

Mr. LINDSAY presents a petition from a number of inhabitants, praying that such Bye-Law may not be repealed.

Mr. Jacob Estabrooks was heard in the matter; after which, on motion of Mr. Lindsay, seconded by Mr. Giberson,

Resolved, That the matter be referred for further consideration at the January Session.

Mr. HEMPHILL presented a petition from Trustees of Schools in Richmond, praying that a warrant be issued to assess Limestone School District in the sum of £28 10s., for support of teacher for one year.

On motion of Mr. Hemphill, seconded by Mr. Kilburn—prayer was granted and warrant ordered.

Mr. Kilburn read the following list of Richmond Parish Officers, which was confirmed, viz.:

John Campbell and Jas. Dalling, Hog-Reeves and Pound-Keepers; Jas. Lawrence, Peter Pinaccon, Joseph Gidney, Isaac Yerxa, Surveyors of Roads.

Mr. KILBURN read a petition from sundry inhabitants of Richmond, praying for the passing of a Law prohibiting cattle from running at large in North Richmond.

Mr. Kilburn likewise read a counter petition; when, on motion of Mr. Hemphill, seconded by Mr. Kilburn, the matter was referred to the January Session.

On asking of Mr. Cowperthwaite, the appointments, by himself and colleague, of Anthony Kearney and John Shaw, Surveyors of Highways for Parish of Wakefield, was confirmed.

Mr. HAY presented a petition from sundry inhabitants of Northampton, praying for a Bye-Law to prohibit horses, cattle, &c., from running at large in the Newburg Settlement; when, on motion, the matter was referred to the January Session.

Mr. HAY presented a petition from sundry inhabitants of Northampton, showing that Patchell's Ferry (so-called) had been sold to Joseph Carr; that pains had been taken by individuals to run up the purchase money higher than had been known for years; that Carr had given his note for £4 10s., the purchase price; that this price was more than his circumstances could warrant,—and prayed that the Council would reduce the price of said ferry as might be considered just, as it had not realized any such price for the last eight years: when,

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

Resolved, That the said note be returned to Carr, and he be allowed to ferry without charge for the current year.

Mr. Craig paid in 2s. 6d. for sale of River de Chute Ferry, sold to Thomas Henderson.

Mr. Giberson paid 3s. 1½d. for the sale of Ferry from Little Chichetehauk to Gideon Estabrooks', in Wicklow, sold to James Bell.

Mr. Hatfield paid in 3s. 11d. for sale of Butter-milk Creek Ferry, sold to Thomas McKinley.

Mr. Bubar paid in 1s. 3d. for sale of Lloyd's Ferry, sold to Charles Lloyd.

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

Resolved, That in future no bye law shall be passed by this Council to prohibit horses, cattle, &c., from running at large in any district in this County, until such district shall have been defined, and a public meeting held, after one week's notice posted in three of the most public places in the district, at which meeting the question of prohibition shall have been decided by a majority of resident rate-payers present.

Mr. Craig paid in 1s. 3d. for sale of Wm. Jones' Ferry, (so called,) being a Canoe Ferry, sold to Wm. Jones.

On asking of Mr. Hayward, the following, appointed by himself and colleague, were confirmed as Parish Officers for Brighton:

George Stickney, Assessor of Rates; John Allbright, Surveyor of Roads; and Charles Rideout, Constable.

On motion of Mr. Hay, seconded by Mr. Dibblee, Resolved, That John Hemphill be appointed Surveyor of Highways for Northampton, in the room of Hiram Rockwell.

On asking of Mr. Dibblee, the following were confirmed Parish Officers of Woodstock:

Thomas Fleming, Surveyor of Lumber; Gideon Yerxa, Surveyor of Roads, in room of Isaac Teeling.

On motion of Mr. Cowperthwaite, seconded by Mr. Hayward, the Council proceeded to consider the appropriation of the Bye Road grants, amounting in gross, to £370 6s. 8d.

Mr. Hemphill presented a petition from Alexander McQuarrie, praying that a Special Grant of £2 10s. be made him out of the amount in gross, to compensate him for work done on the Bridge at Debeck's, Richmond.

Mr. Hemphill moved, seconded by Mr. Kilburn,

Resolved, That the petition be received, and the amount granted.

Mr. Dibblee moved, in amendment, seconded by Mr. Hayward,

Resolved, That it is inexpedient to appropriate any Special Grant out of the money granted for Bye Road purposes this year.—Amendment was carried.

On motion of Mr. Cowperthwaite, seconded by Mr. Giberson, it was resolved to divide the money equally, the same as last year, among the Parishes, being £46 5s. 10d. to each.—Messrs. Bubar and Hayward voting against it.

