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SAYS CRASH IS COMING

Rockefeller Talks Of Coming Financial Disasters

Oil King Quits Business and Says That He Is Happy

Cleveland, Aug. 14.—John D. Rockefeller's answer to President Roosevelt's anti-trust litigation campaign is a prophecy of financial disaster that will sweep the country from end to end.

Mr. Rockefeller had just finished his game of golf. Apparently he had thought over very carefully everything he said. He stood beneath the shade of a big beech tree. During a portion of the two hours that he talked with a New York World reporter he had his arm over the latter's shoulder. When he became particularly earnest he gestaculated by striking the palm of one hand with the index finger of the other.

"What, in your opinion, will be the effect on the country of the present policy of the President toward great business combinations?" Mr. Rockefeller was asked.

"The policy of the present administration," Mr. Rockefeller said earnestly and deliberately, "toward great business combinations of all kinds have only one result. It means disaster to the country, financial depression and financial chaos."

"The world already has a fair dose"

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ACCEPT PROPOSITION

Ald. W. H. Westman is feeling quite jubilant to-day. He believes that he and his co-workers on the Council and the Board of Trade will soon be successful in landing another good industry for Chatham. This is the industry which was spoken of at the meeting of the Council last night.

Ald. Westman this morning received a letter from the directors of a concern stating that they had held a meeting last night and decided to accept the proposition held out to them by Chatham. The Industrial Committee will now proceed to draw up the proposed agreement with the company.

Very little information concerning the new factory is given out for publication for the reason that other cities might also get hot on the trail. It is understood, however, that the firm will manufacture a line of small goods greatly in demand, and will employ a large number of girls.

TO-DAYS NEWS AT BRADLEY'S

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ROUTINE OF THE COUNCIL

Many Communications Received At Last Night's Meeting

Progress Being Made With House Numbering—A Long Session

A three hour session of the City Council was held last night in their chambers in Harrison Hall. The rooms have been recently renovated and a fine carpet of linoleum now adorns the floor of the dais.

The accounts, as follows, were brought in and ordered paid: J. C. Wanless \$25.05, W. R. Baxter \$3.25, \$2.50; Maple City Creamery \$13. M. Martin \$3, Daily News \$8.72, Bell Telephone, six months exchange, \$104. Parks and Cemetery \$33, \$33.45; R. Riddle & Sons, \$2.40, \$6.48, \$4.75; James King \$10, R. Haskel \$14, John Blake \$7.50, \$2.50; J. Oldershaw \$3.61, Geo. Stephens \$21.85, \$4.95; Chatham Brick Yard \$152.82, Chatham Gas Co. 33c, \$1.20; Smith & Smith \$30, Ward Louis \$95.39, Northern Electric Light Co. \$83.35, Gallagher \$8.32, fire department, washing, \$4.32.

The account of Park Bros. of \$12.95 was referred to the Board of Works. The pay sheets on August 1 amounted to \$222.59, and on August 8 to \$214.76.

Ald. Benson read a petition, signed by the ratepayers of Queen street, asking for a granolithic sidewalk on the south side of the G. T. R. tracks; also a petition from the residents of Lacroix street asking for a granolithic sidewalk from east side of Lacroix street to Park avenue. Both were referred until next meeting. A letter from the City Clerk of London in reply to a letter from City Clerk Merritt, asking if there was any by-law preventing the running of traction engines over paved streets, was read and stated that there was no by-law preventing same. Mayor Stone read a communication from a Brantford Roofing Company. It stated that the firm wished to get a supply of glass from near here, as it was plentiful in this section of the country. The letter was referred to Ald. Westman.

A communication from the Commissioners of Fisheries was read, in which they wished to thank the City Council for their kindness in placing at their disposal their Council Chambers.

Next was brought in a complaint against Wm. Seymour for placing an iron pipe from his house to the sidewalk, which is contrary to law, and must be removed. It was referred to the Board of Works.

A resolution from the Board of Health was received, recommending and resolving that it is desirable and necessary to construct a sewer from south Elizabeth street to the north of Elizabeth street as a sanitary improvement; also a resolution recommending that sewers from Lacroix street to Inches avenue and the C. P. R. tracks to McAlpine street as sanitary improvements, was also read. It was referred to the Board of Works.

The Mayor received a letter from Brantford asking if there was a shooting gallery in the city also what was required in the way of licenses. The letter was referred to the License Commissioners.

The Mayor next read a letter from London stating that two men with families from Clinton wished to come to Chatham to live and would like to know how chances for work in this city are. They are recommended as good men and would be good additions to the city. The Chairman of the Finance was instructed to answer the letter.

Ald. Benson stated that 9 cars of gravel had been received from the P. M. R., and was distributed on the streets of the city that were needing same.

Alderman Austin presented two samples of plans for the numbering of houses from City Engineer Jones, which were approved of as complete, and a motion by Alderman Benson that the committee meet at once to select the kind of numbers to be used was carried. On King Street the plan shows the numbers to be 15 feet apart, and on residential streets to be 20 feet apart. It also gives the name of each property owner, his occupation, and also the occupant. It thus is a complete directory and a book of reference.

Next to be discussed was what should be done with the stones taken from torn-up pavements. Ald. Stevens made a motion that they be given to the men owning the property along the street as they were justly entitled to them as they were replacing them with a new pavement. Carried.

Ald. Benson made a motion that a pavement be laid on Hyslop St., as it had been torn up for several weeks. They asked for a 4 feet walk, but, as a 4 foot walk is granted only where streets are 66 feet wide, it was deemed necessary to call a special meeting to consider this matter.

