

COMMON COUNCIL HAS LONG PROGRAM TODAY

Hours for Window Washing—Lt. Col. Hill Wants an Explanation—Underwriters Also—Reduced Water Rates.

The aldermen have a rather long programme for the monthly meeting of the Common Council, which is in session at the court house this afternoon.

Among the communications to be taken up are:

From M. R. A. Ltd., asking that merchants should not be allowed to wash their windows after 5 p.m.

From The Canadian Oil Co., Ltd., asking for a share of the city's business.

From Lieut. H. L. Hill, deputy engineer of the Maritime Province, on the instructions of the Deputy Minister of Militia calling attention to the fact that the city had erected and allowed to be erected buildings on Port Howe not for public purposes contrary to the terms of the lease given to the city.

From the N. B. Fire Underwriters drawing attention to a frame shed which has been erected in Matthew's alley, off Charlotte street, and that the "Ruddock House" on Strait House has received a shingle roof, both contrary to the fire laws.

From J. W. Daniel, M. P., and others asking that Con. Regan be allowed to place a night lunch wagon on Market Square.

The Treasury Board's report among other matters recommends that the sum of \$15 be given towards the National Memorial Tower at Halifax and that in order to save the fees that the city should not join in the Union of Canadian Municipalities this year.

It also submits a memorandum of a proposed agreement with the Street Railway Company for assessment of the latter.

The Board of Works asks for authority to repair the Spar Cove bridge at a cost of \$1,000, to call for tenders for permanent paving on Germain street.

The Harbor Board recommends that the city warehouse on Quinn's wharf be leased to H. C. Schofield and that he be given permission to erect an overhead runway. It also recommends certain repairs to the Sand Point wharves.

The Safety Board suggests certain changes in the market tolls and recommends that the city lay in a supply of cloth for the police uniforms.

The chief recommendation of the Water and Sewerage Board is that the assessment on stocks in trade be one-quarter of one per cent. In future instead of four tenths of one per cent, and that for water sold by meter register the rate for quantities over one million gallons be one-half cent.

Mr. McCallum, in view of the proposed permanent pavement that a new street-inch may be laid on Germain street from Duke to Queen streets.

The committee on the mayor's address refers the different standing committees for action.

AMELIA FINED FOR SELLING WITHOUT A LICENSE

Boy Would Rather Go to Penitentiary Than Stay in the Reformatory.

Four drunks were in court this morning. Patrick Campbell was arrested yesterday and charged to have been for some time in a long wharf beer shop. The police are investigating this after story. Campbell was re-arrested.

Another drunk, who had his face badly bruised, was also remanded to jail. The two others were fined eight dollars each.

Wm. Mulcahey, the boy who escaped from the Industrial School, was arrested yesterday. The magistrate sent him back to the reformatory. This morning and said he would look further into the case. Young Mulcahey says that he does not like to be confined in the reformatory and would prefer being sent to the penitentiary at Dorchester.

Amelia Francis was before the court charged with selling beer without a license. Wm. Livingstone testified of getting a few drinks of whiskey in Amelia's house on a Sunday, but he did not know who paid for it. Amelia testified that she sold no liquor to Johnson on the occasion in question. The magistrate imposed a fine of \$50 or two months' jail.

THE INDIAN ASSASSIN HAD PRACTICED SHOOTING

Verdict of Willful Murder Against the Student Who Killed Colonel Willie.

LONDON, July 5.—A verdict of willful murder has been rendered against the East Indian student who shot Lieut. Col. Willie at a public gathering here on July 1. Records found in the student's room showed that he had been practicing steadily with a pistol since last January. The notebook gave the results of his shots at various distances.

ROOSEVELT TO VISIT VIENNA

VIENNA, July 5.—It is announced here that ex-President Roosevelt will visit Vienna next April, during the international fair and hunting exhibition.

CANON NEALES THE PREACHER

Catholics at St. Francis Xavier

D. O. C. INSPECTS

Inspection by General Drury Takes Place Tuesday

SUSSEX, July 4.—The annual church parade was held this morning, and in spite of the threatening weather crowds assembled on the camp grounds from Sussex and surrounding country.

