

THE ACADIAN

WOLFVILLE, N. S., MAY 9, 1913.

Editorial Notes.

The first undertaking of the Board of Trade since its reorganization appears to have been successful.

Some weeks ago a circular was issued asking subscriptions from citizens and others interested towards improvements to be made at the old Main street cemetery.

Town Council.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Council which took place on Wednesday evening Mayor Chambers and all the Councillors were present.

The Streets Committee reported that most of the damage to the streets occasioned by washouts had been repaired. The various committees had been convened to consider the application of Superintendent Johnson for increase in salary.

The Poor Committee reported help given during the month to Mr. George Bezanson, who is ill and unable to work.

The Sewer Committee reported work begun in the direction of relieving sewer on University avenue and on lined other operations to be begun shortly.

The Police Committee reported one arrest during the month and one license granted to auctioneer.

Applications for permission to keep pigs outside the restricted district were read from Messrs. R. H. Smith, W. T. Stackhouse, C. M. Vaughn and E. W. Fox, and referred to the License Committee.

The resignation of Mr. A. E. Caldwell as Town Clerk, and of Mr. C. H. Borden, as assessor, were read. Applications for the former position were read from Messrs. J. B. Tingley and S. C. West.

The following bills were read and ordered paid: M. W. Pick, \$11.90; Eliouise Black, \$43.75; Andrew Delabant, \$5.65; Acadia Electric Light Co., \$46.50; A. & W. MacKinney, \$12.00; Yalley Telephone Co., \$3.99; A. M. Wheaton, \$15.75; Register of Births and Deaths, \$3.75; Austin Bros., \$7.50; C. H. Borden (assessor), \$30.00; W. H. Evans (assessor), \$10.00; B. O. Davison (revisor), \$6.00; John W. Wallace (revisor), \$3.99; T. MacAvity & Son, \$106.69.

The Council decided to accept the offer of Mr. James Thomson, of Halifax, for the town's five per cent debentures, at par, up to eight thousand dollars.

It was decided to pay Mr. E. C. Johnson the sum of \$15 for damage done his dykeland by overflow of the sewer.

The resignation of Mr. A. E. Caldwell, as Town Clerk, to take effect June 1st, was accepted, and the Deputy Town Clerk was instructed to write Mr. Caldwell and express the regret of the Council at the necessity of such a step.

Couns. Haycock, Sleep and Harris were appointed a committee to confer with Mr. C. H. Borden, and seek to induce him to re-consider his resignation as an assessor.

The question of the increase of pay of Superintendent Johnson was discussed at some length and it was finally decided that two hundred dollars be paid Mr. Johnson from the street construction account, in view of his superintendence at the construction of permanent streets.

A delegation from the Children's Aid Society of Kings Co. appeared before the Council with the request that some ordinance be adopted and enforced by the Council to prevent children being abused on the streets after a prescribed hour in the evening. Addresses were given by Messrs. Percy Brown, H. Stairs, Rev. W. H. Kackham, Mrs. DeWitt, Mrs. Moon and others. Mayor Chambers stated that the matter would have the careful consideration of the Council.

Mr. W. H. Chase appeared before the Council as a representative of the Board of Trade and presented a number of suggestions with reference to improvements needed in the matter of street lighting, ornamental trees on the streets and other subjects. The Council expressed their appreciation of these suggestions and promised to give them due attention.

Fresh supply of dry milk, flash light, and batteries just arrived at the Wolfville Garage.

Huge Borrowing But Little Information.

THE MURRAY GOVERNMENT PERSISTS IN ITS REFUSAL TO GIVE ANY PARTICULARS HOW THEY WILL SPEND \$150,000 ALLOTTED TO BE FOR ROADS.—THEir COMING REPORT ON TUBERCULOSIS AT PROVICIAL GOVERNMENT FARM.

House of Assembly, Halifax, May 6.—The Provincial Parliament is now in the twelfth week of the present session, the longest on record by two weeks, and with the prospect of a week or more, and a good deal of interesting matter to come in those remaining days—painfully interesting for the Murray Government.

FORTHCOMING TUBERCULOSIS REPORT. One of these matters that gives the government uncomfortable feelings, as it looks ahead, is the report of the special committee on tuberculosis at the provincial farm in Truro and the conduct of the agricultural department. The evidence that has been brought forward is understood to be highly incriminating. The testimony was taken in secret but a record of it has been kept and the country will have the full benefit of this when brought in the House, as it will have to be in a few days, doubtless ere this letter reached the eye of most of its readers. The revelations promise to exceed in scandalous character all that has been already made known.

