

WANTS CITY TO KEEP FURS.

Board of Health Does Not See it That Way.

Long Order Paper For the Board of Works Meeting.

A Bit of Good News About the Sand Sucker.

The Board of Health to-night will deal with the question of the disposal of the furs found in the shop on King street west, where a man named Howes was found suffering with smallpox. A St. Catharines dealer, who owned the furs, wrote, saying he could not afford to lose them. Dr. Roberts, Medical Health Officer, conferred with Dr. Hodges, of the Provincial Board, and the result was a decision to fumigate the furs and permit the owner to have them. Dr. Roberts said that the disinfecting was thoroughly done and then notified the St. Catharines man to take them away. The dealer sent a letter back in which he intimates he wants the city to keep the furs and reimburse him for them. There is no possibility of this being done and Dr. Roberts says that even though the board ordered the furs destroyed the owner could not force the city to reimburse him for them.

Besides the power question the Board of Works to-morrow night will deal with the following business:

Engineer and Assessment Commissioner as to advisability of the widening of Aurora street.

Sub-committee re lights.

Alteration to fire-escape leading to Catharine street from Bennett's Theatre.

Sub-committee as to procuring a better quality of stone.

To construction of road leading from the foot of the Jolley Cut to the lead of Victoria avenue.

Complaint of E. F. Noyes and others re crossing of street railway tracks by the Brantford & Hamilton Railway at Hess and Herkimer streets.

Application for switch from proposed T. H. & B. spur into the Banwell-Hoxie premises.

Complaints of Thos. Partridge, M. Kennedy and Mrs. A. Caffery re fire street bridge.

Matters in dispute with Ed. New.

Retaining wall on Jolley Cut road.

Report of T. W. Sotman re street lighting. Petition for a light on Myrtle avenue.

J. M. Young, Hamilton Cotton Company, asking that the city convey to him what interest it has in certain lanes in the neighborhood of premises on Mary street.

Gibson, Osborne, O'Reilly and Levy as to paving of Main street, from James to Hughson streets.

Simpson Brick Co., Toronto, asking for the opening and continuation of Chatham street, called Robinson street, from Garth street.

Solicitor as to injuries sustained by John Hannah.

Report and estimate from City Engineer on offer of W. D. Platt as to gift of park lands in the southwest portion of the city and obligation imposed on Board of Works Department.

Mewburn & Lamoureux as to complaint of Messrs. Matthews and Brice as to raising of grade of Picton street.

Letter from W. D. Platt as to moving of earth from the east side of Cottage avenue, back of sidewalk.

The waterworks official say it will not be necessary now to beach the sand sucker to repair it. The leak has been discovered and plugged and the work of repair can be hustled along.

Ald. Allen was at the City Hall this morning with fire in his eye. He was down at the Beach on Saturday and was disgusted to find that nothing had been done in the way of repairing the sand sucker except the ironwork. Ald. Allen intimated that there was going to be one big row unless City Engineer Barrow produced the contractors along. Mr. Barrow was at the Beach to-day and at the City Hall it was reported that all the contractors were at work.

Hon. J. S. Hendrie has notified Secretary R. H. Foster of the Board of Education that Premier Whitney will receive the Board's special committee re technical school this week, at Toronto, and arrangements are being made to go on Wednesday. When interviewed before the best that the deputations could ever get was the promise that "Hamilton would suffer no injustice." Hamilton has suffered a monstrous injustice at the hands of the Tory Government at Toronto and the Board of Education has gone on record as so declaring. Whitney has made no move, as far as can be learned to give this city the slightest return for robbing it of the Ontario Normal College to boost Toronto and the Board of Education thinks it is high time he showed some sign of making good his promise. To stir the Government up the Board appointed the strongest Tory committee it could get out of the Tory Board. The committee includes Messrs. Wm. Bell, J. Orr Callaghan, J. W. Lamoureux, Geo. Armstrong, Dr. Carr, J. E. Wodell, Geo. R. Allen, W. J. Grant and Alfred Ward.

CONSUMPTION—ITS CURE.

For every dollar spent on the cure of this disease ought to be spent along the line of prevention, if the statement made by England's greatest physician be true. He said "nine consumptive cases out of ten could be prevented if proper attention had been given to developing the chest and lungs."

Mr. Barton, at his lecture on health, strength and longevity, in Y. M. C. A. Hall, next Thursday and Friday, November 7 and 8, will illustrate how weak lungs can be made strong; also proper way to breathe and many other helpful hints on scientific training of the body. Reserved seat plan now open at Nordheim's, King street west.

