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WILL FEES BE ABOLISHED?

IN FIRST FORM IN THE COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE.

Board of Education Defers Making a Coal Contract—A New Teacher Appointed to Collegiate Institute—Board Adjourns Until September.

A regular meeting of the board of education was held last night. Chairman George Sears presided, and the following members responded to the call of their names: Edward Bennett, W. H. Godwin, Robert Meek, J. G. Elliott, J. S. R. McCann, James Laturney, W. H. Worrall, R. J. McKelvey, H. J. Lee, H. Richardson, Thomas Lambert, John McLutyn and William Kelly.

Only one communication was submitted—that from Mary V. Nash, Kingston, applying for a position on the public school staff, and enclosing recommendations—referred to management committee.

The Finance Report.

Mr. Lambert presented the report of the finance committee, recommending payment of the following accounts: E. L. Kellogg & Co., Journal, \$2; Times printing company, \$12.25; J. G. Foster & Co., directories, \$1; R. Crawford, fuel, \$31.25; V. Oakley & Sons, \$10; Oram & Carter, \$8; dominion government, rent, \$1; Strange & Strange, insurance, \$3.85; Edw. J. B. Penn, \$15.85; Wood's Fair, \$5.60; F. Wood, \$1.10; D. A. Reese, \$2; water works department, \$258.45; C. Follet, labor, \$17.32; E. Derbyshire, labor, \$1.75; S. Ross, cutting grass, \$2; George Hentig, \$6.85; Taylor & Hamilton, \$7.56; J. McKee, glazing, \$1.60; S. J. Horsey, \$5.03; W. Morrison, carting, \$3.60; Elliott Bros., \$3.03; Robinson Bros., \$2; W. A. Mitchell, \$12.80; W. N. Lemmon, \$3.70; C. Follet, \$5; A. Strachan, \$14.07; Ham-nesther, Schlemmer & Co., \$3.60; customs house, duty on tools, \$1.20.

Your committee received tenders for fuel. The tenders for coal are so high that your committee considers it would be wise to delay the purchase of fuel for a few weeks in order to see what effect the termination of the strike will have upon prices.

Mr. Lambert moved, seconded by Mr. Meek, that the report be adopted.

Mr. Meek was not satisfied that the purchase of fuel should be delayed. The secretary stated that the prices were considered too high. The lowest figure for hard coal was \$6.87 a ton, and for soft coal, \$5.47. As about 400 tons were required, the cost would be considerable. The committee did not see how a better price could not have been obtained.

Mr. Meek—We have never bought coal in any month cheaper than we can in May. It always gets dearer from that on. The coal should have been bought last May. It will be unwise to advise no action for several weeks.

Mr. Elliott—What was the actual cost of the coal supply last year? The secretary replied that it was \$2.168.

Mr. Richardson—What's the use of being held up by people this way? I can buy soft coal—Nova Scotia coal—in Montreal to-day for \$3.50 a ton.

Mr. Bennett favored a few weeks' delay in the purchase of the coal, which Mr. McKelvey was willing to give the committee conditional authority to purchase coal.

Mr. Richardson said that, at the tendered price, the cost this year would be \$466 more than last year. No mistake would be made by waiting for a few weeks.

Mr. McKelvey moved in amendment to the report: That the last clause have added to it the words "and that the committee be authorized to contract for coal provided the price does not exceed those of the lowest tender."

The amended report was adopted. The management committee, said chairman McKelvey, did not have its report ready. He moved that the committee be given authority to appoint a teacher as a successor to Miss Her, the retiring collegiate institute teacher. It was not right that twenty-nine applicants should be kept waiting to learn their fate. The selection would be made from about five or six names. It would be hard to get board together later. Therefore the committee asked for this power.

The committee was allowed to retire to bring in a report based on information that it had just received.

After about fifteen minutes' absence the committee returned, and Mr. McKelvey introduced the following report:

A Teacher Selected.

The committee begs leave to recommend that Miss Kate Pearson, B. A., of Orillia, be appointed to the vacant position, salary to be \$700 per annum.

This was unanimously adopted by the board.

Mr. Laturney moved, seconded by Mr. Godwin, that the management committee be requested to report on such arrangements as will be required to make the first form in the collegiate free to all pupils passing the entrance examinations in the city schools.

