

FULL MEETING OF COUNCIL

Was Held Last Night When Much Business Was Up.

Session Opened With General Introductions — Commissioner Ross Presides for First Time.

The full membership of the council were present last night for the first time in several months. Those present were: Commissioner Ross, Justice Dugas, E. C. Senkler, Major Wood, J. R. Girouard, Mr. Congdon, legal adviser, A. Wilson and A. J. Prudhomme.

Before proceeding with the business before the council Mr. Ross stated that in all parliamentary bodies it was the usual procedure for new members to be presented to the old ones.

He introduced himself to the members of the council as their commissioner and then requested two of the members to introduce Mr. Congdon the legal adviser.

A counter petition from the one received last week regarding the continuation of the road from the Forks up as far as No. 3 Eldorado on the right limit instead of the left, was received from Mr. Delaney requesting that the road be continued on the left instead of the right. The petition was referred to the public works committee.

A petition from the foreman of the Bonanza road requesting an increase in his salary was referred to the public works committee.

A petition from the Dawson Water & Power Co. for permission to lay a main water pipe on Second avenue for the purpose of supplying the Second avenue residents with water was referred to the engineer.

A communication from Mr. Anderson, the boiler inspector, called the attention of the council to the necessity of pumps and testing gauges necessary in the testing of boilers and requesting permission to buy the necessary apparatus, and to have the charges on freighting it over the creeks paid by the council. He also requested an assistant and an office in town.

After considerable discussion on the

question it was decided to allow the purchase of the necessary apparatus and to furnish the inspector with a desk in one of the public offices. The matter of allowing freight charges was referred to the finance committee and as to the assistant it was thought that the inspector could get assistance on the different claims.

Mr. Wilson asked the commissioner if he was in a position to know the extent of the territorial funds which are available for the purpose of building and keeping in repair roads and bridges, or whether the territorial funds were to be used for that purpose. The commissioner replied that he did not know the amount appropriated for that purpose, but that is one of the first things he will look into.

Mr. Wilson asked if the money accruing from the liquor licenses and fines go into the territorial fund and was told that they do.

Commissioner Ross stated in reply to a question that the census of this territory will be taken upon the opening of navigation.

The demi-monde were the cause of another discussion. The subject was brought up by Mr. Wilson who stated that there were complaints being heard on every side against them moving onto the island at the mouth of the Klondike river and asked if they are going to be allowed to remain there.

The council decided to take no action in the matter as they are going outside the limits provided and it was thought that if any action was taken it would be a recognition of them, which under the law they are not entitled to. The matter was left in the hands of the police and the citizens will have to lodge complaints against them if they become obnoxious.

The ordinance granting to the commissioner further sums of money was dropped on the suggestion of Commissioner Ross who thought it would be better to wait until the end of the year and then make one supplementary bill of the full amount instead of bringing up one every once in a while.

The ordinance compensating laborers in certain cases, providing for the appointment of official stenographers, and providing probate fees were laid over for one week to allow the legal adviser an opportunity to look them over.

Fresh eggs. Selman & Myers.

Embroidery silks, hoops and linens at McLennan's.

Long Island Smiths.

A good story is told at the expense of the Long Island Smiths by a census enumerator. Years ago, before so many new settlers had come in, he fell into the habit of asking at each place he stopped the name of the next householder beyond and invariably met with the response "Smith."

"Bless me!" said he at length to a long, lank old inhabitant. "Are you all Smiths down here?"

"I'll tell you how 'tis, squire," said the old man. "There is a pretty considerable lot of us Smiths on the island and no mistake. There was Tangier Smith, that the British government thought so well of they gave him a grant of pretty much all the present town of Brookhaven. Then there was Bull Smith, who made a swap with the Indians of a few beads and red coats for 'all the land his brindle bull Sam could trot round in a day.' One family of us is known as the John Rock Smiths, because its ancestor used a big boulder for the rear wall of his house. Another line is called the Jonathan Black Smiths because its ancestor was as dark complexed as an Indian. Still another family is known as the Block Smiths, from the fact that their founder had a big horse block before his door, and another as the Weight Smiths, because their ancestor owned the first set of weights and measures in the settlement.

"But, bless you, we're nothing as bad off as they were in Patchogue a few years ago. There were actually five William Smiths living there at one time, not a mile apart either. But the people got around that too. One of them owned a peacock, the only one of the five that did, and he became 'Peacock Bill' Smith. Another invented an improved kind of wheelbarrow with three wheels, and he was known all his days as 'Wheelbarrow Bill' Smith. The third lived on a point projecting into the bay, and he was called 'Point Bill.' A fourth was a famous diver, and he was called 'Submarine Bill,' and the fifth was called 'Eleven Dollar Bill' for this reason:

"He was clerking in a store, and when one day a woman gave him a two dollar bill to pay for her trading he gave her back \$10.50 in change. The boss got on to it, and he said he mistook the two Roman numerals II in a corner for the figure 11."—Ex.

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Roll'd Oats	10	Cleveland Baking Powder	6 00	Sliced Bacon, 12-lb.	5 00	English Breakfast Tea	50
T. & B. Chewing Tobacco	60	Tomato Catsup	7 00	Corned Beef	5 00	Spider Leg Tea	50
Cheese	54	Tomato Relish, 24 pints	12 00	Braw's	5 00	Uncolored Japan Tea	50
Swiss Milk	10 00	Crystallized Eggs	50 00	Sliced Ham	5 00	Spinach	6 50
Anchovies, 24-lb.	6 00	Mustard	75	Deviled Ham	4 00	Peas	6 00
Canned Salmon	11 00	Maccaroni and Cheese	6 00	Stewed Kidney	5 50	Sweet Potatoes	7 50
Salmon Napes	1 50	Timothy Seed	50	Boiled Rabbit, 45-25	20 00	Evaporated Vegetables	25
Canned Apples	8 00	Mechanic's Tar Soap	6 50	Club House Sausage, 24-28	12 00	Sliced Potatoes	30
				Pork Sausage, 12-28	6 00		

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