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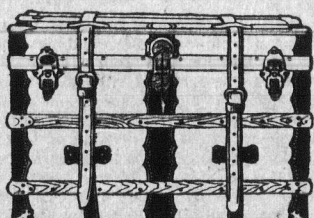
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GRAND TRUNK HOG PENS WILL REMAIN WHERE THEY ARE

The Company Will However Have To Remove The Odor
Nuisance—The City Solicitor's Opinions—The Maple
City Gas Company's Request

The present site of the G. T. R. hog pens is to remain as such. At least this is what is to be inferred from the opinions expressed at last night's meeting of the City Council. The Council are acting on the opinion they received, on request, from City Solicitor Wilson.

In his letter of advice, the City Solicitor stated that it would be almost a legal impossibility to force the company to remove their pens to another site provided they put the building in a sanitary condition. Should the Council succeed in having the company move the pens westward, it would be a legal proceeding that complaints and probably legal proceedings would be forthcoming from property owners in that section of the city. The City Solicitor advised the Council to leave the matter of the site to the company.

Mayor Marshall stated that since receiving his first letter from Mr. Cunningham, of the G. T. R., he had written to that gentleman asking for the plans for the proposed changes to be made in the present condition of the pens. He had received no reply, but the company's men had been sent on to proceed with the work. When he had been informed that the company was going on with the work, he, in company with Ald. Edmondson and Benson, had gone down to the G. T. R. station to investigate the work, and they found that the G. T. R. workmen were endeavoring to tap into the Queen St. sewer. Later on the Mayor said he was able to locate Mr. Cunningham, and succeeded in having an interview with him while he was in this city. He found that the company were quite willing to move the pens, but they first wanted the written sanction of the City Council in doing so, as their guarantee in good faith against any proceedings which might be taken by citizens in the section in which it was proposed they should move.

Mayor Marshall said that the opinion of the Council was divided on the matter, and not being able to arrive at any definite understanding, he had told Mr. Cunningham that if he did not receive word from the city by Monday at noon the company could do as they liked about locating the pens. The pens, as he understood it, were this time to be fitted out with concrete floors, and in compliance with all sanitary measures. He thought that this should end the nuisance created by the smell. On the other hand, if the city were to have the company remove the pens, it was likely that the citizens in another section of the city would protest, and as the company required the written sanction for such a move the city could be held entirely responsible for any legal claims.

Ald. Potter protested in the most emphatic manner against the Council's action in allowing the company to tap into Queen St. sewer, as he said that this sewer is already overtaxed, and that they should have been forced to tap into the Lacroix

St. sewer. He thought it was an injustice to the ratepayers of Queen St.

In reply to Ald. Potter's remarks, Ald. Edmondson said that the committee who had the matter in hand had done everything in their power to have the company tap into the Lacroix St. sewer instead of into that in Queen St., but their efforts had been futile, the company as ratepayers on the street having the legal right to use the sewer on Queen St. The company themselves would have received better satisfaction had they run their waste pipe to the Lacroix St. sewer.

The Mayor remarked that the railway company had been advised by their solicitor, Mr. M. K. Cowan, of Windsor, to act as they have done. Ald. Edmondson thought that now that the pens were being put in sanitary shape the nuisance would surely be abated, and that if it were not, that the city could take legal proceedings against the G. T. R.

OTHER MATTERS.
The City Clerk's official statement with the regard to the recent vote on the Sugar Beet and Electrical By-laws was as follows:—The vote for the Sugar By-law was 554 for, and 536 against; for the Electrical By-law 570, against 210.

R. Brackin appeared before the Council on behalf of the merchant tailors, who ask for a rebate in their assessment for last year, when they were assessed as manufacturers at 60 per cent. instead of as merchants at 25 per cent. The matter was referred to the Finance committee.

LIFE-SAVING APPARATUS.
Once again Ald. Potter brought up before the attention of the Council the great necessity for a life-saving apparatus to be kept at the Fire Hall and along the river banks. He had advertised for tenders, but so far had received no reply. He asked for permission to advertise in outside places. The Mayor advised him to inquire from other places where this apparatus is sold, and then bring in a recommendation to the Council. This will be done.

THE GAS FRANCHISE.

Dr. T. K. Holmes appeared before the Council in behalf of the Maple City Oil and Gas Company, asking for a franchise to pipe the city with natural gas. The matter was left with the Council as a committee of the whole to deal with the question whenever the company was ready to bring a definite proposition before the committee.

Several other companies had asked for the same franchise, and they would all receive a hearing and get a test. All things being equal the Mayor would support a company of local men, as the one at present seeking the franchise were. The franchise would be given to the company that could show the gas. The matter, however, would not be dealt with hastily.

IT IS ALL OFF NOW

John W. White, the Popular Runner,
Will Be Unable to Contest in Amateur Races Hereafter

The many friends and admirers of John W. White will be sorry to learn that from this time forward he will be barred from all amateur fat man's races. This is particularly regretted when it is considered the immense amount of pleasure that gentleman derives from a fairly contested foot race—especially if he wins—and the satisfaction which is generally felt by his backers when they see him swaying gracefully down the latter part of the course leagues ahead of the other contestants.

It all happened through a mistake, but Mr. White has himself to blame for the consequences which will undoubtedly follow.

There was a fat man's race billed for the picnic on Tecumseh Park on Saturday. Mr. White was there—first. It looked as if he would carry off the prize through default when an insignificant looking man stepped forward with much the same demeanor as a lamb going to the slaughter. Great pity was felt for the stranger as Mr. White pranced around on the starting line and some turned their heads away, not wishing to witness the humiliation of the unknown runner.

