BOARD OF TRADE COUNCIL MEETS

Matter of Up-to-Date Chart for Harbor Discussed — Asked to Assist in Uniform Commercial Legislation.

Several matters of importance were dealt with at the meeting of the council of the Board of Trade held yesterday.

The matter of an up-to-date chart of the harbor was taken up. The last chart was made in 1884, and while amended from time to time since then, was not as accurate as it might be. This matter had been brought to the attention of Hon. F. B. Carvell, who had taken it up with the Marine Department.

The members of the council were invited to inspect the Keith Cann, and a number did so in the afternoon.

The council approved of the proposal that rates for the South Shore and Yarmouth service should be equalized between all ports of call and when the 15 per cent increase in the railway tariff went into effect this tariff increase accordingly.

A communication was received from the Maritime Branch of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association asking that the board assist them in their effort to have uniform commercial legislation adopted by all the provinces. This was referred to the legislative committee.

The council passed a resolution calling upon the Dominion government to enact daylight saving as a war measure.

A communication was received from Hon. F. B. Carvell, that so far as he knew the government had no present intention of passing legislation restricting the use of automobiles or gasoline.

THE CITY ESTIMATES UNDER DISCUSSION

Common Council in Session Again Yesterday to Discuss Estimates—Matter of the Bridge Mentioned.

The ferry estimates were under discussion at the meeting of the Common Council yesterday and deferred until Monday for further information. Commissioner Russell explained that a considerable part of the 1917 overdraft was caused by storms which had damaged the boats and approaches.

Commissioner McLellan said the time was approaching when a bridge would have to be built.

Tenders were opened for a new smokestack for the Governor Carleton. Two were received, one from the Union Foundry Co. for $500 and one from the St. John Iron Works for $700. It was decided to award the tender to the lowest bidder.

The repairs to the sub-structure of No. 5 shed were again before the council. Engineer Hatfield and Inspector John Adams disputed some of the items in the bill and it was decided to defer further consideration until Monday when Mr. Hatfield will present a report on the whole matter.

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SUCCESSFUL OPERATION.

The many friends of Master J. V. Russell will be pleased to learn that he is at his home, 125 Douglas Avenue, after having been operated on for appendicits in the General Public Hospital.

FOREIGN MINISTER LENINE AND LEON TROTZKY QUARREL

Another Serious Situation Develops in Russia and Lenine May Resign—Bolsheviki Capture Irkutsk, Eastern Siberia, After Ten Days Battle —Italian Victory.

Petrograd, Jan. 15.—The Bolsheviki forces have seized Irkutsk, Eastern Siberia, after a ten days' battle. All the Cossacks and military cadets were disarmed and the authority of the workmen's and soldiers' government proclaimed. Orenburg, capital of the Siberian province of that name, also has been occupied by the Bolsheviki.

An edict of the Siberian republic of Omsk prohibiting the export of food to Russia until the constituent assembly is called to order, became effective on Dec. 28.

Leaders Fight.

Stockholm, Jan. 18.—Relations between Premier Lenine and Foreign Minister Trotzky are growing more strained daily, says the Petrograd correspondent of a Helsingfors newspaper. Lenine is said to be displeased both at the way Trotzky continuously occupies the public eye and at his foreign policy, which Lenine believes is contrary to the best interests of the Russian revolution. Trotzky formulates his own foreign policy without regard to what Lenine advises, and often without submitting questions to the premier.

Friends of Lenine, the correspondent adds, declare that he intends to submit his resignation to the congress of workmen's and soldiers' delegates in order to force a vote of confidence or lack of confidence.

Italian Victory.

Italian Headquarters in Northern Italy, Jan. 17.—(By the Associated Press)—Italian troops have succeeded in breaking the pressure which the enemy has been exerting on the lower Piave in the sector nearest Venice. This is the triangular sector originally cleared of the enemy when the whole region was inundated by operating the canals, but recently low water has permitted the enemy to renew his incursions almost to Capo Sile and the Venetian lagoons.

