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The session of the Municipal Council of Restigouche county which came to an end Wednesday evening because the law distinctly states that it could only sit for eight days, was a record breaker as regards length of session and also for the small amount of business transacted.

The action of some of the members who lost no opportunity to block the business was a disgrace to the Municipality as well as to the parishes and town which were responsible for their presence in the council.

In the elections of September last a majority of liberal councillors were elected, there being eight liberals and four conservatives.

In the parish of Durham the liberals claimed that irregularities had taken place and a protest was filed against the return of the two conservative councillors elect, Messrs. Archibald Murchie and John Lawlor.

The conservatives were strengthened by the appointment of W. S. Montgomery as councillor from the town of Dalhousie and the acquisition of Coun. Firth, whose opinions in regard to the protest took a right about face between the time he arrived in Campbellton and his appearance at council Tuesday afternoon. What considerations were responsible for this change we have no means of learning as Coun. Firth is not talking for publication, but suffice it to state that councillor Firth who has always been an active liberal lined himself up with the other party.

W. S. Montgomery, mayor of Dalhousie, and the defeated conservative candidate in the last Dominion election captained the conservative forces, while Coun. D. A. Arseneau, a former liberal, but who changed his stripes immediately the liberal government was defeated, so that he could retain his office as government scaler, was his able lieutenant.

We must admit that much to the county's detriment, the leaders of the conservatives outwitted their opponents, and although they were in a minority they were able to successfully hold up the business of the Council from day to day. No subject was too trivial for them to have motions and amendments spread on the minutes and give them an excuse to talk and take up valuable time.

The climax was reached Tuesday morning when the committee appointed to investigate the charges contained in the protest against Couns. Murchie and Lawlor of the parish of Durham, asked the council for a recess of fifteen minutes.

Coun. Montgomery was up on his feet at once, followed by Coun. Arseneau and Coun. Peters followed him, with Coun. Firth getting a word in between times. Considerable time was wasted and to facilitate matters the majority gave way and agreed to adjourn until 2 o'clock, although it was only a few minutes past eleven o'clock.

In the interval the committee met and decided that as there was a large number of witnesses to hear in reference to the protest, they could not

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### A HUGE PAY ROLL AND ITS MEANING

**Dominion Coal Company's Army of Employees—What They Mean to the Country**

The Dominion Coal Company's employees number over 13,000 persons, and the population directly dependent on their operations will number not less than 50,000 persons. In providing housing accommodation for their work-people, the Company has been obliged to spend very large sums of money on homes, which are rented to the men at very reasonable rates. The more recently erected miners' houses are comfortable and commodious, the rentals charged varying from \$4.00 to \$8.00 per month. As the collieries of the Company have, in many cases, been located in entirely unsettled locations, it has been necessary not only to provide homes, but stores, electric light, water, sewerage and other corporate conveniences.

### STEEL INDUSTRY IN UNITED STATES

**Reduced Wages and Short Time Prevail—Trade People Blame Reduction in Tariff**

The "Daily Iron Trade" of Cleveland, one of the recognized iron and steel organs of the United States, takes rather a pessimistic view of the iron and steel situation in that country. It reports that many of the Middle Western mills are running only about 60% capacity and others being down as low as 45%. Not only are thousands of hands laid off, or working at reduced hours, but the wages are being reduced. In the Middle West several companies have cut their wages 10%, that is, a man who formerly earned \$12 a week now gets \$10.80. A variety of causes are blamed, but to the new Wilson tariff, which has put most iron and steel products on the free list, is attributed most of the trouble. German and English mills, with lower cost of production through lower wages, have been able to dump their surplus products in the United States. This has obviously meant less business for the United States mills, which in order to meet the price have had to reduce wages.

