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LONDON AND DISTRICT

—Both services at Murray Street Baptist Church, Sunday, were taken by Rev. C. M. Carew, of this city, Sunday last.

—The Seventh Regiment Bugle Band will march out with the Twenty-fifth Regiment at St. Thomas on Thursday night.

—Mr. James I. Murray, of Smallman-gram establishment, has returned from a British and continental purchasing trip.

—At the close of the council meeting last night the members subscribed their names to the book which is to be presented to Mr. Nicholas Wilson, the veteran teacher, each alderman contributing 25 cents, also toward the cost of the old palatine which was presented the father of the Old Boys during the week of the reunion.

—Mr. S. Hamblin has received a telegram from his daughter, Lillian, wife of Mr. E. P. Petch, died at her home, Greenwood, P. C., on Friday August 18. Deceased is survived by her husband, three sisters, and two brothers—Mrs. McKeezie and Miss Edith, of Regina; Miss Jessie, of London; Dr. S. B. Hamblin, of Detroit, and R. S. Hamblin, of the city.

—Mr. Percy D. Harris, principal of the Winnipeg High School, and son of Rev. A. G. Harris, pastor of Lambeth Methodist Church, who has been visiting under the parental roof for several weeks, have come to the conclusion that London is good enough for them, and intend to remain.

JEAN PURTON'S FUNERAL.

The remains of the late Jean Purton, Mitchell, eldest daughter of Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Purton, were laid to rest in Windsor on Friday afternoon. Services were conducted by Revs. E. Dymond, of Glenora; A. J. Blowers, of Mitchell, and D. H. Hynd, of Sandwich. A beautiful service from Trinity Church, Windsor, was among the many beautiful floral offerings.

MR. BISSELL DEAD.

At the age of 69 years, Mr. Henry R. Bissell, well-known resident of this city, passed away yesterday morning at his residence, 364 St. James street, after an illness of long duration. He was survived by his wife (Mrs. M. Giddell), one daughter, Mrs. Charles H. White, of this city. Mr. Bissell was engaged in the trade of cabinetmaking for many years, he was a member of the London Furniture Company, and then went into business on his own account. His health has been poor for several years past, but only within the last ten days did his nature become fatal. Mr. Bissell's father was a son of the late Mr. John Bissell, past grand master of the L. O. O. F. in this Province, and the deceased himself held a prominent place in the same order. Rev. Dr. Daniel, pastor of the Colborne Street Methodist Church, will conduct the services at the funeral tomorrow afternoon. Interment in Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

A life for thought may save you no end of trouble. Anyone who makes it a rule to keep Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy at hand knows this to be a fact. For sale by all druggists.

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OBJECTIONS MADE TO SPLASHBOARDS

Kick Registered By Mr. R. Quick at Meeting of the Water Commissioners.

The regular meeting of the water commissioners was held yesterday, with Chairman Darch, Mayor Campbell, Engineer Moore and Secretary Edworthy present.

Mr. Robert Quick addressed the board, and protested against the splashboards at the Springbank dam. These, he said, caused the water to back up on his land below the Cove bridge, and made it impossible for him to get the gravel out. He requested the board to remedy the matter.

Engineer Moore was instructed to examine and report on the condition. Ed Morkin, of the Morkin House, applied for a rebate on water rates, on account of a leak in the pipe in the yard. He was granted \$5.50 rebate.

C. H. Wallace, 674 Dundas street, entered a protest against water rates charged for his store. The letter was filed.

The engineer's report recommended the following: That temporary mains be laid on Irvine street and Central avenue east; that 4-inch main be laid on Fenwick avenue, estimated cost \$500; that the City Sash and Door Company be allowed \$7.60 of their July account. The report was adopted.

E. H. Johnston applied for main extension on Edward street. Referred to Engineer Moore.

David A. Dobb applied for city water privileges on his property outside city limits. Request filed.

The board instructed Engineer Moore to comply with the request of the Western Fair board, and decorate the fountain in the park.

Mr. G. Cottrell, a junior clerk, handed in his resignation, which was accepted by the board.

Engineer Moore was instructed to move the hydrants at the corner of Princess avenue and Colborne street outside the sidewalk.

The engineer's report for the two weeks ending Aug. 16, showed 2,469,200 gallons as daily average used; average depth of reservoir, 14 feet, 1 inch.

SARNIA OLD BOYS

Barney McCann Will Help Them to Form an Association.

Another of Ontario's thriving towns is going to initiate the example of London and have a reunion for its Old Boys every couple of years.