The Clothing Business is Peculiar

Advances in prices are well known, however, because of our relation with certain of the best manufacturers, who give us first opportunities to secure special lines, we are able to make attractive price reductions on goods which are in demand. Boys' overcoats at \$3.50. Men's overcoats \$12.00. From where we get these look dollars better than anywhere else. Fralick & Co., 13 and 15 James street north.

A good many professions of religion are set up on the theory that people believe in them rather than their own.

TEA TABLE GOSSIP.

—Mr. A. Pratt, Ottawa, is the guest of his brother, Mr. D. B. Pratt, 166 Main street west.

—The "Creation" practice will be held to-night at 8 o'clock, in the Conservatory of Music hall.

—Scarlet fever cards are posted on several doors in the eastern part of the city. The cases are of a mild nature.

—Mr. George C. Thomson, of the firm of Kerr & Thomson, returned from a flying visit to Atlantic City, N. J., on Sunday afternoon.

—Toronto Globe: Mr. Herbert Hornby, of Woodstock, and Miss Helen Hornby, of Hamilton, are the guests of friends in the city.

—Rev. H. H. Bingham and wife, of Paris, were the guests of the Emerald Street Methodist Church paragonage for Thanksgiving.

—The Automatic Grain Shocker Company, of Hamilton, has been incorporated under the Provincial Act. The share capital is \$40,000.

—Miss Hunter, of this city, was bridesmaid at the marriage of Mr. C. T. Keefe, of Brussels, and Miss V. P. Jackson, of Toronto, at Brussels.

—The annual meeting of the Liberal Association has been postponed until Tuesday evening, Nov. 19, announcement of which will be made later.

—Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Dixon, of Hillsdale, who have been visiting Mrs. Dixon's mother, Mrs. R. Baird, O'Reilly street, left for home yesterday.

—Mrs. Trimble, of 34 Clyde street, has been confined to her bed for several weeks. She is improving rapidly and hopes to be up again in a few days.

—Mrs. Maloy, of Toronto, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bulmer, of 238 Wilson street, underwent a serious operation at the Hospital last week. She is now on the road to recovery.

—Rev. Matthew Barr, of Seaford, died on Sunday. He was the father of Mrs. MacPherson, wife of the Rev. Dr. MacPherson, formerly of St. Paul's Church, here, now of Indianapolis.

—A special meeting of Brantford City Council is to be held this evening to straighten out a tangle between the T. H. & B. and the B. H. & A. Companies about an under-crossing in that city.

—Mr. and Mrs. D. McGlochan and Mrs. Kearns, of Aylmer, visited at Mr. Geo. E. MacLachlan's, 31 Sherman avenue, and also at Mr. David Dexter's, East avenue south, over Thanksgiving and Sunday.

—Twenty per cent. off silk hats, stiff hats and soft hats, all the latest, at waugh's, post office opposite; three dollar hats now two forty; two fifty hats; one fifty hats now one twenty; all this week; specials in underwear, fifty, seventy-five cents and one dollar.

—Patrick Aylward, who died on Friday night at Dundas was buried this morning in St. Augustine's cemetery.

—Rev. Mr. Heenan conducted high mass and Father Arnold performed the ceremony at the grave. Deceased came from Ireland many years ago and for years was associated with the late Mr. Coady in the coopering business. He was the youngest brother of Mrs. Coady and was unmarried. The pall-bearers were: Messrs. James Pearce, Thomas Burns, M. T. Sutherland, John S. Cummings, James Hourigan and James Kent.

SKATING RACE.

The match race between Elmer Hawkes and G. Riggs, to take place on Thursday evening at the Alexandra rink, is creating a good deal of excitement among their many friends, as both young men are training hard for the contest, and each seems determined to win. The winner is likely to be challenged by some of the other fast skaters, and also by one of Toronto's fastest skaters. They both wish to uphold the honor of Hamilton, if the match is arranged.

INDIAN TROUBLE.

Omaha, Neb. Oct. 4.—As a result of orders to disband the remaining two squadrons of the Second United States Cavalry, composed of eight companies, to Thunder Butte, S. D., at the earliest possible moment, the command led by Des Moines last night, Col. Frank West, of the Second Cavalry, will command the expedition. He is an old time Indian fighter.

\$200,000 FIRE.

Buffalo, Nov. 4.—A special to the Times from Lockport, N. Y., says: Fire which broke out in the Olmsted Exchange Works at Washburn and Exchange streets early to-day resulted in the destruction of that building, the five-story mills of the Franklin Milling Co., across the street. The loss is estimated at \$200,000.

