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SOURIS INCORPORATION.
A Meeting of Citizens—Practical Steps Contemplated.

Quite a large and representative meeting was held in St. Patrick's Hall, for the purpose of discussing the cheapest way to be taken in the incorporation of the town of Souris. A considerable amount of discussion took place. Mr. John McLean, Mr. Geo. B. McEachern and Mr. Reid, of Summerside—who kindly gave his opinion of incorporation—being requested to do so, took part.

Mr. McLean and Mr. McEachern showed plainly the advantages to be gained by this step. Mr. McLean justly remarked that the town of Souris had the least improvements of any other town of its size and importance in the Maritime Provinces. Mr. Geo. B. McEachern said also that if Souris was ever incorporated for two reasons it would be satisfactory. First, Souris is in very great need of at least one policeman, or perhaps two; secondly, the people of this town want fire protection. He ably showed that there was no time when Souris wanted a police force as badly as in the summer season. Souris being a seaport town, is visited every summer by a large number of sailors who sometimes causes great annoyance to the citizens. This is a plain fact and it is hardly safe for a young lady to walk down Main Street without being insulted by a drunken sailor. Other speakers followed and handled the subject ably indeed: Mr. Geo. Morrow, Mr. R. F. McDonald—Mr. Thomas Kickham and Mr. Frederick Morrow.

The meeting was very orderly. Mr. James McQuaid occupied the chair. On a motion of Dr. Lavie, the meeting was adjourned until next Friday, at the hour of 7 p. m.

MURRAY HARBOR SOUTH NOTES.

The ice in some places is said to be unsafe.

We regret to say that Willie Murley, son of Mr. R. Murley, who has been ailing for some months, is not much better.

Mrs. Thomas Beck, of this place, who has been suffering with an affection of her eyes, left for the States a few days ago in hopes of having them successfully treated.

Our singing school, which has been in progress all winter under the efficient tuition of Mr. M. Senebaugh, is largely attended by the people of this place and the adjoining districts. His work has proved very successful and encouraging.

The "Dawning Light" Mission Band of this place recently held a Concert and Pie Social in the public Hall, Murray Harbor South, which, notwithstanding the very unpleasant travelling, was quite a success. It was presided over by Rev. Mr. Allan, who opened with very suitable remarks. The programme was carried out in a very creditable manner. Looking into the finances, they found a snug little sum of money, fully meeting their expectations.

The horse racing on Murray River ice is creating much sport and attracting many spectators. Among those who have the fastest are: Mr. Richards, mare recently purchased from Mr. W. H. Prowse, Mr. A. Hart, Mr. A. Reynolds, Mr. John Bull. We are much pleased to be informed that Mr. Matthew Gratto is in possession of a very swift young horse. We shall expect that people who attend the next exhibition will have a chance to see the fleetness of the animal and obtain his record. The trot which took place on the basin Wednesday the 31st ult., resulted as follows: 1st prize was given to Mr. Kearney. 2nd to Johnny Stewart, Cape Bear 3rd to Mr. Mahar.

The people of Cape Bear are doing an unusually big stroke of work at boat building this season. They are hustling in order to have them completed and in readiness for the spring fishing.

NOTES FROM SOURIS.

Doctors are kept on the jump attending to the measles.

Mr. Reid, of Summerside, was in town on Monday.

A considerable amount of ice is blocked in the harbor yet, and there is a poor prospect of it taking a start seawards.

Some people of this town are very neglectful in turning their cows out on the street, especially on Saturdays. These cattle are a great annoyance to the people of the country, robbing their sleighs of hay, straw and sometimes oats. On Monday last a cow attempted to hook a horse that was hitched to a post in front of Mr. S. Campbell's store.

Where are our grit overseers now? Why don't they open some of the drains that are filled up with old shavings and dirt? Wake up! and let the water run. Perhaps some of them will never again have the pleasure of "over-seeing."

Mr. Albert Dingwell, of Bay Fortune, where he has been running a team mill for some years, has removed all the machinery to this place where he is erecting a large building for the purpose of carrying on the business.

Mr. John McKenna, of Mount Stewart, has opened up a painting establishment in the building formerly occupied by Capt. James Brennan, deceased.—Com.

AN OLD AND WELL TRIED REMEDY.—Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. Is pleasant to the taste. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Its value is incalculable. Be sure and ask for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, and take no other kind 1 3 5 w

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DAIRY SCHOOL BUILDING.

been planned in one of the older states, an architect who knew how to blend sightliness with utility would have been employed to furnish the designs for it. Architectural attractiveness could have been thrown in with no more cost.

