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MERCHANTS AND
CLERK'S ASSOC'N

Such Formed at Meeting
Here Wednesday

A meeting of the merchants and clerk's was held in the Council Chamber Wednesday to discuss early closing on Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings.

The matter of organizing was also discussed, and it was decided to organize the Merchants and Clerk's Association.

The following officers were elected:—Pres., C. A. Alexander Sec., Treas., Jas. McKenzie.

Executive: D. J. Bruce, C. F. Clare, Harry Ferguson, E. A. LeGallais, E. J. Allingham and J. T. Mowat.

A committee of ten was appointed to interview those merchants, who had not already signed the agreement to close.

The executive committee were asked to make arrangements for a social evening to be held in the near future.

The meeting adjourned until Friday, Jan. 20th.

The following merchants have agreed to close their places of business on Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings at six o'clock:

McKenzie and Treuman, John T. Nelson, F. E. Blackhall, F. E. Shephard and Co., Marquis and Co., A. E. Alexander and Son, H. S. Alexander, D. W. Sullivan, D. J. Bruce, C. F. Clare, Jane M. Andrew, Ferguson Bros., E. J. Allingham, S. M. Moores, M. P. Moores, B. A. Mowat, Joseph Duncan, J. P. Jardine, S. A. Poirier, E. David, K. Matta, L. M. Godfrey, J. D. Murray, Jas. Alexander, F. G. Kerr, G. E. Duncan, A. B. Belleisle, A. M. Hemante, W. J. Christie, Thos. Ellsworth, S. W. Dimock, E. A. LeGallais, William Cook, W. H. Miller, Richard Parker, Peter McLean, A. Elsliger.

The committee in charge expect to get the other signatures to the agreement before the next meeting.

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COUNCIL MEETING

On Monday evening 16th inst., Mayor Murray presided at a small meeting of the Council there being present at the opening Councillors Mowat, Miller and Alexander,—a bare quorum.

Town clerk read the minutes of previous meeting which were confirmed—at which time Coun. White entered the meeting.

Communication read from A. W. Campbell chairman of Board of Management, Intercolonial Railway relative to closing of Sugar Loaf street, which was laid on the table.

Letter from F. M. Murray, re the cancellation of a coal schooner's charter, offering settlement for \$21,35 which was referred to Electric Lighting Committee.

Letter from W. H. Gray asking permit for water and sewerage for his new building on O'Leary St. Referred to water and sewerage committee. The mayor read letter from Premier Hazen relative to the promise of the Provincial Legislature to provide a sum of \$5,000 for 10 years or an equivalent in a lump sum for the purpose of paying the bonded interest of the town.

This was handed to the Finance Committee.

On report of the Assessment Committee, the following reductions were made from the assessed value of land on W. H. Gray—\$700 reduction,—D. H. Lunan \$500 reduction, Chas. Audette \$100 reduction. The case of Robert Connell was continued on recommendation of committee although the assessed value was found to be correct.

The Police and License committee recommended payment of accounts totalling \$13.50. Agreed.

The Finance Committee recommended payment of accounts totalling \$121.89. Agreed.

Councillor Miller moved, and Councillor Mowat seconded, "that the sums of money to be apportioned to the town by the government be placed in the bank of Nova Scotia to bear interest at the rate of 4 per cent per annum compounded quarterly, to be used for the payment of the present bonded indebtedness subject to legislation hereinafter to be enacted by the legislature of New Brunswick, Carried.

After long discussion as to ways and means, Councillor Miller moved, and Councillor Alexander seconded the following motion—"whereas the town treasurer's salary for the current fiscal year only amounts to \$673.76 resolved that the council make him a special grant of \$495. Carried.

In answer to questions, Solicitor MacKenzie gave it as his opinion that the I. C. R. had power themselves to close Sugarloaf street, but that the Railway Board wanted to put the onus of closing the street on the Council.

Councillor Mowat, and Solicitor MacKenzie were instructed to appear at the present session of the County Council, and oppose in toto the resolution recently voted by that body for the town of Campbellton.

This being all the business Council adjourned.

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