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GOOD BALL TEAM THE ELECTORS TURN DOWN

BEEF SUGAR PROPOSITION

The By-Law Was Voted Upon Yesterday and Was Defeated by About 194 Votes—Fight Was a Spirited One—Factory May Come to Chatham Anyway

The following is clipped from the Utica Tribune:

"A ball game between the Capron team and that of the Globe Woolen Mills of this city on the former's grounds yesterday afternoon resulted in a victory for the former by the score of 7 to 4. The features of the game were the pitching of Fred and Harry Nicholson. The former received a broken finger by being hit by a batted ball in the first part of the seventh inning. The catching of Robert McGarry, formerly of this city, formerly of Chatham, Ont., was also a feature. Kane pitched well for the losers. The score:

R. H. E.
Globe Mills..... 4 5 6
Capron..... 7 8 9
Batteries—F. and H. Nicholson and Head; Kane and Church. Umpire—Miller.

"The Caprons will play the Nationals of this city at Capron this afternoon. The game will be called at three o'clock."

Robert McGarry, formerly of this city, is captain of the Capron team and Sam A. Mercer, also a former Chathamite, is the manager. This makes three Chathamites on the one team—a sure sign of victory.

Various reasons are given as the cause of the defeat of the by-law. Many claim that if the security had been more definite the by-law would have been carried, but the size of the proposed loan also had something to do with it. The more cautious ratepayers believed that with the present state of civic finances it would be unwise to make such a large outlay of money.

The total majority against the by-law, taking into consideration the number of votes required to be passed was 194.

Chairman Charles Austin of the Industrial committee, was seen this morning by a Planet reporter. Ald. Austin worked hard for the proposition, giving over much of his time to it since the project was first introduced. He did not look much discouraged over the defeat of the by-law, when interviewed this morning.

"I haven't given up hopes of seeing a sugar factory located in Chatham yet," he said. "The stability of the industry is unquestionable, and Chatham is the right place for a concern of this kind. I am looking forward to seeing a sugar factory located here before long."

"Do you believe that it will be the Keystone Sugar Factory?" was asked. "It may be."

"Do you think the Keystone people will make a new proposition to the city?"

"I may," Ald. Austin says that directly after the news of the defeat of the by-law became known the promoters of the Keystone factory had two offers from other towns. They are in Dresden to-day looking over a proposed site.

"It is strange," continued the alderman, "that just at the time this by-law was laid before the people that we hear that stock in the Wakefield factory can be bought at twenty-five cents on the dollar. No such offer has ever before been made. It is also peculiar that anyone would resort to putting out an anonymous sheet knocking the by-law. It shows that the author, whoever he is, is ashamed to own his arguments. It was a most discreditable way of carrying on a campaign, and was on a par with many of the erroneous statements made regarding the proposition."

Ald. Wm. Stone, who so strenuously opposed the passing of the by-law, had nothing to say when seen by The Planet.

The Planet, with doubtless many of our ratepayers, are interested in the sugar by-law, voted upon yesterday, as it was generally understood the vote would have been very much smaller than it was. It is a splendid augury, as it shows how interested our citizens are in any public question. The loss of this by-law cannot be a great surprise even to many of those who voted for its passing, as there never was a question laid before the ratepayers where one could so often hear the statement, "I am going to support the sugar by-law, but I am not

fully satisfied with the terms of the contract." The question of security more than any other helped to defeat the measure, but if our debates had been given priority over those the company intended to hand over to a trust company it would doubtless have received a substantial majority. If, as the promoters contend, the success of these factories is wholly dependent upon the beet supply, and this is the only reason that so many have failed, and that they can be made profitable, some day Kent will have a factory without the assistance of any loan from the city of Chatham, or upon terms in which the County Council can join. It is the farmer who receives the greatest benefit, and it is only right if this is the case that the County should show some substantial interest in the undertaking. Ald. Austin and others worked indefatigably for the by-law, and many of our most reputable citizens, were of the opinion that it would be a mistake to have the by-law defeated, but the majority of the ratepayers who cast their ballots thought differently, and these gentlemen will accept the decision with good grace and be prepared to devote the same energy to another proposal that will be for the general advancement of the corporation. Some of the tactics of those opposing the passage of the by-law were not only injurious to the municipality, but drove many of the heavier ratepayers to support it who a few days before the voting had expressed themselves as not being in sympathy with its provisions. The following is the complete vote taken on the proposition from the city to grant the Keystone Sugar Co. a loan of \$75,000, to move a Wakefield Sugar Factory to Chatham:

1 Thompson's 62 53
2 Chatham M. C. Office 57 67
3 Old Police Station 25 19
4 Boushalls' 31 37
5 Mrs. Wills' 20 18
6 Deacon's 20 28
7 Weight's 22 17
8 Atkins & Wilson 14 9
9 Odershaw's 26 31
10 Jacques' 30 54
11 McKays' 31 42
12 Calmeyer's 35 56
13 Mrs. Lawrence's 24 28
14 Waterhouse's 19 14
15 Kelly's 453 510

Total 453 510
Majority against By-law, 57.
Total vote required to be passed in favor of By-law, about 590.
Total majority against By-law about 194.

A VIOLIN RECITAL

Harry McCaw Formerly of this City Scores a Decided Success in Windsor

The Windsor Record has the following to say of Henry McCaw, an old Chatham boy, who recently appeared there in a violin recital. Mr. McCaw's many Chatham friends will be pleased to learn that he is making such rapid strides along the road to success:

"The violin recital given by Mr. Henry McCaw on Tuesday evening was one of the most enjoyable musical events of a season more than usually prolific of good things in Windsor."

