

TENDERS ARE INVITED FOR POWER PLANTS

THE SHOGOMOC RIVER IS IN THE LIST

An Earth Dam and Canal to be Constructed—Bids Are to Close on September the 21st.

All will be glad to know that the New Brunswick Electric Power Commission, recently appointed by the provincial government, is going right ahead with the important work of developing the water powers of the province. As will be seen by an advertisement in another column, the call for tenders for the construction of dams on the Musquash and Shogomoc rivers has been issued. The Shogomoc river, in conjunction with the Pokok, is to supply the electrical energy for the St. John Valley district including Fredericton, and all will be glad to know that it is among the first water powers to receive attention. The site is forty miles from Fredericton, on the line of the St. John and Quebec Railway. The construction of an earth dam is called for, together with the building of a canal and grading for the penstock from the damsite to the power house.

The plans and profiles for the work have been prepared and can be seen at the office of the Commission in the Canada Permanent Building.

The tenders are to close at noon on September 21st. The call is signed by Hon. C. W. Robinson, chairman; Reid McManus, secretary, and C. O. Foss, chief engineer of the Commission.

A Booze Case.

A local Austrian was this morning taken into custody by the authorities on the charge of having intoxicating liquor in his possession other than in his private dwelling, and was lodged in the Police Station.

In Great Demand.

The Farmers' Co-operative Dairy on King street is having great difficulty in filling orders these days, so great is the demand for its excellent products. The fact that the new dairy fills a long felt want in the community is shown by the keen demand for its butter and ice cream. It turns out about half a ton of butter a week, but on Saturday night every pound was cleaned out and it was found necessary to limit patrons to two pounds each.

Forest Rangers' Examinations

Four candidates for Forest Rangers are standing the examinations in the old Bird Room in the Legislative building this morning. G. A. Prince and Leland Webb of the Department of Lands and Mines, are supervising the writing. Those taking these tests are: Arthur Ford, Stickney, Carleton county; C. W. Selig, 133 King Street, Fredericton; M. Hallett Southampton; William P. Brown, Blackville. Three of these men are returned soldiers.

Death of Child

The death of John Currie, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Currie, of York Street, occurred last evening at his home. The deceased, who is two years and six months of age, is survived only by his parents, and the sympathy of the community is extended to them in their bereavement. The remains will be taken to Macnaquac for burial, leaving the house at nine o'clock tomorrow morning. The funeral service will be held at Macnaquac where interment will be made.

In the Police Court.

The two men taken last week by Warden Fred Sharpe, while drifting for salmon in the Hartt's Island Pool came up this morning before Magistrate Limerick, and were fined \$25 and costs each. The five young men from Marysville who were arrested by Special Agent Culligan of the C. N. R. and who were charged with stealing and putting on the rails a trolley car also came up. This offence was committed on Sunday last. None of the accused were old offenders, and they were all allowed to go on two months' suspended sentences.

Heavy Rainfall.

For some days past we have been experiencing very heavy rains and consequently the river is raising in proportion. The rain fall is being greatly appreciated on some of the lumbering streams, but not so much by the farmers with large crops of late potatoes in the ground. On the Nashwaak, a crew left last week for the head waters to bring in any lumber that had been left along the banks. The crew found it hard sacking for the first few days but when the rain began to fall, things became easier, and it is expected that a large drive will be brought in, and operations which had been suspended will in all probability be renewed.

Uzzell-Gunter.

The wedding will take place at the home of Mrs. D. M. Richards, North Devon, this afternoon of Miss Marion Elizabeth Gunter, youngest daughter of Mrs. Martha Gunter of this city, and Dr. Edward F. Uzzell, of Atlantic City. The bride who is one of Fredericton's most popular young ladies, will be given away by her brother Dr. George Gunter, of Philadelphia. She has received many beautiful gifts among them several substantial cheques, and a large number of friends will wish the happy young couple many years of happy married life. Rev. G. C. Warren of Brunswick Street Baptist Church will conduct the service, and Dr. and Mrs. Uzzell will leave this evening on their honeymoon. They will spend two weeks travelling in the Southern States and will then make their home in Atlantic City.

THE HOSPITAL IS IN NEED OF MORE MONEY

DIFFICULT NOW TO MAKE ENDS MEET

Payments in August Amounted to \$3,000—Difficult to Obtain Supplies for the Institution.

Mr. President Hughes presided at the monthly meeting of the Hospital Trustees yesterday. The other members in attendance included Dr. Keirstead, vice-president, Dr. Irvine, Col. Loggie, and the Secretary-Treasurer.

