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(Signed)

W. BANNERMAN, Post-maister.

OUR TOWN DADS.

The regular meeting of the Town Council took place on Wednesday evening last at the town hall.

Present—The Mayor, Councillors Hogg, Clarke and Millward.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Councillor Clarke said he noticed that an amendment he moved with regard to boarding-house keepers was not mentioned in the minutes.

The Mayor stated that the amendment referred to had been made committee, and therefore it was not necessary to record it.

The Clerk said that arrangements had been made with Messrs. Thompson Bros. to secure a Seal.

COMMUNICATIONS.

The following were read—

One from G. B. Elliott, Secretary of the Alberta Historical and Scientific Society, asking for the use of the hall on Tuesday evenings.

One from J. E. Campbell, asking to be appointed Assessor.

One from John Patterson, asking for the same.

One from T. S. Burns, stating that if it is the intention of the Council to amalgamate any of the offices he wished his application to be considered as such, and offering security.

One from Calvin P. Moore, asking to be appointed Collector.

REFERRING COMMUNICATIONS.

Moved by Councillor Hogg, seconded by Councillor Millward, that the application of the Historical Society be granted.

Moved by Councillor Millward, seconded Councillor Hogg, that the applications be now received. Carried.

REPORTS.

The Finance Committee reported that they had examined the vouchers in connection with furnishing the hall and found the same to be correct. The report was adopted.

Councillor Hogg said in accordance with previous notification he would now on behalf of the by-law committee ask leave to introduce certain by-laws for the appointment of certain municipal offices.

Moved by Councillor Lindsay, seconded by Councillor Clarke, that the report be received.

Councillor Hogg then introduced the following by-laws.

No. 8, for the appointment of Assessor. Salary not to exceed \$150.

No. 9, for the appointment of Collector. Salary \$4,000; remuneration per centage.

No. 10, for the appointment of Treasurer. Salary \$10,000; remuneration not fixed.

No. 11, for the appointment of Chief Constable at \$60 per month.

The by-laws were read a first time.

On motion of Councillor Hogg, seconded by Councillor Clarke, the by-laws were read a second time and the Council went into committee of the whole to consider the same.

The committee reported the by-laws with certain amendments.

On motion of Councillor Hogg, seconded by Councillor Clarke, the report was received, and the by-laws were read a third time and passed.

Councillor Millward gave notice that at the next meeting he would introduce a by-law for the establishment of a town pump and a pound-keeper.

The Council then proceeded to the election of an Assessor.

The Clerk declared J. Campbell elected, the vote standing J. Campbell 4, J. Patterson 1. The Clerk therefore declared J. Campbell elected. A by-law for the appointment of Mr. Campbell was introduced and passed two stages.

The Council then balloted for the election of a Treasurer.

There were two nominated—Mr. J. L. Brown and Mr. A. C. Sparrow. For Mr. Brown 2, for Mr. C. Sparrow 3. Mr. Sparrow was declared elected.

A by-law appointing Mr. Sparrow was accordingly introduced and passed a first and second time.

The Council then proceeded to ballot for the appointment of a Chief Constable.

The ballot resulted as follows:—Harcop 1, Beaumont 1, Ingram 2, McClellan 1.

The time was extended fifteen minutes.

The second ballot stood—Beaumont 2, McClellan 1, Ingram 2.

The third ballot resulted as follows:—Ingram 4, Beaumont 1.

J. S. Ingram was declared elected.

A by-law appointing J. S. Ingram Chief Constable of Calgary was accordingly introduced and passed through two readings.

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CALGARY, TUESDAY, JAN. 13, 1885.

ANOTHER cold snap. Twenty-two below yesterday morning.

A. FENLAND & Co. have opened a branch store, east side of Elbow, with Jas. Durick as manager.

As will be seen by advertisement, Thos. S. Burns has two sales on hand for Saturday January 17.

The Historical and Scientific Society meet in town hall this (Tuesday) evening and adopt a code of by-laws.

Mr. JOHN IRVINE's many friends all over will be glad to hear that he has been appointed Chief of Police of this town.

The Rev. J. Dyke will continue his special sermons on the book of Jonah next Sabbath evening in the Methodist church. Subject for next Sabbath evening—"Jonah, the disappointed man."

The installation of officers of the Bow River Lodge, A. F. & A. M., took place at Masonic Temple, Monday evening last. The following are the officers elected: G. Murdoch, W. M.; A. Milne, S. W.; J. L. Bowen, J. W.; J. Vatier, Treasurer; J. Turnbull, Secretary; T. Dunn, S. D.; A. Henderson, J. D.; G. L. Fraser, S. S.; J. Ingram, J. S.; H. E. Smith, I. G. J.; R. Mitchell, Tyler; Deputy N. J. Lindsay, I. P. M.

The Masonic Temple.

