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LAST EDITION

CITY COUNCIL SESSION

Principal Ellis Was Under Considerable Discussion.

The Council Wants an Explanation From Him

---J. H. Macnee Appointed a Member of the Court of Revision.

The city council met last evening with the following in attendance: Mayor Ross and Aids, Angrove, Carson, Chow, Couper, Craig, Elliott, Free, Gaskin, Graham, Hanley, Hartley, McCann, McCartney, Millan, Nickle, Rigney and Robertson.

These communications were referred to committees:

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R. J. Robinson, asking for remission of taxes on property on account of being improperly assessed.

Percy D. Lyman, secretary Kingston Poultry, Pigeon and Pet Stock Association, asking for grant of \$50.

Fred. Ontario Municipal Association, asking this council to join the association, and also to pass a resolution petitioning legislature to repeal 606 municipal act.

H. M. Dearbores, K.C., Nanapan, asking for payment of \$20 to chief constable of town of Nanapan for apprehension of John Morris, horse thief.

Macdonnell & Farrell, asking for a reasonable adjustment of Mr. Kent's taxes for sewer.

F. A. Folger, asking to be relieved of income tax, \$21, as he is not living in this municipality.

T. J. Rigney, for Charles Diamond, giving notice, under section 606 consolidated municipal act, 1903, of damages sustained by him on the 9th inst., by reason of the defective condition of King street in this city.

Rev. G. L. Starr, asking permission to quarry stone on the Allan property, Montreal street, to furnish work for the unemployed.

From the Kingston Yacht Club Association, asking for the right to use the waters covered by the extension of Simcoe street for anchorage purposes at a nominal rental, as it proposes extending the yacht club wharf beyond Simcoe and Mainland streets a distance of sixty feet in an easterly direction.

From Officer Commanding Eastern Ontario, that as it is under consideration to distribute certain guns for this purpose of forming a battery at this station, suggesting that the municipal authorities provide space in one of the city parks.

William Dunlop, tendering his resignation as member of the court of revision.

C. Bermingham, tendering his resignation as member of the Board of Education.

Thomas Mills, giving notice that a dividend for 1907 of three per cent. upon the capital stock of the Catarqui Bridge company has been declared.

R. H. Toye, tendering his resignation as alderman for Sydenham ward.

J. H. Macnee appointed.

On motion of Ald. Gaskin, seconded by Ald. Graham, the resignation of

William Dunlop, as a member of the court of revision was accepted.

Ald. Rigney moved, seconded by Ald. Nickle, that J. H. Macnee be appointed to the vacancy.

Ald. Craig moved in amendment, seconded by Ald. Couper, that George Cliff be appointed.

The amendment was lost on the following division:

Yeas--Ald. Carson, Chow, Couper, Craig, Elliott, Hartley, McCartney, Robertson--8.

Nays--Mayor Ross, and Aids, Angrove, Free, Gaskin, Givens, Graham, Hanley, McCartney, Nickle, Rigney--10.

The motion was carried.

On motion of Aids, Chown and Carson, the resignation of C. Bermingham as a member of the Board of Education, was accepted.

The resignation of Ald. Toye as representative of Sydenham ward, was again read. On motion of Ald. Nickle, seconded by Ald. Chown, the resignation was not accepted, the council giving a unanimous vote in favor of Ald. Toye's retention.

Finance Committee.

These recommendations of the finance committee were adopted:

That the following amounts be placed to the credit of the following committees as temporary appropriations: Board of works, \$3,000; fire and light, \$1,500; city property, \$500; printing, \$500; contingencies, \$350.

That upon the advice of the city solicitor, the communication of Charles H. Powell, done to his property on Holloway street, be not granted. That upon the advice of the city solicitor, the account of Dr. I. Wood, for professional attendance Mrs. Shyne, be paid.

That the committee on finance and accounts be authorized to sell, from time to time, the city debentures, bearing interest at four and a half per cent. per annum, at not less than par and accrued interest.

