

STREET POLES
TOPIC OF CITY
COUNCIL MONDAY

Council Discussed Matter at Some Length—Fire Alarm Disturbances Also Brought Up.

The city council met in committee last evening with Aldermen Jewett and Thompson the only members of the council absent. There was not a great deal of business before the council and at about 9.30 o'clock the council accepted the invitation of the firemen to be guests at the Chautauqua program and repaired up stairs.

Several matters were brought up for discussion at the meeting. Alderman Mitchell moved that the finance committee be authorized to invest sum of \$6,000 in Municipal Bonds at 5 per cent as a sinking fund. Alderman Currier seconded the motion and after some discussion the motion was carried.

The Hospital Expenses.

Quite a long discussion was held by the council over the hospital expense bill for the month and the question of the care of several of the inmates was brought up. It was decided to have the council members of the hospital board to look into the matter of dividing the care of the city patients among the various doctors instead of having continuous care by the one physician, as has been the case in the past. This matter will be brought up at the next Hospital Board meeting.

The Fire Alarm

Another matter brought up and discussed was the recent trouble experienced with the fire alarm, when difficulty was had with the sounding apparatus. The cause of this trouble was explained by Alderman Bull, chairman of the Fire committee. In his explanation, he said that one of the

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CITY AFFAIRS

Damaging Property

Police officers McNeil and Hart of the local force arrested a local man last evening on a warrant issued, charging him with damaging real property and creating a disturbance on one of the streets in the city. The prisoner is at present lodged in the cells awaiting sentence.

Late Mrs. Elizabeth George

The funeral of the late Mrs. Elizabeth George, who passed away at her home in Union street, Devon on Sunday morning, took place this morning from the late home and was attended by relatives and friends. High Mass of Requiem was celebrated at the St. Anthony's Church at Devon by Rev. Father Donahue at nine o'clock, following which interment was made in the Hermitage.

The Police Commission

At the regular meeting of the city council this evening Ald. Goodspeed pursuant to notice given last month will move to abolish the Fredericton Police Commission. The alderman takes the ground that the Commission has outlived its usefulness, an opinion which is shared by a great many other citizens. The commission is composed of Mr. D. W. Oits, chairman, Mayor Clark and Police Magistrate Limerick. Should the commission be abolished, control of the police force will revert to the city council.

Local Interest.

A great number of local persons are awaiting with interest the outcome today of the United States election for a presidential nominee. All over the United States voting is taking place today and in this district is greatly enthused over one of the hardest fought P. S. election campaigns in a number of years. Though the result may mean nothing to Canadians, yet the great majority have followed with increasing interest the reports of the progress of the two candidates, Alfred E. Smith and Herbert J. Hoover. The radio has been a great boon in this regard.

DECREE OF DIVORCE GRANTED
IN OPENING SESSION OF COURT

J. V. LeTourneau Given Decree From Kathleen W. LeTourneau This Morning at Opening of Divorce Court—Twelve Cases For Hearing at The November Term—Court Considers in Only Other Remanet, Crouse vs. Crouse—One New Defended Case—Justice Crocket Presiding.

The November term of the New Brunswick Court of Divorce and Matrimonial Causes opened this morning in the County Court House before Justice Crocket with twelve cases set for hearing. At the session this morning two of the cases, both remanets, were cleared up, in one the court considering a decree of divorce being granted in the other. Court considers in the case of Elwood A. Crouse vs Lillian Crouse. The parties are from the Parish of Bright York County and the case has twice been made a remanet. In the other case, that of John Vincent LeTourneau vs Kathleen M. LeTourneau, a decree was granted to the plaintiff on the grounds asked for. Court adjourned at one o'clock and resumed at 2.30 o'clock this afternoon.

The cases are as follows: Remanets Elwood A. Crouse vs. Lillian Crouse, John Vincent LeTourneau vs Kathleen M. LeTourneau. New cases, undefended: Doris Mae Congle vs James

Congle; Harriet F. Scoville vs Edward A. Scoville; Fannie Jacobson vs Morris Jacobson; Susan Elizabeth McDonough vs John McDonough; Hester Blanche Alcosis vs William Alfred Alcosis; Joseph Bucknam Justason vs Angas Justason; Everett Bishop vs Dolly Bishop; Mary Alida Burt vs LeRoy Miller Burt; Harry Tripp vs Leah Tripp. New cases, defended: Mildred D. Perry vs W. Colby Perry. Adrian B. Gilbert is for the former while G. H. V. Belyea is for the defendant in the action.

Were Married Young.

In the Congle action, the parties are of the city of Saint John. The plaintiff formerly Doris Mae Davis alleges that on the 23rd of June 1924 at the age of 15 years she was united in marriage to her husband the defendant then 18 years of age. They were married by Rev. George C. MacDonald. She asks for divorce on the ground

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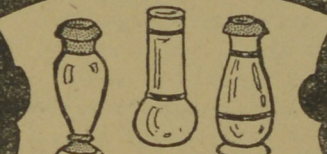
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