

MONTREAL MURDER.

Married Woman Shot by a Jealous Lover.

DEED OF A MANIAC.

After His Act the Murderer, Who Was Her Boarder, Gave Himself Up to the Police—Said He Was In Love With His Victim and It Was Not Returned.

Montreal, May 16—(Special)—A horrible murder was committed in Ste Cenevieve, a western suburb of Montreal, tonight.

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CRACKSMEN AT WORK.

Professional Burglars Operate at Digby Neck.

THREE STORES BROKEN.

The Breakers' Receipts Have Not Been Heavy, But Consternation Prevails Among the Merchants Along Digby Neck—Police on the Lookout.

Digby, May 16—(Special)—A daring burglary took place at Rosway, last night, a village on Digby neck ten miles west of Digby.

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FREDERICTON NEWS.

Cheerful News from Lumber Owners—The Danger of a Hang-up is Over.

Fredericton, May 16—Charles G. Moore, of Bear Island, farmer, has made an assignment to Sheriff Sterling for the benefit of his creditors.

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COUNTY COUNCILLORS AT ANNUAL MEETING.

HAVE UNUSUALLY INTERESTING TIME.

Coun. Christie and His French Cooks and Fancy Baths for Jail Occupants—Alms House Financial Management—Some Appointments.

The councillors yesterday afternoon at their annual meeting worried for four hours over the affairs of the municipality.

THE JAIL REFORM AGITATION.

Coun. Christie Sees a Golden Future for Jail Occupants.

Councillor Baxter moved that the plans received for jail extension and improvements be referred to the finance and building committees.

THE ALMS HOUSE ACCOUNTS.

Commissioners Have Overdrawn Heavily from Bank, and the Councillors Talk About It.

Auditor Whiteside made the following report respecting the Alms House accounts.

I take the liberty of drawing your attention to the accounts of the Alms House commissioners.

In 1899 the total of 21,000 debentures issued, and the proceeds, \$13,151.65 placed to their credit to pay off their large indebtedness to the Bank of New Brunswick.

The commissioners asked for an assessment of \$14,000 for 1900, and have received \$14,105.12.

Furthermore, while their account has been largely overdrawn, they have been receiving salaries and wages as follows:

Superintendent and matron from \$900 to \$1,050 per annum; kitchen teacher, from \$120 to \$150 per month; kitchen servant, from \$40 to \$50 per month.

The broad allowance by former commissioners for an adult was one pound per annum, and there has been no change to my knowledge.

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Mr. Magilton was declared elected.

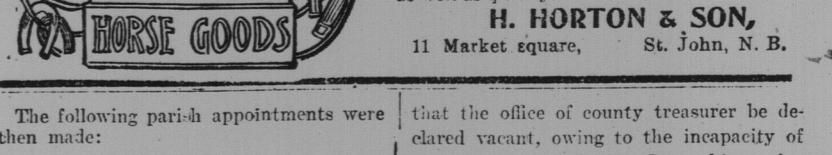
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The following parish appointments were then made:

Simonds: Collector of rates—James H. Boves. Parish clerk—Alex. F. Johnston.

Parish clerk—Thomas Moshier. Commissioners of by-roads—Robert Connolly, Thomas Hordford, Samuel McGowan.

Assessors—Patrick McElride, W. E. Skilton, Cadell Miller, Jr., Collector of rates—W. J. Merrow, sr.

Assessors—John A. Clark, George Hargrave, James M. Wynn.

Assessors—T. H. Wilson, William Fox, William Cunningham.

Assessors—John W. Long, Robt. H. Armstrong.

Fire wardens—James Masson, William Smith, Daniel Murphy.

Collector of rates, District No. 2—H. Galbraith.

District clerk—James Galbraith.

Richard Conaghan was reappointed keeper of the dead house.

Lee M. Baker was appointed an examiner of surveyors of lumber to fill the vacancy caused by the death of C. F. Clinch.

The appointment of police for the Bay Shore aroused some discussion.

The warden declared Mr. Rawlings elected and ordered another ballot taken to determine between Messrs. Amos and Quilty.

Standing committees were appointed as follows:

Finance and accounts—W. Christie, chairman; the warden, and Councillors J. R. Armstrong, Baxter, Robinson, Ruddick, Cochrane, Catherwood, Lee Dean and Long.

County buildings—John McMulkin, chairman; the warden, and Councillors Hilyard, Maxwell, Waring, Colwell, Barnhill, R. H. Armstrong, Thompson, Horgan and Moshier.

Bills for legislation, by-laws and regulations—Thomas Millidge, chairman; the warden, and Councillors Daniel, Seaton, Armstrong, Baxter, McLeod, Ruddick, Lowell and Dean.

Public and school lands—Enoch B. Colwell, chairman; the warden, and Councillors Waring, McGoldrick, Catherwood, Long, J. R. Armstrong, Ruddick, Dean and Cochran.

To act with the sheriff in regard to the performance of hard labor sentences in jail—Robert Maxwell, chairman; Councillors MacRae, Tutis, Thompson, Moshier, Seaton, Horgan, Foxnes, Lowell, Hargrave and McLeod.

For relief of indigent ratepayers—Lowell, chairman; Councillors Millidge, Hilyard, Waring, MacRae, McMulkin, Dean, Horgan, and R. H. Armstrong.

Councillors Armstrong and Long were chosen commissioners for the Lancaster ferry.

County Treasurer's Office. Councillor Christie arose and moved

COUN. BAXTER CITES A CASE.

Boy Comes Out of Jail With Mind Unbalanced, He Believed, by Associations.

Councillor Baxter said he favored improvements to this extent and was willing to let the whole question stand on that basis.