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Great Bargains in FRUIT!

We have fifteen barrels of Wealthy Apples, which we are going to sell at 15 cents a peck. They are splendid Cooking Apples. Order at once if you want some, as we won't have them long. We have just received another lot of Dried Fruits, including Evaporated Peaches, Apricots and Prunes, which we are selling at a very low price.

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Wet feet are constantly running after the doctor. Look well to the children's feet before sending them to school. We'll help you this spring to keep the family in Rubber, Waterproof Footwear.

Men's Overshoes, were \$1.80 now	95c
Women's " " " 1.50 " "	99c
Misses' " " " 1.50 " "	99c
Child's " " " 1.40 " "	99c
Misses' Rubbers, " 45 " "	30c
Child's Rubbers, " 35 " "	25c

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The One Price Cash Shoe Store.

THE CITY FATHERS

Give the Sewerage Question a Good Threshing Out.

A PLEBISCITE OF THE ELECTORS TO BE TAKEN

And City Will Apply for Legislation This Session.

A LARGE AMOUNT OF BUSINESS TRANSACTED BY THE BOARD.

The regular monthly meeting of the Fredericton city council was held last evening with Mayor Beckwith in the chair and all the aldermen in attendance. The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

Message dealing with the death of our late sovereign was read to the council by the Mayor and ordered to be entered upon the minutes.

The monthly and quarterly salaries of the several city officers were ordered to be paid.

The auditors report for February was read by the mayor and approved. The expenditures during the month were as follows:

Roads and streets.....	\$424 75
Public Works.....	23 58
City hall.....	196 38
Ad of Justice.....	31 00
Fire Department.....	38 34
Contingencies.....	50 46
Markets.....	3 50
Street lights.....	826 06
Sewerage and water.....	87 60

The monthly report on the alms house accounts was submitted by Ald. Vanwart and adopted, and on Ald. Vanwart's motion a check for \$300 was ordered to issue in favor of the commissioner for expenses during February.

The auditor's report for the year was submitted by Ald. Smith and adopted.

Ald. Smith also submitted the treasurer's monthly report on tax collections, which was in substance as follows:
Taxes collected in Jan., 1900.....\$902 51
Taxes collected in Jan., 1901.....523 75
The report was received and ordered to be entered in the minutes.

CIVIC ACCOUNTS.

Ald. Smith moved that six hundred copies of the city accounts be published for the information of the ratepayers.

Ald. Farrell thought it was hardly necessary to again publish the valuator's report this year. Neither was it necessary to publish the assessment and water consumer's lists. Both had already been published and he thought several hundred dollars could be saved by omitting them this year.

Ald. Smith was not in favor of having the assessment list struck off, but saw no reason for again publishing the water and valuation lists.

A motion that 600 copies of the accounts be published with the valuation, and water lists omitted, was adopted.

The administration of justice committee reported the total expenditures of the county for the year as \$2083.43. The report was adopted and a check for \$694.43, the city's share of the above amount, was ordered to issue in favor of John Back, Secretary Treasurer of the county.

THE LICENSE QUESTION.

A petition from Lilley & Sons, praying that the city do not exact license fee from them was read to the meeting.

Ald. Farrell thought it was hardly the thing to allow a stranger to do business for fifteen months for one year's taxes. Money had been collected before in similar cases and he saw no reason why Lilley & Sons should not pay something for the three months they had been in business here.

The City Marshall stated in reply to a question that he had invited the firm to pay a license fee of \$50 per month.

The matter was further discussed by Ald. Smith, Farrell and Moore and the latter moved that Messrs. Lilley be asked to pay the sum of \$20.

Ald. Moore complained that the Messrs. Lilley did not patronize the farmers of York but purchased their supplies of meat in St. John.

On a vote being taken on Ald. Moore's

motion it was declared lost, only three aldermen supporting it.

Ald. Smith then moved, seconded by Ald. McKendrick, that the sum of \$5 be collected from Lilley & Sons. This was voted down and an amendment by Ald. Ryan that \$10 be collected from them was carried by a vote of five to three. Then matter then dropped.

A petition from A. A. Sterling asking for permission to store petroleum in his warehouse on the Normal school wharf was read to the council.

After a short discussion a motion that the prayer of the petition be complied with was adopted.

Ald. Smith, from the committee appointed to consider the application of the Imperial Oil company to erect a warehouse on the old race course, reported verbally in favor of the site selected.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

The following report from the chief engineer of the fire department was then read and adopted:

To His Worship the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Fredericton:

Gentlemen,—I have the honor of submitting for your information the annual report of the fire department for the year ending 31st December, 1900.

