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MEETING OF TOWN COUNCIL ON TUESDAY

Matter of Bridge across Restigouche Taken up and will be Pushed Forward.

SMALL ATTENDANCE

Meeting of the Town Council was held on Tuesday evening. His Worship Mayor Murray presiding. Present were councillors Alexander, Miller, Sanson, Lunan and White. Minutes of previous meeting were read and confirmed. Communications were received from W. H. Babcock and Jas. Boudreau making application for vacant position on Police force. Referred to Police and committee. Petition received from Celestine LeBlanc making application for licence to do business on Sugar Loaf Street. Referred to Police and License committee.

His Worship Mayor Murray introduced a copy of memorial regarding a bridge across the river, which was passed by Bonaventure County Council at its last sitting, and after discussion by the Councillors who were all in favor of the project it was decided that a memorial be prepared for the signatures of the Town Council, Board of Trade and citizens at large for submission to the Minister of Public Works.

The following reports recommending payment of accounts from the various committees were received and adopted. Councillor White from Fire protection committee \$1442.25, Councillor Sanson from Public Charities \$18.00, Miller from Finance committee \$49.65, Alexander, Water and Sewerage, \$328.26. Councillor White in a further report from the fire protection committee recommended that Wm. Noble's increase be not granted. Report was received and adopted. Councillor Lunan from Police and License committee submitted report recommending that Jas. Boudreau be appointed policeman on one month's trial. Above report was received and adopted.

Some discussion ensued on the cleaning up of premises around the town, and the clerk was instructed to write to the Board of School Trustees asking them to have the school grounds cleaned up and the shack removed from there as soon as possible. The matter of a new sewer on Sugar Loaf Street of the Pichette property was then brought up and the Water and Sewerage committee were instructed to call for tenders for the laying of this sewerage. Mr. Pichette to pay one-third of the costs. The Water and Sewerage committee were authorized to purchase ten hydrants.

Councillor Lunan from Police and License committee submitted report recommending that license be granted J. I. Boudreau four pool tables and A. J. Arsenau trucking license. In the absence of councillor Blomath Councillor Miller from Public Property and streets committee submitted report recommending that permission be granted to the Imperial Oil Company for a siding crossing Chapel St. on condition that the I. C. R., properly grade the street after their work is done to the satisfaction of the street committee.

The Special business of the meeting was to receive the appropriations for the ensuing year from the various committees, but as the school appropriation had not been received the matter was held over until next meeting. Council then adjourned.

DEATH OF MRS. DAMBOISE
There passed away on the first day of June, Elizabeth, the beloved wife of Joseph Damboise. Deceased had been in Hotel Dieu Hospital 10 weeks for treatment, and all during her illness showed a resigned spirit. Mrs. Damboise was the daughter of John Pella, Novelle, and she leaves to mourn her loss her husband and one son, June Ed., and was largely attended, all classes turning out to pay their tribute to her memory. The funeral was held on June 1st, and was largely attended, all classes turning out to pay their tribute to her memory. The funeral was held on June 1st, and was largely attended, all classes turning out to pay their tribute to her memory. The funeral was held on June 1st, and was largely attended, all classes turning out to pay their tribute to her memory.

SATURDAY DISCOUNT
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NOMINATION DAY AT DALHOUSIE ON THURSDAY DRAWS GOOD CROWD

C. H. Labllois, A. E. G. McKenzie in the Interests of the Liberal Party and D. A. Stewart and Arthur Culligan for the Conservatives are Nominated.

SPEAKERS GET GOOD HEARING

Nomination proceedings were held at Dalhousie yesterday before Sheriff Stewart in the court house. A large representation of voters attended and were greater with fine weather. At twelve noon the nominations were closed and the Sheriff as returning officer announced that the names of Chas. H. Labllois, and A. Ernest G. McKenzie had been nominated as candidates in the liberal interest, and David A. Stewart and Arthur J. Culligan as candidates in the conservative interest.

