

COMING EVENTS

DANCING EXHIBITION by pupils of Miss Mildred Sanderson, at the Conservatory of Music, April 24. Proceeds for Red Cross.

BETHEL HALL—Hear Evangelist Geo. T. Pinches of Des Moines, Iowa. Each evening at 8 o'clock. Subject to-night, "The Wealth of Grace." All are invited.

THE BRANTFORD HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY have three hundred extra English roses. Apply to E. C. Kilmer, secretary. 2125

ANNUAL MEETING of the Graduate Nurses Association of Ontario will be held in the Normal School building on April 24th, 1918. Nurses desiring further particulars communicate with Miss Robinson at the Brantford General Hospital.

AT HOME under the auspices of the ladies of St. Basil's Church, in aid of the Decorative Fund. To be held in the Knights' or Columbus club rooms, Colborne St., on Wednesday evening, April 24, at 8 o'clock. Admission 25c.

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DIED

SCOTT—In Brantford on Tuesday April 23rd, Jessie Pringle, wife of F. W. Scott, in 42nd year. Funeral to take place from her late residence 245 Darling St. on Thursday, April 24th, at 3 o'clock. Interment in Mt. Hope cemetery.

MALCOLM—Ottawa, on Monday, April 22nd, Edgar Malcolm, late of Scotland, Ont. The funeral will take place on Thursday April 25th, from the residence of Mrs. Wm. Foster, Scotland. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

WILSON—At his late residence, 10 Bay St. on Tuesday, April 23rd, Philip Wilson in his 82nd year. Funeral will take place on Thursday April 24th, at 2.30 p. m. from above address to Mount Hope cemetery.

SAGE—At Brantford General Hospital on Monday April 22nd, 1918; Amos Sage in his 49th year. Funeral will take place from his late residence 18 Buffalo St. on Wednesday April 24th, at 2.30 p. m. to Mt. Hope cemetery. Members of A. O. F. and Woodmen of the World will be in attendance, and take part in the service.

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NO. 12.
An invitation is extended to all Woodmen to attend the funeral service of our late Bro. Soy Amos Sage, at his late residence, No. 18 Buffalo St. on Wednesday at 2.30 p. m. A. B. Lee, Gen. Com. and S. M. Fry, Clerk.

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COUNCIL GRANTED \$1200 TO G.W.V.A.; FAVORED ALSO APPEAL FOR RED TRIANGLE

Donation to the Palestine Restoration Fund Was Refused by Finance Committee, But Will be Reconsidered—Council Praised Overseas Work of Y.M.C.A.

Financial matters were before the city council in abundance last night, grants being favored, disapproved, and made. A donation from the Rotary Club waited upon the council in the interests of the Y.M.C.A. Red Triangle Fund, asking a grant of \$10,000.00 toward the objective of \$25,000.00, aimed for from Brant county. Although the matter was referred to the finance committee, general consensus of opinion was decidedly in favor of the grant, and there seems every likelihood of the sum asked being granted.

The finance committee in its report rejected the request of the Hebrew Zionists on behalf of the Palestine Restoration Fund. At the request of the mayor, the committee agreed to reconsider the matter, without giving much indication that a different decision would be arrived at. A grant of \$1200.00 was made to the Great War Veterans' Association, opposed only by Ald. Simpson.

The interests of the Red Triangle Fund were laid before the council by a delegation early in the evening.

W. S. Brewster, spokesman for the delegation, explained that a grant was sought, not for the Y.M.C.A. at home, but for the Red Triangle fund, the branch of the Y.M.C.A. which carried on work among the soldiers overseas and in prison camps. He read an appeal from the National Council asking for a sum of \$2,000,000 from Canada. Brant County is being asked for \$25,000.00, of which the county council has already granted \$5,000.00.

This work is being done by the Y.M.C.A. among the soldiers, explained Mr. Brewster. "They were established right from the firing line back through the camps in England and Canada. The work is carried on by the National Council, absolutely independent of the local Y.M.C.A. The morale of the allied forces was maintained in part by this branch of service, which was equally important as any other war work being carried on to-day. The work along the same lines as those for the patriotic fund was to be conducted on May 7, 8 and 9. The shop would not be canvassed for this purpose, however, as the work along had so often been approached for various causes in the past. Oxford county had already given \$18,000.00. If the grant asked would not be financed out of this year's estimates, it might be carried forward to 1919.