During the year, I am pleased to state, no fire has occurred to cause any unnecessary alarm to the citizens. The department has been prompt to the call of duty, which, in a large measure and with a plentiful supply of water, has been the means of preventing fires from spreading and keeping the losses down to a very small amount.

In looking over the alarms during the year, it will be noticed that the department has been called out many times unnecessarily for false alarms and burning chimneys.

At the request of Mr. John A. Morrison, the steamer "Alexandra" with 500 feet of hose and a number of men went down to the Phoenix Mills on the 8th August, and by hard work prevented the total destruction of a large quantity of cedar logs that were piled up in the vicinity of the mill.

GRIPPE AND PNEUMONIA—

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If they, the ratepayers, desire to have a system of sewerage constructed or not.

Ald. Farrell addressed the council on the subject combating some of the statements made by Ald. McKay. He was in favor of having the question submitted to the people as early as possible and thought all the information on the subject should be placed in their possession so that an intelligent vote could be taken.

He thought only ratepayers living within the water limits and those who had paid their taxes should be allowed to vote. In his opinion if sewerage were adopted ratepayers should be compelled to make use of it.

Ald. Clark said he would like very much to see the question submitted to the people with the approval of the council. He was strongly in favor of a system of sewerage, and hoped the vote would be strong enough to enable the council to go ahead and invite tenders for the work. The cost of a system, he held, could not be ascertained until the tenders for the work were received. He believed that it should be made compulsory for those who have city water in their buildings to connect with the sewerage system. That is as far as he would like to see it made compulsory at the present time. He thought the cost of operating a system should be borne by the whole people. If it was intended to make sewerage compulsory for all purposes it would be useless to take the vote. He wanted to see the question put before the people without prejudice. It was an important one and was only a question of time when a system would be established in Fredericton.

Ald. Moore was not so anxious for sewerage as Ald. Clark, but wanted the question put fairly and squarely before the people. He believed that if sewerage were adopted it would have to be made compulsory, otherwise it would be no good at all.

Ald. Smith said the proposed cost of a system of sewerage would be in the neighborhood of \$80,000. This allowed for a population of 15,000, or about double that of Fredericton. At 4 per cent the interest on the debentures would be \$3,200 per year. The total cost of maintenance he had estimated at about \$300 a year, which would include the cost of maintaining two pumping stations. The total cost per annum would therefore be \$3,500 a year. He (Smith) was in favor of submitting the question to a plebiscite of the ratepayers but there were matters of detail in connection with the vote that would need to be carefully considered. He thought that some provision should be made for going on with the work, in case the vote resulted unfavorably. Personally he believed it should be compulsory for people to enter the sewerage system, but he thought that question could easily be disposed of when the time came to make a law governing the system.

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The mayor thought the city needed a system of sewerage and he would be in favor of making it compulsory and abolishing the present system of private sewerage running into the river from all quarters. All who use the city water should be compelled to enter the sewerage system.

The vote was then taken on Ald. McKay's resolution which was unanimously adopted.

After some further discussion started by Ald. Moore, Ald. Merrithew moved, seconded by Ald. Smith, that all ratepayers living within the district defined in the resolution, be allowed to vote whether their taxes be paid or not.

ALD. MOORE MOVED.

This resolution brought Ald. Farrell to his feet, and he said for Ald. Moore in a vigorously fashion for presenting sympathy for the ratepayers who did not pay their taxes. There were too many people in the city who did not pay their taxes, and if he had a seat at the board for another year he would go in for shutting down every public work in the city until the people learnt to pay their taxes more promptly. Ald. Moore wanted all the ratepayers to vote on the question so that

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EATS CATS, GIVES IT TO HIS CHILDREN.

Pickled Maltose Served on Dannecker's Table Stirs Entire Neighborhood.

SAYS HE LIKES THE MEAT.

Partook of Dogs for a Long Time, but Found it Had to Get Tender Ones.

Eating pickled cat for dinner and serving it to his two motherless children is a diet innovation made by J. Martin Dannecker, a tailor of No. 370 Plane street, Newark, N. J., that has excited the neighborhood and stirred the Health Board of that city.

"Yes, I eat cat meat; what of it?" said Dannecker yesterday when questioned about the matter. "I'm going to have it for supper. Come around and I'll give you some."

"What are all these people making this great fuss about, anyway?" "I've eaten dog meat for years. I've taken it to cure lung trouble. I found it hard to get dogs to kill that had tender meat. So I tried the cat. I killed one Wednesday and plucked it. I had some for supper last night and more for dinner today. It's tenderer than dog, and its good."

