

DISPOSAL OF GARBAGE IS TOPIC OF DISCUSSION

City Council At Special Meeting Discussed the Problem

Daily Mail's Suggestion

Suggestion That Incinerator Would be Proper Remedy

At a special meeting of the City Council held this morning the matter of a public dump and the disposal of city garbage which has been discussed recently by the Daily Mail, was taken up and the suggestions made by this paper were considered.

Ald. C. Hedley Forbes went into the matter and pointed out the necessity of immediately remedying the present condition of affairs. He stated that he did not blame the residents of the uptown section of the city nor those of the downtown section for complaining about the bad odor and other unhealthful conditions resulting from having people's garbage dumped in the centre of the city. Ald. Forbes stated that if he belonged to the section adjoining the public dump he would take the matter up with the provincial health authorities if the local authorities refused to act. Ald. Forbes suggested the installation of an incinerator to dispose of local garbage. Such a plant could be constructed at comparatively small expense to the individual taxpayer, and would on the other hand save him many dollars during the year which he has to spend for the disposal of his garbage.

It looks now as if the Daily Mail's suggestion made some time ago and continued recently would be carried into effect by the city council.

NEWS BRIEFS

GAINING SLOWLY

Friends will be pleased to know that Miss Nora Gerow is gaining slowly but surely following her recent illness.

CONDITION NO BETTER

The condition of Robert Dennison, former accountant of W. J. Scott, was reported to be not improved any today. Mr. Dennison is critically ill at his home on Westmorland Street.

IN SERIOUS CONDITION

Anxiety was shown today over the condition of John Hughey, Jr., who is very seriously ill at his home on King Street. The young man has been in ill-health for the past several years.

LIQUOR BOARD MET

The regular monthly meeting of the N. B. Liquor Control Board was held this morning in the offices of the chairman, R. G. Fulton. Routine matters were taken up. M. E. Agar of Saint John and F. J. Robideaux, of Shediac, the other members of the board were present.

ASKED TO ATTEND

Notice is contained in this week's Royal Gazette that the devisees, legatees and creditors of Ellen Ward, late of the town of Devon, are cited to attend a court of probate to be held in this city on Monday, July 8 at eleven o'clock, when the accounts will be passed upon and order made for distribution.

DEGREE FROM COLUMBIA

Robert M. MacFarlane, son of the late J. Walter MacFarlane and Mrs. MacFarlane, of Nashwaakasis arrived this week from New York to spend the summer. Mr. MacFarlane lately received his M. A. degree from Columbia University. Last year he received his Bachelor of Commerce degree from Dalhousie University. Young Mr. MacFarlane earned his M. A. degree from Columbia in one year's study, although ordinarily it takes a year and a half of intensive study to secure this degree from Columbia University. Mr. MacFarlane's thesis was entitled: "Commercial Education in New Brunswick".

On the air, Opposition candidate, Dr. W. M. Jenkins, 6.45 to 7.

MORE ARGUMENT IN EATON TAX CASE FRIDAY

N. B. Appeal Court Has Adjourned Until Next Friday

Interesting Case

Counsel Comments That Proceedings Have 'Suspicious Odor'

The New Brunswick Appeal Court continued its argument in ex parte Algernon E. McSweeney here yesterday and adjournment was then made until Friday morning at eleven o'clock. Subject to the reception of further documents and affidavits on Friday the court reserved judgment. Chief Justice Baxter, Mr. Justice Grimmer and Mr. Justice LeBlanc comprised the court.

F. G. Bridges, of Moncton, supporting an application on behalf of McSweeney, a Moncton tax payer, to compel the Moncton board of assessors to assess properly the T. Eaton Co. (Maritime) Ltd., for 1933-34 on income earned during 1932 and 1933, declared yesterday: "There's a very suspicious odor about these proceedings." Mr. Bridges said that on May 7 the company had been exempted by the council from taxation on income for these years but that when it was apparent that the present litigation would take place, a check for \$6,616.98 as the taxes on taxable income from the retail business done in Moncton during those years, was received and that on May 14 a resolution was adopted by the council accepting the money in lieu of further claims on income for those years.