Enemy patrols had established dugouts and posts in the lagoons at Agenza Zulinana, just across the river from Capo Sile, which commands the canal running to Porto Grande and the region back of Venice. During the early days of the week the Italian navy had bombarded the dugouts and destroyed the bridge on which the enemy was attempting to cross at Agenza Trazza. The enemy made repeated attempts to enlarge his positions, but was uniformally repulsed.

Stung by the repeated repulses the enemy brought his full forces to bear yesterday morning. They were met by chosen Italian troops from the Grenadier and Bersaglieri. The fight was stubborn for the first two hours, but the enemy gradually gave ground as fresh ranks of Bersaglieri cheering and singing patriotic songs, threw themselves into the struggle. The enemy was finally pushed back from the positions he had gained.

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COMMITTEES CHOSEN BY COUNTY WARDEN

Warden Golding has been pleased to appoint the following standing committees of the county council for 1918-1920:

The Warden is a member of all committees ex officio.

Finance and Accounts—Rupert W. Wigmore, chairman; Councillors O'Donnell, Hayes, Fisher, Russell, Howard, Stephenson, Bryant and McLellan.

Buildings—Harry R. McLellan, chairman; Councillors O'Brien, Thompson, Bentley, Carson, Wigmore, Hayes, Fisher, Russell.

Bills of Legislature—John T. O'Brien, chairman; Councillors Shillington, Bowland, Hayes, Wigmore, Fisher, Russell, McLellan, Thompson.

Joint Buildings—James E. Bryant, chairman; Councillors Russell, Hayes, Fisher, Shillington, O'Donnell, Bentley, McLellan, Wigmore.

Prison Farm—Henry Shillington, chairman, Councillors Henry Shillington, chairman; Councillors Thompson, Hayes, Bryant, Bowland.

To Act with the Sheriff in Regard to Hard Labor Sentences in Gaol—G. Fred Fisher chairman; Councillors Bentley, Wigmore, Hayes, Russell, Stephenson, O'Brien, Thompson, McLellan.

Indigent Ratepayers—Robert T. Hayes, chairman; Councillors Stephenson, Thompson, O'Brien, Russell, Fisher, Wigmore, Bentley, McLellan.

Assessment—James V. Russell chairman; councillors Hayes, Fisher, Wigmore, Carson, O'Brien, McLellan, O'Donnell, Bentley.

A PRESENTATION.

Marshall Macaulay, letter carrier, who was superannuated last November was yesterday afternoon presented with a purse of gold by his former associates. The presentation address was delivered by Supt. H. E. Wilbers and a suitable reply was made by Mr. Macaulay.

THE WATER AND SEWERAGE DEPT. HAS GOOD YEAR

Nearly 13,000 Feet of New Mains Laid—74 Up-to-Date Hydrants Installed—Distribtuion System Much Improved.

The receipts for the water department for the year 1917 amounted to $235,908.83, and of this amount all but a little over $6,000 was expended. Nearly 13,000 feet of mains, ranging in size from 6 to 24 inch was laid during the year. Twenty new catch basins were installed and 74 old hydrants were replaced with modern three way hydrants.

Following are a few items of the work accomplished by the department during the year:

WATER MAINTENANCE.

Expenditures.

Labor and salaries	$ 66,159.14
Supplies	33,473.03
Expenses	7,993.89
New Motor Truck	895.00
Taxes	1,222.73
Land purchases	7,560.83
Interest	77,383.46
Sinking fund	34,940.01
Balance	6,280.74
	$235,908.83

Receipts.

Assessment 1917	$125,674.05
Assessment 1916 and arrears	34,681.06
Meters and agreements	57,623.47
Steamship supply	10,437.15
West Side Fisheries, bal'ce	2,913.13
Scrap iron, etc., sold	1,690.30
C. I. Pipe, etc., sold	1,822.84
Sundry	1,066.85
	$235,908.83

Main Pipe Renewals.

12,729 feet of main pipe ranging from 6-inch to 24-inch in diameter was laid at a cost of $74,105.87. This expenditure included $21,784.32 from reserve, and $30,000 from stock on hand purchased before the advance in price.

Pipe cleaning cost $3,065.02.

Other repairs in Distribution System cost $6,000.00.

