

## COUNTY COUNCIL HOLDS BUSY SESSION ON FRIDAY

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**Communications Received.**  
Among the communications received were the following: The Council was asked to send a representative to the Joint Prison Farm Conference to meet on Tuesday, April 10th, in Berlin. This was received and filed. A letter asking for co-operation in the matter of an industrial prison farm for the county was received from Mr. L. E. Weaver and filed.

### A White Elephant.

The statement of the Brantford & Oakland Road Co. was received, endorsed by M. C. McCausland. It showed that the cost of the road was \$57,016, whilst the tolls received amounted to \$3,477.27 and the expenses amounted to \$2,534.50. The communication was filed after a brief discussion upon it took place. The sympathy of the Council was with those farmers who travelled the road, but they could not see the way clear to take over what was virtually a "white elephant."

The large amount necessary for the upkeep of the road, apart from the original cost, did not justify the purchase. Mr. Walker thought some of the farmers who often used this city as a market place should receive some consideration.

Councillor McCann knew of a man who had paid no less than \$35 last year and Mr. Greenwood remarked it would be better if the farmers would pay by the year. It was unfair to the farmers which ever way it was looked at. The owners thought Mr. Watts, county clerk, would sell the road for the cost of the bridge provided that the purchasers agreed to keep it in good shape. However, the councillors saw no reason why they should purchase the road and the letter was filed.

### Children's Aid Grateful.

Mr. J. L. Axford, thanked the Council for their donation of \$25 to the Children's Aid Society and he earnestly solicited a continuance of the favors. Consideration was deferred until the 1914 estimates were struck.

Mr. John Buskard wrote re the privileges of non-resident members of the Collegiate Institute. Letter filed.

### Collegiate Institute.

The statement of the authorities showing that the council's share of the upkeep of the Collegiate Institute for the past term is \$605.35. This was referred to the committee to report upon. Galt Collegiate estimate that the County council owes them was \$187.65 in regard to pupils for 1914. This was also referred to the committee to report on.

### New By-laws.

Readings were given to a by-law

which will allow the trustees of the Brant Sanatorium to borrow money for the maintenance expenses until various grants are due.

A by-law enabling the county depositories now issued to have interest coupons attached was passed.

### George Cook, Acting Wardens

In view of the indisposition of Warden Milmine, Councillor Cook will act in that capacity and yesterday he occupied the Warden's chair. The council adjourned for the afternoon session after the afore-mentioned business.

### Maintenance of Schools.

Upon the resumption of the question of the contribution to the House of Refuge was taken up. The city council had estimated that the county owes the city \$399, the cost of maintenance of inmates of the house during 1913. Mr. Watts, clerk of the council then quoted at some length from a foolscap folio, dealing with the agreements concerning the liability of the county and their respective relation to the contribution and liability of the city. Figures quoted showed that the city's share was twice as large as the county whilst the population of the city was 25,333 and the whole county including Brantford 45,000. The city was owed the money and it was to be considered. Nobody can object to paying an honest debt said Deputy Reeve Evans to which Reeve Cook remarked that that they did not want to take a baby and find it on their hands. He implied that if this \$399 was paid to the city council they might come back for the same amount for previous year as this shortage might be applied to more years than last. "If we owed it to them there would be no reason why we should not pay it" said Mr. Evans. "If you were in business and found a man owed you a sum and had done so several times for different years would you let it pass?" "I would" complementarily remarked Reeve Cook. There are many more details with regard to the question which will have to be looked into at the discussion was therefore left over until the next meeting.

### Auditor's Remuneration

The auditors had this year asked for extra remuneration, as they had had a great deal of extra work upon the work of the council. This was owing to the House of Refuge estimates. The statement of extra work was verified by Mr. Watts, and it was seen that the auditors had owing to some poor system of bookkeeping, had a difficult task this year. Reeve's fee was increased to \$60, as an addition of \$20 was considered not too large in view of the extra work done. It was pointed out however that the extra payment should be given and

stated specially to be for extra work which had been occasioned last year, otherwise it would have been creating a precedent, and the auditors would look for the larger fee when they had not done extra work. This amended view was acceptable to the whole body. It was then moved and seconded that the sum of \$1200 be paid to the auditors in recognition of their extra work, and this was carried.

### Coal for Court House

It was decided that the council advertise for coal tenders for the supply of coal to the court house buildings. An adjournment for 15 minutes was made.

Upon resumption, Reeve Waite presented the report of the finance committee for the month. It showed a balance to be carried forward of \$4,160.8. Report adopted.

