

CITY COUNCIL MEETING.

The Union Telephone Company Will Have a Chance to Enter the City.

ALD. EVERETT EXPLAINS WHY NEW STREETS HAVE NOT BEEN OPENED UP.

The Fire Horses May be Exercised on George Street in Future.

A BYE-LAW TO THAT EFFECT ADOPTED BY THE BOARD.

The city council got through with quite a lot of business at the regular meeting last evening. A number of petitions and communications were read, and a basis of agreement was arrived at with the Union Telephone Company. Ald. Everett made an explanation in regard to the failure of the council to carry out the program of opening new streets, claiming that lack of funds prevented the work from being done.

Those present at the meeting were Mayor McNally in the chair, and Alds. Stockford, Mitchell, Everett, McGinn, McKenzie, Hanlon, Chestnut, Barbour and Randolph.

After routine business the auditor's report for September was read by the mayor and adopted. The expenditures for the month were as follows:

Roads and streets	\$ 98.88
Public Works	263.85
Market	45.19
City Hall	748.21
Fire	446.64
Contingencies	190.90
Alms House	35
Ad. of Justice	97.82
Street Lights	2056.80
Sewerage and Water	1643.92
Total	\$5592.56

A LIVELY TILT.

Ald. McGinn took exception to an account from Mr. Willis McPherson of \$237 for work done at the electric light station. He wanted to know if tenders had been called for.

Ald. Mitchell said that no tenders had been called for.

Ald. McGinn said that the New Brunswick foundry paid a large amount in taxes and should not have been ignored in this way.

Ald. Mitchell said the money was expended for repair work on the Wheelock engine made necessary by the neglect of the late superintendent.

Ald. McGinn replied with considerable warmth. He said that the Wheelock engine had never made a revolution since it became the property of the city, and nobody could say what repairs it needed until it was tried. He denied that there had been any neglect on his part.

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

On motion of Ald. Chestnut a check for \$1000 was ordered to be issued in favor of the Agricultural Society No. 34, being the amount of the city grant to the exhibition.

In reply to Ald. Stockford, Ald. Chestnut stated that a charge of \$100 for rental of the opera house during exhibition week was to be deducted from the grant.

The report of the Alms House Commissioner was read by Ald. McKenzie and adopted. It asked for a check for \$200 to meet current expenses.

Ald. Hanlon read a letter from the 71st Band, asking for payment of the city grant of \$50 in favor of the band. On his motion a check was ordered to be issued.

Ald. Chestnut read the following statement of tax collections which was ordered to be entered upon the minutes:

Sept. 1904 for 1901	\$ 1.17
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" " 1902	131.81
" " 1903	517.50
" " 1904	454.14
Total	\$1104.62

Sept. 1905 for 1901	9.42
" " 1902	19.52
" " 1903	161.97
" " 1904	243.56
" " 1905	579.58
Total	\$1,014.05

Ald. Chestnut also read a statement showing the standing of the several departments on October 1st.

Ald. McGinn reported verbally in regard to a recent test of hose. He said that five joints which had been sent in replacement of hose that had been found defective, had been tested and found satisfactory.

THE TELEPHONE MATTER.

Ald. Barbour submitted a report on the applications from the Union and New Brunswick Telephone Companies. It pledged the council to erect a line of poles on government lane to be leased to the Union Company in case said company are unable to make a satisfactory agreement with other telephone or telegraph companies.

The city reserves the right to use the poles for street lighting or fire alarm purposes. In case the company uses the city poles, they are to place free of charge a distributing telephone in the city hall.

The report was adopted and the rental fee was fixed at fifty cents per pole per annum. The committee was empowered to arrange for the location of the poles.

A LIGHT WANTED.

A petition from Simmons and Burpee asking that an arc light be erected on the temporary spans of the highway bridge to enable them to carry on operations at night.

Ald. McGinn thought that it would be establishing a questionable precedent for the city to supply light for the benefit of a firm of contractors. The city could not sell light, but the gas company could, and it should be ascertained why the application was not made to that corporation.

Ald. Mitchell said it was important that the bridge should be completed before the ice went out in the spring. The contractors had informed him that they had tried other lights, but they did not give the satisfaction that the city lights did. They promised, however, to try and get light from other sources if possible. The city already had wires on the bridge, and he believed a majority of citizens would favor giving the contractors light if they could not obtain it from some other source.

Ald. Mitchell in reply to Ald. Randolph, said that he had been told by Mr. Simmons that he would be willing to reimburse the city for any expense that might be incurred.

Ald. McGinn said that the city had no power to collect pay for light.

Ald. Mitchell in reply to Ald. Stockford, said that Contractor Fletcher had agreed to pay all expenses incurred in supplying light on the bridge while the temporary spans were under construction.

After some further discussion the petition was referred to the electric light committee with power to act.

A petition was read from J. F. McMurray and Hugh Calder, praying for a reduction in the assessment on the Jack property from six thousand, two hundred and fifty dollars to four thousand dollars. Referred to assessment appeals committee.

DANGEROUS CROSSINGS.

A petition from John Bebbington, M. S. L. Richey, and others, praying that two electric lights be placed near the railway crossing on Charlotte street was read by the mayor. Referred to the light committee.

Ald. Chestnut moved that the city clerk be instructed to call the attention of the railway commission to the condition of the railway crossings on Charlotte and George streets. Carried.

