

April 25 1921

## LETTER BOX

## A SEVERE LECTURE

Editor Planet:

There have been, in the past, instances of journalism in Chatham, of which, no citizen could justly feel proud.

But for journalism, essentially, despicably, maliciously, low, the Banner-News out Herods Herod.

Their attack some time ago on ex-Ald. J. E. Reid, when that gentleman was appointed, was without parallel. Their recent reference to ex-Warden John Davidson was beneath contempt, especially in view of their eulogy at the end of his term as warden, while their reference to J. S. Fraser, as a lawyer, could come only from a little man. It served, however, as a cue to Alderman McCoig, whose reference to the legal fraternity was a little hard on such respectable liberal workers as barristers J. Kerr, Fred. Stone, Edwin Bell, L. B., and W. E. McKeough, compared with whom, Ald. McCoig is the veriest pigmy.

It is another illustration, however, of the truth, "that fools rush in where angels fear to tread."

CITIZEN.

THE DISTRICT.  
THAMESVILLE

April 25.—Jas. Massey, of Chatham, was in town yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Marchbanks, Bottwell, spent yesterday with their daughter, Mrs. Geo. Pickard.

R. W. Coates, of London, was in town yesterday.

Miss Fern Harmer returned yesterday from Cedar Springs.

Harry Spitzer, of London, was in town yesterday.

Mrs. Wm. Hinde returned to Shelbourne yesterday, after a month's visit with her daughter, Mrs. H. E. Harmer.

Miss McNeil, of Cedar Springs, is the guest of Miss Fern Harmer.

## TILBURY

April 25.—Miss Green, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. E. Jacobs, returned to her home in Sombra this week.

Mrs. Lemire, of Windsor, is the guest of her son, Mr. and Mrs. J. Lemire here.

Mrs. H. G. Powell, of Tilbury East, who has been undergoing treatment in St. Joseph's hospital, Chatham, returns home this week, much improved in health.

Paul Thibert and family, of Tilbury East, left this week for Berkeley, B. C.

Mr. Gillean, of London, representative of the Standard Life Insurance Company, was in town yesterday.

Dr. J. G. Shearer, secretary of the Lord's Day Alliance, will deliver a lecture in the Presbyterian church on Tuesday evening next, at 8 o'clock.

J. C. Kennedy is in Blenheim, taking the management of the stove mill of T. L. Fardo, ex-M. P.

## DRESDEN

April 25.—Clifford Huff has purchased the house and lot on Holden street formerly owned by Ted. Bodkin.

Mr. John Wiley has purchased the lot on Brown street situated between Wm. Rudd's and Jas. Blackburn's residence. He will erect a handsome residence thereon.

Owen Watson, of London Dental College, is the guest of his parents here.

Charles Byers, of the London Medical College, is visiting friends in town.

Ray Turner has given up his position in Willson's drug store and will sail this summer.

A meeting of the Board of Trade was held on Wednesday evening to form a syndicate for the growing of from 500 to 1,000 acres of sugar beets for the Dresden sugar factory.

Mrs. Chas. Aikin, North street, will receive her friends on Wednesday and Thursday of next week.

A lecture was given in the Methodist church last evening by Rev. J. G. Shearer of the Lord's Day Alliance.

## Theatrical

"DON'T TELL MY WIFE."

Wit, as well as humor is abundantly in evidence in Arthur Deming's new farce, "Don't Tell My Wife" which will be revealed at the Grand Opera House, to-night. The author, Howard Hall, has not resorted to the usual extraneous aids in lifting the floodgates of fun. He has shunned the grotesque, the noisy and the violent, which some playwrights consider farce and has provided a piece which, while rich in comic complications, is at the same time studded with characterization close cut, and the action moves with the rapidity of a rifle ball travelling towards a bulls-eye. The new play is in admirable hands, for in conjunction to Arthur Deming, there are such clever actors as Harry Shank, John Jenkins, Miss Celia Campbell, Miss Jane West and the Kingsley Sisters participating.



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The Diploma is of very handsome design, printed in a sepia color on heavy plate paper; at the top of the Diploma is a birds-eye-view of the Glasgow Exhibition buildings and at the bottom a design which represents the different types of the nationalities of the world, carrying their wares to the feet of Glasgow, who is represented by the figure of a woman.

The Grand Trunk Exhibit at Glasgow comprises a series of large photographic views, depicting scenes at different points on the System, including the summer resort districts in Ontario and Quebec, the Mountains of New England and views on the Atlantic Sea Coast. After the close of the Exposition the entire collection was presented by the Grand Trunk to the Imperial Institute, London, England.

## Township Councils.

CHATHAM TOWNSHIP COUNCIL.

The Municipal Council of the Township of Chatham met at the Township Hall on Monday, the 7th day of April, 1921, pursuant to adjournment. The members were all present. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved of.

