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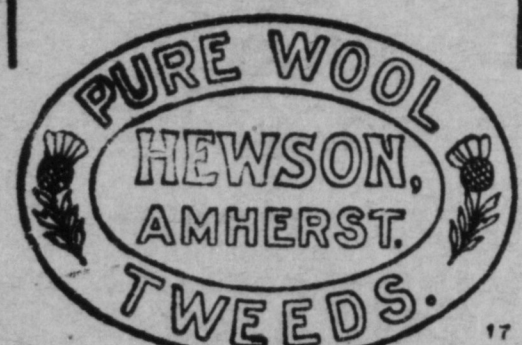
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NOTICE TO ARCHITECTS.
Designs for New Departmental and
Justice Buildings, Ottawa.

EXTENSION OF TIME.

The time for receiving competitive designs
for the proposed new Departmental and
Justice Buildings at Ottawa, is hereby ex-
tended from April 15 to July 1, 1907.

By order,

FRED. GELINAS,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, January 24, 1907.
Newspapers will not be paid for this adver-
tisement if they insert without authority
from the Department.—2-2

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The Inaugural Address.

Gentlemen, Councillors of the Town
of Woodstock:

Before proceeding with the impor-
tant business of this meeting I will
ask your indulgence for a few
moments, with a view of taking a
look over the work of the past year,
in the hope that it may be beneficial
in the administration of town affairs
for the present year. I extend to
you my congratulations upon being
chosen by your fellow Citizens to
the honorable and responsible posi-
tion of Members of the Council Board
of this Town, and I sincerely trust
that all our meeting as well as our
work, will be carried on in harmony
and with due regard for the best in-
terests of the Town. The position of
Councillor of this town is both hon-
orable and onerous, and those who
honestly endeavour to discharge the
duties faithfully will soon learn that
the responsibilities are indeed really
more than a casual onlooker may
imagine. The citizens generally do
not look upon a large assessment
with favor—and if the assessment
has had to be increased over the
amount of the previous year, the
month in which the tax notices are
distributed is the month when they
make any decided remarks relative
to Town affairs, yet as a rule it is en-
tirely due to the demands of the
Citizens that the Taxes have to be
increased from year to year, in order
to meet the wishes of the Citizens
and provide improvements in the
different Departments of the Town
service.

Glancing back over the past year,
I would point out that nearly every
Department, except the Water and
the Street Depts, was able to keep
within the estimated expenditure,
but both these Departments exceed-
ed the estimates. In regard to the
Water Dept so much depends upon
the maintenance and efficiency of
this Dept that we have to meet all
necessary expenditure, irrespective
of estimates, in order to maintain it
in the best condition.

With respect to the Street Depart-
ment, I would say that the same ex-
cuse does not, in my opinion, hold
good. No good reason can be shown
for the large expenditure in excess
of the estimate, as was done during
the last year, and we sincerely trust
that it will not occur again.

I would strongly urge you to care-
fully consider in making up the
estimates for the current year, the
maximum amount that we can afford
to expend to maintain any of the De-
partments, and then endeavor to
keep the expenditure down to the
minimum consistent with efficiency.
Notwithstanding the over expendi-
tures in these Departments the
past year was a memorable one, be-
ing the first year for many years,
that the Town Treasurer's books did
not show the usual deficit.

The past year is also a memorable
one in another respect, in that we
have as compared with other Towns,
in a manner declared against Muni-
cipal Ownership of Public Utilities.
For upwards of twenty years the
Town has owned and maintained its
own Street Electric Lighting Plant.
During the past year a Contract was
entered into with an Electric Light-
ing Company to light the streets of
the Town, and to furnish Power to
Pump the Water Supply of the Town,
for a period of five years. The Con-
tract calls for the operation of 40-1200
c p enclosed Arc Lamps on the
Streets, from one hour after sunset
until one o'clock, moon-light sched-
ule, and for Electric Power to Pump
125 million gallons of water each
year. We have to pay for this ser-
vice \$3275.00 per year. The Electric
Light was turned on the first time
on the night of the 2nd inst. We
expect to have the Power Pump and
Motor in operation by April 10th
next. Until that date the cost of the
Lights will be at the rate of \$43.00
per year, per Lamp.