At 8.30 troops began to assemble at the parade grounds in front of the start lines. Markers from the different companies had previously been placed to mark out the ground which their companies were to occupy, and as soon as the companies marched to the grounds they took up the positions assigned them.

The sermon was preached by Rev. Canon Neales, who was assisted at the service by Chaplain Lynde of the 14th regiment. Hymn books were passed among the troops and also among the spectators. The organ was played by Onward Christian Soldiers and other hymns were sung with splendid effect.

After the service the troops marched to their respective camps. Colonel White, D. O. C., and staff inspected the men and their tents and found everything made in satisfactory manner.

The Roman Catholic soldiers, headed by the 73rd band, and under command of Capt. McNaughton, marched to St. Francis Xavier church on Church avenue, where the Rev. Fr. McDiarmid preached an eloquent and instructive sermon. The choir under the leadership of Mrs. M. Sweeney sang special music for the occasion.

The army service corps were very busy Saturday issuing rations for Saturday and Sunday, as no rations are issued on Sunday in camp.

On Monday night teams from the army service corps and 19th C. P. A. will play baseball. Great rivalry exists between the teams and the excitement is creating considerable interest.

Inspection of the troops by General Drury and Col. White, D. O. C., will take place on Tuesday on the parade grounds.

CAMP SUSSEX, July 4.—Things were exceedingly quiet in the camp today. Rain was the general order of the day. A little excitement was created in town last night by the arrest of an old man for intoxication. Officer Wm. McCallum made the arrest.

Lt. Col. McLaren, M. O., has been released from the hospital, and is unable to attend to his duties.

One more patient has been added to the list in the hospital, and now in the 19th field battery, is confined with throat trouble.

The R. M. C.'s proved too much for the 74th regiment's ball team last night, defeating them by a score of 4-2. The game was held in town and postponed on account of the rain.

The freemason of Sussex are going to hold another garden party next Tuesday night on the grounds of Dr. McCallum.

MR. BAMFORD HAS RESIGNED

MONCTON, N. B., July 4.—Rev. Frederic Bamford tonight tendered his resignation as pastor of the Lewisville Baptist church, to take effect three months hence. Mr. Bamford came here about three years ago from St. John.

Besides being pastor of the Lewisville church he had charge of churches at Dover and Cherryfield.

In the West End Baptist church today seven candidates, including two prominent I. C. R. conductors, were baptized by Pastor E. B. McLaughlin, Rev. A. A. Rideout, Fredericton, preached in the First Baptist church at both services today. At the morning service he had charge of churches at Dover and Cherryfield.

The baptisms are the result of recent revival services conducted in those churches by Evangelists Osborne and Matheson. H. C. Davidson, who is retiring from the I. C. R. service after thirty-seven years, was presented Saturday with a purse of gold and address by fellow employees and officials. During his long service most of Mr. Davidson's time has been spent in the check office, of which he had charge.

HAD A CONFERENCE REGARDING NEW ENGINEER

No Definite Mention of Lumsden's Successor—He Resigned Because of Advancing Age.

MONTREAL, Q., July 5.—When Sir Wilfrid Laurier was in town Saturday he had a two-hour conference with Sen. Casgrain. Today Casgrain gave out that they had talked about the successor to Engineer Lumsden.

Names were mentioned, but he refused to give them. He said the real reason of Lumsden's resignation was that he was 61 years old and would be over 70 when the road was finished. That was too old to undergo the hardships of railway construction and it was absolutely necessary to be on the spot when construction was going on.

SACKVILLE IS REJOICING IN A BUILDING BOOM

Additions to the College are an Important Feature—Several New Private Residences to be Built and Others Remodelled

SACKVILLE, July 4.—Last summer was a pretty busy one in the building line in Sackville, but this summer promises to see the establishment of a still better record. Already considerable building has been done and a good deal more is planned.

The most important work in prospect, of course, is the erection of the proposed Fawcett Memorial Hall in connection with the Mount Allison institution and the building of the new stone wing of the Ladies' College. The work on the latter structure will be begun probably about the middle of this month, certainly before July is out. As yet, however, it is not known just when start will be made on Fawcett Hall.

