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LONDON MAN WON SCRAP

Had a Dispute With a Friend in New York

Knocked Down With a Crutch he got up and Used a Cruet with Great

N. Y. Telegraph. Frank Manning, of London, Ont., and Jason White, a member of the Kniekerbocker Athletic Club, of this Kniekerbocker Athletic Club, of this city, had an argument which necessitated the subsequent services of a physician early yesterday morning in a Sixth avenue restaurant situated not far from Forty-third street.

The two men, who had but recently met, were sitting drinking with a number of friends. They ordered something to eat, and when the food was brought to them White intimated the cookery was so far inferior to that he had been accustomed to he could find no words to express his feelings. Whereupon Mr. Manning insinuated it was the reverse of good tasts to speak of such a thing in a public place.

Mr. White demanded an explanation and received the best portion of

Mr. White demanded an explanation and received the best, portion of
a cup of coffee in the features, which
half blinded him for the moment.
FRIENDS WERE CHEERFUL.
The friends refused to interfere and
proposed the two should have their
argument out without further loss of

Both were agreeable, the fuss Both were agreeable, the fuss was commenced with a water carafe hurled by White at the Canadian. Mr. Manning retaliated with a sauce bottle. Then match safes, cups and saucers, plates and knives and forks flew indiscriminately about the room. Two waiters who attempted to interfere were placed out of the running by bre id trays, and retired to consult with the proprietor, who was upstairs.

The combatants came to close quarters and used the weapons nature had

THEN THEY STOPPED. The proprietor finally managed to get between and tore them apart. Both were willing to cease hostilities and said so. The friends of Mr. White came from beneath the tables and from behind the curtain, where they had taken refuge during the interchange of missiles. They intimate the charge of missiles. terchinge of missiles. They intimated they were prepared to see that no harm was done the furnishings of the place. The proprietor agreed the matter should be dropped for the present, and retired from the scene to take up a strategic point behind

the cigar counter.

He looked on for some time while the combatants compared notes, and the combatants compared notes, and almost fell asleep. A catsup bottle smashed against the wall behind him, and he awoke to the fact that the battle was on again. This time more damage was done, for Mr. White hit Mr. Manning over the head with the handle of a crutch which belonged to a crippled friend, and floored him. Then Mr. Manning, feeling he had been agrieved, bit Mr. White on the calf of the leg.

PUT MR. WHITE OUT. This was the cause of further hos hardly used. He came back, however, and managed to swing a cruet stand with such good effect that he put his man out. He then turned his attention to the friends, but they had discontained.

sat down and drank up all the He sat down and drank up all the liquor the others had left on the table, and then, with blood streaming down the side of his face, demanded more victims. The proprietor sent a messenger boy for a doctor, who stitched up the wounds, after which Mr. White and his friends went out. Mr. Manning was left alone in the place, and with a towel tied around his head had another drink before leaving. He ultimately departed for the Vendome Hotel, where he said he was living temporarily. was living temporarily.

Township Councils.

HARWICH COUNCIL.

An adjourned meeting of the municipal council of Harwich was held in Township Hall on Tuesday, Dec. 11th, for court of revision on Gregory Creek drain and the completion of other business. The members were all

A communication was read by N. H. Shepley, Reeve of Raleigh, re Har-wich assessment on the Gregory Creek

Moved by Young and McCormick, that the following changes be made in the assessments of the Gregory Creek drain, and the shortage be spread pro-rata over the whole drain, and the court of Revision be adjourned until Jan. 14th, 1901.—Carried. spread pro-rata over the whole drain, and the court of Revision be adjourned until Jan. 14th, 1901.—Carried.

1, W. C., R., s e qr w hf 15, J. Jackson, reduced from \$7.50 to \$1.50.

1, W. C. R., s w qr 13, W. Knight, reduced from \$13.50 to \$11.70.

1, W. C. R., pt n w hf 12, C.Lawrence, reduced from \$23.10 to \$6.60.

2, W. C. R., s e qr 14, W. E. Hewrett; reduced from \$15 to \$14.70.

2, W. C. R., s e hf 15, Jas. Walker, reduced from \$30 to \$26.40.

2, W. C. R., n w hf 15, H. Walker, reduced from \$30 to \$26.40.

2, W. C. R., n e hf 18, G. Crackle, reduced from \$30 to \$25.50.

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2, W. C. R., ct pt 20, D. Gardiner, reduced from \$30 to \$27.90.

2, W. C. R., n e pt 21, W. J. Corlett, reduced from \$30 to \$18.

2, W. C. R., n e pt 22, W. J. Hamil, reduced from \$30 to \$18.

2, W. C. R., n e hf 11, Mrs. L.

0. Stripp, reduced from \$27.50 to \$1.50.

3, W. C. R., n e hf 11, Mrs. L.

0. Stripp, reduced from \$29.85 to \$9.

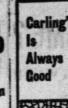
3, W. C. R., n e pt 19, H. Jackson, reduced from \$11.55 to 0.

