

Submit Power Bylaw to People For \$235,000 for Distributing Plant

No. 3 Committee Makes a Very Important Recommendation to the City Council.

The special committee appointed by the city council to inquire into the lighting of the streets and the Niagara power matter, recommended to the council last night that a bylaw be submitted to the ratepayers, at the coming municipal elections calling for the issuing of debentures for the sum of \$235,000 to install a distributing plant for Niagara power, and a municipal lighting plant.

Hon. Adam Beck and Assistant Engineer Richards, of the hydro-electric commission, were present, and discussed the matter with the committee.

What It Includes.

This sum includes the plant for distributing Niagara power as outlined in The Advertiser some days ago. The distribution plant alone calls for an expenditure of \$122,000, although Mr. Beck and Mr. Richards are of the opinion that it will cost about \$100,000.

The street-lighting plant, capable of lighting 375 lamps, would cost \$55,000, and the incandescent system will cost \$65,000 more, or \$50,000 initial expenditure, as follows:

The Figures.

Three hundred and seventy-five magnetic arc lamps, complete with transformers, rectifiers, poles and wire, in addition to power estimate, \$35,000.

Alternative — 200 magnetic arc lamps for business part of city, 500 300-candlepower Nernst lamps for residential part of city. The cost of these lamps will be about the same as the 375 magnetic lamps.

Lighting distribution—Providing for the installation of 20,000 to 30,000 incandescent lights, and with lines on 25 to 35 miles of streets, \$65,000.

This would not all be installed by the end of first year's operation, only 50,000 need now be provided for.

Street Lights.

The cost of each street light would be \$42.50 per annum, including sinking fund, operating, interest, depreciation, etc. The present cost is in the neighborhood of \$80, so that the net saving on each lamp would be about \$37.50, or for the 375 lamps a sum of \$14,000 per annum.

The kind of lights that would be installed would be the magnetic lamps. These cost a trifle more to install, but they give one-third more light with an expenditure of about half as much energy. They had been installed in a number of cities in the United States and had been giving unlimited satisfaction.

Explained the Contract.

Hon. Mr. Beck explained the contract to the committee. The hydro-electric commission is willing to enter into a contract to supply the municipalities with electrical energy, but London, with the other municipalities interested, must submit

debenture bylaws calling for the expenditure of certain moneys for distributing plants.

The commission will lay the power at the doors of the municipality. The city must distribute it. He instanced the saving the people of Hamilton had made by agreeing to the figures of the commission. If the debenture bylaw is not passed, the transmission line will not be built. Mr. Beck thought that the line could be constructed within a year and a half after the debenture bylaws were submitted. The hydro-electric commission could sell power to an electric company or a railroad company, but the profit accruing from that enterprise would go to the municipality.

5,000-Horsepower for London.

London would not be obliged to pay for more than the 5,000-horsepower contracted for. It would be sold to the city by meter, the power for the month being the grade of measurement. He would not give out the terms of the contract the Government would make with the municipalities, but City Solicitor Meredith, of London, was the solicitor of the hydro-electric commission, and he was preparing the contract. Mr. Beck declared that it would be more favorable than was anticipated, and that Mr. Meredith would be a safeguard to the city's rights. The cost of power would include all expenditure, sinking fund, etc., in getting the power to London.

"In getting the figures from the London Electric," declared Mr. Beck, "must be understood that you only want the figures for the distributing plant, not the generating plant. The other would be of no use to you at all. There is no need of a steam auxiliary plant. The loop prevents any need of it. The Hamilton steam plant has not turned a wheel since Niagara power had been introduced."

Producer Gas.

When questioned about producer gas, Mr. Richards said that he did not believe that power could be generated for such a small cost as has been claimed. He declared that in Montreal, and in other places the producer gas plants had been taken out, and electricity from the power plants was used instead.

"I do not know any plant in Canada that is working properly, and giving the results claimed for it, unless it is McClary's," said Engineer Richards. "It is almost impossible to get figures of the cost of these plants. I have tried it and have not received any satisfactory figures."

