CURTAILED LIGHTING.

Result Of A Communication From the Admiralty.

At the meeting of the Town Council on Monday the Mayor (Alderman R. Piper, J.P.), mentioned—as is reported on page three—that he was in communication with the Admiralty with reference to the curtailment of the lighting of the town, as suggested in a letter received from the Chief Constable, but that up to that time he had not received a reply.

Yesterday however a notification was received and the result was seen last night in the darkened streets.

Some inconvenience was caused by the extinguishing of the light in the Town Hall Clock tower. The square in front of that building was also very dark, the lamp at the Fountain having been extinguished. For the safety of the public it is essential that there should be some kind of light there. Perhaps the Authorities will give this matter their immediate attention.