COUNTY FINANCES.

York Has the Snug Surplus of $4,= 539.26

ON THE PAST YEAR'S OPERATIONS,

Assessment of the Several Parishes and Other Sources of Revenue.

HOW THE MONEY WAS SPENT.

The total assessment on the county of York for the year ended Nov. 30 1902 was $22,149.02, apportioned among the parishes as follows:

Bright	$1,782 03
Canterbury	1,739 82
Douglas	3,029 85
Dumfries	669 53
Kingsclear	1,717 54
Manners-Sutton	968 12
McAdam	763 16
New Maryland	401 28
North Lake	843 74
Prince William	743 07
Queensbury	992 41
Southampton	1,727 59
St Mary's	2,292 59
Stanley	2,523 60
Marysville	1,954 69
Total	$22,149 02

The total receipts for the year amounted to $24,095 37, from the following sources:

County rates	$19,691 30
Board of health, one half expense of small pox expenses from the local government	751 99
County buildings	4 20
Fredericton's share administration of justice account	988 65
Highways	36 82
Juries	263 20
Miscellaneous	171 52
Marysville assessment	1,954 69
Pedlars	63 00
Scott Act	170 00
Total	$24,095 37

The expenditures totalled $21,256.56 as follows:

Paid for parishes	$4,050 26
Board of health	1,783 67
Constables	229 50
Coroners	163 60
County buildings	1,406 24
Coupons	549 00
Highways	5 31
Juries	560 70
Lunatics	311 00
Miscellaneous	1,486 14
Postage and printing	593 07
Revisors	540 00
Salaries	1,005 35
Sheriff	268 00
Schools	7,170 92
Victoria Hospital	300 00
Witnesses	33 80
Total	$21,256 56

Summary.

Bal. on hand Nov. 30 1901	$ 1,700 45
Receipts for year	24,095 37
	$25,795 82
Expenditure for year	21,256 56
Bal. on hand Nov. 3 1902	$4,539 26

Liabilities and Assets.

Following were the liabilities of the county Nov. 30, 1902:

Railway debentures at 4½ p. c.	$9,000 00
Debentures to pay temporary loans at 4½ per cent	3,200 00
Balance to credit Parish of Dumfries	5 01
	$12,205 01

Assets.

Cash in Royal Bank of Canada	$4,539 26
Balance due from parishes:—	
Bright	$1,890 61
Canterbury	904 23
Douglas	924 79
Kingsclear	1,661 99
Manners-Sutton	347 93
McAdam	343 39
New Maryland	109 10
North Lake	362 32
Prince William	374 62
Queensbury	550 68
St. Mary's	1,568 31
Southampton	1,227 55
Stanley	2,437 80
	$12,703 32
Assets over liabilities	$5,037 57

Supplementary Report.

The following supplement to the auditor's report shows amount paid by tax collectors to the Secretary-Treasurer since the close of the fiscal year Nov. 30, 1902 and up to Jan. 16, 1903:

Bright	$263 69
Canterbury	247 15
Douglas	332 19
Kingsclear	728 94
Manners Sutton	255 15
New Maryland	129 10
North Lake	260 00
Prince William	106 69
Queensbury	361 59
Southampton	351 15
St. Mary's	180 64
Stanley	306 03
Totals	$3,522 32

Balance Sheet, 1902.

SECRETARY-TREASURER, YORK COUNTY.

