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WOODSTOCK, N. B., THURSDAY, JANUARY 25, 1940

94th Year NO. 4

## BUDGET FOR COUNTY IS ESTIMATED AT SAME FIGURES AS 1939--\$44,000

## Councillor Rotarians Hear E. R. Jones and J. C. Folkins On Airport Project

### Tenders His Resignation

SESSIONS CONCLUDED HERE ON  
FRIDAY; BANQUET HELD  
THURSDAY

The January session of the Carleton County Council concluded its meeting here on Friday afternoon. The budget for the year was given at \$44,000 the same as last year.

Hugh J. Speer, deputy secretary-treasurer, was appointed by the Council to be acting secretary-treasurer during the time Major G. W. Montgomery is serving with the army. He will receive \$1,500 per year, together with statutory allowances for certifying the school lists and preparing copies of voters' lists. Franklin F. Creighton has been appointed county solicitor at a honorarium of \$100 annually for such routine work as advising the council, the secretary and the councillors and for attending the sessions of the council, but not including any legislation or litigation work.

Several resolutions were presented by the resolutions committee dealing chiefly with routine banking and borrowing. Parish collectors were appointed as follows: Peel, Arthur Melvin; Brighton, Arthur Melvin; Aberdeen, Malcolm Brown; Wakefield, Alfred Bell; Simonds, Harry Hatfield; Richmond, A. J. Wadsworth; Northampton, George McElroy; Woodstock, George Scott; Wilmet, H. L. Olmstead; Wicklow, Earl Stiles and in Kent, the present collector, Thomas Brennan, will continue to act until a successor is appointed.

Wednesday evening the councillors gathered at a round table conference in the council chamber when a discussion regarding the problems of relief, tax collection and social services was held.

Bills to the amount of \$3,159.32 were ordered paid. It was agreed that the same discount on payment of taxes be given this year, that is five per cent.

### LOCAL CURLERS ATTEND BONSPIEL

Although beaten in their 3 starts in the bonspiel at Moncton, the Woodstock curlers were by no means disgraced. Curling is a new pastime in Woodstock and the competition they have faced during the games played in Moncton has been of the highest order.

No doubt in another season or so, the local curlers will be watching with enthusiasm for the grand old game at a high pitch locally. Fredericton won here over the week-end 69-34.

### ANNUAL MEETING OF CHRIST CHURCH PARISH IS HELD

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES  
HEARD; FINANCIAL STATEMENT GIVEN

The annual meeting of the parishioners of Christ Church Parish, was held in the Parish Hall, Monday evening with the Rector Rev. H. J. Best presiding. The financial statement given by the vestry clerk George A. Howard was adopted.

The following reports were received: Women's Auxiliary Mrs. Frank Hanson, Junior Women's Auxiliary, Mrs. C. M. G. Arthurs; Christ Church Guild, Mrs. Harley Ball; St. Luke's Church Guild, Mrs. Nash Smith; Men's Club, W. J. Diblee. The reports showed the different branches of church work to be in a satisfactory condition.

Delegates to the Diocesan Synod were George Howard, Wilmet Seely and E. A. Neal with J. D. Winslow, F. (Continued on Page 4.)

### Town Council Held First Of Meetings For Year Last Night; Election On Monday, Feb. 12th

TOWN MANAGER IS ABSENT THROUGH SICKNESS; SCHOOL TRUSTEES STATE REQUIREMENTS FOR 1940

The first meeting of the Town Council for the year, was held last evening with Mayor Turner in the chair and all councillors and C. J. Jones, K. C., Town Clerk being present. Town Manager A. Gordon Bailey being absent through sickness. The committees for the year were appointed: Finance, Carson (Chairman), Payson and Neal; Streets, Neal (Chairman), Carson and Glew; Water, Payson (Chairman), Carter and Brewer; Police, Brewer (Chairman), Neal and Payson; Fire, Glew (Chairman), Carter and Carson; Poor, Carter (Chairman), Glew and Brewer.

The Mayor read a letter from the Board of School Trustees stating their requirements for the year would be the same as last year \$23,000.