WISE AND OTHERWISE.

Marriage will teach a man a lot of things that he has never expected to learn.—Florida Times-Union.

Knicker—If Swarthmore votes for football he will lose three million dollars. Bocker—And only get a quarter back.—New York Sun.

"Parson, somebody dared us to get married, and we won't do it. Here we are."—"Well, my young friends, I dare you to go home and endeavor to cultivate some common sense."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

About the time a dressmaker's bill has set a man back \$100 or more it is easy to convince him that beauty unadorned is adorned the most.—Chicago News.

Patient—What is astigmatism, doctor? The oculist—It means that you can see better with one eye than the other. Patient—Oh, yes! I see, one pupil is more apt than the other.—Sydney Herald.

The fox may lose his hair, but not his cunning.—Dutch.

"Her debut is going to be the grandest affair of the season." "Having it made in Paris, I suppose."—Houston Post.

I deem the presence of the master to be the eye of the home.—Aeschylus.

"The little one that I give you the big penny, wot I got out of it?" The big one—Why, didn't I just tell you I'd let you watch me spend it? Wot d'yer want, anyhow?—Chicago Tribune.

His Business.

A Boston lawyer, who brought his wife from his native Dublin, while cross-examining the plaintiff in a divorce trial, brought forth the following:

"You wish to divorce this woman because she drinks?"

"Yes, sir."

"Do you drink yourself?"

"That's my business!" (angrily.)

Whereupon the unmoved lawyer asked:

"Have you any other business?"

The preacher who really feeds his congregation will have no trouble in filling his church.

The best appreciation of any truth is its application.

THE WEATHER.

FORECASTS.—Fresh southerly and westerly winds; fair; a few scattered showers to-night. Tuesday, westerly winds; fair and mild.

The following is issued by the Department of Marine and Fisheries:

Temperature.

8 a. m. Min. Weather.

Calgary 50 36 Fair

Winnipeg 20 24 Clear

Parry Sound 24 22 Fair

Toronto 22 30 Cloudy

Ottawa 30 30 Fair

Montreal 32 30 Fair

Quebec 32 32 Cloudy

Port Arthur 36 34 Cloudy

Father Point 32 28 Cloudy

W. K. PEARCE, Manager

WEATHER NOTES.

The area of pressure which was over Michigan on Saturday morning has increased in importance as it moved eastward, and on Sunday morning was centered near Montreal as an important storm. It has since been dispersing. Gales, accompanied by rain, have been general from western Ontario to Nova Scotia. The weather continues mild in the west.

Washington, Nov. 4.—Eastern States and Northern New York.—Unsettled weather with local rains to-night and on Tuesday, light to fresh west winds becoming variable.

Western New York.—Local rains to-night and Tuesday.

Lakes Erie and Ontario.—Fresh winds, mostly southwest, unsettled weather, with local rains to-night and Tuesday, except fair Tuesday on west Erie.

The following is the temperature as registered at Parke & Parkes drug store:

9 a. m., 35; 12 noon, 45; 2 p. m., 46. Lowest in 24 hours, 30; highest, 46.

Steamship Arrivals.

November 3.—

St. Louis—At New York, from Southampton.

Lucania—At New York, from Liverpool.

Koenig Albert—At Genoa, from New York.

St. Paul—At Southampton, from New York.

Legaria—At New York, from Genoa.

Umbria—At Liverpool, from New York.

Italia—At Liverpool, from New York.

Arabic—At Liverpool, from New York.

Sylvania—At Liverpool, from Boston.

Nord-Amsterdam—At Rotterdam, from New York.

Sardinian—At London, from Montreal.

Victoria—At Montreal, from Liverpool.

Hungarian—At Father Point, from London.

Gratian—At Quebec, from Glasgow.

Cedric—At New York, from Liverpool.

Buecher—At New York, from Hamburg.

Caledonian—At Liverpool, from Manchester.

Monmouth—At Liverpool, from Montreal.

Ottawa—At Liverpool, from Montreal.

Umbria—At Liverpool, from New York.

Winifred—At Liverpool, from Boston.

Republie—At Gibraltar, from New York.

K. P. Ceille—At Cape Race, from Bremen.

Kensington—At Father Point, from Liverpool.

Lo Gascolne—At New York, from Havre.

London, Nov. 4.—Arrived yesterday: Mount Temple, from Montreal.

Father Point, Nov. 4.—S. S. Manchester, Engineer Manchester, from Manchester.

inward at 8:10 a. m. S. S. Maxman, Dominion Line, from Montreal, inward, 5:30 p. m.