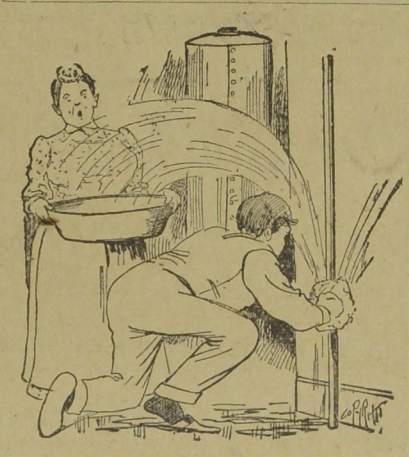
	Payments.	Receipts.
Bright	$ 443 73	$1,470 12
Canterbury	557 15	2,396 40
Douglas	608 40	2,870 98
Dumfries	35 95	783 00
Kingsclear	501 48	1,696 46
Manners Sutton	95 70	857 57
McAdam	138 60	640 10
New Maryland	120 26	343 29
North Lake	231 77	568 24
Prince William	31 66	926 79
Queensbury	224 47	942 09
Saint Mary's	846 26	2,174 48
Southampton	391 82	1,263 49
Stanley	623 01	2,758 29
Board of Health	1,783 67	751 99
Coroners	163 60	
Constables	229 50	
Coupons	549 00	
County buildings	1,406 24	4 20
City of Fredericton		988 65
Highways	5 31	36 82
Juries	560 70	263 20
Lunatics	311 00	
Miscellaneous	1,486 14	171 52
Marysville (Town of)		1,954 69
Printing and Postage	593 07	
Peddlers		63 00
Revisors	540 00	
Salaries	1,005 35	
Sheriff	268 00	
Schools	7,170 92	
Scott Act		170 00
Victoria Hospital	300 00	
Witnesses	33 80	
Totals	$21,256 56	$24,095 37
Balance on hand 30th Nov., 1901		1,700 45
Balance on hand 30th Nov., 1902	4,539 26	
	$25,795 82	$25,795 82

Returning to Canada.

A letter received by a friend, brought the news that Mrs. Norton Taylor, formerly of Halifax, and Miss Lillie Norton Taylor, who have been staying at Edinburgh, were joined there at Christmas time by Miss Connie Norton Taylor, who is at present a nurse in training. It is altogether probable that Mrs. and Mrs. Taylor will return to Kingston this spring. This will be very welcome news to their very many warm friends in Kingston.—Halifax Herald.

Fatally Burned.

Mrs. Jos. Perrier was perhaps fatally burned at her home, Gottingen street, Halifax, last night, by the explosion of an oil lamp. Her husband in trying to put out the flames was severely burned.



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HOTEL HORROR.

Upset Lamp Set Fire to Building.

FOUR MEN DEAD AND FOUR OTHERS MISSING.

Protest Lodged Against Prefontaine's Election.

ADMIRAL APPOINTED TO A GOVERNORSHIP.

APPOINTED GOVERNOR.

(Special to Daily Herald.)

Halifax, Jan. 20.—Admiral Bedford, formerly of this station, has been appointed Governor of the State of West Australia.

COAL FOR THE POOR.

(Special to Daily Herald.)

Chicago, Jan. 20.—The city council last night decided to spend $25,000 to buy coal for the city's poor.

COAL DISCOVERY.

(Special to Daily Herald.)

Louisville, Neb., Jan. 20.—This town is in luck. A vein, of what is pronounced to be the best anthracite coal, has been located just on the edge of the town.

ARCHBISHOP'S OPINION.

(Special to Daily Herald.)

Winnipeg, Jan. 20.—Archbishop Langevin, speaking at St. Boniface on Sunday, said it was the duty of all Roman Catholics to follow the advice of their priests in regard to voting at election time.

ELECTION PROTESTED.

(Special to Daily Herald.)

Montreal, Jan. 20.—The election of Hon. Mr. Prefontaine, M. P. for Maisonneuve, and Minister of Marine and Fisheries, has been protested. Conservatives allege corruption in a number of instances. Mr. Prefontaine's majority was in the vicinity of 2,000.

SEVERAL PERISHED.

(Special to the Daily Herald.)

Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 20.—A despatch from Morrissey, B. C., says that as the result of the burning of the Spooner Hotel there Sunday night, four men are dead and four are missing.

It is feared these latter have perished in the flames.

The fire was caused by the overturning of a lamp.

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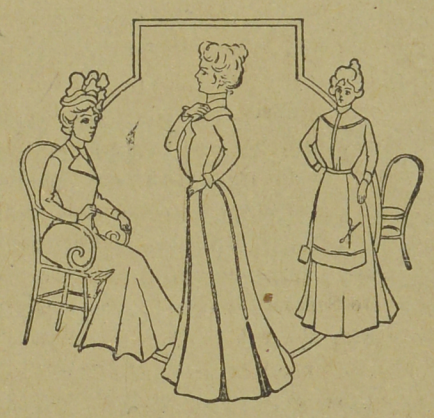

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By order of the Board of Directors,

J. W. SPURDEN, Manager

Fredericton, N. B., Dec. 27, 1903. 3d2w