

TO CUT DOWN THE COST OF SCHOOL

Lengthy Discussion on Changes in the Plans of Proposed Building.

(From Saturday's Daily.)

That unexpected difficulty has confronted the Board of Education relative to the question of the proposed school in ward one, so far as the original plans and specifications are concerned, was brought out during a lengthy discussion at the meeting held last evening. The discussion centered on the advisability of altering the plans in accordance with a recommendation of the property committee in order that the cost of the building may be reduced. The fact was emphasized that there had been such a great disparity between the tenders, the lowest of which exceeded expectations, that it would be necessary to deviate from the original plans and specifications in order to keep within the appropriation of the Board. Opinions were freely expressed on the matter, and no attempt whatever was made to conceal the belief that it was impossible to erect the building according to the original plans without entailing a greater expenditure than had been taken into consideration by the Board, or for which provision had been made.

Mr. Thompson reasoned that the Board had been innocently led into the difficulty. The architect in the first place had said that a building in accordance with the plans he had prepared could be erected for a sum, which would not exceed the amount at the disposal of the Board. He believed that the architect was sincere and that other buildings, similar to his plans, which members of the Board had inspected during their visit to Guelph and Brantford, had been erected at the estimated price of the proposed building here.

The suggested changes in the plans of the proposed building were contained in a report of the property committee submitted by Mr. Boyse. If these changes were made, it was stated that the cost of the building would be materially reduced. Among the more important changes recommended were: shingle roof instead of slate, the cutting off of four class rooms at the end of the building, and a nine-inch instead of a thirteen-inch wall for the upper portion of the building.

In submitting the report of the property committee Mr. Boyse stated that he had not coincided with the opinion of the other members of the committee. He had taken exception to some of the changes at the time they were proposed and he would have to do so again. He believed in being economical, but all conditions, he said, should be carefully considered. He called attention to the fact that the school would be standing for many years to come and that it should be so constructed as to be a credit to the Board of Education and the town. There were not very many creditable public buildings in the town; the other school buildings were doubtless up-to-date when they were erected, and he said it should be the object to have the proposed building in keeping with the times. Mr. Boyse strenuously objected to the change from a shingle roof to slate for the upper part of the building, as well as from a slate to a shingle roof. Personally, he said, he would rather put his hand into his own pocket, than have these changes made, and he had heard prominent citizens give expression to the same opinion. The Board, he said, should erect a building that they would not be ashamed of. He gave the committee credit for being economical, but he did not think it would be advisable to make the changes to which he had objected. He would rather finance a good thing than a poor thing.

Mr. Mayberry said, if the building was going to be spoilt, it would be better not to erect it. He pointed out that whatever kind of building was erected, it would stand as a monument to the wisdom and business tact of the Board. Mr. Mayberry said he was not in favor of adopting the report.

In again discussing the matter, Mr. Thompson said a four-roomed school could not be built for \$8,000, or even \$6,000, but it would not fill the bill.

Mr. Morrey argued that a building should not be erected at a cost of \$11,000, when the Board did not have an appropriation to this extent.

Mr. Dundass was of the opinion that it would be advisable to leave the matter in abeyance until spring and then get new plans and specifications. Mr. Dundass also added that Mr. Boyse talked economy sometimes, and sometimes he didn't. Mr. Boyse, he said, would not agree to buy a lot on Oxford street because the price was increased \$25.

Mr. Boyse replied by stating that he considered the original price asked for the lot was really all it was worth and he did not believe in paying any more.

Mr. Macaulay stated that from the first he did not like the circumstances which had arisen in connection with the tenders. He was at a loss to understand why there should be a difference of \$5,000 in two separate tenders.

It was moved that the report of the committee be adopted, to which an amendment was moved, "That this Board defer the erection of a new school in ward one till the first of March, 1909."

This called forth an amendment to the amendment which read, "That the report of the property committee be adopted with the following changes: that walls be 13 inches throughout, roof of slate, and cement steps."

After further discussion, during which Chairman Ackerlief left the chair and opposed the matter being deferred, contending that such action would mean a "six months' hold" a vote was taken and the amendment

to the amendment carried.

KINDERGARTEN REPORT.

A lengthy report was read from Miss Mildred Baker, kindergarten teacher, in which she called attention to conditions which prevail at the school. She mentioned that the room was crowded, that it did not afford sufficient air space, that she would appreciate an assistant, and that the age limit should be fixed.

