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SPRINKLERS TO BE INSTALLED BY DAY'S WORK

Council Decides to Reject All the Bids Sent In

INSURANCE IS AGAIN DISCUSSED

Relations With Underwriters in Matter—Stove Dealers' Request Up

The Common Council this morning decided to reject all the tenders received for the installation of a fire sprinkler system in the West Side sheds, and to proceed with the work of installing the system by days work, under the supervision of the city engineer and commissioner of harbors, the cost to be met by bond issue.

The estimated cost of the work is \$71,000, while the tenders received ranged from \$79,000 to \$88,000.

Commissioner Bullock said he had taken up the matter of insurance with Peter Clinch as secretary of the Board of Fire Underwriters, and asked him if he could modify the letter relating to the valuation of the property.

Mr. Clinch said he could not modify the letter, but there never has been any trouble with any mercantile house in the settlement of a claim on the 90 per cent. insurance basis, and he did not think the city need anticipate any if there was a fire in the sheds.

He had then asked Mr. Clinch if he would give him a letter to the council binding the underwriters to accept \$825,100 as 90 per cent. of the value of the property, provided the city undertook to keep it in proper repair. This Mr. Clinch declined to do.

WOULD INSURE \$500,000

Mayor White asked if the underwriters insisted on having the insurance carried 90 per cent. of the value of the insured property, and Commissioner Bullock said they did not insist on anything, but were willing to give the city \$500,000 insurance on the West Side properties if the city was willing to pay the premium.

The commission said he felt the insurance men should give a definite answer to his request and let the city know whether they would accept 90 per cent. of the value of the sheds, as it was not possible to establish values after a fire. He did think the underwriters should give the city as low a rate as they should if the sprinklers were installed, and the only thing he saw to under the circumstances was to reject all the bids for the work and go along as at present.

SUGGESTS CITY DO IT

Commissioner Frink said he was "fed up" with the mass of talk about sprinklers in the West Side sheds, and felt it was time that talk ceased and action was begun. He was in favor of the sprinklers being installed, and to that end was prepared to move a resolution that the city do the work itself.

The civic department that streets could be paved and water pipe laid by the city cheaper and better than when the work was given out to contractors, and the city could carry this work.

MAKES IT MOTION

If the city did the work, he said, there would be an opportunity to provide employment for our own artisans. He then moved that the sprinklers be installed in the city sheds at West Saint John; that all tenders be rejected and the checks returned to the tenderers to be paid on the deposit check at the rate of 1 per cent. from the date the tenders were received to the date of the passing of the resolution; that the work be done under the supervision of the commissioner of harbors and the city engineer from plans and specifications to be prepared by the engineer and carrying the signed approval of the Board of Fire Underwriters; and that the estimated cost of \$71,000 be paid from a bond issue.

OTHERS COMMENT

In seconding the motion Commissioner Wigmore said he had always been in favor of installing the sprinklers in these sheds and in all large buildings in the city. He did not like the attitude of the insurance people in the matter and felt the city might have to carry its own insurance. He said he thought the specifications should be carefully checked as he understood there was no provision for outside protection.

WILL BE VALUATION

The Mayor suggested that a clause be added providing for a valuation of the building for the purpose of determining the 90 per cent. insurance value. In response to this Commissioner Frink added to his original motion that a valuation be made to determine the ratio of insurance to be carried and the amount which the city might claim in the event of a loss by fire by reason of the installation of the sprinkler system.

The Mayor said this would meet his views and while it was not in the motion it was understood that if the insurance companies were not inclined to treat the city in what the council considered a fair manner in this matter the city would carry its own insurance.

The motion of Commissioner Frink passed unanimously.

STOVE DEALERS' REQUEST

A request by the stove dealers' section of the Retail Merchants' Association for an investigation into the stove department of the city's fire department was taken up, Commissioner Wig-

SEE THE FALLS

At high tide the water of the Bay of Fundy reaches a higher level than the water of the Saint John river and forces its way through the gorge of the Falls, creating a "fall" running up river.

Water in the Bay becomes so much lower than that of the river, that the fall of water is reversed and flows down river into the Bay.

At half tide, when the level in the Bay and river are about equal, the Falls disappear entirely, and the water at the Falls becomes smooth as the surface of a lake.

To fully appreciate this wonder of the world it should be seen at all three stages.

