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THE CITY COUNCIL MEETING.

One Thousand Dollars Wanted—Enforcement of the Scott Act and Other Matters Considered.

There was a full attendance of members at the meeting of the City Council held last evening.

A bill was presented from Dewolf, Son & Co., Halifax, for a balance of \$50 for the new watering cart.

Councillor Hughes moved that the City Clerk be requested to telegraph the firm to send the sprinkler at once c. o. d., for \$50. Councillor Horne seconded the motion, which carried. Councillors McCarron, Hooper and Taylor voted against the motion.

The report of the Fire Board was then submitted and adopted. It recommended that three rubber coats be purchased for the use of the pipemen of Sisby and Rollo hose reel companies.

Councillor Taylor moved, seconded by Councillor Johnson, that the City Surveyor be requested to have the streets cleaned running from north to south before he had those cleaned running from east to west. The idea is that each ward may receive its share of attention in the proper season.

Councillor Hughes moved in amendment, seconded by Councillor Horne, that the matter be left to the street committee as usual. Councillor Hughes pointed out that the work had been done as quickly as possible, and that a large quantity of stone had already been put down on Water Street.

The amendment carried on a vote of five to three.

A petition asking that more care be taken in the matter of keeping Hillsborough Square in order was referred to the Public Property Committee.

Councillor Hughes submitted the following resolution:

Whereas the Provincial Government of this province for many years past has made an annual grant to the City of Charlottetown in consideration of the police and fire protection given their property situated within the city; and

Whereas, the Federal Government of this Dominion have large interests in their post office, drill shed, railway buildings and military stores also requiring police protection;

Therefore resolved, that the Federal Government be applied to for an annual grant of at least \$1000 towards the maintenance of the police and fire departments in this city; and be it

Further resolved, that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Hon. Louis H. Davies, Prince Edward Island's representative at Ottawa, and that he be requested to use his influence in obtaining such grant.

The motion was seconded by Councillor Nicholson and carried unanimously.

Councillor Horne moved that Wellington Matthews be appointed an additional Scott Act prosecutor for the city at a salary of \$40 a month commencing with the 1st May.

Councillor Hooper seconded the motion. After discussion, Councillor Nicholson pointed out that as the motion involved an outlay of money it could not be entertained without a month's notice.

Councillor Horne argued that the motion was in order as no money would be required before the 1st of June.

The Mayor ruled the motion out of order, and Councillor Horne gave notice of his intention to bring it up again at the next meeting.

Councillor Hughes again brought up the proposal to build a sewer from the City Building down Queen Street, but no action was taken in the matter.

Meeting adjourned sine die.

If the system is fortified by Hood's Sarsaparilla, which makes rich, red blood there is little danger of sickness.

PERSONAL.

Mr. J. Ewing, Dominion Paymaster, is visiting the province.

Mr. W. J. McCordack, Inspector of Dredges, is here on official business. Hon. F. Peters left for New York this morning. He will stop over at Ottawa on his way home.

Rev. Dyson Hague, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church, Halifax, has resigned his position to accept a professorship in Wycliffe college, Toronto.

Mr. B. D. McLellan, assistant clerk of the Provincial Legislature, is among the latest arrivals at the Revere Hotel.

Captain Larkins, of the Dominion Dredge Prince Edward, returned to Charlottetown today. He is at the Revere Hotel.

The many friends of Mr. Benj. Balderston, Provincial Auditor, are glad to see him about again after his severe illness.

We are sorry to learn that Mr. John Harkness, of Travellers Rest, is very ill and not expected to recover. The doctors have pronounced his disease cancer of the stomach.—Pioneer.

Messrs. Waring and Olive, Dominion Steamboat Inspectors, returned from Georgetown this forenoon. They go to Summerside this afternoon, and from there they will return to St. John.

Mr. and Mrs. James Paton crossed by the Northumberland this morning. Mrs. Paton is on her way to Chicago to visit her brother. Mr. Paton is on a business trip.

William Dodd, Esq., who has been spending the winter in Oakland, Cal., returned to Charlottetown last evening. Mr. Dodd looks exceedingly well after his trip.

The latest arrivals at the Hotel Davies include: Stanford Shaver, Montreal; A. H. Howarth, Toronto; E. A. Bash, Montreal; Daniel Hockin, J. L. Crowell, Halifax; J. Ewing, W. J. McCordack, St. John; John D. Burns, Halifax.

One of the oldest people in Cumberland county is Mrs. David Duncan who lived with her son Mr. Wm. Duncan, at East Leicester. Mrs. Duncan was born at Bedeque P. E. I., 93 years ago. She retains her faculties almost unimpaired and is able to sew, knit and read and is as lively in her walk as many a far younger person.—Sackville Post.

Duncan Graham and his wife, probably the oldest couple in Canada, both died in Mara township Ont., last week. On Monday night the husband passed away, and on Wednesday night, two days later, his wife followed him. Graham was over one hundred years old and his wife one hundred and two. The couple had lived together for upwards of seventy-five years.

