

MR. CLARK LEAVES LONDON THIS MONTH

Induction As Pastor of Westmount Church Is Set for March 28.

At a meeting of the congregation of the First Presbyterian Church, held last evening, to decide what action should be taken in regard to the call to Rev. W. J. Clark, it was stated that the induction of Mr. Clark as pastor of St. Andrew's Church, Westmount, had been fixed by the Montreal Presbytery for March 28, the arrangements being provisional, of course, and subject to the action of the London Presbytery on Tuesday next.

Dr. P. W. Merchant, principal of the Normal School, and Mr. Lawrence Gibson, assistant secretary, were not present at the meeting. The fact that Mr. Clark will go to Westmount, at the close of the preparatory service on Friday last, the pastor of the First Church, met the session and the managers, and intimated to them that he would accept the call when submitted to him at the presbytery, and he asked that no objection should be offered, the desire being to make his departure as easy as possible. Accordingly the session and managers appointed a committee to draft a resolution to the presbytery, stating that the congregation of the First Church is of the opinion that the arguments advanced by Westmount Church are not in themselves sufficient for the severance of the pastoral tie in London, but that, as it is understood Mr. Clark decided to accept the call, his congregation, in deference to his wishes, does not formally oppose his translation.

Principal Merchant, Mr. R. G. Fisher and Mr. C. F. Conlin, representing the session, the managers and the congregation, respectively, will appear before the presbytery in reference to the call.

The call to Mr. Clark is signed by 369 members and 71 adherents of St. Andrew's Church, Westmount, the membership of which is 322. Several reasons are advanced in support of the call. The Westmount congregation believe Mr. Clark to be thoroughly well-fitted to minister to them, and the fact that he had labored for sixteen years in London is considered a guarantee that he will labor with equal zeal in Montreal. His translation will stimulate the members to build a new church, as contemplated in two years. The present Westmount edifice is free of debt, and the congregation has a fund of \$2,000.

When the reasons for the translation were read, Principal Merchant said the Montreal church is not as strong, numerically, as the First, the latter having one hundred more members; neither is the church building good. "But it is not a question of answering the arguments set forth by the Westmount Church," said Mr. Merchant. "If there is anything that Mr. Clark has taught, it is the doctrine of self-sacrifice. If we have learned that, we have taught it. We shall just have to abide by Mr. Clark's decision and make it as easy as possible for him to sever his connection with us."

Mr. Fisher said Mr. Clark had accepted the call from his own motives—he is actually just a man, and believes he can do better work in Montreal than here. "I do not think he can," said Mr. Fisher. "Mr. Clark believes he has done all he can do here. I do not think he can do more. The case of Dr. Milligan, of Toronto, has been in the one church for 33 years, and he is now a stronger man than when he went there. That simply would be repeated here if Mr. Clark saw fit to remain."

Before concluding the committee composed of the session, the board of managers, the officers of the Ladies' Aid, the superintendent of the Sunday school, and the president of each missionary society to decide on a course of a farewell to be given Mr. Clark.

Advertiser Correspondence

UNTAXED LANDS.

To the Editor of The Advertiser:

It is true that a large portion of the Huron College lands at the head of Talbot street has been sold to a private citizen, who had the plans prepared for a magnificent residence on said lands, and has improved the grounds by planting trees, etc., and yet pays no taxes?

It is fair to the other citizens that they should pay the taxes for a private individual, simply because he has been shrewd enough not to register his deed? It is also true that the owner has offered the place for sale at a large margin over his purchase price, and yet for years has evaded paying taxes?

RATEPAYER.

London, March 6.

SURE REGULATORS—Mandrake and dandelion root known to exert a powerful influence on the liver and kidneys, restoring them to healthful action, inducing a regular flow of the secretions and imparting to the organs complete power to perform their functions. These valuable ingredients enter into the composition of Parnelle's Vegetable Pills, and serve to render them the agreeable and salutary medicine they are.

Prizes were recently awarded at a dog show at Sturminster Marshall, near Wimborne, England, for the ugliest, handsomest, most lovable, most faithful, most attractive, best behaved, best looking, best at tricks and best behaved dog. A dog named "Bingo" being allotted a separate class—and also the biggest mongrel.

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WOMAN CHARGED WITH PORT THEFTS

Mrs. Ullman Alleged to Have Had Hand in Stealing from London Cottagers.

