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DAMAGED LINENS

A Special Offering on Wednesday and Thursday

Months ago we placed an order with one of the Belfast Linen Manufacturers for Seconds—in Damask Table Cloths and Table Napkins. These seconds are not made to order, you have to wait until the manufacturer has accumulated them—sorted them out, here a cloth, there a few napkins—and it takes a long time before there is enough for a shipment. Our order has just come to hand, and a more worthy lot we never offered. In some instances we can't locate the damage at all, it is so slight. There is not a large lot, and they will sell rapidly, so to get first choice, be on hand Wednesday morning.

Damask Cloths

2 yds. by 2½ yds. in good designs at $1.65, $1.70 and $2.15.

Damask Cloths

2½ by 2½ yds. in elegant patterns at $3.75, 4.00 and 5.00.

Damask Cloths

2 by 2 yds. choice designs and splendid quality at $1.75, 1.95, 2.25, 2.50 and 2.65.

Damask Cloths

2 by 3 yds., wonderful values at $1.45, 1.75, 1.85, 3.25 and 4.10.

Damask Cloths

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Table Napkins

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Table Napkins

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3 large cans Mustard Sardines 25c.
Wash Boards 20c.
7 lbs. Best Rolled Oats 25c.
20 lbs. Redpath Sugar $1.00
Compound Lard, 12c per lb.
Clothes Pins, 1c per dozen.
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3 cans of Corn or Peas 25c.

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ISOLATION HOSPITAL

City Will Purchase One on Pine Street Near The Fair Grounds

ALD. SCULLARD'S REPORT

Chatham will have an Isolation Hospital for the successful treatment of contagious diseases. It is located on the grounds familiarly known as The Elms, and will cost $2,500.

Ald. Scullard, chairman of the Finance committee, in moving the reading of his by-law, providing for the purchase of this property, explained that there is a dwelling house on the premises with two front rooms and two rear rooms and a kitchen down stairs, and five bedrooms upstairs, and also a barn at the rear, so that it would be quite suitable for the purpose for which it is intended.

Ald. Stone—It is the best available property and there is a large acreage. The city cannot lose, for they could sell it at any time for as much as they paid for it, or for even an advance on the cost.

Ald. Scullard—I have been adverse to making this expenditure but the Government has laid the burden upon us and has compelled us to provide such an institution, and we will have to comply with the law. The City Clerk has found out that St. Thomas, Windsor, and one other place are the only cities where Isolation Hospitals are established, but the Government is going to compel the others to fall in line. The Finance committee has experienced considerable difficulty in selecting a suitable site, but we decided that we could not settle upon any site without incurring a certain amount of opposition from neighboring property owners. This site is the best one that we could fine, and is strongly recommended by the Health Officer and the Board of Health. The present owner of the property is Agnes Elizabeth Wemp, and we will have to pay $1,000 down.

The by-law was put through its various readings with little discussion, and was finally passed.

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NOTICE

A meeting of the members of Western City Lodge, No. 93, and Chatham Lodge, No. 29, will meet in their lodge rooms on Wednesday at 1.30 p. m. to attend the funeral of their late brother, Hubert Murphy.

The funeral will leave the family residence, Head street, near Waterworks, at 2.30 p. m., Wednesday.

N. G. GIBSON,
Sec. Western City, No. 93.
A. HEATH,
Sec. Chatham Lodge No. 29.

There never was any heart truly great that was not also tender and compassionate.

EAT MOUNTEER'S BREAD

Phone 186.

THE ELECTORS WILL VOTE ON BEET SUGAR INDUSTRY

By-Law Granting Certain Concessions to the Keystone Company Will be Decided Upon by the Electors on May 31

600 TON PLANT MAY BE IN OPERATION SEPT. 1, 1907

A by-law granting certain inducements to the Keystone Company, providing they move the Wiarton beet sugar factory to Chatham, was put through the Council last evening as far as the second reading, and it will be submitted to the ratepayers on the 31st of May for their approval, before it is given its third and final reading.

The following letter addressed to the Mayor and read by him at the meeting was the cause of considerable discussion and interest:

His Worship Mayor of Chatham:

Dear Mr. Mayor,—

Noticing an article in the papers re the establishing of a beet sugar factory for your progressive city, I simply wish to extend to you my good wishes for your success in this undertaking, as no one in Canada is more deeply interested in this industry than I am, and no one has paid so dear for this experience as I have.

But I want to give you a little information in regard to the Wiarton plant that may save trouble later on. This is that anyone attempting to remove that plant from Wiarton will have to go into litigation that might take five years to settle, as it will be carried to the Privy Council if necessary.

