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GREATER PUBLICITY IN RELIGIOUS WORK CALLED NECESSITY

Urged on Presbyterian Council
—Assembly Plans Made.

Much important business was transacted at a largely-attended meeting of the London Presbyterian Council held last evening in St. Andrew's Church, with the president, Thomas Baty, in the chair. Attention was first given to arrangements for the coming of the general assembly in June. Rev. W. M. Martin, clerk of the London Presbytery, was appointed to take general charge of arrangements, and associated with him will be the following committees:

Finance—A. E. Silverwood, John Macpherson, W. J. Snellgrove, Geo. M. Reid, John A. Campbell, William Michael, C. W. Summers, T. Baty and George Cairncross.
Bible—Morley Adams, James A. MacFarlane, Vivian Reese, Parr.
Entertainment—Mayor C. R. Somerville, J. C. Hume, Walter E. Gunn, A. E. Silverwood, J. H. Laughton.
Pulpit supply—Revs. W. R. McIntosh and W. J. Knox.

Church Publicity.
J. H. Laughton, president of the Men's Union of St. Andrew's Church, gave an address on "Church Publicity," advocating bringing more prominently before the public the religious work that is being done in the city and community, with a view to interesting and reaching the public. In this connection, he told of work being done by the St. Andrew's Union along the lines of giving publicity to religious work. The council heartily endorsed the ideas suggested by Mr. Laughton, and asked that the Men's Union continue the work and bring a definite proposal re church publicity before the council at a later date.

Fin. Report.
A most encouraging report was presented from Chelsea Green congregation, which is asking to be raised to the status of an ordained missionary congregation. The council heartily endorsed the report. Notwithstanding war conditions the contributions have been more liberal and splendid progress has been shown in the Sunday school department. Much respect was expressed to Mr. J. R. Harris, who has had charge of the congregation for the past six months, is leaving to accept an appointment for military Y. M. C. A. work at Parry Sound. He is asking to be released by the beginning of April.
The re-election of officers for the coming year, including the president, T. Baty, and secretary, R. D. Millar, concluded the business.

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COUNCIL BANS CLOSED STALLS IN RESTAURANTS

Question Caused Warm Debate at Last Night's Meeting.

WILL SPEND \$301,551

New Pavements To Be Laid
Will Cost the Property
Owners \$217,957.

The city council at its session last evening passed a bylaw prohibiting stalls in restaurants. The question caused a considerable amount of discussion, much confusion and several motions before it was finally passed. J. B. McKillop, crown attorney, and W. R. Meredith represent the Chinese restaurant-keepers, and asked that the matter be laid over.

They pointed out that the keepers had removed the curtains, put in glass and had made them visible from the streets. The only complaint was that undesirable women went into these places. There was no charge of immorality in these places, and no record of girls being led astray. The morals of the girls of the city were protected.

Entails Hardship.
The Chinese vice-consul had interested himself in the matter, and Mr. McKillop suggested that the matter be laid over until such a time as the vice-consul could meet the committee and talk it over. The passing of the bylaw would entail much hardship on the owners.

Ald. Watt suggested that the matter go back to the committee for readjustment. Ald. Wilson wanted the front partitions removed. Other suggestions were made, but the bylaw was finally passed and was confirmed.

R. C. Struthers & Co. wrote saying that, as the firm was one of the 1,800 customers of the London Electric Company, it desired protection. The city was spending \$100,000 on a building when others could have been rented at one-quarter the cost, and there should be no hesitation in paying \$100,000 for the London Electric, in case there was no other way out of it. The plant could be operated until the 1,800 customers were supplied with hydro. The users of direct current could be supplied from the wires of the London Street Railway without putting the customers to the expense of changing motors. The letter was laid over for further consideration.

Tell of Conference.
Ald. Wilson and Ald. Keene presented a report of the proceedings at the conference with the cabinet ministers at Ottawa in regard to the nationalization of railways.

Mayor Somerville and Ald. S. R. Manne were appointed delegates to go to Toronto at the meeting to be held there on March 12, to discuss the nationalization of the C. N. R. and G. T. R.

Archie Black and the temporary assessors asked for an increase in salary. The matter was sent to No. 1 committee.

Ald. Manne wanted to know if any work had been received from Hon. Thomas Crothers, minister of labor, relative to granting certain power to Inspector McCallum to inspect cold-storage, etc. Mayor Somerville stated that no word had been received from Mr. Crothers.

Still Have \$2,700.
Ald. Wilson presented a motion that the city engineer be asked to inspect the West London breakwater from Blackfriars Bridge to Dundas street, to report on its condition, and on the feasibility of raising it two or three feet. He explained that the sum of \$2,700 remained in the estimates for completion of the breakwater, and this could be utilized for this purpose. He further called attention to the amount of water on the Wharfedale road in West London. These matters were sent to No. 1 committee.

Ald. Moorhead had a motion asking the city engineer to co-operate with the utilities commission for the purpose of supplying water to the number of householders who could not get a supply because of frozen pipes. He considered that co-operation between the departments would be helpful. The motion was passed.

On motion of Ald. Wilson and Controller Merryfield, a resolution of condolence to the family of Samuel Screaton was passed by a standing vote.

Firemen's Holidays.