Alderman Benson resented his

KEY POUNDERS TO QUIT WORK

Telegraphers Will Demand a New Scale of Wages

No Strike to be Called Till The President Says So

Chicago, Aug. 14.—This city is the nerve-centre of the striking telegraphers. President Small of the men's union is expected here to-night. Until then no general call for a national strike will be issued. This, however, will not prevent operators in any city from refusing to work with non-union operators at the other end of the wires, thus precipitating trouble locally all over the country.

President Campers of the American Federation of Labor, said yesterday: "We assume that an affiliated organization which has legalized a strike has a just grievance and, adhering to union principles, we are determined to give the operators our best support."

Improving Hourly.

New York, Aug. 14.—From the viewpoint of the employers of telegraph operators, the strike situation last night was declared to be improving hourly, and the officials of both the Western Union and the Postal companies announced themselves to be more than satisfied with their progress that had been made during the day, and the early hours of the night toward the restoration of the country.

"It is now not so much a question of restoring communication," declared one official, "as it is of re-establishing normal conditions."

The Wall street chapel of the C. T. U. will today demand a minimum scale of \$30 a week.

Telegraphers' Position.

Percy Thomas, deputy national president, issued a statement, saying: "The Commercial Telegraphers' Union of America will win this fight with telegraph corporations because it is in the right. We will win because we are on the side of a higher power than man; because the proper development and progress on a part of the people makes for the true development of all the people."

"Our demands are for an eight-hour day, a 15 per cent. increase in wages, equal pay for equal work for men and women, and the companies to furnish the operators the typewriters with which their messages are written."

"Telegraphers have never been anxious for Government control, but any control would be preferable to the present supervision of certain subordinate chiefs in the employ of the companies."

"The Government would also adopt a wage scale satisfactory to the telegraphers of the United States. Under Government control telegrams would carry a Federal stamp and any official or other person who inspected the contents of such telegrams as is done at present would come under the penalty of the criminal laws."

HOW THE DEAF ARE MADE TO HEAR

M. D. Tugendhaft, the celebrated eye and ear specialist, late of New York City, will visit this town, and will be at the Hotel Garner on the following dates, Thursday and Friday, August 15th and 16th, at which time he will demonstrate his wonderful Patent Invisible Ear Drum. Any person afflicted with deafness can be made to hear as well as ever. This is no idle boast. In the past few years there have been several Ear Drum cures, and not only have they proven defective and of no use in restoring the hearing, but were also clumsy and could be seen in the ear. The Invisible Ear Drum of Tugendhaft's is entirely different in this respect. Not only will it restore the hearing, but it is entirely invisible and cannot be seen when once introduced into the ears. Mr. Tugendhaft was once deaf and after squandering a small fortune in different remedies and on so-called inventions, finally perfected his new Ear Drum within the past few years. In every case where his Drum has been used it has effected a complete cure. See the celebrated Specialist at once and be convinced. No drugs used or no operation necessary. These Drums also stop all ringing noises and neuralgic pains in the head, where the cause is from deafness. The price of the Ear Drums is within the reach of all, and any person afflicted with deafness need not be so any longer.

motion, and the pavement will be considered in a few days.

The next meeting will be held on Aug. 20th. All the members of the Council except Ald. Kerr, Ald. Massey, and Ald. Potter were present.

A good man is better than anything else.

He who puts a bad construction on

edness of heart.

PAVEMENT IS WANTED

Aldermen May Pave Approach to Rankin Dock

Petition Was Received Last Evening—Needed Improvement

At last night's Council meeting a petition was brought in asking for a pavement from Queen street to the Rankin dock.

This was extensively discussed. The condition of this street is very offensive and unhealthy and is badly in need of paving. The dust from the dock is very offensive to people living in that section, and the street also presents a very ragged appearance to people coming into the city by boat. Ald. Benson said that its condition now was an eye sore to boat passengers, and it is to the interest of the general public to have this approach paved to make it more attractive and healthy.

As there were three aldermen absent last night no action was taken, and it was decided to refer it until next meeting. A motion that the Clerk notify the ratepayers to be present at the next meeting was carried. All the aldermen and the Mayor were greatly in favor of paving the street, and it is the hope of the Council that at the next meeting a decision to that effect will be made. The petition was signed by Messrs. Hicklin, Strinor, Pleasance, Morley, Watt, Hadley, Leithbridge, Piggott, Smith, Bibb, Dunn, Duff, Brady, O'Neal, Jamieson, Drew, Peck, Cornell, Ruthven, Marshall, Brisco, Sheldon, Holmes.

RATE IS 28 1/5 MILLS

Ald. Austin, Chairman of the Finance Committee of the City Council, last night brought in his report on the various civic estimates for the year. The report recommended that the tax rate be struck at 28.2 mills, and was endorsed by the other members of the Aldermanic Board.

It was explained that while various departments had shown a saving this year, some of the others exceeded the estimates for previous years. The repairs and maintenance to city bridges was one of the biggest bills of expense which the city had to bear this year. There are also a number of debentures falling due, and these have the effect of keeping the rate up.

Auction Sale

Of the stock in trade of Peck & Co., Jeannette's Creek, Insolvents, consisting of,

Gen'l Merchandise \$1229.78
Fixtures 186.30
Book Debts 409.57

TERMS: CASH

Sale will be held at Garner House, Chatham, at 2 o'clock, Friday, August 16. Inventory can be inspected at the office of the Assignee.

A. THOMSON, G. W. SULMAN,
Auctioneer Assignee

LAST WEEK—OF—Midsummer Sale

If you want to take advantage of the biggest bargain offer of the season, you had better come quickly.

Handsome all wool Scotch Tweed and English Worsted Suitings that sold regularly at \$18 up to \$26, made to your order with the surety of correct style, perfect fit and smart tailoring, at

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