We hope those who hereafter plan structures additional for this same school, as well as those who design other buildings in other states, will remember that even a pigpen may be pleasing to the eye in its construction and be better adapted to its use than the one built on the old idea that anything which will hold will do.

Nevertheless, although the wooden box in the picture is an excellent example of how not to make a building appear on the outside, yet there is something about it not displeasing to those who look deeper than the external appearance. It shows just the plain, earnest, determined purpose of those who erected it. It is dedicated to pure, rugged use. That is always the first idea, and it should be. In time a grassy lawn shaded with trees and intersected by gravelled or asphalt walks will surround the square box. Great blazing beds of flowers will shine in its grounds in summer and handsome annexes will break its up and down and straight across lines. The time will not be very long either. The earnest, rugged purpose of which this box is the expression will draw to the school hundreds of young men and women throughout the brave, resourceful western state. Scientific dairying as there taught will enrich the state by millions of dollars. That wooden box is all right.

In the Greenroom.
Crimsonbeak—I hear Miss Painter has quarrelled with her theatrical manager.
Yeast—Oh, she'll get over it.
"No. She says she'll never make up with him again."—Yonkers Statesman.

Naturally.
The industrious workman's fingers fairly flew.
But what else could he have expected? The saw was running at full speed.—Indianapolis Journal.

Wholly Vindictive.
"It is shameful!" exclaimed the actress to whom the manager-star owed money. "But I will get even with him some time."
"What do you propose to do—sue him?"
"And give him the benefit of all that advertising? Never!"—Washington Star.

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The Council do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,
H. M. DAVISON,
City Clerk's Office, City Clerk.
City Hall, April 1st, 97
78—3i, 135.

FAREWELL TO MR. MANLEY.

A few of the many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Manley, of Hunter River, met at the residence of G. H. McGuigan, Esq., on Wednesday evening, 31st ult., to present them with a farewell address and entertain them on the eve of their departure for their future home in Manda, Dakota, U. S. Precisely at 8 p. m. their friends arrived, shortly followed by the guests of the evening. G. H. McGuigan, Esq., was appointed chairman. He, in a very feeling and well-chosen speech, opened the entertainment of the evening. He dwelt on the many good qualities of Mr. and Mrs. Manley and his very friendly relations with them for the past seventeen years, regretted their departure, and wished them every happiness in their new home. G. S. McLeod, Esq., then stepped forward and read the following address:—

HUNTER RIVER, March 31.

HUGH MANLEY, ESQ.,

DEAR SIR,—We the undersigned neighbors and friends having learned with regret that you propose removing from Hunter River feel that we cannot allow you to depart from amongst us without conveying an expression of our esteem and sincere friendship towards you and Mrs. Manley.

By your estimable traits of character together with your obliging disposition and courteous manner during your stay of seventeen years in our midst you have gained the sincere friendship and good will of us all and you may rest assured that in the future your name will be ever cherished in fond remembrances by your many friends in this locality. We understand that you intend making your future home in Uncle Sam's domain, and we also learn with pleasure that you have a responsible position in view which we have no doubt you will fill to the satisfaction of all concerned.

In conclusion we desire you to convey our kindest regards to Mrs. Manley and family and we hope and trust that the Bountiful Giver of all good grant you, one and all, health and prosperity in whatever sphere of life your lot may be cast.

We one and all bid you a hearty farewell.

Donald B. MacDonald, Pastor, George S. MacLeod, Robert D. Bell, G. H. McGuigan, A. E. Douglass, M. D., Ron. McKinnon, Arch. McKinnon, D. McKinnon, Peter McGrath, Maurice McDonald, J. C. Bagnall, George L. Murphy, L. S. McLeod, Patrick Monaghan, James Patterson, John McKenna, Edward McRae, Francis Levine, Joseph A. Hughes, J. T. Trainor, J. J. Patterson, Thomas McGuigan, George D. MacLeod, William N. Cobbe, William Jewells.

GENTLEMEN,—I thank you sincerely for your kind address, and I can assure you all I prize it highly for the generous sentiment of friendship and esteem therein expressed. Your reference to my obliging disposition and courteous manner is, I fear, but poorly merited. I simply extended that courtesy and obligation due from one friend to another.

It is with regret I separate from you one and all, but I shall ever cherish with fond remembrance the memory of my many friends in this locality.

