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TOWN COUNCIL

Holds Regular Monthly Meeting—Main Street East to be Repaired

At the regular monthly meeting of the Council on Wednesday evening the Mayor and all the Councillors were present.

The Streets Committee, through its chairman, reported that the expenditure in that department during August had been \$315.15. The work done included the practical re-surfacing of Main street, hauling gravel, trimming shade-trees and necessary operations at the dump.

Coun. Peck, for the Water Committee, reported that during the month \$208.84 had been expended and \$24.00 received by his department.

For the Sewer Committee Coun. Wheaton reported an expenditure of \$88.83, of which amount \$36.05 was for the sewer on King street authorized at the last regular meeting. The western outlet was reported to be now in a satisfactory condition.

The receipts from the Police Department were reported by the chairman, Coun. Whidden, to have been \$80.25, with an outlay of \$21.90. Plans for the proposed new lock-up were submitted and approved by the Council.

Coun. Eaton, chairman of the Poor Committee, reported that the expenses of his department during the month had been \$181.15.

Coun. Cox reported for the Finance Committee on the receipts and expenditures during the month. The overdraft was stated as \$550.09, which would have been converted into a credit balance if the amount spent on capital had been properly entered.

Petitions were read from residents of Gaspereau avenue and Pleasant street, asking that the street lights be extended in that locality, and the chairman of the Streets Committee was requested to furnish details as to required street-lighting, when a special meeting of the Council will be held to go fully into the matter.

The request of Policeman Crowell for a vacation of two weeks beginning Sept. 28th was granted.

The following accounts were read and ordered to be paid:

Telephone	\$ 30.95
E. F. Mahaney	40.25
Aut. R. S. Dakin	4.00
Andrew Delahant	8.75
Man. of Annapolis	117.50
Mrs. D. Lightfoot	3.10
C. C. Hancock	3.25
S. B. Rand	55.47
Burton Croft	12.00
A. P. Roberts	41.23
H. K. Pierce	15.25
Woodman & Co.	7.81
Children's Aid Society	2.84
E. C. Johnson	42.75
E. E. Wallace	6.75
D. A. R. Rent	30.00
W. A. Reid	1.80

Considerable discussion took place concerning the report of the Streets Committee and the chairman was requested to make much needed improvement in the condition of the east end of Main street, which was reported to be in a very bad state. It was thought that the necessary work might be done for about \$25.00.

The public-scale came in for considerable attention, it being reported that the scale had been condemned by the inspector. It was finally resolved that "the town scale be handed over to Mr. A. M. Wheaton to be repaired and used for his own purposes until a public weigher is appointed".

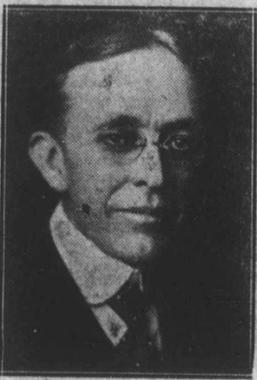
A resolution was also passed requiring a payment of five dollars per year rental for the lot of town property on which the Delahant blacksmith shop stands.

NEW PRESIDENT FOR ACADIA

The announcement that the Board of Governors of Acadia University had invited Dr. F. W. Patterson, of Winnipeg, to accept the position of president, was heard with very general satisfaction by members of the Convention and citizens who had the pleasure of meeting him and listening to his eloquent address during his visit to Wolfville. Although he has not yet formally accepted, it is encouraging to know that he is seriously considering the matter and an early and favorable answer is hoped for by all friends of the University.

Dr. Patterson is a native of New Brunswick. At present he is editor of the Western Baptist and Superintendent of the Baptist Union of Western Canada, with headquarters at Winnipeg. He is known from ocean to ocean among the Baptists, has a fine platform presence, is a profound thinker, a lucid speaker, and possesses remarkable administration and organizing powers. If Dr. Patterson's services are secured, he will be a great addition to the group of progressive educationists in the Maritime Provinces, and his coming to Acadia will be enthusiastically approved by the Acadia constituency. Mrs. Patterson is a native of Oxford, N. S.

HON. J. A. STEWART, M. P.



