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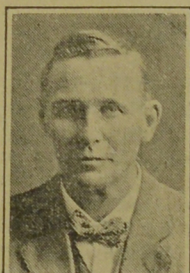
## A SCOTT ACT FIELD DAY IN YORK MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

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Act inspector, was not properly supported by the council and possibly Inspector Timmins had not been properly supported. The liquor traffic was strong and would spend large sums to protect itself. Heavy expense had to be borne by an inspector to enforce the Scott Act. An official should not be appointed with instructions that he should collect enough in fines to pay his salary. (Applause.) No man handling a murder trial was asked to make his expenses out of it.

Coun. Alex. Brewer moved a vote of thanks to the speaker and said that he personally was of the opinion that the whole traffic in liquor should be wiped out at any cost.

Coun. Robt. Graham seconded the motion, which was carried.



Warden Stairs, presenting the vote of thanks, said that the remarks of the delegation would have noticeable results, probably in the wiping out of the liquor traffic in the County of Person. Personally, he hoped that such would be the result.

Rev. Mr. Newcomb, replying, said that he took the statement of the warden to mean that the council would enforce the Scott Act.

### SCOTT ACT REPORT.

Coun. Hugh Smith called for the report of the Scott Act Committee.

Coun. Sloat, the chairman of the committee, stated that the committee had not had an opportunity of preparing its report, that of Inspector Timmins just having been given. He then presented the inspector's report, which included a statement of fines and convictions made.

### INSPECTOR TIMMINS CALLED.

Coun. Lawson asked that Inspector Timmins appear before the council. If the inspector had not done his work he was not wanted. If he had done it he was wanted. If the councillors had not supported him the councillors were to blame.

Inspector Timmins appearing, Coun. Lawson asked him a number of questions. Replying to them, the inspector said he never had refused to go after a case reported to him by a councillor but in several cases information given him by councillors had not been sufficient. He had done what he could toward enforcing the Scott Act.

Coun. Lawson, addressing the chair said that the inspector deserved some consideration. It was evidence that in certain parishes the councillors had made no effort to assist the inspector. He could say that liquor was sold in no parish without the knowledge of the councillors. He was decidedly in favor of enforcing the Scott Act and in the Parish of McAdam had helped put the liquor sellers out of business. He knew, however, of one parish where, in a little town of three hundred people, there were six bar-rooms. There evidently was something wrong there.

### COUN. H. W. SMITH.



Coun. H. W. Smith, replying to Coun. Lawson, said that it was not very long ago that that councillor, who spoke of stamping out liquor in McAdam, obtained liquor himself and it was in the Parish of McAdam. As far as the inspec-

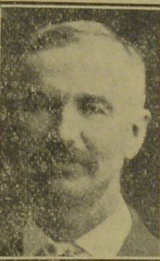
Coun. H. Smith was concerned, two years ago he had been instructed to proceed after every man by first, second and third offense. The councillor proceeded to give instances of attempt to enforce the Canada Temperance Act in Canterbury. The temperance association had given information in a case that had been handled by Inspector Timmins. He himself had told two officials of that association who had given the information. Within ten days it had leaked out who had given the information and a street fight had resulted.

Coun. Lawson replied that Canterbury was the parish he referred to and Coun. Smith was one of its representatives. The councillor's statement showed that the temperance association in Canterbury was no good or else its members would stand behind their information.

Coun. Smith retorted that it was reported in Canterbury that the names of the informants had been made known either by Coun. Lawson or by Inspector Timmins.

Both the councillor and the inspector denied this.

### COUN. NEILL'S STATEMENT.



Coun. Neill said he wished to speak concerning conditions in St. Mary's. He knew liquor had been sold there but he also knew that soldiers had got drunk in Fredericton and gone to St. Mary's with bottles in their pockets. They

made the place a rendezvous because there were no street lights and no police. There were bad women there and the place was naturally one where people would go who wanted to act crooked.

Coun. Neill gave an account of a visit of himself and Coun. Harry Smith to Police Magistrate Limerick in an endeavor to learn why warrants for a search would not be made. He learned that the information was not sufficient. The magistrate had said that if the councillors or other reputable citizens would give information he could issue warrants. Coun. Neill said he was not prepared to obtain information in such cases.

(Continued Tomorrow.)

### N. B. GOVERNMENT MAY ADOPT PROHIBITION

St. John, Jan. 6.—The Standard, a Government newspaper, announces that the New Brunswick Government at the approaching session of the Legislature, will present legislation for prohibition of the liquor traffic, but whether for the duration of the war or longer is not announced. It is believed the bill will provide for a vote by the people of the province.

### FRANCE IS CARING FOR THOUSANDS OF REFUGEES

Paris, Jan. 5.—A semi-official note issued tonight says that thus far 900,000 refugees or repatriates have been sent to the various French departments where, with the aid of the government, they have been cared for by the population.

### IMPORTANCE OF FAMILY WORSHIP

The third meeting of the Week of Prayer was held in the Brunswick Street Baptist church last evening and was well attended. Rev. Thomas Marshall spoke on The Home, Young People, Colleges and Schools. He laid emphasis on the importance of maintaining family worship and suggested that it was of little value to appeal to men and women to pray for the wider and extended interests of the kingdom of God if there was not the spirit of prayer in the home. He appealed to the audience for a deeper interest in all young people's societies and mission band work. He asked that a more personal interest be taken by every parent in the public schools and paid tribute to our public school teachers and the unselfish work that they were doing. He referred to the fact that while their work is of such vital importance to the future of our empire, they were the most poorly paid of all our public servants.

The meeting this evening will be in the Methodist church and will be under the auspices of the Fredericton Auxiliary of the Bible Society. Mr. J. W. Spurden will preside and Rev. A. F. Newcomb will be the speaker. An offering for the benefit of the Bible Society will be taken at the service.

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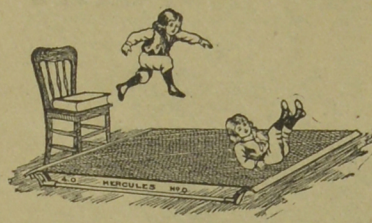
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### WITNESS ARRESTED.

A man who is wanted as a witness in Canada Temperance Act cases arising out of a recent raid in St. Marys village, was arrested last evening in order to ensure his attendance at court.

Dr. E. W. Henry of Milton, Sask., who has been spending a few days here, left yesterday for Magaguadavic to visit his father before returning to the West.

Mr. J. S. MacLaren, of St. John, inspector of Customs, is a guest at the Queen.