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Miramichi and the North Shore, etc.

PIANO FOR SALE - See advt.

CHRISTMAS ADVERTS - Send along your Christmas advertisements for next week's ADVANCE.

THE PRESBYTERY of Miramichi will meet in quarterly session in St. James' Hall, Newcastle, on Tuesday, Dec. 15th, at ten o'clock standard time.

THE "ADVANCE" is for sale at Johnson's Bookstore, and the Circulating Library, Desmond building, next door to the Telephone Exchange.

MIRAMICHI MARBLE WORKS - No experiment in buying from us. We always send out the best stock and work that can be obtained.

FANCY SALE AND TEA - The ladies of St. Luke's church intend having a fancy sale and tea in the Masonic Hall Thursday 14th January.

SWINE BREEDERS are interested in the advertisement of Mr. Fisher, of Woodburn Farm, Chatham.

THE FINEST ICE-BOT on the river is that of Mr. J. J. Stuart, Manager of the Maritime Sulphite Fibre Company's mill.

AN EROSION REPORT to the effect that the S. W. Miramichi bridge, Nelson, was broken down, was in circulation in Chatham yesterday.

NEW SPOOL WOOD MILL: Messrs. Clark, Skillings & Co. are building a new spool wood mill near Beaver Brook station.

FOR KILLING HIS WIFE - Peter Ouellette who has been in the jail of Restigouche County since last September, charged with wife-murder, has, at last, been committed for trial by Police Magistrate McLatchey.

PERSONAL - Mr. Thos. Crumlin, of the Customs, has been confined to his residence by illness for more than a fortnight.

YOU WASTE YOUR MONEY in nine cases out of ten when you buy patent medicines which are recommended to cure all diseases.

FORESTERS - On Monday evening the following officers of Court Brunswick No. 62, were installed:

HORSE DROWNED - A fine horse, owned by Mr. Jas. Jones, broke through the ice in front of Park's Wharf on Monday evening and was drowned.

FOOTBALL - St. John retain the football championship of New Brunswick. The tie game with Fredericton was played on the Shamrock grounds St. John last Saturday.

AS ATTRACTION to buyers of family groceries, provisions, dry goods and general household supplies is offered by Mr. Roger Flanagan at his well known store on St. John Street, Chatham.

A PROMISING SEASON - The popular game of curling is likely to boom all over the Maritime Provinces this season.

been active for years past, are in a healthy condition. Campbell, with 65 members, claims to be the largest in the Lower Provinces.

FATAL FALL - MONCTON, Dec. 6. - A very sad fatality occurred here to-night, the victim being Harry Foster, brother of Hon. G. E. Foster, ex-minister of finance.

A MEAN ATTACK - The editor of the World made an attempt to violate the postal laws and was prevented from doing so by a day or two ago by Mr. Thompson, acting postmaster of Chatham.

WHEREAS it has pleased Almighty God in His divine wisdom to call away from this world of Mrs. Wm. McKenna, mother of our esteemed 2nd Vice President and Brother Owen J. McKenna.

Resolved that the Branch No. 130 will transfer their most sincere condolences to Brothers McKenna, as to other members of the family.

Resolved that the above resolutions will be inserted in local papers and the Canadian.

From Barriobog. Mr. Connell was in town on Saturday and says that a few days ago he and his companion were tramping through the woods, in a pouring rain, looking for partridge.

THE OFFICERS of Miramichi Council No. 441 R. A. for the current year, elected on the 7th inst. are:

THE DOG TAX. It may not be axious for Municipal Councilors and others to bear in mind the provisions of the Act of Assembly passed last winter imposing a tax on dogs.

RIVER ACCIDENTS - One Fatal. On Wednesday afternoon of last week a number of lads were skating just above the Southwest Miramichi bridge, Nelson when one of them, Ernest Vye, son of Mr. David Vye of Nelson, broke through and was drowned.

DEATH OF W. T. CONNORS, Esq. Quite a sensation was created in Chatham last Monday afternoon by the announcement that W. T. Connors, Esq., had suddenly become insensible at his residence, Water Street, at about one o'clock and was so continuing.

Town Council Meeting. On calling the Town Council to order at its regular monthly meeting on Monday evening the Mayor said he regretted to announce that the Town Clerk was seriously ill. It would, therefore, be necessary for the Council to appoint a temporary clerk.

