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Foreign Fish Market.

The Oporto market is dull in consequence of Portuguese and Norwegian arrivals. The rice for large fish is from 30 to 31 shillings per quintal, and for small, 26 to 28.

The foregoing has been received by the Marine and Fisheries Department.

HERRING FISHERY.—At Bay of Islands herring fishing is still going on, though operations at this time are unusual. Last week nets got from one to one and a half barrels each haul. Good work was also done at Middle Arm.

SUSPECTS ARRESTED.—The police arrested two boys last night on suspicion of larceny.

At the City Hall.

The Chairman and full Board were present at last night's meeting of the Civic Commission.

R. H. Anderson, Manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia, wrote asking for permission to erect an enclosure around the building at the corner of O'Dwyer's Cove and Water Street, which is to be taken down and replaced by a more modern building. Permission was granted subject to approval of the Engineer.

W. Brennan, blacksmith, wrote complaining of withdrawal of Council's patronage. The matter was referred to the Sanitary Supervisor who will report.

Peter Purcell, of the Sanitary Staff complained that two days' pay had been stopped. Owing to the death of his child he had missed work. The amount will be refunded.

P. C. O'Driscoll, agent for the United States Cast Iron Pipe and Foundry Co., asked why an order from the Council had been sent direct to his firm in New York, while he a citizen and taxpayer had not been consulted. The placing of the order in this manner was unintentional and Mr. O'Driscoll will be asked to furnish quotations.

The Sanitary Committee reported that several receptacles connected with the sewer had been placed in streets where there was no house sewerage and that they were working satisfactorily.

Mr. Bradshaw called the attention of the Board to the condition of elevators in the city, and urged an inspection of the same, in order to safeguard the public from accident. The Engineer was asked to submit some regulations governing the matter for the approval of the Board.

The matter of the petition of the residents of Hayward Avenue and vicinity, against the erection of the new sanitary stables in that locality was fully discussed. The Chairman read a report from Drs. Brehm and Mitchell who had visited the locality under various conditions during the past three weeks. The report stated that no effluvia dangerous to the public health resulted from the disposal of night soil by the present existing system. Both doctors were emphatic on the discontinuance of carting night soil to the adjacent farms for fertilizing purposes. The Chairman thought that the stables should be erected in a central locality, and that they should be built on the sewer. To remove them to an external part of the city would mean a considerable outlay, and no matter what site was selected the chairman felt that there would be complaint until the system was replaced by sewer connections to every house in the city.

Mr. Morris asked if enquiry had been made as to a more desirable location. He was of the opinion that the Board should carefully consider the rights of the petitioners and not act too hastily in the matter.

Mr. Jackson objected that he thought the principal objection to the proposed erection was the centralizing of some 15 loads of offensive matter nightly in one locality, and the passing of the cars was a source of disturbance to the residents. Though the disposal of the collections was carried out in the best manner possible, still under certain atmospheric conditions the odor was bound to enter the living rooms of houses in the locality and consequently some other site should be selected.

Mr. Bradshaw thought that within a short time conditions would be much improved. With improved

carts, proper disinfectants and the erection of another pit if necessary, the work of disposal could be satisfactorily dealt with until the system was replaced by improved sewerage conditions. The only objection apparent was the passing to and fro of the night cars and no matter where the locality was this could not be obviated for some time yet.

Mr. Anderson suggested that a committee be appointed to investigate the matter and report fully as to the obtaining of a more suitable site.

Mr. Harris seconded the motion, provided the report be made within two weeks. He felt that the people had a perfect right to protest, and the Board should give their petition every consideration before erecting the stables on the proposed site. In the meantime every effort should be made to secure a more suitable site, and failing this there was no alternative but to build on the present property.

Mr. Ayre supported the motion, but was of the opinion that the matter had been given full consideration. He said that the general good should be of paramount importance, and that only too often did the interests of the community suffer from the attention given to the interests of the individual. He deplored the necessity of considering the disposal of night soil and thought that wherever the site was, the difficulty in connection with the operation of the cars could not be overcome.

Mr. Withers saw no way out of the difficulty at present, as he felt sure that much inconvenience would have to be borne until the whole system was replaced by sewerage in every house in the city which he thought would be within five years.

Mr. Mullaly supported the motion. He had visited the place and thought the apparatus for the disposal of the night soil gave satisfaction. He suggested that the Board have a proper valuation set on the property with a view to ascertaining the revenue that might accrue from a sale or lease of the same. It might be sufficient to build and equip a proper plant outside the city.

Mr. MacNamara also supported the motion and thought that another site should be secured, if only in consideration of the fact that the residents of Hayward Avenue had borne with the nuisance so long.

Mr. McGrath suggested that a larger shed with a higher dome would obviate much of the difficulty confronting them at present. He still held that the petitioners should get every possible consideration, though he thought that some of them lived too far away from the locality to be seriously affected by it.

It was then explained that some signed it because of the depreciation in value of their property because of the existing structure. It was finally decided to appoint a committee to enquire into the matter and report within two weeks.

