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Town Council Votes \$200.00 to the Exhibition.

At the regular monthly meeting of the town council on Monday evening the Mayor and all the Councilors were present except Coun. Dibblee.

The Mayor read a communication from Mrs. A. D. Hanson, informing the council that her property had been injured by the hauling away of earth by the order of the council. She requested that the damage be made good.

Coun. Lindsay said he had looked into the matter. No earth had been removed for two years and no damage had been done any way. On motion it was decided that the council call and look at the place and see what would be the proper thing to do.

The cow nuisance came in for comment. The west end of Connell street and Queen Street south had been used as pasture grounds and the thing should be stopped. Attention was directed to a bye law imposing a fine of \$1.00 for each and every offense of allowing cows to roam on the streets. Ernest McElroy was appointed a pound keeper to look after Connell street.

The mayor spoke of the matter of throwing paper on the streets, an offense most often committed by persons coming out of the post office. C. L. Smith, the post master, had kindly offered to place a suitable basket in the vestibule of the Dominion Building as a receptacle for all such waste paper.

C. H. L. Perkins, C. L. Smith and R. E. Holyoke were present representing the management of the Carleton County Exhibition. Mr. Perkins was heard and said that delegation had been requested, to approach the council to see if that body would give them a grant.

Mr. Smith said that the interests of the town and county were indissolubly bound up together and they should work together harmoniously. There had been bickering in the past that should not have been but he thought that such should not happen again. There was some feeling in the agricultural society that the town had promoted a big celebration in August, utterly regardless of any evil effect it might have on the exhibition and some members of the society thought the celebration had taken the wind out of the sails of the exhibition and that the thing should be dropped. However, the exhibition would be pushed forward vigorously this year at least. The city of Fredericton had given their exhibition the sum of \$2000.00 for building. Amherst had given \$12,000 for building for the Maritime Winter Stock Show. St. John had always contributed liberally to their exhibitions and he thought it was up to Woodstock. There was an acre of land between the exhibition grounds and the park which the society needed very much and they would appreciate it if the town would make them a grant of \$200.00 as a part of the purchase money. In previous years, under a precarious tenure they had put up temporary sheds and taken them down after the exhibition. If the town would make this grant the society would at once proceed to put up a permanent cattle building 104 feet long and two stalls wide, and next year they would probably put up another such building. With any kind of reasonable encouragement from the town the exhibition could be made an annual affair.

Mayor Belyea said the council had no funds for this purpose but it did seem that something should be done. There were some people in town who would kick at giving a cent to this object, but he thought the society should have the money.

Coun. R. B. Jones said it was unfortunate that there was no provision made for such a grant. He did not think, by law, the council had the right to give this money. He recognized the great advantage of having these exhibitions and wanted to do what he could for the agricultural society. He would like to have the matter laid over till the Friday night meeting till the council could look into ways and means of providing this grant.

Coun. Balsain said the agricultural society was pressed for time, it was important that this delegation should know tonight what to expect. There was no question as to the poverty of the town, as there had been very many unforeseen expenses this year. The theory that the council had no power to make the grant was a tiresome one. The council represented the people and he believed the great majority of the citizens of Woodstock wanted to assist the agricultural society in making the exhibition a success. He took the responsibility of moving that the sum of \$200 00 be granted the agricultural society for exhibition purposes.

Coun. R. B. Jones said he fully favoured the idea of town giving this exhibition its support, and he was fully prepared to accept his share of the responsibility. He seconded the motion.

Mayor Belyea hesitated to put the motion,

as he thought it irregular. Coun. Lindsay thought his worship had no option in the matter and should put the motion.

The motion was put to the board and carried.

Death of Wentworth Winslow.

Wentworth Winslow, of Upper Woodstock, died at the residence of his brother, T. B. Winslow at Fredericton on Friday afternoon in the 67th year of his age. Mr. Winslow went to Fredericton some weeks ago to submit to an operation for an abscess of the head. The operation, which was performed at the Victoria Hospital, was at first apparently successful, but Mr. Winslow did not improve as his friends had hoped and for the last few days before his death had been rapidly failing.

Mr. Winslow was a son of the late Sheriff J. T. W. Winslow of Carleton County. He spent some part of the early years of his life in New Zealand and Australia but for many years past has resided at Upper Woodstock where he engaged in farming. Three brothers survive, F. E. Winslow, who was for years the manager of the Bank of Montreal at Chatham, but who is at present in England with his family, T. B. Winslow, Deputy Commissioner of Public Works, Fredericton, and E. B. Winslow, K. C., of Fredericton. The late John C. Winslow, postmaster, of this town was also a brother. Mr. Winslow was a gentleman who was most highly esteemed by all who knew him, and those who knew him best liked him most.

The funeral took place from the residence of T. B. Winslow on Sunday afternoon. Interment was made at Forest Hill Cemetery.

Walter C. Everett Married in Worcester, Mass.

The Worcester Daily Telegram of August 12th contains the following account of the marriage of Walter C. Everett, a popular young Woodstock man, son of W. H. Everett.

Walter Charles Everett and Miss Eva Luella Densereau were married last night at 8 o'clock. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Charles W. Delano at his residence on Lowell street. William E. Sanderson of New York and Charles L. Fitch of Worcester, friends of the groom, attended the couple. The bride was charmingly gowned and carried bride roses. The ring service was used.

