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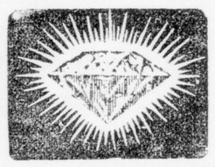

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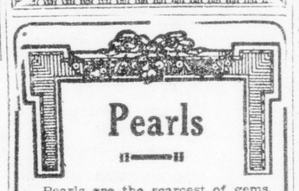

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MISSIONARY GIVING

Objective of District Twenty Per Cent Greater Than Last Year.

Next year no minister of the London Methodist district will receive less than the minimum salary of $900, provided measures adopted yesterday at the financial district meeting held in Lambeth Methodist Church work successfully.

The outstanding feature of the business dealing with finances was the report presented by C. J. Beal of this city, and Rev. S. Anderson of Lambeth, who urged the meeting to adopt the conference report, making it possible to allot upon the circuits of the district amounts which, when totalled up, would pay off deficits in ministerial salaries during the year. This recommendation included an assessment of one per cent on each minister's salary.

In a democratic church this method of raising money to wipe out the deficits could only be adopted through the agreement of the ministers and circuits. It was a matter for satisfaction that the report was adopted, particularly in view of the increasing cost of living, which was made a strong argument in favor of such a step.

Rev. J. W. Graham, D.D., educational secretary of the Methodist Church, was present, and made a plea for the educational work, stating that coming year than last year to meet ex- $13,000 more would be needed for the penses.

Resolution of Sympathy.

A resolution of sympathy was moved to Rev. H. A. Graham of Walkerville, late of London, in the death of his wife by accident. A resolution of sympathy was also moved to Rev. Mr. Godwin of Colborne Street, which has necessitated his retirement from all work for the present.

Presenting the report of the committee on social service and evangelism, Rev. H. D. Moyer referred to the thanksgiving felt for the closing of the bar. He expressed the belief that it would not be opened again. The prohibition measure which has just come into effect, he credited to the moral sentiment generated by 40 years of temperance agitation. "If there is drinking now," he said, "as a church we have washed our hands clean from the liquor traffic." He also emphasized the importance of continued effort to make the boon of a "dry Ontario" permanent.

The New Chairman.

Rev. J. E. Holmes, of Ridout Street Methodist Church, the new chairman of the district, presided, while Rev. Dr. F. Louis Barber assumed his duties as secretary.

According to established custom, a district missionary conference in the afternoon and continued in the evening, followed the financial meeting of the forenoon. The missionary conference of yesterday has the distinction of being the most largely attended ever held in the London Methodist district, a large number going out from the city and throngs assembling from all directions in the country.

Rev. Dr. Endicott, general missionary secretary of the Methodist Church in Canada, a speaker of the occasion, had the gratifying statement to make that the district conference was the largest he had ever attended in any district.

A Big Advance.

The conference also had another distinguishing feature. After each circuit reported what it was willing and considered itself able to do in the way of missionary contributions for the coming year, it was found that the objective of the district as a whole is 20 per cent in advance of last year.

Rev. Dr. Endicott, speaking on "Missionary Opportunities as an Inspiration," gave a review of the missionary situation in Japan, China and Canada from the standpoint of the general of the forces, the men at the top.

Special reference was made to the difficulties which confronted the general missionary committee of the church when war was declared. The curtailing of missionary expenditure by ten per cent was considered, but this was not regarded as honorable, considering that the men were in the field. The committee continued on the basis of the original appropriation under difficulties. In response to the faith of the committee in the people, last year was the biggest financial success of any year in the history of the church, $15,000 better than the preceding year and $3,660 better than the best previous year.

Great Essential.

Rev. Charles R. Flanders, D.D., impressed the thought in his address that spiritual impulse is the great essential in all missionary work. Telling of the appeal of the foreign mission fields Rev. D. Norman, a missionary on furlough from Japan, gave a splendid idea of the lives of the missionaries and of the people, among whom they work.

C. E. German followed, outlining practical plans for the London district's share in missionary enterprise.

Before adjournment October 29 was fixed as the date of the educational anniversary services, to be held in the London district, and the first and second Sundays for the missionary anniversary services.

A most bountiful supper was served by the hospitable ladies of the church to all present, after which the conference was brought to a conclusion by the evening session. Mr. Norman again spoke, making the statement that the missionary influence in Japan had been in a large measure responsible for the sympathetic attitude of the Japanese towards the Allies, which even has expressed itself in supplying the Russians with munitions.

