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At the City Hall.

The weekly session of the Council Board was held yesterday afternoon. While the bills and pay rolls were being passed some discussion arose over the heavy expenditure in the East End and which had been ordered to be curtailed. The Mayor thought that the Inspector was not keeping within the margin outlined. It was indicated that the steam roller was not in active service although an engineer and fireman were constantly engaged. The Mayor and Councillor Mullaly said it was useless to keep men employed doing nothing.

The sanitary pay sheet showed \$25 for one man's week's pay. This man had taken the place of another who was ill and in consequence was paid double time. The Mayor and Councillors Martin and Mullaly were of opinion that there was too much sickness noticeable among the sanitary hands. The Supervisor will be asked to explain matters.

Commissioner Rees, S. A., of Toronto, wrote expressing thanks to Council for sympathy re death of General Booth.

Mr. P. J. Hanley asked for a light on King's Road; referred to lighting committee.

A letter was received from Supt. Morris, of the Reid Company, stating that it would take five weeks to install proposed lights.

Councillor Martin asked for a light to be placed on Brien Street; will be considered.

Mr. J. H. Thomas Alandale Road, asked for water service; referred to Engineer.

Mr. D. M. Browning asked that repairs be made to hydrant at Richmond. The Engineer said all it was good for was garden sprinkling, and suggested that it be condemned.

Permission was granted P. Costigan to build annex to house; referred to Engineer.

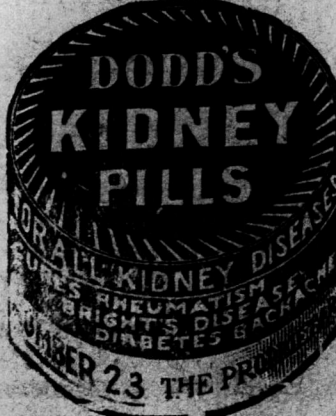
G. S. Webber asked to repair house on Bond Street; referred to Engineer. Plans of houses submitted by Mrs. Devereaux, J. Ross and John Reid were referred to Engineer.

Tenders for Hay. Tenders for hay being opened, some cross firing followed among the Councillors and Mayor, some holding for the lowest tender, others opposing. The tenderers and prices were:—E. J. Horwood, \$24.20 a ton; G. Neal, \$24.00; R. Freeman, \$24.75; F. McNamara, \$25.15; W. H. Grant, \$23.00.

Councillor Myrick moved that Grant's tender be accepted, it being the lowest.

Councillor Martin seconded the motion, stating it had been a custom to accept the lowest tender, and in this case, where the city would save \$100, he believed the Council should not do otherwise.

Councillor Mullaly had a different opinion. He did not know if the city would save a cent, or lose a thousand dollars. He did know that George



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Neal was a man of commercial standing, a bona fide dealer in hay and feeds, and one that had already given the city satisfaction. Mr. Grant he did not know from a commercial viewpoint, and for this reason he was not prepared to support the motion that his tender be accepted.

Councillor Ryan held the same views as Councillor Mullaly. He was not prepared to support Councillor Myrick's motion. He did not know who Mr. Grant was, or what his standing in the community might be.

The Mayor thought the Council should accept the lowest tender, which had been the custom at all times. Mr. Grant, so far as he knew was a big importer of hay, supplying the lumber camps in winter, and if a guarantee were given, as to delivery, the Council should accept the offer.

Councillor Channing said it was unfair competition to the local dealers to have Mr. Grant or any other person who had such a large field, as the Mayor pointed out, tender. While he was prepared to save every cent possible for the city, he had yet to learn who Mr. Grant was, and to be convinced that the acceptance of his tender would be a saving. For these reasons he moved that the tender of Mr. G. Neal be accepted. The amendment to Councillor Myrick's motion was seconded by Councillor Mullaly, supported by Councillor Ryan and carried, Councillors Myrick and Martin opposing.

Cabmen's Tariff.

A deputation of the city cabmen attended, and several amendments to the present tariff were offered by Councillor Ryan.

Councillor Myrick, while not opposing the suggestions of Councillor Ryan, said the latter should have at least had courtesy enough to have the proposed amendments printed, so that the Councilors would be able to intelligently discuss them.

Councillor Ryan replied that the remarks of the last speaker came with poor grace, as for over a year the cabmen's tariff had been before the Council and nothing definite had been done. He (Councillor Ryan) had given notice in the ordinary way, and it was for the Council to act.