Mr. Richards also pointed out that the magnetic lights only needed trimming once in two weeks. One man could trim them and patrol the whole city.

Submit a Bylaw.

Ald. Booth then moved that the council be recommended to submit a bylaw calling for the installation of a distributing plant, and the installation of an incandescent and street lighting plant to cost \$235,000.

Those present were Ald. Gilleen (chairman), Ald. Booth, Ald. Gerry, Ald. Stevely, Ald. Matthews and City Clerk Baker.

"GINGERBREAD MAN" PLEASED AT GRAND

Jingling Musical Comedy Makes Good Once Again in London.

"The Gingerbread Man," after an absence of two years, is back again at the Grand, and last night pleased a large audience. The company has changed considerably since it was here, but the show last night delighted the audience just as much as in the olden days. It is a good show, and it is unnecessary to go into the play, its plot and music being familiar to Londoners. The nursery rhymes and the sweet music are just as captivating as ever, and made a decidedly good impression.

The cast is a good one. The role of The Gingerbread Man is in the hands of Fred J. Nice, and he may be favorably compared with Eddie Redway, who made the role famous. Ross Snow, as the Good Fairy, is more than fair. He's capable, Garrick Major has a voice of splendid range and good quality, and made a fine impression in his songs. The other male roles are capably taken.

Miss Nellie Nice, as Margery Daw, is a sprightly little maiden, and dances well. Miss Grace Belmont is good.

The show will be repeated this afternoon and evening, and should draw good houses at both performances.

MR. KING MUST PAY OR BE SUED

No. 2 Committee of the Council Issued Ultimatum Last Night.

The request of Mr. T. F. Kingsmill that he be allowed to make connection with the sewer of Kent street was granted by the board of works last night on condition that Mr. Kingsmill agree to construct an eight-inch sewer from his house to the main sewer. He must also build a man-hole.

The committee decided to initiate a sewer on Carling street, between Talbot and Ridout streets.

Secretary Bell was instructed to notify Manager King that if he did not pay by Nov. 15 for the cost of the sewer that had been agreed to, the board would proceed to construct an eight-inch sewer from his house to the main sewer, and that he would be disposed of to the highest bidder.

A communication was received asking that the entrance from the roadway to the Western University be improved, so that coal wagons and other heavy vehicles can use it.

At present the ditch and culvert are so high that it is difficult for wagons to get into the grounds. The matter was left to the city engineer to dispose of.

Those present were: Chairman Matthews, Aldermen Rose, Cooper, and Wunders, Secretary Bell and Engineer Graydon.

PUGSLEY-JUPP

Marriage of Popular Couple on Wednesday Night.

On Wednesday night, at the home of the bride's parents, Nellie, only daughter of Mr. James Jupp, grocer, of Tumbler's Corners, was united in marriage to Mr. William Pugsley, eldest son of Mr. Wm. Pugsley, of the Post Line road. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Jas. Livingstone, of Wellington Street Methodist church, assisted by the Rev. John Tazewell, of St. John's, and the Rev. J. H. Hogsburg, N. Y., uncle of the bride. The bride entered the parlor on the arm of her father, to the strains of the wedding march. She looked charming, dressed in white tulle, trimmed with white duchess satin ribbon and lace. She wore the conventional veil, caught with lilacs of the valley, and carried a shower bouquet of bridal roses and lilies, set with diamonds, the gift of the groom. She was assisted by Miss Clara Pugsley, the groom's sister, who looked daintily, dressed in white organdie and lace, trimmed with baby ribbon, and she carried a bouquet of pink carnations.

The groom was supported by his brother, Jack Pugsley. There were representatives of England, Ireland, Scotland and the United States, as well as true-born Canadians, and one unique feature was the fact that there sat down to the wedding supper three generations on the side of the groom, and four generations on the side of the bride.

