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GOVERNMENT WILLING TO INCREASE SIZE OF DRY DOCK; MR. MONK WRITES COUNCIL

Minister of Public Works Again Shows
His Readiness to Grant Requests
From St. John.

Council Pleased with Letter, and Commissioner
of Public Affairs will at Once Take Matter Up
—Board of Trade to be Invited to Co-operate
-- Regular Meeting of City Commissioners
Yesterday.

At a meeting of the Common Council yesterday afternoon a letter was received from the Minister of Public Works stating that the government would be prepared to consider any fresh proposals as to the dimensions of the dry dock at Courtenay Bay. The matter of holding a referendum on the question of Sunday band concerts was discussed. An order to sell the Green Head property unconditionally was passed; also an order to close up the northwestern end of Nelson street, West Side. On recommendation of the mayor it was decided to pay the owner of St. John city debentures numbered 2559 to 2605 inclusive, which were lost on the S. S. Titanic, the Bank of Montreal having agreed to indemnify the city against any loss in event of said bonds being presented for payment in the future.

The Green Head Matter.

Com. Schofield recommended that in consideration of the sum of \$12,500, in addition to the sum of \$25,000 already paid by the purchaser of the Green Head property, a deed in fee simple be given to the purchaser without any restrictions or limitations whatever. He said the commission had fallen heir to an order to sell the property on an option on the property on the understanding that it should be used for the purpose of establishing a cement industry. The commission had entered into negotiations with the parties who had taken over the property, but found it difficult to get satisfactory conditions beyond the vague requirements of the contract. During the negotiations a suggestion had been thrown out that the purchaser should make an annual payment and receive a deed in fee simple, and after considerable dickering it had been decided to split the difference and accept an additional payment of \$12,500.

The recommendation was adopted. On recommendation of Com. Field it was decided that after Sept. 10th the charges on molasses occupying city property should be two cents per 100 barrels per week, after the first seven days during which no charge will be made.

It was decided to call for tenders to renew the platform at the face of No. 3 shed, Sand Point, east of the city, and the Engineer in Charge, Britain last year, and also to renew the platform in front of No. 4 shed.

Water and Sewerage.

The commissioner of water and sewerage reported that Raymond M. Tobias and Michael George, contractors for opening up a trench for a water main on Princess street from Germain to Wentworth street, have finished the work as far as Sydney street and it appearing that from there to Wentworth street the 6 inch water main is in a good state of preservation and that there is no need to renew the same, he would therefore recommend that the contract be considered finished, the contractors having agreed thereto. Adopted.

The Size of the Dry Dock.

The common clerk read the following letter from the Minister of Public Works in reply to a communication of the mayor asking that the dry dock at Courtenay Bay be made 125 feet in length, the same as that to be built at Lewis:

I quite agree with you that it is important to provide the same facilities at St. John as at Quebec, although I believe that for many years to come the dry dock designed for your port will be sufficient. I understand that the dry dock at St. John has not been begun, and in this case the government would be prepared to consider any fresh proposals as to the dimensions of the dry dock.

F. D. MONK.

Com. Agar said that ships of the same tonnage that went to Lewis would come to St. John. He moved that the matter be taken up by the commissioner of public affairs and acted on at once. This was adopted.

Com. Schofield moved that a copy of Mr. Monk's letter be sent to the Board of Trade, and that that body be asked to co-operate with the city in securing the enlarging of the dry dock. This was adopted.

The Closing of Nelson Street.

Com. Agar then moved that the notice of the closing of Nelson street be taken from the table, and that the motion be adopted.

He said the matter had been taken up with residents who had protested, and he thought it had been shown to their satisfaction that their interests would not be jeopardized by closing the street.

The motion was adopted.

Com. Schofield said the early closing by-law which is to be submitted

to a referendum on the second Tuesday in August should be published in the newspapers. The common clerk said that according to the commission charter, the by-law would have to be advertised, and he would see that this was done in due form.

The mayor—This election will cost \$500. I was thinking we ought to sandwich in the question whether the people wanted Sunday band concerts. Com. McElean said he was prepared to move a by-law to permit Sunday concerts.

