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LAST SESSION
Of the City Council of the Year.

ALD. TOYE RESIGNED

BUT HE'S ASKED TO WITHDRAW IT.

Discussion on Board of Works' Surplus—A Vote of Appreciation to Mayor Couper For His Conduct of City Affairs.

The city council of 1909 held its last regular session on Monday evening. Ald. Toye sent in his resignation as a representative of Sydenham ward, but he was requested to withdraw it. It was decided to buy several pieces of land for street extensions. Nomination and polling places for the elections were fixed; a long discussion took place on the removal of derelicts from the lower harbor, and lastly a vote of appreciation was tendered Mayor Couper for the impartial and dignified manner in which he presided over the council meetings during the year.

In attendance at the meeting were: Mayor Couper, and Aids, Angrove, Carson, Chown, Craig, Clagston, Elliott, Free, Givens, Graham, Hanley, Hartly, Hoag, Kent, McCann, McCartney, McKay, Rigney, Tweedell.

These communications were referred to committees:

Miss Davenport, asking for authority to erect a sign at 109 Brock street.

Mrs. Isabella Hamilton, asking for remission of income tax.

Ald. R. H. Toye wrote as follows: "To the mayor and aldermen of the city of Kingston—Gentlemen: I hereby tender my resignation as alderman for Sydenham ward. In severing my connection with my colleagues on the board of aldermen, I desire to express my appreciation of the kindness shown to me during all the years I have been a member of the board. Wishing you all the compliments of the season, I am, yours sincerely, R. H. TOYE."

The Finance Report.

The finance committee made these recommendations, which were adopted: That the recommendation of the board of health to grant \$130 to the city officials on that board, be received and adopted, and the amount paid. On the communication of McDonald & Co., Ottawa, re motor buses, no action be taken.

That the salary of John Ballantyne, messenger, be increased to six hundred dollars a year. On motion of Aids Givens and Hartly, a clause was added to the finance committee report, granting an increase of fifty dollars a year to Miss S. E. Flanagan, assistant city clerk.

The city solicitor reported that the council had no authority to grant an exclusive franchise to any person or company to operate buses on the streets. The municipal act did not permit monopolies. All a company could get was a license from the police commissioners to carry on a livery or cab business.

To Buy Street Extensions.

The following recommendation of the board of works was adopted without dissent:

That as your committee will have at the end of the current year a surplus of \$1,446 approximately, and as there are certain vacant lands lying within the limits of the prolongation of certain streets in the city (as contained in the attached list), which will require to be extended at some time in the near future, and in order to prevent the erection of buildings on the said lands, your committee would accordingly recommend that the said lands be acquired by the city from the surplus above referred to, and that the options secured for the said lands be taken up. Your committee would also recommend that the city solicitor be instructed to prepare the necessary deeds and agreements. The street extensions referred to are as follows: Brock street, from Victoria to Toronto street, 8495; Mack street, from Nelson to Victoria street, 8475; Patrick

street, from Stephen street, southerly 141 feet, \$100; street with no name, from Collingwood street, easterly to connect with the present street, \$200; total, \$1,270.

A Lively Discussion.

Quite a discussion took place incidental to the street extension question. Ald. Elliott said it was to be regretted that the money voted to the board of works had not been expended for the purpose for which it had been voted. The streets were in a very bad condition and required repair. All year, Ald. Graham had been asking for more money for the streets, and when it was voted to his committee, it is not expended. At this late hour a surplus of \$1,446 is reported, and it is recommended that it be spent in opening up more streets. When Ald. Carson was chairman of the board of works several years ago, he had been criticized severely for reporting a surplus at the end of the year.

Ald. Hoag defended the board of works. He pointed out that it was very difficult till late in the year to find out just how much money was at the credit of the board, as expenditures were not allocated. Had it been known earlier how much money the board had on hand, there was no doubt it would have been expended on the streets. Now, however, that the surplus was on hand, the board considered that the best thing to do was to purchase land for street extensions, when the properties could be got cheap.

Ald. Graham said the board would have spent the money if it knew it had it. Furthermore, the stone contractor had not given satisfaction, and more stone could not be got for the roads this past fall, when it was wanted. He pointed out that the board of works this year had built more concrete walks than in any other year, and had built them at the lowest rate on record, or at two cents a square foot cheaper than when Ald. Carson was chairman of the board.

Ald. Carson explained that the reason concrete walks cost more when he was chairman was because cement was much dearer then. If the council had taken his advice when he had \$1,500 surplus from the board of works' appropriation and spent it in a tar macadam plant, the city would have had permanent streets now and been saving money.

THE DAY'S EPISODES
LOCAL NOTES AND THINGS IN GENERAL

Occurrences in The City and Vicinity—Other Brief Items of Interest Easily Read And Remembered.

See Bibby's new \$1 shirts. Sweet cider, 30c. a gallon. Toy trunks for children, \$1.50, at The Lockett shoe store.

Miss Olive Scott, Pittsburgh, is visiting in the city this week. William Swaine, piano tuner. Orders received at McAuley's, Phone 778. Waterman's fountain pens, \$1 and up, for Christmas giving, at Best's.

Miss Gladys Roote returned to Belleville, to-day, after attending the model school. Drinking cups at Keeley's. Choice snow apples, 50c. a peck, at the Golden Lion Grocery.

There was a great jam in the stores yesterday afternoon. The final rush is on in earnest. H. Cunningham, piano tuner from "Chickering's." Leave orders at McAuley's Book Store.

