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County Council

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quart is John Cronin. Giberson is so situated that all Canaan pass his place. Mr Bloodsworth lives at Brown's Siding which is an inconvenient place.

Coun Thompson thought that Brown's Siding was a convenient place for a many people.

Coun Gallagher---I selected one collector, Mr Cronin.

Coun Thompson---I did not object to him at all.

Coun Tracey---There is no dispute over one collector and the parish clerk. Coun Gallagher---There was a dispute over one of the assessors. I gave way on the third assessor and on the parish clerk.

Coun Tompkins---Knowing the parish somewhat the only objection I would have to Charlie Giberson is that you have him and Cronin both out back. Persons on the river would not feel like going out back to pay their taxes.

Coun Gallagher---We never had a collector at Brown's Siding.

As a compromise Mr Bloodsworth was named collector, and Hamilton Gray, parish clerk.

This met with the approval of the whole council.

The following bill was read:
Dr McIntosh, to visiting one Crouse and certificate of insanity, \$10.00.

Upon motion that the bill be paid, Coun Lamont wanted to know what the details of the bill were.

Coun Perry---I know the doctor traveled far enough to make up the bill.

Coun Melville moved that the bill be paid at \$4 and the mileage equal to \$5.20 when attested.

Coun Lamont seconded the resolution which was carried.

Coun Melville said that a representation had been made to him that certain lights could be installed in the court house which would effect a great saving in the light, by an expenditure of some \$90.00.

A motion was passed leaving the matter in the hands of the Building Committee.

Coun Montgomery moved that a bill of \$47.25 balance due the Scott Act Inspector be paid. This was seconded by Coun Flemming and carried.

Upon motion of Coun Britton \$4.00 was ordered refunded Smith Page. Also that \$4.00 be paid parish clerk for services of a constable on Hallowe'en night and charged to Brighton.

A delegation from the Hospital was heard.

Rev Father McMurray, chairman of the Board addressed the council in eloquent terms. We now, he said, come before the council feeling they are our friends. He alluded to the generosity of Mr. Fisher's gift of his magnificent residence. We ask from you now that you give not only your usual grant, but that you increase your contribution. It must be borne in mind that while we have a grand building, it will cost something like \$1000 more to run it. While the people in this county are properly economical they are not mean when it comes for providing for the alleviation of human misery. He referred to one little child who had been at the hospital and who was cared for although she had no well-to-do relations, and through this institution was looked for while she lived and died a peaceful death. We know the many calls you have, but we ask you to be as generous as you can be. It is our duty to help the poor and the afflicted and this institution is primarily for the care of those who cannot care for themselves. Let us hope that this institution donated by Mr Fisher will be so conducted that it will bring a benediction on the community.

Generous applause followed Father McMurray's address.

Dr. Sprague addressing the Board said that he had only to second the plea made by Father McMurray. He was also here to support a resolution passed by the N. B. Medical Society and entrusted to a committee of three Drs. Brown, Prescott and himself. His particular plea was for a grant towards the establishment of a home for tuberculosis patients in the advanced stages. We have had cases in this hospital. We had one who died not many years ago from this cause. He would like the Council to look at this matter favorably for there are cases where patients cannot be taken care of home, and in the interests of the community they should be looked after.

The Warden---These are two distinct appeals. I would like the Council to deal with the Hospital first.

Mr W B Belyea---We were getting along in the old building under small conditions. Things have changed with the taking over of the new building. It has cost between \$6000 and \$7000 to fit up this building using up all our surplus. One free patient has almost eaten up the county grant for the year. We are in debt and I wish the Council would give us a sum out and out and an increased annual grant. If this is not done we must go to the financial men and borrow money. I hope the Council will see their way clear to help us out. Mr Leonard Cronkite, an ex-warden of this county, had unsolicited sent a cheque for \$100 towards the Hospital. He thought the Council might donate \$1000 to paying off the debt and increase the annual grant to \$1000.