Duplicate main at Lake Fitzgerald was commenced in November, and cost to end of year (exclusive of pipe) $1,178.69.

50 new service pipes cost, $2,046.65.

Service pipe renewals, repairs and inspections, cost $10,000.

SEWERAGE MAINTENANCE.

Expenditures.

Labor, catch basins	$ 4,611.84
Labor, Main Sewers	3,968.97
Labor, general maintenance	3,765.47
Supplies	3,701.39
New Motor Truck	895.00
	$16,942.67
20 New Catch Basins were installed at a cost of	$1,008.00
40 Basins were renewed at a cost of	1,221.00
Inspection and other repairs cost	2,771.00
Main sewer repairs and renewals cost	6,680.00

FIRE HYDRANTS.

Expenditures.

Labor installing hydrants	$2,430.25
Labor repairs	1,645.36
Labor inspection	1,323.90
Supplies	4,355.11
	$9,754.62

74 Hydrants (McAvity make) were installed during the year. They were all 6-inch, gated connections to the main, 5-inch foot valves and 6-inch standpipes with one 4 1-2-inch and two 2 1-2-inch outlets. These took the place of old style hydrants, which do not meet the approval of the Fire Underwriters. They were generally connected to the main with a three or four-inch valve and pipe connection. In many cases it was necessary to excavate through rock to have the necessary depth thereby increasing the cost considerably.

The total cost of these hydrants was $12,374.45.

The expenditure on this very important work was possible by reason of having carried over from previous year hydrants and other supplies to the value of about $6,000.00, and purchased before the advance of prices.

The usual repairs and inspections have been carried on and our inspector has been present at every fire, day or night, during the year.

Keeping The Quality Up.

LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE, the World-Famous Cure for Colds and Grip, is now 30c. per box. On account of the advance in the price of the six different Medicinal, Concentrated Extracts and Chemicals contained in LAXATIVE BROMO QUININ, it was necessary to increase the price to the Druggist. It has stood the test for a Quarter of a Century. It is used by every Civilized Nation.

BORN.

DOWLING—At the Evangeline Hospital, on Friday, January 18, to Rev. and Mrs. F. S. Dowling, a daughter.

DIED.

BURKE—Mrs. Teressa, widow of the late Edward Burke on Wednesday, the 16th, inst. at her late residence, 121 Sheriff street, leaving four sons and five daughters to mourn.
Notice of funeral later.

BELL—At his residence, Patterson Settlement, Queens Co., N. B., on January 12th, Arthur Jabez, aged 49 years, leaving his wife, three daughters and five sons.

FLEWELLING—At Clifton, Kings county, N. B., on Friday morning, January 18th, Ida May, only daughter of Hon. G. Hudson Flewelling and the late Augusta Flewelling, aged fifty-two.
Funeral on Saturday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock at All Saints church, Clifton.

McAFEE—In this city, on January 18, Oliver McAfee, at the residence of his son, James W., 45 Bellview Avenue, in his 74th year, leaving two sons to mourn.
Notice of funeral hereafter.

RED CROSS DRIVE; $20,000 IS NEEDED

Meeting of Prominent Citizens Held in Board of Trade Rooms Yesterday — Committees Appointed to Get Results.

Prominent citsens met yesterday morning in the Board of Trade rooms in the interest of a Red Cross drive for the purpose of raising $20,000.

F. A. Dykeman presided and R. G. Schofield acted as secretary.

Among reports was one from A. C. Skelton, local treasurer, who said that there was only $500 in the treasury and bills amounted to more than $1,000.

Mrs. McAvity, in response to a call from the chairman, said the organization was not able to meet all the calls on it, from lack of funds, but must have at least $24,000 to keep up the present activities.

It was decided on motion of A. D Patterson to call for volunteer collectors who will be assigned to districts by the executive.

