

THE CARLETON SENTINEL.

SATURDAY, JULY 31, 1852.

We would remind those of our subscribers whose term commenced with the new volume, and who expect to pay in advance, that it is quite time their money was paid in if they wish to save the 50 per cent. The present is the sixth number of the fifth volume, and out of some five or six hundred subscribers whose term commenced in June, we have not yet received \$20 in advance. We do not press subscribers to pay in advance—they can do as they please in this matter—but we must be allowed to say that our terms will be strictly adhered to, and the full price charged when not paid in advance. Those who are in arrears will much oblige us by making immediate payment. We cannot carry on the business of the office without funds, and these we must have should we be compelled to resort to some unpleasant course to collect them. We hope the hint will be sufficient, and that our friends will relieve us without farther difficulty.

COUNTY COUNCIL.

Owing to ill health, which has for the greater part of the time for the last two months prevented us from attending to our duties, we were unable to take notes of the speeches at the late meeting of the Council, but we engaged a competent person to do the work for us, and thought it was done till the Council had adjourned, when we learned that he too had been prevented by illness from attending. We however give the proceedings of the Council, which have been kindly furnished us by the Secretary-Treasurer.

COURT HOUSE,
WOODSTOCK, JULY 20, 1852.

The Council met at 10 o'clock.

The Warden in the Chair. Present—Messrs. Dibblee, Clowse, Giberson, Shea, Harding, Mills, Gallop, Estey, Jones, Lloyd, Fitzherbert, Lindsay.

Richard Dibblee, Esq., was elected County Auditor, until the semi-annual meeting in January next.

Mr. Dibblee presented a petition from Thos. Dailing, Samuel Raymond, and 40 others, praying for orders to remove certain obstructions to the fisheries in the Maduxnakik stream. Ordered to lie on the table.

On motion of Mr. Clowse, seconded by Mr. Dibblee the following resolution was adopted:

Whereas there is no account before this Council to give the necessary information respecting the state of the County accounts, or other matters affecting the same, therefore

Resolved, That all persons having any demands against the Municipality of Carleton, for salaries, fees, contracts, labor, or otherwise, shall present the same at least twelve days before the semi-annual meetings of the Council in January and July in each and every year, to the County Auditor, otherwise their accounts will stand over until the terms of this resolution are complied with.

On motion of Mr. Giberson, seconded by Mr. Lloyd, John H. Estey was appointed ferry-man between Phillips' in Kent, and Milberry's in Wicklow.

The following Tavern Licences were granted for six months, viz:—To Henry Morehouse, Wakefield, £3 10s.; David Melvin, Wakefield, £3 10s.; Robert G. Bridges, Simonds, £3 10s.; John Caldwell, Woodstock, £5; George H. Parks, Richmond Corner, £4; John Carville, Richmond Corner, £4; John Balloch, Woodstock, £5; A. P. English, Woodstock, £5; T. Collins, Woodstock, £5; P. McGlynn, Woodstock, £5; Robert Hume, Woodstock, £5; W. Mills, Simonds, £3 10s.; W. W. Hammond, Woodstock, £5.

Mr. Fitzherbert presented a petition from Thos. Pomphrey and 79 others, praying that a public ferry may be established at the River DeChute. A Bye-law was passed to carry out the object of the Petition.

Robert Henderson was appointed ferry-man between Henderson's in Kent, and the River DeChute.

A public ferry was established between Butternilk Creek, in Simonds, and the Free-will Meeting House in Brighton.

A public ferry was established between R.

Wharton's in Kent, and the Little Guisegnette, in Wicklow, and on motion of Mr. Giberson, R. S. Wharton was appointed ferry-man.

JULY 21, 1852.

On motion of Mr. Dibblee, seconded by Mr. Gallop, it was ordered that an order be drawn in favor of H. H. Beardsley for £4 17s. 8d., to enable him to pay H. S. Beek £2 10s. for Record Book, £1 10s. for the purchase of a County Seal, 7s. 6d. for Treasurer's Book, and 10s. 2d. for Stationery, &c.

On motion of Mr. Lindsay, seconded by Mr. Dibblee,

Resolved Unanimously, That a duty of £10 be charged upon a Circus and Menagerie to be exhibited on or about the 30th July next.

Ordered, That Thos. Gemmill be allowed to occupy the building known as the old gaol, for the term of six months at 7s. 6d. per month.

On motion of Mr. Lindsay, seconded by Mr. Dibblee, Lewis P. Fisher was appointed Trustee of Schools, for the Parish of Woodstock.

On the petition of Murphy Giberson and Geo. Milberry, overseers of poor for the Parish of Kent, and on motion of Mr. Giberson, seconded by Mr. Fitzherbert, an assessment was ordered upon the said Parish for the sum of £10, for the support of the poor of the said Parish for the present year.

Mr. Giberson presented a petition from R. Barker, Geo. Deas, and 34 others, praying that an order of the Sessions against sheep running on the highways and commons in the Parish of Kent, be rescinded, and on motion of Mr. Giberson, seconded by Mr. Gallop, the order was rescinded.

