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I have also on hand a large assortment of

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A quantity of SHINGLES also for sale.

Sawing done to suit customers.

Victoria Corner, July 2, 1877—tf-27

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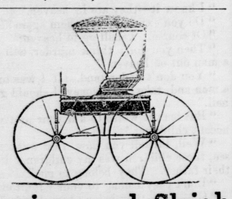
Also in stock—HORSE CARDS, MANE COMBS, CURRY COMBS, BRUSHES, CHAMOIS SKINS, SPONGES, WHIPS, &c.

Woodstock, Dec. 13, 1877.



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Those indebted to the subscriber will please remember that he was burned out by the recent fire and is much in need of money, by settling immediately they will confer a great favor.

☞ Please don't forget.

T. L. ESTEY.
Woodstock, August 17, 1877

Ho for the Silver Mines
Of THE SAN JUAN!

PARTIES going to California, or any other points south or west, will find it to their advantage to buy their TICKETS of the subscriber at the Eastern Express Office, Woodstock, or on the Express Trains of the N. B. & C. Railroad.

E. H EVANS
Agent.
Woodstock, March 1, 1878—tf-10

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Gives a Good, Clear Complexion.

PHILA., PA., July 8, 1877.

H. R. STEVENS, BOSTON:

Dear Sir—The great benefit I have received from the use of Vegetine induces me to give my testimony in its favor. For several years my face has been covered with pimples, which caused me much annoyance, and, knowing it to be a blood disease, I consulted a number of doctors, and also tried many preparations without obtaining any benefit until I commenced taking Vegetine, and before I had used the first bottle I saw I had the right medicine. I have used three bottles and find my health much improved, my humor entirely cured.

Yours resp'y,
MISS N. KEEFE,
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Vegetine.

REPORTS FROM OTTAWA.

OTTAWA, CANADA, Dec. 31, 1878.

R. R. STEVENS, BOSTON, MASS:

Sir—I have used your Vegetine in my family for several years, and consider it an invaluable medicine. I most cheerfully recommend its use to those desiring a safe and effectual remedy for diseases of the stomach and impurities of the blood. I may add that I have advocated its use to several of my friends and acquaintances with the most gratifying and satisfactory results.

Very respectfully yours,
MRS. W. G. PERLEY.

No one can doubt the truthfulness of the above certificates, coming from so responsible and influential parties. Mr. Perley is the senior member of the firm of Perley & Pattee, one of the largest and most extensive lumber firms in America.

Vegetine

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PHILA., PA., July 18, 1877.

H. R. STEVENS:

Dear Sir—I can cheerfully recommend your Vegetine as the "Great Blood Purifier." I have been ailing from Scrofula for years, and was cured by your Vegetine. I keep it constantly on hand to keep my bowels regular, and am constantly recommending it to all whom I heard needing a remedy like yours.

Truly yours,
JOHN McGETTIGAN.

Being personally acquainted with Mr. McGettigan, I can vouch for him as being reliable in his statement, as I have sold him Vegetine.

DR. J. W. ABEL,
Druggist, 1024 Beach Street.

Vegetine

Gives Life and Vigor.

HASTINGS, MINN., Dec. 16, 1878.

H. R. STEVENS, BOSTON:

Dear Sir—I will do all I can in regard to the Vegetine, which has been the saving of my life, and I believe thousands of others. It is good for General Debility and all Female Weaknesses and will give life, vigor and strength to both sexes.

Yours, with respect,
MRS. SUMNER WALTON.

Vegetine

Druggists Report.

PHILA., July 6, 1877.

H. R. STEVENS, BOSTON, MASS:

We have sold your Vegetine for some years past, and our customers recommend it as being the best and safest "Blood Purifier" in use We have sold many articles of the same description, but Vegetine gives the most universal satisfaction. We always recommend it with confidence.

HANSELL BROS.
Druggists, 1626 Market Street.

VEGETINE

Prepared by

H. R. STEVENS, Boston Mass.

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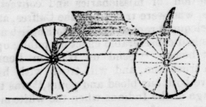

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I will give all the time a man needs.