Those who volunteered were: T. H. Estabrooks, A. H. Wetmore, C.W. DeForest, W. S. Allison, A. L Fowler, E. J. Fleetwood, G. McA. Blizard, M. E. Grass, G. H. Waterbury, Col. E. T. Sturdee, G. H. Vroom, F. W. Daniel, G. D. Ellis, Andrew Jack, F B. Schofield, W. M. Angus, A. S. Bowman, H. M. Fowler, F. T. Barbour, H. C. Page, H. B. Robinson, W. A. Lockhart, G. A. Hilyard, W. G. Estabrooks, E. A. Goodwin, F. L. Smith, C. H. Ferguson, H.N. Stetson, J. A. Likely, R. W. W. Frink, A. L. Foster, J.U. Thomas, J. A. Tilton, F. L. Potts, B. R. Macaulay, G. Wetmore Merritt, J. H. Pritchard, R.D. Patterson, F. W. Roach.

The executive who will assign the districts and generally direct the campaign is composed of F. A. Dykeman, chairman; A. C. Skelton, treasurer; R. G. Schofield, secretary; and T. H. Estabrooks, F. B. Schofield, R. E. Armstrong, A. L. Fowler, E. T Sturdee, A. H. Wetmore, C. W. deForest, H. L. Skinner, F. Flewwelling and C. B. Allan.

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STILL ASHORE

Sydney, C. B., Jan. 18—The American steamer Angouleme, ashore at Mainadieu, has not been floated, but her condition now is very favorable, and it is expected that she will be hauled off very shortly. Mr. Caldwell, manager of the Robert Reford Company, agents for the steamer, is at Mainadieu.

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In one part of the book I describe my little mechanical VITALIZER, which was invented by me to assist men to regain lost vigor. However, you are not to think of getting this VITALIZER at the present time, but first send for the advice book and read up on the subject of self preservation without drugs.

Please use the coupon below and the book will come to you free, sealed, by return mail.

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Reader, did you ever stop to consider that it is not looks which make the real man? Nor is it necessarily a large man who wields the most power in his community. However, whether big or small, young or elderly, we invariably find that vigorous, manly manhood stands behind all of the world's greatest achievements and successes. In this respect, I give it as my honest opinion, based upon over 30 years' experience, that no man need lose hope of himself restoring his full manly power if he but be willing to make a fair, square effort, and will lead a decent, manly life, free from excesses and free from dissipations. My free book gives you all the desired information. According to my belief, lost manly strength is no real organic disease in itself, and, for that reason, should easily respond to any mode of treatment which puts new vital force into the weakened nerves and blood.

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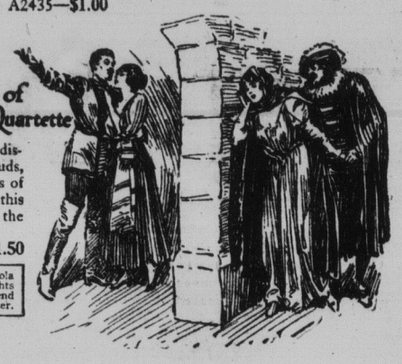

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It is Not Known How Much Creditors of Defunct Ban Wreckage — Vancouve Branches in St. John, Ch Nine Other Points—Ban

It is not yet known how much the depositors and other creditors of the defunct Dominion rust Co. of Vancouver will receive from the wreckage. The bank in its balmy days of high financing in which some of Kaiser William's financial agents participated, had maintained branches in St. John, Charlottetown, Nanaimo, Calgary, Montreal, London, Regina, Winnipeg and four other places. Quite a number of the creditors reside in the maritime provinces.

Liquidator Andrew Stewart in a report to the court, received by The Standard last night, states that he is unable to estimate even approximately the amount of the possible dividend. He tells of numerous difficulties he has encountered in winding up the affairs of the defunct concern. The ranking of the depositors has not yet been determined.

Liquidator Stewart further says:

Depositors Claims.

"The total claims of depositors amount to $927,035.43, and the other claims amount to $2,746,509.76, which, however, will probably not rank for more than $2,300,000.00. The question of whether the depositors are to rank as ordinary creditors or subsequent to them has therefore an important bearing on the result of the winding-up.

"The validity of a number of allocations of security for trust creditors and depositors has still to be determined. My solicitors have this matter in hand and it is being proceeded with as speedily as possible. It is likely, however, that some of the questions cannot finally be determined until the status of the depositors is decided.

"Several actions have still to be

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