## THE DISPATCH.

### COUNTY COUNCIL.

TUESDAY, Jan. 10.

The County Council of Carleton met in January session this morning. There was a full attendance of members saving the absence owing to accident of Coun. C. E Gallagher of Bath. The first question was over the election of a warden, the sec.-treas. rather inclining to the opinion that after the passage of the act of last session, the same warden should serve during the entire life of the council, which is two years. In order to set the matter quite at rest, on motion Coun. Flemming was re-elected warden. The minutes of the special meeting held last August were adopted.

Coun. White moved that a special committee be appointed to examine and report on the Scott Act Inspector's accounts leaving other accounts to be examined by the whole board. Coun. Mooers seconded the resolution which was carried. The warden named the following committee :-- Couns. White, Henderson, Saunders, Mooers, Caldwell.

Mr. R. K. Jones was re-elected county sec-treas, for the coming year, Saml. Watts, auditor.

Coun. Caldwell moved that Mr. Watts, Mr. Holyoke and Mr. Ketchum the official reporters of the town of Woodstock, be paid an equal sum for the publication of the report. Coun. Gallagher seconded the resolution.

Coun. White moved that the editor of the Hartland Advertiser be included in the list of papers.

Coun. Saunders seconded this motion.

Cour. Gallagher said he would vote for including the editor of the Advertiser, and Coun. Caldwell said that he would not press his motion. The result was that the reporters of the four papers be paid the same salary as last year.

Saml. Watts, auditor, submitted the audi tor's report. It showed by way of recapitula tion:-

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Coun. White said he was about to make motion going on the principle that there was no change of opinion at this board since last year. This is an age of reform. We come here to legislate, to deal with the finances of this wealthy County of Carleton. He did not see isdom of legislature in sending 25 men here to do the work of this county. Some firms collect and disburse twice as much and yet the work is done by one or two men. He feared we did not conduct business here, as we conduct our private business. He moved that the sec treas prepare a bill to go before the legislature praying that the law relating to municipalities, sec. 6, c. 24, 61 Vic. be amended by striking out the word "two" and inserting the word "one" so far as relates to the County of Carleton and that sec. 5, c. 48, 51 Vic. be amended by striking out the word "three" and inserting "one." If this was done the Jones, gaoler \$357.30, paid. Albion Foster, council would be reduced to twelve, one member from each parish, and one from the town of Woodstock.

#### two councillors could better serve a parish than one. Coun. Cronkhite did not think the proposed reform would best serve the interest

of the county. He believed that with a smaller council there would be reduced majorities, a had thing, and his constituents were against having only one representative. He thought we ought to get through business on ordinary sessions in two days. The late Mr. Home had written him that in the gaol question, the majority was too small.

Coun. Gilmore doubted if Mr. Home ever said what Mr. Cronkhite attributed to him. Mr. Home had always favored the new gaol. As for this question there was a petition through Glassville stating that the new gaol

was going to cost \$100,000, the town was going to separate from the county, and the annual taxation on the county would be \$1500.

Coun. Phillips claimed that the parishes looked for two representatives, to represent the different sections.

Coun. Mooers did not expect to ever sit here again, but he was satisfied his parish would be as well represented by one as by two councillors, and the same of the county in the provincial parliament. He would vote for the resolution. Last year he did not receive a seconder. It was gaining ground. Most of us who voted for the gaol must stay home.

Coun. Caldwell was against this resolution. In many cases the two councillors disagreed, and it was by endorsing one of them that the view of the parish was ascertained. Moreover a councillor's duty was not all done at this session, but lasted through the year. In a large parish there was too much work for one.

Coun. Saunders favored the motion. He was sure the town of Woodstock would agree with him. One representative would do the work better than two.

Coun. Tompking while thinking the resolution right in principle did not think the parishes would approve of it. They liked to be well represented.

Coun. Cronkhite said in his parish he looked particularly after the interests in the west this year \$2647, paid out in expenses \$1675. and Coun. Caldwell in the east.

to vote for the new gaol. Ten years hence In the early part of the year I got from the would be a most popular vore. leaving the sum of \$500 net that I have paid Coul. Connolly thought it would be good deal of labor for one councillor to do all the work.