Several of the Town officials were appointed, Charles J. Jones, K. C.,

### RESIGNATION IS ACCEPTED WITH REGRET BY COUNCIL

HAS SERVED FOR FIVE YEARS ON COUNTY BOARD; C. W. CLARK MAY FILL VACANCY

Councillor Alfred Page tendered his resignation Friday afternoon (which was regretfully accepted) in order that he would be in a position to accept appointment to the Chairmanship of the County Board of Valuers in which capacity he was being pressed to act.

Ex-Councillor Page having served as Town Councillor as well as Mayor of Woodstock for several terms besides (Continued on Page 4.)

### Scottish Concert Being Held Tonight

Tonight the Annual Scottish Concert will be held in St. Paul's Vestry. As usual a very interesting program has been arranged consisting of songs, recitations and dances in the good old Highland manner and the patrons are assured of a pleasant evening.

### DIED SUNDAY

CHARLES MCARTHUR PASSES AWAY FOLLOWING LENGTHY ILLNESS

Charles McArthur, who had resided (Continued on Page 5.)

### WOMAN SUFFERS BROKEN HIP WHEN CAR AND TRUCK COLLIDE

Mrs. Garfield Gibson, Middle Southampton, is a patient in the Fisher Memorial Hospital suffering from a broken hip and other injuries as the result of a collision between a car, driven by Gordon Moir, Temple, and a truck owned by Bertram Cummings and driven by Burdette Cummings. Saturday. The car was proceeding towards Woodstock about a mile below the Chateau St. Jean on the main Fredericton highway when it met the truck proceeding towards Meductic with a load of telephone poles on a sled trailer. The truck got by alright, but as the sled was opposite the car it slewed into the auto and smashed the body and rear window. Mrs. Gibson was sitting on that side of the rear seat. Hedley Grant, Dowville, was considerably bruised and shaken up but did not require hospital treatment.

Dr. N. P. Grant was called and had Mrs. Gibson removed to the hospital. The accident was investigated by Constable A. Yonkers, of the R. C. M. P. Both drivers claimed they were traveling at a moderate rate of speed.

### LOWER WOODSTOCK HOME DESTROYED IN BAD BLAZE

LOSS WHICH WILL PROBABLY EXCEED \$10,000 PARTIALLY COVERED BY INSURANCE

Fire which broke out shortly before four o'clock Saturday morning destroyed one of the finest residences and landmarks in Lower Woodstock when the home of Major A. E. Raymond, situated on the main highway to Fredericton, was burned to the ground.

The blaze, which evidently started in the horse shed, had gained such headway before being noticed that it was impossible to save any of the horses, three being burned to death, as well as two pigs, a pony, an automobile and other machinery.

The flames spread rapidly to the ell of the house and as it was some time before assistance began arriving, very little of the contents of the house was saved, nothing whatever from the second and third storeys and the family being forced to leave clothing and personal belongings behind. The loss, which will probably be in excess of \$10,000, was partially covered by insurance.

The local fire department responded to the call but the flames had gained such headway nothing could be done, as the home was a considerable distance from any source of water for hose purposes.

The main power line passed immediately in front of the house and wires burned away, leaving residents along the road without power and lights for a short time that morning.

BLOOMFIELD W. I.

January meeting of the Bloomfield W. I. was held at the home of Mrs. William Culbertson. Various committee reports were passed. 17 pairs of socks and several mufflers have been knit for the soldiers. Several letters of thanks were read for Xmas boxes received. Quilt blocks were handed in. Batt and cotton are to be purchased to finish same. Quilting to be held at Mrs. C. J. Williamson's in February. Several articles were given to a needy family. A birthday party is to be held to raise funds. Each person is to pay a penny for each year of their age.

### Community Rink To Be Scene Of Carnival

It is hoped that a large crowd will be on hand Friday evening at the Community Rink when the local branch of the Red Cross will sponsor an Ice Carnival. Prizes are offered for adults and children with independent judges in charge.