The former Minister of Railways who has been confined to the Montreal Hospital for some weeks, has suffered a serious relapse.

GREENWICH ITEMS

Miss Patterson, of Medford, who has been spending some time in California, has been the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Harry Neary for some time.

Mrs. A. K. Forsythe gave a very pleasant "At Home" from 4 to 6.30, last Wednesday afternoon, to a number of the Greenwich ladies and in honor of the many visitors in the place.

Mr. T. A. Pearson and daughter Miss Esther, arrived home from a short visit to Massachusetts last Wednesday afternoon and Mr. Pearson resumed his duties at the station Thursday morning, after two weeks vacation.

Mrs. Patterson and little daughter, of South Farmington, Anna, Co., visited Mrs. T. Andrew Pearson last week, leaving for home on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Singleton and little daughter and son, of Brockton, Mass., who visited over a week at the home of Mrs. Singleton's uncle, Mr. G. T. Fraser left to return to their home last Thursday morning in their large Dodge car, accompanied by their sister, Miss Eaton, a graduate nurse. Their mother, Mrs. Eaton, who came down with them, went as far as West Gore where she visited relatives until Monday, when she returned here. The party made the trip all the way by land a distance of about 830 miles finding roads very bad in places. They enjoyed drives to places of interest in the county and we understand hope to come again next summer.

Miss Millie Fraser, returned to Boston last Saturday morning to resume her duties as assistant buyer in gown department in a large store there, after a few weeks vacation spent at her home here.

Rev. Gordon and Mrs. Vincent, of North Sydney, who were in attendance at the convention at Wolfville last week, were guests Saturday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Fraser.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Schofield and two little boys, motored to Chester on Sunday in their car, to visit over Labor Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Burpee Bishop motored to Aylesford one afternoon last week to visit friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Forsythe spent the week-end in Bridgetown at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chesley Forsythe.

Mr. (Captain) Curry and little daughter, of Harborville, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Forsythe for several days, returned home on Monday.

We understand Mr. Harris Forsythe has purchased the farm of his brother Lovitt, at Port Williams, also has taken over the No. 2 R. R. Mail of Greenwich, which he drove.

Mr. Phillip Bishop recently purchased a car and often motors to Brooklyn, Hants Co., where he has part of his bees. We understand he is having a successful year with his bees and honey.

Our school commenced the new term on Tuesday morning this week with Miss Elsie Piper in charge. We extend to Miss Piper a welcome.

Dame Rumour says one of our young men is soon to "take unto himself a wife".

There are a number of severe cases of typhoid fever at the Poor Farm, which is stated to be caused by infection from bites of mosquitoes.

The news of the death of Hon. A. M. Covert, M. D., of Canning, which took place at the Victoria General Hospital on Monday afternoon, was heard with very sincere regret by his many friends throughout the county.

Sir Charles and Lady Townshend, Miss Townshend and C. W. Townshend, motored to Halifax this week.

Miss Ruby Beardley, of Waterbury, Conn., arrived Wednesday on a visit to her sister, Mrs. C. B. Russell.

United Baptist Convention

Of Maritime Provinces in Session at Wolfville—Interesting Account of Proceedings.

The meeting of the Convention on Thursday evening considered the matter of University federation on the report of the Board of Governors recommending that the matter be given further consideration. A number of speakers including Dr. Cutten, Dr. Cohoon, Dr. DeWolfe, Dr. Goucher, took part in the discussion and it was finally decided unanimously to refer the matter back to the Board for further investigation and report.

At the meeting on Friday morning, after the devotional service conducted by Rev. G. W. Schurman, of Aylesford, the report of the treasurer, Mr. J. Wesley Dimock, of Windsor was read by Rev. E. S. Mason.

Receipts by the Denominational Treasurer, less \$200. returned by the Maritime Home for Women, Moncton, \$ 58,805.29
 Receipts by Treasurer of Save the Children Fund 9,620.77
 Reported by Treasurer U. B. Women's Missionary Union. 32,427.69
 Reported by Treasurer of Mission Band 5,607.19
 \$106,460.85

Rev. Mr. Mason also submitted the Report on Home Missions. 48 fields embracing 94 churches with 155 preaching stations have been continuously served. There have been 18 other fields with part time service of a pastor, beside those assisted by field workers and students. New church edifices have been dedicated during the year at Plaster Rock, Waterville and Orinoto.

