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TAX COLLECTIONS

A few days ago Carleton County announced a drive to get in not only current taxes, but a sufficient amount of arrears to make a creditable showing on the bank overdraft by the end of the year. On Tuesday evening the Woodstock town council announced a similar move. An energetic effort to get in the taxes was directed, although not without a word of dissent from some of the council members. We cannot say that we entirely agree with those who expressed the dissent, although their viewpoint can be readily understood.

Some of the councillors pointed out that the hard times of the past few years have placed some good citizens in a position where they have been unable to keep their taxes paid, and consequently those people are now in arrears. On the other hand the action to be taken is largely in the discretion of the town authorities, and we are confident that in cases where an honest effort to pay is being made no hardship will result.

We are quite in agreement with Councillors Hetherington and Cox that in some cases action is necessary. There are some people who have made the depression an excuse for evading their just debts, both municipal and private, and by so doing have made a difficult situation very much worse. In cases where a man can pay and will not pay he must be made to pay, and those are the cases in which the town should take action.

It is quite essential that advantage be taken of improving conditions to bring to pass a corresponding improvement in civic and municipal finances. The town cannot be run without money; neither can those citizens who will pay their taxes (and in most cases they have paid only by stringent economy and strenuous effort on their own part) be expected to continue to carry those who are equally able to pay but who will not do so unless they are forced.

Poor tax collections create a bad situation from several angles. They mean costly overdrafts, extra book keeping, lower payments of municipal liabilities and a poorer market for town bonds; besides endless worry for the town authorities.

As was pointed out at the recent meeting of county collectors, this

year promises better times than we have had in the past, and an even break on tax collections is not sufficient. There should be a decided improvement made in the showing in the next few months, and the present attitude of the council indicates that they are determined to be in a position to give a good account of their stewardship when they face the citizens at the town meeting in January.

THE GERMAN COLONIES

Hitler has announced an ambitious program for the advancement of Germany during the next four years. This program includes a strenuous effort to regain his country's lost colonies, or others to take their place. Germany, of course, prior to the world war, had quite extensive colonial possessions in Africa and elsewhere, which were taken away by the Treaty of Versailles.

The loss of the colonies has naturally been a sore point with the German people, and much has been heard in the last decade about the necessity for her getting them back. The talk was fruitless, however, as the treaty was signed by Germany's own representatives, and that country was not in a position to do more than talk. Now Germany's ambitions are again backed by a formidable war machine, and certainly any requests, or demands, which she has to make will be listened to with much greater respect than was formerly the case.

We may expect to hear the colony question debated early and often in the coming months. It is quite possible that a delicate and dangerous situation will develop before the matter is settled, but our guess is that if the Germans demand the colonies back they will very probably get them. The democratic countries are too anxious to avoid war to oppose the Germans very strongly if they really mean business.

Herr Hitler may not be far wrong when he says that this is Germany's decade.

NOTICE

In order to finish up the grading in the new addition in the Methodist Cemetery, I will sell Fifty lots at half the regular price. All lots 10x20 feet facing roads and walks all graded and in first class condition. Apply to E. L. Greer. 8-13-36.

Notice To Ratepayers Of The Municipality Of Carleton

Between \$65,000 and \$70,000 must be collected in taxes to meet current obligations of the Municipality of Carleton and to make a decent reduction on our bank overdraft before the end of December. The County officials feel it is very important that the ratepayers know this and it is imperative that the unpaid taxes be collected. Thus, to avoid any hardship, the co-operation of all ratepayers is asked and those who have not already paid should resolve that they will arrange with the collectors of their respective parishes to pay without waiting for the collector to call.

The budget has been kept as low as possible and if every ratepayer would make an effort to pay his taxes or pay all he can, we shall have no difficulty in raising the required amount. It is not enough simply to maintain our financial status but we must better it. We must reduce our bank loans.

