

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL MEETING TUESDAY

Short Session With Very Little Business Before Meeting.

The Semi-Annual session of the Municipal Council met at Dalhousie, Tuesday, Warden Gillis presiding. The following Councillors were present:—

Durham—Marchis, Doyle, Colborne—Miller, Arsenault, Dalhousie—Archibald, Sillesses, Dalmore—Savoie, Marcoux, Addington—Gillis, Eldon—Copeland, Grimmer—Savoie, Deguise, St. Quentin—Levesque, Soucier, Campbellton—Joseph Duncan, Dalhousie—Andrew Barbarie.

The minutes of the last January session were read and approved. The council adjourned until 10 o'clock.

Afternoon Session The council adjourned until 1 o'clock. The Sec-Treasurer read from the Boys' Industrial Home St. John, giving information in respect to new act passed governing same.

Municipalities were expected to pay \$300 per annum for each boy sent to said institution. —Filed.

The Department of Lands and Mines wrote the council respecting the issuing of fire permits, etc.—Filed.

The Sec-Treas. announced that he had received \$197.50 for board of prisoners sent to jail under the N. B. Liquor Act.

Get. St. Onge wrote that he had taken up the matter of his assessment with the assessors, and although he had noticed the assessors that he had old half of his property in town he was still assessed for the full amount.

Coun. Duncan moved that the matter be referred back to the assessors for Addington.—Carried.

The following County accounts were ordered paid. Dr. J. R. Diabrow, Coroner, \$4.70 Dr. J. R. Diabrow, visit to prisoners, medicine, etc. \$38.75 A. & R. Loggie, twine, 260 A. J. LeBlanc, postage, jury lists, etc. 101.10

Sheriff Blanchard, prisoners board, 659.00 On motion the Public Lands and Building Committee was authorized to have repairs made to building not to exceed \$200.00 accounts to be paid when work was done.

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The council then adjourned.

MEETING OF PRESBYTERIAL

Interesting Sessions of Miramichi Presbyterial Held Here Last Week.

The twenty-seventh annual meeting of Miramichi Presbyterial convened in St. Andrew's Church, Campbellton, June 27th-28th with a representative gathering of delegates. Report of committee on credentials showed as follows: Sixty-six delegates and officers, seven ministers, four visitors. A public meeting was held Wednesday evening when Rev. W. W. McNair, M. A. presided, having charge of the devotional service, after which a most cordial welcome was extended to the visitors by Mayor McKay. Addresses were given by the President Mrs. L. H. MacLean, Miss McCully and Rev. F. Yates, interspersed with music by the choir under the direction of the organist, Mrs. Campbell and which was of a very high order.

The addresses, dealing with responsibilities of the present hour and how we should face our duty in the true spirit when so much is required of us. The Foreign Field and what will come to it of a calamitous nature if we fail to measure up just when the need is so great for helpers and financial support, were forceful and comprehensive and should be an inspiration to every member for greater zeal in this work which is limitless, till all lands have heard or received the glad tidings.

The business session opened Thursday morning, Mrs. L. H. MacLean presiding, also taking part in the service of devotion with Mrs. A. D. Archibald. The report of Secretary Mrs. A. Nicholson, is as follows:—

No. of Auxiliaries reported 39 permitted for slash burning during the spring and summer months.

Coun. Duncan said that the proper time to burn slash was from the 15th of July to the 10th of August when everything was green.

He moved an amendment that the dates be set as above. Amendment lost and original motion carried.

Coun. Barbarie reported that the report of the Recording Office looked good. On motion the Public Lands and Building Committee was authorized to have repairs made to building not to exceed \$200.00 accounts to be paid when work was done.

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Table with 2 columns: Item and Amount. Includes: No. of members 937, No. of added members 56, Total number life members 18, Home helpers 104, Deaths 13, Copies of message 629, Boxes sent to missionaries 1590.88, Thank Offering Services 25, The Treasurer, Miss Cameron, reported for: Foreign Field \$4591.17, Home Missions 1550.88, Widow's chain (special) 108.00. Total \$6230.00.

