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COUNTY COUNCIL.

The summer session of the Municipality of Carleton, opened in the Court House, Tuesday morning, at 10 o'clock. Warden W S Saunders presided, and the following councillors were present:—

Aberdeen—Fred S Skinner.
Brighton—James S Faulkner, Clarence E Hayward.

Peel—William Tompkins, David Phillips.

Richmond—John M Hay, J S Merrithew.

Kent—C E Gallagher, M Bohan.

Woodstock—F Byron Bull, James H Forrest.

Woodstock Town—W S Saunders, Wm McDonald, Arthur Bailey.

Simonds—John V Kearney, Wm Raymond.

Northampton—A C Phillips.

Wicklow—Chas A Giberson, Chas A Simonds.

Wilmot—Harry Carvell, John F Williams.

Wakefield—Frank Shaw, Albert Bell.

Warden Saunders referred in suitable terms to the death of Coun Speer. He spoke of his efficiency as a councillor and referred to the election of Coun Bull to fill the vacancy.

The bill ordered by the last session was prepared and taken in charge by Mr Appleby. On the representation of Mr Appleby and on finding that the town was much opposed to the bill it was decided to allow the bill to remain as it was until the town committee consulted with the Council.

The town would agree to pay a certain sum every year. A committee was before the Council this morning from the new Hospital organization. This would be a county hospital and it was thought they should, like the town, now make a suitable contribution.

Couns Brown and Lamont were absent, the former because of the death of a near relative, the latter by reason of his own illness.

The minutes of the January session were read by Secretary-Treasurer Hartley.

On motion Coun Gallagher, seconded Coun Phillips (Peel) the minutes as read were approved, after an explanation by the Sec-Treas, to Coun Merrithew, relative to the pay of the district clerk of Richmond.

On motion of Coun Forrest, seconded by Coun Gallagher, the following resolution was carried by a standing vote.

WHEREAS, by the wisdom of an all-wise and over-ruling Providence, it has been ordained that our late colleague, William Speer, has by the summons of death been removed from our midst; and, whereas, we feel his loss and miss his wise counsel and advice in our meeting to-day, yet we feel ours is a trifling loss compared to that which must be felt by his bereaved wife and family, who are so suddenly called upon to mourn the loss of a kind husband and loving father.

THEREFORE RESOLVED, that we the members of the Carleton County Council this day assembled do hereby tender to Mrs Speer and family our kindest sympathy in their sudden bereavement and trust that the great healer of sorrows will comfort them and theirs, and further resolved, that a copy of this resolution be prepared by the Secretary-Treasurer and forwarded to Mrs Speer on behalf of this board.

On motion the representatives of the Carleton County Hospital were heard before the board.

The Warden introduced Archdeacon Neales, who explained how the deputation was appointed. The necessity for an hospital arose not only from the feeling of the benefit it would prove, but from the absolute necessity of such an institution.

He also explained the work towards the hospital already done. He estimated that the amount of \$3,500 is required for the present year and \$2,000 for each successive year. The board of directors have on hand in cash \$969. A subscription list of \$970 is on hand. The Legislature has given \$400 a year; the Town Council, \$300. This makes \$2,669. In addition to this there is a property selling value of which is \$700, which is the gift of a gentleman well known in the county. From the Philharmonic fund \$600 is derived. As to the maintenance annually about \$100 has been pledged by private parties. The Legislature and town make an annual offering, and some \$1600 a year can be counted on. A house has been rented at \$200 a year. A matron and nurses have been secured. The same amount Charlotte county donated for the same purpose.

Dr Hand said that hospitals have become a necessity as concerning his profession. To perform proper recovery the hospital was as necessary to the doctor as modern improvements were necessary in all professions, trades and crafts. He spoke strongly of the use of trained nurses and the great value they were in pre-

serving human life. We have now pledged between \$2600 and \$2700 and already in bank nearly \$1000 in cash. The house we have could in an emergency take care of 15 or 20 patients. The committee has it leased for five years. The estimated expenses of maintaining the institution is \$2000 a year. We may get \$500 from the Legislature. If the county gave \$400 a year the necessary amount contributed would be made up. While those who were able would be expected to pay, but any patient who was unable to pay would get treatment free. The hospital staff would operate free, but of course if a patient wished his own doctor either from the town or county that was provided for. Certain members of the committee have information that they cannot give to the public, which renders them sure that the hospital will be a certainty if the institution is once started.

