

# FLOUR

5 Crown Elour . . . \$4.85  
 Snow White Flour . . . 4.85  
 Purity and 5 Roses . . . 4.90  
 All Jute bags. 10c extra for cotton bags

## Feed

Corn Meal . . . \$2.30  
 Cracked Corn . . . 2.30  
 . . . . . 2.00  
 Bran . . . . . 1.90

## Toilet Paper

4c a roll, 12 rolls 45c.  
 \$3.50 case of 100

## Rolled Oats

Best Rolled Oats, 5 lbs 25c  
 20 lb bag \$1.00  
 90 lb bag \$3.50

## Raisins

New Australian Raisins  
 2 lbs for 25 cents  
 Seeded 15 oz pkg 15c.  
 Sun Maid Seeded and  
 Seedless 16c pkg.

## Prunes

3 Lbs. for 25c.

## Electric Lamps

25 and 40 watts. 23c each

## Domestic

### Shortening

1 lb. Blocks . . . . . 21c.  
 3 lb. Pails . . . . . 55c.  
 5 lb. Pails . . . . . 95c.  
 10 lb. Pails . . . . . \$1.80  
 20 lb. Pails . . . . . \$3.40

## Brooms

Splendid Quality  
 44c, 55c, 65c, 75c, 95c and  
 \$1.00 each.

## New

## Canned Goods

Tomatoes . . . . . 17c.  
 3 cans for 50c.  
 Peas . . . . . 17c.  
 3 cans for 50c.  
 Corn . . . . . 15c.

## Soap

Surprise, 4 cakes . . . 25c.  
 P and G, 4 cakes . . . 25c.  
 Gold, 4 cakes . . . . . 25c.  
 Sunlight, 4 cakes . . . 25c.  
 Champlain, 5 cakes . 25c.  
 Palm Olive, 3 cakes 25c.

# YERXA GROCERY CO.

2 STORES  
 York St. Queen St.

## City Assessment for 1925 to be Completed On Friday Night Next

### Some Increases and Some Reductions—Board of Trade Grant Reduced by \$750—Some Differences of Opinion—Salvage Corps Truck is Turned Down—No Action on the Morrison School Road.

The City Council took the first "hack" at the 1926 Assessment Monday night, the second attack will be made Friday night. In the meantime a number of items on which action has been deferred will be under consideration. The work was not sufficiently advanced Monday night to enable a forecast of the total assessment. Some increases were made and also some reductions.

The Board of Trade grant was reduced from \$1,500 to \$750 if the Board should decide to disregard the offer of accommodation and a secretary at the City Hall. This action was taken after an amendment of Ald. Smith that the reduced grant be \$1,000. The grant for Public Health was left as it was, \$3,000.

Increases include something more than \$1,000 for Principal, Interest and Sinking Fund, one of \$6,000 for Roads and Streets making the total \$28,000 of which \$8,000 already is expended for trap-rock.

Decreases were \$1,000 for Municipal Home and Support of Poor and \$500 for Street Lighting.

Consideration of the item for Fire Department was deferred. The proposition that the Salvage Corps be furnished with a motor truck was not acted upon.

The items as given in the following were not decided upon without some differences in opinion. The Hospital grant remains as it was but an over-expenditure on city patients in 1925 is to be paid out of contingent account.

#### Items as Passed.

The items as passed by the Council, although still subject to change, were as follows:—

Schools	\$110,725.00
Principal, Interest and Sinking Fund	52,518.19
Victoria Hospital	3,000.00
Public Health	3,000.00
Municipal Home and Support of Poor	8,000.00
Street Lighting	8,000.00
Roads and Streets	28,000.00
Public Works	4,000.00
Administration of Justice	15,000.00
City Hall	3,500.00
Old Burial Ground	300.00
General Interest	6,500.00
Assessing and Collecting	3,500.00
City Government	6,500.00

#### GRANTS—

Board of Trade	\$750.00
Wilnot Park	800.00
Local Imp. Assoc.	400.00
Children's Aid	600.00
Victorian Nurse	500.00

#### Hospital Grant.

Ald. Goodspeed seconded by Ald. McKnight moved that the grant be \$4,000.