Ald. Huxley called attention to the fact that the request of the firemen for holidays from May to September, three men being allowed off at a time, had not been dealt with. Captain J. Mitchell explained that the men were given their holidays two at a time, with the result that the holidays were spread over from March to December, many of them having them at a most inconvenient season. It was necessary to have prompt action on the question, as the holidays start on March 9. On motion of Ald. Huxley, the request of the men was granted, provided No. 1 committee and Fire Chief Aiken could make arrangements for spare men.

Ald. Keene asked whether or not there was a bylaw prohibiting the sale of groceries and canned goods in the market-house, and was informed that there was such a bylaw.

Will Cost \$301,551.
A resolution was passed providing for pavements to cost \$301,551.80, of which the property owners' share would be \$217,957, and the city's share \$83,594.80. The curbs and gutters passed in addition would cost \$21,102.88, of which the city's share would be \$1,450.22, and the property owners' share being \$234,609.66, and the city's share \$88,045.02. These improvements will not be undertaken now, but will give the engineer plenty of time to have the underground work done, such as laying water mains, gas mains, etc.

The council recommended that J. W. Leach, Guelph, be appointed a senator for Canada, to represent the hydro-electric interests.

Much routine business was disposed of.

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FORMER LONDONER NAMED AS G. T. R. FREIGHT AGENT

Comes Back From Stratford to Take Local Office.

Hugh McDougall, for some years in charge of the freight department at Stratford, has been appointed head of the local G. T. R. freight office, to succeed G. M. Hayes, who was promoted to the position of freight agent at Hamilton.

The appointment of Mr. McDougall has been under consideration since the transfer of Mr. Hayes to Hamilton. He began his career 25 years ago as office boy in the local freight department. Born in this city, he resided here until ten years ago, when he was transferred to another division. Since then he has occupied important positions in freight departments at various G. T. R. railroad centres in Western Ontario.

Before his departure for Hamilton Mr. Hayes was honored by the office staff of the freight shed and the checkers, handlers and office staff of the Shelden Forwarding Company.

The presentation of a cut glass vase and mirror, a brass smoking set, and a box of cigars was made. Speeches were made during the presentation by Thomas Gray, of the Shelden Forwarding Company, and John Toutt, foreman of the freight shed.

A suitable reply in which he thanked those present for their kindness was made by Mr. Hayes.

SMALLMAN & INGRAM

Easter Is Very Early This
Year—March 31st.

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Early Easter This Spring.
Are You Ready?



You are cordially invited to be present at our introductory EXHIBITION OF SPRINGTIME FASHIONS

WEDNESDAY morning, after many months of preparation, it is our pleasure to announce the Spring display and to summon all who appreciate the fine distinctions in fashions to survey these latest, authoritative modes. With Paris no longer five safe days' journey removed from our shores, with almost incredible difficulties to handicap that shrine of style inspiration, with many of the designers in the trenches and fabric production limited, it has meant a very literal interpretation of the policy of this store to recognize only styles of approved excellence—and so we have sought the masters of our own greatest fashion centre, who with Parisian co-operation have achieved a fashion leadership.

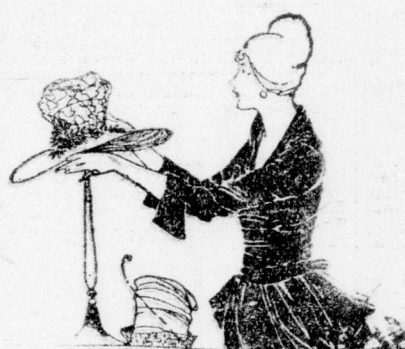
Tomorrow, and every day this week, this store will hold a reception that its friends and patrons may benefit. In every section devoted to the appareling of women, misses, girls and infants, as well as boys and men, the established, refined and beautiful modes for Spring now have their formal showing. It is scarcely necessary to note the importance of an early viewing, as Easter is only a few weeks ahead.

Millinery :: The Opening :: Tomorrow



HE ACCEPTED MODES in millinery and the many delightful variations of style, trimmings and accessories, will be exhibited tomorrow. The season of the spring of 1918 comes at a time in the history of the world when the source of all millinery inspiration is keyed to a pitch of energy, production and inventiveness never before reached. New York, therefore, is magnificently before our eyes in her stress, as well as her wealth of fashion genius. Her charm, her skill, will be generously on display tomorrow, and New York is inspired from Paris, interpreting in harmony of colorings, richness of material and supremacy of style, the dominant trend of advance spring millinery fashions.

SECOND FLOOR.



Suits, Coats and Frocks

Here, last week, saw the launching of the modes that are destined to rule in the fashion world of discriminating women.

With this spring month begins in earnest the business of assembling the new season's wardrobe.

Notable groups of apparel are especially featured in these sections, that stand in readiness to meet every demand—whether the decision is bounded by price or no limitation in expenditure is made.

The very frocks women want for choosing now, to start the season bright.

SECOND FLOOR.

"Beauty and Conservation in Dress"

This will be the topic for Mrs. Blair's lecture tomorrow—a most appealing subject at this time, is it not?

The "Health" lecture was most enthusiastically received yesterday, and will be repeated later in the week. Watch for announcement.

Today's subject, "Manicuring and the Care of the Skin"—this is said to be one of Mrs. Blair's best subjects, and will certainly appeal to all women. Mrs. Blair will tell you how today.

Select Styles in Spring Blouses

Exquisite Blouses which the new season crowns supreme—beautiful originalities in georgette with a selection of tuckings, hand embroidery and beaded, and are designed to meet the more particular semi-dress requirements. All the new spring suit colors and artful combinations in charming contrasts are represented.

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