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LOCAL NEWS

MAGISTRATE'S REMARK. A beautiful flower adorned Police Magistrate Ritchie's desk this morning, and in a reply to a remark "a nice bouquet, Your Honor," he said, "the city was as kind to me as some of my friends I would be much happier."

DEATH OF G. W. CRAFT. At Millidgeville today George Wetmore Craft, the oldest resident of that place, died in his 93rd year. Mr. Craft had been in good health until last Friday, when he contracted pneumonia, and his death came as a great shock to his many friends. He leaves to mourn his sons—George W., Frank H., William F., I. Sharpe, Whitney O. and Lorne R., and one daughter, Mrs. Annie M. Staschhouse, all of this city. The funeral will be held on Wednesday at 2.30 p. m. coaches to leave Scott's Corner at 2 p. m.

FISKE MEMORIAL FUND. The Emma Skinner Fiske memorial fund committee, of which W. Frank Hatheway is chairman, Mrs. Frederick A. Foster, treasurer, and Mrs. George Carvill, secretary, has decided to raise a fund from \$500 to \$1,000, to be expended in prizes of \$50 or more, to be awarded to that pupil graduating from the eleventh grade of the St. John high schools with the highest marks in French. The number of prizes will be regulated by the amount of money subscribed, but there will be at least one prize of \$50 each year for the next ten years, beginning in June next.

AMENDMENTS TO ELECTRICAL LAW

Proposed Changes Submitted to Council by Commissioner of Safety This Morning—Will Make Department Self-Sustaining.

Proposed amendments to the electrical laws by the city, with a view to making this department self-sustaining and also to make the law more effective, were presented to the council this morning by Commissioner Thornton. It was decided to postpone discussion of the amendments until the Thursday meeting, each of the commissioners having been furnished with a copy in the meantime.

The amendments provide for the approval of the city electrician of all material used in electric installation; for an increase in the scale of fees charged for permits and inspections; for all fees to be paid to the city electrician instead of the city chamberlain; for more stringent rules in the installation of electric wires and switches to ensure increased safety. Proposed amendments to the electrical laws by the city, with a view to making this department self-sustaining and also to make the law more effective, were presented to the council this morning by Commissioner Thornton. It was decided to postpone discussion of the amendments until the Thursday meeting, each of the commissioners having been furnished with a copy in the meantime.

TELL OF FINDING GUY NORTHRUP HIDDEN IN SHOP

Evidence in Police Court About Early Morning Call at Byron Bros. Grocery.

On suspicion of breaking and entering the grocery store of Byron Bros., 71 Stanley street, and stealing \$284, Guy Northrup was in the police court this morning. He did not plead guilty. Frank Byron said that in consequence of a call about two o'clock yesterday morning he went to the store and found the basement window broken. He found the cash register open and some cents missing. He missed nothing except the money from the register. Policeman H. C. Hatt told of going to the store with Inspector Caples and Harry Hawkhurst, patrol driver, and said they found the basement window broken. He said Northrup was found hidden by a barrel. Harry Hawkhurst and Inspector Caples corroborated this evidence, and the inspector told of searching the accused and finding the money. Mr. Byron identified one of the coins as one of those he had seen in the register the night before by reason of its peculiar color. The case was postponed to the register. Tony Crisco, an Italian, charged with creating a disturbance and using profane language, pleaded not guilty. Policeman McNeil gave evidence. J. A. Barry, counsel for the defence argued that the accused was arrested wrongfully, but the case was postponed until tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock. The accused was allowed out on putting up a deposit of \$100, but this he refused.

Louis Dancy, charged with being drunk, violently resisting the police, and assaulting Policeman Downing, while in the discharge of his duties, pleaded guilty, and was remanded for a further hearing. A horse case against S. Dunham was again postponed for witnesses. Two men charged with drunkenness pleaded guilty and were also remanded.

MONTREAL DOCTOR DEAD IN NEW YORK

Montreal, March 14—Dr. J. G. McCarthy, a prominent member of the Montreal Medical Profession, aged 58, died in New York yesterday on his return home from Bermuda where he had gone to recuperate. He had been suffering for a time with angina pectoris. Mrs. McCarthy and his daughter were with him. He was appointed assistant professor of anatomy at McGill in 1908 and retired to private practice in 1909.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT TO WOMEN'S COUNCIL

Matter of Return of Grant and Drinking Fountain Before the Common Council—Indiscriminate Tearing Up of Streets—Paving for Douglas Avenue.

Acknowledgement of the return of \$500 from the local council of women and of the presentation to the city by the local council of a drinking fountain for horses were among the matters taken up at this morning's committee meeting of the common council. In the absence of Mayor Schofield, Commissioner Frink presided. On motion of Commissioner Thornton it was decided to acknowledge receipts of the grant, if it was found that it had already been done. Mr. Bullock brought up the matter of the application of H. A. Porter on behalf of Wm. Lewis and George Dick for the fee simple to property in Britain street for \$50 in lieu of an annual payment of \$1. He said that the recorder had expressed the opinion that the procedure was in order. On Mr. Bullock's motion, it was recommended that on payment of \$50 the annual rental of \$1 be released.