Councillor Martin agreed with Councillor Ryan, and held it was in order to have the proposed amendments considered.

Councillor Mullaly opposed the consideration of the proposed amendments on the ground that even if in order, the Board should have been supplied with copies, and not have them fired at them. Mayor Ellis agreed with the last speaker, and asked Councillor Ryan to defer consideration until next meeting, the members to be supplied with copies in the meantime.

Councillor Ryan, while not disagreeing with what the Mayor suggested, believed ample time had been given the Board by the fact that he had given notice of motion at the previous meeting.

A heated argument between Councillors Ryan and Mullaly followed, in which the former charged the latter with cowardice and inconsistency. Councillor Mullaly retorted that he was not elected to teach "dunderheads" parliamentary etiquette, and it was about time that some people would try and adapt themselves to what was expected of them. The interference of the Mayor brought the scene to a close, and the matter of discussing the amendments was deferred.

J. Cowan, for Rossiter and Co., offered 15 tons of hay for sale, at \$24.50. Referred to the supervisor.

The Solicitor reported on the action of James Harding erecting buildings in contravention to plans submitted by him to the Council. Harding will be informed that unless the original plans are carried out, the buildings will be classed as nuisances and removed.

After reading the Engineer's report and passing requirements for the various departments, the meeting adjourned at 6.15.

The Union Salt Vessel.

The English vessel, Wm. Pritchett, arrived at Fogo on Saturday after a long voyage from Cadiz with a load of salt for the Fishermen's Protective Union which will be discharged at Fogo, Change Islands and Twillingate, at \$1.20 per hundred to Union members. It was feared this vessel had been lost. The Wm. Pritchett will proceed to the Labrador Coast and load fish for Gibraltar.

We notice the Plaindealer of Saturday asserted that Mr. Coaker had been bluffing the Green Bay men by promising salt that never arrived, insinuating that the load of salt had never been ordered.

STEVEDORE ASSAULTED.—Yesterday afternoon Mr. H. Bartlett, Stevedore at Harvey & Co's, premises was brutally assaulted. He was attacked by a labourer, who was a stranger on the premises, and butted unmercifully. The police were telephoned for and two constables responded and arrested the "bull."

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BANKER LEAVES.—The Lunenburg schr. Ethel sailed yesterday for the Grand Banks on her final fishing trip.

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PASSED CAPE ST. FRANCIS.—The S. S. Baleine passed, Cape St. Francis last evening on her way to Harbor Grace from Sydney with a load of coal.

Stafford's Liniment for sale by Mr. Nugent, New Gower St. sep14,tf

BOY ENTERS HOSPITAL.—A little boy, who came from Carbonear yesterday, entered the General Hospital to be operated on for appendicitis from which he is suffering.

Dr. de Van's Female Pills.—A reliable French regulator; never fails. These pills are exceedingly powerful in regulating the generative portion of the female system. Relieves all cheap imitations. Dr. de Van's are sold at 25¢ a box, or three for \$1.00. Mailed to any address. The Beechell Drug Co., N. Carleton Place, Ont.

MISHAP TO STREET CAR.—A street car was hung up on Queen's Road yesterday caused by an axle being broken. The whole line was disorganized for an hour.

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BASEBALL GAME.—Considerable interest is being taken in the baseball game which takes place this afternoon between the Imperial Tobacco Factory and the Reid Company officials.

JAM CROCK COVERS.—Gummed Papers and Waxed Tissues in each package to fit 1 and 2 lb. crocks, 3 cts. per package, at GEO. KNOWLING'S. sept9,tf

EVANGELICAL CHURCH.—You are invited to attend the services held in the Evangelical Church, Hutchings Street, on Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Capt. C. A. Swift from London, England, will preach morning and evening. All are welcome. Seats free.

Electric Restorer for Men.—Phosphonal restores every nerve in the body to its proper function; restores energy and vitality. Premature decay and all sexual weakness averted at once. Phosphonal will make you a new man. Price \$5 a box, or two for \$10. Mailed to any address. The Beechell Drug Co., N. Carleton Place, Ont.

BAD WEATHER AT BATTLE HR.

A message was received from Battle Harbor yesterday that weather conditions were adverse there and that for the past fortnight unfavorable weather was continuous. Should bad weather continue it will mean that schrs. will be late getting home from the Labrador, especially the "floaters," which are now far north.