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Woodstock, June 23, 1879

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Opposite "Gibson House,"

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Woodstock, Nov. 22, 1877—27

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Woodstock, May 3, 1879—tf-14

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100 pairs of Men's and Boys' Shoes, fine and coarse;
100 Men's and Boys' Felt HATS;
A large lot of Stone, China and Crockeryware;
100 sacks of Coarse SALT;
A large lot of Fine BUTTER SALT, by the box, bag or bottle;
A lot of PRINTS for 5 cents per yard;
SHEETING, DUCKING, TICKING;
Tinware, Brooms, Brushes, Small Wares;

FURNITURE!

Confectionery!

And nearly everything the eye can wish for and the heart desire.

These Goods are all bought straight from the manufactures, for cash, so we can sell to our customers cheap for cash or Country Produce.

Hoping to see you all in to see me often, I am most respectfully yours,

J. C. MILMORE.
Woodstock, June 13, 1879

MUNICIPALITY OF VICTORIA COUNTY

Andover, July 2, 1879.

Council met in semi-Annual Session.—Present, the Warden in the chair, Messrs. Cameron, Porter, Armstrong, Lovely, Walker, Day, Curless, McCluskey, Graham, Everett, McDougald.

Minutes of last day of January session read and approved; previous to the vote for approval, Mr. Day wished to call attention to one or two omissions. There appeared on the minutes no notice of the passing of the return of Highway Commissioners, Drummond, Wm. Bryal, Jr., and J. R. Prince.—Nor was there any notice of a motion that passed, against his protest, to charge against Drummond certain delinquent lists of 1873 and 1874. On this matter there had been considerable discussion, and he thought the Reporter should have noticed it.

Mr. McCluskey said it would appear from the minutes that there had been no definite motions on these matters, and therefore the Reporter could not be expected to report a discussion.

The Warden said they could not expect the Reporter to notice all desultory conversations.

Secretary Treasurer said the reports referred to had no endorsation by the Warden to show that they had passed, and therefore had not been entered on the minutes.

On motion the minutes were now approved as read.

On motion of Mr. Cameron, seconded by Mr. McDougald—

Resolved, That Constable Street be employed to attend the present session of Council.

Mr. Cameron moved, seconded by Mr. McDougald—

Resolved, That Mr. Street be paid $1.50 per day.

Mr. Day moved, seconded by Mr. Curless, in amendment, that the pay be $1 25 per day.

Mr. Lovely moved, seconded by Mr. Armstrong, in amendment to amendment, that the pay be $1.00 per day. Amendment to amendment passed.

Mr. McCluskey, from the committee appointed in January to revise the by-laws, reported progress and asked leave to sit again. Report received and leave granted.

The committee on public buildings at Grand Falls presented the following:

To the Municipal Council of the Municipality of Victoria:

The report of the committee appointed to take care of the County buildings at Grand Falls, within the said Municipality, is respectfully submitted.

Your committee, as soon as possible after their appointment, visited the County buildings at Grand Falls, and found the same vacant.

Having deemed it advisable to rent the said building for a certain term, your committee leased it to one Leonard Wilson, under a monthly tenancy, to expire the first day of July, 1879, at and for the sum of two dollars per month, which sum was paid to us at the expiration of each and every month, thereby contributing a small amount to the County fund, which would not have been obtained had your committee allowed the said building to remain vacant.

Your commitee would respectfully submit for your earnest and careful consideration the fact that at the present time and since the removal of the Shire Town from Grand Falls to Andover there exists no lock-up or gaol at the said Grand Falls, a necessity which we believe cannot be very well dispensed with. Your committee would therefore strongly recommend that some steps be taken by this Council which will secure to the rate-payers and residents, at Grand Falls, a lock-up or gaol, thereby granting unto them anew the privilege and advantages which they so recently enjoyed, and of which they are now deprived.

Signed, WALTER GRAHAM,
G. W. DAY.
J. E. PORTER.

The committee also handed in $8, being 4 months rent.