Com. Schofield suggested that they should consider the question of having the commission charter amended so that they could refer all matters brought up by the people to a referendum at the regular elections every two years. They didn't consider it.

After some discussion the Sunday band concert question was laid over to a committee meeting, and the council adjourned.

Haymarket Square.

The mayor then called the attention of Com. Agar to the sad condition of Haymarket Square, with its broken fountain, and generally deplorable aspect. He thought that in view of the fact that residents had presented the fountain to the city, and fixed up the square in the past, the city should keep it in a respectable condition. He said the level of the whole square should be raised, and a landscape gardener given charge of the flower beds, grass plots and trees.

Com. Agar said he had no money to fix up the square this year, but he did not intend to allow it to remain next year as it had been. As to the fountain it had been broken down by a fire, and the city was trying to determine whether the owner of the team could be made to pay for the damage.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

The Prince William.

L. Warner, Dunville; J. R. Moreland, North; Miss Mac, J. Hale, Arthur Small, St. John; A. Prime, L. D. Tilley, W. H. Hansen, Rothery; L. Cantile, St. John; Mrs. J. S. McLachlan, the Misses McLachlan, Mrs. J. B. Burchill, Masters, S. B. G. Burchill, South Nelson.

Royal.

R. B. Kessen, W. H. Bentley, A. I. Williams, Boston; H. W. Brown and wife, Philadelphia; P. P. Rosenberg, Cincinnati; Mrs. M. B. Stow, Mrs. E. J. Cary, North Grafton, Mass.; Mrs. C. W. Cogill, Gloucester, Mass.; Mrs. S. B. Greene, Providence; C. W. Tompkins, F. O. Bowie, Montreal; C. A. Walsh, Montreal; C. W. Walcott, Quebec; Miss M. G. Pope, Miss H. M. Mills, H. E. Davidson, New York; C. L. Harvey, Montreal; Miss Benoit, St. Martin; T. E. Adams and wife, New York; J. McMahon, New York; Ed. Hazen, Toronto; E. M. Agnew, St. John; J. W. Brinkley, Chatham; W. B. Blanchard and wife, Miss Blanchard, Santo Paulo, Cal.; H. C. Morley, Montreal; Geo. E. Corbett, Annapolis Royal; Dr. C. W. Somerville, Philadelphia; W. Hind, Wm. Macdonald, St. John; Nottingham, Eng.; J. E. Cahill, Miss Cahill, Halifax; Mrs. R. B. Hanson, St. John; Mrs. J. L. Moore, Atlanta; Mrs. C. S. L. Engle, Mrs. C. F. FitzRandolph, St. John; Mrs. C. F. Stevens, Cunningham, Mass.; Mrs. H. L. Gault, Miss P. Gault, New York; Miss L. Fitz, Miss J. M. Hannington, Boston; Dr. and Mrs. L. H. Adler, Philadelphia; J. A. O'Connell, Providence; R. B. Sneed, H. S. Sneed, Montclair.

Victoria.

Robt. B. Hart and wife, Newark, N. J.; A. L. Hart, Baltimore, Md.; W. Fraser and wife, Liverpool; J. L. Kennedy, Salisbury; O. P. Wilbur, Sussex; L. G. Speedy, McAdam; J. A. Murray, G. P. Bolton, Sussex; W. J. Scott, D. J. Barrett, Fredericton; J. G. Schwab, Montreal; E. T. A. Walsh, E. W. Braden, Boston; H. D. McKean, Bath; Geo. M. Etyel, Montreal; N. J. Albert H. Etyel, New York; E. W. Seelye, Moncton; Frank Hibbard, Digby; E. M. Armitage, Digby; J. Donohue, J. H. Murray, Boston.

Will Enter Real Estate Business.

W. E. Anderson, who will sever his connection with the board of trade, will join the real estate firm of Allison and Thomas. It is the intention of the firm to expand their present business so as to include every phase of the real estate business. Instead of confining their activities to buying and selling property, the firm will also rent and manage houses and act as agents. This department of the work will be under the direction of Mr. Anderson. The company propose to make their offices one of the most up-to-date real estate companies in Canada.