JULY 22, 1852.

On motion of Mr. Dibblee, seconded by Mr. Gallop,

Resolved Unanimously, That a Committee be appointed to inquire into and ascertain what amounts are due and payable by this County, and that such Committee shall give notice to all persons having demands against the County in the form of Debentures or otherwise to make known the amounts to the Secretary-Treasurer by the sixteenth day of August next, and that such Committee shall consist of five members of the Council. Whereupon it was ordered that Mr. Dibblee, Mr. Lindsay, Mr. Harding, Mr. Shea, and Mr. Clowse, do compose such Committee, and that the Committee be authorized to call upon the Warden to hold a special meeting, at such time as they may deem most advisable; and further

Resolved, That such Committee shall be authorized to direct the Warden and Secretary Treasurer to draw on the Commercial Bank Agency for such sums as may be deposited to the credit of the County to meet out-standing County Debentures or Orders, according to their priority.

On the petition of Eli Sharp and Frederick Phillips, Overseers of Poor for the Parish of Northampton, and on motion of Mr. Clowse, seconded by Mr. Gallop, an assessment was ordered upon the said Parish for the sum of £10, to defray expenses incurred in sending Mary Finnegan out of the Parish.

On motion of Mr. Dibblee, seconded by Mr. Lindsay,

Resolved, That this Council will not receive and pay any accounts of Coroners of this County for Inquests held by them, unless the same are made out in detail, showing the number of miles intervening between the residence of the Coroner and the place of inquest, and all other incidental expenses, and that no charge for jury fees will be allowed until satisfactory evidence is furnished that the same has been paid.

James Clark and Stephen Hammond to be Hog-reeves and Pound-keepers for the Parish Brighton.

Ordered that the following accounts be allowed, viz:—

Theodore Kearney, for 40 cords of wood, £15 13s. 4d.; John F. W. Winslow, £3 19s. 6d.; Anthony Kearney, shovelling snow, building shed, &c. 15s.; Anthony Kearney, attendance at Court, June Term, 17s. 6d.; Wm. M. Hazen, 10s.; Richard Gilbert, 10s.; Israel Churchill, 10s.; Nathaniel Woodward, 10s.; H. Wolhanper, £1 5s.; Anthony Kearney, salary, &c., £20 6s. 3d.; Anthony Kearney's charge for paper, to stand over for further information; J. Stevens allowed £5.

The two gentlemen who returned their papers after receiving them over a year, without paying for them, would do well to read the following extract from a late London paper, on the liability of Newspaper subscribers. It will be seen that the principle has been finally settled by the Court of Law in reference to the legal responsibilities of Subscribers to Newspapers:—

1. Subscribers who do not give express notice to the contrary are considered as wishing to continue their subscriptions.

2. If subscribers order the discontinuance of their Periodicals, the Publisher may continue to send them until all arrears are paid; and subscribers are responsible for all the numbers sent.

3. If Subscribers neglect or refuse to take their Periodicals from the office to which they are directed, they are held responsible till they have settled their bills and ordered their Periodicals to be discontinued. Sending numbers back, or leaving them in the Office, is not such notice of discontinuance as the Law requires.

4. If Subscribers remove to other places without informing the Publisher, and their periodical is sent to the former direction, they are held responsible.

5. The Courts have decided that refusing to take a Newspaper or Periodical from the office, or removing and leaving it uncalled for until all arrears are paid, is prima facie evidence of INTENTIONAL FRAUD!

In addition to the above we would remark that our terms plainly say—"No paper discontinued until all arrears are paid up, unless at the option of the Publisher." In accordance with these terms we will continue to send the paper to the gentlemen alluded to, until they pay up, and request us to discontinue, or until such time as we think it right to compel payment.

The Editorial Chair of the Head Quarters is now occupied by W. T. Watts, Esq., one of the most talented men in New Brunswick.—Mr. Phillips has certainly displayed great judgment in this selection, and although we do not exactly belong to Mr. Watts' school of politics, we are satisfied he will soon give the "Head Quarters" a standing it has never yet attained among the journals of the day. We tender him the right hand of fellowship, and bid him welcome in the corps.

We are sorry to learn that the weevil is taking the wheat in this County—in some places very severely. One field in Woodstock is so much injured that the owner has serious thoughts of mowing it down for fodder. We have not heard any mention of the potato-rot as yet, although new potatoes have been in market for some time.

We are informed that our Government have concluded to appropriate One Thousand Pounds towards the relief of the sufferers by the late great fire at Montreal. We have no doubt but that the Legislature will cheerfully confirm this grant.—St. John Courier.

We are glad to find our Government acted with so much promptness in this matter, and think the Legislature would have confirmed the grant had it been three times as large.

PROVINCIAL EXHIBITION.