In his monthly statement of expenditures for August the Treasurer showed that he had paid bills amounting to considerably more than three thousand dollars, and he wants more money, as usual. The outlook for hospital supplies is not at all improved, and the prices continue to soar and the ability to fill orders is not encouraging. Officials claim that if the general public were aware of the difficulty in meeting obligations for current expenses an improvement in receipts would follow. Before the war the general public had an opportunity to help through the annual offering in the churches, but this plan has of recent years, with a few notable exceptions, been overlooked, but in the case of St. Dunstan's church Very Rev. Dean Carney has forwarded the annual offering of his people to the hospital, the present year the amount received was \$80.65.

Miss Somsom, the Superintendent, reported that one hundred and thirty-nine patients were treated during the month of August, and of these 131 were treated surgically; three deaths occurred. Both young ladies recently appointed to official positions have arrived and are now on duty. Miss Stairs to assist the superintendent, and Miss Morris in charge of the operating room. While awaiting the arrival of a permanent officer for this work it was most satisfactorily and efficiently performed by Miss Stewart, an undergraduate nurse of the hospital staff. The young student is said to have assisted at nine operations in one day. The surgeons as well as the superintendent speak well of Miss Stewart's skill; she is now on a vacation.

At a recent meeting Mr. R. B. Hanson suggested that an effort be made to at once purchase a motor ambulance to replace the Randolph vehicle which is at present much worn. Col. Loggie has been in correspondence with the military authorities at Ottawa with this object in view, and can procure a military ambulance for \$1150—second hand of course. When appealed to regarding finances, the secretary-treasurer spoiled the outlook by declaring no funds. However, the committee was continued with the addition of Mr. Hanson.

The recent resignation of Dr. W. C. Crockett, the dean of the medical staff, has created a vacancy and the secretary presented an application for the position. There are two or three applications already on file, and after

APPOINTMENTS ANNOUNCED IN THE GAZETTE

SUB-INSPECTOR FOR THIS CITY AND VICINITY

Chief Finley's Appointment Dates from Sept. 1st—Other Appointments are Also Gazetted.

This week's Royal Gazette announces the appointment of Mr. W. H. Finley, Chief of Police, to the position of sub-inspector under the intoxicating liquor act for the city of Fredericton, and a radius of eight miles therefrom, the appointment to date from September 1st. The list of appointments as gazetted is as follows:

Queens—William H. Gale, to be revisor for the Parish of Waterboro, in the place of James B. Kelly, resigned.

St. John—Arnold B. Thorne, of the City of St. John, Edward A. Farren, of the City of St. John, and R. Allen Love, of St. Martins, in the City and County of St. John, to be Justices of the Peace.

Northumberland—Michael O'Brien, of Rogersville, to be Vendor of Game Licenses for the Parish of Rogersville.

York—James Boise, of Parker's Ridge, to be a Justice of the Peace. Miles McLaughlin, of Canterbury, to be a Provincial Constable. Benjamin F. Jones, to be Revisor for the Parish of Douglas in place of William D. Hagerman, removed from the Parish.

Upon the recommendation of the Chief Inspector under the Intoxicating Liquor Act, W. H. Finley to be sub-inspector for the City of Fredericton and for a radius of eight miles therefrom, said appointment to date from the first day of September, 1920.

Upon the recommendation of the Chief Inspector under the Intoxicating Liquor Act, F. C. Hopkins, of the City of St. John, to be senior officer for the St. John District.

Upon the recommendation of the Chief Inspector under the Intoxicating Liquor Act, Sergeant S. E. Journey, of the City of St. John, to be sub-inspector under the Intoxicating Liquor Act for the City of St. John.

some discussion it was decided to defer action at present.

The president read a letter from the chief architect of the Fraser Memorial Hospital, having special reference to the proposed power plant for laundry and for general heating purposes. It was seen that the trustees are really tied-up owing to the lack of action on the part of assistance on the part of the city and county. In the meantime this matter is in the hands of the building committee.

Before concluding the business of the session the superintendent was invited before the Board and gave particulars respecting internal matters. The staff has become so large and sleeping accommodation so restricted, that relief came by one of our citizens offering to open his residence for the nurses.

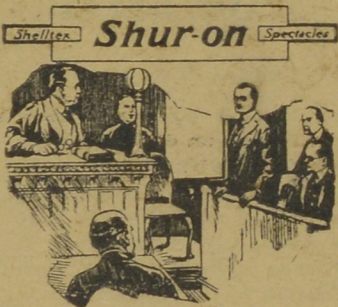
After ordering payment of a number of accounts the meeting was adjourned.

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