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TOWN COUNCIL HOLD MEETING LAST NIGHT

Defaulting Tax Payers are Now to be Made to Pay up More Quickly

A meeting of the town council was held in the council chambers last evening, His Worship Mayor Andrew presiding over a full attendance of councillors.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed. Communication read from Mr. S. M. Moores giving up the occupancy of the store in the Murray building on January 1st, 1914. Letter filed.

Communication read from Mr. Wm. Noble resigning his position as caretaker of the town horses and driver of the hose wagon. On motion resignation was accepted.

A number of names were received by the council for this vacant position and referred to the fire protection committee. On their recommendation, Percy Gagnier was appointed keeper of the town horses and driver of the hose wagon.

The following reports of committees recommending payment of accounts were then received and adopted.

Finance,	\$345.55.
Fire Protection,	\$91.60.
Electric Light,	\$185.64.
Public Property and Streets,	\$184.05.
Police and License,	\$95.70.
Water and Sewerage,	\$777.14.
Public Charities,	\$140.65.

The Assessment and Appeals Committee recommended that the application of Jas. Alexander be granted, and that a reduction of \$800.00 be made in his assessment for 1912 and that a refund of \$11.00 be made to him.

That no reduction be made to Mrs. Emily Christopher, she being assessed on land that escaped the Assessor's notice in previous years. Report was received and adopted.

Councillor Ferguson brought up the matter of having a man to assist in the cleaning of the town horses. The driver of the hose wagon when doing this work was away from the fire gong and serious results might happen when he was absent on his duty. The chairman of the Public Property and Streets committee and the Fire Protection committee were left to deal with this matter.

The Town Treasurer was authorized to pay to Mrs. Wm. Murray the rent of the building used as council chambers on the first of each month.

The Public Property and Streets committee were authorized to haul stone during the winter from the Sugarloaf for future use on the streets.

It was arranged to allow the Water and Sewerage committee the use of the town horses whenever required by that department.

Discussion was then largely indulged in regarding the collection of defaulting tax payers. It was felt that more stringent measures were required for this collection and it was high time that defaulters were made to pay up.

The Finance committee were empowered to devise means for the better collection of such. With regard to this it was thought that a published list in the newspapers of defaulters would be one of the best means for collection of taxes.

Further to this subject the Finance committee were instructed to institute enquiries with a view to engaging the services of an expert Chartered Accountant to systematize the whole of the town's book keeping.

Council then adjourned.

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TEMPERANCE BYE-LAW IS UPHELD

Petition of John Maine Asking for Quashing Same, Dismissed With Costs.

The temperance people of New Campbellton have won on the 15th inst. a victory as great as the one of the 26th of May, when His Honor Judge Tupper, through M. Blanchet Prothonotary, rendered judgement maintaining in force the prohibitory bye-law, voted by a majority of three votes on the 26th of May last, and dismissing with all costs against the petitioner, the petition of John Maine, asking for the quashing of same. As we all remember on the 26th day of May last, after the hardest fight ever put up by both sides, the temperance people succeeded as above stated to pass by a small majority a bye-law, prohibiting the sale of all intoxicating liquors in this municipality after the 1st of May, 1914.

Mr. John Maine through his attorney, Mr. Frank Maguire, attacked this bye-law, and had a long, long, long petition served on some forty electors who had applied for the passing of

HOLD-UP ROBBER MAKES GOOD HAUL

Paymaster of Montreal Herald Hands Over \$500 at the Point of a Revolver

Montreal, Dec. 16.—Grabbing with one hand at the revolver in the coat pocket of his victim and with the other at the bag containing five hundred dollars in cash which was his object, an unidentified hold-up man got away with \$500 in cash in pay envelopes on the Herald Building at five o'clock this morning. The highwayman, stopped in his attempt to get away with his booty by William C. Hall, shot the latter in the leg and made good his escape. The hold-up took place in the basement of the Herald building. A. W. Moffatt, cashier for the Herald Company, Limited, was making his weekly rounds of the building with the money for wages to be paid out in the various departments in his bag. His custom is to leave the amount for wages with the foreman of each department, for distribution. On the basement floor, as Moffatt was proceeding to the mailing room, he was confronted by a young man said to be known in the building. The highwayman is described as about 19 years of age. Moffatt carries for his protection a revolver when he has charge of large sums of cash. His habit was evidently well known to his assailant, for stopping him in the hall, where no one was about save the two concerned, the highwayman grabbed first of all the revolver, then the bag. Giving Moffatt a push which sent him against the stair rail in a dazed condition, the thief made his escape by way of the stairway and a side door leading into Alexander street.

Moffatt shouted for help. His call was heard by Hall, an employee who was standing in the passageway above awaiting an elevator. Hall turned and met the thief at the head of the stairs, and without hesitation flung himself upon him. "Get out of the road," yelled the robber, and with the words, fired. Hall fell to the ground with a wound in his right thigh, and in the confusion the man escaped.

BAGGAGE ROBBED ON RAIL JOURNEY

Mrs. H. A. Hilyard and Mrs. G. P. Lounsbury, who were passengers on Saturday's Limited train from St. John to Dalhousie, were robbed of many valuables. Four pieces of baggage were checked in St. John in the usual way before the departure of No. 4 train on Saturday forenoon, and on arrival here on the same evening, upon examination of the trunks and suit case it was discovered that valuable dresses, jewellery, etc., was missing.