At a meeting of the Local Committee of the "New Brunswick Society for the Encouragement of Agriculture, Home Manufactures, and Commerce, throughout the Province," held at the office of the Clerk of the Peace, on the 27th July, 1852, present—J. F. W. Winslow, R. English, J. R. Tupper, John Dibblee, Asa Upton, H. E. Dibblee.

On Motion, Resolved, That the Sheriff take the Chair.

Resolved, That the following persons be added as additional members, viz:—A. K. S. Wetmore, W. T. Baird, David Munro, Ralph D. Beardsley, James Ketchum, Benjamin Churchill, James Edgar, William Stephens, R. A. Hay, W. E. Payson, Lewis Pennington, Joshua Tolford, Henry Stump, A. Broderick, Edwin R. Parsons, William Lindsay, Thos. Currie, Thos. W. Suet, Abner Bull, Murphy Giberson, Holland Estey, H. M. G. Garden, John D. Ketchum, J. Grover, D. L. Dibblee, Secretary and Treasurer.

On Motion the following Sub-Committees were appointed, viz:—

J. F. W. Winslow, W. T. Baird, J. R. Tupper, James Edgar, H. E. Dibblee, Manufactures of all kinds.

J. R. Tupper, David Munro, T. W. Street

Committee for Minerals.

A. K. S. Wetmore, William Stevens, R. A. Hay, Committee for Plaster, Limestone, and Slate.

The officers of the Carleton County Agricultural Society to be a Committee for all Agricultural Products.

Resolved, That a Committee be appointed to solicit subscriptions to defray the expense of transit of articles designed for the Provincial Exhibition, and that Sheriff Winslow, E. J. Jacob, and J. R. Tupper be such Committee.

Resolved, That E. J. Jacob, W. T. Baird, and James Grover be a Committee to procure specimens of the Fine Arts for the Exhibition.

Resolved, That semi-monthly meetings of the Local Committee be held at the Clerk's office, at 3 o'clock, P. M., until the General Show of the New Brunswick Society, commencing on Monday the 9th August next, and on the following Monday fortnight, thereafter, and that the Minutes of this Meeting be published in the "Sentinel," and that this be notice of such future meetings.

D. L. DIBBLEE, Secretary.

THE FIRST RAILWAY CAR IN NEW BRUNSWICK!—We have received a telegraph despatch from our correspondent in St. Andrews, announcing that the Locomotive on the first section of the St. Andrews and Quebec Railway was put into motion at 12 o'clock yesterday.—A large number of spectators were present on the occasion to witness the first locomotive which ever was set in motion in this Province. The enterprising people of St. Andrews are pushing their Railway ahead at a rapid rate and ere we are aware of it, they will have the line completed to Woodstock.—New Brunswick.

THE QUEEN'S SPEECH—Her Majesty's speech is regarded in all quarters as unusually excellent. The tone is spirited and firm, and the results of the session, and the aspect of affairs, both at home and abroad, very skillfully and neatly stated. But the most pleasing characteristic is the deep feeling of piety that pervades it. Her "EARNEST PRAYER," that the constituencies may be directed by an all-wise Providence, to the selection of representatives whose wisdom and patriotism may aid her in her "UNCEASING ENDEAVORS" to "UPHOLD THE PROTESTANT INSTITUTIONS OF THE COUNTRY," is worthy of a Queen of the greatest Protestant Country on the globe, and will be echoed from the hearts of millions.—Church Witness.

MELANCHOLY SHIPWRECKS AND GREAT LOSS OF LIFE!—Recent heavy gales in the Gulf of St. Lawrence have caused the destruction of a number of vessels, attended with a melancholy loss of life. The barque Trusty, Capt. Fester, from Scarborough, Yorkshire, for Quebec, with passengers, went ashore at a place called Ship Head, off Gaspé, and eighteen lives were lost, including five of the crew.

It is rumored that in a recent hurricane in the Gulf of St. Lawrence, the schooner Alliance, armed by the British Government for the protection of the Fisheries, perished near St. Paul's Island, with all on board; that fifteen schooners were lost in the vicinity of the Magdalen Islands, and that twenty-two pilots have been drowned.

We regret to learn that the Circus and Menagerie of Messrs. Sands & Quick were permitted to arrive in this city on Sunday evening, and that one of the steam ferry boats across the harbor was kept running after the usual hours for their special accommodation. We can discern nothing to justify so wanton a desecration of the Lord's Day, and we earnestly hope that the authorities will never sanction the repetition of a similar offence.—Church Witness.

AN IRISH REBEL CONVERTED.—It was recently stated by the Rev. Hugh Stowell, of Manchester, England, in a public lecture, that Mitchell, who was transported for treason, has been converted to Protestantism since his exile, by the instrumentality of a Bible, and now wishes to return, that he may spend his future life in developing the errors of Romanism.

The British Government has generously granted £50 sterling to each of the widows of the gallant men at Truro, Massachusetts, who perished in attempting to save the crew of the British barque Josephus, at that place, last spring.