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Newcastle, N. B., Wednesday, July 13, 1881.

EDITORS & PROPRIETORS.

WHOLE No. 714.

WAVERLY HOTEL,
NEWCASTLE, N. B.
THIS House has lately been refurnished, and every possible arrangement made to ensure the comfort of travellers.
LIVERY STABLES, with good outfit, on the premises.
ALEX. STEWART,
Late of Waverly House, St. John's. Proprietor.
Newcastle, Dec. 2, 1878.

UNITED STATES HOTEL,
NEWCASTLE - - - MIRAMICHI
NEW BRUNSWICK.
THIS HOTEL is very pleasantly situated, has recently been fitted up in first class style, is in close proximity to the C. P. Railway Station, and the wants of travellers will be attended to promptly.
Meals prepared at any hour. Oysters served up in every style at short notice.
JOHN FAY, PROPRIETOR.
Newcastle, Oct. 5, 1877.

CANADA HOUSE,
CHATHAM, N. B.
WM. JOHNSTON, - - Proprietor.
CONSIDERABLE outlay has been made on this house to make it a first class hotel, and travellers will find it a desirable temporary residence both as regards location and comfort. It is situated within two minutes walk of steamboat landing. The proprietor returns thanks to the public for the encouragement given him in the past, and will endeavor by courtesy and attention to merit the same in the future.
Good Stabling on the Premises.
May 18th, 1878.

ROYAL HOTEL,
45 King Street,
ST. JOHN, N. B.
THIS SPLENDID HOTEL, the finest in the Maritime Provinces, is now open for the reception of guests, who will find here an excellent table (well served), and large, comfortable and well-ventilated rooms. The building has been thoroughly refitted, repainted and decorated, and furnished throughout with new and elegant furniture.
The proprietor, who has been so long connected with the hotel business in St. John, has omitted nothing which his experience suggests for the comfort of his guests.
The hotel contains BATHS and all other conveniences.
THOS. F. RAYMOND,
St. John, May 11, 1881.

MIRAMICHI MARBLE WORKS,
WATER ST. - CHATHAM.
WILLIAM LAWLER,
Importer of MARBLE & Manufacturer of MONUMENTS.
HEADSTONES, TABLE TOPS, &c.
A GOOD STOCK ALWAYS ON HAND.
GRANITE MONUMENTS made to order. CAPS and SILLIS for windows supplied at short notice. Passengers' Work in all its branches attended to, and satisfaction guaranteed.
January 24, 1878.

Leather & Shoe Findings.
THE Subscriber returns thanks to his numerous customers for past favors, and would say to all that he keeps constantly on hand a full supply of the best quality of goods to be had at the lowest rates for cash. Also, R. Foster & Son's Nails and Tacks of all sizes, and Clarke & Son's Boot Trees, Laces, &c. English Ties as well as home made Ties to order, of the best material. Wholesale and Retail.
J. J. CHRISTIE & CO.,
No. 66 King St., St. John, N. B.
April 30, 1878.

SAMUEL THOMSON,
Barrister and Attorney-at-Law,
Solicitor in Bankruptcy,
NOTARY PUBLIC & C.

LOANS Negotiated, Claims Promptly Collected, and Professional Business in all its branches, executed with accuracy and despatch.
OFFICE—PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND CASTLE STREET.
NEWCASTLE, MIRAMICHI, N. B.
July 17, 1878.

JAMES P. MITCHELL,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
HAYS BUILDING,
NEWCASTLE, N. B.
February 17, 1880.

ESTABLISHED 1848.
Atlantic Steam Soap Works,
270 & 273 Union Street,
ST. JOHN, N. B.

WM. LOGAN,
Manufacturer of
Laundry Soaps and Mould Candles,
importers of Cautic Soda, Sal Soda, Bicarbonate Soda, Resin, Tallow, &c.
April 20, 1881.

Executor's Notice.

All persons indebted to the Estate of Alex. Ferguson are hereby notified to make payment to the Subscriber within three months from date, and all persons having any claim against the Estate are hereby requested to hand in the same, duly attested, within the same time to
JAMES ROBINSON,
Executor of the Estate.
Derby, N. B., May 10, 1881.

