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DECIDE NOT TO ADD TO COURT BUILDING

County Council Committee
Unable to Meet Request
of Lawyers.

The building committee of the Municipal Council in session yesterday decided that they could not accede to the request of the St. John Law Society expounded by several of the leading lawyers of the city, but that they would, if possible, try to satisfy the society's demands within the confines of the present building and authorized the architect to investigate and see if a solution could be found. The committee also decided that they could do nothing with the request of the Registrar of Deeds, who asked that accommodation be made for the office on the first floor of the court house.

Hon. R. W. Wigmore, who acted as chairman of the meeting, said last night that it was the municipality's intention not to expand beyond the limits of the present four walls of the court house. The request of the barristers, he said, virtually amounted to the building of two wings, one on King street East and the other branch-
ing off from that new wing, at a possible cost of from \$100,000 to \$150,000. The cost of the restoration of the present court house, he said, would be about \$97,000.

Accommodation for all the courts would be found in the present building if it were possible, he said.

Those Present.

Those present at the meeting were Mayor Potts, Commissioners Wigmore, Frink, Harding and Bullock and Councilors Simpson, Campbell, O'Brien, Howland and Corcoran. Warden Wigmore was elected chairman.

The delegates from the Law Society were W. H. Harrison, K. C.; Hon. Dr. J. B. M. Baxter, K. C., M. P.; C. F. Sanford, K. C.; Judge H. O. McInerney, K. C.; J. M. Trueman, E. C. Weyman, J. Roy Campbell, K. C., and Hon. J. R. Armstrong.

Law Society's Views.

The suggestions of the Law Society were outlined by W. H. Harrison. He said it was the wish of the society that provision be made in the building for the accommodation of all the courts and the law library. In order to do this they suggested that a wing be built to the east, along the King street face of the lot, the same height as the present building, that, in the main building, the street floor be left for county purposes, the second floor for the judges' chambers and the third

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floor for the law library. In the wing the lawyers suggested the ground floor have the county and circuit court rooms, a room for the judges and counsel, the second floor be devoted to the Chancery, Admiralty and Probate court rooms and the third floor have the jury rooms.

He stated that at the present time the Provincial Government was paying a yearly rental of \$1,750 for the quarters in the Pugsley building and the Law Society was paying \$700 per year for the law library quarters. The Government had been approached to see if they would capitalize the present rental and devote the amount to the erection of the proposed building and there would be in addition the \$700 per year from the law library.

Suggests Wing.

Judge McInerney said he believed all the courts should be in one building as at the present time people had to hunt all over town to find the court to which they might be cited or before which they wished to appear. The accouties of the old court room had been very bad and it was a question whether lowering the ceiling would remedy this defect.

J. V. McLellan, registrar of deeds, stated that the accommodation at the

registry office was already overtaxed and he suggested that in the rebuilding of the court house the registry office be placed on the lower floor of the court house.

Question of Cost.

Dr. Baxter said the legal men did not want to saddle the city with a big expenditure but they did want decent accommodation in which to transact business. He suggested that two wings be built, one to the east and the other to the south. He did not think it would be a good idea to link the registry office up with any other building but did think the present building should be enlarged.

Dr. J. Roy Campbell supported the claim that more accommodation should be provided and the placing of all the courts in the one building.

Mayor Potts asked if the barristers had any estimate of the cost and said he was of the opinion that this would mean an expenditure of \$150,000 to \$200,000.

Dr. Baxter was of the opinion that if it cost \$200,000 the expenditure would be justified. The question was asked as to the difference in cost between fireproof and ordinary construction and Mr. Wilson replied that for

the restoration of the old building in its original condition the difference would be \$22,800.

HOLD UNITED SERVICE.

The four congregations of St. Andrew's and St. David's Presbyterian churches, Centenary Methodist church and Central Baptist church held the

first united prayer meeting last night in the Central church school room. United services for these four congregations will be held each Wednesday night throughout June, July and August. The schoolroom was filled to capacity and the large gathering was representative of each of the four congregations. Rev. James Dunlop, pas-

tor of the Central church, presided. He said that whatever the theological differences of the denominations represented he believed that in prayer and praise it would be hard to distinguish between Methodist, Presbyterian and Baptist. Rev. Hugh Miller, of St. David's church gave an inspirational address, his subject being, "That I

may know Him." Rev. R. G. Fulton of Centenary and Rev. J. S. Bonnell of St. Andrew's also took part in the service.

DISCUSS IMPROVEMENTS.

Property owners and residents in Cranston Avenue met again last evening and considered several plans by

which they hoped the city commissioners would be induced to make improvements to that roadway. Another meeting will be called within the next few days when final details for action will be determined.

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