In the Elgin county court at St. Thomas yesterday afternoon, John Nevills was convicted by Judge Colter of receiving property stolen from the cottagers at Port Stanley.

Nevills was arrested some days ago in connection with the burglaries, some of the stolen goods having been found in his house. The first charge laid against him was that of burglary, but he was acquitted on that charge. Receiving stolen property was then alleged.

The goods found in Nevills' house were taken from the residences of Mr. Alfred Tyler and Mr. Walter Bell, and Nevills' explanation was that he found some of them near different cottages, and that some of the articles had been given to him by a man named Ullman, who had been left in charge of the cottages on Hill Crest. Ullman is supposed to have left for parts unknown.

When Constable Hopkins, of St. Thomas, searched Nevills' house he found the stolen property hidden in an attic. Nevills explained that Ullman had asked him to hide the property, as there was a reward offered for the conviction of the thief.

Immediately after Nevills' conviction yesterday, Mrs. Martha Ullman, wife of the man from whom Nevills claimed to have obtained the stolen property, was arrested on a charge of stealing from Mr. Alfred Tyler's cottage. She was allowed out on \$1,000 bail to appear on Monday for trial.

Constable Hopkins has still several articles which were found in Nevills' house awaiting identification.

SCORE WERE AIDED

Charity Organization Helped Many Families During February.

The Charity Organization and Humane Society held its regular monthly meeting in the city hall this morning. Miss Graydon, vice-president, occupied the chair, and there was a fair attendance.

This is a busy time of the year for the organization, as was shown by the inspector's report, which gave the details of the cases of 21 families with which he has dealt during the past month. The action taken by the inspector in each of these cases was approved by the board. In nearly every instance material relief was supplied by the society, generally in the shape of fuel, groceries and clothing. Visits were made to the homes of these people, and an effort made to permanently better their condition as well as to supply the immediate needs of the family. The distress prevailing in these homes was generally due to sickness, accident, and the infirmities of old age.

Though the society's wood-cutting scheme has not been operated this year as extensively as it usually is, it has again proved its value in giving the needy the kind of help that is most needed. The society's wood-cutting scheme has not been operated this year as extensively as it usually is, it has again proved its value in giving the needy the kind of help that is most needed. The society's wood-cutting scheme has not been operated this year as extensively as it usually is, it has again proved its value in giving the needy the kind of help that is most needed.

A few cases of cruelty to animals were also reported, and such action taken as the circumstances warranted. It was decided to confer with the municipal council in regard to the movement which is being made towards the federation of all the humane societies in the Dominion.

WHERE LONDON WILL GROW

Maple Grove, a Coming Residential District, Will Be Put on Sale on Monday.

What is destined to become one of the choicest residential sections of this city will be placed on the market to be sold in lots, next Monday, March 11.

This property is called Maple Grove and was originally known as the Stevens farm. It is situated just south of Wreay street and west of the Wortley road, in South London. It is easy of access, being only a short distance from the belt line cars, and directly on the line of the Southwestern Traction Company, adjoining the city limits.

The property has been practically laid out for years, as there are rows of splendid maple trees planted that have had the benefit of nearly twenty years of growth. In one instance there is a double row of trees, through which a wide avenue will be opened, and the other streets will be equally as well provided with shelter.

The London Realty Company, who are composed of local men, are preparing the sale of the property, and any parties who are interested in securing lots in this desirable district should not delay calling at their office at room 46, Bank of Toronto Chambers.

Permission has been granted for prospective buyers to call and select their lots before the sale opens. A plan is on exhibition at the office, and no deposit is required to have the lot held until the sale opens. There are a limited number of lots and the sale will close Saturday, March 16.

KINGSMILL REPRIMANDED.

London, March 6.—The court-martial on the grounding of H. M. S. Donjon on her way from Quebec to Halifax was concluded at Chatham yesterday. Capt. Kingsmill and Navigating Lieut. Noake were found guilty of negligence and severely reprimanded. Lieut. Clarkson was acquitted.

—Rev. Dr. Sowerby will address special meetings in Adelaide Street Church tonight and tomorrow afternoon (3:30) and evening.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over THIRTY YEARS by MILLIONS of MOTHERS for their CHILDREN TEething, with PERFECT SUCCESS. IT SOOTHES THE CHILD, EASES THE GUMS, ALLAYS ALL PAIN, CURES WIND COLIC, and the best remedy for DIARRHEA. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's."

