

Specimen plant, one hanging basket—1 and 2, T. J. Stenshorn.
Petunias, collection of three varieties—1, T. J. Stenshorn.

CUT FLOWERS

Dianthus, collection of six varieties—1, A. Neville; 2, G. S. Rice.
Pansies, collection of six varieties—G. Spring Rice.
Phlox, collection of four varieties—1, G. Spring Rice; 2, A. Neville.
Stocks, Zinnias, Verbenas and Sweet Peas—G. Spring Rice.
Bouquet of flowers—1, A. Neville; 2, Spring Rice.
Best collection of annuals in small bunches—1, G. Spring Rice; 2, A. Neville.
Bouquet of wild flowers—1, T. J. Stenshorn; 2, A. Neville.

Opportunity

He was a yokel, freckled and tanned,
Who stood with a rope in his horny hand
And tried to inveigle a fractious goat
To give him a chance to encircle his throat
With the rope.

It was the goat, contrary-impelled,
That laughed at the yokel and the rope he held,
And wouldn't admit for a moment that he
Was foolish as 'tother had thought him to be,
He should hope!

Then faced the two all over the field,
The man wouldn't stop; the goat wouldn't yield,
Till, what with the steps they had run and retraced,
They found the flight and pursuit had embraced
Quite a scope.

Tired of battle the goat turned round
And brushed with his whiskers, the racing ground.
Then lowered his head, and proceeded to dash
'Twixt the yokel's legs, in a fractional flash,
Stick as soap!

Now there was his chance! Had the yokel grabbed
The fugitive's horns, he'd have had him nabbed—
But he didn't, and then with a hopeless wail
He caught the brief, inexpressible tail
On the lope.

Now you know of course, or hear it from me,
A goat's tail's not long as a tail ought to be,
And so when he grabbed the tail wasn't there,
And the goat was exiting the yielding air
Up the slope.

Now here is the moral: You needn't try
To catch opportunity that's gone by.
His tail is the briefest that ever was
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RESOLUTIONS

ADOPTED

Many Important Resolutions Passed at Annual Meeting of Union of Saskatchewan Municipalities.

The attendance at the annual meeting of the Union of Saskatchewan municipalities which was held in Regina last week was not as large as might be expected. However, some useful work was done. Mayor Cook of Prince Albert presided, and on calling the meeting to order delivered an address full of important matter. As a result of the consideration of his address the following report was adopted:

1. Disposal of Sewage—That the secretary treasurer be instructed to enquire at various places in the Dominion, the United States and Great Britain as to the different methods of disposal of sewage with a view to the consideration of this matter at the next convention.

2. Pavings:—That the secretary treasurer be instructed to enquire at the various cities and towns in the Dominion as to the different kinds of pavements used and as to their durability, and report to the various municipalities which are members of this union.

3. Bousings:—That the provincial government be asked to do away with the provisions in the act permitting bousings of industries.

4. Drainage of Adjacent Municipalities:—That the provincial government be asked to devise some scheme whereby the drainage of a rural municipality may be made compulsory, in the interests of public health, and that if the urban municipality be required to do the work of construction of drainage that it become a charge against the rural municipality.

5. Municipal Hospitals:—That the provincial government be asked to appoint a commission to enquire into the maintenance of hospitals with a view to meeting the difficulty which hospitals have to contend against in having to maintain free of cost indigent patients from outside points.

6. Fair Wage Clause:—That a circular letter be addressed to all the Saskatchewan municipalities recommending the insertion of a fair wage clause in all municipal contracts.

7. Financial Agent in London:—That the provincial government be asked to consider the question of appointing a financial agent in London, Eng., for the purpose of placing Saskatchewan municipal and school debentures on the London Stock Exchange, so as to avoid the great loss occasioned at present through having to sell to middlemen or employ them to sell for the municipality.

RESOLUTIONS

The following are the resolutions which were adopted:

Councillor Bradbrook, moved and Ald. Wilkinson, seconded the following resolution relating to the issue of debentures for express purposes:

Resolved that the provincial government be asked to introduce legislation at the next session of the legislative assembly authorizing the city and town debentures upon the credit of the municipality at a certain sum to be used exclusively in installing such water and sewer apparatus and connections as the municipal bylaws require in regard to sanitation such installation to be made by said municipalities only in those cases where the property owners are either unable to complete the work themselves or refuse to do so, in which case the cost of installation shall be charged against the property with interest at seven per cent. per annum and collectable in seven equal installments as part and in addition to the regular taxes.

Railway Commission

The necessity for the appointment of a western railway commission was dealt with in the following resolution:

Moved by J. Kelso Hunter, seconded by Ald. Wilkinson, and resolved that this Union of Saskatchewan

municipalities petition the Dominion government to appoint a western railway commission with headquarters in one of the western capitals, which will hold sittings at least once a year in each of the western capitals and as often as necessary in other places and at their headquarters for the consideration and disposal of all applications concerning railway matters which affect municipalities, particularly with regard to subways, level crossings and union depots; further that this Union petition the provincial government requesting them to support the petition to the Dominion government, by memorial and otherwise.

City Amendments

Amendments to the city charter were left in the hands of the executive, and the following resolution passed:

Resolved that the executive committee to draft and submit to the provincial government such amendments to the city municipal act as are found to be necessary to give effect to the principle of sealing the ballot papers with the corporation seal instead of initialing the ballot papers and placing a mark on the voters' lists opposite the name of the party receiving a ballot paper, instead of having to keep a poll book and enter thereon the name and description of the voters.

Returning Officers

The following important resolution was moved by J. Kelso Hunter, seconded by Councillor Bradbrook, and resolved, that the executive committee be authorized to draft and submit to the provincial government such amendments to the City Municipal Act as are found to be necessary to give effect to the principle that the returning officer is the person responsible for the conduct of municipal elections and voting on bylaws, and that consequently, he is the proper person to make all the necessary subsidiary appointments.

Association of Officials

The resolution moved by Alderman

Longlaketon.

The crops are looking well. On the old land the wheat is somewhat short. Rain would be welcome now and no doubt would do good. Cultivating, with favorable weather, will commence about the middle of August.

The Scotch gathering was held this year on July 17th and was up to the usual standard. There was a large crowd and plenty of sports and amusements. It was a real celebration day. The different items were well contested, and some good records in the boys' vaulting and jumping events were made.

There was also an interesting competition in the dances and reels. This event is now looked forward to each year with much interest.

There were three picnics and one wedding in the settlement in one week. Enough to keep the farmers busy without doing any work at home at all.

The marriage of Wm. Doeg to Miss Wilding of New Bedford, Mass., took place on Thursday, July 16th, at the home of the groom. There was a large number of the groom's friends present on invitation. Among them being Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Ebert, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Doeg, Mr. and Mrs. John Hermon, Mr. and Mrs. A. Hermon, Mr. and Mrs. Grandel, Mr. and Mrs. Reiss, Mr. and Mrs. Ottobreit, Mr. and Mrs. Blodig, Mr. and Mrs. Richter (Dislay), Mr. and Mrs. F. Hoffman, members of the Schwandt family, Mr. P. Doeg, Mr. O. Doeg, Mr. and Mrs. A. Christoph, Mr. and Mrs. C. Christoph, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Anderson, and many other friends and acquaintances of the bride and groom. The bride received a very handsome collection of gifts.

Schools are open again and children are eager to attend instead of wishing for longer holidays which is usually the case.

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