The Board of Works.

The council adopted these recommendations of the board of works:

That on the recommendation of the board of health, a sewer be constructed on Raglan Road, eighty feet westerly from Vine street, on the local improvement plan. That the chairman and city engineer be authorized to make purchases up to \$20 for the board of works.

That the city engineer be authorized to advertise for tenders for supplies and materials for the department for the year 1908. That the city engineer's report and statement of the actual cost of the following local improvement sewers be adopted, and that the court of revision be called to confirm the same. That a deputation consisting of Ald. Gaskin, Ald. Elliott and ex-Mayor Mowat follow up the application made last year for broken stone from the penitentiary, for Union and Johnson streets. That an advertisement be inserted in the local papers notifying the property owners that the board of works, at their next meeting, will decide which streets will be made up during this year, and that no street will be included unless sewers and water and gas service are already into every house requiring same.

The Light Plant.

The following light committee recommendations were adopted:

That on the communication of Michael P. Ryan, claiming damages in respect to injury to horse which fell into an excavation on Johnson street last summer, on the advice of the city solicitor, his request be not granted. That in regard to resolution No. 6, Jan. 13th, 1907, instructing the light, heat and power to report yearly at the first meeting of council in February, giving in detail the operations of the plant for the previous year, etc., that the date be changed from February to March 15th. That the chairman be authorized to make purchases of repairs and supplies to the amount of \$20. That permission be given the chairman to call for tenders for all supplies which will be needed during the year. That the chairman be authorized to employ an auditor to audit the stock-taking at the light, heat and power plant.

Aids, Craig, Gaskin and Graham objected to engaging a special auditor for the light plant stock-taking. They thought the city auditor could do the work. Ald. Givens and Chown defended the appointment of the special auditor, pointing out that the city auditor could not do the work, which required an expert who understood the nature of the stock. There was over \$15,000 worth of material at the plant, and there should be no delay in checking the sheets prepared by the plant stock-takers.

In view of the explanation Ald. Graham withdrew an amendment he made to strike out the last clause of the report.

What Causes Headache.

From October to May, colds are the most frequent cause of headache. Inactive brains, quinine removes cause. E. W. Grove on box, 35.

A NOTED AUTHORITY.

In the Matter of Scientific Agriculture.



Willet Martin Hays

Willet Martin Hays, the assistant secretary of agriculture since January 1st, 1905, and a noted authority on scientific agriculture, was born in Hardin county, Ia., on October 19th, 1859. He graduated from the Iowa Agricultural College in 1885 and at once began a series of experiments in inter-breeding cereals, which has added greatly to the agricultural wealth of the country and earned for him a prominent place in his particular specialty. He edited a number of agricultural papers and taught at several colleges on his specialty, when he attracted the attention of the national government and was brought to Washington. Mr. Hays has been twice married, his present wife having been Miss Ellen Beach, whom he married at Cortland, N.Y., in 1897.

WAS IT HER HUSBAND?

Wife Says It Was--Parents Say Not.

Windsor, Ont., Jan. 21.--Last October an unknown man was killed by a train in a Detroit suburb. While lying in a morgue, in that city, the body was identified by Mrs. Lawrence McMullen, Windsor, as that of her husband. McMullen's parents, however, denied that it was that of their son. Mrs. McMullen is now in a quandary. She had not seen her husband for several months prior to his alleged death and had started to begin divorce proceedings for desertion. If the bear was that of her husband she is a widow and no further divorce proceedings are necessary. It is said that a man called at the Detroit undertaker's, and ascertained that he was Lawrence McMullen.

AN UNKNOWN WOMAN.

Her Nude Body Found in Jackson's Park.

Chicago, Jan. 21.--The body of a woman, unclad, and headless, was found about thirty feet off shore here in the German building, in Jackson's Park, last night. The woman was young and apparently of high station in life. There was a score of minor bruises and cuts about the body, including two clean cuts just above the heart, which suggested the puncture of stiletto or knife. Up to this time the identity of the woman has not been discovered.

