

LIGHTING PROBLEM FOR DISCUSSION

CITY COUNCIL IN SPECIAL
SESSION ON IT TONIGHT

Ald. Neill Will Present Propo-
sition of Maritime Electric
Co.—Opposition is
Expected.

The City Council will meet in special session tonight to discuss and if possible decide upon the matter of street lighting. The Maritime Electric Company which operates the plant in Shore Street has made an offer to the city in response to a request by the City Council, for the supplying of electricity to the city for street lighting purposes. In short metre this offer is to supply current at a rate of five cents per kilowatt hour on a basis of 5.5 amperes lights which are in use at present. An offer to cancel the contract on a year's notice is made.

Lively Session is Expected
A lively session of the Council is expected. Ald. Neill at the last regular meeting held last week made a brief presentation of the offer of the acceptance of which he is a strong advocate. Other aldermen also are in favor of accepting the offer. Still others are opposed on the ground that the existing city lighting plant in Carleton street can be placed in condition to take care of the lighting.

Previous Attempt Blocked
Some years ago, ex-Ald. Lemont when chairman of the Lighting Committee was strongly in favor of making a contract with the company to buy current taking the ground that the city could buy it more cheaply than it could generate it. For a time it looked as if the contract would be made but those interested in the continuation of the city plant made a determined effort and succeeded in getting a majority of the City Council to vote down the proposition.

Hold Conference This Week
The Tuxis Boys and the Canadian Girls in Training will hold a conference in this city on Friday, Saturday and Sunday evenings of this week.

Is Recovering from Illness
The condition of Mrs. H. A. Smith, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia, is reported today to be greatly improved. Her recovery is expected.

Seizure at Edmundston
Chief Inspector W. D. Wilson has received the information that Sub-Inspector Dennis D'Aigle, Monday morning, seized a barrel of whiskey at a railway station in Edmundston. Consignee and destination are not known.

Wanted Too Much
The proposed ball game between a team of American League stars and St. Peter's at St. John, N. B., is off. The players asked for a guarantee of \$2,400 for the two days and this amount was considered too large, considering the lateness of the season and the uncertainty of fine weather.

Newspaper Prices Advance
The probabilities are that there will be marked falling off of the Boston Sunday newspapers in the Maritime Provinces. Three of the Sunday papers have advanced their prices to ten cents in the city and an evening paper has increased the price to three cents. The advances are made because of the increase in the price of newsprint to about \$150 a ton.

To Study at Toronto
Leo Troy, who played here last winter with the Chatham team, of the New Brunswick Hockey League, has gone to study at Toronto University. He also was secretary of the N. B. H. L. As he is a hockey player and football player of considerable ability, he probably will be heard from at Toronto. Since last spring he has been on the writing staff of the St. John Standard.

Beaverbrook Heard From
The Moncton Transcript says: Lord Beaverbrook cables from London, Eng., his congratulations upon Mr. Robinson's election. He says had he a vote his majority would be one more. That is how the world outside views the result with the people of Moncton who have no reason he felt ashamed of their verdict. The Transcript also feels satisfied with the result in the city and thinks the result is remarkable, considering how split up the electorate was on personal and factional issues.

Conditions in Toronto
Owing to a decline in the demand for wearing apparel, caused by many consumers waiting for an expected reduction in prices, the manufacturers and wholesale jobbers in Toronto are passing through a rather strenuous autumn and are expecting a more severe winter, according to a letter received from a commercial man in that city. During the last week, he said, more than 1,000 employees of a prominent Toronto mail-order house were laid off and the same condition obtained in many other large retail stores.

Pugh-Logan
A wedding of interest took place Monday evening at the Baptist Parsonage, South Devon, when Miss Violet C. Logan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Logan, of Devon, became the bride of Raymond B. Pugh, son of Mr. and Mrs. George L. Pugh, of Nashwaakies. The groom served overseas during the war for four years. The young pair were attended by Mr. and Mrs. George Pugh, Mr. Pugh being brother of the groom. Rev. H. H. Ferguson performed the ceremony. The bride and groom will make their home at Nashwaakies, where the groom is a prosperous farmer.

CHARGE OF GAME ACT VIOLATION WAS DISMISSED

BELGIAN WAS ACCUSED
OF SUNDAY HUNTING

Paid Fine for Selling Revolver
Without License to Sell
Firearms—Other
Cases.

A variety of cases were before the Police Court today. A charge of violation of the Game Act by hunting on Sunday was dismissed. A conviction for the sale of a revolver without a permit to sell firearms was made. A conviction was made in a prohibition case and a second prohibition case was adjourned till this afternoon.

Game Violation Case
J. Verese, a Belgian resident of Fredericton successfully defended a charge of violating the Game Act by hunting on Sunday, brought on the information of Allan Woodworth. G. T. Feeney appeared for the Crown and J. F. Winslow for the defence. The evidence of the informant was taken and also that of a witness for the prosecution named Harris. The defendant and his wife were heard for the defence. The case for the prosecution was that the defendant and others were in the vicinity of Heron Lake, Parish of Douglas on a Sunday carrying firearms. The statement of the defendant and other witnesses was that the only firearm in the party was a small-calibre rifle which was taken for a little boy to play with and for which they had no ammunition. They also stated that they encountered the informant and had words with him and that he had said that he was a game warden. His Honor dismissed the case.