Coun Gallagher asked if a man had an accident, say in the county, how would he get to the hospital—on whose permit?

Dr Hand said a line from his doctor to the matron, would do it. He referred to a case when the parish of Richmond paid some \$80 for an operation and treatment for a patient who was a pauper. In such a case treatment at the hospital would be free. He explained that the temporary board of directors was elected by a public meeting. The average cost of a bed was from \$150 to \$200 a year. This does not mean a bed occupied all the time, but the average bed.

Town Coun Geo. E. Balmain said that if the County gave an annual grant the town would have to pay their proportion. He had personal experience of the Victoria Hospital in Fredericton, being laid up for four weeks with typhoid fever. The treatment he got there was better than he could possibly receive at home. It was rumored that this was a scheme to help the doctors. It would help the doctors, because it would give them an opportunity to work to advantage.

To Coun. Merrithew—It is altogether likely that the town would exempt the hospital from taxes.

Coun. Kearney did not believe that his parish would justify him in voting for an appropriation. Every one in the County had a home and they could be attended there by their own physician and surgeon. He thought we would be discriminating against our own doctors in the County. He would move that the Councilors instead of making a grant donate the indemnity they get.

Coun. Bohan moved that the request of the committee be granted.

Coun. Skinner—I second the motion.

Coun. Forrest thought we lacked authority, and that a bill should be presented to the legislature giving the authority.

Coun. Forrest's views were incorporated in the motion of Coun. Bohan.

Coun. Gallagher thought it would be well to have the Council empowered to give a sum, say not exceeding \$500, and to start with \$300.

Coun. Tompkins seconded the amendment.

Coun. Merrithew thought we were binding our successors by this proposed motion.

The Warden said there was nothing like discrimination against the doctors in the County. Rather was the tendency to help them. He had too much confidence in the Council to think they would not act prudently in this regard.

Coun. Tompkins favored the hospital; he thought we should step slowly. He favored a grant of \$300 this year.

Coun. Merrithew believed in the enterprise, but did not believe in binding the successors of the present Council, for all time to an annual grant.

Coun. Gallagher favored the hospital, but believed we should not go too fast.

The Warden said the York Council had made the grant perpetual.

Coun. Skinner thought Mr. Bohan's motion was for one year.

Coun. Raymond did not like the idea, nor did it seem just, that we should bind succeeding Councils. He would favor a grant for the present year.

Coun. Bailey favored a grant of \$400 for five years. By that time the Council could see how the hospital was going on. He did not think much of Coun. Kearney's argument, that as good treatment can be secured at home as at a hospital.

Coun. David Phillips favored the hospital, but did not believe in going too quickly into deep water. He would go for a grant of \$400 this year, and let the next year's councillors provide for themselves.

Coun. Williams agreed with Coun.

Phillips. One thing he had noticed was that local doctors always recommended treatment in large hospitals. They did not recommend the patient to St. John or Fredericton. Would they recommend a patient to Woodstock? He did not favor a vote for a hospital in Woodstock.

Coun. Shaw favored a grant for one year. He had confidence that the Council of next year would do right. He moved a grant for one year of \$400.

Coun. Hay seconded the motion.

Coun. Bohan said he meant his motion to be for one year.

Coun. Skinner—That was the motion I seconded.

The Warden explained that the first motion implied an annual grant of \$400.

Coun. Carvell would be in favor of a grant for two years. If we vetoed this hospital it would be a disgrace to us.

Coun. McDonald—I think the amount of \$400 reasonable. The town has contributed personally and by the Council, and the latter their share of the County appropriation.

The amendment to the amendment carried. The following voted nay: Couns. Simonds, Giberson, Gallagher, Williams, Kearney, Tompkins.

Archdeacon Neales, on behalf of the committee, thanked the Council for the generous support given.

After the noon adjournment, the Council went into committee on the accounts. The accounts submitted below passed:

J C Hartley, \$8; do, \$4; William A Hayward, \$85.15; J C Hartley, \$19; do, \$10; Dr Atkinson, \$16; A R Foster, \$193.75; J & A McMillan, \$1.57; Carleton Sentinel, \$27; Press, \$6, when attested to; James Guest, \$4, when attested to.