Law and Collection Offices
—OF—
ADAMS & LAWLER,
Barristers and Attorneys at Law, Solicitors in Bankruptcy, Conveyancers, Notaries Public, &c., Real Estate, & Fire Insurance Agents.
CLAIMS Collected in all parts of the Dominion.
OFFICES: NEWCASTLE AND BATHURST. M. ADAMS. R. A. LAWLER.
July 18th, 1878.

JOHN R. MALTBY,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
NOTARY PUBLIC,
CONVEYANCER, &c. &c.
OFFICE—Over the store of James Fish, Esq., Commercial Wharf.
NEWCASTLE, N. B.
February 0.

L. J. TWEEDIE,
ATTORNEY & BARRISTER AT LAW,
NOTARY PUBLIC,
CONVEYANCER, &c.,
CHATHAM, N. B.
OFFICE—Snowball's Building
May 12, 1871.

A. H. JOHNSON,
BARRISTER AT LAW,
SOLICITOR, NOTARY PUBLIC,
CHATHAM, N. B.
July 10, 1877.
JOHN MCALISTER,
Barrister & Attorney-at-Law,
NOTARY PUBLIC,
Conveyancer, &c.,
CAMPBELLTON, N. B.
May 5, 1879.

R. B. ADAMS,
Attorney-at-Law,
Notary Public, &c.
OFFICE UP STAIRS, NOONAN'S BUILDING, Water Street, Chatham.
July 21-1877.

Professional Partnership.
The Subscribers have entered into partnership as Solicitors, Attorneys, Notaries, &c., in the style of Davidson & Davidson.
OFFICES—In Chatham in the old Post Office, and Newcastle over the store of J. W. Davidson.
ALLAN A. DAVIDSON, Q. C.
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March, 1881.

Pagley, Crawford, Pagley & Treman,
Barristers & Attorneys-at-Law,
&c., &c.,
SAINT JOHN, N. B.
OFFICES—Cor. Prince Wm. & Church Sts., and in the old Post Office, St. John, N. B.
Wm. Pagley, Jr., Arthur I. Treman,
August 3, 1880.

W. WATSON ALLEN,
Barrister-at-Law, Etc.,
NOTARY PUBLIC, ETC.,
SANDS BUILDING,
71 PRINCE WILLIAM STREET,
ST. JOHN, N. B.
Collections made in all parts of Canada and August 1 the United States.

J. J. FORREST,
Attorney-at-Law,
CONVEYANCER, &c.
Collecting promptly attended to.
OFFICE—Chubb's Corner, St. John, N. B.
April 27, 1881.

SEELY & McMILLAN,
BARRISTERS, &c.,
71 PRINCE WILLIAM STREET,
St. John, N. B.
GEO. B. SEELY. T. H. McMILLAN.

DR. McDONALD,
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.

OFFICE AND RESIDENCE
In DESMOND'S BUILDING,
LOWER WATER STREET,
CHATHAM, N. B.
CHATHAM, June 22, 1881.

R. McLEARN, M. D.,
PHYSICIAN & SURGEON,
Graduate of University Medical College, New York.
OFFICE—That recently occupied by Dr. McDonald.
Newcastle, July 12, 1880.

DR. H. A. FISH,
Physician and Surgeon.
Office—Residence of James Fish, Esq.
Hours 10 to 12, 1 to 4, & 6 to 9.
Newcastle, March 1, 1881.

BOARDERS WANTED
Having fitted up and refurnished the building in Newcastle, owned by C. E. McKee, we are prepared to accommodate a number of boarders on reasonable terms.
JOHN & WM. McKEE,
Newcastle, N. B., June 14th, 1881.

PETER LOGGIE,
Wood Moulding & Planing
MILL,
Near the Ferry Landing,
CHATHAM.
EVERY DESCRIPTION OF
FINISHING
for House or Ship Work, manufactured to order.
Venetian Blinds, Doors and Sashes, Pine and Walnut Mouldings, Jig Sawing and Planing, a Specialty.
Estimates and Specifications furnished on application.
Orders attended to with despatch.
P. LOGGIE.

GEORGE RAMAGE,
Manufacturer and Dealer in all kinds of LADIES' and GENTLEMEN'S BOOTS and SHOES UPPERS.
A GOOD SUPPLY OF
ENGLISH UPPERS
ALWAYS ON HAND.
Orders from all parts of the Province will receive the very best attention.
All work warranted and perfect satisfaction guaranteed. Price list furnished on application.
75 CROFTS STREET,
ST. JOHN, N. B.
August 1-ly

FOSTER, JONES & CO.
Floor and Commission Merchants, Millers and Shipbuilders Agents.
ROBISON'S BLOCK,
MONCTON, N. B.
Orders taken for direct shipments of flour from Mills in car load lots, and drafts made direct on consignees. Flour a specialty. Importers of all kinds of goods sent on application. Every description of country produce taken in exchange.
August 8, 1880.