On motion of Mr. Cameron, seconded by Mr. Armstrong, report was received and laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. Porter, seconded by Mr. Cameron, a committee of six was appointed to apportion the by-road money. Committee—Messrs. Porter, Walker, Armstrong, McCluskey, Day, McDougald.

The Secretary Treasurer, in reply to Mr. Porter, stated that the total amount was $1997, less $99.11, drawn in October last, leaving a balance of $1897.89. This statement came from the Secretary's office, but he had no information as to who drew the amount in October.

Secretary Treasurer read the following:—

To the Warden and Councillors of the Municipality of Victoria:

Gentlemen,—The petition of H. Douglass Beveridge, Andover, Whereas a by-law of your Municipality regulates the sale on the first of March of every year, of the ferry between Andover and Perth, known as the D. Larlee ferry, and whereas your petitioner is desirous of fitting up and running a ferry by means of a wire and pulleys, and whereas your petitioner will expend a large sum of money on the ferry for said wire and other plant necessary for the purpose.

Therefore, your petitioner prays that the said by-law respecting said ferry be rescinded, and that a lease be granted to him for the term of five years, upon certain conditions, which will be agreed upon between the Municipality and your petitioner. Also that by-law regulating fees for ferries be rescinded, so far as said ferry is concerned, and a less rate be fixed by the Municipality, and your petitioner as in duty bound will ever pray.

Signed,
H. DOUGLAS BEVERIDGE.

Andover, July 2, 1879.

Petition, on motion, received and laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. McCluskey, seconded by Mr. Armstrong, a committee consisting of Messrs. Cameron, Lovely and Everett was appointed to consult with Mr. Beveridge in reference to the matter and report after dinner.

Petition was presented from S. A. Cameron for a wholesale liquor license, Andover, for 6 months. Sureties, John Cameron and George Baird.

On motion of Mr. McDougald, seconded by Mr. McCluskey—Ordered, That license be granted.

Petition was presented from W. H. Watson, for a wholesale liquor license, at or near the Boundary Line, for 6 months. Sureties, J. N. Russell and George Baird.

On motion of Mr. McDougald, seconded by Mr. Cameron—Ordered, That the license be granted.

Petition presented from D. W. Orcutt, for a tavern license for 6 months for his premises in Andover Parish, and setting forth that he possesses all the necessary accommodations required by law. Sureties, George Baird and M. McCluskey.

On motion—Ordered, that the license be granted.

Petition presented from M. McCluskey, for tavern license for his premises, Grand Falls, for 6 months. Sureties, George Baird and D. W. Orcutt.

On motion—Ordered, that the license be granted.

This petition was in the first place for a year, but the Council was indisposed to depart from the decision come to in January last, in view of the probability of the Permissive Law coming into force, to grant licenses for more than 6 months, and there was some discussion as to the legality of the Council taking a less sum for any license than $20, which is the minimum fixed by statute.

The Secretary Treasurer submitted the following:—

Provincial Secretary's Office,
Fredericton, June 24, 1889.

Sir,—I am directed to desire your immediate attention to the School Loan due to the Government of New Brunswick by the late County of Victoria, and to suggest to you the propriety of moving in the ordinary way at the next meeting of the Municipal Council for the appointment of a committee to confer with a like committee to be appointed by the Municipal Council of Madawaska, upon the subject, with a view to an amicable adjustment of the matter and the early reimbursement of the Provincial Government.

This suggestion, however, is wholly for the consideration of your Council; but I must earnestly impress upon you the necessity of closing these matters at an early day.

Your obedient servant,
Signed, WM. WEDDERBURN.
S. J. BAKER, Esq.,
Secretary Treasurer, Andover.

The Warden explained that when the County was incorporated, a magistrate for each Parish was appointed to confer and a schedule of the indebtedness of each parish was prepared. This schedule he thought he had in his possession at home. Madawaska was then deeply in debt to the County, but repudiated the debt and since its separation from Victoria County has continued to repudiate it. The government now claimed from Victoria County the amount of $1700, the whole of the indebtedness, because it was incurred previous to the division of the Counties, and was not provided for at the separation. He thought Mr. McCluskey would know all about it.