Coun Tompkins spoke of the rules of the doctors attending the hospital. I learn that doctors in the country could not come in and have anything to say, unless the patient had a private ward like certain prescribed doctors in the town.

Mr Belyea---We advertised in the paper quite recently that all the doctors have the right to go to the hospital with their patients. The doctors in town are divided in groups and take charge of the free patients at different periods.

Coun Williams---Can the doctors outside treat the free patients?

Mr Belyea---Oh yes, I am sure of that.

Coun Tracy---In regard to free and paid patients, how do the doctors charge? It is a fixed rate by the hospital or by Woodstock.

Mr Belyea---A free patient pays nothing. As far as any charges of the medical board that is fixed by the doctors.

Coun Melville---The report is out that the medical men charge more here than they do in Montreal, and that a patient can pay his way to Montreal and have the work done more reasonably. It is being used as a canvass against an extra grant to the hospital.

Mr Belyea---The doctors can answer to that.

Coun Montgomery---What steps must you take to get a poor patient into the hospital?

Mr Belyea---On a doctor's certificate.

Coun Tracy---How do you decide who is a free patient?

The doctors decide that.

Coun Lamont---If a doctor up river sends a free patient, do the town doctors attend him free?

Mr Belyea---Yes.

Coun Lamont drew attention to the case of a man who was brought down here as a free patient, but they would not take him in until another man became responsible for the pay.

Coun Perry---Would the doctors in the county be allowed to come in and take their turns in treating the free patients. I believe they would appreciate that.

Mr Belyea---They can come and I am sure would be welcome.

Coun Lamont---I know it is very easy for the Board of the Hospital to be imposed on. I am not objecting to the Board, if they can do so, getting anyone to become good for a patient's care.

Coun Perry---How about emergency patients in cases of an accident and so forth?

Mr Belyea---The practice is to admit them at once when brought to the Hospital.

Coun Britton said this was one case in which our money is spent well. I move that we increase the annual grant to \$1000.

Coun Gallagher (Kent) seconded the motion.

The motion carried unanimously.

Coun Williams moved that the revisors' fees be \$10. Carried.

The following bill was presented:
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(to be paid when attested.)

Coun Stevens said he was requested on behalf of the Board of Trade to ask from the Council the use of the Court room for the occasion of the horticultural lecture next Wednesday. He moved that the request be granted. Seconded and carried.

Coun Stevens brought up the question of the County gaol which needed so much repair. This question was brought before him as Warden by the Grand Jury and the Judge. He thought this council should put the county gaol in a fit and proper condition. He moved that the building committee be authorized to take steps to put the gaol in safe and proper condition.

Coun Brittain seconded the resolution.

Coun Estey---This is going to be an expense and I would like to have a discussion on the matter.

Coun Phillips---We were instructed to

go ahead last year. We made a start. In the meantime a number of prisoners escaped and we did not think we had authority to go ahead and make the expensive repairs that were demanded. The Council should give the instructions to the committee.

(to be continued)

Cured Of Epilepsy

A Case That Should Bring Hope to Other Sufferers

Epilepsy is one of the most serious troubles that afflicts the human race. This trouble is also known as "falling sickness" or fits." The patient suddenly loses consciousness and falls. The muscles become rigid and there is a twitching of the face and limbs, sometimes accompanied by frothing of the mouth. The convulsion is followed by a deep sleep varying in duration. In the early stages the attack may only occur at intervals of several months, but as the disease progresses they become more and more frequent, the patient becomes debilitated and the mind weakened. Epilepsy is generally regarded as incurable, but taken in its earliest stages has in many cases been cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which enrich the blood, strengthen the system, thus enabling it to resist the progress of the disease. The following case will be of interest to any who suffer from this terrible malady. Mrs. John Mather, Bancroft, Ont., says: "My little son, Clive, at the age of five was stricken with spasms or fits and despite all we did for him, for the next five years was afflicted with them, apparently growing worse. He was under the care, at various times, of five different doctors, but they did him no good. He was growing worse all the time, until he got so bad he would sometimes have twelve of these spasms in twenty-four hours. I sent him to the Sick Children's Hospital, where they pronounced the trouble epilepsy, but did not help him. Later he was treated by a specialist, but to no avail. I was almost in despair when my mother advised me to give him Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I got the pills and gave them to him, strictly following the directions as to diet. He continued taking the pills for several months, the spasms gradually coming less frequently, and with less severity, and finally they ceased altogether. It is now about two years since he took the last of the pills, and he has not had a fit in that time, and is now as well and strong as other boys of his age. I have great reason to be grateful for what the pills have done for him, and hope this may be of value to some other sufferer." These pills are sold by all medicine dealers or may be had by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Donations to Hospital

