

COUNTY COUNCIL.

Continued from last week.

Coun. Connolly—I think that we have a great deal to thank the Inspector for. I move that the original report be received, but that the recommendation that he be not paid the \$50 be not entertained. On this amendment being seconded by Coun. Bradley and put it was lost, the following councillors voting for it and the balance of the council voting against it:—Shaw, Bell, Phillips, Mooers, Raymond, Bradley, Connolly, Tompkins Balmain.

The original motion was then put and carried.

Coun. Kinney—There are some things in the workings of the Scott Act in this county that different councillors do not approve of.

Warden—Are your remarks along the line of some motion that you intend making. If they are not I cannot allow you to go on just now.

Coun. Kinney—I will take my seat then. The Council then proceeded to the ordering of assessment on the different parishes where new roads had been laid out.

The report of the Board of Health was then presented as follows:—

To the Warden and Councillors of the Municipality of Carleton County,

GENTLEMEN,—I beg to submit the annual report of the Local Board of Health District No. Ten for the year 1905.

There have been fewer cases of contagious diseases this year in the district than usual. Diphtheria appeared in Richmond, Wilmet and Brighton but did not spread in either case beyond the families where it was first found. There were also some cases of scarlet fever in Brighton.

A number of nuisances have been looked after which in this district generally means the bodies of animals left unburied.

Appended you will find the financial statement for the year.

Respectfully submitted,
I. B. CURTIS, M. D., Chairman.

The financial statement showed a balance on hand of \$29.25.

The board asked an appropriation of \$160 for the year 1906.

It was moved by Coun. Williams and seconded by Coun. Raymond that the report be received and the recommendations contained in it be carried out.

On motion Heber Kearney was heard regarding the ferry operated by him in the Parish of Kent.

Mr. Kearney—I have been ferryman at Bath for upwards of five years. I hope that something can be done by this council to enable me to make a living. There are so many ferries that there is nothing in it for any of us and unless something is done we must close down altogether.

Coun. Raymond:—What is it you want done?

Mr. Kearney:—There will have to be a change in the number of ferries or in the fees.

Coun. Shaw:—What distance apart are they? Are they within a mile of each other?

Mr. Kearney:—No. Not within a mile of each other; but as the thing stands there will be no ferry at Beechwood and I will have to leave also as I have been offered a chance to work at \$1.50 a day.

Coun. Shaw:—What is it that you want.

Mr. Kearney:—I want to know what this council can do.

Coun. Shaw:—If the Beechwood ferryman leaves you will have a monopoly.

Mr. Kearney:—Yes. But last year he did not work for a long time and yet I got a very small thing out of it.

Secy. Treas.:—The Trouble is that there is a ferry right above Bath and another at Beechwood. Mr. Kearney would probably desire that these ferryman be all directed to comply with the bye-laws and to take away their licences if they do not do so. Mr. Kearney runs his ferry all the year and some of them are only operated in the summer time and are closed down in the winter.

Coun. Raymond:—Can not these ferryman who do not comply with the bye-laws be fined.

Sec. Treas.:—Yes. But it is quite a lot of trouble to the man who undertakes to have the fine imposed. The best way is to make the ferryman comply with the law or take away their licences.

Coun. Raymond:—I think that if there was a real grievance the complainants would be here with a petition.

Mr. Kearney:—If one man can shut down during the hard ferrying another can. If I shut down how will the people cross the river? If the Council can do nothing for me I must shut down. Do you want me to lay up or what do you want me to do?

Coun. Keenan:—Don't you charge double fees when the ferrying is difficult?

Mr. Kearney:—Yes. But during that season there is not so much traffic.

It was moved by Coun. Bell and seconded

by Coun. Keenan that the matter be dealt with when a petition shall be presented by the people interested.

Coun. Kinney:—The petition should set forth that all the ferryman shall run their ferries according to the law or lose their licences. We cannot tell from Mr. Kearney's statement whether there is a grievance or if there is what is the extent of it.

The motion was carried.
The Council then adjourned to meet at 1.30 p. m.

The Scott Act Inspector's salary was fixed as the same amount as last year.