Within a few weeks, it is expected that the Sarnia Old Boys' Association will be an accomplished fact.

City Council Grows Very Business-Like With Age

Much Business Transacted at Session Last Night.

Harvey Deal for Talbot Street Given a Black Eye.

London Street Railway Company Again Alleged to Be Making Trouble for the City.

The city council met last night, and in a business-like session of but a little over an hour's duration, transacted a great deal of business. Mayor Campbell and the aldermen, with the exception of Aldermen Saunders and Forristall, who are out of town, and Ald. Gerratt, who is ill, were present. Ald. Gerratt showed up for the meeting, but was taken ill, and was compelled to return to his home, having been attacked in the council chamber by distressing pains in the side.

City Clerk Baker was in his usual place, and had his hands full keeping track of the multitudinous motions, amendments and notices of motions which were hurled at him.

As was expected, the bylaw for the selling of a portion of Talbot street north to Alex Harvey for the sum of \$1 a foot, or \$63 for a block of the city's street, was given a black eye, and it was referred back to No. 1 committee, which practically means the censuring of it by the council.

The Bishop of Huron, through his solicitors, Cronyn & Betts, protested against the sale of any portion of Talbot street, and the council, for anyone else, as the sale would mean the doing of a great injustice to the property-owners of the neighborhood.

A letter from H. H. Tancock was also read, protesting against the sale of the strip of the street to Mr. Harvey. Both were referred to No. 1 committee, for consideration.

Ald. Cooper renewed his fight against the granting of a remission of the taxes of 1905 on the Y. W. C. A. building on Wellington street, but the clause of No. 1's report recommending that the taxes be remitted was carried by a vote of 5 to 2. Ald. Cooper and Almon also voting nay.

"Lights of Home."

Secretary Nelson, of the Western Fair board, asked the council to allow the lights used for illuminating the streets during Old Boys' week, to remain up, the city to pay for the illumination during fair week.

Ald. Matthews moved that the request be granted, the cost of the lighting not to exceed \$150. No second.

Ald. Gillean moved, seconded by Ald. Carson, that the balance from the semi-centennial committee's fund be transferred to No. 3, and the committee pay the cost of the illumination.

On motion of Ald. Cooper, it was finally decided to send the whole matter to No. 3, with power, and it was also decided to transfer the semi-centennial balance to the committee for the purpose of providing funds for the illumination.

The council decided to send the mayor, the members of No. 1 committee, City Clerk Baker and Assessors, Commissioners Grant and Wallace, to the convention of the Ontario Municipal Association at Toronto on Aug. 30 and 31.

No. 1 committee recommended the payment of accounts, totaling in all \$89.96, and the report was adopted.

A petition for a cement curb and gutter, south side of the street, between Colborne and Maitland streets, was referred to the assessment committee and the board of works.

A bylaw to amend the ordinance compelling the muzzling of dogs was passed unanimously.

Railway Makes Trouble.

City Engineer Graydon wrote that despite all his efforts to have the London Railway push forward the construction of the new bridge, between Colborne and Maitland streets, with brick pavement on Dundas and Richmond streets, the company has not completed its work.

The mayor suggested that the letter be sent to No. 2, but Ald. Matthews said it was a matter which should be dealt with at once. If there is any way to get at the company and compel it to do as the city desires, he said, it should be done. He moved that the city solicitor be instructed to notify the company to do the work at once.

Ald. Gillean seconded, and the motion was carried unanimously.

More Troubles.

Another letter was read from the city engineer re the asphalt repairs on Dundas street, between the bridge and the fountain in the park.

The repairs made, charging them to the city.

HE KNEW THE ROPES

Wouldn't Bet With a County Constable on Sure Thing.

The two were standing in the public room of a local hotel. They had been strangers to each other until five minutes before.

"Yes," said the man who wanted to sell his horse, "she is one of the finest little mares in Middlesex. She has stepped 90 miles in a day with me."

The other stared. Then he said, rather insultingly, "I don't believe it. I can prove it. It's down in black and white. I can prove it from the horse-owner's books."

The other man's face expressed a query.

"I am a county constable," the horse-owner explained, "I am paid by the mileage, you know. Every mile I go is down on the books, and," he concluded triumphantly, "I can prove to you from the books that my mare went 90 miles one day. I will bet you ten dollars to one, so put up or shut up."

street railway company, as per the provision of the bylaw. He also called attention to the fact that the company is paving the asphalt alongside the rail joints with bricks, and is now cutting out the asphalt in places for this purpose. The letter declared that Mr. Carr had promised to pave his entire committee allowance with brick, if he is not prepared to do this, the engineer has notified him to do all patching with asphalt.

