August 7th, 1917.

SHAPEBUILDING SITE AFRICVILLE - TULLY PROPERTY.

Read report Controller Murphy as follows:-

Halifax, N. S., August 7th, 1917.

His Worship the Mayor and Board of Control.

Gentlemen:

At our last meeting of Council, the Board's recommendation to dispose of a portion of the above property to Mr. McKean and Associates, as a ship-building site, was referred back to see if some arrangements along the lines of lease could be arranged.

In discussing the matter further with Mr. McKean, he advises that he now has under consideration two alternative sites, and also utilizing a plant at Shubenacadie. Under the circumstances, he is not free to discuss further the Africville site.

John Murphy, Controller.

Filed.

MORRIS STREET - LETTER SYDNEY LOCKE.

Read letter Sydney Locke re watering of Morris Street. Filed.

HACK FARES.

Read petition hackmen for increase in the fares for licensed hackmen.

Consideration of the petition is deferred until Tuesday's meeting, the petitioners to be requested to attend before the Board.

FOSTER LOT CHEBUCTO ROAD.

Read account Melvin S. Clarke, $25.00, for services as appraiser in connection with acquisition of the Foster lot, Chebucto Road, Mr. Clark being the Referee.

In accordance with a letter submitted by Mr. Foster at a meeting of the Board August 22nd, 1916, in which he undertook to pay one-half the cost of the arbitration, the Secretary is instructed to return the account to Mr. Clarke, with the request that he submit a bill to the City for one-half of the amount claimed.

TEMPERANCE LAW ENFORCEMENT - ACCOUNT R. H. MURRAY.

On recommendation of Controller Taylor, it is decided