The accounts owing by the Municipality are really the accounts owing by the ratepayers. Such bills must be paid and many of them are incurred as a result of a set up over which the Municipality has no control and the only way of obtaining the money to pay the bills is by the collection of taxes. Therefore, this appeal is being made to our citizens to impress upon them that their taxes must be paid promptly within the next few weeks and by so doing you will not only be co-operating with the collector but you will be rendering a service to your Municipality, lowering interest charges and generally assisting our Municipality to lower its budget and also the taxes.

The taxes may be paid either to the Collector or at the County Office. Everything is being done to bring the matter of the delinquent taxes to the ratepayer's attention so that he will not overlook the payment of same.

As stated above, it is imperative that we get between \$65,000 and \$70,000 before the end of the year and if taxes do not come in voluntarily, stringent action will have to be taken in many instances. Therefore, it is hoped that to those to whom this notice may come will reciprocate by voluntarily paying their taxes.

G. W. MONTGOMERY,
County Secretary



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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Crockett of Saint John spent the holiday in town, guests of Mrs. Crockett's mother, Mrs. N. F. Thorne.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Bailey of Montreal, are the guests of Mr. Bailey's brother, A. Gordon Bailey and Mrs. Bailey, for three weeks. Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Lowney of Brownville, Me., are also guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bailey for a few days. On Saturday a picnic tea at the Golf Club was enjoyed by all. A golf party was made up over the holiday, with F. W. Mitchell winner in a putting contest.

W. H. Nevers of the Bank of Montreal, Glace Bay, and Mrs. Nevers, who have been visiting here played golf at the club Saturday.

Dr. Austin Clark, Provincial Health Officer, has rented the L. E. Young house and taken residence in Woodstock.

Ross Mavor is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Mavor. A family reunion had been planned for the holiday, but was not held out of respect to the memory of Malcolm E. Amos, of Edmundston, who died Saturday in Edmundston.

Miss Laura Shaw, accompanied by Mrs. H. W. Stevenson and Mrs. A. W. Fields, drove Miss Elizabeth Stevenson to Fredericton Monday where Miss Stevenson will attend Normal School.

Miss Rita McGuire, Newburg, returned home on Tuesday 1st, inst. after spending a week with her aunt, Mrs. D. Campbell and Mr. Campbell, River Road.

Miss Nora McGuire and aunt, Mrs. S. A. Ryan, spent Friday, with Miss Tillie Campbell, Jacksonville and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hourihan.

The Misses Rosie and Joan McCarty, East Newbridge, spent the last two weeks of their vacation with their aunt, Mrs. T. M. McDade, Mapledale.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Donovan and baby Richard, and Mr. Brown, Wilton, Maine, were week-end visitors to Mr. Donovan's home, Skiff Lake. They were accompanied by Mr. Peter Donovan who had spent a week visiting his son and family in Wilton.

Mrs. T. M. McGuire, Newburg, spent last week visiting friends in town and vicinity.

(Other Personals on Page 5)

NOTICE OF SALE

To the heirs of James H. Williams, late of the Parish of Wicklow, in the County of Carleton and all others whom it may concern.

NOTICE is hereby given that under and by virtue of a certain indenture of mortgage made on the 21st day of September A. D. 1933 and registered in the Carleton County Records in Book 143, pages 336 and 337 as No. 76442 on September 21st A. D. 1933, between the said James H. Williams of the first part and The C. M. Sherwood Company Limited of Centreville, N. B., of the second part, there was sold for the purpose of satisfying the money secured by the said indenture of mortgage, default having been made in the terms of the payment thereof at public auction in front of the Law Office of D. R. Bishop, Main Street in the Town of Woodstock at one thirty o'clock, P. M. on the 29th day of September A. D. 1936, the lands and premises described as follows:

"All that certain piece and parcel of land and premises situated in said Parish of Wicklow and bounded as follows:

Commencing at the north east angle of land owned by Eliza Tracey A. D. 1872 and running southerly along the main road leading from the Presque Isle stream toward G. Dougherty's nine rods, thence running a westerly course seven rods, thence running a northerly course six rods and thence an easterly course nine rods or until it strikes the aforesaid main road, being a part of a lot of land originally granted to Jarvis Tracey and containing one half acre, more or less and being land and premises deeded to Fleetwood Hartley by David W. Currier and his wife on the fourth day of October A. D. 1920 and registered on Pages 52 and 53 in Book 122 of the Carleton County records as number 65029 and being the land and premises deeded by Fleetwood Hartley and wife to Woodford E. Miller on the ninth day of May A. D. 1922 and registered in Book 125, pages 565 and 566 number 67107 being the land and premises deeded by Woodford E. Miller to James H. Williams on the twenty third day of April A. D. 1924 registered as number 68779 in book 129 pages 26 and 27.

Together with the buildings and improvements thereon and the privileges and appurtenances to the same belonging.

Dated this 26th day of August A. D. 1936.

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AMERICAN SINGER IS

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dering "An Evening Prayer." Rev. H. E. Allaby, the pastor, preached on the subject "Jesus in Our Day." Mr. Hayward has been a member of several leading United States church choirs, including the Edwards Church in Northampton, Mass., and St. James Episcopal choir in Atlantic City. He is also well known as a radio singer, particularly on the program of WPG, Atlantic City. During the last few weeks he has on several occasions been soloist in Houlton churches.

ACTIVE SEASON INDICATED

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son. The awarding of Team Trophies this season has been arranged so that the first team in each section will receive them at the end of the regular schedule, the ultimate winners of the elimination series competing for the Berger Trophy. As regards the Individual Cups, no player can receive more than one. The opening date was set at October 5th, 2 weeks ahead of last year's schedule. A vote of thanks was extended to C. E. Stewart retiring president, for his untiring efforts in promoting the welfare of the league always, and regret expressed at his retirement from an official capacity.

The complete slate of officers for the season 1936-37 are as follows:
Hon. President J. E. Cogger.
President W. Miller.
Vice President H. Kearney.
Treasurer J. A. Troy.
Secretary J. H. Evans.
Executive Committee—L. H. Reed, G. Bailey, G. Mitchell, N. Connell.

RAINY DAYS CAUSING

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bulk of the demand is coming, and wire inquiry has been scattered and demand dull during the last few days. Dealers here were not buying today, and it was difficult to get a quotation on market prices, figures ranging from \$1.50 to \$1.70 a barrel, considerably lower than earlier in the season, but still well in advance of any price at this season for many years.

The bulk of the early crop has now been dug, and it is estimated that less than ten per cent of the Irish Cabbages are still in the ground. Green Mountain digging, on the other hand, has been retarded by the miserable weather conditions. It was expected that digging of the late crop would have been fairly general by now, but with the weather cold and showery and the fields muddy, only a few farmers have started on the later variety. It is now thought it will be pretty well along to the twentieth of the month before digging of Mountains comes at all general.

The market in Maine has been weaker during the last few days. Immediate

who would be willing to pay any where near the value of the properties.

Coun. Cox said that the town manager was quite competent to judge what cases should be dealt with. He was confident no citizen who was making a real effort to pay would suffer hardships. There were some cases, he said, which demanded action.

The motion was then put on a standing vote, Councillors Hetherington and Cox voting in favor and Councillors Hay and Hayden against. The mayor cast the deciding vote in favor of the motion.

Repairs to the retaining wall at the town pumping station were again discussed and the matter was laid over until Friday night.

The town manager was instructed to procure a copy of the deed of the Carleton Co. Vocational School to the town and county jointly from the L. P. Fisher estate, and to keep it on file in his office.

Mayor Everett was appointed to represent the town at the annual meeting of the Union of New Brunswick Municipalities at Newcastle this month.

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