The names on the nomination papers of Chas. H. Labllois and A. Ernest G. McKenzie were as follows:—

Nominations
C. H. LABILLOIS.
Ed. Alexander, S. M. Moores, W. H. Miller, M. P. Moores, W. A. Trieman, L. Cantin, John Dickie, Wm. Storey, G. Vermette, E. A. LaGallais, J. B. Wagner, Aug. Martin, M. D. Neil Smith, N. Levesque, A. Dittie, Aurelle LaCasse, J. P. Dittie, L. G. Pinault, M. D. F. Levesque, J. Paradis, J. J. McIntyre, W. J. Smith, L. Blanchard, Aime LaCasse, J. P. LaCasse, R. Cullen, A. C. Bellefleur, R. Vermette, John Kerr, Jas. White.

ARTHUR J. CULLIGAN.
T. Ellsworth, R. B. McBeath, John LeTourneau, A. E. G. McKenzie, Isaac Boudreau, F. Sullivan, F. G. Kerr, T. J. McDevitt, J. R. Sharp, Ben Windsor, D. E. Richard, Jas. P. Jardine, M. M. Mowat, O. Smith, W. S. Richards, H. S. Alexander, P. Jamieson, D. Crowley, R. Dawson, J. A. O'Keefe, C. Lutz, Geo. St. Onge, A. J. Melanson, D. McAllister, C. W. Miller, W. S. Montgomery, Jas. Millan, D. McDonald, E. R. Gaudet, H. A. Guinard.

On resumption of the court Sheriff Stewart was called to take the chair and called on the first speaker Hon. C. H. Labllois who was received with cheering. He said that having been nominated at a convention in Campbellton he again appeared before the electors asking for their continued support. Having been the unanimous choice of the liberal electors, he was glad to go forward knowing that he had the support of many of his Conservative friends. He pointed out to the electors that he was the only representative of the old administration which had been slandered by the Conservative press, and would show that the present administration of the province was the most corrupt that had ever existed.

To make his points clear Mr. Labllois went over the records of the government's previous to 1885 when the old Conservative party gave away 1,647,772 acres of crown lands which today would be worth \$6,000,000. They sold 218,669 acres of crown lands at 50 and 80 cents per acre which today would be worth \$654,207.

Now what had the Flemming Government done? They promised an agricultural policy and to improve the roads, and had a increased revenue of \$130,000 after the 3rd March 1908 to work on. They refuted the Central Railway to the C. P. R. at half its value which last year was in debt \$600,000. They rented the Iron Mines of Gloucester Co., to the Drummond Co., at the ridiculous figure of 5c. per ton for a period 999 years when these mines are of untold wealth. That act alone should be sufficient to turn out the Flemming Government. Mr. Labllois scored the Hon. John Morrisey for his neglect of Public Works, especially the need of repairs to public bridges. Mr. Labllois read his questions which he put to the minister of Public Works and his answers there to, which showed that no bridges had been painted since March 1909, and no examination had ever been made on any of the bridges. No appropriation had ever been made for painting the bridges. Mr. Labllois called the Hon. John A. Macdonald a hypocrite by saying he had no money to spend on public works but could spend his money in

paying for wharves and bridges in Kent Co., on the eve of the Dominion election, to the amount of nearly \$35,000. He scored the government for this agricultural policy quoting the report of the government which showed the cost of the department to be \$7,896,531. The report of the commission showed that the sum of \$1000 was paid in advance for printing of the report, and all that Dr. Landry was able to do was to appoint a barber to be a poultry inspector, which was all that could be should for the expenditure of over \$7000.

Mr. Labllois spoke on the lumber policy noting the small size of lumber now allowed to be cut. The lack of game and fish protection also was touched upon the speaker stating that this was the great attraction of New Brunswick, and at present was being ruined through the non-observance of the game law.

Mr. Labllois spoke of his record of thirty years service and read the charges which had been made against him, showing that these were absolutely false, and explaining his position clearly to the electors, and showed that although he had made mistakes, but had always tried to do his duty and his work was before them. Mr. Labllois said Mr. A. B. Copp is asking the support of the electors for a platform which would be issued through the press.