Docks for South End?

Dr. Frink said that this action would facilitate the transfer of this property to the dominion government for proposed docks in Lower Cove. On Commissioner Bullock's motion it was decided to sell to George McPherson at \$85 in Park Place, Lunenburg, instead of lot 854 or 585 as decided at a previous meeting.

Mr. Bullock moved that a lot in Elliot Row near Crown street, now under lease to T. E. Bishop at \$20 a year, be sold for \$500 to his wife, Margaret Bishop, carried. Acknowledgment to Women's Council. Commissioner Thornton referred to remarks in the press regarding the city not acknowledging the return of a \$500 grant by the Women's Council and also the installation of a drinking fountain in Union Park. He said that if it had not already been done, he moved that a motion of appropriation be sent to the Women's Council for the return of the \$500. The motion carried.

Regarding the fountain, Mr. Thornton said he did not remember any official presentation to the city. It was decided to grant permission to P. M. Levine to erect an electric sign before his store in King street. Commissioner Frink was authorized to dispose of an old Ford touring car belonging to the public works department.

Tenders for asphalt, referred to Commissioner Frink, were left over until the return of the mayor tomorrow. Commissioner Thornton was authorized to dispose of several old wagons belonging to the public safety department.

Retaining Walls.

Commissioner Frink said, regarding retaining walls, that he thought the small walls built during the year should be grouped together and made the subject of one bond issue. He presented a request from J. H. Robson, 58 Albert street, West, for the renewal of a wall on his property, agreeing to pay part of the cost.

On Commissioner Frink's motion, it was decided to build the wall, the city to pay half the cost, \$104, the amount to be covered by bond issue. Dr. Frink said that there would likely be other walls to be built in Main street and Burpee avenue.

Replying to Mr. Bullock, Dr. Frink said the total interest charges on city bond issues was now about \$250,000. Streets and Paving. Commissioner Thornton reported that Smythe street was being badly torn up. Mr. Jones said that this was for water control.

Mr. Thornton said that Germain street had a couple of bad holes in it, resulting from cuts made by the N. B. Power Co. for gas mains. Commissioner Frink said that he did not hope there would ever be a liability to the tearing up for paved streets for underground services. He said the city was forestalling the breaks by preparing in advance the work in Douglas avenue and Brussels street. Unfortunately, conditions were such that it was never to be known when the gas company or telephone company would start to tear up streets without notifying the public works department. He said the companies were working under an act of the legislature over which the city had no control.

Mr. Jones suggested that it be ascertained if the gas people wanted to put down pipes before the paving was started. Commissioner Frink reported that plans and specifications for the paving of Douglas avenue had been completed and would be presented to the council in the near future.

MR. TWEEDDALE MUCH IMPROVED

A long distance telephone message to the Evening Times this afternoon from the home of Hon. J. F. Tweeddale, at Archarville, brought the cheering news that Mr. Tweeddale's condition is greatly improved today. Dr. Earle, who is in attendance, is very much encouraged with his rapidly improving condition, and feels confident that he will be restored to his usual good health in the course of two or three weeks. Hon. Mr. Tweeddale suffered a fractured skull about a week ago when he fell on the ice near his home.

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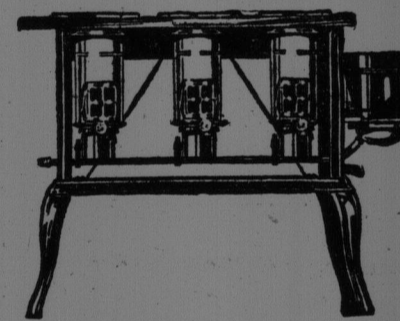
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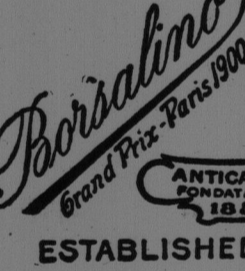
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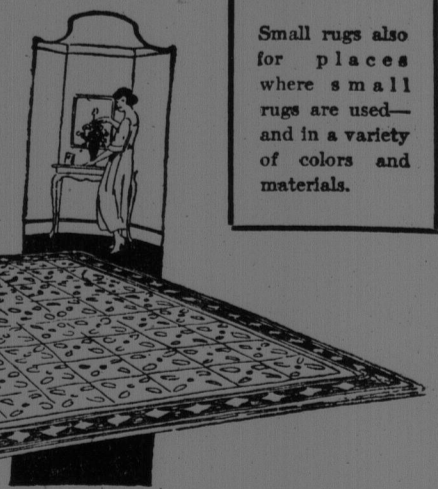
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