

# YERXA GROCERY CO.

## Edwardsburg Crown Syrup

You know how good it is.

- 2 lb. Can ..... .19
- 5 lb. Can ..... .40
- 10 lb. Pail ..... .75

## GLASS WARE

- Lantern Chimneys . .12  
(Tall or Short)
- Lamp Chimneys . .13  
2 FOR 25 CENTS.  
(Large)
- Lamp Chimneys . .12  
(Medium)

## TEA

Try a Pound of our

- Bulk Tea ..... .55 lb.
- 5 lbs. \$2.65.

## Canned Goods

- Corn ..... .15
- Peas ..... .17  
3 CANS FOR 50 CENTS
- Tomatoes ..... .17  
3 CANS FOR 50 CENTS

## FISH

- Fresh Herring ..... .07
- Fresh Cod ..... .08
- Fillets ..... .17
- Best Boneless Cod . .15

## Dried Fruits

- Dates, . .13c lb, 2 lbs 25c.
- Figs ..... .27c lb.
- Prunes ..... 3 lbs 25c.
- New Raisins . .2 lbs. 25c.

## FLOUR

98 lb. JUTE BAGS

- 5 Crown Flour . . . \$4.90
- Snow White Flour. 4.90
- Purity and 5 Roses 5.00

## Patent Medicine

Don't forget our low prices.  
We Quote a Few.

- .50 PINK PILLS ..... \$ .40
- .35 MINARDS LINIMENT ..... .25
- 1.30 SCOTTS EMULSION large 1.00
- .65 SCOTTS EMULSION small .50
- .50 ZAM BUK ..... .43
- .50 DODDS PILLS ..... .40
- .50 GIN PILLS ..... .40
- .65 CHASE NERVE FOOD ..... .50
- .35 CHASE PILLS ..... .25
- 1.50 FELLOWS COMPOUND . .130

## A Few Good Quarter Trades

- lbs. POT BARLEY ..... .25
- 5 lbs. BAKING SODA ..... .25
- 2 qts. YELLOW EYE BEANS . .25
- 1 lb. GRATED COCOANUT . .25
- 3 lbs. RICE ..... .25
- 3 lbs. FARINA ..... .25
- 5 lbs. BUCKWHEAT FLOUR . .25
- 2 lbs. BULK MACARONI . .23

## 2 STORES

York St. Queen St.

# Mayor Clark Says Changes Needea to get City out of Rut

Outlines Policy in Address to City Council—De-  
clares for Improved Highway Entrances East  
and West—Economy Necessary and Better  
Collection of Taxes—Service and Not Popu-  
larity — Reduction in Taxation Should be  
Brought About.

The outline of policy as placed be-  
fore the City Council by His Worship  
Mayor W. G. Clark in an address de-  
livered Tuesday night contained refer-  
ence to the proposed Assessment  
Act to the effect that proper prin-  
ciples had been abandoned in the pre-  
paration of the report of the Commis-  
sion, in favor of class reduction of  
assessment. His Worship declared for  
improved highway entrances to the  
City from both east and west and also  
for economy in all things possible.  
Changes would have to be made to  
produce results and the Council must  
place service before popularity.

### The Address.

The full text of the address is as  
follows:—

February 2, 1926.

Esteeming it an honor to have been  
elected by the votes of the people to  
the highest office in the City, I pur-  
pose to give attention to the duties  
pertaining to that office.

With me were elected Aldermen  
who I believe have the interests of  
the City at heart as have those al-  
ready in office. It may not be amiss  
to point out what in my opinion a  
change of City Government means! It  
means changes—if everything is car-  
ried on in the same way there would  
be no effect in the vote. Precedent is  
in many cases, it is true, a safe guide,  
but not always; precedent will not  
get one out of a rut and that Freder-  
icton is in a rut is evidenced by the  
fact that there are over 1900 individ-  
ual taxes unpaid (despite the good  
work done by last year's Finance Com-  
mittee) which constitutes, I believe,  
a record; I do not suppose any muni-  
cipality anywhere would show propor-  
tionately such a state of affairs. The  
earnest attention of the present Coun-  
cil is needed to bring about a new  
order.

Our platform was economy—looking  
to the keeping down of taxation. We  
do not intend to forget this. It is of  
importance in any government at the  
present time. High financial authori-  
ties are pointing out that in Great  
Britain and the United States taxa-  
tion is being reduced, but unfortun-  
ately in Canada we have not had  
strong enough leadership to bring that  
about. Taxation should be reduced for  
the ultimate good of our Country. In  
our City we should show that we can  
resist pressure for unnecessary ex-  
penditures. The water and sewerage,  
the light and police, the fire and roads  
and street services must be maintain-  
ed efficiently and improvements must  
be made where there is need for them  
as, for instance, in the roads and  
streets.