Mr. Thomas Doyle, who for years past has discharged the duties of sub-collector of customs at Rustico in a most efficient manner, is the last to suffer political violence at the instigation of grit office-seekers. It is said that Mr. Doyle's successor in office is a man named Houston, whose application was backed up by Hon. Mr. Farquharson. Another good grit, a man named Warren, put up a very good fight for the position. But the odds were against him, and he was forced to succumb.

There registered at the Queen Hotel this forenoon: Mrs. L. G. Munro, Belle River; A. Craze, Mount Stewart; M. A. McKenzie, Durham; P. Kelly and wife, Montague; George Miller, Brookfield; A. J. McLeod, Stanley Bridge; Rev. W. G. Spencer, Mrs. Spencer, Montague; A. G. Peppard and Mrs. Peppard, Great Village, N. S.; Mrs. Macdonald, Glenadale; A. Lemieux, Montreat; D. C. Morson, Cardigan; James Clow, Murray Harbor North; W. L. Waring, St. John. Last evening's arrivals included: Archd. Currie, Souris; James Barclay, O'Leary Station; A. H. Holland, Montreal; K. M. Jenkins, New Glasgow; N. S.; William Dodd, city; George Forbes, Vernon River.

Dr. Howley, Archbishop of Canterbury, one day drove up to the door of the House of Lords in a coach-and-four, with liveried coachmen and two footmen. A Quaker, who knew him, addressed him: "Friend Howley, what would the Apostle Paul have said if he had seen those four horses, and the purple liveries, and all the rest?" The Archbishop, who was seldom flustered, replied with a benign smile, "Doubtless the apostle would have remarked that things were very much changed for the better since his time."

It will be remembered that in the spring of 1896 Lady Aberdeen had a remarkable escape from drowning in the Gatineau river, into which she was thrown by her horses taking fright. Afterwards their excellencies presented as a thanks offering a bell to the Roman Catholic church at Gatineau Point, near the scene of the accident. On Sunday the bell was solemnly blessed by the archbishop of the diocese. Their excellencies were present, as well as Premier Laurier and many other visitors from the capital. An address was read in French and English to Lord Aberdeen, who replied in both languages.

LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS

DEVOTIONAL MEETING in Y. M. C. A.

I. O. F.—Meeting of Court Avondale tonight at 8 o'clock.

BEGAN WORK.—Lowe Bros. today began work on the new pork packing establishment to be erected at the eastern end of the city for the Messrs. Rattenbury.

PRAYER MEETING this evening in Y. M. C. A. will be led by Mr. J. C. Moore, of Moncton and will begin at 7.45. Everybody welcome.

LECTURE—A lecture will be given in St. Paul's Schoolroom on Monday 17th May, at 8 o'clock, by Rev. J. T. Bryan, on "Life in the Other World" in aid of the funds of the local circle of "The King's Daughters." Admission 10 cents. Ad.

CHEMICAL MANURES.—Anybody in want of the very best of chemical manures may depend upon getting satisfaction by purchasing from Auld Bros., whose advertisement appears in another column of today's issue.

DISMISSED WITHOUT INVESTIGATION.—In the House of Commons recently, according to the correspondent of the St. John Sun, Mr. Mulock informed Mr. Martin of P. E. Island, that Duncan Crawford had been dismissed for partizanship. "No investigation was considered necessary."

A BRANCH BAKERY.—Messrs. J. Murphy & Son, of this city, have purchased the Woodside baking plant and will open a branch of their business in Summerside. The branch will be under the management of Mr. William A. Murphy, who will leave nothing undone to please all who may patronize him. The Messrs. Murphy have established a reputation as first-class bakers in Charlottetown, and it is pleasing to observe that they are extending their business. THE EXAMINER trusts that the fullest measure of success will attend them in their latest enterprise.

AFTER A DIVORCE.—On Thursday last at Boston, before the Divorce Court, Abbie Jane Pursey applied for a divorce from her husband, George H. Pursey. She alleged that she was married at New Glasgow, Prince Edward Island, and that after living there with her husband for two and a half years they came to Boston, and after being there for six months he returned to Prince Edward Island for the purpose of earning money and sending for his wife. He never did so, but returned to the States and is now living in Cambridge, Mass. Abbie Jane now seeks to have the knot tied in Prince Edward Island untied, and the matrimonial bonds dissolved. The report does not give the result of the case.

A great new municipal government, with jurisdiction over a population nearly half as large as that of London, is to come into being on the first of January next, from which time what is known as "Greater New York" will date its official existence. This new city will embrace the present city of New York, Brooklyn, Long Island city and the adjacent country, and the whole of Staten Island. This metropolis will have a greater degree of self-government than the present city of New York. The executive power is vested in the mayor, who holds office for a term of four years and will not be eligible for reelection.

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