Personal Element.

Rev. Dr. F. Louis Barber in an able address emphasized the need of the "personal element" in missionary work. In the afternoon a review had been given of world-wide missions, and prominence to the missionary organization of the home circuits. The element of personal interest is required as a connecting link, he declared, between the men and women on the firing line and the people at home who provide the sinews of warfare. A plea was made for a personal intertest in the missionaries and their work, an interest beyond the mere interest in an organization which works with machine-like system. Referring to misunderstandings in regard to missions Dr. Barber advanced the view that lack of sympathy rises almost entirely from misunderstanding.

Music by the church choir and soloists was a much-appreciated feature of the conference.

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WANTS COUNCIL TO INAUGURATE PROBE INTO FOOD PRICES

Lack of Gold Reserves to Blame, Says Ald. Ashplant.

PENSIONS FOR SOLDIERS

Aldermen Want Officers and Privates to Have Same Schedule.

Ald. Ashplant wants the finance minister, Sir Thomas White, to investigate banking matters, and currency questions as they affect the man who has to pay for food. At the city council last night he gave notice of motion to that effect. He pointed out that living is very high, and that the lack of gold reserves, as compared with bank notes, is largely responsible. However, he will elucidate his ideas at some length at the next session of the council.

He wanted to know also what the board of control and the London and Port Stanley Railway commission had done to relieve the citizens from the coal barons.

Mayor Stevenson informed him that nothing had been done as yet, but he promised that the board of control would look into the matter possibly in the near future.

Dr. Cunningham asked the city council to place four lights on the footbridge over the Traction Company's bridge. He explained that the citizens there had raised $500 for the bridge, but they needed some lights. No. 3 committee will look into the matter and report back.

Want All Alike.

The council are in favor of privates being treated the same as officers in the way of pensions. Ald. Reynolds championed the men, explaining that as a rule the private gave up his all, and his family needed the assistance more than the officer. The board of control reported against treating them all alike, but the council would not accept that, and will ask the council to give all equal attention.

Ald. Ashplant wants to discuss with No. 4 committee the question of the tax rate for the annexed district. He explained that if all the properties in that district paid 15 mills on the assessment commissioner's valuation, it would mean a great increase in the revenue, and not affect the poor man's taxes a particle, in that district. He will be allowed to state his theories to that committee.

To Help Gootsons.

Ald. E. S. Little gave notice of motion that at the next meeting of the council he would introduce a motion amending the junk area bylaw, to give Gootson Bros. a license on their property near the London and Port Stanley shops. This firm had an area there for some years, but their property was taken away from them by the L. and P. S., and an agreement to allow them to do business violated by not including their lands in the junk area bylaw. There were big deputations to discuss the matter, some for and some against, but nothing was done, as the question will not be dealt with until the next meeting of the council.

Ex-Ald. Max Lerner objected to the number of drunken men in the vicinity of Maitland street and Ottaway avenue. In the foreign quarter there women were not safe at nights, and he wanted something done. The matter was referred to the police commission.

Must Be Signed.

The price of hay and oats must be printed in the minutes of the council, and the slips signed by the chairman of the finance committee. Ald. Ashplant thought this would give the aldermen some much needed information on these matters.

On the suggestion of Ald. Reynolds the board of works will discuss the advisability of opening up Langley avenue, from Tecumseh avenue and Windsor avenue.

J. Hemsworth, Ridout street, asked for a breakwater on that street, to cost not more than $700 to protect the property there. The board of control will make a further investigation.

Joseph Moran and J. W. Dwyer, on behalf of the Musicians' Union, protested against the importation of musicians from across the line, to take up work in a dance hall in the city. It was pointed out that there were plenty of musicians here who needed the employment. Mayor Stevenson will take the problem up with the immigration authorities.

A Joint Wall.

The council consented to a joint wall between the present city hall and the proposed hydro shop, provided that the city property was properly protected.

It has been decided to pave the south half of Dundas street, east of Egerton street. Some of the sewer work collapsed there last fall, and the soil has not properly settled. However, it was found that by reinforcing, at a cost of $400, the pavement would be all right. It will be completed this fall.

F. J. Hammond & Sons were given the policy to insure the new motor street flusher against fire and all accidents, for the sum of $200.