In amendment Ald. Mitchell moved that the over-charge of 1925 be paid and the grant remain at \$3,000.

The motion was withdrawn and the amendment carried.

#### Fire Dept. Matter.

Ald. Ross when the Fire Dept. estimate was considered drew attention to the lack of a truck for the Salvage Corps. An application for that had been made last year and turned down because the appropriation had been made.

Ald. McKnight said the estimate had been made as low as possible and he felt diffident about adding anything to it.

Ald. Mitchell said there was no application for a Salvage Corps truck. He could see no reason to consider it. There was an item for four new ladders. He wanted information.

Ald. McKnight said the old ladders were still in use where possible. The replacement had been necessary.

#### Ald. Currier Inquires.

Ald. Currier said he had heard that one ladder was allowed to fall on the street its full length and broke into four pieces. He also had heard that one ladder was at the Exhibition Buildings.

Ald. McKnight said he had heard of no such breakage. A ladder had been broken on the truck. The ladder at the Exhibition Building was too heavy to be handled.

At his suggestion action on this item was deferred.

#### Roads and Streets.

Ald. Currier explained in regard to the Roads and Streets estimate that the amount was \$28,200 compared with \$28,000. In the item was \$8,000

for trap-rock which was in the city yard and had been paid for. A credit would be received from that item.

#### Morrison School Board.

Ald. Ross asked for an item of \$200 to improve the approach to Morrison School.

Ald. Smith said the decision last year was to let the School Board take the laboring oar in that matter.

Ald. Ross said it was a public road as it had been in use for twenty years. He moved for \$200.

Ald. Mitchell opposed the motion and moved that the appropriation be \$28,000. The motion was carried.

On the motion of Ald. Mitchell consideration of the item of Concrete Sidewalks was deferred.

#### Board of Trade Grant.

Ald. Mitchell for a special committee that the Board of Trade be offered free accommodation at City Hall with a secretary, or a grant of \$750.

Ald. Smith said that he was a member of the committee. He opposed this recommendation because it would be too short notice to the Board of Trade. He would cut the matter as fine as possible and moved that the grant be \$1,000.

Ald. Ross seconded Ald. Smith's motion, speaking in favor of the Board.

Ald. Mitchell said he did not wish to depreciate the work of the Board of Trade but he contended that it could function just as well from City Hall as from its present office.

The amendment was lost on the following vote:—

Yea—Smith, McKnight, Ross, Nay—Davidson, Richards, Goodspeed, Hay, Currier, Mitchell.

#### Exhibition Grant.

Ald. Smith pointed out that the custom had been to guarantee an exhibition deficit up to \$3,000. He requested discussion.

Ald. Currier supported the suggestion of Ald. Smith.

The latter said that his intention was to bring the matter to attention in case exhibition directors should appear at a later date.

Adjournment was made until Friday night.

## SPRING FASHION SHOWS IN FULL SWING IN PARIS

Paris, Feb. 15—The spring openings of the Parisian style dictators are in full swing. Paquin and Worth, opening today, brought the number of showings already on view to forty-six and there probably are nine more first-class controllers of fashion still to make their 1926 bow, among them Lanvin, Callot and Bone.

Chinese red, spring-like green, beige and dark blue are given as the colors to be most popular next season. One of the exhibits which has evoked much comment is that of Prince Felix Youssouppoff's newly-established house. The prince does not claim to be the artist who designed the gowns he is showing, and admits that he has at least three talented designers working for him.

He avers his personal ambition is to turn women from imitating men in dress and to influence them to revert to purely feminine types, which men always have liked.

## MUCH SNOW IN ALBERT COUNTY

Hopewell Hill, Feb. 12—Another very severe storm, which a violent northeaster and heavy fall of snow, gripped this neighborhood yesterday, filling the roadways again and altogether suspending outdoor activities. The Albert train, though experiencing considerable difficulty, made the round trip, having better success than at the time of the two preceding storms. Reports from the lumber woods say the snow is six feet deep in some localities and not less than four to five everywhere. Operations are not altogether suspended, but unusual labor is required to keep roads at all passable.