NEXT MEETING WILL BE INTERESTING

Water Question to Be Settled Then—Some Sidelights Being Thrown on It.

The next meeting of the water commissioners promises to be a rather interesting one, owing to certain sidelights which are being thrown on the water supply question through the now famous Titus scheme.

At the next meeting, which will be held as soon as Chairman Darch comes back from Toronto, where he is attending the funeral of the late Dr. Orontyatska, Engineer Mayor, of Peoria, Ill., will present an expert report on the different schemes put forth to increase the local water supply.

It is expected that Mr. Maury will tell the city which he thinks is the better scheme to adopt—the Komoka or the Titus scheme.

And upon what he says will largely depend the course which will be adopted by the commissioners.

From gossip which was going the rounds today, however, it would appear that the Titus people are not going to allow any expert report to influence their look over their scheme, and then finally deal with it for the commissioners.

It is said the Titus people have learned that Mr. Maury is alleged to be connected with a firm which makes water-pumping machinery, and as such they do not, it is said, propose to have him pass final judgment upon the Titus scheme.

It appears that in New York, Mr. Maury was a little anxious to know from whence Mr. Titus would receive his water supply here, and justly or unjustly, the Brooklynite became a little suspicious.

The question of where the water is, is of vital importance, and Mr. Titus refuses to give any information on the subject.

"I will go ahead and get the water," he said to the city of London, "and you need not put up a cent until I get it for you. But when I do get the water for you I will expect to be paid in accordance with the agreement I will make with you."

Now Mr. Titus is sitting tight, and is waiting for the city to say what it will do.

In the meantime the commissioners are going ahead with the boring of wells at the expense of the city, and it must be admitted, with but good success. Except in the case of the well on the grounds of the London Showcase Company, no considerable flow of water has been struck.

No. 3 committee is making no attempt to secure a supply of river water for street watering.

"The water commissioners are supposed to find the water for us," Chairman Gillean says. "If we have the water we will do the street watering. If we haven't got it, the onus must rest on the commissioners. Every tub must stand on its own bottom."

Commissioners are taking the opposite view. He says that it is up to No. 3 committee to secure its own water supply, and that the committee should take action at once. The people, he says, are willing to pay anything in reason for street watering, so that there is nothing to hamper the committee.

SCOTTISH RITE REUNION

The thirteenth annual reunion of the Scottish Rite of the Valley of London was continued in the Masonic Temple this afternoon, when the following candidates had the fifteenth to the eighteenth degrees conferred: Charles Austin, Chatham; F. W. Bean, Woodstock; W. A. Barrows, Leamington; Wallace Baker, Kingston; W. C. Broke, Petrolia; A. H. M. Brown, city; J. A. Barnard, city; J. M. Bowie, Tiverton; Dr. W. J. Bruce, Kincardine; S. E. Cornell, Sarnia; Bruce Dunlop, Petrolia; R. P. E. Day, city; G. A. De Jardine, Mitchell; Wm. Dunlop, Petrolia; E. S. Field, city; R. H. Fraser, Thamesville; Alex. Houston, Berlin; W. T. Heart, Shedden; Wm. Hay, Kincardine; R. L. Johnston, Chatham; J. W. Jackson, Sarnia; J. S. L. King, Ingersoll; James Kerr, Sarnia; Rev. W. E. Milson, Wheatley; Angus Munro, Tiverton; Dr. John MacCrimmon, Kincardine; Alex. Macbeth, Woodstock; Angus McKenzie, Tiverton; W. N. McCowle, Chatham; A. D. McLean, Sarnia; T. B. McCormick, city; Dr. C. B. Oliver, Berlin; T. W. Polle, Chatham; Dr. L. F. Robertson, Stratford; J. H. Seels, Woodstock; Dr. D. M. Smith, Stratford; Chas. A. Smith, Stewart; Alex. Saunders, Sarnia; R. W. Waterhouse, Ingersoll; R. H. Walton, Woodstock; J. C. Waddell, Petrolia; D. C. Windsor, city; J. B. Watson, Kincardine; Chas. A. D. McLean, Sarnia; Zimmerman, Harrow.

PETTY TACTICS OF OPPOSITION

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He showed that Smith had not violated any statute by buying and selling lands, so long as they were not government lands.

In conclusion he said that it was impossible to condemn Smith for speculating in western lands when several members of Parliament had done the same thing.