Notwithstanding the urgent appeals of the opposition in the House of Assembly the government persistently refused to give any particulars as to how they propose to spend the \$150,000 to be borrowed for alleged road service. They simply voted their bill through, ignoring every demand for information. The opposition, Mr. Tanner pointed out, were not against the borrowing of money for roads, but they did object to be asked to vote blindly for huge sums pledged on the credit of the people, without the slightest specific information regarding it. They considered \$150,000 not enough for the roads of Nova Scotia, but what they wanted to know was where is the money going and how is it going?

Too much money voted for roads has gone into official pockets, and not enough on the roads, as the charges made on the floors of the House by Mr. Batts and Mr. Margeson, mentioned in this correspondence last week, have shown in no unmistakable form.

WOULD TELL NOTHING. Mr. Tanner asked that plans, specifications, profiles and reports of the work the government proposed to do be submitted to the House before the bill to borrow the money was proceeded with, out in spite of the numerous and repeated requests for any single instance of any work in view the government had nothing to say.

Not one word of information was proffered to the opposition as to how or where the \$150,000 was to be spent in the eighteen counties.

Mr. Tanner asked for the reports that were supposed to be made of road conditions when two years ago the House passed an act to spend money especially for that purpose. How could anyone be expected to give a businesslike vote when the particulars as to what the money was intended for were persistently refused. The policy propounded by the government was one of blindly borrowing money without a definite scheme as to the purpose of the outlay.

The government rejected all the amendments proposed by the opposition, with one exception. That amendment they were shamed into accepting, though much against their will. This was a proviso that all work should be done by tender and contract. Thereafter the bill was put through the House.

ANOTHER LOAN TO A CORPORATION. The government has again come to the assistance of the Halifax and South Western railway, in effect making them a new loan of \$375,000. The government takes the railway's bonds, guaranteed by the Canadian Northern Company, and gives to the Halifax and South-Western its provincial debentures. This is to assist the financing of Mackenzie & Mann, and the money in question is interest which is thus returned to them. It is high finance which the government of this province should not indulge in but they like that sort of thing, and the H. & S. railway company are prime favorites of theirs.

THE RESIGNATION OF MR. A. E. CALDWELL, AS TOWN CLERK, TO TAKE EFFECT JUNE 1ST, WAS ACCEPTED, AND THE DEPUTY TOWN CLERK WAS INSTRUCTED TO WRITE MR. CALDWELL AND EXPRESS THE REGRET OF THE COUNCIL AT THE NECESSITY OF SUCH A STEP. NO ACTION WAS TAKEN AS HIS SUCCESSOR.

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LONDON, May 2.—In consequence of the continued serious illness of the Duchess of Connaught, it is expected, says the Irish Times, that the Duke will ask permission to resign the government-ownership of Canada. It is said that, even at the present rate of progress and the absence of any further relapses, it will take several months before HER ROYAL HIGHNESS is completely recovered and the Duke has expressed a desire to be with the Duchess during the period of convalescence.

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QUARTER ENDING APRIL TWELFTH.

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A Presentation.

MIDDLETON, May 6th.—Last evening there was a gathering of the citizens of Middleton, irrespective of politics, in the MacDonald school hall, to witness a presentation to A. L. Davidson, M. P. Mayor Goucher acted as spokesman of the citizens present and others who could not be present.

Mayor Goucher, in closing, presented a solid gold watch and chain to Mr. Davidson as a token of the esteem of his fellow citizens. The watch was beautifully engraved with the following:

Presented to A. L. Davidson, M. P., by the citizens of Middleton, as a mark of appreciation of his many services to the town, March, 1913.

The intention had been to make the presentation at Easter, but Mr. Davidson did not get home from Ottawa during the Easter recess, so the event took place last evening. It being the earliest opportunity.

Mr. Davidson, who had received no hint of the intentions of his fellow citizens, expressed his deepest appreciation of the gift, and in his reply spoke of the bright future of Middleton, the splendid quality of her citizens, and the need in future of zealously guarding the moral interests of the town as well as working unitedly for her industrial progress.—Halifax Herald.

[Mr. Davidson is a native of this town. His many friends here will be glad to read of this evidence of appreciation on the part of his constituents.]

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