### Wants Improved Entrances.

We commend the opening of the  
motor tourist grounds here and the  
encouragement of tourist traffic. One  
important feature has been overlook-  
ed—the provision of good highways  
leading in and out of the city. The  
motorist's impression on arriving in  
Fredericton over smooth pavements  
would be favorable; whereas if the  
approach to the city is by rough  
streets, deep mud holes, an unfavor-  
able impression is created and may  
be passed to others. A permanent road  
should be constructed from the Ex-  
perimental Farm to the C. N. R. bridge  
track and from the hospital to the  
new cemetery and this road should  
be maintained in first class condition.

### Educational Advantages.

I think some special effort should  
be made to place before the people of  
this province the unexcelled educa-  
tional advantages possessed by the  
City of Fredericton so that the pres-  
ent trend which has brought recently  
some twenty families to the city to  
make Fredericton their home may be  
greatly increased.

Efforts will no doubt be made with  
the proper authorities to get the C.  
N. R. workshops for this district, lo-  
cated here. We should be alert to  
every possibility of increasing our  
population, business and industry.

With respect to the report of the  
Assessment Commission which comes  
to us from the past year's council, this  
should receive the early consideration  
of the present council. While the new  
assessment bill submitted embodies  
some desirable features, the enact-  
ment of it would considerably add to  
the taxation on Real Estate. That of  
course would be the inevitable result  
of the report's concern with class re-  
duction of assessment rather than in  
adherence to correct principles of  
taxation.

### Must Stem the Tide.

In conclusion, it would be easy to  
drift, to let things go on as they have  
for years, but the harder way we must  
take—to stem the tide—to make cer-  
tain changes—not to do the same  
things in the same way but to interest  
the citizens so that they will want  
to pay their taxes and have a voice in  
civic affairs.

### Not After Popularity.

We are not here to gain popularity  
but to serve, to lead our people to  
conserve their heritage in their beau-  
tiful city to the end that all may re-  
joice in having residence here and  
willingly do their part in its future  
upbuilding.

## ARMSTRONG IS IN BAD SCRAPE

Toronto, Feb. 1.—Late additions  
bring up to 50 the number of  
charges that J. A. M. Armstrong,  
former M. P. for North York and  
real estate agent and conveyancer  
of that county will have to face  
in the County Court on Feb. 4.  
Crown Attorney Frank Moore to-  
day announced that the charges  
would amount to that number, being  
for theft, forgery, uttering forgery  
and fraud.

Mr. Armstrong is at present re-  
leased on bail of \$50,000.

## PROVINCE OF NEW BRUNSWICK

Balance Sheet, 31st October, 1925.

### CURRENT ASSETS

|  |                |
|--|----------------|
| Accounts Receivable, Inventories, etc. (as per schedule)   | \$ 752,742.07  |
| Dominion of Canada:—   |                |
| Balance of Cost of Agricultural School Building on Experimental Farm   | 24,295.24      |
| Amount Receivable in Respect of Advances to Capital  | 1,194,114.31   |
| Deferred Charges:—   |                |
| Insur. Unexpired and Prepaid Charges.  | \$ 15,035.51   |
| Discount on Bonds  | 65,517.96      |
| Trust Accounts (as per Contra):—   | 80,653.47      |
| Consolidated School District No. 4 Order in Council Oct. 4, 1921, Cash and Bonds held by the Province to meet Bond interest and retire at maturity Bonds issued by the School District—Cash.   | 677.40         |
| Dominion of Canada War Loan Bonds par value  | 11,500.00      |
|  | \$ 12,177.40   |
| New Brunswick Power Company, Cash and Bonds held by the Province, to provide for retirement, at maturity, of Bonds issued by the St. John Ry. Company as required by the New Brunswick Companies Act, 1916—Cash                          | 9,410.84       |
| Dominion of Canada War Loan Bonds, par value   | 28,500.00      |
|  | \$ 37,910.84   |
| Town of Campbellton Sinking Fund (1 Geo. V. Cap. 57) Cash and Bonds held by the Province—Cash  | 2,869.46       |
| Dominion of Canada Bonds, par value Province of New Brunswick Bonds, par value   | 12,700.00      |
| Province of Alberta Bonds, par value   | 5,946.66       |
|  | 3,000.00       |
|  | \$ 24,516.12   |
| Joseph T. Tompkin—Trust Investments Canadian National Railway 4½ per cent Bonds at cost  | 22,830.00      |
| Cash   | 976.54         |
|  | \$ 23,806.54   |
| Guarantee Deposits held for Insurance and Trust Companies—Bonds par value  | \$200,500.00   |
| Deficit Account:—  |                |
| Balance of Deficit on Revenue Account Oct. 31, 1924  | 479,994.40     |
| Deduct: Amount capitalized under Act of Legislature 14 Geo. V. Cap. 17, representing interest on Bonds issued by and in aid of the St. John & Quebec Railway less Province's share of Railway Earnings for the year ending Oct. 31, 1924 | 258,000.00     |
|  | \$ 221,994.40  |
| Add: Deficit on Current Revenue Account for year ending Oct. 31, 1925, as per statement attached   | 756,589.51     |
|  | \$ 978,583.91  |
| Add: Deficit on Operations of the New Brunswick Electric Power Commission after providing for Bond Interest, Sinking Fund and Reserve for Maintenance and Renewals—Balance October 31, 1924  | \$107,864.64   |
| Deficit for year ending October 31, 1925   | 55,505.10      |
|  | \$163,369.74   |
|  | \$1,141,953.65 |