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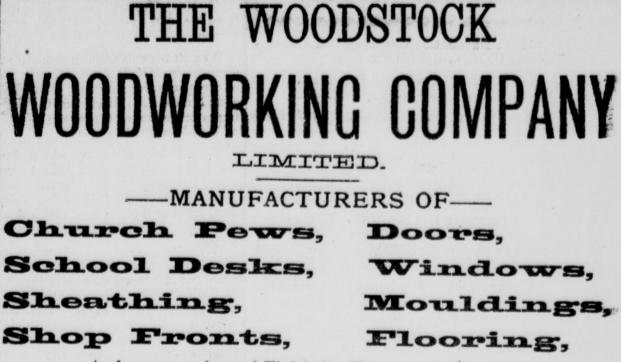
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Rev. B. B. Colpitts, Scott Act Inspector, submitted his report. Since last January I have bad 119 prosecutions, 92 convictions, and 27 dismissals. I have received during 05. I have retained my salary \$350, I have Coun. Mooers said it was uppopular now paid into the hands of the sec treas. \$529.16. sec-treas to pay certain expenses \$29.16



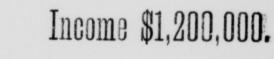
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of councillors there was wisdom. He thought J. W. Biggat \$2.00. Alfred Corey \$3.30.

Coun. Forrest said that experience had shown that our 25 councillors had done well. He would let well alone.

After the noon adjournment the council went into committee of the whole on the county accounts, Coun Kearney in the chair. Dibblee Green's account \$4.05 was handed back for further explanation. Rev. James Whiteside, \$11.25, witness fees, ordered paid. Dr. Rankin medical attendance \$16.00 ordered paid. Jos. A. Nixon \$1.50 paid. L. D. Stevens \$1 50 paid. Press Pub. Co. \$29.35 paid. S. B. Appleby \$34.60, paid. Samuel

Coun. Henderson thought in the multitude \$6.60, paid. Dr. E A. Welch \$20 50, paid.

deputy sheriff \$340 40, paid. Mrs. Frank Smith \$5.00 witness fees and travelling expenses, paid. Webster Ross asst. dep. sheriff Coun. Gilmore seconded this motion. He etc. \$4.50, paid. Johnston McAlpine conthought it was a reform in the right direction, stable \$5.00, paid. Thos. McCarron constable and that business could be done better and \$18 00, paid. DISPATCH \$18.00, paid. R. quicker with half the number of councillors. K Jones \$16 00, paid. J. W. Woolverton

to the sec treas for the use of the municipality. I have paid all charges and expenses with the exception of a small bill that the gaoler may have for the board of Mrs. Shepard who was confined in gaol a few weeks for non-payment

of fines. I now have in my hands \$121 95 I hereby hand in my accounts made up in detail in two parts one being from Jan. 1898 to June 1898, and number from June 1898 to Jan. 1899.

Mr. Colpitts said there would even have been a better showing had not the town interfered.

Coun. Saunders-Were you asked to act for the town?

Mr. Colpitts-I was, but being engaged by this body, did not consider the application. Coun. Saunders read a petition from Dr. J G. Atkinson of Bristol, in which he charged that Mr. Colpitts employed disreputable per sons with promises of a certain sum of money, to go about and tempt people to sell liquor in order that convictions might be secured coutrary to good morals, scripture and common law, that said disreputable characters thus secured convictions against certain medical men; that said Colpitts did prosecute this business for his own particular benefit, and prayed that the council would investigate the above charges.

Coun. Saunders moved that the petition be received and filed and the charges investigated.

Coun. Caldwell thought the matter should be ventilated in full council.

Mr. Colpitts asked permission to express a similar view.

Coun. White thought the matter had better be heard in special committee.

Coun. Saunders favored the case coming before the open council.

Mr. Colpitts on being heard, said that he was prepared to meet Dr. Atkinson face to face, only asking a little time to get one or two witnesses, which he could do by tomorrow afternoon. He had nothing to fear from the public, and was ready to leave the matter in the council's hands. These charges are false.

The motion of Coun. Saunders, seconded by Cronkhite, that the investigation be the order of the day at one o'clock tomorrow, and that the petitioner be notified to be present, wa carried.

The debate on Coun. White's motion to reduce the number of the council was re sumed.

Coun. Kearney was against the resolution. One councillor would be cock of the walk and would have too much power. In the parish of Simonds it would be one end against the other. "Why, I was sent down for the express purpose of watching Coun. Mooers." (Laughter.)