It was agreed unanimously to have the engineer refer the whole matter to the city solicitor, to see where the city stand, and then to take such steps as the solicitor may advise as being the company to time.

Ald. Gillean asked Ald. Wyatt, acting chairman of the board of works, what the board is planning in the holes on the market—mud or gravel?

Ald. Wyatt said it was gravel off Talbot street. If the contractors were inclined to do what is right, as good gravel as it is possible to procure could be taken from Talbot street. But there is apparently a move on foot, he said, to make things look as bad as possible for him.

"The stuff they're putting on here is not the best they could get," the chairman concluded, "and the bridges 'Now you've hit it,' said Ald. Gillean. 'It's stuff all right.'"

A Rap at Richard.

When the semi-centennial committee report was read by Chairman Matthews, Ald. Cooper asked the judges which the committee had secured for the mayor and aldermen to wear during the reunion was a disgrace to the city, to the committee and to the men who wore it.

"It was a two-cent badge," said Ald. Cooper. "It was a 'rotten' badge."

Ald. Matthews admitted that the badge was all Ald. Cooper said, but he excused himself by saying that the committee did not know that the judges were to be used till the last minute, and then the committee had to take anything it could get.

Ald. Matthews asked Ald. Wyatt if the bricks being used on the Talbot street pavement are being tested in the "rule" secured for the purpose.

Ald. Wyatt replied that the bricks were being tested all right, but he could not say that the contractor had done with the "cull" bricks from King street.

Ald. Matthews asked Chairman Stevely of No. 1 committee what is being done by the London Street Railway Company in regard to the Hamilton road and Wortley road extensions, which must be completed by Oct 20 next.

Chairman Stevely replied that the city is doing nothing in the matter. The company is bound by its agreement, and must make the extensions by the time laid down in the bylaw.

Ald. Matthews then put through a motion to notify the company to have the extension made as per the bylaw.

The Breakwater Delay.

Ald. Matthews brought up the matter of the delay in the construction of the West London breakwater. He wanted to know if the work is ever going to be commenced, and what the city is spending money every week on the surveys for.

Ald. Stevely explained that the delay was caused through the securing of the deed of the land required for the work. Why the delay should be so great he could not know. The city solicitor has been attending to the securing of the deeds.

Ald. Stevely said something was doing to push the work ahead, for a ready No. 1 committee has authorized the payment of about \$4,000 for lands for the breakwater in West London.

Ald. Matthews said he was satisfied, and the matter dropped.

The bylaw for a sheet asphalt pavement of King street, between Wellington and Maitland, was read a first time, but at the suggestion of Ald. Matthews and Cooper, it was laid over for a while, in view of the fact that certain ratepayers have declared they will not pay for the pavement if it exceeds \$1.60 per square yard in cost.

In the meantime the city will call for tenders, and will see where it is at in the matter.

Bylaws Put Through.

The following bylaws were read a third time and passed:

Sewer—St. George street, Sydenham street, St. James street, Wellington street, St. George street, St. James street, Sydenham street, width six feet.

Cherry avenue, Wilson avenue to breakwater, width four feet six inches.

Empress avenue, Argyle street to a point opposite the westerly limit of lot 43 on the north side of Empress avenue, width four feet six inches.

Waterloo street, South street to Nelson street, six feet.

Cement Curb and Gutters—Wellington street, Oxford street to Sydenham street, six feet.

Dufferin street, Queen's avenue to Dufferin avenue.

John street, Richmond street to St. George street, six feet.

Queen's avenue, English street to Ontario street.

Dufferin avenue, William street to Peter street, six feet.

Teresa street, Askin street to Byron avenue.

Maitland street, Oxford street to Cherry street, four feet.

Byron avenue, Wortley road to Birch street.

Hill street, Waterloo street to Colborne street, six feet.

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But the other man was smiling reminiscently and did not take his hands out of his pockets.

"I used to be a county constable myself," he said, starting to walk away. "I understand."

LATE WITH THE MILK

Convincing Explanation Made by a Ready-Witted Boy.

During the Old Boy celebration, a local milkman told his 10-year-old son to go out and peddle the liquid, while he was enjoying the fun. The lad was a couple of hours late at the house of one of his customers.

"Why are you so late with my milk?" asked the lady.

"Oh, I had to wait for the cream to rise," was the unexpected answer.

The children of San Rafael, Cal., have been formed into a junior section of the local improvement club. Their duty will be to preserve the street trees and to keep paper off the streets.

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