Nov 30---Mrs Col Dibblee, two pies, biscuits.

Dec 1---Mrs Munro, two pies, soup and brown bread.

Dec 4---Miss Leighton, baked beans, soup and brown bread.

Dec 5---Mrs Hartley, brown bread and apple sauce.

Dec 20---Mrs Munro, bottle strawberries, bottle pickles and bottle of cranberry sauce.

Dec 22---Mrs W Belyea, two bottles pickles, cranberry jelly.

Dec 24---Mrs Col Dibblee, apples, oranges, two pies, box pastry, 1 cake, 1 bottle peach preserves.

B H Smith & Son, grapes, oranges, grape fruit, 1 tumbler apple jelly for patients and 1 pair chickens.

Mrs Seeley, chocolate cake.

Mr Page, ham and two tongues.

Mr Weddahl, two dozen oranges for patients.

Mrs Bradley, two bottles pickles, 1 large bottle crab apple, 1 bottle apple jelly, bottle of grape wine, two bottles grape juice, one glass currant jelly, three glasses of orange marmalade, one glass cranberry jelly, one glass of black currant jelly.

Mrs W Slipp, one bottle pickles, one bottle pears.

Jan 1---Mrs Wilmot Hay, two bottles pickles.

Mrs Hartley, two bottles pickles, two bottles raspberry preserves, two glasses jelly, roast of deer.

Mr True, chicken, 1 lb butter.

Mrs L A Phillips, one dresser for maternity ward.

Mrs T Baker, bottle pickles, bottle preserves, rolls.

It is said that the Turkish army numbers a million men. Perhaps, however, the Italians didn't know this before they started in.

ANDOVER.

B. W. Moore, of the N. B. Telephone Co., spent part of last week in Grand Falls.

The Misses Ethel Armstrong and Tresa Roberts and Messrs. Fisher and Kellier, of Fort Fairfield, attended the ball given by the Bachelor girls of Andover on Friday night.

Rod McLaughlin, of St. John, visited his aunt Mrs. Perley, last week.

Harold Perley, of Calgary, is visiting his old home.

Mrs. Frank Stevens, who has been visiting Mr. Steven's mother since Christmas, returned to her home in Moncton on Thursday.

Miss Bessie Curry is visiting friends in Calais.

Mrs. D. R. Bedell left on Monday for a visit to New York.

B. T. Masteen spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. McDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Porter left on Monday for a month's stay in Toronto.

Mrs. H. S. Sloat and Mrs. Douglas Grant, of Aroostook, were in town last week.

Charles Colwell, of Fredericton, spent Sunday with his sister Miss Helen of the Western Union.

Mrs. Wesley Irvin, who has been ill for the past nine months, died at her home in Hillandale on Friday, and was buried in the Baptist burying-ground, Andover, on Sunday. The service was conducted by Rev. G. B. McDonald and was largely attended.

Mrs. Lorne Boyer and son, of Florenceville, spent Sunday with her brother, B. W. Moore.

Miss Gertrude Tibbitts is visiting friends in Grand Falls.

Miss Pearl Waite, who has been ill sometime, is a little improved.