The step taken by the Council of
last year was an important one,—the
Citizens were divided on the subject;
the majority of the Council were
desirous of making such a change,
and while the course pursued is
contrary to the advice of the Expert
Engineer employed by the town to
examine into the matter of improv-
ing our system of Water Supply, we
are in hopes that under the terms of
the Contract the arrangement will
prove to be of benefit to the Town.
Under the terms of this Contract, at
the end of the five years if the service
is satisfactory provision by arbitra-
tion regarding the charge to be
made for a renewal of the Contract,
in case the Company and the Town
cannot agree, guards the interest of
Town, and if the service proves un-
satisfactory it is at the option of the
Town to make other arrangements
for the service.

I might say that for myself I antici-
pate results that will be of advan-
tage to the Citizens, and look forward
confidently to the Company with
whom we have made the arrange-
ment, to leave no stone unturned to
carry out their part of the agree-
ment in such a manner that it will
be entirely satisfactory to the Town.

We were in hopes during the last

year to have called in the Consoli-
dated Debt Debentures amounting
to \$80,000, bearing four and a half
per cent interest, and to re-issue the
Debentures at four per cent, and the
Finance Committee called for bids,
but owing to the condition of the
money market, the offers were not
considered to be of advantage, so
the matter was allowed to continue.

I would direct your attention to
this matter again this year, and
advise that an effort be made during
the coming year, to secure the re-
funding of this debt at a lower rate
of interest.

We often hear criticism by Citizens
of the management of Town affairs,
and that the cost of running the
affairs of the Town is too great.

There is no doubt but that the
cost has increased largely during the
past ten years or more, but I would
say from my observation of Town
affairs that such increase is due to
the demands of the Citizens.

They want more each year and in-
sist upon having it, and the Council
being now a body elected by the whole
Town, instead of as formerly by the
Ward system, the Citizens have, ir-
respective of the merits of the demand
a much greater influence with the
Council, than they would have under
the Ward System of representation,
and in directing your attention to this
matter I would suggest that you take
into consideration the advisability
of changing the law respecting the
election of the Councillors, and adopting
the old method of Councillors from
Wards.

In connection with the increased
cost of running Town affairs I will
submit for your information and the
ratepayers generally, the following
figures as showing the fixed charges
upon the revenues of the Town.

We have to provide for	
Interest on Debentures,	\$5,894.00
Public Schools,	8,000.00
County Purposes,	2,714.00
Salaries Town Officials	5,045.00
El Light & Power for Pumping,	3,275.00
Carleton County Hospital	
grant,	500.00

Making a total of fixed	
charges of	\$25,428.00
To operate, maintain in at	
least an efficient state the	
different services of the	
Town, at least	10,000.00
	\$35,428.00

leaving less than \$5,000 out of a \$40,
000.00 estimated cost of running the
Town for a year, to provide for any
Debentures falling due, new improve-
ments in Departments, and expendi-
tures upon which the Council may
exercise prudence and economy during
a whole year.

The above figures are submitted in
the hope that some of the gentlemen
who are so pronounced and positive in
their opinions regarding the adminis-
tration of Town affairs may at an
early date, be induced to take a hand
in the open, and make good their
statement that the affairs should be
run for an assessment of \$24 or 25,000.
00.

I will submit to the Council that in
the event of granting License for run-
ning Bowling Alleys, Billiard and
Pool Tables, that some change be made
in the regulations, and would suggest
among other things that the age limit
be increased to at least 18 instead of 14
as now, that the hour of closing be ten
o'clock instead of eleven as now, that
all shades and screens be removed from
the windows, and no bets, wagers or
other form of gambling be allowed,
and that no intoxicating liquor or beer
be allowed to be used or drunk on the
premises.

