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CHARGES AGAINST FIREMEN.

Ald. Christie Accuses Some of Drunkenness—New City Hall Wanted.

The regular meeting of the common council was held yesterday afternoon, when the usual reports were submitted, several communications read, and Ald. McGoldrick gave notice of motion that a new city hall be built in St. John.

Ald. Christie saw no reason why the police court returns should not be paid when due. This had been going on from year to year, he said, and there was no excuse. He moved an amendment to the report that the treasurer clerk draw the attention of the police magistrate to the matter.

Ald. Maxwell said the treasury board's report referred to October last. Ald. Christie said it was the proper thing to pay the returns when due, not wait until the 20th or 21st of the month.

Ald. Daley seconded Ald. Christie's amendment. Ald. Christie was not impressed with the necessity of it. He understood the returns were seven days behind while it would not be his fault, if he could not succeed in getting them paid.

Ald. Daley said the law should be carried out to the letter and the money paid as due. Ald. Christie said generally the payments were not made until the 22nd of every month.

The amendment was carried. Ald. Christie wanted the voters' names recorded, but no one called question. A communication from Wm. Thompson and Co. in reference to the Point berth was referred to the board of works.

A communication from the Salvation Army, asking for a grant in connection with their Motopole and the Seaman's Mission, was referred to the treasury board.

His worship said that these people who are looked after by the Salvation Army would otherwise be a burden to the city.

Mrs. M. Dever was again appointed to the board of school trustees. His worship said in the hands of the aldermen copies of the Ontario assessment law, and referred to the question which is alive in the St. John common council at present.

Ald. Macrae moved that debentures be issued to the amount of \$25,000 for the cost of the Carleton electric light plant.

Ald. Maxwell gave notice of motion that a branch be issued for the repair work at Sand Point, to the amount of \$1,200.

McGoldrick, referring to the Baker street sewer, said that as no mention had been made of it he would have to insist that debentures be issued.

His worship explained that there was no attempt on the part of anyone to interfere with the work, but they wanted to do it when it could be done as easily as possible.

Ald. Christie said that he had frequently heard that certain members of No. 5 fire company in the north end are in the habit of getting intoxicated after fires. For their own interest, and if not for their own, surely for the city's interest, there should be an investigation. He referred to the appointment of firemen and pointed out how necessary it was to have a list of names of those who were appointed.

Ald. McGoldrick gave notice of a motion at the next meeting that the city should at once build a city hall. The present building was not adequate. The council chamber was too small, and he would be prepared after next meeting to quote the figures which would be involved in the construction.

In reference to Ald. Christie's statement concerning drunkenness on the part of firemen, Charles Brown, district chief of the North End, said when asked about the matter: "There was no truth whatever in the statement that men of No. 5 got drunk after fires. He would back the men of No. 5 company against those of any fire company in the city as faithful to their duty, and he believed Chief Kerr would do the same."

A LONG VOYAGE. SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 8.—One of the longest passages of the year from Australia has been made by the French bark Notre Dame d'Auvergne, arriving today 103 days from Newcastle with a cargo of coal. For some days past the vessel, which has always hitherto shown good speed has been delayed at the Merchant's Exchange as overdue and a rate of 15 per cent for reinsurance has been quoted.

FOUND NEW RACE ON PACIFIC ISLES

Scientists Explore an Archipelago, Which Lies Off the Australian Coast.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 7.—Dr. Roth, the protector of northern aborigines in Queensland, and a Mr. Hedley made an interesting discovery on their last scientific tour of the Wellesley Archipelago, in the Gulf of Carpentaria.

At the southern end of the Gulf is situated Mornington Island, which was discovered by Capt. Matthew Flinders in 1802, though he does not appear to have landed there. The island is not inviting, the soil being poor and marshy and the brush coarse and stunted.

