

COUNTY COUNCIL.
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Coun Raymond—My object in leaving it to the building committee was we would be under a certain expense unless the ground is leased.

Coun Tompkins—The building committee will still have some power.

Coun McDonald—A man was going to show on this ground last year and paid me \$10.00. He did not show. He then paid me \$5.00 as I asked him. I made up my mind not to lease it to any one. Then the sheriff came to me and said a man with a merry-go-round wanted the lease. I understood the merry-go-round man paid him.

Coun Brown—Did he not get the grass cut and hauled and hand in a bill to you for the work.

Coun McDonald—It is in his bill.

Coun Williams—I am in favor of having it to the building committee.

Amendment lost and original motion carried.

Coun Williams—There seems to be a difference of opinion with regard to the committee appointed last night on Browns bill, I want to know if the councillors from Kent were included in that.

Coun Raymond—I included the councillors from Kent in the resolution.

Coun Tompkins—I inferred he only wanted the councillors to get certain information and then they would retire the same as Dr. Brown.

The clerk read his minutes and, he had not in that the committee included the councillors from Kent. He suggested that the reporter read his notes.

The reporter read the resolution in which the councillors from Kent were included in the committee by the resolution.

Coun Brown moved the reconsideration of the matter.

Coun Gallagher—I do not think that the councillors from Kent wish to figure in the report at all, I won't sign my name to any report.

Coun Williams—Don't I understand you signed your name?

Coun Gallagher—I did not sign my name, I said I would agree to let it go.

Coun Bell (Richmond) I understand there would have been a different report but for the councillors from Kent, I think they would be biased.

Coun Williams—If the councillors from Kent don't consider themselves on the committee, it is not necessary to have another committee appointed.

Coun Brown's motion to reconsider being seconded was carried.

Couns Bradley, Raymond Giberson (Kent) voting nay.

The minutes of the sec-treas as recorded by him was then approved by a vote of the council.

Coun Connolly on behalf of the committee appointed to consider the petition of the Canadian association for the prevention of tuberculosis reported that they had looked over the petition, carefully noted the facts and recommend that if the association asks assistance from the provincial government, the council records itself as favorable to any aid the government might be willing or able to give.

On motion report received and sec-treas instructed to prepare a petition to be sent to the local government.

Following committees were appointed:—

Finance—Couns Williams, Bailey and A G Bell.

Scott Act—Couns Bailey, Carvell and Phillips.

Building—Coun McDonald, Raymond and Smith.

These bills were dealt with.

Owen Kelly.....	\$5.50
Geo W Doherty.....	7.00
Charles Doherty.....	7.00
D W Ross.....	3.00

All ordered paid.

The committee on the Scott Act Inspectors report, reported:

We beg leave to submit the following:—

1st. We find vouchers for amounts on bills correct as far as they go. We find inspector's salary charged \$300, it should be \$400 which would make balance \$208 68 instead of \$308 68. It appears to us that the act is run for revenue for some people but the county does not seem to get its share, A G Bailey, H P Carvell, D Phillips.

Above is the report as finally adopted. The following in it as at first presented were stricken out after explanations from the inspector:—"Some of the vouchers are not signed by parties receiving the money. We find three vouchers of Mr. Woodward signed with a mark, a fourth one with his name written in full. In the case of A. P. Wyman we find one conviction for \$160 and costs charged to the county of \$153.00. This does not include P. M. or attorney fees. This being a conviction we cannot understand why the county should pay the costs for witness fees and service on the same."

Coun Fewer moved seconded by Coun Tompkins that the report be received.

Coun Bailey—I have been several times on this committee and this is the most complicated report we have ever had. It seems almost impossible to find out very much about it. We have one conviction for a second offence which was proved, I would like to know why he did not pay the costs, why the county has to pay the costs. Why did not Wyman pay the costs when he was convicted, and if he did why did the county pay it again. It does not look to me as if the Scott Act was run to stop the sale of liquor. Before the separation of the town from the county, I prepared a statement and there were just 5 cases in the whole county outside the town, now we have far more convictions. There used to be two places between here and the boundary line, now there are four. This year there were 15 cases settled and costs were charged on these 15 cases. If the Inspector will do his duty I will stand by him. In a statement issued by the government containing the statistics on drunkenness we find that it is on the increase in the province of New Brunswick, and it is on the decrease in the province of Quebec. The Scott Act is evidently run for purpose of revenue and not to stop drunkenness.

Coun Raymond—Do we understand that the costs of Wyman case were charged to the

county when he was convicted.

Coun Bailey—It is the only case we can find against him.

Coun Tompkins—Did you not have the inspector before you?

Coun Bailey—The inspector is always heard before the board, and we thought we might as well wait and make one job of it.

Coun Williams—I did not notice how many convictions were made against McMullen at the Boundary line.

Adjourned for recess.

After dinner:

Coun Phillips of Peel). We could not reconcile the receipts with the payments. There was this \$150.00 paid. Mr. Colpitts acknowledged that Mr. Wyman paid the cost. My opinion is that the law should be carried out in its entirety. I have sometimes been called a rummy. There is not a member at the board who is more of a temperance man than I, as I do not know the taste of liquors. If the law was put into full force and the full penalty inflicted I think the sale of liquor could be stopped. In the cases of McMullen the liquor was taken away from him, and the liquor was afterwards returned. I would like to know whether they would be allowed to destroy it or not.

Mr. Hartley—If a conviction is made for keeping for sale, they can destroy the liquor. If the liquor was taken, without the officer having evidence, there might be an action against the county for illegal seizure.

Coun Carvell— I think this should not go by without my giving some reasons why I signed the report. Since I came here I have always supported the Scott Act inspector, the only time I did not was when he asked for an increase of salary last year. I felt he had sufficient salary. I am not satisfied the way the Act is run, while I am in sympathy with the Act I have heard something in connection with its enforcement about which I am not satisfied. 15 papers were served on Mr. Perkins of Centreville and I notice a detective was paid \$85 for his services in connection with the case. For some seven cases at the line, he received \$56. This was paid to one Thompson.

Now when the inspector had his witnesses in the case of Mr. Perkins and 15 papers why did they settle for \$450. There was \$136 went to the detective, \$48 to the police magistrate and \$40 to Mr. Jones, the prosecuting attorney. Mr. Perkins never was in Court, never saw a trial of any kind. They might have had a formal trial in order to make up the costs. I understand it was settled by some outside parties, and that Mr. Perkins never settled with Mr. Colpitts. It looks as if they were not running the Act in the interests of the Act, but in the interests of some persons. We find on the first of December by the report, \$50 charged against Mr. Perkins with \$10 costs. Were any papers served on Mr. Perkins on that case?

Mr. Colpitts—I think not.

(Concluded next week.)

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BORN.

SCHRIEVER.—At Florenceville, Carleton County, January 6th, to the wife of Hiram Schriever, jr., a daughter.

MARRIED.

HAMILTON-HILL.—At the residence of the bride's parents, Ellenstown, Miramichi, by the Rev. Mr. Gates, Charles Hamilton, of Houlton, Me., to Miss Agnes M. Hill, of Ellenstown. [Sentinel please copy.]

DIED.

CRONE.—At Centreville, January 16th, Frances, beloved daughter of Matthew and Jemima Crone departed this life after an illness of two weeks. A sorrowing mother and father and four brothers are left to mourn their loss.

LOOMER.—At Jacksonville, January 5th, Elizabeth Brewer, wife of Edward Loomer, aged 78 years, leaving a husband, one son, three daughters and ten grandchildren.

Attention, Please,
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