I would also submit for your con-
sideration whether we cannot do
something to restrict the sale of so
much Lager Beer and other drinks of
a similar nature, either by the pass-
ing of a Bye Law requiring the ven-
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In connection with the enforcement
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enforcement of the C T A in this Town
has been the subject of severe criticism,
and while recognizing that good work
has been done in the past, yet it should
be the desire of all, that if it is possi-

ble, better results may be secured in
the year upon which we are now en-
tering. In compliance with the re-
quest of the Citizens, I have appointed
a Committee of this Council to deal
with this important subject, and I
would suggest to this Committee that
when the time arrives for making the
estimated expenditure for the year,
that they see that a liberal amount is
placed in the estimates for the proper
carrying on of the enforcement of the
C T A.

I would suggest that in the appoint-
ment of all Police Officers of the Town,
they be distinctly informed that they
will be expected to assist the Inspector
of the C T A in every possible way,
and that in failing to do so, they be
immediately dismissed from the em-
ploy of the Town.

To the representatives of the press
of the town I will say that we shall be
glad indeed if they will continue to
give us the pleasure of their company
at all meetings, and to give the Cit-
izens a fair report of the doings of this
Council.

In the appointment of the Commit-
tees I have endeavored to place
Councillors in charge of the different
departments where they might do the
best work, it is hardly necessary for
me to remind you that better work will
be accomplished by each Committee
man consulting with the other mem-
bers of the Committee, and that I will
only be too glad to assist any Commit-
tee, and share in all responsibility.

Hartland.

Rev A F Baker is holding special
services in the U B Church.

J O Everett, J P is around again
after a bad fall on the icy pavement.
G R Burt left last week for Nor-
folk, Va, where he will spend the
winter.

On Saturday Arnold Blizzard was
before Police Magistrate Everett
charged with throwing stones at
Joel Miller's house. After hearing
the evidence of Miller and wife the
prisoner was fined \$1 and costs and
sentenced to two months in jail.

M L Hayward was in Fredericton
last week on professional business.
G F Burt is spending the week at
Andover.

The Literary Society met on
Thursday evening at the home of
Dr MacIntosh.

Fine Bros have closed up their dry
goods business in the Tracy Block
which is now occupied by Thornton
& Co's drug store.

Mrs H B Boyer left on Monday for
Chicago where she will spend the
remainder of the winter.

James Campbell who has been in
poor health for some time is growing
worse and slight hopes are enter-
tained for his recovery.

Louis Stone of Fredericton is work-
ing at the Cross Creek Lath Mill
again this winter.

TENNYSON SMITH.

Through what might be termed
curiosity, this man is drawing large
audiences, and to say that he is an
extremist is only putting it mildly.
The readers of this paper will doubt-
less agree that there is room for
temperance reform, not only in
Chatham, but throughout the pro-
vince, and that such may, in time,
be brought about. But to have a
man come into our midst and use
such harsh language towards liquor
dealers and town officials as has char-
acterized Mr Smith since the begin-
ning of his campaign in these parts,
can only hinder rather than hasten
such reform. There is a proper and
gentlemanly course to pursue in ad-
vocating temperance, the same as
any other great movement, and the
sooner Mr Smith learns that no good
end can be served by his classing
human souls lower than bull dogs,
even if they are engaged in the liquor
business, and as murderers, thieves,
robbers, scoundrels and liars, the
sooner will his power as a temper-
ance advocate be felt. It is regret-
table that such a large number of
children were present at last night's
meeting. Chatham is a quiet, peace-
ful town, and its people always
ready to attend any high class enter-
tainment, or comedy that comes
along, and this paper expresses the
feeling of the people when it ven-
tures the hope that Mr Smith will
keep his meetings free from the
attacks and personalities that have
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A. D. HOLYOKE,

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Woodstock, N. B.

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Total Income	1,945,840.23
Increase in Insurance in force	4,601,804.00
Increase in Assets	1,072,337.09
Making Total Assets	7,184,681.65
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Making Total Surplus	991,956.06
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