A. O. SKINNER'S
CARPET WAREHOUSE,
BRUSSELS and TAPESTRY CARPETS; WOOL and DUTCH CARPETS; UNION and HEMP CARPETS; the OILCLOTHS and LINOLUUMS; MATS and HEARTH RUGS; We have yet on hand a few copies of the CANADIAN FAMILY COOK BOOK, price 10 cents. Every Family should have one.
August 5, 1880.

WILLIAM WYSE,
GENERAL DEALER,
Auctioneer & Commission Merchant,
CHATHAM, MIRAMICHI, N. B.
Merchandise and Produce received on Commission.
Liberal Advances made on Consignments.
NO CHARGE FOR STORAGE.
AUCTION SALES, and all Business in connection with the same, attended to promptly.
July 15, 1878.

PITTS & CROCKETT,
PRINTERS, PUBLISHERS, BOOK-BINDERS and BLANK BOOK MANUFACTURERS.
FREDERICTON, N. B.
Old Books rebound and made as strong as new; made bound in first class style; all kinds of blank books made at reasonable rates. Send for our list of prices. Particular attention given to the manufacture of Ledgers, Journals and Day Books. Orders left at Advocate Office promptly attended to. We have yet on hand a few copies of the CANADIAN FAMILY COOK BOOK, price 10 cents. Every Family should have one.
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SPECIAL NOTICE.
International Steamship Co.'s
On and after this date, and until further notice we will leave by Steamers of this Line a SECOND CLASS FARE, with good berth in forward Cabin.
To Portland, - - \$3.00.
To Boston, - - \$3.50.
H. W. CHISHOLM,
St. John, June 6th, 1881.

PROPERTIES FOR SALE.
THE following Properties belonging to the Estate of the late William Mason, of Newcastle, are offered for sale—
THE LOT AND HOUSE
thereon on the corner of Castle and Henry Street, near the Ferry.
THE WATER LOT,
with buildings thereon, on Castle Street, adjoining the Ferry Slip.
THE LOT,
with House, Barn and Outbuildings thereon, situated on Henry Street, now occupied by Mr. John G. Keith.
Ten desirable and pleasantly situated BUILDING LOTS
situate between the residence of A. A. Davidson, Esq., and T. W. Crocker, Esq., a LOT OF LAND
in rear of the Railway Buildings, consisting of between six and seven acres, in a good state of cultivation.
The above properties are offered for sale on liberal terms.
WILLIAM MASON,
Executor of the Estate.
Newcastle, August 10, 1880.

Job Printing, plain and in colors, in first class style at this establishment.

J. W. Forster,
AUCTIONEER & COMMISSION MERCHANT,
RICHIBUCTO, N. B.
Always in stock, Flour of various grades, Cornmeal, Oatmeal, Tea, Sugar, Molasses, Tobacco, Cigars, and a variety of goods, which will be sold low at wholesale.
CONSIGNMENTS received and disposed of promptly.
AUCTIONS attended to throughout the County.
Richibucto, April 7, 1881.

G. E. BURNHAM & SONS,
MANUFACTURERS AND DEALERS IN HOUSE, OFFICE & SCHOOL FURNITURE,
83 and 85 Charlotte Street,
ST. JOHN, N. B.
April 19.

E. BROAD & SON,
Manufacturer of Superior CAST STEEL AXES, and every description of Edge Tools,
MILLTOWN, N. B.
April 20, 1881.

NEW SPRING STOCK.
JUST RECEIVED a full assortment of MILLINERY GOODS, in all the new shades and Shapes.
Ladies' Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats.
Also—Wool of all kinds, an assortment of STATIONERY, Music and Piano Articles, SHOP—Nearly opposite the Telegraph Office.
S. A. JARDINE,
Newcastle, April 12, 1881.

BUTTERICK'S PATTERNS.
DRESSMAKING.
THE SUBSCRIBER respectfully informs the public that she has received a number of all orders will receive the most careful and prompt attention.
ANNIE DEWEY,
Newcastle, April 28, 1881.

