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Twenty-five patterns of elegant Summer Suits made to your order by the best Tailors, and trimmed with the best trimmings, light, medium and dark colors, regular price \$25.00 and \$21.00.

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1-2 Price.

Remnants of

Prints, Gingham, Cottons, at

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Good solid wear, and real comfort in our men's heavy street shoes. Built to wear and stand the walking which you will certainly feel like doing when you wear them.

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QUEEN STREET PAVEMENT AGAIN UNDER DISCUSSION

Another Petition Presented to the City Council—Matter Laid Over—Will Petition for Post Office Privileges.

Nothing of any importance was done at the adjourned meeting of the City Council held last evening, beyond passing a resolution introduced by Ald. McCoig (to petition the Government to leave the postoffice open on holidays so that those who have boxes may get their mail. The meeting was called for the purpose of dealing with the Queen street pavement. The brick and bitulithic advocates had joined forces owing to the raise in the price of brick and presented a petition for bitulithic signed by some 52 of the 62 ratepayers on the street. Ald. Piggott and Ald. Robinson were the only absentees. Ald. McCoig introduced his motion to petition the member for Kent to have the lobby of the postoffice kept open. Ald. Martin seconded it.

The Mayor remarked that it was a timely motion.

Ald. Scullard said that a similar motion had been passed some time ago but it was complained that boys collected and destroyed property.

Ald. Martin said that the Finance committee should urge that the police or the janitor should attend during the time the office was open. Ald. McCoig's motion carried.

Ald. Mounter said that there were two tenders for brick pavement on Thames street—Bligh & Fielder at \$2.23 per square yard for the brick, 64 cents per foot for curb and gutter; Dominion Paving Company \$2.25 per square yard for brick and 65 cents per foot for curb and gutter.

On motion the tender of Bligh & Fielder was accepted on condition that they were in a position to commence work within 30 days.

Ald. Mounter presented the petition for bitulithic pavement on Queen street. He said it looked as if the people were very changeable. He asked that it be referred to the Clerk to report on.

On motion O. L. Lewis was heard on behalf of the Dominion Paving Company. He said he had been requested to attend for the purpose of settling right certain matters. The letter given by the superintendent offering to do the work for \$1.85 per square yard had specified 5-inch concrete. The specifications asked for 6-inch. At the time the latter was obtained on the 29th of May last no tenders were required. Had the contract been assigned at once the price would have been \$1.85. At the time the letter was signed, the Dominion Paving Company could have got a contract with the Brick Company to supply bricks at 10 cents a yard less than they can get them for now. At that time wages were 15 cents an hour, now they are from 20 to 22 cents an hour. Besides the foreman had no authority to sign the letter. If the Dominion Paving Company were given the contract they would put down a good pavement. They could be judged by their works. The Sixth street and Wellington street pavements were samples. The Dominion Paving Company were willing to put down 4-inch concrete at \$1.85.

Ald. Martin said in reply that it was not so much now a question as to whether the work was worth \$2.23 or \$1.85 as it was a question as to whether the residents on the street were satisfied or not. The first duty of the Council was to give the people what they wanted. He had advocated this before and he advocated it now. Since the company had acted as they had, they couldn't have the contract at any price. He believed that the people should get what they wanted and sufficiently signed, so that the work could be done at once. So far as he was concerned he would stay till to-morrow to see the matter settled. The tender at \$1.85 had kept others from coming here. He believed that brick was the best pavement, but he wasn't going to stand up and give the contract to any company under existing conditions. The artificial tender was put in for a purpose, and now they even wanted the cobble stone. They couldn't make a monkey of him.

Ex-Ald. Wm. Potter, I. L. Davis and J. T. O'Keefe were present in the interests of the petition. Mr. O'Keefe stated that Mr. Scane had a telegram from the Bitulithic people offering to do the work for \$1.85 per square yard.

