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—The Southwestern Traction Company have a large force of men employed on a gravel train ballasting their right-of-way in Port Stanley.

During last month the company carried over 400 tons of fish out of the Wedd in West.

The wedding took place in Melford, Saskatchewan, recently, of Miss Anna McEwen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. McEwen, of Lobo, and Mr. Arthur W. Kelly, of Spalding, Saskatchewan, formerly of Falkirk. The ceremony was performed by Rev. G. A. Dyker.

Lecture on Browning.

Principal McCutcheon of the Collegiate Institute gave an interesting lecture in the First Congregational Church last night on "Robert Browning." Rev. D. S. Hamilton presided at the meeting, and a hearty vote of thanks was passed to the speaker.

Late Mrs. Butler.

The funeral of Mrs. C. P. Butler was held this afternoon from the family residence, 320 St. George street, to Mount Pleasant Cemetery, and was of a private nature. The services were conducted by Rev. G. B. Sage, of St. George's Church, West London.

Elected Officers.

At a well-attended meeting of Port City Camp, No. 1, W. O. W., held

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Hardy; clerk, W. S. J. Saunders; escort,

William Tibbs; watchman, M. McTear;

garter, managers, three years, George

Scollick; two years, John Woods; one

year, John Francis; delegate George

F. Morris; alternate delegate, John

Saunders.

Boat Was Busy.

Car ferry M. & B. No. 2 arrived at

Port Stanley on Sunday, with 32 cars

of coal from Conneaut, being the

largest cargo this season. The imports

by this boat of coal and steel from

Conneaut during October (46 trips)

amounted to 51,281 tons; during November (26 trips), 29,300 tons.

Walsh—Tipping.

A pretty wedding took place at Christ

Church rectory, Chatham, Saturday

evening, when Mr. J. H. Walsh was

united in marriage to Miss I. Tipping.

Miss L. Tipping, of London, assisted

as bridesmaid. Mr. G. Tipping, acting

as groomsmen. Rev. T. S. Boyle performed the ceremony. The bride was

given away by her brother, Mr. A. Tipping. After the ceremony the happy

couple drove to their new home, Baxter street, where they and their many

friends partook of a dainty supper. Mr. and Mrs. Walsh were the recipients of

many presents and hearty congratulations.

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Council Appointees to the Senate

Caused Debate at Last Night's Meeting

Principal Radcliffe, Vice-Principal Little and Dr. Eccles

Were Chosen.

The three appointments to the

Western University senate caused

quite an argument at the council last

evening, but when it was over the

three nominees of Ald. Ferguson at

the last meeting of the council, Dr.

Eccles, Principal S. J. Radcliffe, of the

Normal School, and Vice-Principal R.

A. Little, of the Collegiate Institute, were named.

When the bylaw came up, Ald. Ferguson named the three men mentioned above, and Ald. Parsons seconded the nominations.

Ald. Rose suggested that Ald. Armstrong be substituted in place of Dr. Eccles.

Ald. Moorhead thought that Ald. Stevenson should have a place on the senate, as he was eminently qualified for the honor.

Ald. Stevenson Explains.

Ald. Stevenson declared that he desired to correct the false impression given out at the last meeting of the council. He had nothing to say against

mentioned. He did not object to the

nominal of the senate, but he did object to their positions. He pointed out that when the bylaws governing the senate were considered, it was the intention to get away from such positions as the men occupied whose

names have been mentioned. In the future if these appointments were made, the positions will demand their place on the university senate, and no change can be made, no matter how

advantageous it might be to the university. If these men were free citizens, he would support them, but he could not under present conditions.

He said that Principal Radcliffe, as principal of the Normal School, could send no students to the university.

The board of governors were seeking to send high school pupils to the university, but instead of sending the principal, Mr. McCutcheon, to the senate they were sending the principal every excuse to "knock" the institution. He suggested that Dr. Moorhouse, a man who had worked industriously for many years for the university, be appointed to the senate. As for himself he would not consent to be an appointee from the council.

Ald. Greenlee Differs.

Ald. Greenlee declared he could see little in Ald. Stevenson's arguments.

Both Mr. Radcliffe and Mr. Little were educationists of the highest order and knew the needs of such an institution as the Western University.

Ald. Beattie pointed out that the position of the university at this time was very critical, and all wished to see it succeed. What was needed on the senate was men who would be useful, from their ability, to send students to the institution, as well as through their scholastic ability. He suggested that the name of Principal McCutcheon be substituted for that of Principal Radcliffe. Principal McCutcheon could direct many pupils to the university.

Six Names Voted On.

Six names were voted on—Messrs. R. A. Little, S. J. Radcliffe, F. W. C. McCutcheon, Dr. Eccles, Dr. Moorhouse, and Ald. Armstrong, resulting in the election of Messrs. Little, Radcliffe and Eccles, on the fourth ballot.

Captain Case Was Not Appointed

Matter Referred Back to Committee

Lively Row in the City Council

Last Night Over the

Position.

There was a lively row at the council meeting last night, when the question of the appointment of an assistant fire chief came up, and as a result the matter was again laid over.

When the report of No. 3 committee was read by Chairman Greenlee, it was recommended that Lieut. C. S. Scott be made assistant fire chief. Not an alderman seconded the motion of Ald. Greenlee for making the appointment, and after some delay Ald. Stevenson agreed to second it through courtesy.

"Upon my word, strange things do happen," said Ald. Greenlee. "I thought I had a loyal committee, but I find I have not."

He then related the incidents resulting in the recommendation of Lieut. Scott. He said that he had approached Capt. Case on several occasions, but the latter always refused to conform to the test examinations proposed by No. 3 committee. Lieut. Scott has done so, and was entitled to the position.

Wanted Capt. Case.

Ald. Armstrong then moved in amendment that Capt. Case be appointed assistant; Ald. Parsons seconded the motion.

"I have considered the question from every standpoint, and I have come to the conclusion that Capt. Case should be given the position," said Ald. Armstrong. "I have become better acquainted with him since the last meeting, and have now no hesitations whatever in saying that he is eminently fitted for such an office. I am not surprised at his objection to an examination. It was a new thing, and there was every possibility of a misunderstanding on it. Chief Aitken was appointed without any test whatever as to his efficiency. I do not think that Case should be subjected to any such examination as it was proposed to give him. He should be appointed."

Ald. Moorhead favored Capt. Case, and had always done so in the committee. He has served the city nineteen years with credit, and distinction, and there was no doubt whatever of his qualifications. There was no doubt he should be promoted. As for the examination, he at one time thought Case should be subjected to it, but on further consideration he thought it humiliating, and he had no right to submit to it.