Mr. Everett has been for two years department manager at the store of Denholm & McKay Co., having charge of the book and stationery department. He came to the Boston store from Jordan, Marsh Co., of Boston. Mrs. Everett is daughter of John E. Densereau and wife, 213 Lincoln street, and is a graduate of classical high school, '96. Since her graduation she has been living at home.

The popularity of the young couple and the good will of their friends was attested by valuable gifts. Among them were a silver chocolate service from Mr. Everett's department in the Boston store, a Morris chair from Denholm & McKay Co., chafing dish from New York friends, cut glass punch bowl from G. B. Hurd Co., of New York, and leather dressing case from C. F. Rump Co., of Philadelphia, Pa.

Mr. Everett and wife left for Boston immediately after the ceremony. They will spend a couple of weeks at Mouse Island, Me., and on their return will live at the Bell, mar, 667 Main street.

A striking temperance lesson has just come from an unexpected quarter. France is the home of many famous and much prized liqueurs and stimulating decoctions. The French Academy of Medicine has advised the government of the Republic to take drastic measures to stamp out the consumption of absinthe, anisette, vermouth and Chartreuse, as well as gin and all classes of "bitters." Alcohol has been the bugbear of all opponents of the drink habit, but the Academy finds more dangerous constituents than alcohol in the compounds named. It charges the various bitters which are the basis of cocktails and many "temperance drinks" so called, with abounding and serious menaces to health; the essential principle of absinthe and vermouth, one or other of which is used in almost every "pick-me-up," with being a poisonous stomachic irritant; anisette, supposedly a mild cordial, for it never goes to the head, with containing an essence which by inhalation can suspend physical animation; while Chartreuse, long prepared by a religious brotherhood and supposedly still compounded according to the original formula, is said to be very poisonous, containing thirteen ingredients that are dangerous to health. Physicians, as we know, are not always right in their conclusions, but the pronouncement of so learned a body as the French Academy of Medicine will carry weight with people whom the frantic orators of the temperance platform couldn't scare in forty years.

The Presque Isle Band and Other Friends of that Town Appreciate the Treatment they Received in Woodstock.

The Presque Isle Independent in the course of an article on the trip of the Presque Isle Band to Woodstock says:—

The Presque Isle band won decided distinction at the Woodstock celebration, last week. Demonstrations of appreciation were seen and heard on every hand and that such genuine manifestations were appreciated on the part of the members as well as by others from this section, who were in attendance, goes without saying. Such royal usage was a source of real inspiration which served as an impetus to the best the boys were capable of doing and afforded them a feeling of genuine satisfaction, and kindest attitude toward the people of the Dominion city. Too much cannot be said in praise of the gracious manner in which our people were treated, especially, and naturally so, the members of the band. As they passed in the line of parade, cheer after cheer arose from the crowds of spectators. To them everything that was worth having seemed to be gratuitously given. The shop keepers seemed to consider it a privilege to refuse to accept pay for fruit, confectionery and other luxuries when a member of the band presented himself as a customer. After all the honors conferred on Wednesday and Thursday, on Friday morning a banquet reception was tendered the boys at the Royal Cafe, by the mayor, aldermen and American consul. At the close of the reception the band wended its way to the station for the return trip amid a throng of people numbering about a thousand who as the train pulled out gave the final resounding applause. Who would not feel well over such treatment? The band had the offer of two engagements—one to play at the St. John Fair in September—the other at Edmundston during the horse trot, this month, both of which they were obliged to refuse on account of previous engagements and other duties. This late experience at Woodstock will serve as a source of constant encouragement and lasting inspiration to greater accomplishments in the future and should our neighbors across the border extend another invitation, they may rest assured the boys will gladly accept, if it lies in their power.

Ives-Johnston.

In the Methodist church at eight o'clock this evening, by the Rev. Mr. Ross assisted by the Rev. Mr. Barrie, Miss Julia Harvey Johnston, of Woodstock, will be united in marriage to the Rev. John Ives of the Lindsay circuit. Miss Johnston is one of the most highly respected ladies in all circles that have the pleasure of her acquaintance. She is a graduate of the New England Conservatory of music, where she distinguished herself, and for some time was at the head of the music teaching staff at the Ladies Academy, in connection with Mount Allison University. For a year or two she has been organist of the Methodist church here.

The young people of the church are giving themselves the pleasure of decorating it in her honour. The choir and the Epworth League, of each of which she was an invaluable member, are giving her handsome presents and other friends too numerous to mention are sending in tangible proofs of their regard. Mr. Ives is one of the coming men in the Methodist Conference.

Hospital Fund.

Mrs A Wilmot Hay, Lower Woodstock, Annual subscription of \$5 per year for 20 years.....\$ 5 00
Robbie Hay, proceeds of children's concert, 2 10
Methodist Sunday School, Lower Woodstock 10 00
Charles F K Dibblee, Woodstock,..... 5 00

The Big Exhibition at Woodstock

The executive committee of the Exhibition announce that there will be three balloon ascensions during the progress of the Exhibition here. They have found a reliable man and have a positive guarantee that he will keep his contract.

A very respectable list of special prizes, not quoted in the printed list, are being offered, among which is one of \$25 00 for the team that pulls the heaviest load without whipping, and a silver cup will be presented to the agricultural society represented by the winning team. The programme will be issued next week.

A retired naval officer took Holy Orders and became rector of a country parish in the Midlands. His parishioners, wishing to give him a surprise, subscribed amongst themselves and bought a flag for the church tower. Directly the old gentleman saw it he flew into a violent rage, and ordered it to be taken down at once. One of his parishioners asked him why he did not like it.

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