REBUILDING OF WRECKED FIRE TRUCK LAID OVER

Fire Chief Advises Against Expenditure of $4,000.

The Seagrave Ladder Company of Walkerville submitted a proposition to the board of control Monday to rebuild the motor fire truck smashed at the William street crossing of the Grand Trunk nearly two years ago for the sum of $4,000. Action was deferred until September 22.

Tenders for a new truck were received some time ago, the best price being $7,200. Fire Chief John Aitken was asked to report on the question, and he stated that he would not advise the rebuilding of the old truck, as the engine was out of date.

"The engine on the present truck is out of date, on that reasoning," declared Controller J. M. Moore. "The question is whether or not it would be wise to rebuild the truck. It can be made into a tractor for $4,000, which means that the city has at least $2,000 in the old truck. That is a big item."

"It looks like $3,000 to me," answered Controller Rose.

However, the matter was laid over until Friday afternoon, when representatives of the company will explain the situation.

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GUARANTEE FUND PROPOSAL HAS NO APPEAL TO CITY

Paving Company's Request for Debentures Turned Down.

G. T. R. ASKING REBATE

Says Bathurst Street Improvements Benefitted London and Port Stanley.

City Engineer H. A. Brazier reported to the board of control Monday that the automobile driven by Superintendent W. B. Walker of the garbage department, and which is figuring in damage actions against the city, was insured, and the insurance company had been informed of the actions brought by Messrs. Gilmour and Brooks. The company will defend them.

Sanitary sewers will be constructed on Rattle and Salisbury streets, and Fenwick avenue, the engineer being instructed to call for tenders for the work.

The Standard Paving Company, which has $25,000 on deposit with the city as a guarantee fund, asked that it be allowed to take debentures for the money. It is allowed bank interest now, but if it took debentures, it would get 5 per cent interest, not 3½. However, the city pays 3 per cent for the guarantee fund and gets 6 per cent at the bank, so the board did not consider it good business to give the company what it asked for.

E. McDonald, Grand Trunk assessment department, complained that the company should have a rebate on the local improvements on Bathurst street, as they are for the benefit of the London and Port Stanley Railway. He asked for a conference to settle the matter. However, the board decided that it was something with which it had nothing to do, and filed the request.

COUNCIL REFUSES TO SELL CITY HALL SITE

The city council was in no mood to sell the Federal Square property last night, and decided not to allow the ratepayers to vote on that question this year.

Ald. Wilson, who for two years has been endeavoring to get a bylaw to the people, proposed the sale last night, but he was defeated. He thought the citizens were tired of the project, and wanted to dispose of the property. "The time is most inopportune," declared Controller Gammage. "To put this property on the market would be undesirable, to say the least of it. Every city in America is working along the line laid down in the Federal Square proposition, and I think it will be a great thing for London."

Ald. Reynolds objected to the whole scheme, and wanted some information as to the amount of money invested in the land, the amount lost each year in taxes, and other statistics. He declared that he never favored it, considering the site badly chosen.

Other aldermen approved of the bylaw, stating that the people should have a voice in the matter, although they personally opposed the sale of the land.

However, the council voted down the [illegible] and the matter is ended for this year.

FIRE TRUCK COMING.

The new motor fire truck ordered some time ago from the American La France Company, Elmira, N. Y., will arrive in the city on Wednesday.

Fire Chief Aitken has been notified that it is on its way. It will be put into commission at once at the Central fire hall.

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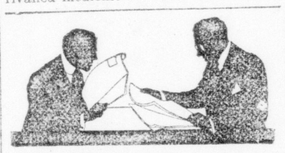

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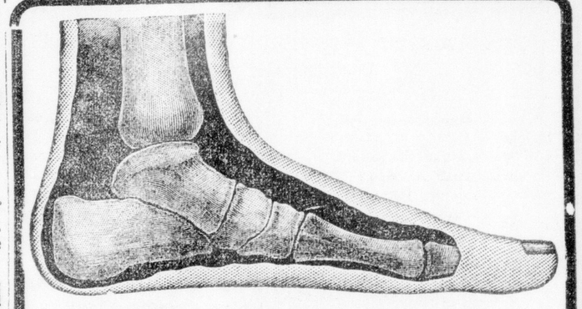

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