A representative of the NOR'-WESTER yesterday afternoon met Dr. Lindsay and having remarked that he would like to take a run over the new Masonic Temple, the doctor at once extended an invitation. The party accordingly pointed in the direction of the new edifice, which is situated a few feet east of Parish's produce emporium, Stephen Avenue, east. At the invitation of Dr. Lindsay our representative entered the building, and avouched by a spacious staircase to the lodge room. The room 23x30. It is a cozy room with skylight, down which we suspect the grand old Master will come. The stands are all complete, and although the walls are not yet complete the room is comfortable. Adjacent are the necessary ante rooms. The spacious room on the ground floor is suitable to a public hall, and we trust that the enterprise of our citizens will be commensurate with the occasion. The building is a frame structure, 24x40, two story. It has been erected by Messrs Jarret and Cushing, at a cost of \$1500. The workmanship reflects credit on the builders, and the temple besides being a credit to the ancient craft of this town is one of the many buildings which have been erected during the past summer, and it is an ornament to the place. Dr. Lindsay who is away up in the mysteries of free-masonry, associated with Mayor Murdoch, are entitled to a great deal of credit for this enterprise.

THE CARNIVAL.

"I Came to Visit Thee in Masquerade."

Fraser's rink last Thursday evening was the occasion of the season. It was the first carnival, and there were there

"Some in rags; some in bags."

The NOR'-WESTER staff returns their sincere thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Fraser for especial courtesies. The ice was in excellent condition, and the weather not too cold. There was a large attendance of masqueraders and skaters—the young element appeared to go in with a zest well worthy the occasion.

Miss Thomson, as 'Morning' was radiant as the glorious King 'Day' himself; if it is just to make a masculine companion; and there was no doubt many who didn't go home till morning, anyway. The 'beautiful' was represented in a becoming manner by Miss Wilson, while the renous of the St. George's Snow Shoe Club was perpetuated by Miss Douglas.

"The janty cloak and dagger,
And the jewel-handled dagger,
And the lace across the shoulder,
By a ribbon—blue or that."

was represented by Miss Douglas, as the 'Troubadour.' Miss Harder y was not only 'Queen o' Hearts,' but it is feared she was a little despot, of hearts, as many young gallants were seen basking in her sunshine. Miss Lewis reigned supreme as 'Venus,' the goddess of night, and Miss Lee as

which is now the evening star, shown with graceful radiance. Miss E. Ellis, as 'Gipsy Maid' had the heart of many a youth on fire, and Miss H. English, we hope, lingered at the gate and said 'Good Night,' for that she was. Though the 'Snow Storm,' introduced by Miss Smart, threatened. Little Red Riding Hood, Miss L. McNeil, and the Old and the Ancient Lady, the Misses Goun with destruction, happily the 'Godless' of Night reigned supreme, and the snow storm did not appear to disturb the equanimity of Mr. J. L. Bowen as a gentleman of the 16th century, for in his Continental suit he appeared to know nothing of blizzard or chinook. Mr. W. Bowen did justice to the memory of 'Fra Diavolo,' and Mr. Andrews, "On whom the Queen and noble maidens

Dated on their serendipities."

showed to some advantage. Mr. Ferland was after game, and Mr. Rankin had a little too much helmet, together with a good deal of the summer tourist for Alpine scenery. Mr. Rutledge, as a road agent, was a terror of a buccaneer, while Rip Van Winkle was rather smart, especially after a twenty year's snooze. Mr. M. P. Thomson, as a highlander, took good care not to be mistaken for a lowlander, while there was nothing about Mr. C. Davison to put him down as a woman, especially an Irish washerwoman, except his dress. Mr. J. Douglas White, as a vet-ran member of the East Lothare Yeomanry was resplendent in his scarlet uniform and well-earned silver medal. Mr. J. R. Kevin was a St. George's Snow Shoe Club on his own hook, a d that veritable of all brigands, the Italian, was fiercely presented by Mr. D. Clark. Mr. W. Patton was a nimble clown, and Mr. T.

Fraser as a jockey was in proper harness. Mr. Sisson as an Irish gentleman appeared at 'Oney O!' He was quite a contrast to Mr. J. Allan, who, as a cow-boy, could round the whole crowd up. There was a good deal of the Indian about Mr. Hanes, especially the chief, and Mr. G. Player, as a sinner, was something of a Mimmo hat; but Mr. H. McLeod said 'Good Night' in a very cautious manner, and the 'lost cause,' found a representative in Mr. J. Spencer Douglas. The spokesman of the east was represented by Mr. Hardisty. John Bull found a representative in Mr. Hudson, and a Negro Swall was enjoying himself in the person of Mr. Gouin. The Clown was again presented by Mr. Robinson. Mr. T. B. Warner represented the mysterious letters K.P.P., and the unfortunate tramp found a stout defender in Mr. McNeil. Cow-boy No. 2, had a representative in Mr. Browning. A policeman found sympathy with Mr. Toy. Mr. Wilson was a dupe of the first water, and Clown No. 3 found a friend in Mr. Hickie. Master Percy Hardisty was a member of the Northwest Mounted Police in good standing. Mr. B. Gould was a little darky; Mr. J. McNeil a neasant and F. McNeil a show black. Mr. Millward was a man in a Nun. Altogether the troupe ensemble was well put up and creditably maintained.

