The record of lumber shipments shows Newcastle second in the province. Local industries all active, no unemployed, building more active, and a greater amount of money in circulation than for some time.

The Police and Appointment to Office Committee beg leave to submit the following report for the year ending Dec. 31, 1915: The financial condition of our Town, as shown by accounts is: Assets, \$216,665.21; Liabilities, 219,449.24; Deficit, 2,784.03.

PUBLIC WORKS. To His Worship the Mayor, and the Members of the Town Council, Newcastle, N. B. Gentlemen: Your Public Works Committee beg to submit the following report for the year 1915.

Police Report. To His Worship the Mayor and Town Council of the Town of Newcastle, N. B. Gentlemen: The Police and Appointment to Office Committee beg leave to submit the following report for the year ending Dec. 31, 1915.

PLEDGES SUPPORT TO DOMINION ALLIANCE

An Enthusiastic Meeting of the Town Improvement League Takes Advanced Ground on Temperance.

Newcastle Town Improvement League held a special meeting Monday night, to consider the advisability of endorsing the resolution adopted at the Sons of Temperance public meeting of the 16th inst., calling a meeting to organize a Town Branch of the Dominion Alliance.

CONSTITUTION. Article I--Name. The name of this society shall be "The New Brunswick Branch of the Dominion Alliance". Article II--Objects. The objects of this Alliance are: 1. The closer and more hearty co-operation of the different societies, churches and individuals, in all temperance work.

Article VIII--Officers of Branch Alliance. The officers of a Branch Alliance shall be similar in number and name to those of the provincial Alliance. Article IX--Amendments. Amendments to the constitution can only be made at an annual meeting and by a two-thirds vote of those present.

Platform. 1. We strongly endorse the present use of existing legislation as a force for suppressing the illicit sale of liquor in this county, until more effective legislation is placed upon the statutes. 2. We stand in line with the various temperance and church bodies in favor of Provincial Prohibition.

Morris' Laxa Cold. PREVENT that COLD and LA GRIPPE from getting hold of you by using MORRIS' COLD TABLETS. The only safe and reliable cure for any bad case of La Grippe which is now raging throughout the country.

E. J. MORRIS, CHEMIST & DRUGGIST.

WINTER CLOTHING. WE CARRY A FULL STOCK OF Ladies' Fur Coats, Men's Coon Coats, Fur Collar Coats, Clipped Goat Coats, Fur Lined Coats, Dog Skin Coats, Fur Collar Coats. A good assortment of Fur Robes at Reasonable Prices. THE MIRAMICHI FARM IMPLEMENT CO., LTD.

In conclusion I wish to thank the Aldermen, Town Clerk and Town Officers for their hearty co-operation and aid in carrying on the duties of my office.

FINANCE REPORT. The attached report from the Chief of Police completes the report of our Department. Respectedly submitted, C. C. HAYWARD, Chairman Police and Appointment to Office Committee.

REPORT OF CHIEF OF POLICE. Newcastle, Dec. 31, 1915. To the Mayor and Aldermen of the Town Council convened. Gentlemen: I beg leave to submit the following report of the Police Dept. for the year ending the 31st December, 1915, as per records kept in the police office and which are very meagre.

Arrested for: Being drunk, 57; Drunk and disorderly, 2; Fighting, 4; Creating a disturbance, 1; Interfering with Police, 1; Threatening Life, 1; Shooting with intent to maim, 1; Violation of C. T. A., 1. Fines imposed \$124, costs imposed \$75--total \$199.