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MOVING PICTURE MAN SO PLEASED WITH PROVINCE HE ORDERED MORE FILMS

Mr. Phillips, Carried Away with Value of Pictures
Obtainable in New Brunswick, Exhausted His
Supply of Material and Ordered More--British
"Movies" to Show Our Resources.

After a trip to the North Shore, the members of the farm settlement board returned to their homes yesterday. On the trip they were accompanied by Percy Thomson, of The Norton Griffiths Company, and Wm. Phillips, representing the British and Colonial Kinematograph Company. Mr. Phillips took moving pictures of a large number of scenes on the North Shore using up about 4000 feet of film.

He was so impressed with the value of the pictures obtainable in the province that he has sent for about 5000 feet of additional film. At Bathurst he took pictures of flocks of sheep, flocks of geese, waving oat fields and side views of the hills. He also secured some fine views of the docks and shipping facilities of the Drummond Iron Company.

Coming to Newcastle, he took some fine scenes along the Miramichi river, and at Moncton he got some views of the Humphrey Woolen Mills. He also took some pictures showing the developments at the Albert county oil fields. Mr. Phillips spent Sunday at Buctouche, and yesterday he went to Kings county and in company with

J. Prescott, secured some views about Sussex. Today he will go to Queens county in company with the superintendent of immigration. After taking some views there he will go to Charlotte county, and then to Fredericton and up the St. John river as far as Grand Falls. Apple orchard scenes will be secured at Marysville, and views in connection with potato farming at Bathurst.

Speaking of the trip of the farm settlement board, James Gilchrist, superintendent of immigration, said the members of the board had their eyes expected to purchase, and which they could sell at once to settlers. Mr. Gilchrist, who is the secretary of the farm settlement board, said they had received a large number of inquiries about the plans of the board from farmers in Great Britain and in the United States as well as from young men in the province, and that as soon as the government placed its disposal of the money to proceed with their work they would be able to find settlers for all the farms they could make ready for occupation.

NEW Y.M.C.A. SWIMMING
TEACHER MAKES HIT

J. A. Scott Shows Y. M. C. A.
Men that He is Thoroughly
at Home in the Water.

There was a fair crowd of spectators at the Y. M. C. A. last evening to see J. A. Scott, of Toronto, perform a large number of difficult swimming feats. Mr. Scott is a young man, a pupil of George Carson, is accounted one of the best swimming instructors in Canada, and who holds a silver medal from the Royal Life Saving Society of London, England. Mr. Scott has been engaged by the Y. M. C. A. for two weeks to teach fancy swimming to members of the association and already there is a large class of young men ready to take instruction.

Last evening he gave a lengthy address to those present on the great necessity of all knowing the art of swimming, not only for the pleasure, but for the purpose of exercise, the saving of one's life, and other lives.

At the close of his address Mr. Scott retired and when he again appeared at the swimming pool he was attired in a bathing suit and immediately dove into the water.

Mr. Scott is an expert in the water and performed the following feats for which he was loudly applauded:

Motionless floating. Crawl two lengths. Marching on the water. Bicycle riding on the water. Revolving on the surface. Racer's turn, new method. Double overarm on back. Racer's turn, second method. Swimming corners. Porpoise. Swimming with hands and feet tied.

Mr. Scott is a wonderful swimmer and very much at home in the water and his teaching of swimming to the association members will be very helpful.

"Interesting" Police Report.

The police report finding a chain purse on King street east yesterday afternoon and a dead cat on Brunswick street. The owner of the purse can receive the same on application at the central station, and the owner of the corpse can recover the same on making arrangements with the street department.

To Widen Lombard Street.

The city commissioners in company with Terminal Agent L. R. Ross visited Lombard street yesterday afternoon where it is claimed the I. C. R. has been obstructing on the street. The commissioners decided to ask the I. C. R. to remove the fence back about ten feet, which is now give Lombard street a width of 50 feet, and make possible the laying of a sidewalk.

Do Not Place Best Apples On
Top and Have Remainder
of Package Filled with
Inferior Fruit.

Editor of The Standard.