NEWS DIAL.

Further shocks of earthquake have been felt at Grand Rapids, Ustaga, Nergo and Algerrobo. The panic at least accounts continues unabated. A royal decree has been issued ordering a mutual subscription for the relief of the sufferers.

Another dynamite scare has taken place in London. It occurred on the underground railway between Grover street and King's Cross station, January 2nd, in the evening. The shock overthrew several wayfarers on the Euston Road, but no one was severely hurt.

Dr. Adam Clark, Mr. Gladstone's physician, has ordered him to desist from work of any description.

The fires of insurrection are smouldering in Constantinople.

The committee of the Privy Council to whom the Manitoba question has been referred consists of Sir David Macpherson, Sir Leonard Tilley, Sir Alex. Campbell, Hon. J. H. Pope and Hon. A. P. Caron. It is understood that as soon as all the members of the Government arrive in Ottawa on a full meeting of the Council is had, the whole matter will be dealt with and probably decided finally. Hon. Messrs. Norquay and Murray are awaiting the final decision, which it is expected will be given on an early date.

An Orange outbreak took place at Bay Roberts, St. John, N.F., January 4th. The New York redemptionist fathers who were holding a mission at that place were besieged and imprisoned in their dwellings. Some of them are reported to be dead.

The United States Consuls at St. John have demanded from Governor Glover protection for the lives and property of United States citizens. The British Consul General has been ordered to Bay Roberts, and a large body of police have been despatched there.

General Grant is physically prostrated.

Mobs have been running things on the Baltimore and Ohio Railway.

Col. Richardson of Regina is assisting the Government in the preparation of legislation for the northwest which will be enacted at the approaching session of parliament.

Advices dated 30th December state that Gen. Gordon was then safe.

Princess Beatrice has been betrothed to Prince Henry of Battenberg.

Greenwich Observatory began the new system of universal time at midnight, January 1.

Alex. Manning (Conservative) has been elected mayor of Toronto.

LONDON, Jan. 4.—Col. Majendie has concluded that the agent used in the explosion was a percussion bomb similar to that used in the murder of Czar Alexander II., and that it was thrown from a train going westward. It is supposed that the explosive substance was contained in a ball of glass. The debris at the place of the explosion is being sifted, with a view to finding pieces of the bomb.

General Wolseley is making satisfactory progress in the Soudan.

Earl Granville declines to give his consent to the proposal to hold a formal conference on the Egyptian question at Paris. He proposes instead that an informal meeting be held at the British Embassy at Paris, to be presided over by Lord Lyons, the British Ambassador, at which the other foreign Ambassadors accredited to France shall have the privilege of taking part in the discussion but no of voting.

Wm. Preston, a solicitor offers a brand new theory regarding the explosion.

Preston, it seems, was engaged in the defence of Dr. Gallagher, and he says that the dynamiters unjustly suspect him of having given information to the Government. He admits that he conferred with the prosecuting counsel, but he aims that all he did was done in the interest of his client, and he indignantly denies the charge that he received a reward from the Government. He believes that the agent on Euston Road was the objective point of the dynamiter's attack. He says he was standing at his window last evening when he heard a sound like a cannon. Several seconds afterwards he heard a terrific report, and his house was convulsed by a shock. Another second after he heard and felt a greater crash, which caused him to fall to the floor. He is still in a great funk, but it is noticeable that he is the only one of the many witnesses of the affair who heard more than one explosion. The latest report concerning the outrage is that a reward of £20,000 is to be offered for the arrest of the perpetrators by the combined action of the home office and the public.

The Pall Mall Gazette heads the subscription with £1,000, and says editorially: "They

sum proposed is more than they are worth,

but it is cheap insurance against further outrage."

Dated at Calgary, N.W.T., this:

Thirteenth day of October, 1884.

AUCTION SALE

HORSES, ETC.

Saturday, January 17th, at 10.30.

(See handbills)

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Auctioneer.

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DONALD FRASER,

Trustee.

Per H. BEEKENHORN,

A Solicitor.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

IN THE GOODS OF SIGNOR VINCENZO GUALTIERI, Decedent.

ALL persons having claims against the above executors are hereby required to furnish the same to the undersigned administrator, and all parties indebted to the said estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness on or before the 31st day of January next.

THOMAS DOWLING.

Administrator.

Dated at Calgary, N.W.T., this:

Thirteenth day of October, 1884.

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