This decision was come to after a lengthy discussion upon the most just method of apportioning the Bye Road money; a great many different notions being expressed, but no satisfactory conclusion as to the least objectionable course being arrived at, and involving the Councillors' opinions of the relative claims and importance of the several Parishes, each Councillor, with commendable zeal, endeavouring to make out the best case for his own Parish. Messrs. Hayward and Craig dwelt upon the comparative neglect with which Brighton and Kent, the most isolated Parishes, have heretofore been treated. The former gentleman particularly, presented very strongly the claims of Brighton, its extent, inhabitants, the amount of its business, and its large contribution to the revenue; at the same time showing the miserable state of its roads. But the other day, he stated, he saw a settler hauling butter to market on a sled; the road being impassable by wheels.

The Council adjourned until 10 o'clock to-morrow.

We make the following extract from the Election Law for the information of those whom it may concern:—

"3. The Assessors of every Parish shall, on or before the first day of August in each year, deliver to the Revisors a copy of the Assessment List for their Parish."

We learn from pretty good authority that Amos Gallop, Esq., Wakefield, has been appointed Supervisor of Great Roads from Woodstock to River de Chute.

The *Royal Gazette* not having come to hand, we are in the dark as to what other appointments have been made; but the *Head Quarters* gives us the following:

But we are informed that the Smashing Government have at length overcome their timidity, and that the *Royal Gazette* of this day's date—which may possibly make its appearance to-morrow—will contain such a list of sweeping changes as will astonish our little world. First there is to be a clear sweep of all the Supervisors of Great Roads appointed by the late Government. Of this we have no doubt, for many of the changes have already been made, in true Smasher style,—that is to say, they have been superseded without notice. James Ketchum, Esq., Supervisor of the Great Road from Woodstock to River de Chute, has been superseded after thirty years' service. Mr. Rainsford, Supervisor of the Road leading from hence to Woodstock, has been removed to make room for Mr. Asa Dow; and Mr. Lewis, Supervisor of Great Road leading hence to Boiestown, has been removed to make room for that great ex M. P. P., Mr. George Hatheway.

Among the officials and public servants threatened with dismissal, we have heard named some of the servants of the House of Assembly, the venerable Sergeant at Arms, Mr. Gowan, first Clerk in the Crown Land Office, the Auditor General, and the Queen's Printer.

On Saturday last, Hon. C. Watters was elected in Victoria, by show of hands.

We regret to learn that a fine promising youth, the only son of Stephen G. Burpe, Esq., Simonds; was drowned while bathing in the River in front of his Father's residence last week. We cordially sympathise with the afflicted parents and relatives in this mournful bereavement.

A project is on foot for raising an independent Engine in old No. 2 Company. It is a very desirable object, and should be countenanced.

Our correspondent, "Ellick," has been anticipated by the Council; for a few evenings back the lamps having been lighted.

Officers of Melancthon Division, Sons of Temperance, for the present term:—

Hamilton Emery, W. P.; Jared Tozer, W. A.; Robert Caldwell, R. S.; Aaron Cox, A. R. S.; John Simonson, T.; James Simonson, F. S.; Alonzo Jackson, C.; Hugh Cowperthwaite, A. C.; James Jackson, I. S.; Gideon D. Jackson, O. S.

The Road committee of the Town Council deserve great praise for the improvement being made on Main Street; a side walk having been graded from Mrs. Morehouse's to the Baptist Chapel.—We notice they are continuing the good work on the south side of the Maduxni kik, in making a sidewalk down to the Methodist Chapel.

Perry Davis' Vegetable Pain Killer is deservedly the most popular family medicine known, for no other remedy has been so successful in relieving all kinds of pain. It is most appropriately called Pain Killer.

REPORT OF GRAND JURY—VICTORIA COUNTY.

The Grand Jury for the County of Victoria, for the July Session, 1857, having examined all the Accounts laid before them; and also taken into consideration all matters relating to the County which have come under their notice,—therefore respectfully beg leave to submit the following report:

1st. The Grand Jury, having examined the County Accounts, recommend that those numbered in the annexed schedule be passed and paid.

2nd. The Grand Jury, having examined the County Buildings, find them in a good condition, especially the Jail—which has been lately white-washed and put in good repair.

3rd. The Grand Jury beg to bring under the notice of the court the loose way in which the Accounts are sent in. They find that returns from the different Parish Officers have not been forwarded to the Auditor in time to enable him to make a statement of the present condition of the County affairs, and they are thereby prevented from showing a correct account of the County expenditures and receipts.

4th. The Grand Jury recommend that the County be taxed to the amount of one hundred pounds, to pay off debts and meet the necessary contingencies.

5th. The Grand Jury recommend that the Parish of Perth be assessed for the sum of ten pounds, for the support of the poor of said Parish.

6th. The Grand Jury recommend that the ladder belonging to the County Buildings be painted, and also that the hole in front of the Court House be filled up; and that the same be put up at public competition.