"I know complain's have been made to the police and the Board of Health, but let 'em complain. It's my business what I and my children eat. It isn't true that I forced my children to eat it. My little girl tasted it but didn't like it."

The man brought out a big bowl which contained cat meat in a pickle of vinegar and onion. Regarding himself with the odor of the preparation he uttered a sign of satisfaction.

"Ah, it's good!" said he, replacing the dish in the refrigerator.

Dannecker has two children, John, fourteen years old, and Louisa, twelve. The boy ran into the house of a neighbor, Mrs. George Hicks, yesterday afternoon and declared that his father had put him out of his home because he had refused to eat some of the cat at dinner.

John declared that his sister, in fear of her father had eaten some of the meat. This particular cat was a big Maltese. Neighbors saw its carcass hanging at the back of the tailor's house before it was prepared for the table. When they heard the boy's story they reported the affair to the Health Board.

"I am investigating the complaint," said Health officer Chandler, "but I don't know of any law that prohibits a man from eating a cat if he wants to. As far as I can see the only thing I can do is to provide the children with a good meal."

Justice of the Peace Zeff, of No. 350 Belleville avenue, has also taken up the matter, and he says that if nothing else is possible he will issue a warrant for the tailor on the charge of cruelty to animals.

JAMES KENNEDY, Esq., the well known merchant, St. John, N.B., after a personal test of Hawker's Balm of Tolu and Wild Cherry, says: "I can heartily recommend it to any one suffering from a cough or cold, and would ask them to test it and be convinced."

GEORGE PHILIPS, I. C. R. Ticket Agent and Exchange Broker, St. John, N. B., says: "I was completely cured of influenza cold by a bottle of Hawker's Tolu and Wild Cherry Balm."

REV. GEO. M. CAMPBELL, Pastor of Exmouth street Methodist Church, St. John, N. B., says: "Hawker's Tolu and Wild Cherry Balm has been in use in my family for several years for colds and throat affections, with results so satisfactory that I have confidently recommended it to my friends."

THOMAS McAVITY, Esq., St. John, N. B., writes: "I take pleasure in stating that I have used Hawker's Tolu and Wild Cherry Balm in my family for years, and find it an excellent remedy for coughs and colds."

H. A. MCKEOWN, M. P. P., St. John, N. B., says: "I take great pleasure in stating that I have used Hawker's Tolu and Wild Cherry Balm for the last eight years and consider it the best cough cure I ever used. I find Hawker's Liver Pills an excellent liver regulator."—dfr.

The Herald

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WEDNESDAY, FEB. 6th

At 9 a.m. and following days. The quantities are limited. Early comers will get best selection. Spring goods are already arriving and we must have the room. These are a few of the many useful articles to go in this clearance sale.

Flannelette Embroidery, all widths, to go at 3½c a yard.

Nice patterns in Fine Lace at 4c and 7c a yard—worth double.

Woolen Hose, the 24c quality, reduced to 15c a pair.

9 only Fur Neck Ruffs, were \$2.25, choice for 50c.

White and Black Woolen Gloves reduced to 15c a pair.

Grey Woolen Blankets, extra large sizes, reduced to \$2 and \$2.60 a pair—worth 50 per cent. more.

Odd lines in Boots and Rubbers. Our shoe store has many odd lots of good seasonable footwear. They are to be cleared at ½ price.

Come and see the Ladies' and Misses' Boots at 58c a pair.

Men's and Boys' Boots at 88c and \$1.10 a pair.

Ladies' Rubbers, 3 and 3½ at 25c a pair.

Ladies' Overshoes, 2½, 3, 3½, at 85c a pair.

Men's Rubbers, 6, 6½ and 7, at 40c a pair.

Men's 3-buckle Overshoes, Jersey, at \$1.35. All the above Rubbers are the best quality that gold can buy.

Comforters—28 only, well made, large size, Bed Comforters, worth \$2, reduced to \$1.35.

9 only Bed Spreads, were \$2.20, reduced to \$1.45.

Men's Underwear—See those 90c Shirts and Drawers in our window at 60c. 75c quality Underwear reduced to 50c. Boys' Underwear, all sizes, at 25c.

Boys' Suits—Our down town window is filled up with Boys' Suits, 2 and 3 pieces, sizes 24 to 30, at \$1.90, \$2.20 and \$2.75. The greatest value ever offered.

Men's Overcoats, Ulsters and Reefers selling this week below the cost of making.

Balance of all our Fur Coats, Caps, Collars and Mitts are to be cleared at ½ price. Come early if you require any.

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