The afternoon devotional service was conducted by the Rev. G. D. Hudson. Reports were heard from the Convention Finance Committee, the Grand Ligne Mission Board, the European College Fund and the Amnity Board.

The evening session Friday was largely attended.

Rev. E. S. Mason, Supt. Home Missions of Maritime Provinces, gave a brief address. He said the development of rural fields means the development of the whole field. The fields on which we spend money will be those that return us riches in the future. The city churches are built up of recruits from rural districts. Men for these mission fields not only should be educated and trained to instruct others, but must present, and teach Jesus Christ first and foremost and with a positiveness that cannot be questioned.

This speaker was followed by Dr. F. W. Patterson from the Canadian West, on Western Missions, of which he is superintendent. This lecture was illustrated by lantern slides. By means of these pictures, the growth of the churches and the progress of the work was traced and explained in a most graphic way. These were speaking pictures. The beginning of the prosperous churches at Winnipeg, Regina, Calgary, Vancouver, etc., were presented, together with their pioneer preachers. Also the mission stations with their log-cabin edifices for worship, and their heroic missionary-pastors, were featured upon the screen, mutely appealing for financial aid, and endorsing the previous speaker's claim that the rural fields are those that shall yield the glorious harvest of the future.

Foreign Missions was the chief consideration of the Convention on Saturday. The report was submitted by the General Secretary, Rev. H. E. Stillwell. The chief work of the convention is carried on in Madras Presidency, India, and in Bolivia. The year has been marked by colossal efforts in the part of statesmen of good will to reconcile the conflicting interests of the nations and to safeguard against

the return of another war. The Prince of Wales, unregardful of personal risk, has toured the length and breadth of fast-changing and restless India, and made the world his debtor by allaying national inquietude. These efforts to bring about peace touch Baptist missions most closely as its mission field lies in the very centre of the storm zone.

As a result of the arrest and imprisonment of the arch agitator, Gandhi, and his assistants, India is quieter today than it has been for several years, and both Europeans and natives who are entrusted with the responsibility of Government have a freer hand in furthering the well-being of the Indian people. One of the missionaries writes that while as a result of the non-co-operation propaganda, the people are far less careful to heed the teaching of the foreigner, the missionary, who is known and trusted, finds no lack of attentive hearers.

Five new missionaries proceed to India in the course of a few weeks. They are Miss Gertrude Mann, B. A., of Acadia; Miss Barrie Turnbull, B. A., of Brandon College; Miss Grace Kenyon, B. A. of McMaster University; Miss Pearl Scott, of McMaster; Miss Evelyn Eaton, R. N., of Canard, N. S., whose sister, Miss Winnifred Eaton, is already on the field. Miss Evelyn Slack, of Windsor, N. S., and a graduate of Acadia, has been appointed to Bolivia.

The hospital and medical work of this mission has a worthy record. Two thousand, six hundred and sixty one patients spent a total of 31,256 days within the walls of our hospitals, under the skilled care of our doctors and nurses; while 34,593 out-patients received treatment, during the past nine months. The Canadian physicians have assisting them five well equipped Hindu doctors. In addition to these there are a number of compounders. The Indian staff is growing both in numbers and efficiency and gives promise of the time when the hospitals may be largely cared for by the natives themselves.

In the two Leprosy Hospitals operated by the mission the new treatment with the use of chaulmoogra and other oils, as advocated by Dr. Muir of the school of Research in Tropical Medicine at Calcutta, is being tried with most beneficial results. As from this treatment, in some places, lepers have remained free from all signs of the disease from two to four years, specialists have now good hopes of a total cure being eventually discovered. The unselfish service of our missionaries in these hospitals is a literal fulfillment of the command of Christ to cleanse the lepers.

The financial report of the Maritime Section of the Foreign Board was presented by Sheriff A. A. Wilson, of St. John. The report showed \$4,186 from invested funds and capital account investments of \$78,923.92.

The Convention continued its session on Saturday evening, when another crowded house greeted members of the Church's Foreign Missionary staff.