Secretary Sudworth explained that the age limit—from five to seven—had been fixed by the Board a number of years ago.

ACCOUNTS.

The finance committee recommended payment of the following accounts:—T. A. Bellamy \$19; Canadian Contract Record \$5.20; Geo. W. Wood \$4.70; R. E. Smith \$4.25; Reid Foundry and Machine Co. \$36; Geo. W. Wood \$19.40; W. H. Jones \$12.75; W. H. Briden \$4.80; Mrs. Gray \$15; kindergarten sundries \$14.27; T. N. Dunn \$10.58.

Miss Baker's report was referred to the teachers committee, to report at the next meeting.

A motion carried that the Board purchase the George lot on Oxford street, at \$1,175.

Chairman Ackerlief presided, and the members present were: Messrs. Norton, Thompson, Maybee, Mayberry, Barr, Macaulay, Dundass, Boyse and Morrey.

An adjournment was made at 10 o'clock.

Baby's Welfare Mother's Chief Care

Every mother is naturally anxious that her little ones shall be healthy, good natured and bright. Every mother can keep her little ones in this condition if she will give them an occasional dose of Baby's Own Tablets. These Tablets cure all stomach and bowel troubles, break up colds, destroy worms and make teething easy. Equally good for the new born babe or the well grown child.

Mrs. W. E. Stewart, St. George, N. B., says: "I have used Baby's Own Tablets for my little ones for several years and have found them reliable in all emergencies. I cannot praise the Tablets too highly." Sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Makes Grain Handling Record.

Port Arthur, Nov. 2.—The Port Arthur elevator plant is making a record in grain handling. At the close of next week the plant will have handled over ten million bushels, which equals the amount handled up to the close of navigation at this place last year.

It is expected that almost half the year's crop will be handled through this point.

To Hold Rifle Contest Nov. 10.

Ottawa, Nov. 2.—The Dominion Rifle Association has completed arrangements for the inter-university match to be fired Nov. 10. Each team will fire on its own ranges at 200, 300 and 600 yards. Silver cups will be presented to the winner by the D.R.A.

Is Tolstoi Going Insane?

Vienna, Nov. 2.—A dispatch received here states that Tolstoi is going insane. His friends are alarmed at the reports on the part of the publishers of his "confession manuscript." A specialist will examine him.

CONSUMPTION'S STARTING POINT

Lies in Weak, Watery Blood. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Make the Blood Rich and Red

Bloodlessness is the starting point of consumption. When your blood is thin and watery your whole health declines. Your face grows pale, your appetite fails and your heart jumps and flutters at the least exertion or excitement. You are always weak and wretched and lose interest in everything. This is the point from which you may easily step into that hopeless decline that leads to consumption and the grave. What is actually needed to bring back health and strength and energy is the new rich blood Dr. Williams' Pink Pills actually make. In all the world there is no other tonic medicine like them, and all who feel weak and easily tired should take these Pills at once, and regain new health.

Miss Ida Burke, The Range, N. B., says:—"I feel that I cannot say too much in favor of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. In March, 1907, I was attacked with whooping cough which clung to me for several months, and when the cough disappeared I was left weak and run down. All summer I was ailing, but when the autumn came I seemed to be completely worn out. For a whole month I never moved outside the house, and could scarcely walk about the house. I was so weak. I had no appetite, my color was a greenish yellow, I had severe headaches and would be almost breathless at the least exertion. I took several bottles of medicine, but it did not help me, and then my mother got me three boxes of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, when I had used them I was much better, and by the time I had taken another three boxes I was again enjoying the best of health, with a hearty appetite, good color and renewed energy."

If you want new health and new strength try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, a fair use of this medicine will not disappoint you. Sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

JOHN D. WILL VOTE FOR TAFT

Standard Oil Magnet Says He Will Support Republican Candidate.

New York, Oct. 31.—A statement from John D. Rockefeller announcing that he intends to vote for William H. Taft for president next Tuesday and telling why he will do so and why he thinks Mr. Taft should be elected, was given out from the Standard Oil Co. at 26 Broadway on Thursday night.

The statement as given out by the Standard Oil officials reads as follows:—"It seems to me at this time when the question is put directly to any American citizen which candidate he will support by his vote for the presidency, he should be mainly enough to answer it just as directly. I therefore say that I expect to vote for William H. Taft."

