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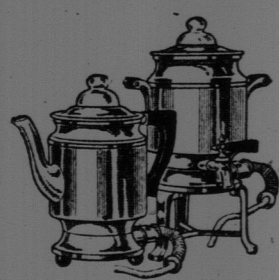
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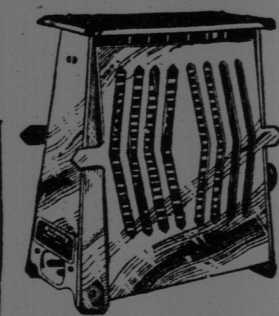
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DISCUSS PAVING AND TAX VALUES

Seely Street Residents and Commissioners Go Into the Question.

Seely street residents were heard before the city council in committee this morning and after placing their views before the members were assured the city had no intention of penalizing them for having the street paved under the Local Improvement Act by raising their valuations. The delegation was composed of Roy Finley, Chester Gandy, H. H. Scovil, Hon. J. E. Wilson, F. A. Young and P. B. Evans.

Mr. Wilson said the residents desired to improve the street as it was used a great deal by visitors on their way to the public gardens and Rockwood Park, but they would like to be assured that, after they had agreed to pay one-half the cost of the paving, the valuations on their properties wouldn't be raised because of the paving of the street.

Mr. Scovil said they had two conflicting statements, one from the Mayor and the other from the chairman of the Board of Assessors. The first said there would not be any increase because of paving and the other intimated there would be.

Mayor Potts said it was impossible to give any guarantee that no increase would be made in the valuations for 10 years and the chairman of the Board of Assessors could not write any different letter than he had done, but he felt the property owners could accept his assurance that there would be no increase unless it was general all over the city.

G. N. Hatfield, road engineer, said speaking as a citizen he felt the paving in a street where the paving was done under the Local Improvement Act as this constituted double taxing. He said that the increase in Douglas avenue was about \$500 a lot, bringing the city a revenue of \$15, while in adopting the plan of paying for part of the work the property owners of Seely street were taxing themselves about \$22 a year.

Mr. Wilson thought it would be in the interest of the city and the city if legislation was secured making it plain that no increase of valuation would result where paving was done under the "absorbers" plan.

Mr. Scovil said the petition had not been drawn up as yet but would be just as soon as the property owners had definite assurance there would be no increase of valuation.

The Mayor said they could not get any more definite assurance than was contained in his letter.

Mr. Evans asked if the Mayor or Commissioner Frink had visited Seely street lately.

His Worship said he had not, but Commissioner Frink said he was there nearly every day.

Mr. Evans asked if he thought the street was in good condition and the commissioner said it was better than Gooderich street.

Mr. Wilson said he for one was perfectly willing to accept the assurance of the Mayor and felt the paving would be done.

S. H. MAYES GETS CITY POST, \$30 WEEK

Appointment is Made by the Mayor, Who Says Action Justified.

That he had appointed S. Herbert Mayes as inspector, time keeper and checker of materials in connection with harbor work, at a salary of \$30 a week, was announced this morning by Mayor Potts, who said that this appointment had been made in effect. He said this was not a permanent appointment but he did not know how long such an official would be carried on the pay roll.

His Worship was asked if he had the power to make such an appointment without the sanction of the city council and he replied: "I have made it and as I have an oversight of all departments feel that I am justified in my action."

This morning the superintendent of the harbor department, Alfred Belyea, was in consultation with the Mayor. Asked afterwards if his visit had any special significance His Worship said he had not, he had simply sent for the superintendent to tell him of the appointment of Mr. Mayes.

GAIN OF 600

Travel by Boats From Boston This Season Shows Nice Increase.

The Eastern Steamship liner Prince Arthur arrived in port about 8:30 o'clock this morning direct from Boston with 155 passengers and a fair sized general cargo. There was a slight falling off this trip in the passenger travel, but judging from advanced bookings she will have a larger number on her trip next Monday. According to figures compiled, passengers who have arrived in this city to date on the two Eastern Steamship liners numbered 600 more than at the same date last year.

Among the passengers who arrived this morning were Deputy Chief Chadwick of the Malden, Mass. fire department, and his wife, who will spend a few days in this city the guests of Harry D. Needham, after which they will proceed via Digby to Halifax, where they will take in the sports during carnival week.

NOT THIS MAN

The Times-Star has been asked to state that Percy Amero who figured in the police court this week is not the Fairville man of that name.