Before the meeting adjourned, Mr. Mullaly asked if the Board was aware that in supplying stone to the builders at Mount Pearl, they had entered into competition with a local contractor. Quite recently he had learned that tenders had been asked for

the stone (though he did not know it at the time he voted), and that the Council's offer being the lowest, the other tenders were not considered. The Board was not aware that in offering to supply the stone they were interfering with the rights of any citizen and had only done so to expedite a very important work. Had they known that any individual would tender the proposal would not have been entertained but as the deal was practically closed nothing could be done in the matter.

The Chairman will inform the builder that it is not the business of the Council to compete with local enterprises, though they consider that the present contract should be fulfilled.

The meeting adjourned at 11 p.m.

McMurdo's Store News.

SATURDAY, March 13, '15. There is no question about the quality of Sanident Tooth Paste as a dentifrice. The test it has had during the past four or five years in this market has decided that question fully in its favour. You take none of the chances you otherwise might when buying Sanident. And in order to use the Tooth Paste to the best advantage we advise you to use it with the Sanident Tooth Brush. That tooth brush from the very first was seen to be something different from and much better than the ordinary tooth brush. The hairs are "alive" and simply will not come out. Price of Tooth Paste, 25c. a tube; of Tooth Brushes, 35c. each.

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New Rector for St. Thomas's Parish.

A meeting of the congregation of St. Thomas's Church, was held at Canon Wood Hall last night to receive the report of the committee recently appointed to deal with the selection of a Rector to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late lamented Rev. G. R. Godden, M. A.

Hon. M. G. Winter presided, and committee reported the nomination of the Rev. Edgar Jones, and the recommendation was adopted by acclamation.

Rev. Edgar Jones, Ph.D., is a native of Fogo, and is now 40 years of age. He graduated at Boston University with the degrees of B. A. and B. D. after which he went to North Dakota where he was ordained by Bishop Mann. From North Dakota he came to Bay Roberts where he was Rector for about three years, after which he went to Somerville, Mass., and has been Rector of a Church there for some time past. He is a Doctor of Philosophy, having taken his degree some few years ago. His last visit to Newfoundland was as a missionary to Bonaville Bay. The Rev. Dr. Jones is an energetic worker, and is a great pupil orator. We congratulate the congregation of St. Thomas's on the selection of their new Rector and trust that he may long be spared to minister to their spiritual needs.

TALKING MACHINES.—We offer balance of present samples at cost and charges; only a few left. CHESLEY WOODS, 140 Water St.—mar.13

Sunday Services.

Cathedral of St. John the Baptist.—Sunday—Holy Communion at 8 a.m.; also on the first Sunday of the month at 7 and 12.15. Other services at 11 a.m. and 6.30 p.m. Thursdays—Holy Communion, 7.15 a.m. Other Days—Matins 8 a.m.; Evensong 5.30 p.m. Fridays—7.30, with sermon.

Public Catechizing.—Every Sunday in the month at 3.30 p.m.

St. Michael's Mission Church, Casey Street.—Holy Communion at 8 and 11 on the 3rd Sunday of the month, and 8 on other Sundays. Other services, 11 a.m. and 6.30 p.m.

Sunday Schools.—Cathedral, at 2.45 p.m. Mission Church at 2.45 p.m. Cathedral Men's Bible Class, in the Synod Building every Sunday at 3 p.m. All men invited to attend.

St. Mary the Virgin.—Sunday—Holy Communion on the first and third Sundays in each month at noon; every other Sunday at 8 a.m. Other services at 11 a.m. and 6.30 p.m. Fridays—Evensong at 7.30 p.m. Young Women's Bible Class—Every Sunday at 2.45 p.m. in the Parish Room.

Brookfield School-Chapel.—Evensong every Sunday at 3 p.m. Sunday School at 4 p.m.

St. Thomas's.—Holy Communion on the third Sunday in each month, at noon; every other Sunday at 8 a.m. Morning Prayer at 11 a.m. Evening services at 3.45 and 6.30 p.m. Daily—Morning Prayer at 8 a.m.; every Friday evening at 7.30, prayer and sermon. Holy Baptism every Sunday at 3.45 p.m. Public catechizing third Sunday in each month at 3.30 p.m.

Christ Church (Quid Vidi).—Holy Communion second Sunday, alternate months at 8 a.m. Evening prayer third Sunday in each month, at 7 p.m.; other Sundays at 3.30 p.m.

Virginia School-Chapel.—Evening prayer every Sunday at 3.30 p.m. Public Catechizing third Sunday in each month.

Sunday Schools.—At Parish Church at 2.45 p.m.; at Christ Church, Quid Vidi, at 2.30 p.m.; at Virginia School-Chapel, 2.30 p.m.

Gower Street.—11 and 6.30, Rev. D. B. Hemmison.

George Street.—11 and 6.30, Rev. N. M. Gray.

Cochrane Street.—11 and 6.30, Rev. C. A. Whitmarsh.

Wesley.—11 and 6.30, Rev. H. Royle.

St. Andrew's (Presbyterian).—11 and 6.30, Rev. J. S. Sutherland.

Congregational.—11 and 6.30, Rev. W. H. Thomas.

Salvation Army.—S. A. Citadel, New Gower Street, 7 a.m., 11 a.m., 3 p.m., and 7 p.m.; S. A. Hall, Livingstone Street—7 a.m., 11 a.m., 3 p.m., and 7 p.m.; S. A. Hall, George Street—7 a.m., 11 a.m., 3 p.m., and 7 p.m.

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