DIVORCED, MARRIED AGAIN.

Reconciliation After Forty Years--Another Marriage.

Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 21.--Returning just to see her old home here Mrs. Benjamin Ackley, a Chicago music teacher, by accident met her husband from whom she was divorced forty years ago in Minneapolis. The woman learned that Ackley, who is a New York business man, was also on a visit after forty years' absence. A reconciliation followed, the two were re-married and have started on a second honeymoon trip to New York.

DIED ON A TRAIN.

Port Huron, Mich., Jan. 21.--James B. Jones, aged forty-nine years, former Grand Trunk conductor, of this city, who has been acting divisional superintendent for the Canadian Pacific railway, died, suddenly, of heart failure, while on a train coming to Port Huron on Sunday. He had been sick in Calgary for some time. He is survived by a widow.

TO PUT DOWN REBELLION.

Abdul Aziz to Go to Fez to Meet Mulai Hafid.



ABDUL AZIZ.

Tangier, Jan. 21.--Abdul Aziz, the Sultan of Morocco, has announced that he is going to Fez to put down the rebellion under Mulai Hafid. This information was contained in a letter signed by the Sultan and read in the mosques.

Lord Curzon Likely Elected.

Dublin, Jan. 21.--The Irish people voted, yesterday, upon Lord Curzon's candidacy for a seat in the House of Lords, as a representative peer, from Ireland, in place of the late Lord Kilmaine. It is unofficially reported that Lord Curzon was elected. The official announcement will be made to-day.

Attacked Provision Train.

Paris, Jan. 21.--A despatch from Tangier says that a large convoy escorting a provision train to Medouza, was attacked by the Chaouia tribesmen. Gen. D'Amade, the French commander, is hurrying reinforcements to the scene of the engagement.

"Three Swallows."

Sir John Power & Sons, "Three Swallows" Irish Whiskey. Famous for over a century. Of highest standard of purity. Distillers to His Majesty the King.

MAY STOP LAWLESSNESS

Hon. Mr. Birrell Urged That the Factions Get Together.

Dublin, Jan. 21.--Politicians attribute to Chief Secretary Birrell the reconciliation between the nationalist factions which now seems to have been finally accomplished. Mr. O'Brien has waived his demand for the holding of a convention. Mr. O'Brien and Mr. Healy will re-enter the party and consequently all are happy. Mr. Birrell intimated to the leaders that unless they united he could not promise success for his contemplated Irish measures, including a comprehensive scheme for home rule and for the establishment of a Catholic university. He appealed for the cessation of cat-the-driving and other agitations, on the ground that their continuance, infallibly, would antagonize parliament. He promised a bill for the compulsory sale of land and also that steps would be taken to divide the grazing ranches. It is believed the leaders consequently are trying to stop lawlessness.

WIFE NEEDN'T KISS HUSBAND.

Court Decides That Women Are Not Compelled.

Toledo, Ohio, Jan. 21.--Neither morally nor legally is a wife bound to kiss or accept kisses from a husband with the smell of liquor on his breath. There may not be a specific ruling upon this question in the law books, but Police Judge Austin established a precedent, yesterday, when he handed down such a decision in the case of the state of Ohio against Thomas Morrey for disturbance.

Morrey confessed in court that he was quarrelsome the other night when he was full, but he claimed provocation in that his wife refused either to kiss him or be kissed.

THE WORLD'S TIDINGS

GIVEN IN THE BRIEFEST POSSIBLE FORM.

Matters That Interest Everybody Notes From All Over--Little of Everything Easily Read and Remembered.

John Charlton's condition is further improved. Raymond Taylor, of Rogers Park, Ill., is dead, as the result of being hazed by school mates.

Irish point lace, 200 years old, and costing \$5,500, will adorn Miss Vandeventer's wedding gown.

The provincial government has created a large number of king's counsels throughout the province.

An Italian chauffeur tried to kill himself, his master and mistress by running his automobile into a river.