"If for no other reason I support Mr. Taft because on comparing him personally with Mr. Bryan, his chief opponent, I find the balance of fitness and temperament entirely on his side. The election of Mr. Taft will, I believe, make for law and order and stability of business. He is not a man I judge, to adventure with rash experiments to impede a return to prosperity by advocating measures subversive of industrial progress."

"The question of candidates seems to me essentially a personal one in this campaign, as the leading orators on both sides have not succeeded in drawing party lines, as based on the platform, with any great clearness. I do, however, support the general Republican position on the tariff and the currency. I have always been a Republican."

"I feel the more impelled to answer this question because it cannot be said that the great administration has in any way whatever favored the special interest to which my life has been devoted. That, however, does not excuse me from expressing my opinion and doing what I consider my duty as a citizen."

Napoleon, Oct. 31.—William J. Bryan, who yesterday began a tour of Ohio, the Standard Oil state, said he was not surprised at the declaration of John D. Rockefeller, as the Standard Oil Co. and the Republican party have been so closely related that many of their interests are identical. In his statement Mr. Bryan said:

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"Again, Mr. Rockefeller says Mr. Taft's election will make for law and order. This is false. Mr. Rockefeller's corporation is the most notorious of the trusts in the United States and he is for Mr. Taft because he does not want the law enforced. Mr. Rockefeller also says that Mr. Taft's election will make for stability of business. What kind of business? The stability in the trust business is what he means. He thinks that Mr. Taft's election will enable the trusts to get a tighter strangle grip upon the American people and put their extortion upon a more permanent foundation. He says that Mr. Taft is not a man inclined to rash experiments. He might have omitted the word 'rash' for Mr. Taft is not in favor of any kind of experiment in the way of remedial legislation."

Magistrate's Compliments. Ottawa, Oct. 31.—When Thomas Fox, after a terrible struggle with D. J. Reardon on the edge of a cliff at Primrose Hill, Sept. 3, threw him, and was warmly commended by Magistrate O'Keefe yesterday morning, Fox was walking with his sweet heart, Reardon, who was a married man, in his arms. Fox was acquitted.

THE LAND GRANTS

TO MEN WHO TOOK PART IN SOUTH AFRICAN WAR.

Toronto, Oct. 30.—During the past week two enthusiastic and largely attended meetings have been held of men who took part in the South African War, and who are not entitled to participate in the land grant under the Volunteer Bounty Act of 1908. An Association has been formed to be called the "Imperial South African Veterans' Association."

The object of the Association is to seek to have the above Act extended so that all men of the Anglo-Saxon race, who took part in the South African war, and who are not already entitled to participate in the land grant, and who were residing in Canada at the time the said Act came into force, shall be included in its provisions.

Lord Milner and Lord Taft is not who have been staying here, and the newly elected members of the Dominion Government for this city, have expressed their sympathy with the proposed amendment. Mr. Sheford Grimwood, 3 Metcalfe street, Toronto, has been appointed President of the above Association, and is also acting as organizing secretary for the Dominion, and as soon as all the names of the men living in Canada are to hand, a deputation will wait on Mr. Taft at Ottawa.

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It costs less than a carpet, avoids the many seams of a carpet and does away with the troubles of a carpet. Besides, a rug adds about 50 per cent. to the appearance of your room.

Have you seen our magnificent line of Wilton and Axminster rugs? Many exclusive patterns in stock at

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We can save you \$2 to \$5 on an English Tapestry Rug. Get prices in other stores and let us surprise you. Remember we show at least 5 rugs to every one shown by any other store in Ingersoll.

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Some extra special things just opened out in medium and cheap bed room suites (Don't Miss Them.)

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Any 4 yd width Linoleum in our store, block and floral patterns, heavy quality at per square yd. 45c

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Whitmore Not Guilty.

Jersey City, N.J., Oct. 31.—After being out two hours, the jury in the case of Theodore Whitmore, on trial for the murder of his wife, whose battered body was found on Dec. 26 of last year, in a swamp near Harrison, N.J., returned a verdict last night of not guilty. Whitmore's defense was an alibi, which he was able to establish by the testimony of a number of witnesses who testified to having seen him in New York at the time of the commission of the crime.

Juvenile Delinquents.

Ottawa, Oct. 31.—W. L. Scott of Ottawa yesterday morning addressed the National Council of Women of Canada on "Juvenile courts." He stated that there was now an excellent Federal Juvenile Delinquents Act on the statute books, but so far no Provincial Government had provided machinery necessary to give it effect. The council adopted a resolution urging all local councils of Canada to endeavor to have Provincial Governments make provisions for the application of the act.

