

COUNTY COUNCIL.

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re getting the colors which will be secured from England.

The warden appointed Couns. Saunders, Cronkhite and Henderson such a committee. \$600 was ordered assessed for the Parish of Woodstock for poor purposes.

It was ordered that John Barpee be refunded 60c and Robert Gillies \$2.12, Parish Woodstock, over assessment, that John Currie, Richmond, and Carlton Turner, Simonds, be refunded \$1.00 dog tax. Lawrence Holloran, Kent, was given relief in \$1.70 over assessment. C. Atwater of Peel was ordered paid \$1.25 over assessment.

On motion of Coun. Forrest \$150 was ordered assessed on Upper Woodstock district, \$75 for road \$75 for sidewalk. \$200 was ordered assessed on Northampton for poor purposes.

On motion of Coun. Gibson \$10.00 was ordered paid to John D. Baird for his services as commissioner and charged to said parish. M. Shaw, Wakefield, was over assessed according to Coun. Shaw on \$500, but owing to the informality of the application, it was allowed to drop.

Coun. Cronkhite moved this resolution:—

Whereas a resolution was passed at a special meeting of the council in the month of August last, to build a gaol in the town of Woodstock, and whereas contracts were entered into and expenses were incurred in connection with the said contracts and whereas an application was made to the Supreme Court and a decision granted by said court that the proceedings were illegal, and an injunction granted by said court, and which if continued on would place a heavy burden on the rate-payers of this county; therefore, resolved that we rescind the said resolution passed at said special meeting to build a gaol in the said town, and that we pay all just dues and reasonable expenses which have been incurred in connection with the said gaol contract and also that this council carry out the recommendation of the grand jury as was presented at the June meeting of this council to repair the present gaol.

Coun. Caldwell seconded the motion. Coun. Saunders thought the motion out of order as moved by one of the minority when the vote in August was taken.

Coun. Cronkhite thought it was all right to move to rescind though not to reconsider.

Secreas. Jones thought the motion was in order.

Coun. Saunders then moved that the matter be postponed to the June session, especially in view of the absence of two important councillors.

Coun. Gillmour seconded the amendment. Coun. Saunders objected to the original motion on the ground that it ordered the payment of money against the injunction order.

After further consideration the resolution was ruled out of order.

Coun. Cronkhite then moved the same resolution with the clauses objected to, as out of order, eliminated.

Coun. Saunders still claimed that the resolution was out of order.

Coun. Cronkhite then withdrew his motion.

The secreas gave a statement concerning the financial condition of the county. It showed that there was a debit balance against the county on Jan. 1st of \$8 278. There had been some amounts received since. It was decided in view of the financial condition of the county, not to go to the expense of taking a valuation this year.

Coun. Saunders dealing with the charges made by Dr. Atkinson against Mr. Colpitts, said the former was cited to be here, and was not here. Mr. Colpitts was here with his witnesses and would like to have the matter heard. He moved that the charges be dismissed and Mr. Colpitts exonerated.

Coun. Shaw seconded the motion.

Coun. Cheney said that Dr. Atkinson was here today and wanted the matter postponed till June when he could get his witnesses. He also wanted Mr. White present.

The warden said he had received no notification from Dr. Atkinson.

Coun. Saunders' resolution was carried unanimously.

Coun. Connolly moved, seconded by Coun. Richardson that Mr. Colpitts' salary be \$400.

Coun. Gibson moved, seconded by Coun. Colter that the salary be \$300.

Coun. Connolly thought that \$400 salary was little enough.

Coun. Gillmour said that the better showing this year was the result of doing away with the Scott Act Committee.

Coun. Phillips opposed Mr. Colpitts last year, but this year he would vote for the \$400 motion.

Coun. Forrest wanted to know just what there was in this office for Mr. Colpitts, out side of salary.

Mr. Colpitts being heard said that what he got outside his salary paid extra expenses outside the keeping of his horse. That was about all he could say. He might say the greatest difficulty he had now, was with the fine stores. The shops were now built right across the line. In his opinion there was not an increase in the sale of liquor. There was a reduction in expenses connected with legal advice.

The amendment was lost and the original motion carried by a large majority.

These committees were appointed, Finance—Saunders, Henderson, Gibson, Building Committee—Henderson, White, Bell.

Coun. Saunders presented a petition from John S. Leighton, registrar, praying that plans of the different parishes with the lots originally granted, and the names of the grantees be supplied for the registry office. It was endorsed by the barristers of the town of Woodstock and the following appointed a committee to carry out the prayer:—Couns. Saunders, Henderson, Gallagher.

Coun. Connolly again raised the gaol question by this resolution: "That this council rescind the motion passed at a special meeting to build a new gaol in Woodstock, also that they carry out the recommendation at the June meeting, to repair the present gaol."

Coun. Cheney seconded the motion.

Coun. Saunders claimed that the motion was out of order, as a member who voted in the minority could not move to rescind.

A long discussion ensued over the question whether to rescind a motion meant that it

must be reconsidered.

In the meanwhile the following were named the Board of Health: Dr. Ross, Simonds, J. R. Kirkpatrick, Debec.

The warden while admitting that the point regarding the rescinding was a nice one, after consultation decided to admit the resolution.

A point raised by Coun. Saunders that the motion contained two separate matters was sustained and the motion ruled out of order.

