

Dartmouth, N. S.

Thursday, August 6th, 1914.

Special meeting of the Town Council was held this day at 7.30 p.m. Present, Mayor Williams, Councillors Russell, Mosher, Lynch, Tobin and Carter, also Town Solicitor Foster.

Letter was read from the Natal Day Committee stating that it was their opinion that it would be inadvisable to proceed further with the plans for the celebration of Natal Day on August 20th, in view of the war in Europe they thought no interest would be taken by the general public, also a number of carsmen who had planned to take part had left the city with their respective companies of militia. The Committee suggested that as the Council had voted the usual grant of \$200. they take over, for the present time, the fire works already ordered, and the same could be used for a future occasion. On motion of Councor. Tobin, Resolved, that the recommendation of the Natal Day Committee be agreed to and no celebration held this year. and that the Committee be asked to cancel the order for fire works. The matter was left in the hands of the Mayor and Town Clerk to dispose of.

The Mayor stated that he had been asked by some Halifax bond houses to name a price which would be acceptable, for about \$10000. of the School Bonds. It seemed to be the opinion of the Council that it would be inadvisable to do this at the present stage, and it was there-upon Resolved, that the matter be referred to the Finance Committee together with the Mayor to consider and report at a meeting of Council to be held to-morrow, Friday, at 7.30 p.m.

Adjourned,

Approved,



Mayor.


Town Clerk,