Mrs. Robert Kelley entertained at the tea hour on Saturday.

BATH

Jan. 29, 1912.

The death of M. A. Tompkins, a respected citizen, took place here on the afternoon of the 23rd inst. He was a native of Carleton, born at East Florenceville 59 years ago, and had resided there for some time after attaining his majority and at Centreville, Hartland, Bristol and for about five years has resided here. The funeral services were conducted by the Independent Order of Foresters, in the church here. Rev. J. A. Cahill, of Florenceville, conducted the services, assisted by Revs. Turner, McLennan and Giberson. Interment was made at Bristol. He is survived by one son Harry, C. P. R. station agent at Millville, and Mrs. W. P. Stapleford, wife of Wm. P. Stapleford of Winnipeg, and a widow, and several brothers and sisters.

Rev. Mr. Fletcher delivered a very interesting Missionary discourse in the Baptist church last evening.

Miss Bertha Alward spent Sabbath with her sister, Mrs. Stanley Barker.

Thomas Gallagher, son of C. E. Gallagher, and a former resident of this place and for the past five years a resident of British Columbia, is visiting his old home and parents.

The death of Mrs. William Boyd took place on Wednesday last at her home in Johnville. She was a lady well known there and will be greatly missed by her relatives and friends and the entire community.

Bath has now the new highway opened direct to Glassville. This road will very much shorten the distance from that village to this place and the railway, as it affords an easy route free of hills.

The Baptist people have Mr. Carey at work painting the interior of their parsonage here.

Mrs. W. H. Harris and daughter, Mrs. Frank Giberson and her husband, Frank Giberson, arrived home from Enderby last week. They are well satisfied to remain in N. B.

KILBURN

Rev. Mr. McLellan preached in the United Baptist Church on Sunday morning Jan., 21st.

Rev. Mr. Fletcher, a returned missionary, is to give an illustrated lecture in the United Baptist Church on Wednesday evening.

Rev. J. A. Ives preached in the Methodist Church on Sunday night. His subject was church union.

The monthly meeting of the W. M. S. will be held at the home of Mrs. C. W. Morehouse on Wednesday Feb. 7th. Candlemas Day, half your corn and half your hay. This supposed midway



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ALL DRUGGISTS 11-15

milestone of winter will be reached on Friday, Feb. 2.

The early part of winter was very mild but Jack Frost has been no less severe because of having delayed his coming for we have had some unusually cold weather various readings of the thermometer have been reported varying from twenty-five to forty-five degrees below zero. A good many people in the East have spoken of the extreme cold weather prevailing in Western Canada if the above readings are correct our western neighbours will think that we are rapidly overtaking them with respect to cold. A good many weather prophets have gained a reputation for unreliability because of their miscalculations in forecasting the weather. If the present cold wave continues the man who predicted that the present winter would be extremely cold will have gained for himself the reputation of knowing something about the weather that is to be.

The discontinuance of the early morning express train will be felt by many living along the railway line as it was a great convenience.

Burns night was duly observed at Kincardine on Thursday night Jan 25th.

The sale of potatoes has been brisk for sometime. The price paid has been from \$2.00 to \$2.25.

One of the Wrong Methods

A little girl from the East End of London (Eng.) was invited to a garden party given by a very aristocratic lady to a group of little slum children.

The little girl, as she drank her tea and ate her plum cake on a velvet lawn under a blooming cherry tree, said to her hostess--

"Does your husband drink?"

"Why--er--no, not to excess," was the astonished reply.

"How much does he make?"

"He doesn't work," said the lady.

"He is a capitalist."

"You keep out of debt, I hope?"

"Of course, oh! What on earth--"

"Your colour looks natural -- I trust you don't paint!"

"Look here," exclaimed the hostess, "what do you mean by all these impudent questions?"

"Impudent?" said the little girl.

"Why ma'am, mother told me to be sure and behave like a lady, and when ladies call at our room they always question mother like that."

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