Mr. McCluskey explained that at the time the school law came in force, Madawaska formed part of Victoria County. Thirty cents per head was assessed for school money for which the County was responsible annually. The result was that Madawaska would not accept and work under the law and therefore repudiated the taxes imposed under it, and the only portion collected was from the lower part of St. Leonards parish. It was suggested, about the time the Counties were to be divided, that a conference should be held before separation and the matter settled. The whole of the balance now claimed accrued in and was due by the now County of Madawaska. As to who, now, was entitled to pay the amount he was not quite prepared to say. Certain it was that the government had been dilatory and allowed the matter to slip and now they look to us because the debt was incurred in the name of Victoria County. Before he (Mr. McC.) would consent to pay the amount, he must insist upon a thorough investigation.

The Warden was understood to say that Madawaska refused to pay any taxes because the amount of the assessment properly belonging to and levied for school purposes could not be ascertained. The loan was made to meet the half year's drafts for the first year of the school law.

Mr. McCluskey referred to a time when he, being treasurer of the County, refused to pay certain school drafts, without an order from the bench, because the people of Madawaska having declined to pay their school tax, it was necessary to draw upon the general revenues of the County to pay the school drafts The bench decided that the school drafts must be paid and the draft holders came down on him like a storm of hail.

On motion of Mr. Porter, seconded by Mr. McDougald—

Resolved, That a committee, as suggested by the Provincial Secretary, be appointed to confer with a like committee of the Municipal Council of Madawaska.

Mr. McCluskey, from the committee appointed to apportion the by-road money, submitted a report recommending that the by-road money be divided the same as last year; that is in six equal parts, with the understanding that the Parishes of Drummond, Gordon and Lorne, contribute and pay the sum of $75 each, to be spent on the road leading from Grand Falls to the great road in the Parish of Gordon, the present year.

On motion of Mr. McCluskey, seconded by Mr. Graham—

Resolved, That the report be received and adopted.

On motion of Mr. McCluskey, Hugh McManus is appointed Pound Keeper, No. 1. District, Grand Falls, and Clarence Estabrooks Pound Keeper, Rapid De Feme district, Grand Falls.

Mr. Everitt, from the committee appointed to confer with Mr. Beveridge, reported that Mr. Douglass Beveridge for and in consideration of a lease for five years of the ferry mentioned in his petition, laid before the County Council, agrees to equip and run a wire pully ferry at the following rates, for months of April, May, October and November, viz: Double team, 20c; single team, 15c; foot passengers. 5c each, and for months June, July, August and September, double teams, 12c; single teams, 10c; foot passengers, 3c, and run the same in a satisfactory manner, which agreement if not carried out, the lease becomes void.

Signed, WM. EVERETT,
ENOCH LOVELY,
S. A. CAMERON.

On motion, report of committee received and adopted.

On motion, the Secretary Treasurer is requested to prepare a by-law giving effect to the terms of the report and rescinding so much as is necessary of the existing by-law relating to ferries and submit the same tomorrow.

Petition was presented from A. L. Watson, of Drummond, setting forth, under oath, that he has been over rated in the assessment upon his real and personal property in said Parish to the sum of two dollars.

Mr. Watson was heard in explanation, and stated that he was assessed higher than others in the Parish who owned much more real and personal property than did he.

Mr. Day moved, seconded by Mr. Curless, that petition be received and relief granted.

Mr. Porter said the County appointed and paid Valuators and Assessors to attend to these matters, and therefore the Council had always laid such requests as this on the table. It was not the place of the Council, and they were not competent to decide as to the justice of such appeals, which should be made to the valuators.

Mr. Curless said that last winter the Council received in two cases petitions like the present and granted their prayer.

Sec. Treasurer read the law touching the matter.

Mr. Porter said they understood that, but this provision of the law was to provide for an appeal to Council after a failure on the part of the valuators to do justice. There was nothing to show that in this case the valuators had been applied to for relief, and they had now before them only an *ex parte* statement, which they had no right to consider. If they threw aside the results of the labors of proper officials, without full justification, they would not probably do justice, and if they approved of this petition they would in the future be flooded with such appeals.