Another Home Is Broken Up

In a country home not far from the city there had lived in peace and harmony for the last two or three years a dog and a cat. They were perfect companions, going so far as to make common use of an out-of-date horse manger as sleeping quarters.

But their domestic felicity has been rudely shattered—they are no longer on terms of intimacy, and all on account of the arrival of two little strangers.

When the dog retired to rest the other night, expecting to find only his feline companion in occupation of their boudoir, he met with a sight from which he has not yet recovered. Snuggled close to their mother were two tiny balls of silky hair, but recently embarked on life's voyage.

In the morning, while Tabby was breakfasting, the kitten disappeared; they had been carried—one at a time—by the jealous canine into a field nearby and deposited on a hay-cock. The mother cat, attracted by their cries, went to their rescue and gave them a return trip to the manger.

How long the seaway might have gone on is indefinite—a member of the household witnessed the last part of it and took measures against further movement. But the two principals are not yet on speaking terms again.

ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, JULY 31.

A.M. High Tide 11:53 High Tide 11:46 Low Tide 5:24 Low Tide 4:41 Sun Rises 6:08 Sun Sets 7:53

LOCAL NEWS

IS IN PORTLAND.

J. M. Woodman, general superintendent of the C. P. R. New Brunswick district is at present in Portland, Me., on business in connection with the New Brunswick district.

ALLIANCE FIELD SECRETARY.

The Temperance Bulletin, issued in Fredericton by the N. B. Temperance Alliance, has been sent to the printer by Rev. T. D. Bell now pastor of the Baptist Church at Hampstead, to enter upon the duties of field secretary of the alliance.

NOISY IN STREET.

Joseph Chase and Daniel Turner, who were arrested last night on a charge of disturbing the peace and creating a disturbance in Erin street, were adjudged guilty by Magistrate Henderson in the police court this morning and were fined \$4.

STILL AT LIBERTY.

Alexander Legere, who escaped from a cell in Central Police Station Tuesday night, is still at large having so far succeeded in evading the police. Owing to a defective lock he was able to open the door of his cell and by going up the back stairs to the court room on the second story he gained an entrance to the main hall and thus made his escape.

AUTOS COLLIDE.

A collision took place between two automobiles at the corner of Charlotte and Union streets last night about 10 o'clock. One automobile bearing the number 8389 was turning into Union when the collision with an automobile, number 5644, took place. Both were slightly damaged.

ANOTHER LEAK.

A leak in the 12-inch main in British street, near Carmarthen, was reported this morning to the water and sewerage department. Repairs are now under way. Commissioner Wigmore said this morning that repairs were being made to this main in the Spruce Lake dam which would make it much tighter and prevent quite a leakage of water.

MATTER IS ADJUSTED.

A case against Cecil W. Hicks, who was taken into custody last evening on a charge of obtaining money under false pretences, did not come before Magistrate Henderson in the police court this morning as the matter was adjusted. The young man was alleged to have passed a worthless check for \$30 on John T. Dunlop, manager of the Dunlop Hotel. It was said at police headquarters this morning that the matter had been made all right and Mr. Dunlop had no desire to press the charge.

HELP TO AUTOISTS.

The New Brunswick Automobile Association has issued a very valuable book containing details of all the main highways in this province. The routes are given with all important villages and stations mentioned and their distance in miles from the starting place of a particular trunk road. Maps showing the general direction taken by each road are also in the book in addition to the various connecting roads with Quebec and Nova Scotia. This book is very complete and is invaluable to automobile drivers, especially tourists.

TAG DAY \$484.

Rev. C. A. Stewart, pastor of St. Philip's A. M. E. church, announces that the return from the tag-day amounted to \$484.04, which will be devoted to the payment of some outstanding accounts and the general work of the church. Stewart desires to thank the Mayor, the press, the very sympathetic public, and the many taggers who worked so well under the direction of the stewards and trustees of the board of the church. Thanks are also given to Mrs. George Stewart, Mrs. Frank Leslie, Mrs. Frank Bushman, Mrs. Emma Edison and Mrs. Jones, who served supper at the parsonage.

TAKING LIQUOR CARGO.