WOMEN'S INSTITUTE MEETING MONDAY

Good Paper Read by Mrs. W. D. Duncan on "Literature in The Home".

A meeting of the Women's Institute was held in the council chambers on Monday evening, the president, Mrs. A. A. Andrew occupying the chair. There was a good attendance of ladies and the fifteen minutes allowed for discussion on current events was most profitably spent. A vote of thanks was then passed to the city council for the use of the council chambers.

Mrs. W. D. Duncan read a most interesting paper on "Literature in The Home," showing the necessity of parents making a wise choice of the books brought into the home, and to guard against the trend of some present day novels which tend, especially among the young, to lower the tone of morality.

Mrs. Wm. Currie spoke of the benefit in the choosing of up lifting pictures for the home. The meeting was most enjoyable and the society is going well forward and will do a great deal of good work in the town.

summoned as joint defendants (mis-cause). Upon being served with the petition these defendants immediately retained the services of Mr. John Hall, Kelly, M.L.A. (whose reputation as a lawyer is known far outside of the little country town) who took the case in hand, and appeared on the 17th day of October, when Mr. Mair's petition was presented in Court with a motion asking that the said petition be dismissed with costs, for several reasons, amongst which were: That the Circuit Court, before whom this petition was presented had no jurisdiction, also that the petition should have been taken on at the request of five municipal electors, and not only by one, and also that a temperance by-law was not a municipal by-law, and could not be attacked in virtue of the Municipal Code.

On which said motion the judgement above referred to has been given considering exactly Mr. Kelly's motion on these three points and some others and maintaining our prohibitory by-law. Mr. Kelly deserves congratulations from his many friends, in the way he conducted this defence, as he has worked absolutely alone on the case, while the attorney for the petitioner had the assistance of some of his confederates.

O. S. CROCKET, M.P., APPOINTED JUDGE

An Ottawa despatch of Friday says:—Oswald S. Crocket, M.P., from York, N.B., has been created a Judge of the Supreme Court of New Brunswick. The appointment was made at yesterday's Cabinet meeting and the order in council was signed by His Royal Highness.

Mr. Crocket's appointment is a most popular one for besides being member of the bar in New Brunswick for several years past, he has won considerable success as a parliamentarian. He will likely be succeeded in the Commons by Hon. H. F. McLeod at present Provincial Secretary in the Flemming government. The writ for the by-election will be issued immediately.

The new judge was born in Chatham, April 17th, 1868, and is therefore 45 years old. He is a son of Dr. William Crocket, formerly of Chatham.

FUNERAL OF LATE V. CHAS. A. HARDY

Many Mourning Friends Present at Services Held in Montreal Last Friday

Montreal, Dec. 12.—Many ministers who have known the Rev. C. A. Hardy, and some who had studied with him, were mourners at his funeral which took place from the Presbyterian Church at 11 o'clock this afternoon. Mr. Hardy was minister of the Presbyterian church of Rexton, N.B., and died at the Royal Victoria Hospital here on Wednesday last.

He was born about 13 years ago in Prince Edward Island and received his education at McGill, the Presbyterian College and also at Edinburgh. He was married to Miss Marion Florence Lee, daughter of the Rev. Archibald Lee, of Maxville, Ont., and sister of the Rev. H. S. Lee, of Fairmount Presbyterian Church, Montreal.

Prof. D. J. Fraser officiated at the funeral in the absence of Rev. Principal Scrimger. The Rev. A. D. Macdonald, of St. Luke's church, a former law student of the deceased, read the scripture lesson, Rev. Dr. Manson, of Taylor church, offered the prayers. A brief address was given by Rev. E. S. Mowatt, college friend of the deceased and member of the same presbytery. Another address was given by Prof. Fraser referring to the career of the deceased, as a student and minister. The professor paid tribute to one whom he had known from boyhood.

The faculty and students of the Presbyterian College was present, as well as the registrar of the university, college graduates, city clergymen and friends.

VERY HEAVY TRAFFIC ON INTERCOLONIAL

Both Passenger and Freight Traffic Greatest on Record of Government Road

There is more freight moving along the I. C. R. at the present time, than there has been for some years past, and great difficulty is being experienced in handling it. The men are kept busy at all times, and the spare brakemen are kept on the move all the time. The main difficulty seems to be in getting enough engines, and they are being worked overtime in getting the freight along to its destination. This in fact, is one of the busiest periods in the history of the People's Railway. The passenger traffic is also very heavy. At this, the holiday season, there is always a large amount of travelling, but this year business so far exceeds all records.

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Velvet Ties, in fancy boxes	50c
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Wool Mufflers	50, 75, 1.00, 1.25
Silk Mufflers, in box	75, 1.00, 1.25 to 2.75
Fancy Knitted Gloves	50, 75c
Fur-lined Gloves	2.50, 3.00 and 4.50
Fancy Dress Shirts	1.00, 1.25, 1.50, 1.75, 3.00
Fancy Silk Hosiery in box	75c
Holeproof Hosiery, 6 to box	2.00 and 3.00
Collar cases	1.25 and 1.50
Handkerchief cases	1.25
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Handkerchiefs,	2 for 25c and 6 for 25c
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Handkerchiefs	35, 50c
Club Bags and Suit cases	3.75 to 10.00
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Boys' Sweaters	75c to 2.25
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