3, W. C. R., n e pt 19, R. Jackson, raised from \$14.25 to \$15.

3, W. C. R., n e pt 19, R. Jackson, raised from \$14.25 to \$15.

3, W. C. R., n e pt 20, Scane and Dawes, raised from \$14.25 to \$15.

4, R. T., n e hf 3, James J. Smith,



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added \$4.50. 2, W. C. R., n e qr and n qr 17, D. Walker, Jr., reduced from \$45 to

D. Walker, Jr., reduced from \$45 to \$37.50.

The following accounts were ordered paid:—
Geo. M. Baird, sundries, \$40.
Geo. M. Baird, care of hall, \$10.
Geo. M. Baird, preparing minutes for publication, \$15.
A. Denholm, fee re arbitration S.
S. No. 5, \$8.75.
Jas. Leslie, do., \$10.63.
W. H. G. Colles, do., \$11.95,
Geo. M. Baird, expenses, do., \$3.
H. D. Smith, solicitor's fees, do., \$20.

Geo. M. Baird balance salary 1900 \$85. S. G. Story, salary, M. H. O., 1900

D. Johnston, work on scraper, \$6.50. Wm. Townsend, placing a barrier on Lake Shore road, \$1. Postage on notices, Locke drain, 80

Moved by Young and McCormick, that the court of revision on the Union-English drain be adjourned until the 14th day of January, 1901, at 2 p. m.—Carr. ied.

The report of the M. H. O. was read as wall me the report of the chairmen

as well as the report of the chairman of the board of health and referred of the board of health and reterred to the lecal board of health.

I hereby report on the grievance of Samuel Burk re the cleaning of the drain through Clarke's and Coleman's. I met Mr. Clark and offered to pay for 12 rods at 25 cents per rod, and to pay for 12 rods in Coleman's at 30 cents per rod, on condition that 30 cents per rod, on condition that they continue the drain far enough to satisfy Burk's claim, to which they

agreed. C. Buchanan, Com'r. Report adopted on motion of Mor-rison and McCormick. A by-law, No. 753, for the govern-ing of the municipal elections for 1901 was passed.

The by-laws on the Kelly extension and the Locke drains were read a

third time and finally passed.

Meeting adjourned to Dec. 15th, Dec. 15th, 1900.—A meeting was held pursuant to the statutes on Satur-day, Dec. 15th, for preparing the fin-ancial statement. Members all pres-

The minutes of the meetings of Dec. 10th and 11th were read and adopted, and signed by the reeve.

The financial statement being prepared was presented to the council with the showing that the business of the past year had been carried out by the municipality with a lower cate than the previous year, and leaving a surplus somewhat in excess of what they had begun the year with.

On motion of Young and McCormick, the statement was adopted and the ith the showing that the business

that statement was adopted and the clerk instructed to have 200 copies printed as the law requires in time for distribution for nomination day.

Moved by Young and McCormick that the following drains be charged as follows:-

Kelly Ext. drain-Clerk's fees \$5

court of revision \$15. Locke drain—Clerk's fees \$20, court of revision \$20. Howard drain—Clerk's fees \$3, court Howard drain—Clerk's fees \$3, court of revision \$17.45.

The various amounts to be credited to the general fund.—Carried.

Moved by Young and Buchanan, that the future assessments on the Hinton drain payable by Robt. Jackson, on pt lot.19, 4, W. C. R., amounting to \$3, be struck from the roll, as Mr. Jackson makes no use of this drain, and has already paid three years' assessments to said drain, the said amount to be charged to the general fund.—Carried.

Moved by Young and McCormick, that the treasurer accept 74 cents, being the amount received for three small trees sold by the commissioner of ward 2.—Carried.

Moved by Young and McCormick, that as Engineer McGeorge has complied with the instructions of the council, and has surveyed the 11th Con. line from 18 to 19 sideroad to the Bise line, resolved that the clerk notify the following parties to move their fences off the road allowance:—

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Jose: h Jimes, Sam'l Johnston, Eljaken Newcomb, Jahez Newcomb, John Johnston, Wm. J. McBischran and Adam Johnston.—Carried.

The report of W. G. McGeorge on the completion of the Kelly Ext. drain was read and adopted.

We hereby report that the box drain at Fargo is in a dangerous condition, and find that it will take 94 feet of 24 inch pipe, and 70 feet of 18 inch pipe to repair the drain and make it safe. Masers. White and Caughill agree to do the work if the township furnish the pipe. They also agree to pay for six carloads of gravel.—Report laid over.

Harwich, Dec. 10.

Harwich, Dec. 10.

We, the undersigned, who were appointed a committee to investigate the claim made by Samuel Johnston for compensation for damages claimed to have been received in crossing McGregor's Creek bridge on 18 and 19 sideroad last April, beg leave to report that after making diligent enquiries among the ratepayers of the locality as to the condition of the bridge and also the nature of the team Mr. Johnston was driving, would recommend the payment to Mr. Johnston of \$25 to satisfy said claim. This offer is made without prejudice. Rich. Young, Peter Morrison.