TWO MEN AND HORSES DROWNED

Fording river at Flatlands When Caught in Current and Swept Under Logs

BODIES RECOVERED

A sad drowning accident at Flatlands last Saturday whereby two young unmarried men named Montgomery and Chambers lost their lives. The men who were in the employ of Robert Sinclair, Kempt Road were fording the river between the islands and a log striking the horses they were riding knocked them off their feet. The swift current carried them down under the logs which were jammed further down the stream, and both men and horses were drowned. The bodies were recovered this week one on Tuesday the other on Thursday.

was paid last year by these people. The speaker dwelt at length on the operation of the Highway Act quoting from the county reports showing that the sum expended on the roads were not tabulated but put all in a slumps and yet according to Mr. Culligan the roads were not in a good condition. He charged the government with extravagance showing that they promised in 1908 to keep the expenditure within the revenue whereas during the last four years they had an increased public debt of over \$1,000,000. He claimed the county of Restigouche had been neglected during the last four years in the fact that out of \$367,000 collected for stampage Restigouche paid \$15,000, out of \$81,000 mileage Restigouche had \$17,000 and from \$16,000 paid for Fisheries the county paid the enormous sum \$12,000. Mr. McKenzie went on to deal with the agricultural policy, the audit act and the Flemming government's railway policy and made a good impression. He concluded by asking the support of the electors for himself and Mr. Labllois.

Mr. D. A. Stewart was then called and although he claimed he was not a public speaker got a good hearing. Mr. Stewart said he had been selected as one of the candidates in the interests of the Flemming government and considered he knew the needs of the county as well as anyone. He said the county had had no representation during the last four years, and thought it was time for a change. He spoke of the grant given from the Federal and provincial governments, and explained the condition of affairs regarding the repairs of the dredge which has been talked of a good deal in Campbellton. He said the Liberals candidates seem much disturbed over the money which they claim was being disbursed at this election, perhaps owing to the fact that they had not the money to spend they used to have. Mr. Labllois appealed to the elector to renew their confidence in him but the young men were confident the Flemming government would be returned and Stewart and Culligan elected. He concluded by asking their support on June 20th, for himself and Mr. Culligan.

Mr. A. T. LeBlanc who was next speaker early caught the humour of his audience and kept their attention well while he pounded the acts of the Flemming government to pieces. Mr. Stewart had said that the speaker had not made much impression in the Tobique. "May be not" said Mr. LeBlanc "but it seems to have made a mighty big impression on Mr. Stewart." Great laughter.

Mr. LeBlanc told a little story of a very parsimonious widower who wished to erect a monument to the memory of his wife. He called on the sculptor who said that the cost of the monuments varied with their size and the parsimonious widower arranged to have a very small narrow stone made, which the sculptor did. And then came the inscription. Yes just something short. The wording was to be "Lord she is Thine," at so much a letter, but when the letters were being cut on the stone, it was found that the stone was so narrow the final E in Thine could not be put on and the inscription read "Lord, she is Thin." Amid great laughter Mr. LeBlanc said this was the state of the agricultural policy of Dr. Landry "very thin," and the speaker was repeatedly cheered as he drove home.

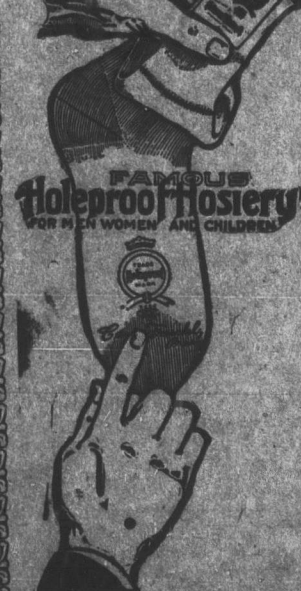
Mr. A. E. G. McKenzie was the next speaker who said that the relations of the candidates were always cordial, but that if they criticised the works of the old liberal government they must expect criticism.

He spoke first of the mines in Glos. Co., given by the Flemming government to the Drummond people. According to the agreement the charge payable to the province should have been \$7500 whereas according to the report only \$1650

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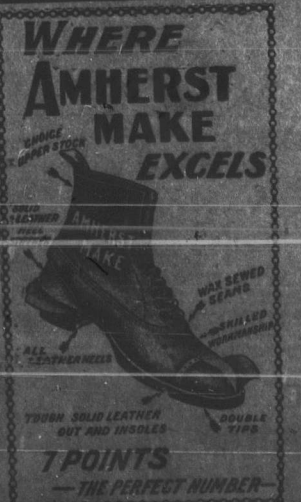
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