Before the wing of the Ladies' College could be begun it was necessary to move Lingley Hall which has stood for years at the northern corner of the college. This work is already well under way. The organ was removed from the hall some days ago; then the pillars standing at the front were removed and now, for several days, Lingley has been slowly moving across the roadway. Until some decision as to its disposition is reached the hall will stand just across the road from its old site. The work of moving the hall—made by the way was named after a St. John man long since dead—is in charge of Contractor McDonald, of Moncton.

The tenders for the new college wing will be received until Wednesday. Several firms are understood to be preparing bids for the work. Under the terms of the contract the work of construction will be begun very shortly after the successful tender is decided upon. The wing is to be ready for occupancy by the beginning of the next winter term.

As yet no decision has been reached as to where the hall in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fawcett will be placed, so nothing definite is known in regard to the beginning of the erection of this building. Two sites have been proposed. One of these is on the ground standing at the corner of York and Landdowne streets. The other is the site of the old Charles F. Allison house on York street.

Among the building which is being done for citizens is the erection of a house on Weldon street for Mr. A. H. McCready, the editor of the Post, who at one time made his home in St. John. This house, now nearing completion, is being built by the Sackville Woodworkers, Limited. The Woodworkers are also making extensive alterations

to the Middle Sackville property owned by Mr. George A. Fawcett and formerly owned by the late Mr. Burton Black. On Salem street Professor John Hammond is having erected two residences. One of these will be occupied by Prof. and Mrs. Hammond. The other is being erected for Professor Lawrence Killam, of the Science Faculty of the University. Both will be very attractive residences indeed. Prof. Hammond is also building a house on Park street for Mr. H. Woodworth, who, by the way, is another former St. John man. Prof. Hammond has purchased all the vacant lots on the upper side of Park street. In addition to the Woodworth house he may also build a second on this street.

On Charlotte street Mr. John Fillmore is putting up a nice dwelling for Mr. Clarence Griffin and will soon be ready to hand the property over. Mr. Fillmore has also put up a dwelling on the upper part of York street, for Mr. J. Cooper. Another piece of work being done is the building of an extensive and handsome addition to the house recently purchased by Mr. Fred Ryan from Prof. Hammond.

On Salem street, near the corner of York, Mr. Charles W. Fawcett will shortly begin the erection of a dwelling house. This has been decided upon and it is quite probable that Mr. Fawcett will put up several others as well on property which he owns there. It is understood that the new industrial company, A. E. Wry, Limited, will also have a part in promoting the building boom in Sackville this year. This company, it is said, will put up a large wooden factory building on Lorne street during the summer or fall. The site is understood to have been secured already and a call for tenders may come in the near future. Another company which may do some building this year is the Sackville Paper Box Company. All that this company will do, however, will be the way of enlarging its building on Main street and no announcement has yet been made as to its intentions.

Any of the information given in the foregoing paragraphs it will be seen that the town is going to have its fair share of building operations during the year. For several years past there has been a goodly bit of work given the builders here and many new structures of whatever and the people are gratified that this year there are signs of a continuance of the development.

KING DISINHERITS HIS DAUGHTER

Will Sell All His Property and Dispose of the Proceeds

LONDON, July 4.—King Leopold of Belgium has decided to disinherit his eldest daughter, with whom he has been on terms of bitter enmity for years.

This decision has inspired the sensational sales of pictures, furniture, tapestry, and other rare objects of art in the King's private collection, which have taken place during the past two years.

It is the King's intention to liquidate all his property, and the dispose of the proceeds to his daughter, who has been disinherited by the sale of his property. In this way he hopes (says the Express) to prevent Princess Louise from receiving the share due to her under Belgian law.

Her lawyer declares, however, that King Leopold persists in his determination, lawsuits will be instituted to recover the princess' portion of the proceeds due from the sale of certain estates and personal property.

His majesty owned valuable property in France, which he purchased under the names of certain personal friends, and recently sold in the same indirect manner. Princess Louise will bring actions against the purchasers of these estates.

The princess has an income of £2,000 a year, although she spends over £20,000. Her lawyer declares that the latter sum is more in keeping with her royal dignity, and that if King Leopold gave his daughter an adequate allowance she would not always be in debt.

