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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR DIVORCE
NOTICE is hereby given that William Henry Blackwell, of the City of Toronto, in the Province of Ontario, Printer, will apply to the Parliament of Canada at the next Session thereof, for a Bill of Divorce from his wife Blanche Blackwell, of the City of Toronto, in the Province of Ontario, on the ground of adultery.
DATED at Toronto, Ontario, this 12th day of July, A. D. 1928.
CLARKE, SWABEY & McLEAN,
Solicitors for the Applicant.

School Board Chairman Answers Letter Re Out-of-Town Buying

School Board Members Saw No "Ad" of Local Dealers So Bought Goods Out of Town

Commenting on the editorial reference in our last issue to the questions which had recently been asked of public bodies in Richmond Hill through our "Letters from the People" column G. H. Duncan, chairman of the Board of Education when interviewed by The Liberal this week stated that there was no intention as far as the School Board was concerned of adopting an indifferent attitude to such questions. The matter of the letter complaining of the purchase of a metal garage in Toronto for the High School when it was claimed that there were local dealers who would have been glad of the opportunity of supplying same, was dealt with fully at a recent meeting of the Board, said Mr. Duncan. "The members discussed it in detail and if there are dealers for metal garages in town outside of school board members I am not aware of them nor were the other members of the Board. Incidentally it was found that three members of the Board were agents for such buildings but it is a well known fact that members are not allowed to have any business dealings of this kind and there was no thought of violating the regulations in this regard. It was mentioned at the School Board meeting that all members are subscribers to the Home Paper, The Liberal, and that none present could recall ever seeing

an advertisement for metal garages, in its columns. A committee was appointed to purchase the garage and the offer of the Toronto firm was considered a good one by the Board which includes three agents for similar lines of goods who should certainly be qualified to recognize a good buy when it was presented," said the chairman of the Board. Mr. Duncan pointed out that the Board had thought of brick construction, but had considered such a building prohibitive in cost until such time as a permanent structure could be considered.

The letter referred to in this interview was written by Mr. Wes Middleton and appeared in our issue of July 12. In the communication Mr. Middleton asked why the Board had purchased this metal garage from a large Toronto firm when he understood there were two agents in Richmond Hill who would have been glad of the opportunity of at least submitting prices. He did not think that the action of the Board was a very good example of the "Buy at Home Policy." We hope the explanation of the Chairman of the Board will be satisfactory. The moral is quite clear. You may know all about your own business but nobody else does. The only way to tell other people about it is to advertise. If the two dealers mentioned in Mr. Middleton's letter had been advertisers in The Liberal the members of the School Board would have known that they sold metal garages and no doubt they would have received the order.

Whitchurch Township Council

The regular meeting of Whitchurch Township Council was held in the Township Hall, Vandorf, on Saturday, July 28th.

Members all present Reeve M. Baker in the chair until noon when Deputy-Reeve Kidd assumed the chair in the absence of Reeve Baker.

Communications were received from W. A. Brown, accountant Ont. Dept. Public Highways enclosing report of Provincial Road Auditor which was received.

Township Constable, J. Williamson approached council recollection of license fee from some who are operating summer booths on their own farms. He was instructed to collect from all who are not assessed for business tax.

Mr. L. P. Evans returned \$25.75 overpayment of road account due to error in previous statement.

Mr. Wm. Weber approached council re lease of gravel pit on his farm. Satisfactory terms having been obtained the Treasurer was instructed to issue a cheque for \$200.00 being amount due this year.

Mr. Wm. Smith approached Council with a deed to the Township for land for the widening of Lake Wilcox road, which was received and cheque issued for \$250.00 in payment for same.

The following claims for sheep killed and injured by dogs were received and paid: Jas. Jones \$8.00 for one lamb killed. Geo. Collard \$129.00 for five sheep killed and three injured. Jos. Winterstein \$20.00 for one ewe killed.

A By-law was passed setting the rates of taxation for the year 1928 as follows: For payment of county rates as per requisition of County Clerk 8 1/2 mills.

For payment of High School Attendance from the Township as per County Levy 1 1/2 mills.

For Township General Purposes 8 mills.

A By-Law was passed authorizing the levy of the various sums requisitioned by the various School Boards.

On motion of councillors Williams and Ratcliff the By-Law to appoint a permanent clerk and treasurer for the Township was laid over until the October meeting.

On motion of councillors Crawford and Williams two dogs that were known to be worrying sheep were ordered destroyed.

On motion the following bills and accounts were ordered paid:

J.M. Grove & Son, groceries for A. Maskell \$1.95; J. Williamson paid Aikenhead Hardware for constable equipment \$16.00; J.A. Clarke for three trips valuing sheep \$6.00.