The printing committee reported that they had found the bill of the McBride Press to be correct, and recommended payment. Moved and carried.

### School Inspector Report

The report of the education committee found no fault with the report of T. W. Standing, school inspector which they moved to adopt. They regretted that owing to an unfortunate accident, Mr. Stanling was himself unable to be present as hitherto. They remarked upon his good work in the schools and hoped for his speedy recovery and return to duty. His report called for no special recommendation. The question of the Galt and Brantford Collegiate Institutes and the council's liability in these matters needed more attention and the committee asked their report be heard next meeting. Moved by J. C. Walker, seconded by First Deputy McCann, report was carried.

### Auditor's Report.

The auditors had made a full examination of the books for the year 1913 and found them correct and in accordance with bank balances. The cash in the bank on December 31st 1913 was \$8,437.79, less checks to the amount of \$210.40, leaving a balance of \$8,227.39. The insurance on the court building was \$1,000 whilst the boilers were insured at \$4,000 and the treasurer's security bond was \$10,000. No further business was found to be dealt with and Councillor Stroud moved the adjournment of a brief and interesting sitting.

## City News Items

### Building Permit Issued.

A building permit was issued this morning to W. C. Ward, 71 Emily street for a frame addition to a brick cottage.

### Mayor Will Preside.

His Worship Mayor Spence will occupy the chair at Commander Evans' lecture in the Opera House next Tuesday evening. Commander Evans will arrive with his private secretary, Mr. Mather, in the city Tuesday afternoon and will be met by Mayor Spence on behalf of the city at the Grand Trunk station.

### Football Meeting.

Optimistic, indeed was the feeling which pervaded at a meeting of the football club of the 25th Dragoons held last night at the Borden club. It was announced that 22 men had been signed up for duty for the coming season and they included all of last season's stand-bys with some new players, who were young and would make an impression of youth and virility in the ranks of the team. The soldiers now have the making of a good team and although they are confident of making things hum they make no rash profession of winning everything in sight. The officials are sure of their ability to accomplish something worth while. A practice game will be played in the East Ward next week.

### St. Basil's Mission

At the Catholic mission last night a large audience listened with interest to a strong discourse by Rev. Father O'Reilly on "Eternal Punishment." Father O'Reilly described vividly the horrors of hell, and the great torture which awaits the sinful man who did not serve the Almighty God. People of to-day should take precautions to prepare for the day of reckoning which everyone has to face. Symptoms once started can never be retrieved, and therefore people should be careful to live virtuous lives on this earth. The fear of hell in a great way contributed to make man live a good life, but the love of God is greater than that fear, and that is the greatest asset is making man pure and guiltless.

### Lantern Lecture.

The young men of the Riverdale Baraca Class gave a very delightful egg supper and entertainment last night at the Riverdale Baptist church. In spite of the disagreeable weather a large company gathered to enjoy the evening's entertainment. After ample justice had been done to the supper, Rev. W. Reid of Paris, was called upon and for an hour and a half held the close attention of the audience as he took them for a trip through the great National Park of the United States, the Yellowstone Park. During the lecture Mr. Reid showed one hundred beautifully colored slides of the park. The slides were splendid and the speaker had a way all his own in giving the lecture. At the close a vote of thanks was tendered the ladies and Mr. Reid for providing so enjoyable an evening. The proceeds which amounted to \$20 are in aid of the Building Fund. The boys are to be congratulated, also Mr. H. A. Pettit who is the efficient teacher of this class.

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## NEW CLAIMS TO OLD PEERAGES

The Lords Privileges Com-  
mittee Reports to the  
King.

LONDON, March 28.—The House of Lords has ordered the Committee of Privileges to lay before the King its reports on the claims of Viscount Gage and Sir Robert Bourcier Sher and Wrey to the Barony of Dynant, Martin and Fitzwaryn.

With respect to the barony of Fitzwaryn, their lordships report that it is an ancient barony in fee, and Sir William Bourcier Wrey was summoned to Parliament as a peer of the realm in 33 Henry VI. (1455) as Lord Fitzwaryn, and was entitled to a barony right and was entitled to the heirs general of his body. On the death of Edward, fourth Earl of Bath and Lord Fitzwaryn, in 1637, the barony fell into abeyance between his three daughters Lady Elizabeth (who died without issue), Lady Dorothy, and Lady Anne.