### CURRENT LIABILITIES

|  |                |
|--|----------------|
| Bank Overdraft   | \$1,841,470.13 |
| Due to Sinking Funds:—   |                |
| New Brunswick Electric Power Commission 1925 Instalment  | 62,069.11      |
| Accounts Payable (as per Schedule)   | 131,367.70     |
| Trust Funds:—  |                |
| Representing Guarantee, Contractors, Court and other Deposits  | 337,694.86     |
| Interest Due and Accrued on Securities:—   |                |
| On \$21,682,931.92 Bonds of Province   | \$390,008.51   |
| On \$3,550,000.00 Bonds of the Province issued for New Brunswick Electric Power Development  | 58,762.47      |
| On \$7,111,977.40 Bonds issued by and in aid of St. John & Quebec Railway  | 134,285.40     |
| On Bonds Guaranteed by the Province the interest of which has been paid by the Province  | 2,466.66       |
| On Trust Funds   | 10,823.92      |
|  | 596,346.96     |
| Deferred Credits:—   |                |
| Proportion of Dominion Subsidy for General Purposes paid in advance to December 31, 1925   | 106,716.80     |
| Proportion of Beer License paid in advance to April 30, 1926   | 1,597.28       |
|  | 108,314.08     |
| Trust Accounts (As per contra):—   |                |
| Consolidated School District No. 4, Balance held in Trust for Bondholders.   | \$ 12,177.40   |
| New Brunswick Power Company Bonds of the St. John Railway Company—Outstanding at October 31, 1925 and interest accruing until maturity | \$ 37,910.84   |
| Town of Campbellton Sinking Fund (1 Geo. V. Cap. 57) invested as per contra.   | \$ 24,516.12   |
| Joseph T. Tompkin—Trust Investments held as per contra   | \$ 23,806.54   |
| Guarantee Deposits re Insurance and Trust Companies held as per contra   | \$200,500.00   |
| Maintenance and Renewal Reserve:—  |                |
| New Brunswick Electric Power Commission  | 116,495.90     |

NOTE—A Contingent Liability exists in respect of Bonds guaranteed by the Province, amounting as per Acts of the Legislature to \$1,167,900.00.

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

Irish Frieze, Chincillas, French and English Montinage, 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.

## WALKER BROS.


Queen St. Fredericton

## FISH

- No. 1 Herring—half barrels and pails.
- No. 1 Mackerel—pails.
- Medium Codfish—50 lb. bundles.
- Boneless Codfish—30 lb. boxes.
- Boneless Smoked Herring—10 lb boxes
- Fresh Cured Haddies—15 lb. boxes.
- Smoked Herring.

For Sale at ATTRACTIVE PRICES

## G. W. HODGE



### 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.

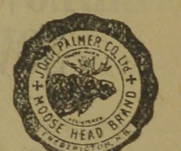
Knee High, waterproof with noiseless Flexible Sewed-on Sole! Heaviest oil-tanned leather.

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 |
|---|------------|------------|
| Mens 10 in. Palmer Draw String Shoebacks  | \$5.50     | \$4.85     |
| Mens 6 in. Palmer Draw String Shoebacks   | \$5.00     | \$4.45     |
| Mens 6 in. Palmer Skowhegan Waterproof 'packs.  | \$3.50     | \$2.95     |
| Mens 10 in. Palmer Horse Hide Indian Style D.S.   | \$3.00     | \$2.15     |
| Mens 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 Shoebacks  | \$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 Shoebacks  | \$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

CALL ON US FOR BARGAINS