Dr. Roth experienced no difficulty in landing, and soon found that he had stumbled upon a new discovery—a race of aborigines who had evidently been separated from the mainland natives for untold generations. With one exception, an aboriginal who had visited the shores of the Gulf, none of the islanders were seen with the men and the use of clothing, however scanty was unknown to both sexes alike.

Dr. Roth, together with some "flaming" blacks, that is, natives who have been educated at the mission stations in northern Queensland and elsewhere, remained on the island three days, employing the "tame" blacks as guides and scouts, and it was speedily discovered that the latter could converse in a fashion, with the islanders, whose language was a dialectical version of that of the Gulf natives.

Great caution had to be observed by the visitors, who were always armed, the islanders having spears and a few boomerangs, but always running away as the white men advanced. At last, however, a couple were induced to make friends with the two explorers, whom they regarded with a stolid gaze, as if their unexpected appearance was an every day occurrence. This seemed to indicate that the aboriginal characteristic of indifference to an aboriginal characteristic.

Their assumed apathy vanished the moment that Mr. Roth and Mr. Hedley lit their pipes. They stared in bewilderment, and according to the natives, they were burning their mouths. They were equally astonished when a match was used for lighting a pipe, and a "billy" employed for boiling water.

Mr. Hedley distributed among them several penny whistles which he had simply collected from the natives, and the bush began to be filled with sounds to which it had previously been a stranger.

The islanders who form a race new to ethnologists, are supposed to be a retrograde type of the ordinary Australian aboriginal. They do not make huts as do the natives on the mainland, but simply collect heaps of grass and sleep on the bare ground to the leeward of them.

Articles which have to be carried from one place to another are wrapped in bark, the use of baskets being unknown, as that of canoes, and the craft employed being rudely constructed rafts, consisting each of a couple of logs with some light wood, propelled by branches and paddles.

Compared with the natives on the mainland the islanders seemed far better acquainted with the rules of the aboriginal appliances.

They have, however, a stringent system of tribal classification, intended to represent different degrees of relationship and to assist in preventing too close intermarriage. The original tribes are so prevalent among all classes of Australian aboriginals, remains an unsolved mystery.

His extensive on Mornington Island was discovered by Dr. Roth, when one of the islanders refused to speak to him, and the "flaming" boys because he was his "father-in-law."

TAKES A BRIDE AT EIGHTY YEARS. Francis Brown, of Utah, finds Solace in Women, who is Thirty-Five Years His Junior.

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Saturday. Francis Brown and Margaret Harris, both from Hunter, walked into the county clerk's office and asked for a marriage license. The groom gave his age as eighty, and his grey beard and hair did not belie his words. The bride was "fair and forty," plus five years.

A. B. Smith, the deputy, expressed surprise that the man should start out on a married life at such a "tender" age. When the license had been issued the couple wanted to be married there and then. It was noon and most of the deputies and clerks were at luncheon. Deputy Smith did not bother to take the pair into a corner room, where the knot is usually tied. He pronounced the words that made the two one and the bride marched away upon the arm of the "tender youth."

Y. P. S. OF ST. MARY'S. The annual meeting of the Young People's Society of St. Mary's church was held last evening in their rooms in the school house. After routine business had been transacted the reports of the year were given. These showed the society to be in a flourishing condition, having a membership of 60 and an average attendance of about 35 at the regular meetings. The society had effected several improvements in the school house and church property.

The election of officers for the ensuing year then took place and resulted as follows: President, R. J. Carlous; vice-president, Miss Ethel Allen; secretary, David C. Fisher; financial secretary, Miss Annie Barton; treasurer, Miss L. Patton; marshal, Miss Alice Adams.

A programme of entertainments for the coming winter was outlined, at the conclusion of which refreshments were served and a pleasant social time was spent.

MISS ANGLIN TOO NERVOUS TO ACT

Overworked Preparing for Her Debut in New Play—Performance Postponed.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Nov. 5.—Miss Margaret Anglin, who was to have made her debut as a star in "The Eternal Feminine" at the Hyperion Theatre tonight, was indisposed at an early hour this evening, and almost at the last moment the performance was postponed until next Monday evening.