The first speaker was Rev. G. R. McFaul of the Grande Ligne Mission. His subject was—Building French Canada into the Highway of Holiness. He prophesied the day would come when Grand Pre would once again be populated by Acadians—a great people—dominating politics of the country, directing education, influencing the press, building the Pope's highway from coast to coast. Baptists were the first to begin missions in Canada. Followed by the Presbyterians—these two only were in the work of placing bibles in the hands of the people. The late Dr.

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FRED R. MILLER



A prominent Engineer and member of the Toronto Transportation Commission is dead after a short illness.

WOLFVILLE DEFEATS KENTVILLE

In League Cricket Match—Score 53-35

A league cricket match was played last Saturday on the College Campus, between the Wolfville and Kentville elevens, and resulted in a win for Wolfville by the score of 53-35. Bauld and Robinson bowled very effectively for Wolfville, and Brooks and Fosberry for Kentville. Robinson was top scorer, making 28 runs, and carried his bat. The scoring was as follows:

Kentville	
J. Miller, b Bauld	12
A. Beauchamp, b Robinson	4
H. Brooks, b Bauld	0
E. Simpson, b Bauld	5
G. Ferguson, c Herbin Jr.	1
F. Walker, lb.w., b Robinson	2
W. Fosberry, b Bauld	1
T. Miller, b Bauld	0
H. Miller, c Koppel, b Robinson	2
S. Spencer, c Mason, b Bauld	0
Wells, not out	1
Byes	6
Wide balls	1
Total	35

Wolfville	
Herbin Sr., c Walker, b Brooks	5
Capeland, not out	11
Herbin Jr., c Walker, b Brooks	0
Robinson, not out	28
Bauld, c Fosberry, b Brooks	1
Mackinson, b Brooks	0
Koppel, lb.w., b Fosberry	1
Cox, c T. Miller, b Fosberry	0
Ingraham, b Brooks	0
K. Mason, c Fosberry, b Brooks	2
Smilie, c J. Miller, b Brooks	0
Byes	3
Wide balls	1
Total	53

GASPEREAU NOTES

Mr. Milton Ward, with his wife and children, of North Alton, spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Everett Kinnie. Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Peter McDonald on the birth of a daughter.

Mrs. Mark Gertrude, of Newton, Mass., who has been visiting relatives and friends here, returned to her home on Tuesday of this week.

Miss Elizabeth Crandle, of New Minas, spent a few days of this week visiting friends here.

The sum of \$28.80 was realized at the Women's Institute Supper of Wednesday evening. Home-made candy and Ice Cream were also sold.

Mrs. James Trevo, of Brighton, Digby county, is visiting her daughter Mrs. Clifford M. Coldwell, Mr. Herbert Trevo, Mrs. Coldwell's brother, spent the latter part of last week with his sister, leaving on Saturday morning for Glace Bay, C. B.

The Women's Missionary Aid Society met in the Baptist church on Wednesday afternoon of this week. A Life Member certificate was presented to Mrs. Mary Gertrude.

Mr. Roy Coldwell left on Saturday morning last to resume his duties as teacher at New Waterford, C. B.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hunter, with Miss Thelma Hunter and Mr. George McBay, returned home last Thursday evening from an auto trip to Springhill.

Mr. Morris Zwicker, of Halifax, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Coldwell.

The Misses Swallow and Waterman, of Torbrook, spent Labor Day at their home.

Miss Pooley, of St. John, is visiting her friend Miss Waterman.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Coldwell and Mr. Gordon Coldwell, of Hantsport, spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mrs. Archibald Westcott spent last week at her former home Waterville, Hants county.

SWIMMING EVENTS

On Labor Day Keenly Contested by Young People

The swimming meet at the Acadia Memorial Gymnasium on Labor Day was a success as far as the young people were concerned, but the attendance of grown-ups was not as large as it should have been. The people of Wolfville are fortunate in having Mr. Russell to instruct their children in swimming and should give him more encouragement. All the events on Monday were keenly contested and the results were as follows:

Girls, 80 lbs. Class
 20 yard Swim—1st, Frances Forbes; 2nd, Ruth Ingraham.