NEWCASTLE
Millinery Establishment.
The Subscriber, returning thanks to the people of Newcastle and vicinity for past favors, wishes to inform the public that she has now open for inspection at her Shop a Residence an excellent stock of FIRST-CLASS MILLINERY, which she will dispose of at Lowest Cash Price.
A continuance of the patronage so kindly extended in the past is respectfully solicited. All orders will be promptly and satisfactorily attended to.
Shop, four doors from Post Office.
MRS. M. J. QUIGLEY,
Newcastle, May 23.

OILS, LAMPS, &c.
RECEIVED a large supply of CHANDLER'S and AMERICAN TABLE LAMPS, with latest Burners, BRACKET, STUDENT & HAND LAMPS, in great variety.
Burners and Chimneys all sizes.
WICKS, PAPER and GLASS SHADES and Lamp Trimmings of all kinds, also American and Canadian Oils.
For sale by
J. R. CAMERON,
St. John, Jan. 94 Prince Wm. St.

PROPERTY AT PRIVATE SALE.
THE subscriber offers for sale, the north westerly third of lots 1 and 2 of Building Lot No. 19, situate on the easterly side of Henry Street, in the Town of Newcastle, (formerly known as the Vandone property) with the Barn thereon.
For particulars apply to A. A. Davidson, Esq., Newcastle.
JAS. H. WILBUR,
March 4, 1880.

W. H. KNOWLES,
MANUFACTURER AND WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN TRUNKS & VALISES, Ladies' and Gents' Travelling Trunks, SADDLES, SHIRT STRAPS, &c.
Canvas Covers Made to Order. Repairing Neatly Executed.
MASONIC BUILDING, GERMANTOWN STREET, SAINT JOHN, N. B.

BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA.
Capital, - - \$1,000,000.
Reserve Fund, 275,000.
DRAFTS GRANTED ON MONTREAL, NEW YORK, BOSTON, and all points in the LOWER PROVINCES.
Sterling Exchange Bought and Sold. American Drafts Negotiated.
Collections made at all accessible points. Interest allowed on special deposits.
OFFICE—Rooms formerly occupied by R. E. Call, Commercial Wharf.
Hours—10 a. m. to 12 p. m. SATURDAY, 10 a. m. to 1 p. m.

F. R. MORRISON, Agent.
Newcastle, May 28, 1881.

VEGETINE.
Worth its Weight in Gold
TORONTO, ONT., June 2, 1880.
SIR—Having been persuaded by a friend of mine to try VEGETINE for Kidney Disease, with which I had been troubled for four years, I consented and have given it a fair trial, and am happy to say that I am relieved to such an extent that I can attend to my work with ease and comfort, which I was deprived of for over three years. The best medical men of Toronto have given my case up as hopeless. I have tried every kind of medicine I ever heard of, but with no avail whatever. I consider it worth its weight in gold. Hoping that those who may give VEGETINE a trial may receive the same benefit that I have, I remain,
Yours respectfully,
CHAS. COOKE,
106 King St.

Vegetine.
Gives Satisfaction. I Recommend Vegetine.
TRURO, N. S., June 17, 1880.
H. R. STEVENS, Esq.
It is with pleasure that I inform you that VEGETINE not only sells rapidly but gives satisfaction in every case within my knowledge. I recommend it in preference to most other blood medicines.
I am, Yours, etc.,
WM. V. REES,
Druggist.

The Standard Medicine.
TRURO, N. S., June 17, 1880.
H. R. STEVENS, Esq.
SIR—I have been selling your VEGETINE for the last three or four years and have much pleasure in informing you that it has given very general satisfaction. I find that the sales have increased from fifty to one hundred per cent. per annum, and it is now established a reputation for itself as one of the standard proprietary medicines of the day.
Yours very truly,
H. L. ATKINS,
Druggist.

Best Blood Purifier in the Market.
ST. JEAN BAPTISTE VILLAGE, P. Q., Jan. 8.
H. R. STEVENS, Esq.
Dear Sir—I had the sale of your VEGETINE constantly increasing, and from the favorable reports I receive from my customers, I consider VEGETINE the best preparation in the market for a blood purifier and general tonic.
Yours respectfully,
A. A. DAWSON,
Cor. St. Lawrence and St. Jean Baptiste Sts.

