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OIL BURNING ENGINE PLANT TO COST \$20,000

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Town Council Hears Merits of Crude Oil Power System--Fairbanks-Morse Representative Before Board--To Avoid Legislation Cost Will be Assessed on Citizens--Expert for Town Before Utilities Commission--Previous Cases Not Prepared--Old Contract Not Any Good--Town Manager's Report.

The town council held a prolonged session Monday night and matters of vast importance to the ratepayers were discussed. There was evidence of sympathetic interest in the welfare of the citizens and a strong desire to guard against any undue advantage being taken in the advent of the new electric energy that is about ready to furnish light and power at a rate to be fixed by the Public Utilities Commission. Two gentlemen, representing Fairbanks-Morse Engines and pumps, were present, and gave their views on the great advantages of a crude oil plant with which to supply current for town purposes. It also, incidentally, developed that it would cost \$20,000 to install this new system that would appear to be in a fair way to supplant hydro energy, in spite of the fact that the aim of all provincial governments is to provide hydro for the people along lines that will make life worth living on account of the low rates that will prevail on its installation.

Mr. Hill, the Fairbanks-Morse representative, gave a very interesting explanation of the system of his company and its great success wherever established. In the course of his remarks Mr. Hill said that the present situation here could be solved by the Fairbanks-Morse oil burning engine. He felt that there may be a prejudice against it as a reliable form of power. It is a different type from a gasoline engine--all mechanical devices, are eliminated. It operates on a two stroke principle, valves are eliminated and there are no moving parts inside the pistons. The only moving part is the fuel pump. The engine is as simple as it is possible to make it and is much more reliable than steam. 100 H. P. will operate twenty hours for 80 cents. The generator for municipal work is manufactured by Fairbanks-Morse. We are able to offer you this system with an absolute guarantee. Chatham is running a 24 hours service and was approached by the hydro people and they turned hydro down because they can operate cheaper. They can show cost is ridiculously low; even in a very poorly balanced plant--a two hundred H. P. engine on a 30 H. P. load.

Coun. Diblee--Did you instal the theatre plant.

Mr. Hill--I have never seen it. Parrsboro, N. S., saved \$3000 the first nine months with Fairbanks-Morse system.

Coun. Creighton--Do you give a guarantee?

Mr. Hill--Yes, a cast iron guarantee.

Coun. Creighton--It cost Chatham 13½ cents for oil last year.

Mr. Hill--Unlimited quantities of oil are available. Replying to Manager Rutledge, Mr. Hill said that on a 100 H. P. engine they could make delivery in three weeks.

Mayor Brown--Have you looked at our water plant?

Mr. Hill--I have not.

Coun. Creighton--There would not be room in the present building.

Manager Rutledge--No, but it can be arranged.

Coun. Dunbar--What will be the cost for 100 H. P. for a year, say at 19 hours, full load.

Mr. Hill--The cost would be \$3,300 for 365 days. A switch board would cost \$1100.

Coun. Diblee--When completed the cost would be in the vicinity of \$15,000 and at this it would make a saving of \$9,000.

Mr. Hill--You could use your hydro as a standby.

Coun. Creighton--If we put this in what about deferred payments. Will you give us two years in which to

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FUNDS NEEDED FOR ORPHANS' HOME

The campaign to raise \$250,000 to provide a home for the Protestant orphans of New Brunswick is now in full swing in nearly every part of the province.

On Thursday night in the Town Hall E. A. Schofield, ex-mayor of St. John and L. P. D. Tilley, a former member of the Legislature, of St. John, addressed a meeting and this territory is being organized. F. T. Short, field representative, addressed meetings during the week at Grand Falls, Edmundston, Plaster Rock, Perth, Hartland and Florenceville. As rapidly as possible the whole province will be organized for the great drive for funds from December 10th to 15th to wipe out the reproach that the Protestants of New Brunswick do not care for their orphans. At present provision is made for only 180 children in the four Protestant Orphan Homes, compared with over 2,000 Catholic orphan children cared for in institutions of that church, which has less than half the population of New Brunswick. This is a great laymen's movement, supported by the different Protestant churches and backed up by the Protestant women throughout the province. More than fifty prominent citizens of St. John are giving almost their whole time in the general and local campaign.

W. S. Sutton, ex-M. L. A., was chairman of the Woodstock meeting. D. V. Storm secretary, and Messrs Schofield and Tilley, the principal speakers. Brief remarks were made supporting the work by His Lordship Bishop Richardson, Revs. H. F. Rigby, J. T. Cavers, E. B. McLatchy, I. W. Williamson, J. W. McCaul and Messrs George E. Balmain and J. T. McFarlane.