The best time to view this phenomenon is:

TODAY
(Daylight Saving Time.)
High Tide 10:37 A. M.
Low Tide 12:30 P. M.
Low Tide 4:50 P. M.

TOMORROW
High Tide 11:22 A. M.
Low Tide 1:47 P. M.
Low Tide 5:58 P. M.

ALMANAC FOR SAINT JOHN, AUG. 5.
A. M. P. M.
High Tide 9:37 High Tide 9:52
Low Tide 11:55 Low Tide 12:10
Sun Rises 5:13 Sun Sets 7:48
(Atlantic Standard Time.)

Local News

CONCERT AT INDIANTOWN.

St. Mary's Band will give a concert in Alexandria Square, Indiantown, this evening. It was announced today.

WOMAN ARRESTED

A woman arrested in Pond street yesterday on a drunkenness charge was remanded in the Police Court this morning by Magistrate Henderson.

ACCEPTS CHALLENGE

The Young Water Dept. team accepted the challenge of the Young Tigers to a game of baseball this evening on the High School grounds at 7:15 o'clock.

BRINGS 230.

The Eastern Steamship Company's S. S. Prince Arthur arrived in port this morning direct from Boston with 230 passengers.

BROUGHT BACK.

Mrs. Adams, local police matron, returned last evening from Moncton with a girl who had left the Good Shepherd's Home on Sunday night without permission and had gone to Moncton.

CITY PAY DAY

Today was the semi-monthly pay day at City Hall. The sum of \$10,830.39 was paid out, as follows: Official, \$2,441.79; sundry, \$1,746.83; ferry, \$1,755.28; market, \$830.32; police, \$3,796.90; fire, \$2,588.33.

ASSIST ORPHANS

H. Usher Miller, secretary of the N. B. Protestant orphan's Home board, has received the sum of \$110 for the orphans from the Little Girls, Doreen Arrowsmith and Elizabeth Burnham of Renfrewth, who carried out a concert there to raise a little money for this purpose.

BANK CLEARINGS

The Saint John bank clearings for the week ended today were \$2,705,414, a decrease as compared with those of a year ago but larger than the figures for the corresponding week of 1924. The clearings for the year were \$2,918,418 and in 1924 were \$2,990,127. The Halifax clearings this week were \$3,185,025 and those in Moncton \$792,844.

HERE FROM BOSTON

Visiting Saint John for the second time since he left here as a boy of four years of age, one period of absence being 40 years, Francis P. McDonald, night superintendent of the Boston Globe composing room, is here on a vacation trip with Mrs. McDonald, Miss McDonald and J. N. Edalle. They came by automobile and are spending a pleasant holiday period at Johnston's Hotel at Loch Lomond.

FAMILY REUNION

A pleasant event took place on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Mary Walton, Moss Glen, when a family reunion was held in honor of the birthday of the eldest son, Harry Walton, of this city. Of the eight sons and two daughters in the family all were able to attend except one son. Fourteen grandchildren were present. During the evening a number of friends dropped in to extend congratulations and dancing was enjoyed.

FAREWELL PARTY

At the home of Mrs. Edith Dureen, City Road, a farewell party was given Miss Freda Cook, when about 70 of her friends gathered. Miss Beatrice McDonald, on behalf of the staff where Miss Cook was employed, presented her with a beautiful club bag.

The presentation was made by Mrs. E. Garnett. A very pleasant evening was enjoyed by all present. Music was supplied by Mr. J. Christenson. Mrs. C. Thomas assisted the hostess in serving luncheon. Miss Cook will make her home in Boston, and left for there on Saturday.

COUNTY BONDS GO TO LOCAL TENDERERS

Bid of 99.37 and Accrued Interest Accepted For Issue of \$248,500

It was announced this morning by the county secretary that the bid of J. M. Robinson and Son, Ltd., of 99.37 and accrued interest for the \$248,500 of bonds issued by the municipality for paving and sewerage work in the Parish of Lanoster had been accepted. It is understood that while the bid of this firm was accepted that they were acting for all the local bond houses and that each will take a share of the bonds. These firms are J. M. Robinson and Son Ltd., Eastern Securities Ltd., Royal Securities, Ltd., and Thomas Armstrong and Bell, Ltd.

more said there had been an audit of the books of the commission and he thought that was all that was necessary.