On motion Coun Gallagher, seconded Coun Hayward, the bill of J R Simms will be paid less \$4.50.

Moved Coun Raymond, seconded Coun Simonds, that the bill of Herbert Jones, \$121, be paid less \$74, this latter amount being the charge for 74 days service, as keeper of the court house, when used as a jail, before the new jail was finished.

Moved Coun McDonald, seconded Coun Gallagher, in amendment, that the bill be paid in full, \$121. Amendment carried.

Among the bills were the charges for conveying prisoners to the police magistrate and back. Coun Carvell said that one of the strongest arguments for the jail in town was that it would cost less to carry prisoners to and from jail. There seemed to be the old charges yet.

Coun Shaw moved that the charges be cut down. He agreed with Coun Carvell that now was the time to cut off the over-charges. In Wm Hayward's jr bill it was moved that \$3.50 be deducted from his bill.

Coun Bohan thought that a charge of \$1 would be fair for taking prisoners to and from the police magistrate's court.

The motion was duly seconded and carried.

Allan Bradley of Hartland was heard. He stated that he was fairly assessed. He was assessed three times his assessable worth. Last year he was assessed on \$2,000. This was fair. This year he was assessed at a rate which was fixed by his enemy. This year he was assessed on \$6,000. He had failed to get any satisfactory action from the assessors.

On motion Coun Phillips (Peel), seconded Coun McDonald, the warden appointed a committee, comprising Couns Phillips (Peel), McDonald and Shaw, to confer with Mr Bradley and report.

The committee then retired to the ante-room.

Coun Faulkner said that the trouble arose out of a strife between two factions the Bradley party and the Thornton party. One time it was thought Mr Bradley was not taxed sufficient, and now it was probable that he was overtaxed.

On motion Coun Merrithew, seconded Coun Hay, Richard Kennedy, Jr, was appointed pound keeper for the parish of Richmond.

On motion Coun Faulkner, seconded Coun Hayward, a rebate of \$10 was given Miss Lunn on taxes paid, and charged to Brighton.

The Warden stated that a committee from the Town Council was present and he would like to see a committee appointed by the council to confer with them respecting a bill to force the town to pay their back taxes the same as the parishes.

Coun Carvell thought the Warden had taken it into his hands to stop this bill and he did not believe in the bill being recalled.

Coun Williams did not believe that it would be any use to appoint a committee. The bill should go through.

The Warden said he did not stop (Continued on eighth page.)

Supper and Presentation

About fifty of the more immediate personal friends of Albert D. Holyoke entertained that gentleman at Monohan's Royal Cafe on Friday evening.

Mr Holyoke has been a resident of Woodstock nearly all his life, and has become personally very popular, as well as a highly successful insurance man.

The New York Life Assurance Company, being in need of a general representative for the entire State of Maine, made Mr Holyoke a very flattering offer, which he has accepted.

The friends of the gentleman felt that they could not allow him to depart without in some way showing their appreciation of him.

Accordingly it was determined to hold a supper in his honor. His Worship Mayor Belyea occupied the chair, and the vice-chair was held down by Mr Sheasgreen.

After some very happy minutes had been spent in satisfying the longings of the inner man from the tempting delicacies provided, song and speech provided entertainment for the mental faculties.

The first toast was to The King's health.

This was duly honored by an excellent rendering of the National Anthem.

The next toast was to the Guest of the evening.

The chairman in proposing this toast made eloquent and feeling reference to the esteem and admiration cherished by every one present for Mr Holyoke.

A beautiful meerschaum pipe was presented to the guest on behalf of the gathering.

Mr Holyoke made a very fitting and modest response. He was evidently deeply affected by the evidences of good feeling manifest by the audience.

Other toasts were proposed and responded to as follows:—Town of Woodstock:—Mayor Belyea and Councillor Balmain.

Mercantile Interests:—G. W. Gibson; R. N. Loane; W. Jack Dibblee; I. E. Sheasgreen; C. J. Dalling.

British Empire and Its Defenders:—John Troy.

Banking Institutions:—B. M. McLeod and J. F. R. Balloch.

Board of Health:—I. E. Sheasgreen.

Insurance Interest:—Wallace Gibson.

The Local Fraternity:—T. C. L. Ketchum, and Chas Appleby.

The Press:—Editors Correll and Appleby.

The Ladies:—Messrs N. Foster Thorne; Sabine Carr and Dr. R. G. Thompson.

