



BURIAL OF THE DEAD.

City Hall, December 11th, 1917.

The City Council.

Gentlemen:—

The Board of Control beg to report that at a meeting held on the 11th inst., Mr. A. S. Barnstead, Chief Mortuary Officer for the City of Halifax, submitted the attached agreement made with Snow & Co., Ltd., the Nova Scotia Undertaking Co., and Joseph Spencer, with reference to the burial of bodies in the City for which the City is responsible.

It is recommended that said agreement be approved by the City Council.

Respectfully submitted,

Secretary Board of Control.



HALIFAX, N. S. December 11th, 1917.

Dear Sirs:-

For coffin size	20 inches to 3 feet.....	\$15
" " "	3 feet to 5 "	20
" " "	5 " " 6 ft.3"	30

All unidentified bodies which were taken from your morgue to the Chebucto Mortuary will be your charge.

All identified bodies for which the City, through the Mortuary Committee agrees to be liable for internment, if taken from your morgue and authority for internment at City expense granted, will be your charge. If in Chebucto Mortuary they will be assigned by Chairman Mortuary Committee.

It must be clearly understood that all unidentified bodies must be immediately forwarded to Chebucto Mortuary and there examined, identified if possible, and assigned. No bodies not positively identified should be taken to any undertaker's morgue, but should be immediately dispatched to Chebucto Mortuary, whether collected by Committee's team or by Undertakers' teams.

Yours truly,

rs truly,
Arthur B. Barendse

Chairman Mortuary Committee.

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ASB/C. Snow & Ltd

B/C. *John R. S.*

witness to both signatures

H. C. Mott