

FORTY-FOURTH YEAR

BOARD OF EDUCATION PLAN TO BE DECIDED BY VOTE

Ald Spence Introduces Measure at City Council Meeting for an Entirely Elective Board to Run School Affairs in the City

Brantford ratepayers will have the opportunity of voting on the principle of an elective board of education for the entire city at the municipal election in January. At the City Council meeting last night a by-law received two readings, and if the ratepayers approve of the same it will be given the third reading by the council of 1914 and come into operation in 1915.

The by-law sweeps aside the two school boards of the city, the Collegiate Institute and Public School Board, and amalgamates the two into one body. Under the new measure nine members are to be elected, not by wards but by the city generally.

Ald. Spence introduced it. It has long been urged in municipal circles and Ald. Spence was generally commended by the aldermen for giving the ratepayers an opportunity, at least of passing their opinion by vote upon the new scheme.

Business Still Keeps Up With The Pace

Frank Clawsey, a resident of the Holmstead, faced five charges in the police court this morning. On two charges of theft, the evidence did not substantiate the charge, and he was honorably acquitted.

On a charge of stealing eight pairs of blankets, the property of the Slingsby Mfg. Co., Clawsey entered a plea of not guilty, and told the court that he had found the blankets near the Slingsby property.

A local young man gave evidence to the effect that he had seen Clawsey near the Slingsby factory on one occasion, and the prisoner had asked him to come and see what he had found. Clawsey took the witness to a place behind the factory and after pulling back a big pile of brush showed him a roll of blankets.

Clawsey claimed that he had discovered the blankets by pure accident, and informed the court that if

Some Interesting Notes Of City Council Session

The secretary of the Trades and Labor Council asked for an investigation into the collapse of Rawdon Street Methodist Church. It was desired to find out where the responsibility for such a collapse rested.

The warden of Oxford asked for representatives of the city at Guelph Tuesday to consider the proposal to establish a prison farm. Ald. Charlton, Suddaby, Minshall, McFarland and Ward were named as a committee and they left this morning for the conference.

The Ontario Motor League expressed a desire to supply signs on the outskirts of the city announcing to outside motorists that Brantford's speed limit was 15 miles per hour. The idea was to avoid accidents, incidentally fines and convictions although it was not so stated.

Ald. Ward moved for a resolution that the township council be written regarding condition of dyke just south of city on Grand River calling attention to fact that if water breaks through thousands of dollars worth of property will be imperilled and dyke prevention in city rendered useless. Ald. Suddaby said he had received solemn assurances from the

ULSTER READY TO REPUDIATE AND RESIST IF IRISH HOME RULE BILL BECOMES A LAW



SIR EDWARD HENRY CARSON, LORD LONDONDERRY, MARQUIS OF ABERCORN

The embryo "Parliament of Ulster," at present known under the title of the Ulster Unionist Council, assembled to the number of 600 in Ulster Hall, in Belfast, Ireland, to discuss the project for the provisional government of the province in the event of home rule for Ireland becoming law.

Sir Edward Carson, leader of the Ulster unionists, all the Irish unionist members of the House of Commons, the Marquis of Abercorn and many other peers and representatives from all parts of the province of Ulster attended.

A Concession Has Been Made

LONDON, Sept. 30.—The very important concession was made by the British Admiralty day of officially recognizing trade unions. In reply to the demands of the dock yard men the Admiralty agreed heretofore in the event of disputes, to meet deputations of the workmen either in London or at the dock yards. It also not only accorded permission to the men in government employ to select their own representatives from the dock yards but will allow them to be accompanied by trades union leaders not employed in the dock yards.

HOME RULE IS VERY MUCH IN DOUBT

Sir Edward Carson Makes a Statement About Ulster. But There Are Very Great Difficulties in the Way.

BRISTOL, Sept. 30.—A cable from London says that the Home Rule Bill may yet prove to be the solution of the Irish problem. The Unionist papers here regard this as an important pronouncement, but it is absolutely certain that Redmond would never accept such a way out of the present deadlock as a settlement of the Nationalists' claims.

The Nationalists are the masters of the government and they are standing out for their bargain for a Home Rule parliament in Dublin with an executive responsible to it. That is the insurmountable barrier between the parties and until it is removed the prospect of a compromise is very remote.

Ulster will never accept a part in a conference which begins by conceding the principle of a Home Rule parliament and an executive responsible to it and Redmond has made it clear that the Nationalists will not go into a conference where the principle of Home Rule is put into the melting pot.

Redmond might be willing to allow Ulster some scheme of local autonomy so long as the supreme control rested in the Dublin Government, but Ulster is in no mood to accept such a solution of the difficulty.