A. H. Spence spoke in support of Mr. Brewster, giving Mr. Brewster credit for his presentation of the case. The Red Triangle helped greatly to maintain the morale of the British forces. It was right that posterity should help shoulder the burdens of to-day, and the council grant over into next year's estimates. The French and Italian governments had asked the Red Triangle to carry on its work among their troops.

J. M. Young, read a letter from Gen. E. C. Ashton, adjutant general, expressing appreciation of the services rendered by the Red Triangle in maintaining a high moral tone among the overseas and praising the valor and self-sacrifice of the workers. Had Russia had the Y.M.C.A. work among her soldiers, Dr. John Mott had declared, she would still have been in the light with the allies. The U. S. had raised \$53,000,000.00 in the light of the Red Triangle. The local Rotary Club had undertaken the work for Brant, Norfolk and Oxford counties.

Mr. Brewster explained that the local Rotary Club had undertaken the work for Brant, Norfolk and Oxford counties. "When will you want this money?" inquired the mayor. "Any time during 1918," replied Mr. Brewster.

"It is a matter which should receive our most careful consideration," declared Mayor MacBride. "Majority in Favor."

"As far as I am concerned, I am willing to give the Y.M.C.A. almost anything they want," declared Ald. Hurley.

"Why can't it be settled right here?" demanded Ald. Burrows. "We mustn't rush through a \$10,000 matter without consideration," replied the Mayor.

"We must have both men and money to-day," observed Ald. Hill. "and this is an opportunity for all of us."

"There is not a fair thinking man here to-night who will deny the value of the Red Triangle service," declared Ald. Clement, who stated that he has two nephews engaged in Y.M.C.A. work overseas.

Ald. Harp suggested that the matter be referred to the finance committee. "Why can't it be settled right here?" demanded Ald. Burrows. "We mustn't rush through a \$10,000 matter without consideration," replied the Mayor.

"We should consider these things very fairly," considered Ald. Chalcraft. "This matter should not be settled on the spur of the moment." The request of the delegation was referred to the finance committee. The Committee on Finance reported as follows:

1. That the tender of J. P. Ryan for the printing of 100 copies of auditors' statements for the year 1917 at \$1.19 per page, be accepted. 2. That the communication of Samuel Fox and W. T. Henderson be filed and it is the regret of this Council that the statutes are so worded that there is no provision made for making a grant as they have requested. 3. That the communication of the

FUEL BYLAW WAS PASSED BY COUNCIL

Third Reading Given By-law Which Was Approved by Municipal Board

FUEL MATTERS UP

Motor Truck Purchased for the Delivery of City Wood

TO CULTIVATE LAND

The City Council last night gave the third reading to the by-law authorizing the municipality to enter into the purchase and sale of fuel and food, as authorized by the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board in a hearing in Toronto on Friday last. The purchase of a motor truck for the delivery of wood, and by the city proved a source of some criticism, but was eventually approved. A by-law passed authorizing the city to cultivate all vacant land, or to allot and deliver to persons on such land for their use making application to the purpose of gardening. Payment of \$200 as the first installment on the new motor ambulance was authorized.

Fuel and Food.

The Committee on Food and Fuel submitted the following report:

1. We recommend that repairs be made to the house on the wood lot to the amount of about \$200.

2. We recommend that a small motor truck be purchased for the purpose of wood delivery.

Ald. Clement, B. A. Caspell and the Mayor, together with one member of the Board of Trade and one of the Trades and Labor Council were appointed a fuel commission to enforce the new regulations.

Ald. English inquired what arrangements were being made with regard to the cutting of the wood on the Bell Memorial.

Ald. Montgomery asked to be put to a vote on the purchase of a motor truck for the life boat had been voted for, he had taken mental objection, although expressing no opinion.

"You are discussing matters entirely irrelevant to the matter in hand," observed Mayor MacBride. "I am going to that," declared Ald. English. "I do not intend to reach it without being interrupted by you."

"I intend to maintain order while I presiding officer here," replied Ald. Montgomery. "I order you to take your seat."

Ald. Montgomery obeyed with manifest reluctance, and after the necessity of speaking was to the subject in hand, was allowed to speak again. He disapproved of the purchase of a motor truck by the city, and of a food committee, and passed then to an expression of opinion upon the general fuel situation until he was again ordered to his seat by the Mayor.