Mr. Fowler has spent months at Whitby securing money and acreage with a view of removing that plant to Whitby, and when I notified the Keystone Company's solicitor that the plant could not be removed from Wiarton, Mr. Fowler at once goes to Wiarton, getting people out to secure acreage and allows himself to be banquetted, and almost in the same breath he goes to Chatham, asking the people of Chatham to put up money to remove that plant to Chatham.

Mr. Fowler knows that I will put that plant into operation at Wiarton, and if he were half alive to the situation he would have dropped it long ago.

If you want a much better and much larger plant than the one at Wiarton you can get two for a song only a stone's throw from your city, viz., Mount Clemens and Marine City, Mich., and you could bring these over on a scow at a little cost.

I have given you these facts with all due respect to you and Mr. Fowler, so that you may know what you have ahead of you if you make calculations on the Wiarton plant. I made this statement verbally this morning to Mr. Matthew Wilson, of your city, whom I know well.

If you do not succeed in your present attempt of securing a sugar factory I may talk the matter over with you in a year from now.

Yours very truly,
J. C. SIEMON.

When the Mayor had finished the reading of the letter there was an awkward pause, and the aldermen looked at each other in a puzzled manner, and all eyes were directed towards Mr. Fowler, who was in the room. That gentleman was naturally called upon for a reply to the imputations contained in the letter.

"I spoke to Mr. Fowler about the matter," said his worship, "and he being a very shrewd man, will no doubt enlighten you on the vital points contained in the letter. After that you can proceed as you see fit. I am sorry that I am called to Hamilton to-night on business and will be unable to remain at this meeting, but I hope you will take this letter into consideration. I for myself, do not feel like taking hold of a thing over which there is a squabble. Of course they do not get anything until the plant is established here, and so you have nothing to lose, but it will not do to get mixed in this affair. I would move that Mr. Fowler be heard on this matter."

The motion was unanimously passed, and Mr. Fowler came forward. Upon arriving at the front he asked for a little time to peruse the letter. This was granted. After a thorough perusal, Mr. Fowler said: "I had an inkling of this affair this morning, and to anyone who knows the party who wrote the letter, the contents are plainly misleading. This man, who is a former resident of Wiarton, has not a dollar's interest in the town, and has not a dollar's interest in the factory. Some of the people in the place would no doubt like to see him come back, and settle up a few of his debts. He can't carry anything to the courts, or anywhere. I did attend a banquet in Wiarton. It was given to a man named Perry, who was leaving the town, but the banquet was not given to me. I was there as a guest. I went to Wiarton to get 1,500 acres of beets, and to put the factory there in operation. The people of Wiarton formed a company to secure the necessary acreage. They succeeded in getting 64 acres of beets—a nice thing to run a factory on. The result was that I came to Chatham, to get acreage for beets. While I was here, the proposition came [illegible] and yet. Mr. Sie[illegible] Wiarton factory [illegible] as the Marine [illegible] factories as good, and the other one is better than the one I represent. Mr. Siemon says he is a financier of legitimate concerns. I do not know of one concern which he has successfully financed. He was formerly in the furniture business and the mistake of his life was made when he sold out."

Ald. Edmondson thought that the Council should do all in their power to get the factory located in Chatham, but he did not want to see any trouble in the matter.

Mr. Fowler—There will be no trouble. All that the Wiarton people can do is to demand their money—$25,000—that they bonused the concern.

Ald. Edmondson—What will be the cost of submitting the by-law?

Mr. Fowler—We will put a clause the agreement to the effect that we will bear the cost of submitting the by-law if, in the event of it passing, we do not carry out our end of the agreement.

Ald. Stone—That is a very broad statement. Mr. Fowler is only the agent of the company in Chatham, and how do we know that any statement made by him will be ratified by the company he represents? Why has this matter been pushed on us at the last moment? I have letters from Mr. Truax on this question which I think will be of great service to the aldermen in coming to a decision in this matter There is lots of time. It is not in the interests of Mr. Fowler that this matter should be rushed through so fast. The people should understand both sides of this question before they are asked to vote on it. The factory is not going to be in operation this year, so there is lots of time.

Ald. Edmondson—I don't see where anything will be gained from delay. This matter has now been on for three weeks, and in the meantime Ald. Stone has had plenty of time to get his information. Mr. Fowler's time is no doubt valuable, and we should not keep him here any longer than is absolutely necessary.

Mr. Fowler—We will put a clause in solute authority to act for the company, and anything he agreed to would be accepted by his company.