Vegetine.
IS THE BEST
SPRING MEDICINE.
Vegetine is Sold by all Druggists.
June 22-4.

The Union Advocate.
WEDNESDAY, JULY 13, 1881.
North's County Council.
TUESDAY—AFTERNOON SESSION.

On motion constables' pay during this session of Council was fixed at \$1.00 per day.
The following C's were present in the afternoon in addition to those present when the roll was called—Loggie, Allen, Burhill, Nelson, Robinson, Derby, Underhill, Blackville.
C. Sullivan moved the appointment of Geo. Williston as Comm. of Roads, Middle District, Parish Hardwicke.
C. R. B. Adams brought up the matter of the new road asked for in Chatham at last Jan's sessions and referred to the present July session. Moved, seconded by C. Goggin, that the Parish of Chatham be assessed the amount required for land damages &c. \$305. The road referred to is in the rear of the Canada House, connecting St. John Street and Foundry Lane, through lands of Mrs. Towley, and opening thereon is considered quite a necessary thoroughfare, the matter having been thoroughly discussed at the Jan'y session. Assessment ordered.
C. R. B. Adams presented petition of D. McGruar in reference to some interest due to him in a lot of County land purchased by him in 1864 for which the sum of \$30 was paid. This amount had been paid but there was \$116 due for interest for which a note had been given, and the prayer of this petition was that for various reasons given the interest be remitted. Petition received. The Sec'y-Tr. explained that he had called upon the petitioner for am't of note, and he had promised to let the matter lie over until this session. The cost of the lot was excessive as the petition explained, and the petitioner felt it was hard that he was now required to pay \$116 for interest. C. R. B. Adams moved that a petition be made of fifty per cent. thus reducing the amount to half; on the motion being put his was the only vote in favor.