The following communications and petitions were received and read: From Thrasher & Arnold, solicitors, for Wm. Nalgie, stating that if the construction of the Manning drain is proceeded with along the 6th and 7th concessions road he will have no objection to the same if sewer pipe is laid in place and the drain covered in front of his buildings; if this is not done he will apply for an injunction restraining the carrying out of the proposed work.

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missioner on the Danforth drain, stating that by some oversight he neglected giving Wm. Austin, a w 1-4 lot 20, con. 5, payment for farm bridge as provided in the engineer's report on the repair of said drain.

From W. G. McGeorge, C. E., stating that E. Gallip should be allowed a bridge across the Danforth drain as a change has been made in the drain since the survey was made.

A petition from Robert Tonge and others was read asking to have Mr. George Hayles retained as commissioner on the Best drain.

A petition from Wm. Noltie, Joseph Manning and others, for a new drain along the south side of the 6th and 7th concessions road allowance from part of lot 22 westward to the Danforth drain was read.

F. W. Charteris, commissioner Charteris drain, was present and submitted a written report of repairs he had done on the Charteris drain, and the cost of the same, he expended \$125.34, the drain is now in a good condition, his time spent as commissioner eight days.—Report adopted.

Mr. Robert Burns, commissioner Glasgow drain, was present, and reported the said drain in a good state of repair, his time spent as commissioner and removing obstructions was five days.—Report adopted.

Mr. Norris E. Gibb addressed the council in reference to disposing of a quantity of sewer pipe at cheap rates as he is going out of the business; he quoted the number on hand, size, price, etc.

Mr. Chas. Duddle made application to have the north half of lot 13 in the 6th concession transferred from Public School Section No. 7 to Section No. 6; he also presented a written statement from the trustees of Section 7 to the effect that they are willing that the said change be made.

The reeve and councillor Tompkins submitted a written report as to what they considered an equitable arrangement to enter into with Chatham City to have the waterworks extended to the hydro-electric plant.

On motion of Mr. Wickens and Mr. Tompkins, the report was adopted and the said committee empowered to make what arrangements they think just.

Moved by Tompkins and George, that John Clyde be appointed commissioner on the Best drain.—Carried.

Moved by Tompkins and Tompkins, that the petition of Wm. Noltie, Joseph Manning and others for a drain along the 6th and 7th concessions road be entertained and if the clerk find a majority of the owners assessed, according to the last revised assessment roll, in the area described to be on the said petition, to notify W. G. McGeorge, C. E., to make an examination and survey and report on the construction of a drain as prayed for in said petition.—Carried.

Moved by Wickens and Tompkins, that the clerk notify the trustees of School Section No. 6 and 7, also the owners of the lands to be transferred, that this council intends to pass a by-law at their next regular meeting, the first Monday in May, deprecating the placing of a drain in the 6th concession from School Section No. 6 and adding the same to Section 7.—Carried.

Moved by Wickens and George, that councillor Tompkins meet N. E. Gibb in Wallaceburg when sewer pipe is removed, and ascertain that the correct number and size is furnished as agreed on with Mr. Gibb.—Carried.

Moved by Tompkins and Tompkins, that Isaac French be appointed commissioner on the 6th concession drain.—Carried.

Moved by George and Tompkins, that the county treasurer is hereby instructed to write off his books the arrears of taxes charged against the n w 1-4 of lot 6 in the 15th concession as the same appears there by mistake, and that the clerk send the said treasurer a copy of this resolution.—Carried.

There were a large number of accounts which were ordered paid by different resolutions and charged to their proper accounts.

Moved by Tompkins and Tompkins, that this council adjourn to meet at the Township Hall on the 14th day of April as a special meeting to appoint township officers, pathmasters, drain commissioners, fence viewers, pound keepers, etc.—Carried.

The Township of Chatham council met at the hall the 14th day of April, 1921, for the purpose of selecting and appointing township officers for the present year. The members were all present.

The by-law confirming the appointment of pathmasters, pound keepers, drain commissioners, fence viewers, etc., was filled in and read on motion of Mr. George and Mr. Tompkins; the same was finally passed, signed and sealed.

Robert Gallip and Theophilus McKerrall was heard in reference to Mr. Gallip's claim for damages for reason of John Deline diverting the course of the Danforth drain.

Moved by George and Tompkins, that the reeve and councillor Wickens be appointed a committee to meet with the commissioner of the Danforth drain and Gallip and Deline and try and arrive at a settlement in regard to the grievance of Mr. Gallip.—Carried.

Moved by Tompkins and Tompkins, that all persons are forbidden from removing earth from the 9th concession road allowance opposite lot No. 1, and that printed notices to that effect be posted up.—Carried.

Moved by Tompkins and George, that the statute labor for Taylor avenue division be commuted at the rate of fifty cents per day and that the same be placed on the tax collector's roll for collection, and that the commissioner of the first division expend the commutation money in said statute labor division and that the same be paid out of the general account of the Township until the taxes are collected.

Meeting adjourned.

A. McARTHUR,  
Township Clerk.

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