A committee of three bankers has been appointed to conduct affairs at the head office of the Sovereign bank.

The coasting trade of ports of Northern New England is nearer to a complete standstill than for many years.

The new public library, presented to Belleville, by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Corbett, was formally handed over on Monday.

One of the anarchists who conspired to blow up a part of the United States fleet at Rio Janeiro is said to be a Canadian.

Francis A. Wilcox, eighty-one years old, a farmer and a leading citizen of Berlin, Conn., became the father of an eleven-pound boy.

President Jarvis says the Sovereign bank will not yield 100 cents on the dollar for the shareholders.

That would be impossible.

The Indi-China steamer Yik Sang has been wrecked, near Amoy, India. The captain and others of the crew reached shore, and were well treated by the natives.

Fire at Hamilton destroyed the Hirkiner street car barns and four cars. The walls of the building fell and Fireman Roy Green was crushed to death.

E. N. Lewis, M.P. for Huron, has given notice of his intention to introduce a resolution calling for the imposition of an export duty on pulpwood.

Henry Herbert Godfrey, the famous composer of certain patriotic songs, died, in Montreal, some time Saturday night, suddenly, from heart disease.

The Midland railway will ask the Ontario legislature, at the coming session, for an extension of the period within which it may commence and conclude its line.

Rev. Charles S. Paisley, M.A., dean of the divinity faculty at Mount Allison, N.B. University, and one of the leading men in the Methodist ministry, died, suddenly, on Monday.

Fire destroyed the Sunflower Glass company's plant at Coffeyville, Kas., causing damage of \$100,000. The property was partly insured. One hundred men are thrown out of employment.

In Toronto, in a row in the Belgarjan colony, Sandy Tovey, 34 Gillett Place, stabbed Cino Todoroff, with a knife in the shoulder. Todoroff was taken to the hospital and Tovey to the cells.

W. J. Bryan is on a month's tour. He will visit Chicago and Washington, Philadelphia, several cities in Delaware, New Jersey, and New York, and will afterwards go to Toronto, Ont., and Montreal, Que.

Samuel Walker, a Beaver Dam miner, was burned to death in a fire that destroyed a shanty occupied by Walker and Walter Stonebreaker, at Johnstown, Pa. The latter was arrested later on a charge of murder.

Lantern Lecture On Canada.

London, Jan. 21.--Lord Strathcona will preside at a lantern lecture entitled "Canada," delivered by G. A. Aylesworth at Hitchin, near Knebworth, on Thursday.

GANANQUE BUDGET.

A Patient Injured, and Returns to Hospital.

Gananque, Jan. 21.--At Lansdowne on Saturday evening, the St. Lawrence hockey team, of this town, trimmed the Lansdowne Ramblers in a fast exhibition, by seven to two. William Knight, of Gananque, refereed.

Robert Latimer, son of Al. Latimer, River street, who underwent an operation for appendicitis, at Kingston hospital a short time ago, met with an accident, since his return home, being thrown from a cutter and dragged for some distance. He has since been getting worse, until yesterday it was found necessary to again remove him to Kingston hospital.

The residence of George Nelson, a short distance this side of Willow Bank, was destroyed by fire, Sunday evening. Both building and contents are almost a total loss. The cause of the fire is unknown. The building was owned by George Lloyd, Garden street.

Mrs. Herbert Moore, King street, who has been spending the past three weeks in Brooklyn, with her husband, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia, has returned home. Mr. Moore being now considered out of danger.

Mrs. F. L. Spoor, of Farnham, Que., spent the past week in town, the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. S. Petch, Main street. William Redard, River street, spent some time during the past few days with friends in Kingston. S. J. Wilson, Brockville, who has been spending the past few days in town, returned to Brockville yesterday.

Roland Lafrance, North street, is spending a week with friends in Kingston. Robert Lipman, North street, is spending some time in Montreal.

Edward Flunder, Garden street, who suffered a paralytic stroke about a year ago, is rapidly sinking, small hopes being entertained for him.