Ald. Austin said that he had spoken to Mr. Gunds about the letter, and he did not seem to take it seriously. Mr. Wilson, he knew, held the members of the company in high regard. He dwelt upon the fact that the matter had been before the public for some time, and Ald. Stone had had every opportunity to get his facts before him. Manson Campbell and Mr. Hadley had expressed the opinion that the proposition was a good one.

Ald. Stone—Are any of these gentlemen taking stock in the company?

Ald. Austin—I do not know.

Ald. Stone—If they thought it was such a good proposition, do you not think that they would take stock in it?

Ald. Austin—Not necessarily. They can be in accord with the proposition, and favor it going before the electors without taking stock. How much longer will we have to delay this matter, to wait for Ald. Stone's information? We cannot expect Mr. Fowler to camp in Chatham.

Ald. Stone—We adjourned from last meeting until a week from to-night.

The Mayor thought it was until to-night.

Ald. Stone—He has a very bad memory.

Ald. Austin—Mr. Fowler is not unreasonable. He has consented to reimburse the city if he is doing anything to mislead us. If he were trying to mislead us he would be found out eventually, and then his reputation would be forever blasted. He should not be maltreated. Chances like this do not come every day. What we really want is more industries. We cannot get every kind of an industry, and we are happily situated for a sugar factory. Now Niagara power will be furnished to the cities to the [illegible] of us they will be in a position to give better inducements to other factories requiring much power.

Mr. Fowler—I am in favor of you getting all the information you can get on this subject, and I will be pleased to go over any information you may get, and give you the exact history of this concern from the time of its inception.

Ald. Stone—Do you call Mr. Truax reliable?

Mr. Fowler—Yes, as [illegible] he knows.

Ald. Stone [illegible] factory has [illegible] that he k[illegible]

Mr. Fow[illegible] he does [illegible] man b[illegible] knows.

Ald. [illegible]

THE BOARD OF HEALTH

Regular Meeting Held in Harrison Hall—Routine Business

THE BANNER GETS MIXED

A meeting of the Board of Health was held yesterday afternoon in the City Clerk's office. Those present were,—Chairman Charteris, Drs. Hall and Bray, Health Inspector Mounteer, Mayor Marshall and Messrs. C. Hadley and W. R. Baxter.

Some accounts were read and ordered paid, and two petitions from residents of Park Avenue West and Wilson avenue, in regard to sewers on those streets, were referred to the City Council.

Letter from Mrs. L. Callender, Colborne St., was read. This letter asked the Board to assist the petitioner to obtain relief from the over-flowing of the creek, on the bank of which her dwelling house is situated. She asked the Board to recommend a glazed-pipe sewer from her lot to the creek. The matter was referred to the City Council.

The matter of unsanitary houses was next dealt with. It was stated that several houses, against which notices has been issued, were still in the same unsanitary condition. After a little discussion, Mr. Hadley moved that the Health Inspector be instructed to deal with all places returned as unsanitary, and against which notices have been issued to the owners, by posting up notices ordering them closed until they are placed in a sanitary condition to the satisfaction of the Board.

This motion was seconded by Mr. Baxter and unanimously carried.

Mayor Marshall then spoke on the subject of the G. T. R. hog pens, the nuisance of which has not yet been abated.

The Mayor stated that he had arranged an interview with Superintendent Cunningham, of the G. T. R. for yesterday afternoon, but the latter was too busy to come and had asked that the interview be delayed a couple of days. He (the Mayor) had written to the company giving them notice that if the hog pen nuisance was not abated in five days he would issue a writ against them. The G. T. R. officials had replied that they did not think he would need to resort to this course, as they desired to settle the matter amicably and without any litigation. He expected that the matter would be settled as soon as the superintendent was able to see him.

The Mayor then drew attention to a report which had appeared in the Banner dealing with the last meeting of the Board. In this report Mr. Hadley was credited with saying that the Mayor had previously stated that he would not proceed against the G. T. R. because he wished to keep on friendly terms with them in regard to his business. If this report was correct he wished to inform Mr. Hadley that he had never made such a statement and that it was false in its entirety.

Mr. Hadley said that the Banner's report of the meeting was incorrect in many details. It credited several members of the Board with statements they had not made and this was an instance. He did not say anything about the matter.

Mr. Baxter said that he had read The Planet's account of the meeting adn that there was no mistakes in it. The Banner's report was mixed up.

Dr. Hall spoke to the Board on the matter of the isolation hospital. The arrangements for the taking over of the site were now almost complete and the question of appointing a caretaker was now before the Board. He had spoken to a man who was willing to take over this position, providing the Board would allow him a portion of the building to live in, and would also allow him to use part of the lot as a garden. This was a very reasonable proposal and he recommended it to the consideration of the Board.

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