"The instrumental program in parts was a little of the sombre or, but it was essentially classic and rendered with the artistic polish that marks all Mr. McCaw's work in a high degree. The exacting nature of his selections served to display his many excellencies in the way of technique and the smooth beauty and truth of his tone. His reception was deservedly and warmly enthusiastic at each appearance."

"Mr. McCaw was ably supported by Mr. Frank Geary, cellist, Mr. H. Whorlow Bull, and Miss Edith O. Plunkney, vocalists, and Miss Martha Hobbs, accompanist."

"Mr. Bull, who was down for two vocal numbers, sang with his customary excellence, and gracefully responded to encores that would not be denied."

"One of the most pleasing numbers on the program was Premier's Grand Trio, rendered by Messrs. McCaw and Geary and Miss Hobbs with violin, cello and piano."

"Pink Lips, Like Velvet, Rough, Chapped or Cracked Lips, can be made as soft as velvet by applying at bedtime, a light coating of Dr. Shoop's Green Salve. The effect on the lips or skin of this excellent ointment is always immediate and certain. Dr. Shoop's Green Salve takes out completely the soreness of cuts, burns, bruises, and all skin abrasions. It is surely a wonderful and most highly satisfactory healing ointment. In glass jars at 25c.

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Dr. Chown concluded by pouring vials of sarcasm on corruption and perfidy. He won rounds of applause by stating he belonged to no party, and that a party must belong to him. In a political and moral sense, Canada needed the revival of the heroic age.

DR. CHOWN ON LOAN SHARKS AND BETTING ON RACES

Noted Divine Says Prosecution of Bookmakers in Toronto Was Stopped by Earl Grey's Visit

Windsor, May 31.—Rev. Dr. Chown, Toronto, in local address today before the conference, he fearlessly denounced the thrash of money, loan sharks, ill-combines and insurance irregularities; characterized the betting on races at the Woodbine as a disgraceful and impudently bane as disguised robbery, impudently corruption and partisanship, and exhorted Methodists to save Canada from moral ruin.

The speaker referred to the fact that he had been exposed to dynamite, and had loaded weapons trained on him. He found that honesty was regarded more as machinery in business, while honesty as a principle was becoming scarcer all the time.

He then proceeded to enumerate evils in economic and social life.

CLERK SETTLES IT

Charing Cross Gets A License But Cedar Springs Does Not

Bienheim, May 30.—According to report, the Clerk of Harwich Township, to whom were referred the petitions for licenses, signed on behalf of Walker, of Charing Cross, and Forbes, of Cedar Springs, has looked into the legal right of the parties whose names are appended to sign such a petition, and has returned that the petition of the Charing Cross man is satisfactory, but that that of the Cedar Springs man is not.

The giving of licenses to these parties by the Commissioners of East Kent, after the strongly urgent protests of the township council and others, caused much comment at the time and the Government had the matter referred to the Clerk to settle once and for all where the legality of the petitions was lacking.

Apparently the matter stands a draw, the temperance people having reason to complain in one case and being defeated in their argument in the other.

The decision of the Clerk, Geo. W. Rieborough, has called for much satisfaction, generally speaking.

GOOD SUGGESTION

Archie Skirving Offers Some Good Advice Along The Lines Of Police Protection

A novel method of controlling police affairs at night time has been put into practice at Medina, near Rochester, New York.

Medina is a small town of about 6,000 inhabitants, but it is thoroughly up-to-date in the matter of conducting its municipal affairs and, in many things, it is far ahead of other towns of much greater size. Quite recently a young electrician of the town invented a device for controlling telephone calls on the police station when nobody is in attendance at the latter place.

As is often the case in Chatham, during the greater part of the night, the police station is unoccupied, the night duty men being engaged in patrolling their beats. If a call for assistance was made from any outside part of the town there was nobody to hear the bell, and in consequence, several cases arose where the police allowed criminals to slip through their fingers. The difficulty has now been overcome by the installation of a red light alarm on the principal thoroughfare of the town, the telephone being connected with it by a switch. When the last policeman left the station he turned on the switch and while the connection was thus made any phone call lit up the alarm signal, which remained burning until the policeman on duty returned to the station and answered the call.

Claims "Agent" Archie Skirving of the F. M. R., who supplied the foregoing information, thinks that Chatham would do well to follow Medina in this respect and suggests a similar arrangement to light up a red lamp on King street for the benefit of the patrolling policeman. Such a device would be inexpensive and would materially assist the police in their night work.

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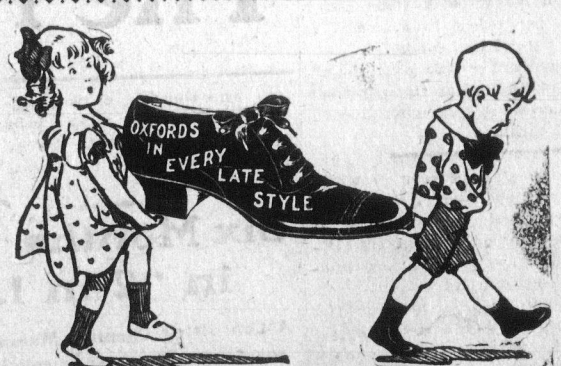
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