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King Township Council
King council met at McBride's hotel on June 24th.
Members all present; Reeve in the chair.

The following bills were paid:
J. McCallum, work \$84 00
H. C. Webb, opening pit 18 00
W. Gallagher, culvert 5 50
John Cook, gravel 3 60
A. J. McCallum, gravel 18 16
Thos. Davies, work 94 00
Jos. Billings, salary 25 00
Jos. Pauer, grant 25 00
C. Patterson, re Lloydtown road 6 00
R. Gallatly, blasting stone 1 00
John Challon, repairs 4 25
J. Deacon, grant 75 00
John Egan, grant 51 49
R. Dunning, cedar 2 00
W. Davis, grant 29 55
Jno. Cook, cedar 2 25
J. Hodgins, cedar 5 00
Hugh McCallum, work 22 25
Geo. Chamberlin, grant 28 44
F. Norris, repairs 9 50
S. Jamieson, culvert 24 50
C. Jackson, culvert 11 13
J. Wilson, plank 20 81
J. Courtney, grant 80 70
O. J. Hutt, repairs 20 75
W. Edwards, gravel 2 80
J. Lonsdale, repairs 1 25
Caleb Brown, North Townline 52 04
J. Coulter, grant 60 00
W. H. Reid, Blacksmith bill 1 50
C. A. Davis, gravel 5 26
Jno. McCallum, Express 1 20
R. Gallagher, delivering scrapers 2 80
T. Beatty, repairs 6 12
J. Edwards, grant 28 10
J. Watson, tile 80
H. Storey, gravel 7 20
Jos. Egan, grant 40 45
T. Ross, repairs 9 89
Ira Dodds, on account of grant 42 00
Geo. Norman, repairs 8 50
W. H. Tew, rent for roadway 15 00
G. Pottage, repairs 7 30
Thos. Winter, sheep claim 13 33
Moved by T. H. Legge seconded by J. M. Davies that Thos. McAllister be paid the sum of \$15.00 for removing his West Line fence off the roadway and entering into bonds to keep said fence where so removed.—Carried.

Moved by John Burns seconded by R. Gallagher that persons requiring to use road machine or wheel scrapers for private purposes shall pay \$1.00 per day and the latter 50c., time to count from when they are taken away until they are returned to road overseer.—Carried.
Moved by J. Burns seconded by J. M. Davis that the action of R. Gallagher in giving notice to P. Mitchell to discontinue building fence on the highway be approved and the clerk instructed to notify him to have removed what is built on the highway within 30 days.—Carried.
The clerk was instructed to notify Patrick Trainor to fill up a certain hole in the roadway sideline lots 10 & 11 in 8th con. that he is alleged to have made in removing sand and also to instruct the Township Solicitor to send in any claim he may have against this township for services rendered.
By-Law No. 87 appointing P. S. Gibson, Township Engineer, was passed.
Next meeting of Council will be held at Harris Hotel, Schomberg, July 29, 1899.

CHAS. PATTERSON, Clerk.
SIMEON LEMON, Reeve.

Victoria Square
As was intimated last week the S. S. anniversary was a grand success. The weather was all that could be desired and consequently there was a large crowd of people present. The afternoon was given entirely to sports. Quoiting was the first event and the matches were hotly contested. Mr. Myers of Almira carrying off first prize. A fine exhibition match of Baseball was played between Unionville and Markham. The spectators were quite enthusiastic over this match and were sorry when it concluded. The score was 6 to 5 in favor of Unionville. King City and Ellesmere then played a football match for a prize of \$11. Of this match it may be said that it was one of the finest ever played here and although the boys in green and white won yet the boys in black were opponents worthy of their steel. King City won by 2 to 0.