### WENDELL P. JONES, Special Agent.

end, that end would get all the road money. Coun. White, closing the debate, pointed out that in the city of St. John with an annual taxation of \$100,000, fifteen gentlemen did the work and managed the finances. It would be found that all the town councillors would vote for this measure. The finances of this county were much less than the town, yet the town did the work with six men. Ontario was divided into ridings represented by one member, and there was no complaint. No argument had been brought forward to show that a parish would be less well represented by one than by two members. One speaker says the principle is right. If so, why not adopt the right principle. It is said we will only save a little money. It is the little sums that make "the big amounts. It was said if we adopt this reform, those who come will increase their pay. There was nothing to support this. One man could appoint parish officers as well as two. One councillor said this motion would not meet with the approval of the people. He believed that any motion which saved money to the people would be popular with the people. He denied the charge that this was time wasted, and believed this motion would be adopted not only in this but in other counties.

Those in favour of the motion were Couns. White, Mooers, Gilmore, Saunders.

All the other councillors voted nay. Coun. Connolly, on behalf of a committee to enquire into the claims of Samuel L., and Stanley Shaw to lands in the parish of Brighton, they having applied for a good title, in view of some claim the county might have, assert that they think that the said Stanley Shaw now has a good title, he having cleared and occupied the land for 22 years. In Samuel L. Shaw's case they think that if this council will allow him to occupy this land for six more years he will have a good title. In recommends that the necessary legislation be passed.

The report was adopted.

Coun. Mooers moved sec'd by Coun. Forrest, that it is advisable to have a county valuation taken and made according to law.

Coun. Mooers said that it was provided that a valuation should be taken every ten years. There are many changes in the county. Some sections are getting richer and some poorer, and these changes should be provided for. A thousand dollars would cover the cost in connection with the valuation.

Coun. Kearney thought every man in Simonds would be in favor of this scheme. Every man in this parish was valuated higher G. W. PARKER, Gen. Agent.

## Notice of Sale.

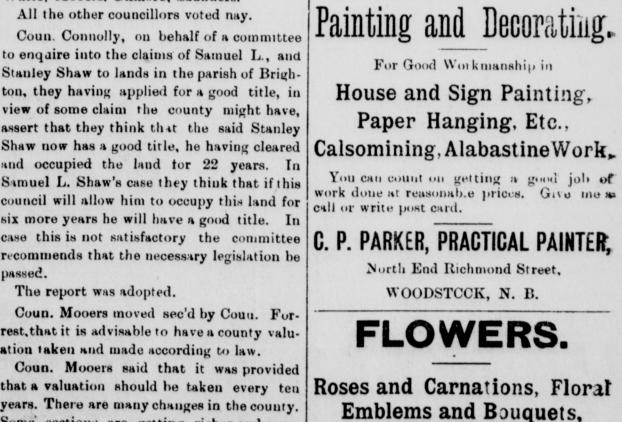
To Alonzo Cronkhite of the parish of Wicklow, inthe County of Carleton and Province of New Brunswick, Farmer, and Mary J., his wife, and all others woom it may in anywise concern.

TOTICE is hereby given that under and by virtue-N OTIPE is hereby given that under and by virtue-of a Power of sale contained in a certain In-denture of Mortgage, bearing date the fifteenth-day of June in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty Two, and recorded in-the Carleton County Records in Book Z, Number 2, on pages 132, 133 and 134, and made between the said Alonzo Cronkhite and Mary J., his wife, of the one part: and George Leonard Cronkbite of the said Alonzo Cronkhite and Mary J., his wife, of the one part; and George Leonard Cronkhite, of the same place, of the other part; there will, for the purpose of satisfying the money secured thereby, default having been made in the payment thereof, be sold at Public Auction in front of the Law Offices of Hartley & Carvell in the Town of Woodstock in the County of Carleton and Province of New Brun-swick, on Monday, the twenty-third day of January next, at the hour of eleven of the clock in the fore-noon, the lands and premises described in the said Indenture of Mortgage as follows:--

Indenture of Mortgage as follows;-"All that farm of land situate and being in the above said Parish of Wicklow, and bounded as for lows, to wit:-Beginning at the North Easterly angle of Lot Number Sixteen in the fifth tier, granted to Samuel H. Cronkhite; thence running by the magnet of the year 1832 West, sixty-seven-chain along the Northern line of said grant to the Northwesterly angle thereof; thence North fifteen-chain; thence East sixty-seven chains, and thence-South fifteen chains to the place of borinning com-South fifteen chains to the place of beginning, con-taining one hundred acres more or less, distinguished as the Southern two-thirds of lot number fiftcen-in the fifth tier; and being the same land granted by the Crown to the aforesaid George Leonard Cronkhite, Esq., by grant dated the 3rd day of April A. D. 1860, and registered in Fredericton the fourth day of said month under number 9538, and by the said Geo. L. Cronkhite and wife, conveyed to the first said Alonzo Cronkhite at the date of hese presents

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