SET SISTER ON FIRE.

Streetsville, Ont., Jan. 21.--Seven-year-old daughter of William McKenzie was fatally burned here.

While the child's mother was at a neighbor's for a pall of water her little brother set her dress on fire with a match at the stove. She was dreadfully burned from her knees upward, and died a few hours afterwards. Mr. McKenzie moved here about a year ago.

HE WAS DROWNED.

A Workman Fell Over and Was Swept Away.

Arnprior, Ont., Jan. 21.--While a gang of men were employed in clearing the Madawaska log slide here, one of the workmen, Thomas Lane, had the misfortune to fall into the water. In a trice he was carried in the eddy below, and was not again seen.

The man working with him went for assistance but the current was so strong nothing could be done to save him. The Madawaska river had added another to its already long list of drowning accidents. Deceased was forty-eight years of age and leaves a wife and family.

M. J. Haney's Claim.

Ottawa, Jan. 21.--Collingwood Schneider has been appointed sole arbitrator in the claim for extras of M. J. Haney, Toronto, who was the contractor for the bridge across the Hillsborough River, P.E.I., and which cost the government \$1,500,000. Mr. Haney is claiming \$300,000 as still due him. The investigation will last all this week.

A Winter Comfort.

For pain, cold feet or in weakness a hot water bottle is invaluable. Especially needed in winter. The right kind here at 50c. up for the two-quart size. Fountain Springs, Bathing and all rubber sick-room supplies at Wade's drug store.

Hon. G. W. Ross' Speech.

Montreal, Jan. 21.--Hon. George W. Ross is, this afternoon, delivering an address before the Canadian Women's Club, of Montreal, at its luncheon, on the subject, "The Constitution of Canada as Compared With That of the United States."

To be free from sick headache, biliousness, constipation, etc., use Carter's Little Liver Pills. Strictly vegetable. They gently stimulate the liver and free the stomach from bile. Government forces routed the revolutionists in Haiti, and now consider the trouble over.

Probabilities
Toronto, Ont.,
Jan. 21, Ottawa
Valley and Upper
St. Lawrence
(10 a.m.)-- Fair
and much milder.
Wednesday, fair
and mild.

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Ladies' Black Tights

AND

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Ladies' Black Tights

50c. QUALITY, at 35c.
75c. QUALITY, at 55c.
\$1. QUALITY, at 80c.
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40c. QUALITY, at 30c.
45c. QUALITY, at 33c.
50c. QUALITY, at 37c.
80c. QUALITY, at 60c.

Great Mitt Bargain

Ladies' Mocha Mitts, Wool Lined, Color Black, small sizes, \$1 QUALITY, at 25c.

ALL SALES FOR CASH.

Steady's

MARRIED.

DONOGHUE-BYLINE--St. Mary's Cathedral, on Wednesday morning, Jan. 15th, 1908, by the Rev. Father Hanley, James J. Donoghue, to Miss Kate Byrne, of this city.

DIED.

GRIFFIN--At Grimsby, Ont., on Jan. 10th, 1908, Adelaide Agnes, only daughter of the late Rev. G. H. F. Griffin, for many years pastor of Grimsby.

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John C. McLeod was sentenced at Sault Ste. Marie to two years in penitentiary for writing a "Black Hand" letter.

HEARD OF IT IN PARIS

And Gave Warning to the American Government.

Washington, Jan. 21.--The basis of the alarming rumors regarding the safety of the All-American fleet, now in Rio de Janeiro, was disclosed, yesterday, when it was admitted, by high officials of the state department, that confidential information was received several weeks ago tending to confirm the existence of an anarchistic plot to destroy several of the ships. The information came from the American embassy, in Paris, which received it from a source which professed to have definite knowledge of such an alleged plot. The officials of the state department did not place any credence in it, but as a matter of precaution the report was transmitted to the American ambassador, at Rio, who, at once, notified the Brazilian government and the police authorities.

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