Mr. Wilfrid Laurier also showed that there was nothing in the charges against Smith. A lawsuit was still pending. He was, of course, a salaried official, and his time belonged to the Government, but that would not prevent him from making an investment when opportunity offered. Civil servants were not forbidden to buy and sell real estate so long as they did not make a business of it.

Duncan Ross (Liberal, B. C.), thought it was improper to attack a civil servant on the floor of the House. Nothing of the kind would be allowed in the British Parliament.

Upon division, Mr. Boyce's amendment was lost: Yeas 64, nays 94.

CONDENSED LOCAL NEWS

—Miss Ada Poole, of Saginaw, Mich., returns to that city tomorrow, after spending a very pleasant week's visit at her home here.

—At the annual meeting of the Peoples Building and Loan Association yesterday, Mr. F. G. Rumball was added to the board of directors.

—Sacred Heart school boys and St. Mary's school boys played a game of hockey last night at the Jubilee Rink, this score being 8 to 3 in favor of the Sacred Heart.

—Mr. W. T. Mossop went to Toronto this morning to attend a meeting of the executive board of the Canadian Association of Master Painters and Decorators, whose annual convention will be held in this city in July.

—What promises to be a good hockey game will take place tonight at the Jubilee Rink, when the Woodstock team meets the London Collegiate seven. The local boys have not lost a game so far this season, and hope to get through with a clean slate.

A BIG INCREASE.

The report of the London Clearing House for the week ended today shows clearings of \$1,470,408, as against \$1,268,441 for the same week of 1936, an increase of \$201,967.

POSTOFFICE INFORMATION.

From March 1, 1937, the commission on the part of \$5 and under, issued for payment in the United Kingdom, British colonies, and foreign countries, will be 5 cents, instead of 10 cents, as hitherto.

DAMAGE WAS SLIGHT.

A fire which started in a woodbox at the rear of the house and set fire to the siding of a rear kitchen, gave the firemen a run at there are about 40 residents in the Bell Telephone Company, at 553 Helmut avenue. The damage was very slight.

FOR CONSUMPTIVE HOSPITAL.

As treasurer pro tem of the consumptive hospital fund, Miss Graydon begs to acknowledge with sincere gratitude, the following subscriptions: Mrs. John Marshall \$30, the Misses Miss Shaw-Wood \$10, Local Council of Women \$10, Mrs. C. D. S. Perrin \$1, Messrs. Meek & Vining \$1, Miss J. Steele \$1.

BYRON PHONE COMPANY GROWING.

The Byron Telephone Association, which has been operating for the past six months, has been extending its lines rapidly of late, and is now in the hands of the company in use at the present time, and they have been such a success that residents of Komoka, Lambeth and other localities have desired it to be extended to them. They have arranged a meeting of the shareholders with this in view. Every person desires to see the lines greatly extended before long.

ADDRESS CANADIAN CLUB

Mr. M. Parkinson, Editor of Canadian Teacher, to Do So on Monday.

The Canadian Club of London will tender a luncheon on Monday next to Mr. M. Parkinson, editor of the Canadian Teacher, who will address the members on the subject of "Manual Training." Mr. Parkinson has devoted much time to the study of this subject. Before spending over a quarter of a million of money on a building for technical education, the Toronto school board and other eastern educational centers to gather the most up-to-date methods and report to the board. His reputation ranks him as one of the foremost educationalists in this country, and the Canadian Club are maintaining their standard of interesting and instructive speakers in securing an address from so distinguished a specialist. He is a man of fine presence and makes material (that handled by some speakers would be comparatively dry) most interesting and effective. His sympathy manifested by the board of trustees and citizens generally in the subject of manual training, should insure a large attendance of the members of the club at the luncheon on Monday next.

Luncheon will be served in the Masonic Temple banquet hall at 12:15 p.m. sharp.

COMMONS AND LORDS.

London, March 6.—The Standard says there was good reason to believe that the Government has seriously modified its intention in regard to the House of Lords. Large numbers of Liberals, who were formerly anxious to promote agitation in this country against the peerage, have completely altered their tone. This circumstance is due, without doubt, to the moral effect of the Brigg election, the reduction of the Liberal majorities in Aberdeen and Glasgow, and the Socialist rout in London.

Buses and cars cease running in London at 12:30 a.m., and one of the reasons why the labor men in the House of Commons want earlier sittings is that they have no autos or broughams, and cannot afford cars, so would have to walk home in all weathers if the house sat late.

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CHICAGO EXCHANGE.

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Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
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