In her preparation for the opening and her first appearance at the head of her own company, Miss Anglin has been over zealous, and placed too severe a tax on her strength. She was at the theatre until after three o'clock this morning rehearsing, and was there again at ten. The elaborate stage settings were being tried and everything put in readiness for tonight. Miss Anglin remained at the theatre all day, and toward evening she was so overcome by nervousness that her manager decided to postpone the premiere.

The play will be produced Monday evening at the Hyperion, by which time no doubt Miss Anglin will be quite herself again. This has necessitated a postponement of Miss Anglin's Philadelphia appearance, which was to have taken place at the Grand Theatre Monday night. The first performance will be given there on Tuesday night.

Professor Horatio W. Parker, head of the department of music in Yale University, has for the first time composed dramatic music in writing the musical compositions of "The Eternal Feminine." Many personal friends came from different cities for the premiere as a compliment to Professor Parker. His own disappointment was keen, but he sympathized with Miss Anglin sincerely.

HAS GATHERED 1,100 FOUR-LEAF CLOVERS. Illinois Woman Has Been Unusually Successful in Collecting Omens of Good Luck.

SALFEM, Ill., Saturday.—Mrs. Millie Jackson is probably the greatest gatherer of four-leaf clovers in the world. A Colorado woman whose record was broken in seven years seems out of the race. Mrs. Jackson has in her possession 1,100 of these interesting trophies, having been chosen for this season. She found them at Menard, Ill., where she has been temporarily located while matron of the Southern Illinois penitentiary. Mrs. Jackson is the widow of a soldier and has served since 1897 as post-mistress of the legislature, having been chosen four times to this position. She is a candidate for the same place at the coming session, which meets in January, and looks upon her four-leaf clovers as omens of good luck.

THOMPSON-CLANCY. A very pretty wedding took place at the cathedral yesterday morning, when Mrs. Thompson was united in marriage to Miss Elizabeth Clancy by the Rev. A. W. Meahan. After the ceremony, which was held at the home of the bride's parents, the happy couple left on the steamer Calvin Austin for Boston and New York.

HAS THE GRIP. Clutched you? Go to your drugist and get a bottle of Short's Cold and Grip Cure Tablets, 10 cents. If you have a cough, too—don't fail to use Short's Cherry Chlor, the St. John "stand-by" for nearly 25 years.

CANADIAN PACIFIC

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WEDDING CAKES.

We make a specialty of fine cakes for that came near to destroying the battleship Connecticut at her launching. "What do you think about this business," a reporter said. "It was unexpected," said Captain Ingersoll. "That is all I can say—that it was unexpected. As unexpected in there were a good many queasies between his rich wife and himself. "One day, enraged beyond measure, she said bitterly: "What would you be now if it wasn't for my money?" "The man laughed. "A bachelor," he replied.

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WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply to 293 Douglas avenue, North End.

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WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply at 361 Duke street.

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WANTED—A capable girl for general housework. No washing or ironing. References required. Apply to MRS. BANCROFT, 73 Hazen.

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply MRS. J. E. SECORD, 15 Sewall street.

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply to MRS. A. J. RUSSELL, 31 Brussels street.

WANTED—A girl for general housework. MRS. D. J. McLAUGHLIN, 286 German street.

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EVANGELICAL ALLIANCE.

Yesterday afternoon, at the monthly meeting of the Evangelical Alliance, resolutions expressing regret at the departure from the city of Revs. C. T. Phillips, W. J. Kirby and Dr. Fraser were passed.

The alliance intend to resume the arrangement of weekly prayers at the fall, commencing the first of 1905.

A paper on church union, read by Rev. J. W. A. Nicholson caused considerable discussion. Most of the clergymen present favored organic union of churches, recognizing, however, that great difficulties were to be overcome before that end was attained.

UNEXPECTED.

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