On motion prayer of petition not granted.
C. Burhill presented the petition of Johann Quigley, for payment of damages to produce &c., in her cellar, in consequence of the stoppage of a public drain. Damage estimated at \$60, and she prays that an order be passed to pay her this amount. C. Burhill moved that a Committee be appointed to investigate the matter and to report to-morrow. It was said that other petitions of the same kind were to come in and that such cases referred to the one Committee. Com. were C's. Burhill, A. Adams, Kenneth Cameron.
C. A. Adams, Chairman of a Committee appointed at the January session to prepare a Bye Law in reference to the duties of District Clerks at Municipal elections presented their report which in substance was as follows:
It provides that in Parishes where there are two or more polling places it shall be the duty of the District Clerks, other than those of District No. 1, to provide a building for election and to be paid not more than \$2.00 for such building.
Such District Clerks to receive the returns from the Chairmen and to keep the same until the Chairman of District No. 1 before 10 a. m. of the day following the election, and shall be the duty of the District Clerks to provide ballot boxes when required, said boxes to cost not more than \$1.00 and to become the property of the District Clerks other than in No. 1 District shall be allowed for their services in any such election and for conveying the returns to the Chairman of District No. 1 the sum of \$2.00, which amount, together with rent of building for ballot boxes if required shall be a Parish charge on the respective Parishes to which these provisions shall extend.
Signed—A. Adams, R. B. Adams, James Robinson, Committee.
Report received and adopted.
C. Burhill moved that a com. of five be appointed to examine any County accounts that may come before Council.
C's Burhill, Goggin, Loggie, Tozer, Swin, were appointed.
C. Sullivan presented petition of James Neilson for refund of assessment, he being taxed both in the Parish of Hardwick and Chatham, and prays that an order be passed that the amount collected in Chatham be refunded to him, as he was legally entitled to pay in Hardwick only. Pet. received and on motion prayer of pet. granted and Chatham ordered to refund the 90 cents collected. C. Burhill moved that a com. of five be appointed to examine any County accounts that may come before Council.
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On motion Wm. A. Park, Esq., was allowed to speak on behalf of one of the parties interested.
He said he was retained by Mrs. Quigley to look after her interests in this matter. Whether it was the neglect of the Comm'r of Roads for last year or this present one, it was an undeniable fact that the damage actually culminated this year. The present Comm'r had admitted the justice of the claim of his client and had said that he would wait orders of Council as to whether or not he was to pay the damages asked. He thought it was the duty of the committee to see the petitioners and investigate these matters and ascertain that the damages claimed were not excessive. They had taken no pains to find out the damage actually done. He, in the interest of his client would like to know at once what the Council intend to do in the matter, as injury had been done, and if the petition for damages was allowed to lie over, the town of Newcastle was incorporated these parties would have good cause for action of damages.
C. A. Adams said the present Comm'r of Roads had been examined and satisfactorily proved that there was no neglect of duty. The sewer had been laid and to repair the road he had to repair this sewer. Another point the health of the town of Newcastle was in a very bad state in consequence of the large quantity of vegetable matter lying rotting in consequence of the flooding of the streets. He thought part of these damages should be paid. He thought that the Parish of Newcastle was the worst managed Parish in the whole County, its roads and sidewalks were in a most disreputable condition and in road taxes there were more defaulters in this than any other Parish. While he admitted the liability to pay damages, yet he would object to pay any more than fifty per cent. of the damages claimed. In reply to a question the Sec'y-Tr. said that the Commissioner would not be bound to pay any order of Council for such a purpose.
C. Brown thought there was a large number of cellars flooded in different parts of the town and that flooded cellars were not confined to those who had paid in claims for damages. He thought the streets and sidewalks were in fair order.
C. R. B. Adams was of opinion that the streets in Newcastle were the worst in the County, and it was not to be wondered at when he expressed his opinion that the Sec'y-Tr. if an action could be taken against the town or any officer for neglect of duty if his horse broke his leg while crossing some of the ill-planned plank crossings.
Sec'y-Tr. thought this was a matter for which the Council was not responsible. It was then moved that the report be adopted. Moved in amendment that the damages claimed be not considered. This amendment was withdrawn. It was then moved in amendment that the report be referred to the Council for the Parish of Newcastle. Amendment carried.
C. Brown was opposed to paying any such claims unless at a public meeting of the ratepayers the majority agreed to assess themselves sufficient to pay these damages, he thought then it would be all right.
Warden resumed the chair.
C. J. Sanderson presented petition of Alex. Archibald for over assessment, he having been assessed in both the Parishes of Nelson and Derby, and living in Nelson. On motion Parish of Derby was ordered to refund the amount collected, \$1.00.
Licenses granted to Thos. Wheaton, Chatham, tavern, 6 mos.; C. J. Malby, Newcastle, tavern, 6 mos.; John Fay, Newcastle, tavern, 6 mos.
C's Burhill and Sanderson were appointed a committee to provide accommodation in the Council Room for the two new Councilmen to be elected from the Parish of Nelson as per Act of Assembly of last session.
Ordered that the Sec'y-Tr. pay the Chatham lock-up com. the sum of \$62 for rent.
Licenses granted to Wm. Cottier and Samuel Loggie \$2.00 each for services as constables during session of Council were passed.
Sec'y-Tr. said that last July he was authorized to offer for sale at public auction the lot occupied by Mrs. Shaw. He had not been able to do so and would suggest that the following resolution be passed.
Resolved, That that portion of the resolution of the Council, passed at last July sitting directing the Sec'y-Tr. to advertise the lot of land lately occupied by Mrs. Shaw, but now in possession of the County, for sale at public auction at the upset price of \$200, and if not sold to lease the same, be rescinded, and that the Sec'y-Tr. be authorized to advertise the said lot at public sale at the upset price of \$1000. Terms one third down and the balance in one year, with annual interest at six per cent., and if the said lot could not be sold for \$1000 or more that he lease the same from year to year till the same can be advantageously sold.
Resolution passed.
C. A. Adams presented the following report—
Your Com. to whom was referred the accounts of town and parish clerks beg leave to submit the following report.
That owing to the increased duties they had to perform in some parishes last year where additional polling booths were established, and whereas the district clerks' duties were unduly increased, we would recommend that Parish and Town Clerks receive \$2.00 each and that the Sec'y-Tr. be authorized to pay last year only. This report refers only to the Parishes of Newcastle and Chatham. Signed A. Adams, Rob. Loggie, James Robinson.
Report received.
The Com. then presented the following accounts—
T. C. Miller, \$4.00 for rent of building to hold municipal election in Carleton Place. No authority to pay any such amount, recommended.
John Buckley \$4.00 for posting notices municipal election. No authority but as the work was done in accordance with the law, recommended.
Isaiah \$2.00 for posting notices \$4.00, rent of building in No. 1 and 2 districts \$2.00, Stationary \$2.00, total \$6.00. Not authorized by law and recommended that \$4.00 be paid. Carried.
Ed. Whitney \$9.00, Com. recommended \$5.00, for calling public meeting in reference to sewer. Com. thought those who were called to the meeting should pay the expenses, and recommended it be not paid. Carried.
Dr. McDonald, medical attendance on prisoners in jail \$14.00. Ordered to be paid.
These accounts being the balance of business to be done at this session, C. Burhill moved that the Warden leave the chair and C. A. Adams be appointed in his stead, which motion was carried. He then in a few well chosen remarks moved that a cordial vote of thanks be tendered to the Warden for his able and impartial manner in which he has conducted the business of the Council, and with the hope that C. A. Adams shall be connected with the Council next year as well as all present; it was with great pleasure he made this motion. Carried unanimously. The Warden returned thanks.
Votes of thanks were passed to the press representatives—Messrs. Anslaw and Smith for their able and efficient services as the Sec'y-Tr. for the courteous and gentlemanly manner in which he had performed the very important duties of his office, and with the hope that he will be called to fill a higher and more important position he might long be found occupying his present position.
Mr. Thomson, in a few remarks expressed his appreciation of the honor done him. Council then adjourned sine die.