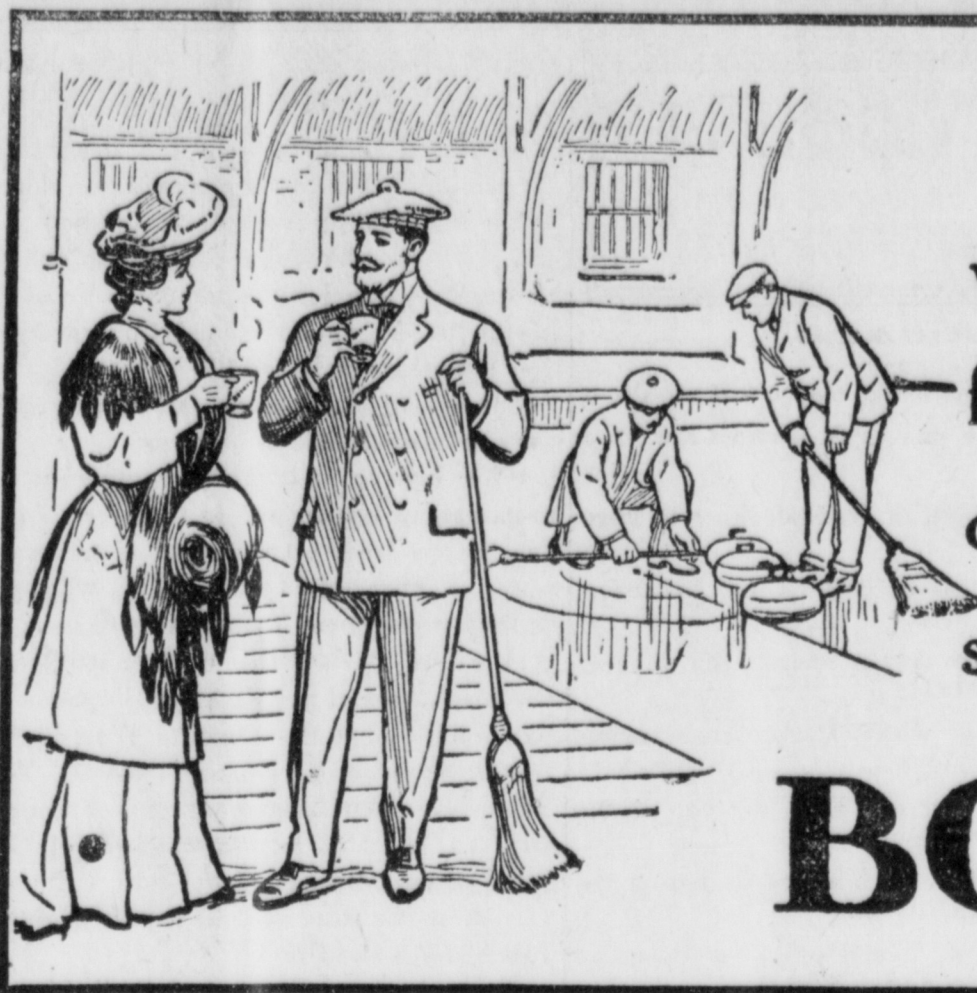
On motion of Coun. Flemming seconded by Coun. Brown a delegation from the Carleton County Hospital was heard by the Council. Rev. G. D. Ireland, Chairman of the Board, was the first to address the Council. He announced that the Warden had been appointed a director of that institution. The members of the Council were given copies of the semi-annual report to the items of which the Chairman called the attention of the Council. He reminded them that the present guaranteed revenue of the Hospital was \$600 from the Provincial Government, \$300 from the town of Woodstock and \$500 from the County, making in all \$1400.00, and that the receipts from all sources that could be expected for the coming year would total \$3400.00, while the estimated expenditure for the year amounted to \$4000.00. This would leave an estimated deficit of \$600.00. He stated that during the past year 59 patients had been treated at the Hospital, of which 9 had been free patients, 5 of whom had come from the town proper and 4 from outside the town proper, and that there had been five cases of mortality. "The cost to the hospital of keeping a patient one week," said the Chairman, "is \$9.62, so that a man who is there in a public ward for one week at a cost of \$8.00 is there at a loss to the institution of \$1.62." Patients may go to larger institutions and get good treatment at a low charge, but they do so as paupers which many persons do not care to do, but at the Carleton County Hospital they pay only \$8.00 per week and they are not there as paupers. He referred to the great work that had been done by the ladies in aid of the institution and expressed the confidence that if the citizens were granted a plebiscite on the question Carleton County would give a large majority in favour of increasing the grant to the hospital by the amount that the board of directors were asking, namely \$500. He also referred to the will of the late Lewis P. Fisher and stated that under the terms of that will there was no absolute certainty as to the aid that the hospital would receive from the Fisher estate. He asked for a grant for the coming year of \$1000.00.

Father McMurray then addressed the Council. The reverend gentleman spoke as follows: "We all must admit the necessity of a hospital. We are a progressive and industrious people and as such a hospital in our midst is a great essential. Hospitals are peculiar to Christianity. The hospital is an institution that has prevailed since the time of Our Saviour, who said 'Blessed are the merciful for they shall see mercy.' By supporting this great benevolent institution each person in this county has the opportunity of doing a work of charity. There is urgent necessity for an increase of this grant. Without further aid the hospital must cease to exist. This institution is a source of expense it is true but it is one of the great necessities of our civilization. It is a privilege for each citizen to be allowed to do his share. No distinction based on creed or nationality is made in the Carleton County Hospital. The county is a favoured one. It is happy and prosperous. Why should we not give to charity in the days of our prosperity. The hospital is near at hand and easy of access. The medical staff and the nurses are kind. Let us make the institution worthy of the county."

