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AMONG THE GUESTS

Among the guests who attended the wedding mentioned yesterday, of Daniel Carter, of Brantford, and Miss Lizzie Johns, of this city, at the residence of Louis Wangelheim, were the following: Mrs. Johns and daughters, Jessie and Mary; sons George, Roy, Freddie and Harry, of this city; Mrs. I. Martin, of Benneville; Mrs. Fred Miller, of Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Johns, of Hamilton; Mr. and Mrs. Ne-thecliffe and daughter, Viola; Miss Maud Williamson, Miss Annette, Miss Wedge, of Benneville; Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Wanless and daughter Grace, and A. Ritchie, of Raleigh. The groom was assisted by Ernest Kelly, and the bride by her sister, Miss M. Johns.

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THEY MET AND KICKED Aldermen had Many Grievances

WHICH THEY AIRD AT THE COUNCIL MEETING—ALD. LIDDY PUTS A NUMBER OF TROUBLESOME QUESTIONS.

It evidently required considerable time for the august aldermanic representatives of the City of Chatham to recover from their Labor Day celebration, as it was nearly 8.30 o'clock last night before a quorum could be obtained. When seats were finally taken, there were present besides the Mayor, Aldermen Stephens, McKeough, McKeough, Marshall, Fleming, and Liddy.

When the ordinary preface was over the reading of the accounts and communications occupied the attention of the council and everything went smoothly until the account from the Board of Health of \$60 for the expenses of the delegates to the convention of Medical Health Officers at Kingston was received. When the amount was heard, murmurs of disapproval ran along the row of aldermen, and the Mayor said:—

"When I learned that the board contemplated sending representatives to the association this year, I told them plainly that I did not approve of it. I said that the convention was poorly attended and I have no doubt that other cities besides Chatham are awakening to the inadvisability of going to such needless expense. In spite of my protest he representative were sent. The council is compelled by law to pay the requisitions of the board of health, so our hands are tied."

Ald. Stephens—Since we are helpless, I will move that the account be paid. Ald. Liddy—Don't you think, Your Worship, that one delegate would have been sufficient? His Worship—I think, Ald. Liddy, that none would have been better. The bill was finally passed.

COMMUNICATIONS. A petition was received from residents on Park, Hyslop and Dege streets and Park Avenue, praying that an electric light be placed at the corner of Park and Hyslop streets. Referred to Property Committee.

W. H. Irwin asked that he be paid for a rig (which he furnished for the parade on July 1st, 1899). Referred to Property Committee.

Joseph Kime, Jr. asked for permission to trim trees. Referred to Chief of Police.

A petition was received for a plank walk on the north side of Harvey street, from Lacroix street to Inches avenue. Referred to City Clerk.

Another petition was read for a plank walk on the south side of Hyslop street, from Lacroix street to St. Clair street. This was referred to the City Clerk, who, if it be sufficiently signed, will hand it over to the City Engineer to report upon.

The Agricultural Society asked for permission to use the watering carts for advertising purposes. Granted. The Excelsior Band want the use of a room in the market building to practice in. Their request was granted on condition that they be regarded as monthly tenants.

John Cummings and about twenty other residents on or near St. George street, petitioned the council for an electric light near the G. T. R. crossing on St. George street. At present in the absence of a light, this crossing is an exceedingly dangerous one. His Worship, who is well acquainted with the circumstances, referred the matter to the Property Committee with a request for prompt action.

Calixte Bechar, proprietor of the Aberdeen House, wrote stating that there is no public watering place for the horses in North Chatham, and he is badly needed, and Mr. Bechar is willing to erect one near his hotel if the council will give him permission to do so. Referred to Board of Works.

Chief Jacques called attention to the unsatisfactory alarm system by telephone at Henry Weaver's store, on Park street. On August 21st, when Mr. Weaver's house took fire early in the morning, he could not wake up the inmates of Mr. Weaver's residence so as to get the phone and was obliged to run two blocks to a box. The same thing occurred at the Drinkwater fire. A box is badly needed in that locality. The property committee will investigate this matter.

OUT FOR INDUCEMENTS. The following letter, the contents of which are very important, was received by Mayor Smith from E. Livingston, dealer in lumber, rollers, hoops, heading, handles, etc., of Byth, Ont.: Byth, Ont., Aug. 29, 1900. Dear Sir:—Our mill and factory were destroyed by fire on the morning of August 22nd, and as we intend

to rebuild, I write you to ask what inducements your town would offer, including a building suitable for a factory which would employ say 25 hands permanently.

Our goods have been well introduced and are greatly in demand, so that once established in a live town with good shipping facilities, the industry would without question be permanent. Trusting you will give the matter due consideration, I am, yours respectfully,

E. LIVINGSTONE.

In referring this letter to the Finance Committee for action, the Mayor said:—I hope that the Finance Committee will deal with Mr. Livingston's communication promptly and wisely. The city should get a move on capture some of these manufacturing concerns which are anxious to locate here. There are enough empty stores and houses in this town now. We are going behind all the time, and we will never go in any other direction until we get some good manufacturing concerns to locate here. Where the vital interests of our city are concerned we should not be backward in putting our hands in the pockets. We have been told that housing is illegal but other places do it, and I have been assured by members of the Ontario cabinet that the government will not interfere. Therefore let us bump ourselves and do something and do it quickly.