See Bibby's dressy \$1 shirts. Archbishop Gauthier held confirmation service, on Sunday, in St. Mary's church, Carleton Place. See Bibby's nobby \$1 shirts.

Miss Gladys Calder returned to her home in Odessa, to-day, after attending the model school. A splendid array of suit cases and grips new for Christmas, at The Lockett shoe store.

Kyoglasses make a nice Christmas gift, \$1.50 at Keeley's. Buy your Christmas chocolates and perfumes for Christmas morning delivery at Best's.

See our scarfs and clouds for children, splendid quality, 25c. New York Dress Reform. Master John Tvo, Sault Ste. Marie, is spending Christmas with his parents on Raglan Road.

Bibby's for swell neckwear, 50c. J. M. Campbell, of Rochester, N.Y., has paid the \$733 he offered as settlement of the gas tank difficulty. Regal shoes make nice presents, \$5, at The Lockett shoe store.

This is the week when the old boys' and old girls' reunions commence. Already they are beginning to arrive. Sale of mittens, red and black, 15c. and 25c., toques, cardinal, navy, or white, 25c. New York Dress Reform. Bibby's neckwear elegance, 50c.

Carry home your small parcels. It won't hurt your dignity a bit, and may lighten somebody else's worries. See Bibby's \$1 mocha gloves. Moccasins, the good kind, either buckskin or the oil tan. No stock received. The Lockett Shoe Store.

Fleece-lined vests, 25c.; drawers, 25c.; stockings, ribbed, 20c.; hose supporters, any color, 25c. New York Dress Reform. The Kingston and Pembroke railway had a fair crowd for the city, this morning. The big crowd is expected on Thursday.

See Bibby's \$1 kid gloves. Give your mother or father a reading glass, 50c. up, at Keeley's. Dresses for children, bibs, booties and stockings that will wear. All prices. New York Dress Reform.

A hearty invitation has been extended to citizens to pay an inspection to the new gymnasium erected by the Board of Education. Fancy imported cherries in bottles. Fancy imported Roquefort cheese. The cheapest Canadian cheese, at W. R. Mac and Co., the Golden Lion.

The best hockey boots for boys will be found at The Lockett shoe store. See Bibby's \$1 mocha gloves. Trustees James Craig and Frank Anglin will, in all probability, offer themselves for re-election to the Board of Education.

Chafing dishes at Keeley's. "Fresh on Monday morning," six large cases of McCauley's Choice of Royalty sweets for Christmas buyers. Gibson's Red Cross drug store.

Dr. Harold Spence, Utica, N.Y., will be home to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Spence, Princess street. See Bibby's special \$1 shirts.

Oliver Chown is making a good score in St. Lawrence ward. He has large interests and would be a valuable man to aid in administering civic affairs. The Frontenac seniors have a bye

Motions Passed.

Moved by Ald. Chown, seconded by Ald. Elliott, that the council place on record its appreciation of the services of Ald. Toye to the city, and do not accept his resignation and ask him to withdraw it.

Ald. Chown said that there was no man around the council who had given so much time, gone into so much detail and had such a grasp of civic affairs as Ald. Toye and it was most advisable that his services should be retained. The motion was unanimously adopted.

Ald. Tweedell gave notice that he would move at the first meeting of council next year that the city solicitor take legal proceedings against owners of derelicts that were creating a nuisance in the lower harbor.

On behalf of the council Ald. Rigney tendered to Mayor Couper its appreciation of the impartial and dignified manner in which his worship had presided over the affairs of the city. The interests of the city, he said, had been well safeguarded, and the business of council expedited and well conducted by the mayor, and therefore, it was with pleasure that he extended the unanimous assurance of appreciation of the council to his worship.

In reply Mayor Couper said that he had tried to act in an impartial manner in the chair. He had tried also to do his level best for the city. He appreciated the services of every alderman around the board. There had been many important questions before the council throughout the year and he thought the council had met them as best they could. It was pleasing to know that throughout the year there had been no political division in the council. Politics seemed to now have very little place in municipal affairs. The mayor thanked the aldermen for their expression of appreciation, and wished them all a Merry Christmas and a bright and prosperous New Year.

The clock in the city hall dome cried out the hour of ten as council arose after a motion of Aids Elliott and Rigney to adjourn was passed.

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See Bibby's \$1 kid gloves. Roland Leclair, of Sorol, who has been in Kingston attending Sydenham street public school, will leave on Wednesday to spend Christmas at home.

See Bibby's neat \$1 shirts. Mrs. G. Bishop, Miss B. Lacey and Miss May Daniels, of Sydenham, came into the city, Tuesday, for the Christmas dance at the Royal Military College.

See Bibby's \$2 fur-lined gloves. The Freeman complains that speculators clear the local market of turkeys. At twenty-five cents a pound they're welcome to them. Corn beef and salt pork for us.

Dr. Jaeger's pure wool slippers, \$1.50, at The Lockett shoe store. A citizen who has been doing a great deal of canvassing, says that the numbering of the houses on some streets is sadly in need of attention. He says they are far from being correct.

See Bibby's \$2 fur-lined gloves. Miss Gladys Roote, Belleville, who finished a course in the model school, here, has been appointed principal of the Wolfe Island school at Marysville.

Miss G. Calder will be her assistant. Silver napkin rings, 75c. up, at Keeley's, jr's.

The postmen had a great load of mail the first trip out this morning and the loads are growing heavier every day. The posties will be glad when the holiday season is over.

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