The dining-room was beautifully decorated with flowers and Union Jacks, and about fifty guests sat down to the table. The bride's traveling dress was of brown chiton broadcloth, trimmed with velvet, with hat to match. The presents were numerous and costly. The groom's present to the bride was a gold bracelet set with diamonds, and to the groomsmen a pair of gold sleeve-links. The young couple left for their honeymoon in the west, followed by the good wishes of their numerous friends. On their return they will reside on Ridout street south.

Carl Bundschu, aged 45, manager of the Elks' Club at Knoxville, Tenn., was shot and killed by a porter at the club, and his body locked in one of the rooms.

Edward Feeley, 19 years old, was trampled to death under horses' feet in Chicago. He fell from a passing car, which he had mounted in the "tardy bell" gang.

Because Miss Helen E. M. Roberts was discharged from the Peawaukee, Wis., High School, all the pupils went on strike. Parents held a mass meeting, and demanded Miss Roberts' reinstatement, which was refused.

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Handsome Parlor Suite, \$34.50

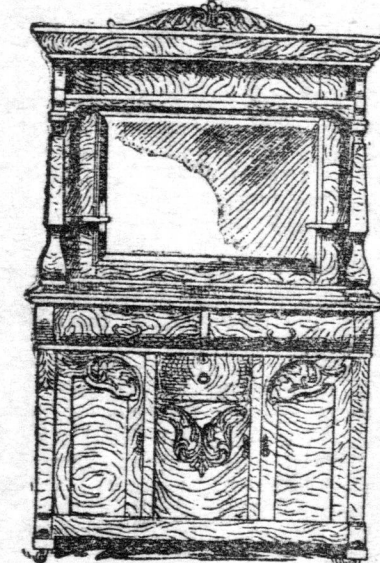
This handsome suite, hand-carved frames, upholstered in best grade silks, sells elsewhere for \$50.00.

Handsome Pantasote Couch, \$18.00

This couch is all steel constructed, moss and hair fillings, made of genuine pantasote, and will wear a lifetime.

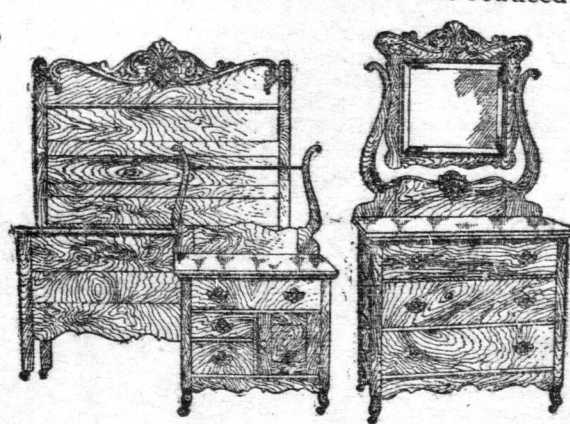
Neat Parlor Suite \$28.00

This neat suite, plain, yet handsome designs, frame hand rubbed, upholstered in finest silks, sells elsewhere for \$40.00.



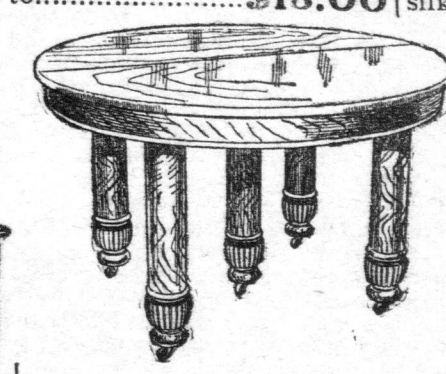
Colonial Sideboard
\$26.00

This handsome Oak Board, hand rubbed, long British plate mirror. Worth \$40.00.