The Mayor asked the Council to adjourn till Friday night. Then everything could be prepared.

Ald. Marshall said he couldn't be present.

I. L. Davis said he was in favor of brick still, but under the circumstances he would like to sign the petition for bitulithic. He had helped get signatures for the brick and now that the price was raised people would be asking how much Scane and how much Davis were getting out of the brick pavement contract. He had a reputation to sustain. He went up to the Clerk's desk and signed the petition for bitulithic.

Ald. Mounter said that petitions were means of communication between the Council and the people, and the present petition before the Council should receive due consideration. The Clerk wouldn't undertake to report on it to-night.

The City Clerk said that no time would be gained by acting on the petition to-night. Everything could be got ready for either Friday night or Monday night.

Ald. Marshall asked the Clerk for the specifications for the King St. West pavement and the price. The specifications called for concrete five inches and asphalt four inch blocks, at \$2.50 per square yard. Ald. Marshall asked why the price of pavement on Lacroix St., under similar specifications, was tendered for at \$2.65.

Nobody answered his question, and the Council adjourned.

ATLAS LOAN COMPANY.

A SHAREHOLDERS' ADVISORY COMMITTEE.

Audit of the Books to Take Place in Toronto—Application For Bail on Behalf of Manager Rowley of the Elgin Loan Company.

St. Thomas, July 3.—A meeting of the shareholders of the Atlas Loan Company was held in the Council chamber of the City Hall, about one hundred being present. The business was to appoint an advisory committee, with whom Mr. Home Smith, the liquidator, could consult on matters of policy. Ald. Chant, J. A. Kilpatrick and Dr. Luton were appointed an Advisory Committee by the meeting, and the court will be asked to sanction their appointment by the liquidator, who leaves for Toronto tomorrow, where the audit of the books will be made. The liquidator will return to the city in September. Neither President A. E. Wallace nor any of the officials of the company were present. A general discussion ensued in regard to the affairs of the company, but no new information was elicited.

Application was made this afternoon before Judge Ermatinger for the release on bail of George Rowley, the defaulting Manager of the Elgin Loan Company. County Attorney Donahue objected to bail being granted, as, besides the charge of theft of \$4,000 on which Rowley had been committed, it was probable that there would also be charges of perjury and forgery. The Judge refused the application for bail at the present time, the application to be renewed when Rowley is arraigned to elect for trial on the one charge now laid against him, which will likely be within the next two or three days.

TESTIMONIAL TO MR. WHITE.

Friends Make a Presentation to Him of an Annuity.

Toronto, June 3.—A number of shippers on the Grand Trunk Railway recently met and arranged a testimonial to Mr. Arthur White of Toronto, who was for many years district freight agent of the Grand Trunk here. Mr. Noel Marshall, an intimate friend of Mr. White, took a leading part in this movement, with the result that a sum of money has been deposited with the Union Trust Company, the interest on which, \$300, will be paid to Mr. and Mrs. White so long as the fund lasts.

ATTACKED BY A DOG.

Mr. Chillingworth of Stratford Injured.

Stratford, July 3.—Wm. Chillingworth of this city was nearly overcome by a St. Bernard dog yesterday. While endeavoring to tie up the animal it turned on him and bit him so severely that a physician was required to dress the wounds. Mr. Chillingworth managed to gain the door of his house, but the dog kept him a close prisoner till help arrived and the animal was despatched. If blood-poisoning does not set in Mr. Chillingworth will recover.

SATURDAY PLANET

Everybody was talking about the last issue of the Big Saturday Planet and everybody is looking forward to to-morrow's paper.

They will not be disappointed.

The Big Saturday Planet to-morrow will contain the illustrated magazine and editorial supplement as usual, with all its regular and special features, while the news service will be full, complete and accurate. Don't miss the Saturday Paper.

MEDALLISTS

Successful Students of the Recent C. B. C. Examinations—Awarding the Medals.