There was considerable objection to this, coming as it does, at a time when the budget has been fixed.

Mr. Meek moved, in amendment, that the committee report as soon as possible (1), on the cost of establishing a fifth form in connection with the public schools, and (2) as to the advisability of making the first form in the collegiate free.

Mr. Kelly favored Mr. Laturney's resolution, saying it was in conformity with the order of the department made at the time a fifth class flourish in the public schools of the city and to the effect that such a class must be maintained.

The statement was questioned, no final order it was held had been received.

INCIDENTS OF THE DAY

PARAGRAPHS PICKED UP BY OUR BUSY REPORTERS.

The Spice of Every Day Life—What the People Are Talking About—Nothing Escapes Attention.

A hand of gypsies is encamped on Barriefield common. Condensed milk, evaporated cream, camp coffee essence, James Redden & Co.

The steamer New York had 150 Kingston excursionists on her Ontario trip this morning.

Lever's Y-Z (White Head) Disinfectant Soap Powder is a boon to any home. It disinfects and cleans at the same time.

While the results of the entrance examinations will be published before the end of next week.

The largest crowd of the season attended the performance at Lake Ontario park last night, the pavilion being the scene of the celebration.

The meeting of the board of management of the Kingston fair association was called for four o'clock this afternoon to appoint judges.

Herrings in tomato sauce, herrings in mustard sauce, herrings in shrimp sauce, are ready for the market.

Nearly all the hotel keepers in the city went down to Alexandria Bay to-day on the steamer North King.

The chief of police Port Hope, wrote a chief of police Baillie, describing a duck bay mare, fifteen hands high, which awaits an owner at that place.

The street railway company is in receipt of a Sieman car fender, which the company has accepted.

Steamers North King and Caspian leave Kingston, daily (except Monday), at 10:17 a.m., for 1,000 islands.

To-day was bargain day on the street cars, when children were carried for a cent fare. A special matinee was put on at Lake Ontario.

A guard on horseback again does duty between the penitentiary gate and the farm. Greater vigilance is being exercised since the prisoner Boulford escaped two weeks ago.

There seems to be something providential in the reported finding of Noah's ark in the far north. If the ark really exists in the future as in the past, there may be use for the ark again.

An electric light is badly needed on Park avenue, midway between Barrie and West streets. The avenue is very dark, not a ray of light glimmering along its length to brighten it after nightfall.

Mr. Millan says he will give five barrels of flour to charitable institutions which police Sergeants Snodden can have for their fund-raising.

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GYPSY FORTUNE TELLERS

Ordered by The Police To Keep Out Of The City.

Police constables Zimmerman and Bateman had an encounter with two gypsy fortune tellers yesterday afternoon, as they were loitering in the city.

Two Cases Heard.

At the police court this morning a charge against an Ontario street hotel keeper of selling liquor within prohibited hours, was dismissed.

Notice.

Holder of books from the library of the board of education are requested to take them home, as a new catalogue is being made out.

Oak Hall.

Try a pair of our imported women's trousers. Properly cut, and well made, \$3, \$3.50 and \$4. The H. D. Bibby Co.

SPORT IN GENERAL

Notes About the Various Sporting Fields.

To-morrow afternoon the first of the Kingston yacht club scheduled races will take place.

The Mail-Enquirer no longer puts the Toronto baseball team's percentage in large type. Why?

The Toronto Argonauts were yesterday's losers at Canton by 2 to 1, and now leads the St. Lawrence river baseball league.

The third Trinity crew, which won at Henley, may visit Canada next year. It is considered the best eight that has rowed in fourteen years.

Four times the Toronto Argonauts have sent crews across the water to Henley. The first four went over in 1885, and ten years later a second team, the Argonauts, followed.

A foreign crew has never yet won the Grand Challenge Cup at Henley. The Leaders have a remarkable record, having won the famous race nine times in twelve years.

Baseball On Thursday.

Eastern League—At Providence, 7; Buffalo, 1; At Worcester, 10; Rochester, 5; At Jersey City, 5; Toronto, 4; At Newark, 6; Montreal, 4.

National League—At Pittsburgh, 1; New York, 3; At Cincinnati, 6; Boston, 3; At Chicago, 4; Philadelphia, 4; At St. Louis, 2; Brooklyn, 2.