## BERLIN PUTS A TAX ON ALL MOTOR CARS

Berlin, Feb. 15—The Berlin Council today passed an ordinance placing taxes on automobiles which amount to about \$200 yearly for the average family car. Besides this lump sum, an additional tax of 4½ cents per ton per kilometre is also assessed. Small motor cycles under one horsepower, which are very popular with workers travelling to suburbs, and which formerly were tax free, now come under the ban, taxes alone costing twice as much as carfare.

#### SIMILES OF 1925.

Similes for 1925—the fifth annual crop—have been gathered by F. J. Wiltach, author of "A Dictionary of Similes." The following are a few specimens:

Thin as a flapper's eyebrow.  
 Punctual as an eclipse.  
 Close as a collar-button to your backbone.

Useless as a curry-comb in Detroit.

False as the promise of a book-borrower.

A reputation as loose as a flapper's galosh.

Tiresome as a bedtime uncle on the radio.

She looks like a cancelled two-cent stamp.

Mad as a laughing hyena with a split lip.

Optimistic as a seedseller's catalogue.

So still you could hear the microbes gnashing their teeth.

He looked over her like a dentist hunting for a cavity.

His radio sounds like a cage in the zoo.

His moustache looks like handle bars on a bicycle.

A face as long as a Winter's night in Norway.

She was so thin that her full face looked like a profile.

Helpless as a crossword puzzle field without a pencil.

Plutters gently, like whiskers dropping on a barbershop floor.

A good man is like a tennis ball; the harder you hit him, the higher he bounces.

The mosquito is like a child. When he stops making a noise you know he is getting into something.

Mean as the barber who put hair-restorer into his shaving cream.

Stinky as the man who tried to send a night letter during an eclipse.

Busy as a one-armed man trying to open an umbrella.

Love had come into his life like a shell into a fortress.

He played the king in Hamlet as if he momentarily expected somebody to play the Ace.

The carpet was so thick it was like stepping on a cat.

Unimportant as a new scratch on a four-year-old car.

His face was as red as a picture house exit bulb.

## Sour Stomach

"Phillips Milk of Magnesia"

Better than Soda

Instead of soda hereafter take a little "Phillips Milk of Magnesia" in water any time for indigestion or sour, acid, gassy stomach, and relief will come instantly.

For fifty years genuine "Phillips Milk of Magnesia" has been prescribed by physicians because it overcomes three times as much acid in the stomach as a saturated solution of bicarbonate of soda, leaving the stomach sweet and free from all gases. It neutralizes acid fermentations in the bowels and gently urges the sour-rips. Any drugstore.

## Notice of Legislation

Notice is hereby given that application will be made at the next Session of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of New Brunswick by the Trustees of Victoria Public Hospital, for the passing of an Act authorizing the said Trustees to issue debentures in a sum not exceeding the sum of \$10,000, for the purpose of building an Isolation Hospital, same to be issued in serial form, with interest at five per cent, payable half yearly, and guaranteed as to principal and interest by the City of Fredericton, the whole to be payable in not less than twenty years.

Dated at Fredericton, January 26th, 1926.

PETER J. HUGHES,  
 Solicitor for said Trustees.

# FEEDS! FEEDS!

BRAN SHORTS  
 FEED FLOUR  
 CORN MEAL  
 CRACKED CORN  
 WHOLE CORN  
 SCRATCH FEED  
 GOOD FEED OATS  
 at Lowest Market Rates