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On motion the following road accounts were ordered paid:

Geo. Hood maintenance div. 30 \$263.55; J. D. Adams Co., blade for grader \$9.60; Geo. Hood, 12 posts for div. 30 \$4.20; Jno. Brown, 45 yds gravel for div. 39 \$11.25; Frank Drury, 40 yds. gravel for div. 5 \$10.00; A. Smith, work div. 39 \$18.00; A. J. Stuart, maintenance div. 1 \$100.05; C.S. Brandon, maintenance div. 27 \$178.05; Earl Davis, maintenance div. 39 \$91.80; Arthur Emmerson, maintenance and weed cutting, div. 24 \$19.05; J.H. Widdifield, Superintendent \$102.00; G. E. Cook, weeds and maintenance, div. 29 \$19.45; Fred Terry, maintenance div. 11 \$232.00; G. Evans, 76 yards of gravel div. 6 \$19.00; L. P. Evans, weed cutting, div. 8 \$7.15; Harry Legge, 20 yards gravel, div. 1 \$8.00; Jos. Winterstein, dragging div. 45 \$5.50; J.A. Nicely, gravelling, div. 23 \$248.68; Jno. Brown, 52 yards gravel, div. 23 \$13.00; Frank Steckley, 130 yards of gravel, div. 23 \$32.50; Wallace Vaughan, tractor on grader, div. 39 \$40.50; Wm. Beach, dragging and weed cutting, div. 41 \$13.70; Geo. Hood, dragging div. 30 \$18.20; Jesse Cook, gravelling, div. 35 \$233.70; Jesse Cook, 80 yards of gravel, div. 35 \$20.00; Earnest Hunt, tractor S.T.L. \$7.20; J.F. Richardson, tractor on grader \$160.30; Leslie Preston, on grader \$36.75; Albert Jordan, work on div. 24 \$1.35; Garnet Evans, 117 yds. gravel div. 11 \$29.25; Harry Shackman, 159 yards gravel, T.L.N. \$37.50; Chas. Badgerow, 60 yards gravel T.L.E. \$15.00; Victor Paisley, 108 yards of gravel, div. 36 \$27.00; Wallace Vaughan, tractor on grader \$47.70.

On motion the council adjourned to meet at Vandorf on Saturday, August 25th at 10 o'clock a.m. for general business.

TOURIST CAMP INSPECTION

Tourist camps in Ontario may be required next season to qualify for a Government certificate or go out of business. At the present time, those which receive official approval are authorized to display a sign indicating the fact, and many of these are seen along the highways this year. There is no compulsion upon them to attain this standard, however, and it is estimated that of 400 inspected last year, only about 40 measured up to the qualifications entitling them to the Government approval sign.

Good water, proper sanitation, satisfactory milk and food supply are factors considered in the inspection. Many camps hang out signs showing membership in some "Tourist Association," but this carries with it no Government guarantee as to sanitary or other conditions.

The probabilities are that the regulations of the Ontario Department of Health will be changed before next season so that all tourist camps catering to the public will have to comply with them, and the matter will no longer be permissive.

Knows Her Own Bomb.—Elsie—"Have you heard the story that's going around about Eunice?" Grace—"Heard it? Why, honey, I started it."—American Legion Monthly.

Maple

A very pleasing event took place on the beautiful and spacious lawn of Mr and Mrs. E. Forbear, on Saturday, July 28th, when their niece, Miss Gladys Groombridge, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Groombridge, Toronto, was united in marriage to Mr. James Cairns, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Cairns, Kimberley, B. C., Rev. C. H. Bowman, officiating. After the supper the young couple left on a trip to the United States and on their return will reside in Toronto.

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. J. Manning on Wednesday, August 8th at 2.30 p.m. sharp. After the regular programme there will be a baking contest consisting of tea-biscuits and cookies. The ladies are requested to bring either of these for the contest.

Miss Marguerite Bailey left on Tuesday for Algonquin Park, where she will spend a month with friends from Toronto.

There was a good attendance at the picnic of the United Church Sabbath School on Saturday. A good supper was provided and the children enjoyed the races and games.

On Thursday of last week Mrs. J. Cousins gave a luncheon and afternoon Bridge in honour of Mrs. Oliver Cousins of Ocean Side, Cal. who with her husband has been visiting friends for the past couple of months. After the luncheon which was served on the porch, the guests who included ladies from Toronto and Maple, played Bridge of which there were three tables. The prize-winners were Mrs. Irwin, first; and Mrs. Stillwell, second.

Stop signs have been put up in the village, which will make travelling safer.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Henry Kinnee took place on Sunday afternoon from the home of her daughter Mrs. Westbrook, Nobleton, to the cemetery here.

Miss Betty Mitchell, of Toronto, is spending part of her vacation with her friend Miss Jean Robinson.

Mr. J. T. Saigeon and Mr. J. Carl Saigeon visited friends near Drayton over the week-end.

Mrs. S. D. Roberts and Mrs. T. McBride and daughter, Shirley spent several days with their mother, Mrs. J. T. Saigeon.

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