The co-heirs of Lady Dorothy are now (a) Viscount Gage (b) Colonel Hugo Montgomery-Campbell (c) the heirs or heirs, if any, of Mary Mackworth (who was living unmarried in 1681), and the sole heir of Lady Anne is Reginald Joseph Weld. The committee further report that the Barony of Fitzwaryn is in abeyance and at his Majesty's disposal.

As to the Barony of Martin (claimed by Viscount Gage), the committee report that it is an ancient barony in fee, and that William Martin was summoned to Parliament as a peer of the realm by writ 23 Edward I. (1295) and sat in Parliament, and was entitled to a barony by writ descendible to the heirs general of his body. Their lordships find that the co-heirs are Henry Rainald, (Viscount Gage), Colonel Hugo Montgomery-Campbell, and Reginald Joseph Weld. Also that the barony of Martin is in abeyance and at his Majesty's disposal.

With respect to the barony of Dynant (also claimed by Viscount Gage) their lordships report that no evidence has been produced of the existence or descent of the alleged barony.

The committee will proceed to hear the part heard Strabolgi claim, and also the claims to the Saint John barony.

**NATIONAL STEEPLECHASE**  
LIVERPOOL, March 27.—The Grand National Steeplechase, the feature event of the Liverpool racing meeting was won to-day by Sun Lock an outsider, owned by T. Tyler. King George's entry, Twelfth Lancer, was scratched. Sun Lock went to the post with odds of 100 to 6 against him.

## Was A Friend Of The Poor

Millionaire Who Criticized the Extravagance of His Own Class.

LONDON, March 27.—By his death which occurred in London on Sunday, of Mr. F. T. Martin, the American millionaire, the poor have lost a good friend. He knew practically every monarch in Europe. But the one great lobby of his life was to observe the motto of "One good turn a day." His generosity led him into the queer places of the world, and the slum dwellers at Whitechapel knew him as intimately as the slum dwellers of Chicago.

Once Mr. Martin journeyed to the East End from his fashionable West End hotel to redeem a poor woman's blankets and household goods at the pawnshop. He once said, "I shall count myself supremely happy to be known as the poor man's friend." He did scores of good deeds, but self-advertisement he hated.

In his book, "The Passing of the Idle Rich," he criticized his own class mercilessly. He told a story of a wealthy American woman who owned a pet monkey that was treated like a king. Twelve servants were engaged to wait upon the animal, which had its own valet, dining table, and solid ivory bed. It ate from solid silver plates, and cost its mistress three thousand pounds a year. Instances such as this caused Mr. Martin to protest vehemently against the extravagance of American society in general; yet, paradoxically, he remained one of its most popular leaders until the end.

The Allan liners Mongolian and Carthaginian are to ply between St. John and Liverpool in the summer, and the Furness Line may also give an all-year-round service to St. John.

## SIGNALLERS AT ANNUAL PARTY

They Had a Merry Time Last  
Night—Supper Was  
Enjoyed.

The signal corps of the Dufferin Rifles held their annual theatre party and supper on Friday evening. After falling in at the armories at 8 p.m. they marched to the Brant Theatre, and there occupied nearly all of the boxes and thoroughly enjoyed the excellent bill put on by Manager Moule, both the pictures and vander-ville being of extra high class. After the show they marched to the Tea Pot Inn, where mine host Cramback had an extra fine spread awaiting which the boys certainly did ample justice to as usual.

Captain Dunlop then in a short speech, regretted very much that he happened to clash dates with A. Company, and Corpl. McKie read letters of regret from officers of the staff and others, that they could not be with us. The boys then manned their glasses and drank toasts to the King, the commanding officer, and the sister companies. Then speeches were made by Capt. Hicks, Capt. Miller, Capt. Dunlop, Col. Sergeant Prior, Col. Sergt. Pilley, and Col. Sergt. Davis.

The officers all complimented the corps on their high standing for 1913 being champions of Ontario and second in the Dominion of Canada. After songs by Pte. Murphy of the bugle band and Col. Sergt. Mack, Col. Sergt. Hart proposed a toast to the signalers, and Sergt. Hamilton, Sergt. Coale, Corpl. McKie, Corpl. Housion and Corpl. Hart were heard

from, they all laying plans to win Dominion honors for 1914. This was followed by a short speech by one late Lieut. J. E. Janet, and Captain Dunlop said he would like to get several more real good recruits for the season.

The evening came to a close with more songs and recitations by Irish friend, Murphy, and other and the entire gathering, over fifty strong, sang God Save the King.

After four days' desperate fighting General Villiers established his headquarters in Gomez, Palacio.

## LADIES! SECRET TO DARKEN GRAY HAIR

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