OFFER HIM \$15.

His Worship read a note from Ald. Same, in which the Alderman stated that he had been suddenly called to Ridgeway, owing to the illness of his brother. Regarding this communication, the Alderman stated that he had been called down on Colborne street, Ald. Same wrote that he thought that it would be best for the city to settle for a tree and fix up the matter as amicably as possible. He would be in favor of granting Mr. Stringer \$15.

His Worship—Let us settle this business right here and now. Ald. Stephens—Don't desire to say anything as his relative is interested, but I would like an expression of opinion from other aldermen.

Ald. Stephens—I think that if \$15 will satisfy the parties interested it should be paid. If they hang out for a larger sum let the finance committee make what arrangements they see fit. This tree has caused enough of trouble and ill-feeling. I will move that \$15 be offered in compensation to Mr. Stringer.

Ald. Stephens—I second the motion. Ald. Liddy—Do you think, your worship, that the city should pay for a tree which was cut down by the L. E. D. R. Co. who had the knowledge of the council? Some time ago Mr. Britton appeared in the police court to answer to the charge of having cut down a tree without permission. Ald. Liddy—The Chief of Police. Whoever cut that tree down should pay for it.

Ald. McKeough—I understand that the Chief gave permission. The city should have paid for it. Ald. Liddy—I would like to inform Ald. McKeough that the Chief of Police had no power to give permission without authority from the council.

The Mayor—What remedy do you propose, Ald. Liddy? Ald. Liddy—Let the people who destroyed this tree be tried in exactly the same manner as Mr. Britton.

The Mayor—If we go into litigation you all know what the result will be. It will cost more than \$15 to take our names into court and it is very likely to cost us more than \$500 to take them out again. The council has got a bad enough name now and it is very likely to cost us more than \$500 to take them out again.

Ald. McKeough—I second the motion, knowing how expensive it would be if we took the case to the law. The council want this disagreeable incident to be wiped out of the citizens' memory.

City Clerk Merritt consulted the by-law and found that the council had power to pay for the tree.

Ald. McKeough's motion was put and carried.

FINANCE REPORT. Ald. Stephens, on behalf of the finance committee, introduced the following report:—

Re communication of Chas. H. Bedford in reference to rebate on taxes, we recommend no action.

Re letter from J. J. Graham, asking for exemption from taxes on the property formerly owned by the late W. H. Tighe, your committee would recommend that the property be exempted from taxes for the term of five years, if owned by the said R. J. Graham and used for an evaporating factory, providing he pays out of the city of Chatham at least \$5,000 per year for fruit and labor.

We recommend that the taxes on the Athletic grounds for the years 1899 and 1900 be paid, as we understand that there was an agreement with the city to that effect. (With drawn).

Your committee have looked carefully into the matter of H. Snell in reference to measurement of a drain in front of his property and find that the matter was investigated at the court of revision, thus leaving the city council no power to act, as his only remedy was an appeal to the county judge.

Adopted with the exception of the third clause.

DOESN'T WANT THE FACTORY. When Ald. Liddy learned the terms which the finance committee proposed to make with R. J. Graham he objected to them on the ground that the city should not exempt any buildings which Mr. Graham might erect on the Tighe property. He was in favor of naming a limit.

Ald. McKeough was strongly in favor of getting Graham on the conditions laid down by the committee.

Ald. Liddy—What do you want to bring in another evaporating concern for when we've already got one? I refer to Mahler Bros.

Ald. Stephens—Their factory is outside the city limits.

Ald. Liddy—I don't care. They employ a good many hands from the city.

Ald. Stephens—Mr. Mahler asked me the other day if the council would grant him the same concessions as Mr. Graham is receiving should he build a factory in North Chatham. I told

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him that we would. Aldermen in chorus—Hear, hear! The clause in Ald. Stephens' report relating to the remission of the taxes on the Athletic Park provoked considerable discussion. It was asserted that the city was to have the use of the park free for one day each year.

Several of the aldermen asserted that the proceeds on the night of Dominion Day were to go to the city. Ald. McKeough said that he understood that they amounted to \$275, but no one had heard of the city treasurer receiving any of the coin.

Ald. Stephens read the communication in reference to the subject, which had been received from the Athletic Association. It was signed by F. F. Quinn as president and W. A. Hadley as secretary.

After many more words had been expended, Ald. Stephens withdrew the clause and the finance committee will make further enquiries.

Amid the silence which followed while Ald. Stephens made a note in his committee book, the voice of Ald. McKeough was heard exclaiming, breathlessly, "Oh! I say, hadn't we better tell the Athletic Association not to pay those taxes in the meantime?"

Ald. Stephens—You needn't be alarmed about that. There is not much danger.