General Briefs.
It is expected that the European harvest will be more than an average yield.
The Emperor of China is suffering from small pox, which it is thought will terminate fatally.
Mr. Claud Chippin, of Halifax, of the party of Canadian Pacific engineers in camp below Beaton, on the railway reservation, recently attempted to swim the Mississipi. When he reached the channel, the fatal current of the river bore him down stream, and he was drowned.
The Orange demonstration in Toronto, on the 12th, is expected to surpass in magnitude any celebration ever held on the continent under the auspices of the Order.
The "Great Eastern" is to be sold at public auction on the 1st of October next. The colossal statue of the Virgin Mary, to be placed in the Natural Niche, 1300 feet high, in Cape Trinity, at the mouth of the Saguenay, has been finished and will be exhibited at Montreal. Robitaille, the maker, has been at work on ten months.
The exact extent of the Quebec disaster is 642 houses, 1,211 families, 6,028 individuals.
Mr. Farnell has been charged in the House of Commons with raising rents on his own estate.
The British Government has called the attention of the United States authorities to the operation of Fenians in New York. Sullivan is spreading an alarming report in the Russian navy.
A plot has been discovered for a general rising of the Russian people.
The following is a statement of the taxonomic capital and deposits of Canada—Bank of Montreal, assessable \$9,087, not assessable \$50,229; Canadian Bank of Commerce, assessable \$34,342, not assessable \$10,720; Merchants' Bank of Canada, all assessable, \$5,834.
It has been decided not to test the legal title of the present Metropolitan of Canada in the courts.
Another coal discovery has been made at Round Lake, Botsford, Westmoreland Co. The vein or seam, whatever it is, is said to resemble albite.

favor. On motion prayer of petition not granted.
C. Burhill presented the petition of Johann Quigley, for payment of damages to produce &c., in her cellar, in consequence of the stoppage of a public drain. Damage estimated at \$60, and she prays that an order be passed to pay her this amount. C. Burhill moved that a Committee be appointed to investigate the matter and to report to-morrow. It was said that other petitions of the same kind were to come in and that such cases referred to the one Committee. Com. were C's. Burhill, A. Adams, Kenneth Cameron.
C. A. Adams, Chairman of a Committee appointed at the January session to prepare a Bye Law in reference to the duties of District Clerks at Municipal elections presented their report which in substance was as follows:
It provides that in Parishes where there are two or more polling places it shall be the duty of the District Clerks, other than those of District No. 1, to provide a building for election and to be paid not more than \$2.00 for such building.
Such District Clerks to receive the returns from the Chairmen and to keep the same until the Chairman of District No. 1 before 10 a. m. of the day following the election, and shall be the duty of the District Clerks to provide ballot boxes when required, said boxes to cost not more than \$1.00 and to become the property of the District Clerks other than in No. 1 District shall be allowed for their services in any such election and for conveying the returns to the Chairman of District No. 1 the sum of \$2.00, which amount, together with rent of building for ballot boxes if required shall be a Parish charge on the respective Parishes to which these provisions shall extend.
Signed—A. Adams, R. B. Adams, James Robinson, Committee.
Report received and adopted.
C. Burhill moved that a com. of five be appointed to examine any County accounts that may come before Council.
C's Burhill, Goggin, Loggie, Tozer, Swin, were appointed.
C. Sullivan presented petition of James Neilson for refund of assessment, he being taxed both in the Parish of Hardwick and Chatham, and prays that an order be passed that the amount collected in Chatham be refunded to him, as he was legally entitled to pay in Hardwick only. Pet. received and on motion prayer of pet. granted and Chatham ordered to refund the 90 cents collected. C. Burhill moved that a com. of five be appointed to examine any County accounts that may come before Council.
C's Burhill, Goggin, Loggie, Tozer, Swin, were appointed.

