

General Business. COMMON SOAP. ROUGH SKIN. Olive Oil and Cucumber Soap. HICKEY'S Drug Store.

Preserve Your Health. Frost King or Frost Queen. C. P. Hickey, Druggist, Chatham, N. B.

Bank of Montreal. ESTABLISHED 1817. Capital (all paid up) \$12,000,000. Reserve Fund \$8,000,000.

Notice of Sale. To Whilplet P. Allen of the Parish of Glenelg, in the County of Northumberland, Farmer, and Janet Allen, his wife.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY. Tender for Double Tracking. Sealed Tenders, addressed to the undersigned, and marked on the outside "Tender for Double Tracking."

EASTERN STEAMSHIP CO. International Division. WINTER Reduced Rates. In effect November 2, 1903, to May 1, 1904.

Receipts and Expenditures of the Corporation of the Town of Chatham for the Year Ending 31st December, 1903. ASSESSMENT FOR 1903.

RECEIPTS. Taxes Collected for 1903, \$22,108 63. Defaulters, 6,324 55. Police Magistrate's returns, 403 35.

EXPENDITURES. Balance due 1902, \$ 5,622 20. Contingent, 4,004 99. Schools, 7,420 00. Light, 1,558 12.

Dr. Balance, \$ 4,294 71

BOND ACCOUNT. To Bonds for Water and Sewers, \$150,000 00. Due Hanscom & Co., 1,649 20. Jas. Miller, 6,752 00.

MAINTENANCE ASSESSMENT ACCOUNT. By Amount of Assessment, \$1,500 00. To Cash paid, 1,437 90. Cr. Balance, \$ 62 10.

TOWN BONDED DEBT. Bond issue, 59 Vic. Chap. 46, 40 yrs., 4 per cent., \$ 20,000 00. 61 Vic. Chap. 55, 40 yrs., 4 per cent., 20,000 00.

PROCEEDS OF WATER AND SEWERAGE BOND SALES. Dec. 10, '01 - \$ 5,000 00 at par and accrued interest, \$ 5,086 57. Dec. 12, '01 - 1,000 00 " " " 1,000 00.

SINKING FUND. Amount to credit of Sinking Fund 31st Dec. 1903, \$5,868 23.

INTEREST ACCOUNT. RECEIPTS. By Balance, \$2,468 05. By Assessment, 7,600 00. \$10,068 05.

EXPENDITURES. 1903. January, Interest on Debentures, \$ 200 00. " " " " " 600 00. " " " " " 1,400 00.

Chatham, 24th January, 1904. Audited. WILLIAM M. SALTER, Auditor.

CONTINGENT ACCOUNT. RECEIPTS. By proportion of default 1902, \$1,048 32. " of taxes 1903, 672 80.

EXPENDITURES. To Balance 1902, \$2,399 35. 1903. January, J. Fred Benson, printing, 19 05. Revisors of Votes, 30 00.

Miramichi Advance. CHATHAM, N. B., MARCH 3, 1904. The Legislature. The New Brunswick Legislature is to open at three o'clock to-day at Fredericton.

Fishery Claims. An Ottawa despatch of Saturday says that Attorney General Pugsley, of New Brunswick, had an interview on that day with Premier Laurier in reference to the proposed case which is to be submitted to the supreme court concerning the jurisdiction over the harbor and coast fisheries in New Brunswick.

Military. The new militia establishment, just authorized, provides for 4,924 officers and 42,334 non-commissioned officers and men. This will be Canada's military force on a peace footing.

Feb'y, Walter Kane, Janitor, 24 58. T. M. Gaynor, salary, 50 00. Wm. Johnston, 54 17. W. M. Salter, 6 25.

March, A. C. McLean, sundries, 1 97. J. B. Snowball, 3 90. H. W. Fleigher, furnace pipe, etc., 9 55.

April, J. F. Connors, salary, 75 00. T. M. Gaynor, 50 00. Wm. Johnston, 54 17. Ross Harding, 1 00.

May, August Ullock, horse hire, 9 00. David Sadler, window shades, 7 75. Frank Winslow, typewriting, 2 50.

June, T. M. Gaynor, 50 00. W. Johnston, 54 17. Walter Kane, 24 58. W. J. Groat, water cart, 13 90.

July, Mrs. Stewart, mending flags, 3 33. J. B. Snowball, sundries, 50 00. John Sinclair, Assessor, 50 00.

Nov. T. M. Gaynor, 50 00. W. Johnston, salary, 54 17. T. M. Gaynor, 50 00. Walter Kane, 24 58.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. We know what all good doctors think of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Ask your own doctor and find out. He will tell you how it quiets the tickling throat, heats the inflamed lungs, and controls the hardest of coughs.

RUSSIA AND JAPAN. The principal items of war news during the past week are as follows: The Korean government has ordered its troops to join those of Japan in operations against the Russians in Korea.

Concerning The New Brunswick S. S. Association. A new departure in connection with Sunday-school work in this province is attracting much attention and promises to be very successful.

How the Business Grows. Increase of Business. First 6 months 1903 over second 6 months 1902 75% Second = 1903 = first = 1903 80%.

Why Pay Duty? LINOTYPE COMPANY. 156-S St. Antoine St., Montreal.

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George Hildebrand, Cunard St. Chatham, N. B. Why not also get something in these lines for a friend just at this Christmas Season?

PUBLIC NOTICE. Take notice that the Dominion Lumber Company (Limited) has deposited with the Honorable the Minister of Public Works for Canada a plan and description, and a duplicate thereof, with the Registrar of Deeds for the County of Restigouche at Dalhousie in the said County, of certain wharves and other artificial works already constructed and those proposed to be constructed on the South shore of the Restigouche River at Dalhousie in the said County of Restigouche near the mean low water of the said Dalhousie Lumber Company (Limited) and will as the expiration of one month from the first publication hereof apply to His Excellency the Governor General in Council for approval thereof.

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