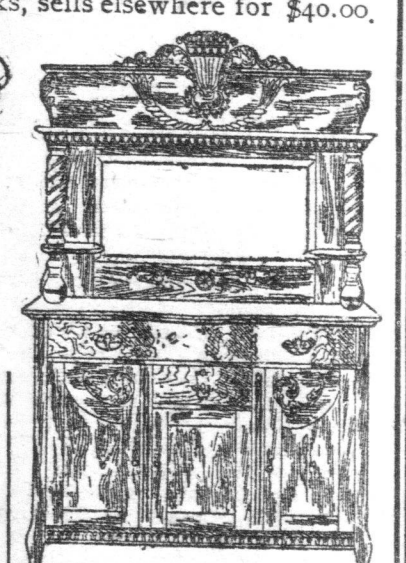
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This is a swell finished suite, with large British plate mirror and large wash-stand. We buy these in carload lots to enable us to sell them at this price.

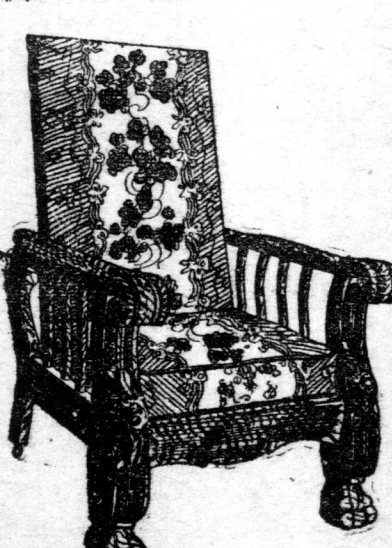


Oak Dining Table \$9.50

Solid Oak Extension Table, five leaves, hand rubbed; a very handsome table. Sells elsewhere for \$15.00.



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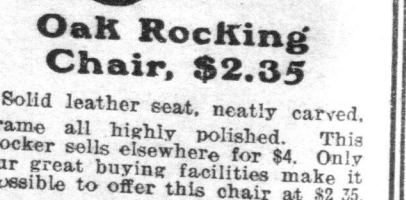
Our \$10 Tapestry Squares.....\$7.00
Our \$15 Tapestry Squares.....\$11.50
Our \$20 Brussels Squares.....\$15.00
Our \$25 Brussels Squares.....\$18.00
Our \$30 Velvet Squares.....\$22.00

Springs and Mattresses

Our \$4.00 Spring is now \$2.75
Our \$3.50 Spring is now \$2.50
Our \$5.00 Mattress is now \$3.25
Our \$6.00 Mattress is now \$4.50

Pillows Greatly Reduced

Our \$6.00 Down Pillows are.....\$4.00
Our \$4.00 Goose Feather Pillows, \$2.75
Our \$2.00 Combination Pillows, \$1.25
Our \$1.50 Combination Pillows, \$1.00



Oak Rocking Chair, \$2.35
Solid leather seat, neatly carved, frame all highly polished. This Rocker sells elsewhere for \$4. Only our great buying facilities make it possible to offer this chair at \$2.35.

Market Today Was an Ordinary One

Today's market was no bigger, if as big, as the average mid-week market.

The previous big markets of this week have resulted in the groceries being well stocked up, and the only articles which were at all firm today were butter and eggs.

Butter was selling at from 23 to 26 cents wholesale this morning, while eggs sold at 27 to 28 cents a dozen.

Hay was very scarce this week on the London market. It is estimated that it takes 100 loads to supply the

city, and yet there were but 73 brought in during the past week.

The week before that, though, there were 125 loads of hay brought in. The reasons given by many of the farmers for not bringing in their hay is that the time is ripe for fall plowing, and that many of them have not got all of their potatoes in yet.

Local livery men look for a drop in the price of feed next week, for the reason that more farmers will be coming in. The farmers still look to see prices stay up for some time yet.