An increase over last year, Mrs. McLaughlin, President of Campbellton Aux., presented an address of welcome to which Mrs. G. B. Fraser fittingly replied. Greetings were received from sister Missionary Societies of the Anglican, Methodist and Baptist Churches. These expressions of welcome and good wishes were deeply appreciated. Several splendid papers were read dealing with the various aspects of the work. Votes of thanks were extended for these to Mrs. McWhirter, Mrs. McLellan, Mrs. W. N. Hamilton, Mrs. W. R. MacMillan, Miss McKenzie, Rev. W. W. McNair. It was a highly prized privilege to have Miss McCully of Korea with us. Twenty-five years of devoted service placed Miss McCully in a position to speak understandingly, along all lines of the Foreign work. The Misses McCully are to return to Korea in the autumn (D. V.) and as St. John Presbyterial has volunteered the passage money \$500.00 for one, Mrs. MacLean felt it would be a gracious act of Miramichi Presbyterial to present a like amount to Miss McCully. This will be a super gift, all auxiliaries participating, thus if nothing unforeseen occurs, the return of the Misses McCully to their life work is assured.

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Grade V, Irene Adams, 96; Harold Ward, 92.7; Stella Mann, 91.6; Helen Myles, 82.9; Gordon MacDougall, 81.4; Glen Myles, 79.4; Edgar Gillis, 78.4.

Grade VI, Blanche Irvine, 91.2; Velma Fitzgerald, 89.3; Ernest Duncan, 88.5; Arnold MacDonald, 88; Harold Myles, 80.6.

Grade VIII took High School Entrance. Grade IX take Normal Entrance this week.

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WOMAN GUILTY OF FIRING STORE

Convicted of Burning Goods in Somerville to Get Insurance.

Boston, June 27.—Mrs. Jennie Valinis, 54 Gorham Street, Somerville, was found guilty by a jury, yesterday afternoon, on a charge of burning insured property. The case was continued until tomorrow for sentence. Mrs. Valinis was held in bonds of \$10,000. That Mrs. Valinis, on May 2, burned goods and merchandise, in the store at 61 Gorham Street, Somerville, with intent to injure the Milwaukee Mechanics Fire Insurance Company, with which company the merchandise and goods were insured against loss and damage by fire. The case attracted considerable attention because of the fact that, when first arraigned on the indictment, Mrs. Valinis was recorded as having pleaded guilty. Unable to speak English, she had entered her plea through an interpreter. Later, when the court was about to pass sentence, the defense asked that Mrs. Valinis be allowed to change her plea on the grounds that she didn't understand what she was doing when her original plea was taken. The court interpreter then admitted that, when he had asked Mrs. Valinis if she pleaded guilty or not guilty, she had replied "Yes", whereupon he had informed the court that the defendant pleaded guilty.

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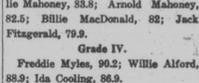
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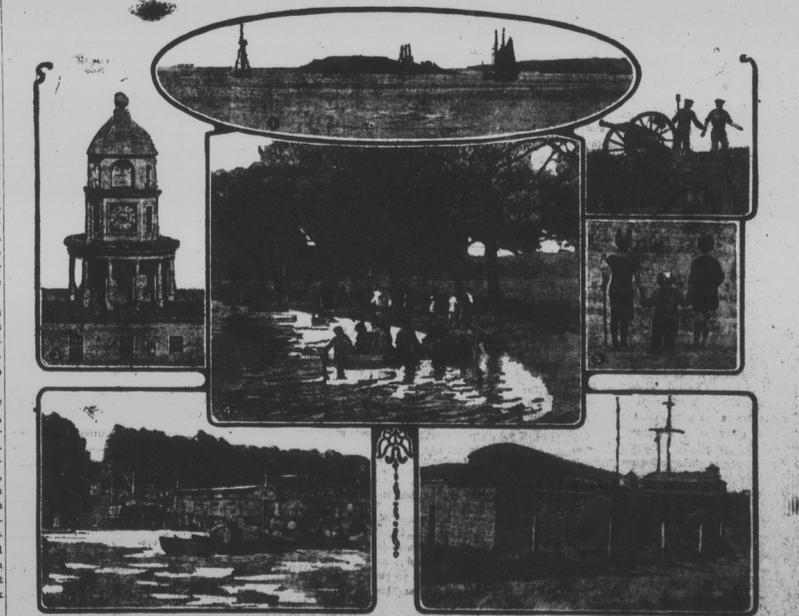
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