Six car loads of liquor are being loaded this afternoon on the schooner McLean Clan at Ballast wharf, along Charlotte street extension. The schooner, which docked about noon today, arrived last night from Lunenburg, N. S. The cars of liquor, which is in bond, were shunted onto the railway siding on Charlotte street extension, and the work of loading the vessel started at 1 o'clock this afternoon. It was expected that loading of the schooner would be completed this afternoon and she would clear at once. The McLean Clan is a vessel of 230 tons net register. Destination is not announced.

STEAM SHOVEL IS ON THE HOTEL SITE

Bustle Grows in Clearing Way for Admiral Beatty Foundation.

With a steam shovel belching forth smoke and rapidly eating its way into an earthen bank and the musical rattling from the rock-drilling machines filling the air, work on the excavation for the Admiral Beatty Hotel at the King square s.e. commenced in earnest this morning. As the ground floor of the hotel will be about on the street level, the smoothing out process is not expected to take very much time. According to D. Phin, of Cameron & Phin, contract excavators, instructions are to level the site to about two feet below the street level. A trench about six feet in depth will be dug around the outside of the location also.

This morning six double teams were busily engaged in hauling excavated material to the public dump at the foot of Sydney street. The steam shovel is of caterpillar-tread type, having a bucket of three-and-a-half feet in diameter. The shovel, which is efficiently operated by Harold Toole, is a great labor saver, digging this morning more than 250 yards of the high bank running along the south side. Mr. Phin said that tomorrow he would have about 24 double teams engaged in hauling material away, and he expects the bank will be entirely cleared away in the course of a few weeks.

Very little time is lost in getting the teams loaded and away. They enter through an alley off Charlotte street and go out by way of King square. About four bucketfuls will nearly fill each team and the teams are given a full load a few feet farther on by shovellers. The horses were quite nervous about the shovel this morning, but this in time will be overcome.

Duffing the Rock.

Two rock-drillers are at work on the ridge in the centre of the site. About 2,000 yards of rock excavation will be necessary, it was said this morning. Temporary housings for the compressed air machine and the blacksmith shop have been erected. Several laborers were taken on this morning, but the main work of the clearing-away process will be taken care of by the steam shovel. In the rear of the Trinity church rectory will be located the heating plant. A basement will be dug out here for the plant.

Even with the small staff now employed, expenditure in labor and material is running into a good many dollars, and this will increase as the work goes on. It is the hope of J. B. Stirling, resident engineer of the E. G. M. Cape, Ltd., for the construction work, that by Christmas time the walls will be up and the roof on in order that the interior work will proceed without delay by winter weather. In addition to Mr. Stirling, other members of the Cape organization on the job today were J. Tydesley, superintendent, and W. S. Mongol, office manager.

SECOND NEW MOON OF JULY APPEARS

This is the Night for Un-usual Happening—First on July 2.

Today witnesses the second new moon of the month, a phenomenon which has not appeared before for a great number of years and one which probably will not occur again for many more. The first new moon of July was on July 2.

Taking the month as a whole it has produced more fine days than normally for July and the fog has not been so prevalent, according to D. L. Hutchinson, of the Observatory. The rainfall, however, has been very light in fact, he said, it has only been one-half of one-tenth of an inch more than the famous dry year of 1921. The temperature has been about normal.

TO TRAIN FOR NURSE.

Miss Lois Fraser left last evening for Flushing Hospital, New York, to train for nurse. Before leaving she was the guest at several pleasant gatherings, when she received many useful gifts from her friends.

As Hiram Sees It

"Hiram," said The Times reporter to Mr. Hiram, of Horsham, "my heart is on the Nerepis hills."

"That's a queer place," said Hiram. "What do you think about them?"

"Boxes of blueberries in a tower window," said the reporter.

"An' they sot you 'thinkin' about the Nerepis piece—did they?"

"For a dozen years," said the reporter, "I had an August day among the blueberries on those hills. I remember the youth who told me about the ferocious wild-cat seen on a section he pointed out. That was his way of keeping me away from a good patch. Would I fear my weight in wild-cats with blueberry dumplings in the near prospect? You know me better, Hiram. Would that I had a room in a house at Blagdon, and the run of the hills for a week when the berries are at their best."

"I had blueberry dumplin' yesterday," said Hiram. "You've tasted Hanner's dumplin'."

"Hiram," said the reporter—"go away—you break me all up. I must think of something else."

"Come along out to The Settlement," said Hiram. "What you want is a good feed—then you'll be all right. You might get a scoop, too."

"I'll need one," said the reporter, and seized his hat.

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