IS SENTENCED TO BE HANGED

Jesse Hammond Who Killed an Infant Gets Severe Penalty.

SASKATOON, Sask., Sept. 30.—Jesse Hammond was last night sentenced by Justice Newlands to be hanged at Prince Albert penitentiary on December 17. Hammond was convicted in the Supreme Court yesterday afternoon of contributing to the death of the infant born to Louise Shandler, a sister of Mrs. Hammond, on August 22, 1911.

The crime was committed at the farm home of Hammond's four miles from Wynyard. Hammond was the father of the child according to a voluntary confession made to the mounted police. Hammond was convicted January 24 last and sentenced to be hanged, but a new trial was ordered.

CHANNEL MEANS A FLOOD DANGER

Alleged That L. E. & N. Have Not Carried Out Dominion Order.

At the City Council last night Ald. Suddaby wanted to know from the railway committee if the channel on Kerby Island was now complete by the L. E. and N. If it was, it would prove a serious matter. The present channel through the island was not by any means equal to the one filled up. Ald. Spence thought it was a board-of-works and not a railway committee matter. In fact the board of works had been gobbling up the railway committee's work all year.

Whisker Raising Quite Expensive

Brantford citizens who have been in the habit of getting shaved at the Barber Shop, will now either have to raise the "price" or else raise "whiskers" as shaves will now cost 15 cents per.

BISHOP MAKES VERY STRONG SPEECH

White Slave Traffic Brought Home to British Nation. Great Need for Unflinching Open Christian Principles.

HOTEL DEALS ARE REPORTED IN THE AIR

Pending Outcome, License Commissioners Took no Action Last Night.

HE DROPPED ON FRENCH SOIL

German Aviator Gets Into Some Trouble Today.

Where Work Was Done, And How Much, In The Various Parts of City

Table with columns for Street Work, Concrete Walks, Sanitary Sewer, Storm Sewer, and Street Work. Includes sub-sections for Ward Three, Ward Four, and Ward Five.

AN ENQUIRY INTO KINGSTON PRISON

Was Launched To-Day by an Able Lot of Commissioners.

Plans Are Outlined for a Very Thorough Inquiry.

KINGSTON, Ont., Sept. 30.—Today the prison reform commission began its investigation into the conduct of Portsmouth penitentiary. The sessions are being held in the court house and the commission is composed of G. M. MacDonnell, K. C. president, Kingston; James P. Downey, Orillia and Dr. Frederick Elberington, Kingston. The commission has outlined its plan, first the management, second the conduct of the officers and employees of Portsmouth penitentiary. They will also inquire into methods that may conduce to the permanent reformation of convicts and how dependents upon prison inmates may be cared for without undue burden upon public funds.

A general invitation is given persons who have anything to say to present it at the various sessions of the commission. The chief event at the investigation this forenoon was the laying of charges by the justice department against Deputy Warden O'Leary and Dr. D. E. Phelan of political partisanship, false testimony, consorting with ex-convicts, bad language, graft and connivance at guards absence when needed at an election trial. The charges were made to the department by Dr. J. W. Edwards, Russell, the lawyer who made the charges through the Orange Sentinel and who is here to give testimony.

The commission decided to have the charges prepared and given to the defendants. Later the charges will be taken up when Major W. S. Hughes is brought from Brantford, Saskatchewan, to testify. Dr. Phelan says he is

stand and is being examined in the matter of management and general discipline. He has been laying before the body his views as submitted through reports and memorandums to the justice department. He said he found a lack of classification when he began his work and he endeavored to introduce a system as to conduct.

B. Company Super. The officer commanding, Captain W. F. Newman and members of B company held a supper in the Tea Pot Inn after the parade last night, about forty being seated around the festive board. After justice had been done to the good things that Host Crumback had prepared, Capt. Newman proceeded to present the prizes to those who had won them at the annual company shoot, which was held at the Mohawk ranges on Saturday afternoon last. During the evening's games were won by Pte. T. Lockyer and Pte. H. Cheson's horseshoe were made by Capt. W. F. Newman and Sergeant Major Oxtoby. The jolly party broke up after singing the National Anthem.

Building Permits. A building permit has been issued to the City Engineer's office to Jesse Barrie, contractor for the erection of the \$40,000 Dormitory in connection with the Ontario School for the Blind.

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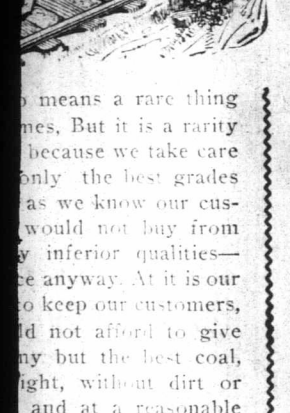
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