Commissioner Harding said this matter had been up several times and the council was quite willing to let the tenderers have an investigation provided it did not entail any expense on the commission. It was not too late, he felt, however, just what was wanted and he moved the Common Clerk ask the stove department of the city's fire department for an investigation into the stove department of the city's fire department was taken up, Commissioner Wig-

NORTH AND WEST "HIGH" PUPILS TO "VOCATIONAL"

Reported That Is Plan in Mind of Those Favoring Change

It was said today that those favoring the utilization of the new Vocational School as a branch of the High School to relieve crowded conditions of the last few years, had in mind allocating West Saint John and North End pupils to the Douglas avenue building.

This idea has not passed the suggestion stage at the present time, but it is reported gaining favor. It has been pointed out at High School closings by Principal Dr. W. J. S. Myles and other speakers that High School conditions in Union street are very unsatisfactory. It was claimed that some of the rooms now being used were originally intended for storage quarters and were structurally wrong for class room purposes and unhealthy.

It was also said by a civic official today that the suggested division of the Union street High School classes need not be considered a permanent arrangement, but more as a makeshift that would relieve the acute condition on the one hand and justify in the minds of many the heavy expense to be borne in operating the Vocational School. These are emergency times in Saint John's finances, and taxpayers and officials alike, it was held, should be willing to make tentative arrangements to lighten the load and side-step new expenditures.

SINON J. NEVINS OF BOSTON IS DEAD

Prominent Official of Knights of Columbus Numbered Many Saint John Friends

Many friends in Saint John will read with regret that Sinon J. Nevins of Boston, is dead. He was foreman of the Boston Globe composing room for a long period. In one of the Knights of Columbus he was a prominent official for many years and had risen to the position of state deputy. He was a member of the Knights of Columbus, No. 987 in November, 1904, and he officiated in a similar capacity here later, as was in Nova Scotia and Newfoundland.

Mr. Nevins was a man of very engaging personality, hearty in manner, of high character and a warm friend. He is held in kindly memory by those of the Knights who knew him and by others in Saint John. He had not been in rugged health for some time and failed to rally after an operation he had undergone. His death occurred some days ago.

START WORK SOON ON NEW BUILDING

Western Union Officials in City From New York—Ready Next Spring

Three head office officials of the Western Union Telegraph Co. are in the city staying at the Admiral Beatty Hotel. They are J. A. Hill, F. Dresser and C. W. Archibald. They are engaged in drawing up plans and specifications for the Western Union's new building, to be erected at the corner of Union and Prince Williams streets. Garnet Wilson is the architect, and James Gilchrist contractor.

The excavation of the lot will be finished in a few days and work will be commenced on the building immediately. An entirely new plant is to be installed, and the Telegraph Company expects to move into the new building by March or April next. A branch office for the filing and delivery of city messages will still be maintained near the foot of King street.

GET READY FOR START

Preliminary arrangements are being made by Stash & Co., the contractors who were awarded the contract for the Loch Alva dam, to start the construction at once. It was said this morning at the office of the New Brunswick Electric Power Commission. The contract for completion of the work by November 1.

As Hiram Sees It

THE SETTLEMENT—One of the town fellers was picked up along the track and set his dish down and then stepped onto a bee's nest. He didn't grab it quick enough to get the dish before them bees was all round it—no man's such a buzzin' that he backed off half scared to death. Well, sir, it was as good as a play to see him tryin' to get that there dish. He come round from the other side—an' every time he'd reach out his hand the bees 'ud be there in a little swarm waitin' for a victim. He was a patient feller an' at last a gust o' wind come along an' blowed 'em away from him. He grabbed the dish an' run. Well, sir, if I was a hornet an' somebody tramped on my nest I'd be just as mad as they was. I bet that feller 'll be braggin' all winter about how he walked into a bee's nest an' never got stung. I bet too, that he won't go back for any more robberies where that nest is. The blazes end of a hornet nest nothin' to fool with—By He—

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Knife in lower left picture—Boy Scout model real Buckhorn handle, 8 1/2 inches long. Large blade, can opener, bottle opener, screw driver, leather punch, loop shackle. \$2.00. Other Boy Scout models, \$1.00 and \$1.50.

Knife in upper right—2 blade, Buckhorn handle, 8 1/2 inches long. 9c. With 8 blades, \$1.25.

Knife in lower right—Pearl handle, 8 1/2 inches long, 8 blades including nail file. \$3.00.

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