DEATH OF THE LATE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR FRASER. His Worship, Mayor Benson, said that before taking up the order of business it was deemed fitting that a resolution be passed relative to the death of Lieutenant-Governor Fraser, which had taken place since last meeting of Council.

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therefore, sure that the resolution to be offered would be unanimously passed. Ald. Bennett then moved the following resolution, seconded by Ald. Nicol:

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Residents of Sheriff Street asking for a light to be placed on said street opposite Mr. A. A. Anderson's residence. Ald. Bennett said a number of new street lights had already been authorized by Council, but Manager Fisher of the Electric Light Company had said they could not furnish them just now as the Street dynamo was insufficiently loaded.

On motion of Ald. Nicol, seconded by Ald. Bennett, the Public Works Committee was authorized to purchase a Hamilton (St. John) Snow-plow for the streets. Adjourned.

How Women Would Govern. An exchange tells a charming story of a man who went to sleep the other day and dreamed that he was in a city governed by women. It was scrupulously clean, and while walking around, he saw three men arrested for spitting on the pavements. A garreted barrel at the rear of each lot was hand-painted and tied with blue ribbon. Mail boxes were decorated with drawn-work drapery and the fire plugs had cushioned seats on top of them.

News and Notes. John Mills, a keeper in the Kingston, Penitentiary, has fallen heir to an estate of \$140,000 in Scotland.

The Keewatin Power Company are making contracts to supply electric power in Winnipeg transmitted a distance of 130 miles.

All the harbor laborers at Hamburg have been called out by the Strikers' Committee, and a general strike throughout Europe is said to be imminent.

At Portage a Fagan Indian who shot his foster father, thinking him a wendigo or evil spirit, was found guilty of manslaughter. Judge Ross sentenced him to six months' hard labor.

At Vancouver, on November 26th, a borrower's vote was taken on a by-law to borrow \$60,000 to lay a new water main from the reservoir. The by-law carried.

All Coleman spoke of his association with Mr. Connors from a boy, in societies connected with the church and otherwise, and said he had always found him a most estimable person.

The resolution was then carried. On motion of Ald. Nicol, seconded by Ald. Watt Messrs. Geo. Stothart, Sam'l Waddleton and John Fotheringham were appointed assessors.

On motion of Ald. Nicol, seconded by Ald. McIntosh, the Fire Committee was authorized to engage Mr. Alex. Fraser, machinist, to overhaul "the old Steam Fire Engine" for the purpose of ascertaining the repairs necessary to be made thereto and their probable cost, reporting same to Council at its next meeting.

WILD CAT FINANCIAL PROPOSAL. Ald. Nicol, from the Finance Committee, after stating that the Treasurer reported that he was out of funds for certain purposes, made quite a long speech to show that money in bank, raised on the Town's bonds for Street and Fire purposes, might be borrowed and spent in paying bills for purposes not set forth in the Act authorizing the issue of the bonds.

Briefly stated, Ald. Nicol seemed to be under the impression that the Council could use the bond money to pay contingent or miscellaneous bills, and pay it out of a future assessment.

The Mayor said he had hesitated to draw checks upon the money raised upon the bonds for other than street and fire services. He still thought he was correct in his view of the matter.

Ald. Bennett said the Mayor's position was the correct one. He read from the Chatham Town Incorporation Act, 59 Vic., Cap. 46, especially section 8, to show that the bonds were issued for and said the Council had no power to borrow any of the money accruing from those bonds for any purpose. Section 8 of the Act gave specific directions as to what the money was intended for.

While Ald. Nicol was preparing a resolution under the new light he had received - Ald. Bennett showed that it had.

Those Deals. Ald. Loggie, from the Public Works Committee, reported as follows: Since your committee have taken office, work on the streets of Chatham has been done as follows:

Ald. Nicol questioned as to whether the Council had the power to authorize the borrowing suggested.

Ald. Nicol moved, seconded by Ald. McIntosh, that the Mayor and Treasurer be empowered to borrow as may be needed, at the rate of 5% of money, not to exceed in the aggregate \$750, for general purposes, to be paid out of next year's assessment. Carried.

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TENDERS FOR LUMBER. TENDERS addressed to the undersigned will be received up to and including Thursday, 10th Dec., for 100 cords of lumber, 10 ft. long, to be delivered at Chatham, N. B., on or before the 15th inst. Also, 200 cords of lumber, 10 ft. long, to be delivered at Chatham, N. B., on or before the 15th inst.

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