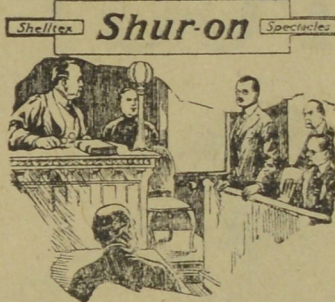
Fined for Selling Revolver.
The same defendant also was charged with selling a revolver to Arnold Chase, not having a permit to sell firearms. He acknowledged the offence and was convicted, paying a fine of ten dollars. He explained through his counsel that he had taken out a license to deal in second hand articles and believed that the license covered goods of all descriptions.

Conviction was Made.
A conviction was entered in the case of a resident of Queen street, who had purchased a bottle of whiskey on a prescription and resold it. The penalty imposed was fifty dollars fine or six months in jail.

Two drunks paid fines of \$8 each. On one of them a bottle of liquor was found when he was arrested. He was remanded until this afternoon.

Tied Score at Sackville
Mt. Allison University and Moncton played rugby football at Sackville on Saturday. The score was tied 9 to 9 each team scoring three tries.

Will Honor Columbus Day
Today is Columbus Day in the United States and the stock exchanges of New York, Boston and other cities will be closed. Many Italian societies and Knights of Columbus organizations will observe the day.



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J. K. PINDER MAY RESIGN
TO CREATE A VACANCY

Declaration Proceedings in
York and Sunbury on Thurs-
day—General Situation
is Uncertain.

One of the most recent reports with regard to the political situation in York county is that James K. Pinder, the senior member of the Opposition ticket, elected here on Saturday last, will resign in order to give B. Frank Smith, defeated in Carleton county, the seat. Mr. Pinder in the legislature stated that he would not run another election. Pressure was brought to bear upon him during the recent campaign and he permitted his name again to be placed upon the Opposition ticket. Resignation to permit B. Frank Smith to take a seat which he could not win in his own county, would give Mr. Pinder an opportunity to retire from politics as he desires. Mr. Smith keenly desires a seat in the legislature and the weakness of the Opposition in debating ability makes it imperative that some member of the party be sent to the legislature, who can make an effort at criticism of government measures.

Mr. Smith recently purchased the residence in Marysville which was owned by the late Alex. Gibson.

Situation Still Uncertain
The political situation resulting from the general provincial elections held in the province last Saturday still is clouded. Conflicting claims for a number of seats are made. The closeness of the vote in several constituencies is the cause of this. Statements that there will be so many lawyers, so many merchants, and so many members of other occupations in the next House of Assembly, are pure guesses as until the declaration proceedings take place in the various constituencies, and until possible recounts are made, it will not be known who is elected and who are not.

Declaration in York
J. B. Hawthorne, High Sheriff of York county, will hold court for the purpose of declaring the result of the polling on Saturday last, beginning at eleven o'clock, Thursday morning. The proceedings will take longer than usual, on account of the larger vote.

Sunbury Declaration
High Sheriff James P. Bliss of Sunbury also will hold court on Thursday for the purpose of declaring the result of the polling. In that county the United Farmers' candidates lost their deposits.

Motor Parties Here
Among the auto parties from distant points who are registered at the local hotels are Mr. C. E. Raymond and wife and Mr. H. S. Wade of Perth Jet. N. B. who are at the Barker House, F. G. Ballard and family of Pittsburgh, Pa., S. Amos from Boston and C. F. Dively from Altona, Pa., registered at Windsor Hall.

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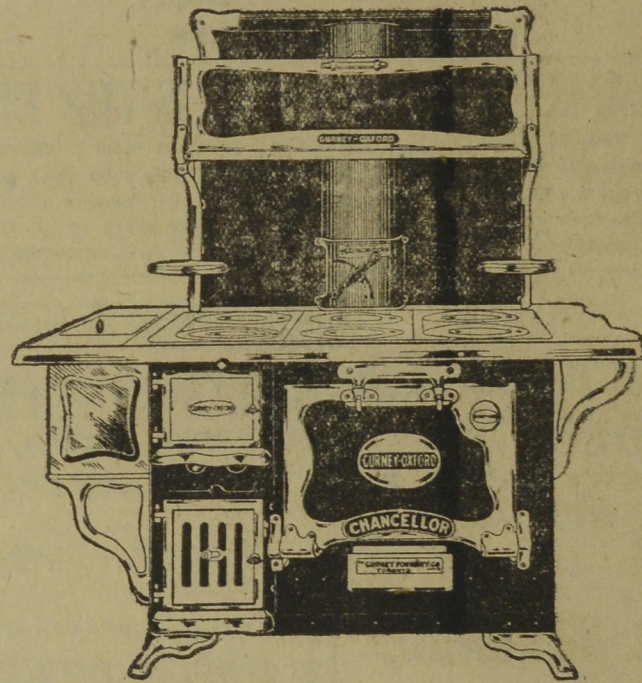
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