In the evening the Mammoth tent was crowded to hear the fine programme provided. Rev. Mr. McCulloch proved an admirable chairman and spoke in complementary terms of the anniversary. Miss May Dickinson of Toronto sang in her usual happy manner. She has a fine soprano voice and sings with perfect ease and confidence. Her selections were well-chosen and were thoroughly appreciated. This is the second appearance of Miss Dickinson at Victoria Square and she seems to have been successful in winning favor here. Miss Bennett Brown showed great versatility as an elocutionist. Her selections were of the kind to suit her audience. She

has a fine appearance on the platform and possesses the power to attract and thrill her hearers. Mr. Wenbourne of St. James' Cathedral gave some capital songs and with Miss Dickinson sang several duets. The Unionville Brass Band also enlivened the afternoon and evening by rendering choice selections. This band is making for itself a name which is well-merited. We wish it success.

On Sunday the services were impressive. Rev. Wesley Dean, preaching afternoon and evening to crowded houses. At both services Mr. Wenbourne and Miss Dickinson assisted with solos and duets. Miss Dickinson's closing number "Jesus Lover of My Soul" was faultlessly rendered and created an impression on the large audience.
On Monday evening a social was held in the church and was enjoyed by all. Proceeds netted \$218.

Carrville
A number of the citizens of this village patronized the Strawberry Festival on Dominion Day and report having spent a good time. Many thanks were extended to Mr. J. Tyn-dall who so kindly conveyed the merry company to Maple.
Mr. P. McCarter of Woodbine Cottage gave a dance to a number of his friends last Friday evening. In the wee sma' hours of the morning the company sat down and did full justice to a tempting spread, after which they departed well satisfied with the first hop of the season.
Mr. R. Willis, Miss Willis and Miss Brown were visiting with relatives at Pine View.
Mrs. F. Gooche of Toronto with her two children are rustivating at The Elms.
Miss Ada Mowat of Toronto is holidaying with friends at Moorwood Farm.
Mr. Albin and Mr. Chadwick of Toronto were in the village on Sunday.
Master Howard Brillinger and Miss Annie Brillinger of Toronto purpose spending their summer holidays with their grandmother, Mrs. Geo. Leaf.
Miss Porter left on Saturday morning to spend her vacation at her home in Tottenham.
Mr. Wm. Bone of King spent Sunday with his parents at Water-cress-creek Farm.
Mr. Jno. Deadman of Blossom Villa visited with his daughters at Newton Brook last week.
Miss Richards of Toronto spent several days with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Baker of Burdock Farm.

Maple
The Methodist church strawberry festival on July 1st beat the record. An ideal day, the beautiful grounds of J. C. McQuarrie, Esq., and the success of former years united in making this the most successful garden party ever given in this village. Notwithstanding there were over 1000 present there was an ample supply for all. The Woodbridge Brass Band discoursed sweet music while Messrs. Redditt and Mason of Richmond Hill and the Hope Male Choral Club, with short addresses by W. J. Hill, M. P. P., and Revs. Chas. Campbell, J. W. Stewart and S. L. W. Harton furnished an excellent entertainment. The proceeds reached the handsome sum of \$240 which after deducting all expenses will leave about \$150 to be applied to the church. Mr. J. T. Saigeon performed the duties of chairman very acceptably. A free social was held on Monday evening at which a pleasant time was spent.
The following spent the day in the village, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Rupert of Toronto at Mr. L. Richardson's; Mrs. Nichols of Toronto at Mrs. Ruperts'; Mrs. Ellis and Miss Elliott of Toronto at Mr. E. H. Elliott's; Miss Keith of Lindsay at Dr. Sisley's; Mr. and Mrs. R. Duffy of Pontiac, Mich., at J. Prest's; Mr. A. Thomson, Weston, at Mrs. McDonald's.
Mr. R. Rumble is away on a visit to his son Fred, at Bad Axe, Mich.
Mrs. Rebecca Line died on Monday afternoon, in her 83rd year. The funeral took place to the Lutheran cemetery on Wednesday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. J. Leach and Rev. J. W. Stewart.
The football team went to Kleinburg last Saturday and defeated the team of that place.