Mr. Curless said Mr. Porter was all right as to his statements of law, but the fact was Watson did appeal last year to the valuators; this year he was prevented from doing so, and therefore came here.

Mr. Day said that while valuators are officers of the County, it was two or three years since those valuators made up a list, and it might be that, in other cases as he believed it was in Watson's, their property was worth less in 1879 than when the list under which this assessment was levied was made. Mr. Watson says he did not have an opportunity to fyle a statement, and therefore he now comes here according to law, with a sworn statement, and asks redress, which through him (Mr. Day) Watson had a right to ask and the Council to grant. It was a Parish affair, in which Drummond alone was interested, and in such a case when the two Councillors of a Parish were agreed, it was not usual for other Councillors to interfere

Mr. McCluskey said it was true, as just stated, and it was also true that when anyone had injustice done him he had a right, in a legal way, to come here for relief. But in this case he agreed with Mr. Porter. There were certain conditions prescribed by law, which must be attended to before a man had a right to come here, and he could not learn that the petitioner had attended to those conditions. He had no disposition to refuse Mr. Watson justice, but if they acted on this matter as it came before them, they would speedily have nothing to do but attend to similar petitions.

Mr. Armstrong said his first impression was that Mr. Watson had a right to come here for relief, but now, as he read the law, concluded that he should have first applied to the valuators.

Mr. Porter said that he had no wish to oppose the Councillors for Drummond, but the petitioner is not applying to that Parish but to the County, and if the money is refunded and charged to Drummond, the County would have to wait some time for the amount. There was no want of courtesy intended, but he wanted to act consistently with the law and the interests of the people.

The following accounts were read and ordered to be paid:—

Assessors of Peel,	$22 17
Carleton Sentinel,	55 00
Sheriff Olmstead,	72 35
Henry Fullerton,	3 00
John Jenkins,	3 00
Edward Jenkins,	1 00
Assessors of Drummond,	21 45
Henry Goslin,	1 00
J. B. Larlee,	1 00

Account of Samuel Clark, $6 10, for ladders, was referred to public building committee.

On motion of Mr. Lovely, seconded b Mr. Armstrong, Alex. Barclay is appointed road master for Narrows district, Perth.

Mr. McCluskey moved, seconded by Mr. Graham,—Whereas great inconvenience has been, as is likely to be experienced by the inhabitants of Grand Falls and vicinity on account of the distance they are removed from the Shire Town, and in consequence of the transient and floating population comprising the inhabitants of the said village of Grand Falls, therefore

Resolved. That a lock up house be established at Grand Falls, in accordance with the statutes of the Province.

Mr. Graham explained how the residents at Grand Falls suffered owing to the unrestrained license of drunken and unruly individuals, to take care of whom, in a legal way, there was no place provided.

Mr. Day said it was very necessary to have such an arrangement as that sought at Grand Falls. It was a central place and the lock-up there might be a convenience to many other parishes. Persons came to the Falls from surrounding places and from the other side of the river to trade. Coming dry some of them got pretty wet before they were ready to go home and became very boisterous and troublesome. And things would grow worse there if there was not some means adopted of restraining those viciously inclined, and punishing or at least putting them out of the way of doing harm, which now could not be done without incurring the expense of bringing them down to Andover.

Mr. Porter remarked that possibly the expense of providing a lock-up might exceeed and over balance the advantages anticipated from it.