Eyeglasses and Spectacles of all combinations, Artificial Eyes, all sizes and colors, Motor Goggles, Eyeshades, etc. All can be had at TRAPNELL'S, Eyesight Specialist.—sept9,tf

WEDDING BELLS.—A very quiet but pretty wedding was solemnized at St. Patrick's Church on Thursday evening by the Rev. Fr. Pippy, when Miss Josephine Madigan was united in matrimony to Mr. John E. Fagan. After the ceremony supper was served at the home of the bride's parents. Many presents were received testifying to the popularity of the happy couple.

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TABLE OIL CLOTH. Reg. 25c. (col'd). Now...18c. Reg. 25c. (white). Now...20c.	BOYS' SCHOOL SUITS. In the following styles: Norfolk, Rugby and Conway.	MEN'S BLUE JERSEY SHIRTS. Reg. 75c. Now...55c.
POUND TURKISH TOWELS. Reg. 55c. lb. Now...48c.	BOYS' TWEED PANTS. From 50c. up.	MEN'S TWEED PANTS. \$1.30 to \$3.50 a pair

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WATER STREET.

Watchman Replies to Attacks on Him.

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir:—I have had the honour of being "attacked" by two eminent writers in the Chronicle and News. The News correspondent is of the purest brand, and his letter proves nothing outside of the fact that it makes one feel that the days of brazen-faced hypocrisy have not yet passed in this country. It smacks very much of the "forced" style of John Alexander, and if he be the writer, Sir Edward must feel that his praise flows from a heart burning with love for the prophet of the two blades of grass and the sheep bedecked hills on the Southernmost side of our town.

The other "attacker" of the Chronicle is of the argumentative style, but he fails to tell us why Morris hasn't lowered taxation, nor why with all his big boasted revenues he has refused to raise the pay of the policeman, and continues to dole out the miserable pay of one dollar a day. Let Morris and Morris, who roll in riches, try to live on a dollar a day for a few weeks and then they will realize if these are sufficient reasons for "Watchman" to write. Three years ago, the Tory gang, headed by Morris and Morrison, painted heart-rending accounts of the terrible condition of the Lunatic Asylum. They made people who were unfortunate enough to have relatives in the Asylum stay awake all night, so dreadful was the tale they told by the aid of McGrath. But after three years and a half have gone by, we see nothing done to improve the condition of this institution by Morris, and the only conclusion we can arrive at is, that either the reports they circulated at the time were false, or that having gained power, they now pitch such matters to Jericho. Now, if the former be the case, surely these men ought to hang their heads in shame, for to use the poor unfortunates of an insane Asylum to push them in power, is an act so revolting that any one with ordinary feelings would forever spurn the men guilty of such. And, if on the other hand, there were sufferings untold in the Asylum, why is it, that Morris has allowed three and a half years to go by without rectifying the conditions existing there? This flimsy bluff of the News correspondent is not going to go down with intelligent voters, for it is a well-known fact that if Morris had not the pull that he contends he has, and that Morris believes he has, he would be fired from the position of Minister of Justice for long ago. Just think of

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If your mind is half made up to buy a GAS RANGE, remove the remaining doubt by thinking of last summer and the many days when your kitchen was like a burning furnace. The gas ranges never overheat the kitchen, and removed it bodily. They put the house on oil barrels and got it on rafts. It was towed across successfully.

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PULP AND PAPER CARGO.—The S. S. Almora sailed from Botwood for London yesterday with 4,680 tons of pulp and paper.

The S.S. Florizal sails this evening taking as additional passengers:—Mrs. Pearson and maid, Miss M. Pearson, Miss A. Pearson, P. J. Kennedy, R. Rogers, Mrs. R. Rogers, Miss M. Lewis, W. Hatcher and twelve second class.

INVERMORE'S PASSENGERS.—The S. S. Invermore reached Port aux Basques at 7 a.m. to-day bringing Mrs. S. K. Bell, P. Downing, J. J. Crowley, Miss Bell, W. Parsons, S. Pike, Walter Spracklin, J. W. Tarent, D. Maynard, C. B. Blackie, C. E. Whitten and James Funchion.

While some young men were fishing at Dildo Pond a few days ago a very sensational happening ensued. The people wanted to take the house from one side to the other side of the pond, and removed it bodily. They put the house on oil barrels and got it on rafts. It was towed across successfully.

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