Sir—Will you be good enough to permit me, through the columns of your widely read journal, to address a few words to those of our fruit growers who are engaged in apple production.

With the full knowledge that we are growing good fruit there is just one way to accomplish these very desirable results.

First, a clean and tidy package, whether it be a barrel, box, or basket, is absolutely desirable. The day has gone by when anything will do, and customers are only attracted to our goods when they present a clean and attractive appearance.

The picking should be done carefully, and the packing and grading in full conformity to the act governing the same. Remember that the face of your barrel, box or basket must represent the conditions within the package.

As your name and place of residence is required on the package by the "Fruit Marks Act," your own self-respect should not tolerate anything but straight honest packing; besides, this is just where the largest profits in the fruit growing business lie—just how the highest prices are obtained, and also the standard by which you are judged.

The packer who does the straight forward thing will always find a good market for his fruit. Everybody is looking for that kind of packing. Be sure your fruit is up to the standard required.

The face of your package should not be made with the largest apples in the barrel, but with even size and uniform so that it will be representative of your fruit. Let the largest apples find a place all through the barrel. Your customer will be pleased and will repeat his order. Your No. 2 apples should be equally carefully packed to give satisfaction. Should you pack No. 3's see that your good name does not suffer. Few first class apple growers can afford to sell No. 3 apples. Better send them to the factory to make apple cider.

New Brunswick is just becoming known as an apple producing country. So far as our production goes (and it is fast increasing) I think we are

Watchmen for Crossing.

Terminal Agent L. R. Ross informed the city commissioners at a conference held yesterday morning that the I. C. R. now have both night and day watchmen for the Gilbert Lane crossing.

Dredging at Courtenay Bay.

The actual dredging at Courtenay Bay will commence within a fortnight and continue during the winter months.

Entitled to, and will be given a prominent place if our packing and grading is honestly and properly done. By your individual and collective work you will stand to win or lose. Shall New Brunswick apples be sought after for their excellence and honest packing, bringing delight to satisfied customers or will you decide that anything is good enough?

The Fruit Marks Act is intended to guide and assist the packers. Read it carefully and act upon its instructions and requirements. It can be had from the Fruit Division at Ottawa for the asking, but only on application to the Chief of Fruit Division.

S. L. PETERS.

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"Before taking your medicine she was all run down, suffered from pains in her side, could not walk but a short distance at a time, and had severe pains in head and limbs. She came very near having nervous prostration. She had begun to cough a good deal and seemed melancholy by spells. She tried two doctors but got little help."

"I cannot find words to express my gratefulness for what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for my daughter. She feels and looks like another girl since taking it, and I shall always feel that I owe you a great debt."

"You can use this letter for the benefit of others if you wish, as I shall always recommend your medicine for female troubles."—Mrs. C. COLE, Fitchville, Ohio.

Hundreds of such letters from mothers expressing their gratitude for what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has accomplished have been received by the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Company, Lynn, Mass.

Young Girls, Heed This Advice.
Girls who are troubled with painful or irregular periods, backache, headache, dragging-down sensations, fainting spells or indigestion, should immediately seek restoration to health by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

employees of the Fred B. Edgcombe Co., on Saturday night.

GENERAL.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 9.—On account of the mutinies in the Black Sea and Baltic Sea naval fleets martial law has been proclaimed in Sebastopol. The Russian Emperor declares it to be impossible to pardon the mutineers.

Shocking Conditions in Nicaragua.

Washington, Sept. 9.—Shocking reports of famine, sickness and brutality in the rebel zone at Nicaragua are beginning to reach the state department. It is reported that the rebels have seized all the food supplies and are allowing the people to die of starvation. All communication from Granada has been cut off and will probably be restored by a force of marines under Colonel Pendleton.

When Baking

are you as careful about the salt you use, as you are about the flour or baking powder? Poor salt will ruin a baking, but as surely as poor flour, in the kitchen and on the table, see the fine, pure, 46



**WINDSOR
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A Presentation.

Fredericton, Sept. 9.—William Dougherty will leave tomorrow for Moosejaw, Sask., was presented with a gold signet ring by his fellow