Christian Guardian Defends Detectives

The Christian Guardian, the organ of the Methodist Church, discusses the question of the enforcement of the liquor license laws, and takes the ground that the system is in the public interest, and is completely justified by the results. Says the Guardian:

"Evidently there is a dead end being made against the special detective method of enforcing the law at present in use under the license department of Ontario. Several newspapers representing the Opposition have told us what they think about it in unmistakable terms, while even a few of the loyal Government sheets have given us to understand that they would like to see it done away with, and the good old local inspector plan alone in use. A candidate for legislative honors in the Conservative party has even gone so far as to tell his constituents that he considered the special detective method as an altogether un-British institution, and that he would, if elected, do what he could to have him done away with. So far as we have seen, no complaint is made against these special provincial inspectors on the ground that they are not a success at tripping up the transgressors of the law. This is well, for the note that for the six months ending

with July 31, the five or six provincial officers have to their credit 147 convictions. In five cases, three commitments and four cases pending; while the whole force of local inspectors for the entire Province convictions, \$14,828 in fines and seven commitments and four cases pending. Is it possible that these 'whisky informers' are doing their work so well? Certainly it is a legitimate business to attempt to enforce the law against irregular selling, and the men who are doing it in the only way apparently that it can be successfully done ought not to be disgraced. It is almost looks as if the present clamor against the special inspector methods had been instigated by mind; certainly it is that the doing away with these men would be a disaster. It is a disgraceful act by the liquor party. It is also true that if such were done the liquor interests almost to a man would see in it a weakening on the part of the Government that had justly earned their gratitude by its attempt to enforce the law. We believe in 'whisky informers' as long as members of the trade adopt the despicable methods that they do to evade the law."

SMITH-SCOLI

Miss Kate Scoli United in Marriage to Harry Smith.

A very pleasant, though quiet, event took place in this city on Oct. 31, at the residence of Mr. J. E. Scott, Matland street, when his sister-in-law, Miss Kate Scoli was united in the bonds of matrimony to Mr. Harry Smith, of this city.

Only the immediate relatives and a few intimate friends of the bride and groom were present.

At 8 o'clock the bride entered the parlor leaning on the arm of her brother-in-law. The bride and groom were unattended. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Dr. Ross, of St. Andrew's Church. The bride's dress was of cream wool baptiste, and she carried a bouquet of white roses. Her traveling suit was of navy blue cloth with hat to match.

On their return, after Dec. 1, they will be at their home in East London to receive their friends.

The beautiful presents showed the high esteem in which the bride and groom are held.

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An acre of rich land in the parts of Central America suitable for the purpose will yield about 25,000 bananas in a year.

AMERICAN

Chicago's banking district has again assumed normal conditions.

A grand total of about \$270,000,000 a year goes up in the U.S. for tobacco smoke.

Best grade storage eggs were quoted in Chicago yesterday at 18 to 19 cents a dozen.

Miss Pearl Hill, aged 22, committed suicide in a hotel at San Pedro, Cal., by taking carbolic acid.

To avoid vaccination, a number of students in the University of Chicago

leaped from a window in the building, and ran away.

on lumber shipments from California to the east is to go into effect today.

The Hawaii sugar crop for 1907 is the largest in the history of the island, amounting to 420,000 tons.

At Manitowoc, Wis., William Wilda, aged 20, was accidentally shot with Will Hammacheek on a hunting trip.

Because of the discharge of an employee by an overseer, 1,500 operatives struck at the Arlington Mills, Lawrence, Mass.

In New York, Joseph Lawlor, 18 years old, was sentenced to seven

years in the States Prison, for carrying a slun-shot.

The Friend Paper and Tablet Company of West Carrollton O., has gone into the hands of a receiver with liabilities of \$1,000,000.

Patrick McGrath, 32 years old, was struck by a ventilating fan in the basement of a Chicago school, and his scalp torn from his head.

Hugh Thalman, 13, who left his home in Chicago, presumably so he would not have to appear in court as a truant, has not yet been found.

Trustees of the University of Chicago have added \$3,000 to the sub-

scription funds for the Hooper Memorial fund in the past two weeks.

Mrs. Charles Nahlen, of Chicago, deserted by her husband, was found dead in her room from escaping gas. Her pet dog remained dead beside her.

Fifty thousand tons of iron ore, with 75 per cent. of the dock of the Thomas Furnace Company, slid into the Kinnicknick River at Milwaukee.

Three persons were severely injured and a number of others slightly bruised when a Chicago trolley car crashed into an express wagon yesterday.