It is said that King Leopold recently offered Princess Louise £20,000 a year in consideration of her renouncing her royal rights and jewels will not be sold.

Princess Louise has had an eventful life. She was married at Brussels in 1875 to Prince Philip of Saxe-Coburg and Gotha, but the marriage was dissolved by divorce at Gotha three years ago, the princess being ordered to pay the costs.

In 1886 the princess met Lieut. Matiasch-Kedgitch, a Hungarian cavalry officer, at a ball given in Vienna by her sister, the Crown Princess Stephanie. They afterwards eloped. Her lover was arrested on a concocted charge of forging the Crown Princess Stephanie's name to a check and with-in an hour of his arrest Princess Louise was conveyed to a private lunatic asylum near Vienna, at the instigation of her father.

MRS. WILLIAM WILSON

The funeral of the late Mrs. William Wilson was held this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from Stone church. The service was conducted by Rev. W. O. Raymond and interment was made in the Phillips Cemetery.

WAR DECLARED ON WHITE SLAVE TRAFFIC

Drastring Proposals to Control the Acts of Unscrupulous Agents in London

LONDON, July 4.—A bill containing far-reaching provisions is being brought forward by Sir Ivor Herbert, Mr. Yoxall and others for the purpose of suppressing what is known as the white slave traffic.

It is believed that one of the channels through which many unwary girls are brought to ruin is the unscrupulous enterprise of sundry employment agents, who attract girls with a genuine desire to go on the stage or to music hall. These girls are often induced to sign contracts for Continental tours, which not infrequently end in failure. The girls are then thrown out of employment in a foreign country, of whose language and ways they know nothing, and become the victims of rogues.

The bill provides that all agents who for reward obtain employment for any girl under 21 years of age—otherwise than as a domestic servant—shall yearly take out excise licenses for the purpose of employment in a foreign country, of whose language and ways they know nothing, and become the victims of rogues.

Applicants for license must satisfy the constituted authority as to their character, and that they have caused a notice to be exhibited on two consecutive Sundays on the principal door of the church or chapel of the parish where they have applied for permission, a notice to the effect that they are seeking power to act as juvenile female employment agents.

They will be compelled to keep books in harmony with statutory directions, and the local authority will have power to appoint visitors of either sex to be agency visitors "in order to satisfy themselves as to the proper conduct of the business and examine the books."

Any contract entered into by an agent with, or on behalf of a girl under 21 years of age, shall be null and void unless the contract has been approved and explained to such girl, and the contract is in a language which such girl can understand.

Other provisions are equally stringent.

WOUNDED DOG SEEKS AID AT HOSPITAL

Is Treated by Nurse and Told to Come Again the Following Morning.

LONDON, July 4.—Has a dog read a newspaper? There is a dog who is prepared to cite instances of extraordinary sagacity that appear to support the affirmative view of this question. To the number the story of a Croydon animal that has been an out-patient at the General Hospital, and has been benefited by the treatment he received.

The animal is a brown wire-haired Irish terrier. It answers to the name of Joey, and is the property of Mr. Mullin, of the north end of West Croydon.

To a reporter Frederick William Jones, who lives in the lodge at the General Hospital, gave the following particulars of the first canine patient of that institution.

"It had come in Monday morning," he said, "just as I was having my breakfast. I heard a dog howling at the gate, and as the nurse was coming out to see what was the matter, I saw the animal standing there, holding up its right foreleg and evidently in pain. I spoke to it, and after a bit, as it seemed gentle and friendly, I picked it up and took it into my surgery, which by that time was full of waiting patients."

Any of the nurse, when she got a minute or two to spare, looked at the dog's foot, and found that there had been an old wound, and that a sore had formed on the foot. By and by she dressed it, and I turned him out again. As I did so I said in fun, 'You are a doggie; 8 o'clock tomorrow morning.' I had forgotten all about it by the next day, but when I came along, I found the dog was the dog waiting, and I took him in and dressed his foot again. I think he came once or twice more, but in fact, he was there this morning. But I did not bring him in."