Wish to Compel

The alternative is to compel the Moncton city council to recommend to the board a chartered accountant to verify the tax returns made by the company in 1932-33 and to assess properly the company for those years if a taxable income is shown.

There was nothing to show that a tax bill for the amount referred to had been sent out, Mr. Bridges said. "All the facts are right within our knowledge. . . In some manner were unfortunately do not know how this money came in," he declared.

J. F. H. Teed, K.C., St. John, showing cause against the rule nisi for mandamus on behalf of the board of assessors, pointed out in his argument that at the present time he was not concerned with whether the company should be assessed on the income from its mail order business. If the court granted the mandamus, that would be a matter to be determined between the company and the city, he said. Associated with Mr. Teed was T. T. Goodwin, K.C., Moncton city solicitor.

Before the Dominion company, which had its head office in Toronto, located in the Maritimes, it was given to understand by the chairman of the board of assessors that in Moncton there was no assessment on income from which stock was assessed, Mr. Teed stated. Never until this year had the company filed any assessment on income, nor had Mr. McSweeney, formerly in business in Moncton, Mr. Teed claimed. The company received no special favor.

Later, Mr. Teed explained that the company's retail business was established several years after the mail order business was opened at Moncton, and that they were prepared to pay taxes on the income received from the retail business on a parity with others in business there.

The Moncton City Council accepted the offer of the company to pay on its retail business as a compromise, as they contended that the company was not liable to a tax on income at all.

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AWARD TENDER FOR WORK ON THE MUNICIPAL HOME

Contract for Alterations and Additions Awarded To J. & R. Forbes

Council Met Today

Authorization For Re-guilding Face of City Hall Clock

The city council met at nine o'clock this morning in a special meeting for the chief purpose of considering tenders for making of additions and alterations to the Municipal Home. The contract was awarded to Messrs. John and Roy Forbes, Devon contractors, at the price of \$9,438. Three tenders were submitted.

His Worship Mayor W. G. Clark presided at the meeting which lasted for twenty minutes and there was a good attendance of aldermen.

Authorization was given to the city hall committee to re-gild the face of the city hall clock, something which, it was admitted, has been needed for a long time.

Permission was granted to the New Brunswick Bureau of Information and Tourist Travel to erect an electric sign in front of their premises on King Street, the work to be done under the direction and supervision of the city engineer.

On the air, Friday, A. D. Taylor, government party, 6:30 P. M., tune in CFNB.

COMPLETION OF U. N. B. HEATING SYSTEM SEPT. 1

First Half of Work Was Completed Last Year On Arts Buildings

Dr. Stephens in Charge

Combination Steam-Hot Water Heating System For College Bldg.

Work on the new heating system which is being installed in the Arts building of the University of New Brunswick is going ahead rapidly, and it is anticipated that it will be completed by September 1.

The work was half-completed last year and at the February meeting of the U.N.B. Senate authorization was given for its completion this year. Already the boiler has arrived and has been installed. Work started two weeks ago under the supervision of Dr. John Stephens.

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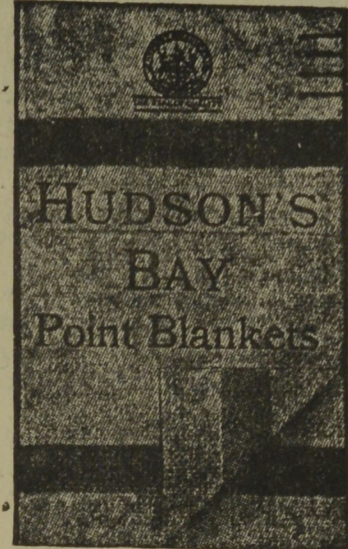
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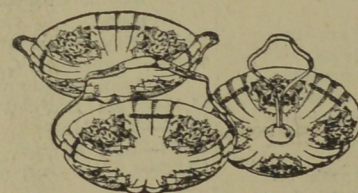
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