Coun. Connolly then moved seconded by Coun. Cronkhite that we rescind the motion passed at the special session in August to build a gaol in the town of Woodstock.

Coun. Saunders moved seconded by Coun. Tompkins in amendment that this matter be on the table till June next. This was a very serious matter. An injunction had been placed on and certain important things had come out of it. It was necessary to know our rights as to where we can build a gaol should this one burn and this could only be known after the decision of the court. We should have some consideration for the chair man of the building committee who was so suddenly called away. In fairness to the absent councillors, this matter should be postponed.

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A Pathetic Affair.

A letter received by Mr. Henry Chestnut dated at Dawson City, Nov. 19, states that Geo. E. Lawrence, who, with his father, W. Harvey Lawrence, and his brother, Beverly, and two or three other York county men, went to the Klondike last April, died at the party's camp, of inflammation, during the second week of November. No letters have been received from any member of the Lawrence party since, and Mr. Chestnut in his letter states that up to the time of his writing none of them had received a letter from home, although many have been sent from here. Geo. Lawrence was a particularly rugged young man of about thirty years. He weighed over 220 pounds. His wife was in declining health when he left for the Yukon, and died only last week without knowledge of her husband's death.—Globe.

SPOILED MATERIALS.

A Well Known Druggist Gives His Experience.

A successful and well known Canadian druggist said recently: "I know from experience what it means to sell dyes that have no standing or established reputation. Over a year ago, I put in a small stock of—Dyes. I had been asked by three or four persons for these dyes which they saw advertised, and I was under the impression that the demand would increase. In a year's time I sold probably from twenty to twenty five packets, and had so many complaints from disappointed women who had spoiled good materials and garments with these new dyes that I banished every one of them to my back storehouse, where they now are. I find the Diamond Dyes give perfect satisfaction to all my customers, and will sell no other make while I am in business. What a tale could be told by women about spoiled goods from using cheap and trashy dyes!"

This statement from an old established druggist has its notes of warning. His long and extended experience is in favor of the Diamond Dyes. There are too, hundreds of other druggists and dealers and tens of thousands of women who could give clear and convincing testimony that Diamond Dyes are far ahead of all other dyes in purity, strength, fastness of color, brilliancy and beauty.

As long as there are imitation and adulterated dyes sold, it is well that all should insist upon getting the "Diamond" when buying dyes for home dyeing. See that the name is on each packet.

No Profanity.

Americans boast a little over what they have. There is one country in the world that has a good right to rejoice over what it has not.

Japan is destitute of one particular form of evil. Its authorities never have to put down profane swearing. There is, says the Evangelist, no oath in the Japanese language, no word that is equivalent to an oath. Not only is there no native word in which profanity may take refuge, but there is no imported word.

During the past ten years foreigners have added thousands of new words to the language, but not one profane word has been incorporated. In this respect Japan is believed to stand alone among the nations.—Ex.

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Wm. Hubbell, of Havelock, Ontario, was shot and instantly killed at Dauphin, Man., by a young man named Harry Cole, of Ottawa, on Sunday night. The men were engaged in getting out logs in Wm. Sifton's camp near Garland Station. It appeared that Cole, together with Hubbell, and several other men were in camp when Cole took down the gun, which was hanging on the wall and pointed it at Hubbell, it is supposed in fun. The gun, which was loaded with shot, was discharged, the whole charge entering Hubbell's body and passing through the heart, killing him instantly. Cole is now in custody here awaiting the arrival of a constable from Portage La Prairie. Hubbell was about 30 years of age; and has a wife at Havelock. Cole is only 19 years of age, and unmarried.

Cancer Institute in Maine.

The Morrill Cancer Institute, the only institute of the kind in the State, has been established at Caribou, Maine, with every prospect of success, as Mr. B. C. Morrill, at the head of the Institute, is believed, by Caribou people who know of his work, to be the best and most successful cancer specialist in the United States, and, judging from the affidavits in a pamphlet just issued by the Institute, he has certainly performed some very remarkable cures.

Mr. Morrill who was a member of the First Maine Cavalry during the civil war, had considerable experience in hospital work, after having been severely wounded and rendered unfit for duty, and there he obtained a wide knowledge of sores and wounds and their treatment. He has been working on cancers for the past 23 years and claims to have a perfect cure.

Physicians and surgeons, and the people generally, believe cancers to be incurable, and it Mr. Morrill has perfected a cure for this horrible growth he will indeed be a public benefactor.

We advise those suffering from cancer to write to the Morrill Cancer Institute, Caribou, Me., and obtain a pamphlet.

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Tom Sharkey, the American sailor, who first saw the light of day in Dundalk, Ireland now stands the only heavyweight possibility for championship honors as against Bob Fitzsimmons. At the Lenox Athletic Club Tuesday night he whipped Kid McCoy good and hard in the tenth round of what was to have been a twenty round battle for heavyweight honors.

A Quebecer's Confidence in Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure—Gives Relief at once.

He says Danville, P. Q., April 9th, 1898. EDMANSON, BATES & CO., Toronto. Dear Sirs,—Enclosed find \$1 for 1 dozen boxes Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure. Please send them at once. Every patient using it says "It is an excellent cure, gives relief at once." JAS. MASSON, Gen'l Merchant, Danville P. Q.

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