The dog's master and mistress were out when a reporter called, but a young woman who knows Master Joey very well states that, so far as she knew, the animal had never been taken to the hospital for any purpose, and none of the family had ever had to seek treatment there.

TRAVELER, Germany, July 5.—Emperor William was entertained at dinner last night by Allison V. Armour of New York on board the yacht "Iwona."

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION.

WANTED—An Axe Grinder, at CAMPBELL BROS., Smythe St. 5-7-4.

WANTED—Cook for light housekeeping to go to Robbsey for about two months. Apply WALTER GILBERT, 143 Charlotte St. 6-7-4.

LOST—A coral brooch set in gold, between Duke St. and St. David's church. Finder will be rewarded by leaving at Star Office. 5-7-4.

WANTED—A row boat in good condition 15 ft. long over all. Box 721, Star Office. 5-7-4.

WANTED—Intelligent boy about 14 years of age, to learn the engraving business. Box 720, Star Office. 5-7-4.

WANTED—Agents to canvass the city for The Duxto Vacuum Carpet Cleaner. Must be well recommended. For information address P. O. Box 135, City. 5-7-4.

WANTED—A plain cook at Wentworth Hill, Elliott Row. 5-7-4.

TO LET—Small flat at 47 High St. Enquire MRS. JOHN SALMON, 47 High St. 4-7-4.

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CHAMPAGNE MORE IN USE NOW THAN EVER

Quantity Imported During First 5 Months Double That of Same Time in 1908.

PARIS, July 4.—James B. Regan, proprietor of the Hotel Knickerbocker, New York, has just arrived on his annual trip to Europe, the chief object of which is to buy supplies for his hotel.

His list is a giant one. Mr. Regan will spend the better part of two months getting through it. As usual, wines will be the biggest and most important part of his purchases. He informed the Herald correspondent that the quantity of wines of all kinds which he intended to buy this year would exceed that of the previous year by more than 100,000 bottles.

Mr. Regan buys his champagne, or most of it, in the English market because he considers the English the best judges of champagne in the world. It is certain nearly all the best champagne finds its way to England. That will not deter him, however, from paying a visit to Rheims to seek something good that may have escaped the English buyers.

Talking of Paris hotels, Mr. Regan said they are waking up here to the gate, and as they are not yet open to the public, "if notice," he said, "about eight new hotels or old ones remodelled have sprung up in Paris since last year. That is a good sign."

Another plot to MURDER THE CZAR

Explanation is Left by An Anarchist

STOCKHOLM, Sweden, July 1.—Suspicious that a plot has been laid to assassinate the Czar during his European tour were strengthened by the discovery today that Adolf Yang, the Swede who killed General Backman last week and then committed suicide, belonged to a group of anarchists who have sought to "remove" the Russian ruler. Eight Russian anarchists were arrested before Gen. Backman was killed, but that fact was kept secret. Two were found hiding in the palace. Yang left a letter saying that as his Russian comrades had been arrested, it would be impossible for him alone to kill the Czar, so he would slay the first high official he met.

COMMERCIAL

J. M. ROBINSON AND SONS. (Private Wire Telegram.) Montreal Morning Sales, July 5.

Quebec Bank—426124. Dom Iron—3354138, 2504137, 1804139, 1094147, 1294144, 1504143. Montreal Street—2352184.

Dom Iron Bonds—7,000,000, 3,000,000, 100,000,000. Dom Coal—135372. C. P. R.—361134.

800—3611025, 25041404. Dom Iron, pref.—10041254, 1004125. Montreal Power—1101234.

CALAIS, Me., July 4.—Burns received on Friday evening when her dress caught fire after lighting a lamp, caused the death today of Mrs. William Brown, a sixty year old widow.

Mrs. Brown was found terribly burned and barely conscious on Saturday morning, when she told of the manner in which she had received her injuries.

Clear. Sch. Elma, 290, Miller, City Island. Sir Ransom B. Fuller, 1023, Mitchell, Eastport.

Coastwise—George L. Annapolis, Prince Rupert, Diery: Peapack, St. Martins; barge No. 2, Parrishboro; barge No. 3, Lorne; barge No. 4, Martins.

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