

Fire Protection By-Law Passed

Three Blocks Between Sydney and Charlotte Added to Fire-Proof Construction District.

The common council yesterday passed a by-law raising the blocks bounded by the south side of King Square, west side of Sydney, south side of Queen Square and east side of Charlotte Street, from fire district No. 2 to No. 1 and in future it will be unlawful for any but a fireproof structure to be erected in that district.

The boundaries of the First District and the Second District as fixed by By-Law entitled "A Law to alter certain building Districts within the City of Saint John" passed on the Twenty-first day of April A. D. 1913, are hereby amended by transferring to the First District that portion of the Second District described as follows: BEGINNING at a point at the middle of Sydney Street opposite the middle of the street on the North side of King Square thence southwardly along the middle of Sydney Street to a point opposite the middle of the street on the South side of Queen Square thence westerly along the middle of the said Street to the middle of Charlotte Street thence northwardly along the middle of Charlotte Street to a point opposite the middle of the street on the North side of King Square and thence easterly along the middle of the said Street to the place of beginning.

From and after the passing of this By-Law no building shall be erected hereafter described contrary to the laws and regulations for construction of buildings in the First District notwithstanding any permit heretofore made by the Inspector of Buildings.

AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that in view of the preparations for construction of the new building within this area contrary to the laws governing the construction of buildings in the First District it is hereby declared that the passage of this By-Law is urgent for the immediate preservation of the Public Safety and public peace and the same shall go into effect and operation forthwith.

Mr. McMillan said his only interest was to have the building built and he did not intend to build at the Dufferin Hotel should enter into the matter.

On the motion being put it carried, Commissioners Thornton, Frink and Bullock voting in favor and the mayor and Commissioner Jones against.

Conditions in Far North Satisfactory During Past Winter

Edmonton, Alta., April 11.—Reports from the "outposts of civilization" are commencing to come in to Royal Canadian Mounted Police headquarters here covering the winter operations of the Mossies in the far north.

In January, Sergt. Thorne made a patrol up the Liard river from Fort Simpson and reports many samples of gold being taken from the South Nahanni, but he had no information as to the quality or quantity of the metal.

City Saves Money On Asphalt Purchase

Claim for Damages Done by Blasting on Millidgeville Avenue by City Workman

The contract for the supply of asphalt for the city's needs this year was yesterday awarded to the Carrville Co., their being the lowest tender by the city council.

The common clerk presented the following report of the polling on Monday: The common clerk, as required by law, reports that at the primary election held on Monday the tenth day of April instant for the purpose of electing two candidates for the office of Mayor and four candidates for the office of aldermen and Commissioner, the following named persons were chosen as candidates for the final election on the twenty-fourth day of April instant, namely:

For the office of mayor, Harry R. McMillan and B. Allan Schofield. For the office of alderman or commissioner, Thomas H. Bullock, Alexander Corbett, John B. Jones and Rupert W. Whymore.

An application to be appointed a lumber surveyor was received from Robert M. Miller. The appointment was ordered made on his filing the proper bonds.

An application from F. W. Kelly for permission to install gasoline apparatus on his premises, 19 Leinster Street, was referred to the commissioner of safety.

A communication from No. 1 B. C. McMillan and B. Allan Schofield, regarding the amount of \$105, a part of his salary as district commissioner for Stanley Ward, was ordered paid to James Leary.

Health asking the city to clean-up campaign about the middle of May was referred to the commissioner of public works.

Commissioner Frink was given authority to purchase three horses at a cost of \$900.

Commissioner Frink reported that the offer of the Carrville Co., of \$28 per ton in packages was the lowest for asphalt and recommended its acceptance.

Memorial to Early Explorer Takes form of Primitive Fort

WILD GRANDEUR ALONG THE THOMPSON RIVER



WILD GRANDEUR ALONG THE THOMPSON RIVER. A primitive fort structure with a thatched roof and wooden walls, situated on a rocky bank near water.

Witness to the tourist region about Lake Windermere in southern British Columbia, will find a reminder there of early days. The Hudson's Bay Company is building a replica of their first post in this region.

As astronomer he visited the company's various posts and while in the Lake-of-the-Woods region in Manitoba, located the source of the Mississippi River.

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But before then prohibition is expected. The Temperance Alliance is still sanguine about that. Representatives of this organization and of the soldier settlers' club of Glasgow, one of the largest of the newer vine-growing areas on the Murray, joined hands and went to the Minister of Agriculture the other day on the question of the future of the wine industry.

Another speaker pointed out that the deputation represented hundreds of soldier settlers. Many thought that prohibition was approaching, and were getting apprehensive about it.

The president of the Temperance Alliance, Major Smeaton, admitted that while the advocates of prohibition would sooner see grapes used for some purpose other than wine making, they were practical men, and desired to do all they could to establish new industries that would help the State.

Marked Decrease In Needy Cases

Associated Charities Report Calls for Relief During Month Were Fewer.

A marked decrease in the number of cases applying for relief was noted in the reports submitted at the meeting of the Associated Charities held yesterday afternoon in the Bible Society rooms, Gervais street.

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Harry J. Wiley. Frederickton, April 12.—The death occurred Tuesday at Brockton, Mass. of Harry J. Wiley, a former resident of this city.

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The story centers around Eric Straine, played by Monroe Salisbury. Brought to the wilds of Canada at the age of two years, to be developed into manhood according to the ideals of his father, who has set himself the false standards of so-called civilization, Eric becomes a true child of nature.

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Frederickton, N. B., April 12.—Before the appeal division this afternoon argument was completed in the King vs. Robert J. Ritchie, police magistrate of St. John ex parte Percy H. Hand.

The police court yesterday morning, Howard J. Hanington was arraigned on a charge of bigamy. When the charge was read to him, the accused made no reply.

Lindsay Sabean pleaded guilty to a charge of assault on Wilfred Finlay, but no charge to be charged of using abusive language. After evidence had been given by the complainant and policeman Donahue, the accused was remanded.

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The funeral was attended by many friends and the spiritual and floral offerings were numerous. Included in the latter was a wreath of magnolia leaves and Easter lilies from the Imperial Theatre and a wreath of pink and white roses from the Longshoremen's Union.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA MOVING IN DIRECTION OF PROHIBITION

Government Abandons Planting of Wine Grapes on Soldier Settlements Along Murray River.

Adelaide, South Australia, April 12.—The warning given a long time ago by the prohibition advocates in this State that a mistake was being made in allowing the soldier settlers to plant such a large proportion of wine grapes on their newly-acquired blocks on the banks of the Murray, appears to be coming true.

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LADIES REMOVE THEIR CORNS IN A VERY SIMPLE WAY

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