There was a surprise in store for everyone. Mr. White got a bad start and the stranger won. The crowd cheered but Mr. White didn't bear them. He hunted up the stranger and begged for another race. The stranger didn't want to race, but when he saw the color of some money he finally consented. Mr. White won the race and pocketed the money. This is where he made his mistake. Through running for money he has stamped himself as a professional and now he will be unable to contest in amateur races.

SAD DEATH

Much sympathy is felt for Mr. and Mrs. John Richmond, Dover, whose only daughter died in the hospital in this city on Sunday at the age of 26 years and nine months, and this death is the second in the family within one year, as ten months ago a son was lost by drowning. The funeral took place this afternoon at two o'clock from the family residence, lot 9, concession 6, Dover, to Maple Leaf Cemetery.

ECZEMA AND SKIN DISEASES

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Mr. G. O. Rhinehart, of Wilton avenue, Toronto, has proved how Zam-Buk cures obstinate eczema. He says: "I had eczema on my hand, arm and the calf of my leg, and tried so many things in vain that I doubted whether Zam-Buk could cure me. My wife advised me to try it. The first few applications gave me relief from itching and soothed the pain. Within a few days there was marked improvement, and gradually the wounds began to close. The discharging ceased, and the skin began to grow again. Within a short time of commencing with Zam-Buk all the four wounds were not only closed up, but all the patches were covered with new, healthy skin." Zam-Buk is just as good for blisters, sore feet, insect stings, sunburn, cuts, bruises and all skin injuries; 50c of all druggists.

PASSED AWAY

Mrs. Maud Mathew, wife of Fred. Mathew, passed away Saturday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Grant, Pitt St. The deceased was aged 23 years and five months. She leaves a husband, but no children, to mourn her loss.

The funeral will take place Tuesday afternoon at 2.30, from the residence of the deceased's parents to Maple Leaf Cemetery.

It is much easier to tell what ought to be done than it is to get busy and do it.

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Many a man with brains hasn't the common sense to know how to use them.

A BIG BILL OF EXPENSES

This is How the Aldermen
View the New Isolation
Hospital

LEFT TO BOARD OF WORKS

The Board of Health recommendation asking the Council to spend \$1,070 in renovating the new isolation hospital was not received with open arms by the aldermen at their meeting last night. Some of the members took occasion to criticize severely the extravagance of the Health Board in calling on the city for funds.

After reading the resolution, Mayor Marshall expressed surprise to find that the Board required this large amount to put the hospital in proper shape.

Ald. Scullard said that he regretted very much that the Board should call on the city for such a large amount. When the hospital was purchased by the city, he said that he had been given to understand that the building and grounds would be in condition to serve the purpose without further expense for at least two or three years. He had since been informed by the Medical Health Officer that the building was inadequate to deal with more than one case of contagious disease, and that it would take \$1,070 to put it in proper shape. "It seems to me," continued the chairman of the Finance committee, that the public health is going to develop into a serious position with us. We have already paid out \$700 this year for groceries and other requirements supplied during quarantines. It seems to me that we are being called upon to pay more than is our share, and I am beginning to regard this matter with grave alarm. This isolation hospital, before we get through with it, appears to be going to be a big bill of expense."

Ald. Edmondson and Stone also commented on the required sum along much the same lines as Ald. Scullard.

The Mayor said that it would be impossible for the city to spend the sum required during this year.

Ald. Edmondson, seconded by Ald. Benson, moved that the matter be referred to the Finance committee to deal with.

The committee will report on the matter at a subsequent meeting of the Council.

Forty-three ratepayers petitioned the Council to have Lorne avenue, Cross street and Pattison avenue extended in a similar manner, as the various thoroughfares were on the Elms sub-divisions.—Board of Works.

Earfoot and Braddon, electricians, who are putting up still alarms for local merchants, applied for admission to the Fire Hall and to work along the city streets.—Property.

S. B. Arnold, on behalf of a client, complained of brush which was piled on Wade street.—Board of Works.

A PRETTY PLACE

Visitors to Chatham Think The Maple
City Is Very Much Improved—Good
Place To Live In

David Stevens, Esq., and wife, of Courtwright, and Mrs. Wm. L. Stevens, of Cleveland, Ohio, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Stevens on Saturday.

Mr. David Stevens was in business in Chatham a number of years ago. He expressed himself on Saturday, after looking over the city, that he would scarcely have known the place it has improved so much, it is now an up-to-date city.

Mrs. W. L. Stevens said she had been in many pretty places, but she didn't know of any place that was prettier than Chatham, streets so clean, park so cool, and river dotted with boats made it look like a lovely place to live in.

They enjoyed their visit very much in the Maple City, once the home of each of them.

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1 doz. Cups and Saucers, 1 doz. large Plates all plain white for \$1.00
1 Dozen Cups and Saucers, 1 Dozen Dinner Plates—Clover Leaf Pattern, in gold on good goods, all for \$2.00.

1 Dozen Cups and Saucers, 1 dozen Dinner Plates in Blue, 3 different patterns, all new goods, for \$1.65.

Plain White Toilet Sets, 1 Large Jug, 1 Basin, 1 Soap Dish, 1 Small Jug, 1 Chamber, all for \$1.00.

9 Sets in Colors Blue and Green, 6 Piece Sets, \$1.35.

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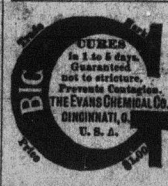
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