### OFFICERS ARE ELECTED BY THE AUXILIARY, B.E.S.L.

LETTER OF THANKS IS RECEIVED FROM SECRETARY OF LOCAL RED CROSS SOCIETY

The annual meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of the Canadian Legion was held Thursday evening in the Town Hall. The president, Mrs. Charles Troy was in the chair. Mrs. Arthur Everett, a new member, was welcomed. A letter was read from the local secretary of the Red Cross Society thanking the auxiliary for their generous help since the outbreak of the war which consisted of the following donations: 75 pairs of socks, towels, tobacco and stamps for the soldiers. The following slate of officers was elected: president, Mrs. Charles Troy; first vice-president, Miss Edith Dalling; second vice-president, Mrs. L. F. Rogers; treasurer, Mrs. Ralph H. Holyoke; secretary, Mrs. Fred Buck; Additional members of the executive, Mrs. W. B. Manzer, Mrs. Ernest Finnamore, and Miss Kate Hillman; Social Committee, Mrs. James Dunbar, Mrs. H. Speer, Mrs. W. Emery, Mrs. R. Turner, Mrs. A. Standbridge, Mrs. M. Tapley, Mrs. Lee Seely, Mrs. W. Manzer, Mrs. D. R. Bishop, and Mrs. H. Smith; Auditors, Miss Edith Dalling and Mrs. Herbert Lindsay; Sick committee, Mrs. R. Turner and Mrs. Steel; Pianist, Mrs. Milne Tapley; Press Correspondent, Mrs. G. Ward.

### BORN

At the Fisher Memorial Hospital, January 20th, 1940, to Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Slipp, a daughter, Mary Christina.

Fred Wilson, Plaster Rock, is visiting friends in Woodstock.

son is to pay a penny for each year of their age.

### Houlton Men Are Guests At Luncheon

G. B. TRUE FOCUSSES ATTENTION ON TOURIST TRAVEL FROM U. S.

The Rotarians had as guests at their weekly luncheon Monday several Houlton men who have been interested in the development of the international airport and landing field at Richmond. They included: James Pierce, James Callanan, town councillor, Norman Mullin, town manager, Thomas Statal, town engineer, Hollis Ingram, of the Chamber of Commerce, and Fred Carson, of the Woodstock board of trade.

E. Raymond Jones and Joseph Folkins spoke on the project, for which an appropriation has been made at Washington.

For some time the Woodstock board of trade has been investigating the scheme which would facilitate the movement of fighting planes from the United States for shipment to England and France and E. R. Jones, Joseph Folkins and Councillor Carson are the committee in charge. The extension of the runway of the present airport at Houlton to the international border is contemplated provided the Canadian side of the border is developed to make room for a take off and this committee has been active in endeavoring to obtain the required runway.

G. B. True brought to the attention of the club the possible drop in tourist travel from the United States to Canada owing to "war fear" and the necessity of action to quell the fears of tourists contemplating coming to Canada. He pointed out that many Canadians living in the United States might think if they returned to Canada for a visit they would be required to register here and that publicity should be given to offset such ideas. C. J. Jones presided at the luncheon.

### MISS M. AUGHERTON PASSES AWAY HERE

DECEASED WAS BORN AT ST. ANDREWS 73 YEARS AGO

Miss May V. Aughterton died Sunday afternoon at the home of her brother, Claude M. Aughterton. She had been in good health and died after a heart attack.

Miss Aughterton was born at St. Andrews 73 years ago, daughter of James K. and Elizabeth Aughterton, and has resided in Woodstock for the last 63 years. She is survived by one brother, Claude M. Aughterton, with whom she made her home, two sisters, Mrs. James Gibson, Woodstock, and Mrs. Charles D. McCormack, West Medford, Mass. She was an active member of the Church of England and the funeral services were held on Tuesday afternoon from St. Luke's Church with interment in Christ Church Cemetery.

### DROP FIRST GAME

CONNELL ROAD CANADIENS HANDED 5-2 SETBACK AT CANTERBURY

Connell Road Canadiens who have been playing in good luck lately, suffered their first defeat and also lost John Lindsay, a good defence man, when they played at Canterbury on Wednesday. While waiting around, in the extreme cold John Lindsay who had on a pair of tight boots, was unfortunate enough to freeze his feet and it is feared he will be off the ice for the remainder of the season.

The first period ended 1 to 0 in favor of Canterbury, on a goal by Sammy Dow.

The Canadiens tied it in the early part of the second period on a goal by Bud Colwell. The Canterbury team were leading at the end of this period 3 to 1 on 2 goals by Dow and Donovan.

The Canadiens put on the pressure (Continued on page 4.)

### CAPITOL

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