On motion of Ald. Everett, Mr. F. B. Edgecombe and The Peoples Bank of N. B., were given permission to tap the York street sewer for the purpose of carrying of the roof water from their buildings.

Ald. Hanlon in reply to Ald. Barbour said that no appointment was made to the position of scene shifter vacated by Edward Burden, but a young man had been appointed to act temporarily.

STREET IMPROVEMENT.

Ald. Everett in reply to a question by the mayor as to what action had been taken in regard to opening up new streets, said that very little work of a permanent nature had been done on the streets this year. The appropriation was smaller than last year, and most of the work done had been in the nature of repairs. He gave a list of the streets that had been repaired, and claimed that good value had been obtained for the money spent. Aberdeen street had been extended to Smyth street, and the city had in contemplation the opening up of other streets. They did not have the means to turnpike them this fall, but were ready to open them whenever it was shown that building operations were to be carried on. The absence from the city of the city engineer had been something of a handicap to the work. The committee were ready to do repair work in any part of the city, where it was needed.

Ald. Randolph said that the asphalt walk leading to the graveyard needed repairing, and Ald. Everett promised to investigate.

Ald. Chestnut thought the sidewalk in the Barker House alley would stand some repairing.

CAN PRACTICE NOW.

Ald. McGinn called attention to the case of Driver Doucet of the fire department, who had been fined in the police court for fast driving on the public streets. The chief engineer believed it was necessary that the horses should be practised in the work they are required to in time of fire. He concluded by moving an amendment to the bye-law empowering the drivers of the hose cart and hook and ladder wagon to exercise the horses during the day time on George street between York and Regent.

Ald. Stockford expressed the opinion that the horses needed running exercise occasionally to put them in proper condition for practical work. Ald. Mitchell believed that George street was most suitable for the purpose, as they were fewer cross streets entering it.

The bye-law was finally adopted without amendment.

On motion of Ald. McGinn, the drivers at the hose station were each granted ten days' vacation, the chief engineer to approve of substitute.

Ald. McGinn said that he had been asked by the chief engineer to recommend the purchase of two chemical fire extinguishers of a cost of fifteen dollars each.

On motion of Ald. Barbour the matter was referred to the fire committee with power to act.

The mayor thought that such matters should always be taken up in committee, and committees should try and meet at least once a month.

On motion of Ald. Hanlon, council adjourned sine die.

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HAVING FUN WITH THEM.

Fellafree, formerly Rusty Rufus, paused and looked down over the edge of the pier.

Observing Rufus Wratz, Saymold Storey and Eaton Jorgalung stretched at full length on the sand and basking in the sunshine, he took a handful of coins from his pocket, jingled them, and threw them out into the water where there was a depth of three feet or less.

"None of the three moved." "Taint no use, boss, said Saymold Storey, blinking up at him. "We're hard up, but we ain't so durned hard up as all that."

With something like admiration for their firmness in refusing even under strong temptation, to enter into any personal contact with water, he flung a handful of small coin on the bank within their reach, kicked a loose board down on the group and sauntered on.

Once upon an evening dismal, I handed her a paroxysmal Kiss, and spoke her name baptismal. Spoke her name—it was Lenore; Ah, she was a scrumptious creature, Glib of tongue and fair of feature, But, alas, I couldn't teach her. For she had been there before. And she winked at me and murmured. Murmured that one word "Encore" Only that—and nothing more.

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THE BABY'S THROAT.

Examine It Regularly and Get Well Acquainted With It.

Looking into a child's throat is a practice which should not be overlooked or slighted. Commence when the child is an infant and do it once a week. This will answer while the child is very little, but as the child grows older this should be done twice a week, especially when a contagious disease like diphtheria is prevalent; also be sure never to neglect this precaution when the child appears ill with no apparent cause. If this examination of the throat is made regularly as a part of the daily or weekly routine the child becomes so accustomed to it as he does to having his face washed and will not mind in the slightest opening his mouth and having a spoon put in. An early discovery of tonsillitis or diphtheria is frequently the means of saving not only one life, but more, if there are other children in the family. It is also very instructive to mother and nurse. They become so well acquainted with the normal throat that the slightest inflammation or exudate is easily detected.—Marianna Wheeler in Harper's Bazar.

USE MURDERERS' LIVES.

Turn Them Over to Doctors to Experiment With Disease.

New York, Oct. 3.—The Sun publishes the following cable from London. The Lancet publishes a suggestion from a medical correspondent that condemned murderers should have the opinion of submitting themselves to some simple pathological experiment as an alternative to being hanged. The writer urges that a life which is forfeited by the State should be used for some good end instead of being wasted. He says: "If we could study disease in the laboratory of the human body we might, with confidence look forward to almost endless possibilities."

He says the question of whether bovine tuberculosis is transferable to human beings is one which under this experiment would be capable of immediate solution. Another question that could also be solved is whether cancer is transferable from man to man. The writer says he does not doubt that a condemned man would accept the chance of life in any such experiment.

The Lancet editorially expresses agreement with the statement that criminals would consent to place themselves at the disposal of the doctors, and points out that criminals in the middle ages were handed over to medical men for experiments with poison and reputed remedies. Nevertheless, The Lancet does not

support its correspondent's proposal, and declares itself on the side of "professional humanitarians."

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