Moved by Buchman and Morrison, that this council tender Mr. S. Johns-\$30 in cettlement of his claim in full for damages received in crossing the bridge over McGregor's Creek, near McCully's, on 18 and 19 sideroad. This offer is made without prejudice.—Carried.

The offer was accepted and paymen The following accounts were order

School orders for the various sections, \$9,203.76.
W. G. McGeorge, C. E., survey Con. 11, L. E., \$3.25. W. G. McGeorge, inspecting Kelly Geo. Stephens & Co., wire and spikes, \$2.10.
R. Young, assistance survey Con. 11,

R. Young, Bil. salary and commissioner's fees, \$59.
R. Young, Com'r fees Kelly Extension drain, \$12.
J. Donovan, assistance survey Con.

11, L. E., 75c. J. Doyle, 11 days' work with team, P. B. Patterson, Bal. grant S. S. No. 13 for 1900, \$50.
W. D. Samson, rim latch, 50c.
Greenwood Bros., window blind,

Com'r ward 3, to pay for work in hand. \$50. J. Leslie, preparing statement, \$10. J. Leslie, Bil. salary as Treas. for 1900, \$10. J. McCully, Med. report, Annie Cum-

mings, \$10.

J. McCully, Med. report, Annie Cummings, \$10.

J. McCully, Bil. salary and com'r fees, \$66.

P. Morrison, do., \$47.

P. Morrison, expenses sale of Union-English drain, \$5.

J. McCormick, Bal. salary and com'r fees, \$37.

C. Buchanan, do., \$29.

fees, \$37.
C. Buchman, do., \$29.
Mrs. W. J. Grant, care of child found in township, \$7.
Pub. Gen. Hospital, 12 weeks' keep of Walter Slann, \$30.
C. Wright, filling in washout, \$1. C. Wright, filling in washout Mr. Smith, Rep. culvert, \$1. H. Smith, tile, 50c. T. Knott, sewer pipe and p

H. Smith, the, 50c.
T. Knott, sewer pipe and putting in \$10.72.
N. Watson, plank for culverts and bridges, \$27.63.
John Want, Rep. culvert, \$2. A. Newcomb, new sewer pipe oulvert and repairing McGregor Creek bridge,

causes it to sink quickly. A 2x3 in piece, 21/2 ft. long, c, is nailed to The means of a heavy wire long enough Wes. Bentley, work on Wilkie road, to bring hose above water when not

Sam. Burk, gravelling Ridge road, P. B. Patterson, Ref. dog tax error,

Walter Sterling, do., \$1. C. Gregory, farm bridge over Locke drain, \$11.75. C. Gregory, hauling lumber posts, \$4. J. Chase, ditching Looke

\$56.60.

J. & W. Tuck, farm bridge over
Kelly Ex. drain, \$15.

W. Dick, do., \$15.

Alex. Johnston, do., \$15.

Alex. Johnston, ditching Kelly Ex.

drain, \$76.80. Alex. Clunis, do., \$56.25. Alex. Clunis, sewer pipe culvert, do.

John Clunic, ditching do., \$164.50.
Dennis Downic, do., \$66.25.
Applications were received from E.
Hambly, B. Rothwell, A. S. Maynard,
G. W. Huffman and J. C. McGuigan,
for auditor for the year 1900.
A by-law, No. 754, for the appointment of auditors was passed through
its various stages and the blanks filled
in with the names of Benjamin Rothwell and J. C. McGuigan as auditors,
and the fee fixed for the year at \$18 and the fee fixed for the year at \$18

Moved by Young and McCormick, that the thanks of this council be ten-dered to the reeve for his uniform

Meeting adjourned.
GEO. M. BAIRD,

THE CANADIAN'S GRAVE.

Only a mound near a sand-hill, Yet it marks a soldier's grave, Ana a mother's heart in a distant land Mourns for her warrior brave.

The harvest is ripe and waiting, But the hand will never come, For the Angel of Death on Afric's shore Has taken the reaper home.

He fought all day in the trenches,
Only to fall in the eve
By a straggling shot from the foe
men's camp,
As the deadly pass they leave.

By the dying light of the setting sun They dug him a soldier's grave, Breathing a prayer that their com-rade's soul Might return unto Him who gave. Nothing remains to mark the spot Save the little hill of sand, Yet he rests as well as though pillar tall

Were upraised by a kinsman's hand. When the last dread trump is sounded and the dead from their graves a



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rubber hose, b, 8 ft. long. An iron ring is put on end of hose, which

on which is bolted lever,

lever is attached to hose by

small weight is placed to keep the hose above water. When water is wanted the hose is lowered. The

tank is closed tightly with inch lumber. Tubing, made of 4 iu. strips, is put on top of tank so as

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