On motion Wm. A. Park, Esq., was allowed to speak on behalf of one of the parties interested.
He said he was retained by Mrs. Quigley to look after her interests in this matter. Whether it was the neglect of the Comm'r of Roads for last year or this present one, it was an undeniable fact that the damage actually culminated this year. The present Comm'r had admitted the justice of the claim of his client and had said that he would wait orders of Council as to whether or not he was to pay the damages asked. He thought it was the duty of the committee to see the petitioners and investigate these matters and ascertain that the damages claimed were not excessive. They had taken no pains to find out the damage actually done. He, in the interest of his client would like to know at once what the Council intend to do in the matter, as injury had been done, and if the petition for damages was allowed to lie over, the town of Newcastle was incorporated these parties would have good cause for action of damages.
C. A. Adams said the present Comm'r of Roads had been examined and satisfactorily proved that there was no neglect of duty. The sewer had been laid and to repair the road he had to repair this sewer. Another point the health of the town of Newcastle was in a very bad state in consequence of the large quantity of vegetable matter lying rotting in consequence of the flooding of the streets. He thought part of these damages should be paid. He thought that the Parish of Newcastle was the worst managed Parish in the whole County, its roads and sidewalks were in a most disreputable condition and in road taxes there were more defaulters in this than any other Parish. While he admitted the liability to pay damages, yet he would object to pay any more than fifty per cent. of the damages claimed. In reply to a question the Sec'y-Tr. said that the Commissioner would not be bound to pay any order of Council for such a purpose.
C. Brown thought there was a large number of cellars flooded in different parts of the town and that flooded cellars were not confined to those who had paid in claims for damages. He thought the streets and sidewalks were in fair order.
C. R. B. Adams was of opinion that the streets in Newcastle were the worst in the County, and it was not to be wondered at when he expressed his opinion that the Sec'y-Tr. if an action could be taken against the town or any officer for neglect of duty if his horse broke his leg while crossing some of the ill-planned plank crossings.
Sec'y-Tr. thought this was a matter for which the Council was not responsible. It was then moved that the report be adopted. Moved in amendment that the damages claimed be not considered. This amendment was withdrawn. It was then moved in amendment that the report be referred to the Council for the Parish of Newcastle. Amendment carried.
C. Brown was opposed to paying any such claims unless at a public meeting of the ratepayers the majority agreed to assess themselves sufficient to pay these damages, he thought then it would be all right.
Warden resumed the chair.
C. J. Sanderson presented petition of Alex. Archibald for over assessment, he having been assessed in both the Parishes of Nelson and Derby, and living in Nelson. On motion Parish of Derby was ordered to refund the amount collected, \$1.00.
Licenses granted to Thos. Wheaton, Chatham, tavern, 6 mos.; C. J. Malby, Newcastle, tavern, 6 mos.; John Fay, Newcastle, tavern, 6 mos.
C's Burhill and Sanderson were appointed a committee to provide accommodation in the Council Room for the two new Councilmen to be elected from the Parish of Nelson as per Act of Assembly of last session.
Ordered that the Sec'y-Tr. pay the Chatham lock-up com. the sum of \$62 for rent.
Licenses granted to Wm. Cottier and Samuel Loggie \$2.00 each for services as constables during session of Council were passed.
Sec'y-Tr. said that last July he was authorized to offer for sale at public auction the lot occupied by Mrs. Shaw. He had not been able to do so and would suggest that the following resolution be passed.
Resolved, That that portion of the resolution of the Council, passed at last July sitting directing the Sec'y-Tr. to advertise the lot of land lately occupied by Mrs. Shaw, but now in possession of the County, for