The annual medal examinations at the Canada Business College have just closed, and for close competition and high standard of excellence in work a better showing has never been made in the history of the institution. These facts go to show that the C. B. C., which name has always been synonymous with superior work, still retains its claim to be thus described.

The following have secured diplomas in the Business Department:—L. F. Baker, Bradford; R. H. Ansley, Wingham; S. Ryckman, Picton; J. E. Bedal, Petrolia; A. E. Davidson, Cheltenham; N. McIntosh, North Bruce; J. H. Broad, city; O. R. Edwards, W. D. Lawson, Shelburne; S. Van Sickle, Brantford; Miss Z. A. Cullon, Lindsay.

In the Shorthand Department diplomas were secured by Miss Maud Lister, of Amherstburg; and Miss Kate Wilson, of this city; the former securing the gold medal for general proficiency, and the latter the silver medal for second highest standing, besides the medal given for highest speed in touch typewriting. Miss Wilson's percentage in typewriting from dictation and touch writing, is the highest ever obtained by any student of the College. She received 236 marks out of a possible 250. Miss Jean Riddell and Miss Sarah Woods wrote on part of the examination, but had to leave before finishing.

In the Business Department L. F. Baker carried off the gold medal for first general proficiency, and the Sutherland gold medal for highest standing in mathematics, obtaining 227 out of 240. R. H. Ansley also secured two medals, the silver for second general proficiency, and silver for best set of books. J. E. Bedal captured the silver medal for rapid calculation, and W. D. Lawson the medal for penmanship.

The contest for the medals was never so keen and close, and not until the marks were tallied could any definite answer have been given to the question, "Who will get the medal for highest standing?" The successful ones deserve congratulations on the excellence of their record.

THE BRAIDWOOD INQUEST.

H. G. & B. Railway Blamed for Winona Collision.

Hamilton, July 3.—The official inquiry into the killing of Mr. Robert Braidwood in the collision between a freight car on which he was acting as motorman and a passenger car on the H. G. & B. Electric Railway, east of Winona, last Thursday afternoon, took place before Coroner Griffin last night. The jury returned the following verdict:—That Robert Braidwood came to his death on June 25 from injuries received in a collision on the H. G. & B. Railway, and that the said collision was due to negligence and want of care on the part of the H. G. & B. Railway.

WATER COMS.

The Water Commissioners held a short session last evening. It was very warm and coats off was the order of the day. Very warm is putting it mildly indeed.

Chas. Moore had put in a water meter and he thought he was being charged too much for his house and lawn service for part of the quarter prior to the installation of his meter. The Commissioners granted that he be charged the proportionate amount of his house and lawn rate between his last payment and the installation of the meter.

The secretary was granted permission to close his office during the afternoons in July and August, the same as other city officials.

The secretary presented his cash statement. It showed a balance in the bank at the beginning of June of \$1,904.20, and receipts from water sales of \$2,507.93. The total receipts were \$4,412.13.

The following accounts were passed:—

Robert Cooper, \$125.
Park Bros., 80c.
The Filtration Co., \$10.92.
Lake Erie R. R. Co., \$536.57.
McCall Bros. & Co., \$27.
G. W. Sulman, \$17.29.
Post Office account, \$2.
Doherty Mfg. Co., \$51.06.
Garlock Packing Co., \$3.41.
Mortimer Bros., \$193.19.
A petition for an extension on Cornhill St. to Sheldon Ave. was referred to the City Engineer to report.

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These goods are all strictly solid leather and up-to-date style.

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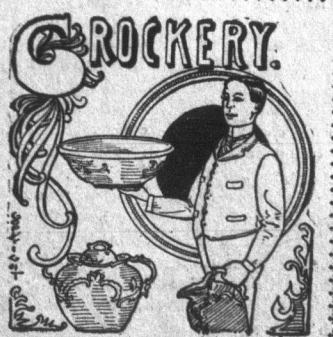
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