After singing Auld Lang Syne and The National Anthem, everyone went home feeling pleased with the evening's entertainment.

LORDS OF THE NORTH.

One of the greatest Canadian works of fiction, "Lords of the North," has recently appeared from the pen of a new writer, Miss A. C. Laut. The Montreal Daily Herald has been fortunate in securing the rights of this new story for serial reproduction, and is just beginning its publication. In order to interest the reading public in the story, The Herald announces that it will send its daily Edition free for two weeks, beginning with the issue of the story, to any one sending in their name and address to the Daily Herald, Montreal.

News From The Country.

Ashland.
The wet weather which has been favorable for the grass, has been a hindrance to the farmers about getting some of their seed in the ground. Some of the young men of this place have gone to the bark woods for Wellington Craig.

Leon, a young son of Jarvis Belyea, had a narrow escape from death a few days ago. In some manner he got before the wheels of a sloven waggon, and one of the wheels was driven upon his head. He came out with a well bruised head, and a general shaking up and is now doing well.

Lemuel Brown, Avondale, was in this place a few days ago.

Miss Mamie Brown is visiting friends and relatives in Avondale.

Ernest Seeley made a flying trip to Woodstock one day last week.

Archie Ebbett is drilling a well for Mrs Geo McAuley.

Jesse Estabrooks is building a new barn.

We are glad to have Miss Minnie Seeley with us again after her sojourn in the Celestial City, where she has been attending the Normal School.

Kirkland.

June 16, 1902.

Mr Norval Edgar has returned home from the drive.

Week before last, Miss Myrtle Carter arrived home from Lawrence, Mass.

Last week, Messrs G Dickson and H Gidney reached home from the west.

Mrs S Barlow, of Lawrence, Mass, who has been visiting her parents for a few weeks, expects to return home this week.

The Auxiliary of the W F M Society, Kirkland, met on the 10th inst, at the residence of Mr Adam Dickson. There was a good attendance present.

Mrs Chas McDougall is visiting at the Manse this week.

On Saturday, the 14th inst, some of the people from Kirkland attended the flag raising at Oak Mountain school house. The day was very fine. There was quite a large gathering present. Mr Thompson Flemming acted as chairman and opened the meeting in a neat speech. The flag was raised by Miss Carson, the teacher, assisted by Mr John Kerr. Patriotic recitations and songs were given by the children and others.

An address was given by Rev W J Fowler on "Patriotism." A bountiful lunch was provided by the ladies and heartily enjoyed. The flag-staff, a very tall and handsome one, was under the creation of the staff, and the floating of the "Union Jack."

Upper Bloomfield.

James Young is paying a short visit to his mother and brother. He is enroute for the west where employment is awaiting him.

Sorry to report that our organist, Mrs Alice London is still unable to attend church.

Mrs Lizzie Nichols was sent as a delegate from this school to attend the Sunday School convention held at Williamstown last Friday.

Annie Nickerson who is teaching at East Blaine spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents here.

Mr Parks' family have vacated the house, on the farm lately purchased by Albert Carvell, and have gone to take up their future abode at Woodstock.

Pleasant moonlight evenings now! It would be an odd man who wouldn't enjoy a drive with a pleasant companion by his side. But the opportunity is past for a while at least.

W. I. Burke's flock of sheep must have been visited by some dog as a lamb is missing. Had he been so fortunate as to have caught the cur at it, someone thinks had he "hollered" at it as loud as he did at the telephone he might have saved poor lammy's life.

Many from here attended the Baptist Quarterly meetings held last Tuesday and Wednesday, at Good's Corner. A large number of people were in attendance to enjoy the spiritual feast. The following ministers were present: Reverends Freeman of Centerville, Cahill of Jacksonton, Fash of Woodstock, Sterling of Grand Falls, and Barton of Union Corner. Strangers were well entertained by the people of the community.

Benton.

The death of Caroline beloved wife of John Moxon occurred here on Wednesday, in the 74 year of her age. She is survived by a husband, three sons, two daughters and fifteen grand children. The funeral took place on Friday, Rev. George Ross officiating.

The sad news of the death of Miss Madge Lennihan aged 20 years, grand-daughter of deceased, has been received, her death occurred in Empire City, Colorado, at the residence of her aunt Mrs. George Sharp. Being in poor health she went to Colorado a few months ago hoping to be benefited by the change of climate.