E. A. Schofield said that he was not very familiar with Woodstock. Last summer he made a hurried run through the town with the newspaper editors and did not see much of the town, but today he had been pretty well around the town. The people of Woodstock are to be congratulated on the appearance of the town, which is a credit to New Brunswick. He had seen all the public buildings, public library and schools and the town should be proud of them. Everybody seemed to be a booster for the town. He had traveled a good deal throughout Canada and the conditions in the Maritime Provinces, although we all had our troubles, were better than in any other part of Canada.

Continuing Mr. Schofield said that he was here in the interest of a home for the Protestant orphans of New Brunswick. Mr. Tilley and a few others (Continued on page three)

J.S. KING ADDRESSES TEACHERS' INSTITUTE

Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen: I wish to thank the members of the executive committee of the Institute for their kindness in extending to me a very hearty invitation to address this meeting today. To be quite frank with you I was delighted to find that some months ago this committee thought of giving me a place on the program, not that I coveted this honor for any selfish aim or purpose or to further my own personal interests, but I felt that this decision manifested a desire on the part of the leaders of this organization of teachers to reach forth the cordial hand of welcome to the end that the interests of both the teachers and trustees might be placed on a clearer, broader and more intelligent understanding; that the present good feeling might be still further promoted; and that the plan of co-operation might be encouraged and built up.

It is a sad thing to see, to hear about and to read of the feeling of coldness, lack of interest, distrust and suspicion that is so prevalent everywhere today, not only in school or educational matters, but in society, politics, business and even in religion. Selfishness is at the bottom of it all--we are so afraid that the other fellow is going to put something over on us--this party or that province or state or country is so anxious about its own interests that very little time or attention is given to finding a basis on which together they can study and promote the best interests of both. It does seem so childish--just like the actions of ill-natured and disagreeable children--for one country or section or organization to draw itself away and say "You cannot have what you wish from me unless you give me what I want and just as I wish to have it." Don't you see it's the spirit behind all this that makes the difference?

And so I repeat, I am very pleased to have this opportunity to do my bit toward the development of the mutual interest of teachers and trustees. I wish I had the ability to present this subject, "What Trustees expect of Teachers" as it should be presented to such an assembly of alert and well trained educationists as is before me. I mean in a general average way. You know and I realize (Continued on page two)

THE OBSERVANT CITIZEN

What is so rare as a day in "December"?

To the slogan "Do your Christmas shopping early", might be added another, "Shop At Home".

Those people who are wondering where winter is, may save their worry. Winter never skips New Brunswick.

Rum seems to be more of a political issue than ever. So much for the contention that prohibition would purify politics.

All the speakers at the recent banquet, in St. John, given Premier Veniot, seemed to be agreed that works, not words, were what would accomplish the ends desired.

There is a rumor, that some of the New Brunswick hotels will, close for the winter. If this thing continues every travelling man will have to go about equipped with a pup tent and sleeping bag.

Prohibitionists are getting active and are authority for the statement that it isn't going to be an open winter in St. John, Woodstock and St. Stephen--so far as the export houses are concerned.

A choice bit of information comes to hand in the whispered confidence that the genial Charlie Clark has been "approached" re a place on the third party ticket in the next election for the local legislature.

Do your Christmas shopping in Woodstock--It is all right and proper to love our neighbors as we love ourselves, but we ought not to love them more than we do ourselves. "Do you get the point?"

Going up Main street the "Citizen" heard a lady remark: "I like to look in George Gibson's windows for there is always something new and beautiful to attract one's attention". This is a good endorsement of up-to-date methods of doing business.

The decision of the city fathers to collect the taxes, long overdue, has raised such a commotion that the collectors are in need of police protection. Had the assessors valued the property at what it was really worth it might have been necessary to call out the militia. Which also goes for more than one community.

Mr. E. A. Schofield, one of St. John's most prominent business men, was in Woodstock last week and after looking at the Soldier's monument, said, it was the finest memorial he had seen. The design and color of the stone especially appealed to him. When told that it was erected by the County, he said "That is the proper way to erect monuments to our honored heroes".

Talking to the "Citizen" a few days ago, one of Woodstock's heaviest taxpayers said: "After fretting over taxes every year I have found that all the tax systems collect more taxes than I am willing to pay and that the other fellow gets off easier than he should. In seeing myself in this position I am of course tremendously surprised that every other taxpayer thinks he is in the same situation which is, of course, absurd.

R. K. JONES IN BRITISH ELECTIONS

(Montreal Star, Dec. 3).

R. K. Jones of McGill University, was a speaker of two Birmingham meetings where he was only heckled as to his age and physique but given "three cheers for the Canadian" after wards. Everything the Canadian says seems exceedingly popular at meetings.

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