American League—At Washington, 7; Baltimore, 3; At Boston, 3; Philadelphia, 1; At Cleveland, 2; Detroit, 0.

UNFAIR TREATMENT

Accorded Colonials By The War Office.

Letters received in the city this week from Kingston boys who are members of the South African constabulary state that they are enjoying good health.

FIX UP THE STATION.

The Police Headquarters Are In A Dilapidated Condition.

Members of the police force are of opinion that the city property committee ought to expend a few dollars in fixing up the station, which is in a semi-dilapidated condition.

COURTING A LAW SUIT.

Would Like To Get Interpretation Of Act.

Speaking of the proposed suit of the sheriff against the county council, to compel payment of an account of \$26.50, a member of the county finance committee stated, this morning, that the committee rather invited suit, in order, if for no other purpose, to secure a proper interpretation of the act governing the authority of the sheriff in the purchase of stationery.

Actually Refused To Work.

This morning, E. Charles, of the Thousand Island steamboat company, offered twenty-five cents an hour to laborers to do some rough and easy work, but although there were many men around, none of them would accept. Sometimes the steamboat company has offered as high as fifty cents an hour to common laborers for a half day's work, and yet had difficulty in getting men.

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Great selling of panama and straw hats at Campbell Bros.

THE SUMMONS WAS SUDDEN

DEATH OF A SOUTH BEND, INDIANA RESIDENT.

He Came Here For His Health, But Heart Trouble Set In And He Passed Away—Thanks For Kind Attention.

S. A. Hillier, wife and son, South Bend, Indiana, arrived here Wednesday and registered at the Randolph hotel.

The deceased gentleman, who was about fifty years of age, was a prominent resident of South Bend, where he held the responsible position of president of the Indiana lumber company.

Mr. Hillier, while in failing health, some time ago was travelling under the advice of his two physicians. He intended remaining here for a week or so, and then going to Old Orchard Beach to spend a month. The family's baggage is now at Portland, Me. in a refrigerator, as a daughter arrived to-day from South Bend, to join the stricken mother and other son. Mrs. Hillier felt deeply grateful for all the kind attentions she received. Everything that medical skill and good nursing could do, was done under the supervision of the medical staff.

Her Resignation To Stand.

The Trained Nurse and Hospital Review of New York, says that Miss Vandewater, nursing supervisor of the Victoria ward hospital, is not a candidate for a position of superintendent of the Victoria hospital, a graduate of the Memorial hospital, Worcester, Mass., class of 1893, and a post graduate of the woman's hospital, New York city. She is a daughter of J. B. Vandewater, formerly of Kingston, Ont.

Secure The Portrait.

A citizen suggests that it would be a fitting tribute to the memory of one who took deep interest in such affairs for the Victoria day celebration committee to use \$200 of the big surplus and secure the fine portrait of the late W. M. Drennan, which a Toronto artist painted, to hang in the city hall. The surplus could not be put to a better use, and there is not a citizen who would raise a word in protest. By all means, let the portrait be secured and given a place among the distinguished men who have helped to build up Kingston.

Would Not Give Them Up.

Last night a deputation of the bar tenors' union waited upon Alexander Walsh, wine clerk at the Froquois hotel, and demanded that he surrender his union card and union button on the ground that he was working with a non-union wine clerk. The demand was refused. Mr. Walsh, holding that he was working for a union employer, got had paid for the articles in question. If another position were guaranteed him he would have his present employment, but otherwise he could not comply as he had a wife and family to support.

Chartered A Street Car.

The members of the Epworth league of Swedish street Methodist church chartered a street car last evening. After enjoying a few trips around the belt line, the party was taken out to Lake Ontario park, where ice cream, and other refreshments were served. The members had a merry outing.

Light Weight Coats And Vests.

Prevent, of the New York clothing store, Brock street, has a splendid assortment of light-weight coats and vests; the proper garments for summer wear. His summer coats at \$1 and \$1.50 and special suit, size 34 to 40. See his window, great variety to choose from.

Cabbages Vs. Puff Balls.

Belleville Intelligencer: There are cabbage heads in Kingston, but you find them in the newspaper offices. Why? dear boy, but cabbages are of some value. Puff balls are of no value. There is no newspaper office in our western print shop we know of.

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