7th. The Grand Jury also recommend that the Sheriff and Constables, in attendance at Court at the present session, be paid.

8th. The Grand Jury also beg leave to bring under the notice of the Court the fact that a stove and some benches have suddenly disappeared from the Court House, and recommend that enquiry be made as to the circumstances of the case.

JAS. R. HARTLEY, For reman.
Grand Jury Room, 8th July, 1857.

A daring robbery was committed on Monday last; some one entering the residence of Mr. George Parks, Lower Corner, and stealing a belt containing \$1,500 in Gold.

The Marshall immediately, with his accustomed energy, went to work to ferret out the robber;—in which, although he failed, he succeeded in obtaining such information as led to the recovery of the money, which was hid within a few rods of the place whence taken.

LOOKS WELL.—Mr. Oakes has posters around town setting forth that he wants 1,000 men to work on the Railroad, (St. Andrews and Quebec.)

As the Rev. David Stott has gone to Fredericton to attend a meeting of Presbytery, their will be no service in the Presbyterian Church here, nor at Northampton, on Sabbath first, (to-morrow.)

We learn that a new Engine company has been formed for Engine No. 2 during the week; and that at a meeting held for the purpose of electing Officers, in which a great unanimity of feeling prevailed, Henry Dow was chosen captain; A. P. English, Lieutenant; J. C. Winslow, Clerk; and F. E. Winslow, Treasurer.

PIC-NIC.

A PUBLIC PIC-NIC and FAIR will be held on BULL'S ISLAND, by the Catholics of Woodstock, on Thursday, the twentieth of August next, to raise funds to assist in the purchase of an ORGAN for their Church. Every pains will be taken to render the day as pleasant as possible, and a BAND will be in attendance on the occasion. The grounds will be open at 10 o'clock, A.M.; Tea will be served up at 6 o'clock, P.M., and the day's amusements will terminate at 9 in the evening. Refreshments can be had on the grounds. Tickets for the Tea will be 2s. d. to be had at Mr. McGuirk's, Mr. Baird's, Mr. Bradley's, and at the gate. Charge for the entry on the grounds, to those who do not wish to have tea, will be 1s. 3d. June 13, 1857.

MARRIED:

At Woodstock, on the 16th inst., by the Rev. Samuel Hart, Mr. Mark Freeman to Miss Abigail Grant, both of the Parish of Southampton, York Co.

At Howard Settlement, Canterbury, on the 28th ult., by Rev. Thomas Martin, Missionary, Mr. John Miller to Miss Sarah Ann Grant, both of Canterbury.

DIED:

At the residence of Mrs. Charles Peabody, Lower Woodstock, on Saturday morning last, 18th inst., of Consumption, Charlotte Isabella, wife of Mr. James Burnett, of Fredericton, in the 23d year of her age.

At Andover, on the 15th June, in the 44th year of his age, William F. Bedell, of that place.

At his father's residence in Southampton, on the 13th inst., John L. Grant, leaving a wife, three children, and a large circle of friends, to mourn their loss.

New Advertisements.

Take Notice.

THE subscriber would beg to notify his friends and the public, that he has removed his business to the Store next to W. T. BAIRD, Esq., where he is prepared to repair

WATCHES & CLOCKS,

and every other thing connected with his business, in the best manner and on the most reasonable terms.

JAMES ROBERTSON.
Woodstock, July 23d, 1857. 48-4f

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10 " Scythe Snatches;
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MRS. MARTHA LOUISA ALLISON, A.B., Preceptress.

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Book-Keeping.	Mental Philosophy.
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Geography.	Astronomy.
History, Ancient & Modern.	Elements of Criticism.
Algebra.	Natural Theology.
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Trigonometry.	Anatomy and Physiology.
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J. ALLISON, Principal.
MOUNT ALLISON FEMALE ACADEMY,
Sackville, N. B., July 4th, 1857.

Supreme Court--In Equity.

Between WILLIAM STROUP, Plaintiff, and
WILLIAM COOK HAMMOND, CHARLES A. HAMMOND,
and FRANCIS E. WINSLOW, Executors, &c., of
Andrew B. Hammond, deceased, Defendants.

PURSUANT to a decree of the Supreme Court in Equity, made in this Cause, I do further notify the Creditors of the said Testator to appear before me, by their Solicitors, at my office in Woodstock, on Tuesday the eighteenth day of August next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to prove their said Debts; or, in default thereof, they will be peremptorily excluded the benefit of said decree.

Dated at Woodstock, this sixth day of July, 1857.

A. K. SMEDES WETMORE,
Barrister and Examiner.

For New Zealand!

A NUMBER of parties, desirous of emigrating to New Zealand, having concluded upon forming a company for the purpose of purchasing a suitable vessel, to sail from this Port about the 20th August, parties anxious of emigrating to the above place will find this a desirable and cheap opportunity, either by becoming shareholders or otherwise.

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