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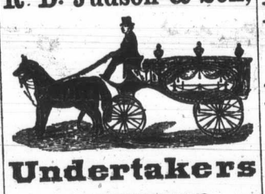

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The Incorporation of Farmersville.

Editor of REPORTER:

DEAR SIR,—After the result of the voting on the money by-law became known, the question most frequently asked on our streets was this: "Had we not better incorporate the village?" In company with many others, I think the true interests of Farmersville would be best promoted by answering this question in the affirmative and then acting upon it promptly. As to the steps necessary to be taken to bring about so desirable an end, I cannot do better than quote 46 Vic., chap. 13, sec. 9, which enacts as follows:—

"When the census returns of an unincorporated village, with its immediate neighborhood, taken under the direction of the Council or Councils of the County or Counties in which the village and its neighborhood are situate, show that the same contains over 750 inhabitants, and when the residences of such inhabitants are sufficiently near to form an incorporated village, then, on petition by not less than 100 resident freeholders and householders of the village and neighborhood, of whom not fewer than one-half shall be freeholders, the Council or Councils of the County or Counties in which the village and neighborhood are situate shall by by-law erect the village and neighborhood into an incorporated village, apart from the township or townships in which the same are situate, by a name and with boundaries to be respectively declared in the by-law, and shall name in the by-law the place for holding the first election, and the Returning Officer who is to hold the same."

I shall briefly point out some of the advantages which would result from incorporation. In the first place we would have five councillors resident in the village, whose duty and aim it would be to legislate for the best interests of the village. All must admit that the village has for the last few years been wholly neglected by that august body the Municipal Council of Rear of Yonge and Escott. For instance, look at the town hall, the interior of which in such a dilapidated condition as to be unfit for public use. I am told that the village cows sought shelter in the council room during the coldest nights of the winter. The village road tax, amounting to over $500 annually, has not been judiciously expended; if it had been our side-walks would be in better repair. A village council could remedy existing abuses in this connection. Following incorporation, precautionary measures against fire would be adopted, and appliances would be secured to subdue any fire which might, unfortunately, break out. As we pay one-third of the expenses of the municipal government of the township, our taxes in respect of the municipal government of the village, under incorporation, would not be any more than we pay now. With a village council our streets would be kept neat and clean and free from obstructions. A uniform system of building sidewalks would also be adopted, and the walks kept free from snow. Then the council might substantially encourage the planting of shade trees, and in this and all other efforts to improve the village they would be backed up by all good citizens, the universal desire among the villagers being to make Farmersville one of the most beautiful little towns in the Province, thus attracting tourists in large numbers, a result which the proximity of Charleston Lake and railway communication render possible of attainment. I trust, Mr. Editor that others will use the columns of the REPORTER and point out more clearly than I can the advantages to be derived from incorporation. Yours respectfully,

CITIZEN.

THE B. AND W. RAILWAY.

The bill introduced in the Local Legislature, in the interests of Mr. Hervey, amending the charter of the B., W. & S. S. Railway, was withdrawn, excepting the clause giving the company power to construct a branch line to Lyndhurst, Morton and Jones Falls. But since the negotiations regarding the handing over of a portion of the municipal bonuses to pay off the debts contracted since September last, another clause has been added to the bill, providing that the councils in those municipalities, which have granted bonuses to the road, may, if they so wish, authorize the trustees appointed to have charge of the bonds, to turn over a portion of them to the railway company, before the road is fully finished and equipped, as required by the bonus by-laws, which provide that no portion of the bonus shall be payable until the road is completed and put in running order from Brockville to Westport. The company had become financially embarrassed, and the only hope of a large portion of the indebtedness being paid was in the municipalities coming to the help of the company and granting them the right to dispose of a portion of the bonuses. We understand that the money received on these bonuses can only be paid over on the condition that the debts contracted subsequent to the 1st of September last are paid in full, the balance, if any, to go to the contractor, Mr. Hervey. In connection with this arrangement an agreement was entered into whereby a committee was appointed who have power to hand over the money granted, only when they are satisfied that those debts have been cancelled. The worst feature of the whole case is the failure of the company or the custodians of the bonuses to make any provision for the payment of the old debts incurred by contractors prior to the first of September last. Hundreds of hard working mechanics, tradesmen and laborers have been kept out of their honest dues for months, and under the present arrangement the prospect of their ever getting anything is very small indeed.

THE FARMERS' INSTITUTE.

A meeting of the Brockville E. D. Farmers' Institute will be held in the lecture room of the High School, Farmersville, on Monday, April 2nd.

There will be two sessions, commencing at 2 and 7.30 p.m., respectively.

Prof. Robertson, of Guelph Agricultural College, will be present and deliver an address on "The production and care of milk," in the afternoon, and on "The education of the Farmer," at the evening meeting. The following gentlemen are expected to be present and lead the discussion on subjects allotted to them, viz.:—Martin K. Everetts, Eastons Corners, "The growth and importance of our Cheese Industry;" W. Stafford, Lyn, "Underdraining;" N. H. Fields, Lyn, "The importance of manufacturing a fancy article of Cheese;" F. H. McCrea, Brockville, "Holsteins;" W. H. McNish, Lyn, "Swine;" John Forth, Unionville, "Fat Cattle;" F. L. Moore, Addison, "Bees, as a scource of profit to the Farmer;" C. Johnson, Elbe Mills, "The Horse for this country;" Jas. Neilson, Lyn, "Sheep;" Alex. Thomson, Caintown, "Care of milk for Dairy purposes;" Israel Stevens, Delta, "Jersey's as milk producers;" M. J. Connolley, Caintown, "Things in general;" D. Derbyshire, Brockville, "Fancy Creamery Butter."

The Farmersville Orchestra have kindly consented to be present at the evening session, to which the ladies are cordially invited.

The B. & W. R. R. will run special excursion trains from Brockville and Lyn on that day, and arrangements are in progress for a train from Newboro and Delta. Full particulars will be given in our next issue.

WM. NEILSON, President. B. LOVERIN, Sec.-Treas.