"Are you not going to allow me to speak," demanded Ald. Montgomery. "I am not going to let you wander all over the map of Brant county," retorted Ald. Montgomery. "I object to the purchase of this truck," declared Ald. Montgomery.

Economy Urged. Ald. English sounded the need for greater co-operation between the Board of Works and the Fuel and Food Committee, in order to effect a more economical administration of the civic fuel yards.

Ald. Chalcraft laid stress upon the need for economy in all departments, and did not favor the purchase of the truck.

Mayor MacBride suggested that the Board of Works and the Fuel and Food Committee, hold a joint conference on the matter on Thursday night next.

The Fuel and Food Committee, thus far has been self sustaining," pointed out Ald. Clement, expressing the opinion that the city was doing well, administering the fuel business at cost, and being able to write off the cost of equipment.

The report carried with Ald. Montgomery, Mellen, Chalcraft and Harp voting nay.

Ald. Symons and Chalcraft reported that they had waited upon the Merchants' Club in the interests of a half holiday during the summer months for the retail clerks of the city.

Cultivate Waste Land. A by-law introduced by Ald. Mellen authorizes the city to cultivate vacant land within the city, and to sell the produce raised; also to allot such land to persons making application. The by-law carried after receiving its three readings.

"The Thrift League does not intend to take any property from any persons intending to use it," explained Ald. Mellen. "But merely to cultivate land which would be otherwise lying idle."

Ald. Harp substantiated this. Fixed Assessment. The by-law giving the Dominion Steel Products a fixed assessment of \$100,000.00 for eight years, was given its third reading and passed.

The by-law authorizing the city to buy and sell fuel, and to borrow the sum of \$25,000.00 for these purposes, as approved by the Ontario and Municipal Board in Toronto last week, was also given its third reading and passed.

Measures to place a tax upon bill boards within the city were promised by Ald. Harp and Ald. Bragg, and will likely be introduced at the next meeting, after a joint meeting be-

tween the finance and buildings and grounds committees. The Gould Leslie Company was given permission to erect a fence about the Waterous property on the corner of Queen and Darling streets, where the civic coal is being stored. Ald. Harp explained that the fence would protect the coal stored there, and would be erected by the company without cost to the city.

Ald. Montgomery introduced a motion some five feet in length, petitioning the Ontario Government to appoint a consulting gas engineer for the province. Copies of the petition will be sent to other municipalities concerned in the gas question. The motion carried.

New Caretaker. The Buildings and Grounds committee reported as follows:

1. That the resignation of Walter Podd as caretaker of the Bell Memorial, be accepted, and that the application of M. H. Ward be accepted.

Board of Works. The Board of Works reported as follows:

1. That in connection with the laying out of the streets, curb and walks on the west side of West St. opposite the Bell Memorial, and the roadway joining West St. and Albion St., following the outer line of the sidewalk parallel to the Grace Church property line as shown on the original plan of Dunnington.

2. It is the purpose of the Board to go on their annual round some day during the present week.

3. In order that the 19 H.P. gas engine at the Sewage Pumping Station may be fitted for operation on either gasoline or gas fuel, the Board authorized to install:

1. Webster low tension, make and break ignition system, with necessary attachments for connecting to the gas engine.

2. Combination gas and gasoline pump with ten gallons gasoline tank and pipe connections. Price complete \$91.50.

4. That the application of Schultz Bros. Co., Limited of April 17 for erection of garage 19 ft x 22 feet, at No. 66 William St., be granted, the Chief of the Fire Dept. having reported this does not increase the fire risk and that City Engineer be instructed to issue permit for same.

Bel Memorial Matters. Ald. Chalcraft inquired if Clause one of the cutting off of the sharp point at Nelson street.

Ald. English—It does not. Ald. Chalcraft—Then I must object to this report.

Mayor MacBride asked Ald. English to explain to the council the true state of affairs.

"This has nothing whatever to do with the Nelson street point," declared Ald. Boddy. "But it will tend to widen the street."

Ald. Kelly, who had been the first to register objection to the site, declared himself satisfied that action was being taken to widen the street.

Ald. English, with the aid of blue prints, explained that the matter now in hand was the curbing along the north side of West street, between Pearl and Albion, and not the point of intersection so often discussed.

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