Charcoal Removes Stomach Poisons

Pure Charcoal Will Absorb One Hundred Times Its Volume in Poisonous Gases.

Charcoal was made famous by the old monks of Spain, who cured all manner of stomach, liver, blood and bowel troubles by this simple remedy. One little nervous Frenchman held forth its virtues before a famous convention of European physicians and surgeons. Sechevron was his name. He was odd, quaint and very determined. His brothers in medicine laughed at his claims. Thereupon he swallowed two grains of strychnine, enough to kill three men, and ate some charcoal. The doctors thought him mad, but he did not even have to go to bed. The charcoal had absorbed the strychnine and Sechevron was famous. Ever since that day physicians have used it. Run impure water through charcoal and you have a pure, delicious drink.

Bad breath, gastritis, bowels that torpid liver, impure blood, etc., give way before the action of charcoal. It is really a wonderful adjunct to nature and is a most inexhaustible storehouse of health to the man or woman who suffers from gases or impurities of any kind.

Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges are made of pure willow charcoal, sweetened to a palatable state with honey. Two or three of them cure an ordinary case of bad breath. They should be used after every meal, especially if one's breath is prone to be impure.

These little lozenges have nothing to do with medicine. They are just sweet, fresh, willow, burned to a nicety for charcoal making and fragrant honey, the product of the bee. Thus every ingredient comes to man from the lap of nature.

The only secret lies in the Stuart process of compressing these simple substances into a hard tablet or lozenge, so that age, evaporation or decay may not assail their curative qualities.

You may take as many of them as you wish and the more you take the quicker will you remove the effects of bad breath and impurities arising from a decayed or decaying meal. They assist digestion, purify the blood and help the intestines and bowels throw off all waste matter.

Go to your druggist at once and buy a package of Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges, price 25 cents. You will soon be told by your friends that your breath is not as bad as it was. Send us your name and address and we will send you a trial package by mail free. Address P. A. Stuart Co., 200 Stuart Bldg., Marshall, Mich.

The new tug Elgin E. has arrived at Port Stanley from Collingwood.

LOCAL OPTION

EFFORT WILL BE MADE TO SUBMIT MEASURE AT TILLSONBURG.

Tillsonburg, Oct. 31.—It is understood that the petitioners asking for a vote on a local option by-law, which have been in circulation for several weeks with considerable success, will be presented to the town clerk this afternoon. It is said they are signed sufficiently to make it the duty of the council to submit the by-law.

SICK HEADACHE.

This distressing disease results from a disordered condition of the stomach, and can be cured by taking Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Get a free sample at G. A. Ions's drug store and try it.

POULTRY SHOW IN DECEMBER

Number of Entries Will Show Big Increase Over Previous Years

From Thursday's Daily. Interest is steadily growing in the big poultry show to be held here during the first week of December. The energetic members of the Ingersoll Poultry Association, who have the details in hand, are meeting with very gratifying encouragement. Although interest in a poultry show is, as a rule, supposed to be confined to those in the business, this is not the case with the citizens of Ingersoll as a whole. It is particularly noteworthy that in the matter of financial contributions, as well as in other respects, the Association are receiving the earnest co-operation of many outside of those who are directly interested in poultry raising.

The Ingersoll Poultry Show will be held in the town hall from the 1st to the 4th of December, and present circumstances warrant the belief that it will be on a much larger scale than any of its predecessors. The indications point to a material increase in the entries.

OFFICERS ELECTED

AT MEETING OF MANHOOD LEAGUE YESTERDAY MORNING.

From Monday's Daily. The annual meeting of the Manhood League of King Street Methodist church, for the election of officers, was held yesterday morning. The following officers were elected:

President—B. H. Maybee. Vice-President—P. L. Smith. Secretary—M. D. Sudworth. Treasurer—Wilbur Manning. Leader—Rev. J. E. Huggison. Associate Leaders—W. Briden, F. G. Walley, J. A. Coulter, and W. H. Manning.

Floral Committee—J. DeGroat, Wm. Hargan, Charles Clark, J. B. Thompson. Lookout Committee—W. H. Houser, Fred Seldon, J. F. Morrey. Doorkeepers—Wm. Dundass, Jr., B. S. Russell, Jos. Page.