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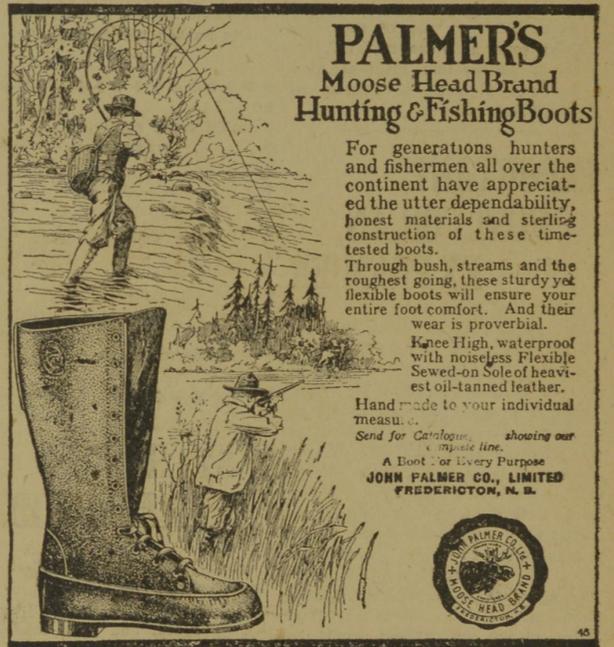
## Our New Line of Light and Heavy O'Coatings Have Arrived

Irish Frieze, Chincillas, French and English Montilage, Beavers and Carr's Melton.

PRICES RANGE FROM \$35.00 TO \$90.00. (Silk linings extra). Our EVENING DRESS MATERIAL is better than usual. We make a specialty of these garments.

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Queen St. Fredericton



### PALMER'S Moose Head Brand Hunting & Fishing Boots

For generations hunters and fishermen all over the continent have appreciated the utter dependability, honest materials and sterling construction of these time-tested boots.

Through bush, streams and the roughest going, these sturdy yet flexible boots will ensure your entire foot comfort. And their wear is proverbial.

Knee High, waterproof with noiseless Flexible Sewed-on Sole of heaviest oil-tanned leather.

Hand made to your individual measure.

Send for Catalogue, showing our complete line.

A Boot for Every Purpose

JOHN PALMER CO., LIMITED  
 FREDERICTON, N. B.

## CURRIE BROTHERS TO Continue Price Slashing Sale

As a Result of our Advertising Campaign carried on through The Daily Mail, we have cleaned out one stock of Farmer's and Lumbermen's Footwear but we have another supply which we will sell at the following low prices;

	Reg. Price	Sale Price
Men's 10 in. Palmer Draw String Shoepacks	\$5.50	\$4.85
Men's 6 in. Palmer Draw String Shoepacks	\$5.00	\$4.45
Men's 6 in. Palmer Skowhegan Waterproof 'packs	\$3.50	\$2.95
Men's 10 in. Palmer Horse Hide Indian Style D.S.	\$3.00	\$2.15
Men's 6 in. Palmer Horse Hide Indian Style D.S.	\$2.50	\$1.95
Boys' 6 in. Palmer Plain Sewn Oiltanned 'packs	\$2.75	\$2.25
Youths 6 in. Palmer Plain Sewn Oiltanned 'packs	\$2.00	\$1.60
Little Gents 6 in. Palmer Plain Sewn Oiltanned Shoepacks	\$1.50	\$1.25
Boys and Misses 6 in. Palmer Horse Hide Indian Style Draw String. (Just the thing for Snow-shoeing)	\$2.25	\$1.85
Youths 6 in. Horse Hide Indian Draw String 'packs	\$1.75	\$1.50
Little Gents 6 in. Horse Hide Indian Draw String Shoepacks	\$1.50	\$1.25

The above goods were all manufactured by the John Palmer Co., and are first class standard brands and New Stock—no trash or imitations.

#### WE ALSO HAVE SOME

Mens 4 Buckle Overshoes. Splendid values, worth at least \$5.00. We are going to sell them at \$3.75  
 Mens Heavy Khaki Wool Trousers, \$6.00 value at \$4.50  
 Mens Heavy Khaki Wool Breeches, Leather bound at \$4.50  
 We have a few Mens Macinaw Jumpers and Shirts, excellent qualities at greatly reduced prices, ranging from \$4.00 to \$5.00  
 Mens All Wool Under Shirts. While they last going at \$1.00  
 All Wool Home Made Socks and Mittens.  
 Leather Gloves, Mittens and Pullovers.  
 Ladies' 4 Buckle Overshoes, regular \$5.00. Sale price \$3.50  
 Ladies' 2 Buckle and 2 Snap Button Overshoes, Regular \$5.00  
 Sale price \$3.75

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