Mr. H. P. Baird was the next director to address the Council. He invited Warden and Councillors to visit the Hospital, as the general appearance of the institution would appeal to them better than the arguments of the directors. He claimed that if a personal appeal were made to the ratepayers of the county they would gladly give and asserted that the council as the representative body of the ratepayers should dare to give. He thought that all should look upon the matter rather as a privilege than a duty. It was then moved by Coun. Shaw and seconded by Coun. Flemming, that the petition of the directors for a grant of \$1000 per year for two years to the Carleton County Hospital be granted.

It was moved as an amendment by Coun. Williams and seconded by Coun. Bradley that the grant be \$500.

It was moved as an amendment to the amendment by Coun. Brown and seconded by Coun. Phillips that the grant be \$750.



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Coun. Shaw—I know something of the feeling at this board regarding this matter. This grant is a means whereby the people of the outlying parts of the county, who have no other opportunity of giving, get the privilege of contributing to the support of this institution. The sum of \$500 is only a small matter when divided among all the people of this county. The hospital must have support or will cease to exist. The impression that seems to prevail in certain quarters that the town controls the institution is entirely wrong. It is an institution of and for the whole county. It is our own child and we are not going to let it starve or suffer on account of a few dollars.

Coun. Flemming—This is a question concerning the whole county. We don't want to see our hospital become a failure. It is true that the people of the town of Woodstock contribute largely by giving directly to the institution, and we from the county should do our share to sustain and encourage it.

Coun. Balmain—In case the motion to make the grant \$1000 should not be voted upon I want to put myself on record as favouring a grant of \$1000.

Coun. Bradley—The hospital is a worthy institution no doubt; but when you are voting for this increased grant you want to think of the poor ratepayer and his barefoot children.

Coun. Carvell—I am afraid that my eloquent friend, Coun. Bradley, did not think of the poor ratepayer and his barefoot children a little while ago when he was voting the people's money to pay \$50 to Inspector Colpitts for storing some liquor. I think that this grant should be increased and I am not afraid to be put on record as favouring it. If my Constituents are of a different opinion they can send another man to take my place. I only wish that the amendment to the amendment read \$1000.

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To the heirs of the late Carleton Clark of the Parish of Andover in the County of Victoria and Province of New Brunswick, deceased, and Almida Clark widow of the said Carleton Clark and to all whom else it may concern.

NOTICE is hereby given that there will be sold at public auction in front of the Office of the Registrar of Deeds for the County of Victoria at Andover in the said County of Victoria, on MONDAY the FIFTH DAY of MARCH next at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon All that tract of land situate in the Parish of Andover in the County of Victoria and Province of New Brunswick and bounded as follows: Beginning at the North-westerly angle of a lot of land conveyed by Benjamin Beveridge to Clement Gosline thence South thirty-five degrees East three hundred and ninety-five feet to a stone set on the Westerly side of the highway road thence South sixty three degrees and fifteen minutes East one hundred and fifty feet thence North twenty-five degrees and thirty minutes West to the rear line of said tract so conveyed by Benjamin Beveridge to Clement Gosline and thence North forty-two degrees East to the place of beginning and being the same land conveyed to Carleton Clark by John Ryan and wife.

The above sale will be made pursuant to a power of sale contained in an Indenture of Mortgage bearing date the fifth day of July in the year of Our Lord One thousand nine hundred and five, registered in the office of the Registrar of Deeds for the said County of Victoria in Book "X" of Records numbered 10,453, and made between the said Carleton Clark and Almida Clark his wife of the one part and the undersigned Benjamin Kilburn of the Parish of Perth in the said County of Victoria, Merchant of the other part, default having been made in payment of the principal moneys and interest secured by said Indenture of Mortgage.

Dated this twentieth day of January A. D., 1906.

BENJAMIN KILBURN, Mortgagee.

NOTICE OF MEETING

The first annual General Meeting of the Stockholders of THE ALEXANDER DUNBAR & SONS COMPANY, Limited, will be held at the office of J. N. W. Winslow, Woodstock, on Monday the fifth day of February next, at eight o'clock in the evening. The purpose of such meeting is to elect Directors for the ensuing year and to transact such other business as may lawfully come before it.

Dated, this Thirteenth day of January, A. D. 1906.

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By order of Town Council,
J. C. HARTLEY, Town Clerk.
Woodstock, N. B., Jan. 22, 1906, 41.

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