Executive Committee—All the officers and heads of each committee.

The contract for the new four million bushel elevator of the G.T.P., at Port William, has been let.

The "T" rail for street railway purposes is favored by the special committee of Hamilton council. The Palmerston-Speeler has been purchased by H. E. Bywater of the Arthur Enterprise.

During the last nine months 1,266 immigrants from the U.S. have been landed at the boundary.

Do not let a cold settle on your lungs. Resort to Hickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup at the first indication of irritation in the throat and prevent disease from lodging in the pulmonary organs. Neglected colds are the cause of untold suffering throughout the country, all of which could have been prevented by the application of this simple but powerful medicine. The price, 25 cents, brings it within the reach of all.

THE CURLERS ARE GETTING READY

Representative Attendance at the Annual Meeting—The Officers

From Friday's Daily.

Conditions which prevailed at the annual meeting of the Ingersoll Curling Club, held in the Recreation Club's rink last evening, point to a banner season. The attendance was representative, while the enthusiasm was such as to create the belief that the membership will be materially increased and that the "roarin' game" will flourish here as never before. The old players are as enthusiastic as ever, and as many of the young men are taking a keen interest in the game, it is thought that the coming season will be one of the most successful in the history of the Club.

The president, Mr. W. H. Jones, occupied the chair. The financial report was very satisfactory and was adopted. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Hon. Pres.—Thos. Seldon. Pres.—C. H. Simmer. Vice-Pres.—R. B. Hutt. Chaplain—Rev. J. E. Huggison. Sec.—Treas.—Geo. W. Wood. Executive Committee—The above officers and Messrs. O. E. Robinson and F. W. Bain.

Messrs. C. Simmer and W. J. Elliott were appointed representatives to the Ontario Curling Association.

Various matters pertaining to the welfare of the club were discussed. The matter of arranging games was left in the hands of the executive committee to make recommendations.

NOW IS BEST TIME TO TAKE

A well-known authority on Rheumatism gives the following valuable, though simple and harmless, prescription, which any one can easily prepare at home:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces.

Mix by shaking well in a bottle, and take a teaspoonful after each meal and at bedtime.

He states that the ingredients can be obtained from any good prescription pharmacy at small cost, and, being of vegetable extraction, are harmless to take.

This pleasant mixture, if taken regularly for a few days, is said to overcome almost any case of Rheumatism. The pain and swelling, if any, diminishes with each dose, until permanent results are obtained, and without injuring the stomach. While there are many so-called Rheumatism remedies, do give relief, few really give permanent results, and the above will, no doubt, be greatly appreciated by many sufferers here at this time.

Inquiry at the drug stores of this neighborhood elicits the information that these drugs are harmless and can be bought separately, or the druggists here will mix the prescription for our readers if asked to.

Fourteen-year-old Chester Urganah of Covered Bridge, N.B., is said to have shot Geo. Clary and manslaughter is charged.

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it makes you stop work. A lame, weak or hips—mean that there's trouble, too. Constipation—show that the

"I was badly crippled small of my back. I could lie comfortable in any position myself. I was recommended I did, and I received immediate



BRIEFS FROM THE

The Royal cheese factory, Merston, Glenora, was visited by Residents in the Reid tract, Toronto, will form a lodge.

Fire badly damaged the ment buildings at B South Africa.

Students at the Kingston Institute and colleges menacinated or cease to attend.

Five buildings on the farm, outside Charlottetown, were destroyed by fire with \$18,000 insurance \$12,000.

Wilbur Wright has given lesson in the manipulation of an aeroplane, in accordance with contract, to Count de Lant.

During the month of September industrial accidents occurred work people in Canada, were fatal and 154 resulted in injuries.

The seizure of more rice sealing schooners on sealing grounds in the is reported by the steamship which arrived at Victoria.

J. Scaville, a Bulgarian, played unloading rails. Trunk yards near the third finger of his right between the first and second.

The will of the late wife of G. J. Mason, Baron, probated in the Surrogate's application of the late amounts to \$1,000, divided among the five one son.

Milwaukee's Largest steam barge Adam Corwin, Milwaukee, Wis., was loaded with a cargo of 270, wheat, the largest load in one consignment ever.

Five candidates who came to was speaking at an election a woman attorney.



This is the flour you know. Will make the white as snow. It's just as good. Cake. And all my skin stake. On Beaver Flour. "The popular nation."

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