Mr. McCluskey said he was not so much carrying out his own views as the strong idea of ninety-nine one hundredths of the people in the upper part of the County, in bringing this matter before the Council. He came here instructed by his constituents, not to beg a favor but to demand a right and he submitted this resolution as declaring that right. A little while ago when Andover required or some of the people here thought certain public institutions were required here, they did not ask from the Council what they required and submit to its decision, but, by a high handed act, went to the Legislature and there got what they wanted. The lock-up was required at the Falls as a means of protection of the public peace; not a mere matter of convenience but of justice. Now the people were exposed to insult and disturbance; their property was imperilled and they were compelled either to watch all night to protect themselves and property or to make sheep-houses of their houses by allowing ingress to drunkards in order to get them off the streets. The only other alternative being, at great inconvenience and expense, to bring the parties down to Andover. He had hoped and still hoped to see the Permissive Liquor Law in force in Victoria County, and that would make things better by stopping the sale of liquor among and its indulgence by our own people, but it was not for these the lock-up was wanted, but for outsiders who came to the Town and there created disturbance. Mr. McCluskey was understood to say that he did not expect to live to see the Liquor Law adopted in Madawaska, and while their neighbors could get liquor, they at the Falls would have to suffer the consequences.

Mr. Porter, while admitting that possibly there was some show of justice in the claim set up, could not endorse the assertion that Grand Falls could demand a lock-up as a positive right. He did not know that every Parish had a right to a lock-up at the expense of the County, although such an establishment in every Parish would be a convenience. He did not know for himself that a lock-up was wanted very badly at Grand Falls, though possibly it was necessary there. The time was, and for a long time too, when there was no lock-up at Andover, and they got along very well without one. This was a matter for the Board to consider, not merely as affecting Grand Falls, but as one in which the financial interests of the whole County was concerned.

Mr. Graham thought that instead of the establishment proving expensive to the County it would really save expense and pay. The idea was simply to use that part of the old gaol, which was not now in use, and the man who occupied that building would do the necessary work for the rent. He was satisfied that the members of this Board understood the needs of Grand Falls on this matter, and had too much sound sense to refuse what was asked or to view it in a one sided manner.

Mr. Curless said that at certain seasons of the year the Falls was visited by stream drivers and others, of a class of persons who were reckless, especially when under the influence of strong drink; there were times when, from the presence of drunken men, it was unsafe for a respectable woman to be on the streets, and it was scarcely possible at present in such cases to preserve the peace or protect the property of the people. If a place was provided in which the violators of order could be imprisoned until they became sober, much of the present difficulty would be avoided. If the old gaol was used there would be no additional expense entailed, but he believed a saving to the County would be effected.—And they were suffering for the relief that was now sought. It should be remembered that at Grand Falls is a larger community than at Andover, and there are more rum shops there, and under these circumstances the people were only asking their rights, unless they were regarded, as some seemed disposed yesterday to regard the Indians, as outside the pale and protection of law. He wished it to be understood that it was the floating rather than the permanent population of Grand Falls against whose lawlessness they had to provide.

Mr. Armstrong said, referring to Mr. Graham's idea, that they might convert a portion of the old gaol into a lock-up; that as it now stands that gaol was too expensive a building to devote to such a purpose. It was right to consider the matter well. It would seem from the statements made that owing to the crime at Grand Falls, something of the kind sought was wanting, but he did not think the people of the County were prepared to give up the gaol altogether for that purpose. If the building could be divided so that a part of it could be used for a lock-up, the proposal might be regarded with more favor.

Mr. McCluskey said he thought they were wasting too much time; in the motion before them the old gaol was not asked for; all that was asked was that the Council should affirm that there should be a lock-up at Grand Falls. After that passed they might devise a way to establish it. The motion now passed.

There now arose some little discussion as to further action towards giving effect to the resolution just past, during which, Mr. Porter urged that they should close the session that evening, as it was discreditable not to get through with the small amount of business before them in one day, and Mr. McCluskey charged that the delay arose from members getting up steam and warmly opposing any motion that sought to do any justice to Grand Falls.

It was understood that the Secretary Treasurer would prepare a by-law for submission the next morning and further action was deferred.

The Council then adjourned till to-morrow, at 10 o'clock.

July 3, 1879.

Warden in the chair. All Councillors present; minutes of yesterday read and approved.

Petition of John Kelly, Grand Falls, asking for a tavern license for 6 months and stating that he has the required accommodations—sureties Hugh Taylor and John Street.

On motion of Mr. Cameron, seconded by Mr. McDougald—Ordered that license be granted.