Willow Vale
The shower on Monday greatly aided vegetation.
Grainger Bros. were engaged last week stumping on Willow Grove Farm.
Messrs. Craig and White have completed the stone foundation for Cutting Bros. The carpenters are expected next week to build the barn.
Miss Jennie Patrick is home on the sick list.
Road work having been completed our farmers are engaged hauling gravel this week.

Our sports are quite elated over the discovery of a private post office.
Some of our people spent the 1st, Dominion Day, in Aurora and report a good time.
S. S. No. 11 celebrated their yearly picnic on Friday last.
The Methodist S. S. intend holding their annual picnic on Wednesday next at Wilcox Lake.
The two little boys of R. Wiles had quite a thrilling adventure on Saturday last. They were riding a horse to water when in the lake it lay down. The little fellows escaped with a wetting; fortunately a third person was with them.

Vellore.

The following is a report of the senior divisions of Vellore Public School for the months of May and June:
Class V—Beatrice Witty, Willie Cameron.
Class Sr. IV—Willie Orser, Chas. Farr, Katie McNaughton, Bertha Robinson.
Class Jr. IV—Katie Cameron, Louie Snider, Annie McDonald, Alex. Cameron, Alma Puterbaugh, Ada Darker, Ella O'Connor, Norman McDonald.
Class III—Clarence Kinnee, Tena McFarlane, Louie McDonald, Flossie Cameron, Flossie Snider, Willie Bishop, Ralph Darker, Louie Cooper, No. of pupils on roll, 63.
Average attendance, 48.
Highest daily attendance, 55.
Lowest daily attendance, 35.
JOHN W. McDONALD, Teacher.

News Notes.

Mr. R. Cowling, Principal of the Weston Public School, has been appointed railway mail clerk in connection with the Post Office Department.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. E. R. C. Clarkson and daughter of Toronto spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Teeffy.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Coombs leave on Saturday for a few weeks' holiday at Sandhill.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Chapman and children of Langstaff are visiting friends in Scarborough this week.

Mrs. and Miss. Kinsmen of North Toronto have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Chapman at Langstaff.

Mr. and Mrs. James Brownlee have gone to spend a week or ten days with friends at Fergus and Elora.

Newmarket Express—Miss H. Marsh of Richmond Hill is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. S. Winans.

Rev. Dr. Teeffy of St. Michael's College is to lecture at the Catholic Summer School, Plattsburg, N. Y. on July 10th.

Mr. F. J. Johnston will be in Toronto for a couple of weeks as examiner in the Botany class of the Departmental Examinations.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Coles and baby of Toronto spent Dominion Day and Sunday at the Dominion House and returned on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Savage and Master Archie Savage spent several days with friends in Woodstock and returned on Monday.

Dr. Coulter, Deputy Postmaster General, spent Sunday with his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. John Coulter, and returned to Ottawa the following day.

Miss Ida Glass returned Saturday evening after a week's visit with friends in the city. While away Miss Ida also had a pleasant trip across the lake to Wilson Park, New York.

Miss Edith Switzer has received first-class honors in Musical Form and Theory at the Toronto Conservatory of Music, and Miss Ethel Switzer took a scholarship in first year Theory.

Mr. Chas. Gay of Gendron Mfg Co. and Mr. John Mulcahy of Orillia spent a day or two in the village. The latter left with his uncle on Wednesday for a fortnight's camping at the summer school.

Mrs. Smith of Parkdale, Miss Mowat of Toronto and Mrs. Ness of Markham are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Coombs. Mr. and Mrs. Mowat of Toronto also spent Saturday at the same place.

Messrs. C. W. Malloy and John Rice Principal and first Assistant in the Aurora High School respectively, are conducting the Departmental Examinations here. There are twenty-eight candidates for Form I, fourteen for Form II, twelve for Form III and two for Form IV.

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