On Sabbath afternoon 8th. inst., a large number of persons gathered on the bridge and along the banks of Eel River and witnessed the ordinance of baptism administered by Rev. George Ross to two candidates, Miss Mildred E. Jones, school teacher, and Miss Alice A. Lewin, daughter of Charles A. Lewin Esq.

Rev. G. Ross accompanied by Mrs. Ross and little daughter Mildred, left to-day to attend the Methodist Conference at Sackville, after which they purpose going to Prince Edward Island to visit his parents who reside there.

Mr. T. G. McCready of Brockville, Ont.; is at Arsco's tannery introducing a new system of tanning with Quebec.

The farm known as the Rodge,

McCue farm on Springfield road has been purchased by Peter K. Stewart, who expects to reside there.

Rockland.

June 17, 1902.

Mrs. Charles Belyea returned on Saturday last, after a prolonged visit to children in Massachusetts and Maine.

W. A. Hayward, Esq., and ex-Mayor Murphy made a flying visit through here one day last week.

One of our ministers sold a very choice mare on Friday last, and it is now the property of Mr. Murphy of your town.

Rev. Mr. Daggett of Hartland, also on same day as above, purchased a driver from J. C. Belyea of this village.

The Baptist Association will open in annual session here on 27th inst.—On that and following day (Friday and Saturday) carriages will meet visitors and delegates at Hartland station on arrival of train and convey them to place of meeting.

Hartland L. O. L. will entertain in semi-annual session Carleton Co. North L. O. L. on Tuesday, July 1st. The 12th will also be celebrated in Hartland.

The much needed repairs upon roads is being attended to in some districts.

Walter Doucett was taken through here a few days ago to his brother's home in Knowlesville, being afflicted with pneumonia.

The Baptist parsonage, with new painting, veranda, wirecloth fence and flower garden, is an improvement to the part of the village where it is situated.

A great lack of paint upon buildings in Rockland, and the consequence is early decay and dark gloomy aspect; it would be well to brighten up a little; if paint is too expensive use lime, which is within reach of all, and a preventive.

Weather has been very backward, cloudy, cold and wet. Sunday last was very fine and warm. A little buckwheat yet to be sowed.

Mr. Ellsworth Lewis of Perth, carpenter and painter, has had several weeks employment here and in Windsor, and several weeks more will be required to perform all the work he has engaged to do. He does good work.

The creamery company will not do anything here this season. All goes to Hartland, and C. C. Carter, Esq., is in attendance there.

Charlie Carr has been out here, and with a few experts hastened logs out of Coldstream and to Sawyer's mill pond.

A great many have been complaining of colds, coughs, etc., almost an epidemic, and some will have it that it is "epidemic."

Burden, son of S. N. Nevers, returned from British Columbia a few days since, after an absence of two years.

Runners for wholesale houses pay frequent visits. To patronize Maritime firms and manufacturers would be far more creditable than to give the bulk of trade to Western Provinces, who give us no patronage in return. Keep the money down here; New Brunswick cannot be beaten in carriages, sleighs, boots and shoes, stoves, ploughs, and agricultural implements and machinery.

In the sudden death of late Rev. Herman Shaw it was developed that he had a very large circle of friends who sympathize with those who are immediate mourners.

ADDON.

Jacksonton.

The weather still continues cold and very uncomfortable; but in spite of cold, nature has put on her robe of green and the trees are bursting into blossom giving the country a beautiful appearance.

June is here and many faces are beginning to carry a sunny appearance; as it tells them vacation is near at hand. We can soon welcome our teachers at home, and the many visitors who frequent our vicinity during the summer months.

Miss Maud Everett is the guest of her sister Mrs Burpee for the summer.

We regret to learn that Miss Bairo will not be with us next term.

The Baptist Church has recently been redecorated and painted, by Mr Hawkins of Woodstock.

Mr and Mrs J E Estey and daughter spent Sunday with friends in Florenceville.

Mr Berry Bull and N. R. Brittain spent Sunday in Jacksonton.

Miss Bessie Taylor was the guest of Miss Blanche Estey on Sunday.

Many of our teachers will attend the Institute in Fredericton the last of the month.

Found, on the premises of Mr Hard Burpee a Bull. The owner may have the same by calling.

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