Mr. Cameron wished to ask explanations from the Councillors of Drummond and Perth by request of some of the parties interested. He was told, that last year a petition was handed to Mr. Armstrong from inhabitants of a certain district in Perth, asking for a by-law to prohibit cattle, &c., from running at large. That petition never came before the Council; hence this enquiry.

Mr. Armstrong said that he, last winter, received two petitions from inhabitants of the district referred to, the one asking that cattle be prohibited, the other, and this most numerously signed, asking that cattle be not prohibited, and under these circumstances both Mr. Lovely and himself thought it best not to move in the matter, but let the people among themselves become more united in opinion.

Messrs. Day, Lovely and Curless entered further into explanations on the subject, and the conversation dropped.

Secretary Treasurer submitted the following by-law, which on motion of Mr. Porter, seconded by Mr. Lovely, was ordered to be ordained and the Secretary Treasurer directed to prepare a lease in accordance with the terms of such by-law:—

Be it ordained by the County Council of the Municipality of Victoria as follows:—

That the ferry between Daniel Larlee's, in Perth, and B. Beveridge's, in Andover, be leased for the term of five years from the passage hereof, to H. Douglas Beveridge, upon the following conditions:—

First—That the said H. Douglas Beveridge equip and run a cable wire ferry, with a sufficient number of suitable boats, to meet the requirements of the public, and keep the said wire and boats in good order and condition during the said term of five years.

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Second—That the fees for ferriage at said ferry shall be as follows, viz.:—For the months of April, May October and November—Double teams, 20 cents; single teams, 15 cents; foot passengers, 5 cents; for each and every head of horses, neat cattle, over two years old, cows and their kind, including the person in charge, 15 cents; for each and every head of sheep, swine, calves and cattle, less than two years old, and their kind, 10 cents, and the person in charge 5 cents; and for all other articles of freight, goods, wares or merchandise exceeding 200 pounds in weight, not herein provided for, 3 cents per hundred pounds; when freight is not conveyed by carriage, 3 cents per cwt.

For the months of June, July, August and September—Double teams, 12 cents; single teams, 10 cents; foot passengers, 3 cents; for each and every head of horses, neat cattle, over two years old, cows and their kind, including the person in charge, 7 cts.; for each and every head of sheep, calves, swine and cattle, less than two years old, and their kind, 5 cents, and the person in charge 3 cents; and for all other articles of freight, goods, wares or merchandise exceeding 200 lbs. in weight, not herein provided for, 2 cents per one cwt.; when freight is not carried by carriage, 2 cents per cwt.

Third—That all provisions of by-law No. 15, "To establish ferries and landings in the County of Victoria, and to regulate the same," in their application to the above mentioned Larlee's ferry and inconsistent with this by-law hereby ordained are hereby suspended.

The following accounts were disposed of:—

Assessors of Andover,	$10 58	ord. paid
Assessors of Gordon,	15 48	"
Beveridge Bros,	17 00	"
T. K Cameron,	8 75	"
G. W. Buckingham, (constable)	3 80	"
J. N. Russell,	2 90	laid over.
Samuel Clark, (ladders)	6 10	

On this last bill and the previous one there was some discussion. The articles charged for were for the Court House, and some Councillors objected to the bill not coming through and recommended by the committee in charge of the public buildings.

Mr. McCluskey did not suppose but that the items were correct, but asked what was the use of having a committee if they left the Council in doubt with regard to them.

Mr. Day, referring to items in Russell's account, wanted to know if the County was to be at additional expense every time there was a loose joint in a stove pipe, and every time a stove was taken down.

Mr. Armstrong said the committee knew nothing about Russell's bill.

Mr. Lovely supposed Clark's bill for ladders, was all right and moved that it be paid.

The Warden said it was necessary to have ladders on the building in order to meet the conditions of insurance.

Mr. Porter said the ladders were not on the building. If they were necessary the committee should see to it that they were obtained and put in place, and the bill should come through them.

Mr. Curless thought the price for the ladders was small, but objected to the manner in which additional expenses were being incurred.

Mr. Cameron said the committee could do nothing for the board had limited them to $8 and