Girls, 95 lb. Class
 20 yard Swim—1st, R. Coit; 2nd, M. Williams; 3rd, E. Ingraham.

Girls, 110 lb. Class
 20 yard Swim—1st, M. Eaton; 2nd, I. Crowell; 3rd, E. Cohoon.

Girls, Unlimited Class
 20 yard Swim—1st, L. Benjamin; 2nd, A. Fitch; 3rd, B. Cohoon.

40 yard Swim—1st, A. Fitch; 2nd, R. Elderkin; 3rd, B. Cohoon.

Plunge for Distance—1st, L. Benjamin; 2nd, R. Elderkin; 3rd, M. Chase.

Special race, 20 yards, for girls using water wings—1st, B. Williams; 2nd, V. Coldwell; 3rd, Helen Young.

Boys, 90 lb. Class
 20 yard Swim—1st, H. Boates; 2nd, R. Northover; 3rd, V. Murphy.

40 yard Swim—1st, R. Northover; 2nd, H. Boates; 3rd, V. Murphy.

Plunge for Distance—1st, H. Boates; 2nd, Reg. Northover.

Candle Race—1st, Reg. Northover; 2nd, Roy Northover; 3rd, V. Murphy.

110 Boys, lb. Class
 20 yard Swim—1st, A. Brady; 2nd, Max Sanford.

40 yard Swim—1st, A. Brady; 2nd, Stackhouse; 3rd, M. Sanford.

Underwater Swim for Distance—1st, Reg. Northover; 2nd, H. Boates.

Plunge for Distance—1st, A. Brady; 2nd, Stackhouse.

Boys, Unlimited Class
 20 yard Swim—1st, Tom Dakin; 2nd, Jas. Northover; 3rd, Carl Eaton.

40 yard Swim—1st, R. Prescott; 2nd, Tom Dakin; 3rd, Jas. Northover.

Underwater Swim for Distance—1st, C. Eaton; 2nd, Jas. Northover; 3rd, R. Prescott.

Plunge for Distance—1st, C. Eaton; 2nd, Jas. Northover; 3rd, R. Prescott.

Candle Race—1st, R. Prescott; 2nd, Jas. Northover; 3rd, Tom Dakin.

BOSTON SYMPHONY ENSEMBLE

Of the prominent members of the Boston Symphony Orchestra, the players which director Augusto Vannini includes in his Boston Symphony Ensemble, are the most noteworthy. We will hear such well-known artists as Georges Mager, the first solo trumpet player of the famous Boston Symphony. It will be recalled that Monsieur Mager toured the country a few years ago as soloist with the famous French Military Band. Mr. Wendler, the French Horn player is ranked as one of the leading artists on his instrument. His tone is said to be unusually mellow and beautiful. Mr. DeVoto, the pianist, is well known as the head of the piano department of the New England Conservatory of Music and numbers among his well-known pupils many of our best pianists in the Provinces. Mr. Langendon, the solo cellist of the Boston Symphony Orchestra, comes from Hague, Holland, and has concertized with the greatest success all over Europe. And so with all the players in this wonderful Boston Symphony. They have been chosen not only for their brilliant artistry, but for their musicianship and experience, as well. Tickets \$1.00 and \$1.25, at Rand's. See adv.

MEMORIAL SERVICE AT AVONPORT

The Sunday afternoon service at Avonport on Sept. 3 was in the nature of a memorial to the late Mrs. S. Rathburn. Dr. A. C. Borden, of Grand Pre, was the principal speaker. He spoke eloquently of Mrs. Rathburn's long service as light-keeper at Horton Bluff.

Appropriate remarks were made by Mr. Whitman and Mr. Curry, the Methodist and Baptist pastors. The Long Service Medal of the Imperial Government, which had been awarded to Mrs. Rathburn, was presented to her son, M. J. Rathburn, by Ernest Robinson, M.P.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bundy and three children, of Cowley, Alta., are spending a few weeks at the home of Mrs. Bundy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edson Graham.



Mother—"No Bobby, for the third time I tell you, you can't have another chocolate."
Bobby—(in despair)—"I don't see where father gets the idea that you are always changing your mind."

—London Opinion.