I feel grateful to you all for your very kind congratulations in regard to my future position and I trust I shall be able to discharge the duties pertaining to it satisfactory to all connected or concerned.

In conclusion I again thank you in behalf of Mrs. Manley and family as well as myself for your kind regards and sincere wishes for our future health and prosperity and bid you a friendly farewell.

HUGH MANLEY.
Hunter River, March 31st, 1897.

At this stage of the entertainment the hosts of the evening announced supper which was an excellent one got up in Mrs. McGuigan's best style, which is not saying a little. The toast of the evening was proposed by George S. McLeod and drank in sparkling cold water and heartily responded to by all present. The following programme was then carried out:

Opening chorus.....
Kate McLeod and Jeanette McLeod.
Speech..... Patrick Monaghan
Instrumental Music..... Ida Hughes
Recitation..... Willie Brown
Trio—Jeanette McLeod, Katie McKinnon, Sarah May McLeod.
Speech..... Major J. S. McLeod
Solo..... Kate A. McKinnon
Speech..... G. S. McLeod
Instrumental Music..... Sarah May McLeod
Recitation..... Ellen McGuigan
Singing..... D. McKinnon
Speech..... R. W. Bell
Solo..... Jeanette McLeod
Reading..... G. S. McLeod
Remarks..... Manrice McDonald
Reading..... Willie Brown
Recitation..... Adaien Kelly
Instrumental Music..... Jeanette McLeod
Speech..... Hugh Campbell
Singing..... Ida Hughes
Quartet—Katie Patterson, Kate A. McKinnon, Jeanette McLeod, Sarah McLeod

The worthy chairman then announced the programme exhausted. Then Mr. Manley stepped forward and thanked them all for the honor done to himself and Mrs. Manley on this occasion, regretted his departure, and hoped to be able to return some day to meet again his many warm friends of Hunter River. A vote of thanks was tendered Mr. and Mrs. McGuigan for the use of their house on this occasion: also a well-merited vote of thanks was tendered Kate A. McKinnon, Janette McLeod and Sarah May McLeod for the excellent music furnished, both vocal and instrumental. After the singing of Auld Lang Syne, He's a Jolly Good Fellow, and bouncing the guest and host of the evening, a very pleasant evening's entertainment was brought to a close, everyone present having expressed themselves "happy to meet, sorry to part." Great credits due John R. Trainor and R. W. Bell for getting up such an excellent programme.

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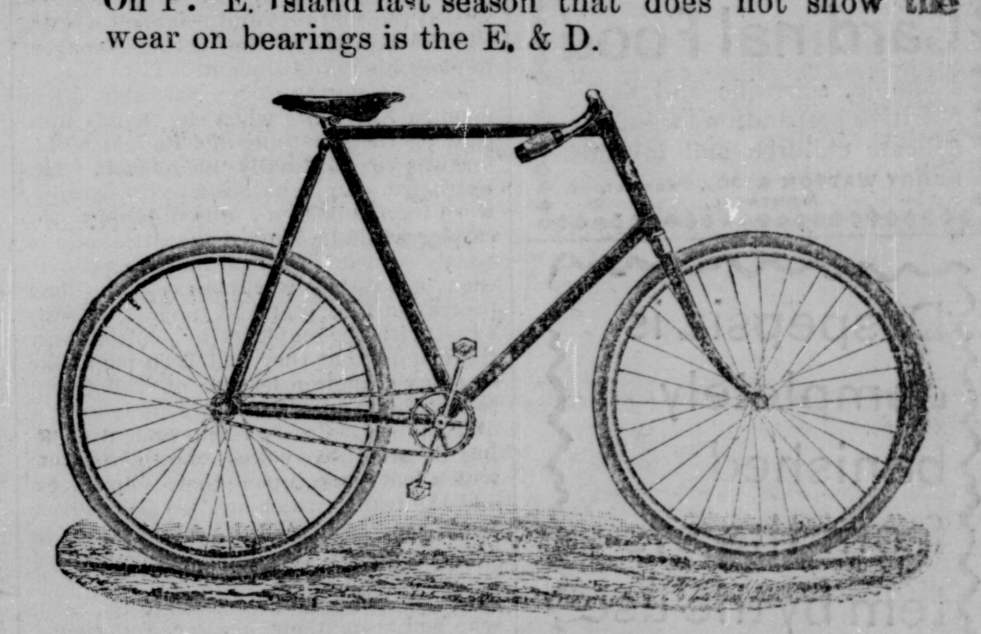
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