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NOMINATION

The mists that obscured Athens municipal council for 1905 have all rolled away, and we are able this week to announce the full council as being composed as follows:

Reeve—M. B. Holmes.

Councillors—W. H. Jacob, C. L. Lamb, Alex. Taylor, and A. J. Slack.

For several days it had been in the air that there would be a contest for the reeve ship, and the possibility of this produced a lively exchange of sentiments between leading Liberals at the nomination meeting on Friday evening.

The Conservatives secured the re-election of Mr. Taylor as councillor without opposition and then stood pat and enjoyed the music that came from the little rift in the Liberal lute. The proceedings of the Liberal caucus were carefully reviewed, Messrs. Knowlton, H. Innes, O. H. Smith, Taplin and Arnold taking part in the discussion. It was evident that a wing of the party was not satisfied with the other wing's interpretation of the result of the caucus, but at 9 p.m. on Saturday it was found that only Mr. Holmes had filed qualification papers.

Mr. W. G. Farish presided over the meeting very acceptably.

VILLAGE COUNCIL

The first meeting of the Athens village council was held on the 9th Jan. Owing to the Reeve elect having filed a disclaimer and the qualification of Robert Erwin being in doubt, but three councillors took their seats at the council board, viz.: Chas. L. Lamb, Wm. H. Jacob and Alden Slack.

On motion, the council adjourned until the following evening in order to allow Mr. Erwin an opportunity to obtain legal advice as to his qualification.

On resuming business on the 10th inst., Mr. Erwin made the required qualification and declaration and took his seat. On motion, Mr. Jacob was requested to act as chairman until such time as a reeve was elected and qualified, and the clerk instructed to issue his notice for a nomination meeting and election for reeve. The council then adjourned to the call of the chairman.

On the 11th inst. a special meeting was called by the chairman to appoint a building committee to take charge of the work on town hall, and Messrs. Jacob and Lamb were by resolution appointed to that position.

On the 16th inst. the clerk notified the council that Robert Erwin had filed a disclaimer to his seat as councillor, and a special meeting was called to consider the matter, which was held on 16th inst. At that meeting the clerk was instructed to cancel the notice of the nomination meeting for reeve and issue a new notice for nomination of a reeve and one councillor.

On Jan 30 the clerk called a meeting of the village council, at which he announced the election of M. B. Holmes as reeve and Alex. Taylor as councillor, who being present made the required declarations of office and took their seats. The minutes of the special meetings were read and confirmed.

Jan. H. Ackland, collector for 1904, handed in his roll with all taxes but that of E. Hawkins paid. On motion, he was given an order for his salary, also for \$1.00 error in addition on roll.

On motion, the reeve was added to the building committee previously appointed.

A motion was made that the bill of Hutchison & Fisher for the costs of the suit, Hillis vs. Wiltsie, be paid and an amendment made that said bill be laid on the table until next meeting of council was carried.

On motion, a number of bills, amounting in all to \$31.56, was ordered to be paid.

The council then adjourned to meet on Monday evening, Feb. 7, at 7.30 p.m., and monthly meetings to be held on first Monday of each month, unless sooner called by reeve.

B. LOVERIN, Village Clerk.

We have received from the Corticelli Silk Co., St. Johns, P. Q., a handsomely printed and profusely illustrated magazine which deals in a practical way with decorative needlework and kindred arts. Any lady interested in home or garment decoration would highly prize a copy of this magazine. Subscription, 50c per year; single copies, 15c.

A GOOD GAME

The hockey season opened in Athens on Friday with a good demonstration of Canada's great winter sport in a match between the Rideau's of Merrickville and the home team. It was news to most of us that Athens had a team this season, but when the line-up took place it was seen that four of the old guard were on the ice and three juniors. The attendance was not large, owing to the fact that few thought the visiting team would brave the tempestuous weather and drifted roads to keep their engagement. But they proved themselves genuine sports men in more ways than one, and under the skillful pilotage of Mr. Jas. Mills they arrived here about 8 p.m., having left home at 3. It was a trip they will not soon forget.

Shortly after 9, the teams lined up as follows:

Merrickville—J. Merriek, F. J. Kyle, C. Muxlev, H. Watchorn, J. Watchorn, L. Tallman, J. Cranston.

Athens—W. Hughes, E. Jones, Rennie, F. W. Barber, R. DeWolfe, N. Hugesman, A. Simes.

Mr. F. A. J. Davis performed the duties of referee in a very efficient and impartial manner.

The goal umpires were Messrs. Shiuley and Lewis, and timekeeper Mr. G. W. Elliott.

The first half belonged to Merrickville all through, and spectators around the visitors' goal obtained only fleeting glimpses of the puck. H. Watchorn's swift rushes accounted for much of Merrickville's superiority, as in other respects the two teams did not appear to be very unevenly matched, though the strength of Merrickville's defence was not severely strained.

In the second half, with the players' positions altered, Athens put up a splendid fight and kept their opponents constantly on their mettle. At the close the score, undisputed, stood at 9 to 3 in favor of Merrickville, and the customary cheers were given most heartily.

It was a good game, characterized by very little rough play or unfair practices, and the penalties, which were impartially imposed by the referee, were very few.

The visitors remained until the following day before starting on their return trip.

Death of Steven N. Cadwell

Steven N. Cadwell, a widely known and highly esteemed citizen, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. H. C. Phillips, Victoria street, Athens, on Monday evening. He came to Athens recently from New Dublin where he had been associated with his son Byron in the milling business, and was seriously ill for only about a week before his death. His daughter, Mrs. George Pickett of Gananogue, arrived on the evening train Monday only a few minutes after he had passed away.

Mr. Cadwell, who was nearly 86 years of age, was born in Springfield, Mass. He came to Canada in 1845 and has since resided here continuously. His wife, Catherine Wagner of Albany, N.Y., died about 12 years ago. To mourn his loss, he has a four sons and two daughters, viz.: Byron of Brockville, Truman of Smith's Falls, Fred of Lyn, George of Quebec, Mrs. George Pickett of Gananogue, and Mrs. H. C. Phillips.

He possessed marked ability as a machinist, millwright, and general wood worker, and in these lines employed all his long and useful life. An honest, industrious man of good habits and of a bright, cheerful disposition, he gained friends easily and retained their regard always.

The funeral is taking place this afternoon in the Baptist church, of which denomination deceased was a consistent member.

To the sorrowing friends the Reporter extends sincere sympathy.

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