BOARD OF WORKS. Chairman McKeough reported for the board of works as follows:—

That we recommend the acceptance of Messrs. Blight & Fielder's tender for the construction of the Wellington street sewer at \$83.50, it being the lowest tender received.

That we have accepted the tender of Andrew Harber for cleaning out the matchholes at \$25, it being the lowest tender received.

In regard to the petition of ratepayers on Lacroix street, to place the sidewalk on the west side of the street, we have ascertained by a counter petition and by personal enquiry from the ratepayers that the majority of the property owners opposite to whose property the sidewalk is to be laid, desire a walk on the outside of the trees; and we recommend that the by-law, be not altered.

That the applications of Westmore and Fisher for inspectors of King street pavement were duly considered, and that they were each offered the job at \$2 per day, but refused to work for less than \$2.25, and that we appointed Thos Stanton as inspector of the work at \$2 per day.

We recommend that the petition of Alister McKay and others to delay the construction of the grandwalk on William street between Witherspoon and Wade streets for a year or two be granted, without prejudice to the city's right to proceed with the work whenever they see fit, under the initiative proceedings already taken.

Residents on Forsythe street asked through Ald. McKeough that their street be sprinkled. Owing to the blocking of King street the traffic on Forsythe is now very heavy and the dust so caused is most annoying. The council will see that the street is watered.

ABOUT CITY INSPECTORS. Ald. Liddy—I would like to ask the chairman of the board of works how many paid engineers, inspectors and foremen he

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has on the King street job. Ald. McKeough—(Impressively) One city engineer, one foreman, one inspector. Ald. Liddy claimed that there were five.

"What is more," he continued, "you've got an inspector on the work of cleaning out the manholes when the job itself is worth only \$25."

Ald. McKeough—Every work which is done should be inspected.

Ald. Liddy—Foreman LeBar should be capable of inspecting a \$25 job and the city engineer should be able to look after all the work on King street.

The Mayor—The property owners on King street asked that an inspector should be appointed and they have to pay for all the inspectors for whom they ask.

Ald. McKeough—It may interest Ald. Liddy to know that there will be an inspection of granolithic walks, an inspector on the Wellington street sewer and another of the brick on King street. The people on these streets will pay for all of them.

Where more Ald. Liddy can rest assured that not a single work will be done this year which is not inspected.

Ald. Liddy—Who inspected the work on Sheldon avenue?

Ald. McKeough—Foreman LeBar and the city engineer.

Ald. Liddy—Sarcasmatically—They made an elegant job of it.

Still keeping up the fun Ald. Liddy asked why the L. E. & D. R. Co. had put the siding into their yards across Prince street, before as had been agreed upon, they had given a guarantee to the council that they would take up certain portions of the track on Colborne street.

It appeared that although the by-law authorizing the putting in of the siding had not been passed, the work had been done.

Mayor Smith said that shortly after the last council meeting Mr. Tilson told him that he had received a letter from Mr. Woollett in which the manager had stated that the company would take up the Colborne street track as far east as Mr. Couzen's place. The Mayor had told Mr. Tilson that he wanted the assurance in writing and also that he was not to proceed with the Prince street siding until that promise was produced. He did not know that the siding had been put in. He thought, however, that the company would keep the agreement.

Ald. Fleming—We won't pass the by-law until they do.

Ald. Marshall—Mr. Tilson informed me on Saturday that the company would do as the council desired.

The Mayor brought up the subject of the complaints which the colored laborers are alleged to be making that they are unable to obtain their fair share of the city work especially on King street. He had seen it in one of the city papers. It was soon shown that the article in question was groundless as Lynch & Lynch are employing several colored men and say that they are the best they have.

Ald. McKeough moved that initiative proceedings be taken in the construction of a plank walk on the south side of Selkirk street from Victoria avenue to Elizabeth street and a granolithic walk on the south side of Head street from Kent to Barth.

Carried.

Accounts Passed. Geo. Jamieson \$1.50. G. N. W. Telegraph Co. 35c. J. H. Blackburn \$2. Expenses of Dr. Hall and R. S. Dunlop, delegates of local board of health to health officers' convention at Kingston, \$60. Blight & Fielder \$350. Lynch & Lynch \$152.40. Day sheets \$658.92. E. Kemp \$2.25. Thos. Stanton \$3.25. E. Reardon & Sons \$20. Geo. Webber \$9. W. A. Dumont \$8.75. Peter McMillan \$9.75. Wm. M. Mercer (supply market clerk) \$5. John Tucker (supply fireman) \$35.42. Electric Light Department (coal) \$107.78. Johnson Electric Co. \$14. Dominion Express Co. 40c. McKeough & Trotter \$18.13. Geo. Stephens & Co. \$14.16. Mrs. Smith (laundry) \$2.

Accounts Referred. John Hendershott \$4. E. Reardon & Sons \$36. C. P. K. Co. \$2.30. D. W. Croze (sand) \$31.48.

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PHANTOM FOR SALE—Cost \$100, will be sold cheap—Address P. O. Box 511, or apply at the Planet Office.

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