FINDING ONE'S WAY IN CHINA.

It is no easy matter to find one's way about in China, even if one knows the language. So, at least, says W. J. Garnett, the third secretary of the British Legation at Peking, who returned a little while ago from a journey through the Provinces of Shantung and Kiangsu.

There are, he says, villages every few miles, but the inhabitants seem very ignorant of the places in their own neighborhood.

As a sample of the conversation that took place when he asked the way from one village to another he records the following: "Is this the way to Tsoushen?"

"Are you going to Tsoushen?" "Yes, is this the way?" "Oh, you are going to Tsoushen, are you? Where do you come from?"

"From Chingchow. Please is this the way to Tsoushen?" "Oh, you've come from Chingchow, have you? Are you going into the city walls of Tsoushen?"

"Finally the native would admit that he did not know the way to Tsoushen. At the entrance to another village an ancient village was asked what the name of the place was. After asking in turn who Mr. Garnett was, where he had come from, where he was going and why he wanted an inn, he considered the patient inquirer, and finally closed the conversation by saying, "How should I know? I am not a learned man."—Manchester Guardian.

London Without Butterflies.

Scarcely a butterfly has been seen in London this summer, and even in their favorite resorts, such as the St. James Park, there is a complaint of great dearth of all the finer sorts. The absence is the more conspicuous since our trees have been devastated by caterpillars.

So far as London is concerned the reason can be stated. The authorities have recently made great efforts to fill the parks with admirals and marshes white, but for some reason nearly all the chrysalides (and there were many) were found eaten out by a small parasite.

When first the experiment was made in Battersea Park some years ago not one survived, and the same parasite seems this year to have been busy in country places.

The result of it is that the rarer and more splendid sorts suffer most. Cabbage whites, common blues, meadow browns and heaths are always common enough, but of the red admiral—splendid, if not uncommon—and of the large tortoiseshell the autumn woods seem to be largely bereft; and the silver-marked fritillaries, so conspicuously associated with blackberry bushes, are among the victims. The purple emperor, which generally appears in considerable quantities in the southern counties, also missed his July appearance in several favorite haunts.—From the London Daily Mail.

No man ever found that laying up treasure in heaven prevented his finding real treasures here.

Rate Schedule for Electric Lighting

Taking Effect December 1st, 1907.

COMMERCIAL

Meter rate, 44c. per kilowatt hour, subject to discount of 10 per cent. for prompt payment. Net rate is 26-100c. per 16 candle-power, incandescent lamp hour.

To the meter rate should be added the fixed charges of the list below, on which no discount is allowed:

All RENEWALS of arc lamp carbons, Nernst lamp glowers and incandescent lamps FREE.

4 candle power incandescent lamp, per month 4c

6 candle power incandescent lamp, per month 7c

16 candle power incandescent lamp, per month 10c

32 candle power incandescent lamp 20c

4 ampere arc lamp, per month 1.00

6 1/2 ampere arc lamp, per month 20c

Nernst lamp, per glowers per month 20c

All lighting that is not strictly residential will class as commercial.

NOTE.—The offices of the company are now located in Terminal Building, where all business will in future be transacted.

The Hamilton Electric Light and Power Co., Limited.

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16 KING ST. WEST

Tenders Wanted

Sealed Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock noon of Friday, Nov. 8th, last, for constructing pipe sewers on the following portions of streets, namely:

Tiffany street, Stuart street to Barton street.

According to the plans and specifications to be seen at the office of the City Engineer, where forms of tender and other information can be obtained.

S. H. KENT, City Clerk.

City Hall, Nov. 4th, 1907.

Markets and Finance.

Toronto, Nov. 4.—Noon—

(Received by A. E. Carpenter.)

Abitibi 5 1/2 4 3/4

Amalgamated 5 1/2 5

Buffalo 2 00 1 00

Calumet Lake 11 00 1 00

Colalt Lake 11 00 1 00

Coniagas 4 10 3 90

Foster 72 68

Green Meehan 18 15

Hudson Bay 175 00 3 25

Kapuskine 4 50 3 75

McKinn, Dar 80 73

Nipissing 6 37 6 12

Nova Scotia 21 10 19 1/2

Peterson Lake 14 11

Red Rock 18 15

Right of Way 3 50 2 50

Silver Lake 7 1/2 7 3/4

Silver Bar 32 29

Silver Queen 78 73

Temiscamingue, old stk. 82 74

Trothway 62 60