Canada would do well to look carefully into the situation in the United States with respect to iron and steel. We have seen large industries in New Glasgow and Sydney and elsewhere suffer in the past through foreign competition. The big United States mill with its highly specialized product can afford to cut the price in Canada on many lines in order to take away the Nova Scotia mill's market. This process may be rapid in the next couple of years unless steps are taken to shut out the British and foreign steel manufacturer. When we take into consideration the enormous quantity of money that is put in circulation in the Maritime Provinces by the iron and steel industries we can all afford to allow conditions to be created which would curtail the production in these industries. In fact it would seem evident that some steps ought to be taken to insure continuity of operation and a market at reasonable prices for the product of the Canadian plants.

### COUNTY COUNCIL MEETING DALHOUSIE

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councillors from Durham dissenting. The matter of assessment was taken up immediately after the noon recess, and the Assessment committee recommended the following assessment.

	Dalhousie	Colborne	Bathurst	Perth	Adolphus	Elton	Two Rivers
Contingencies	\$75.00	\$18.10	\$300.00	\$25	\$215	\$600	\$75
Schools	\$8.00	\$82.10	\$28.00	\$50	\$1700	\$470	\$100
Police	\$25.00	\$50.00	\$80.00	\$600	\$200	\$50	\$100
Indebtedness	\$12.50	\$25.00	\$75.00	\$150	\$500	\$1100	\$110
	\$120.50	\$175.20	\$583.00	\$1705	\$2685	\$2230	\$385

After the assessment committee reported and their report was accepted, a resolution was passed in regard to the train service between Bathurst and

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### Notice To Defaulters



Pursuant to a resolution of the Town Council passed on the 6th instant, public notice is hereby given that the names of all defaulters will be published on or about the 1st of February, A. D., 1914, together with the amount of taxes owing by each person, firm, company or corporation and immediately thereafter steps will be taken for the collection of said taxes according to law.

Dated this 12th day of January, A. D., 1914.  
S. H. LINGLEY  
Town Treasurer



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**OPEN MONDAYS**  
On this date the Opera House at Athol will be open on Mondays only at each week.

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Jasper Davidson, train conductor here has been appointed instructor on this division in the standard rule system which is being introduced over the I. C. R.

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**MAY GO SOUTH**  
Mr. William Fugles, who is confined to his house for a long time through illness, is improving. He has been advised by a doctor to go south for his health. It is doubtful when he will be able to return to Ottawa to resume his duties at the House.

**OFFICIALS DISMISSED**  
The Municipal Council of Westport yesterday voted to dismiss D. Richard from the office of treasurer. Mr. R. W. Hewson, dismissed from the office of collector and Mr. James Friel appointed. The latter formerly held the office and was dismissed by a Tory July last.

**GETS MORE**  
On Friday, about the noon hour, Constable Steward made a call on the Queen Hotel, Dalhousie, looking through the premises and several tanks of gas, half a ton of Post wine and quite a supply of salt and malt Bavarian beer.

**SEIZURE AT DALHOUSIE**  
On Friday last, Inspector Law Dalhousie, together with Constable Steward of the Temperance Association and Constable D. G. Stewart, two quite large barrels of gin L. C. R. station at Dalhousie, goods were addressed to John F.

**NOT THE MAN**  
Mr. J. Landry of this town much aggrieved at the report Moncton papers that a barrel of gin had been seized by the inspector was addressed to John Landry, and said of our town that this name might mean one, and those who know Mr. Landry know that the article in question was not for him.

**ALLIANCE FORMED**  
Last Wednesday evening, Rev. Staver, Field Secretary of the Alliance, gave an illustrated lecture at the Dalhousie Junction. At the lecture, a branch of the Alliance was organized. The following officers, Pres., John Jamieson, Sec., Rev. Mr. Coleman, Treas., Polley; Sec. Walter Blair, James Thompson. The other officers of the executive are Victor J. Mrs. R. Duggan, Miss Florence, Miss Jessie Dunn, Mrs. L. Mrs. R. Good, Mrs. F. McMrs. R. McIntosh.

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