

THE COUNTY COUNCIL ATTACKED AGED MAN INTERESTED CITIZENS

CONSIDERED REQUEST OF THE NEW SCHOOL SECTION

In Kingston Township—Agricultural Representative Made Report Concerning the Work of the Years.

On Friday morning the Frontenac county council, now in session in the court house, considered a school question of some years standing, which developed somewhat pointedly.

This school matter has been "in the air" for some years, indeed, as one councillor, remarked, twenty. A temporary arrangement was arrived at by a deputation which recently considered it.

The fact that children of all residents on the Perth Road, from Kingston five miles out, have to go, both east and west, five miles through the fields to attend school, was impressed.

Mr. Bell told of the attitude of the township council when the question had been considered, saying that the vote against it was controlled by ratepayers having no children.

Councillors Hawkey and Coulter, reeve and deputy reeve of Kingston township, spoke to the question. The former was aware that the ratepayers wished to see it satisfactorily arranged.

The action of the council of the matter was weighed at considerable length, the following resolution of Councillors Donaldson for a time meeting with objection, and most of the township reeves expressed themselves.

To Petition for Increase The council will petition the public works department of the province for increased grants for good roads.

A Decrease in Mortgage The report of C. Mains, of Sydney, the Frontenac representative of the department of agriculture, was read by the clerk.

According to instructions received from the assistant deputy minister of agriculture, I made a personal investigation of the agricultural credits, rural population of Frontenac county.

The Auditors Report. A statement showing the cash assets and liabilities of the county, dated Dec. 31st, 1913, was read by the auditor.

Appointed County Auditor. A. H. Muir, city auditor, was appointed auditor for the county of Frontenac, at a meeting of the County Council, on Friday afternoon, at a salary of \$150 per year.

Boston Head Lettuce Artichokes, cauliflower, salsify, spinach, leeks, radishes, green peppers, sweet potatoes, shallots, Brussels sprouts, cauliflower, celery, etc., at Carnovsky's.

Principal Gordon's Birthday On Friday, Jan. 30th, Principal Gordon, of Queen's university, was sixty-nine years of age.

SUCH IS CHARGE AGAINST ALBERT WRIGHT

Stoutly Denied Charge and Asked That Case Be Adjourned to Allow Him Chance to Get Witnesses

Albert Wright, laborer, was locked up, on Thursday night, by Constables Nicholson and Jenkins, on a charge of disorderly conduct.

The aged resident, who took the witness stand, stated that he was sitting in his house, on Thursday afternoon, when all of a sudden a man walked into the house, knocked him over and smashed the table.

A lady living near by identified the prisoner as the man who noticed coming out of the house, but Wright stoutly denied the charge, stating that at the time the assault was alleged to have taken place, he was at the ice house.

Cornelius McMahon, up many times for being drunk, had a new charge to face, that of vagrancy. The magistrate gave him a month.

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DELIGHTFUL PROGRAMME Rendered at Ladies' Musical Club Thursday Night.

The large audience which filled Convocation Hall Thursday evening was enthusiastically delighted by the playing of the two visiting artists, who gave the greater part of the programme.

Miss Myra Smith, the young English pianist, who has won such an assured position in Toronto, and Paul Hahn, the cellist, already popular in Kingston.

Miss Smith's opening group consisted of Handel's quaint "Harmonious Blacksmith," with the difficult variations, an old French dance by Boily, and Scarlatti's lovely pastorale and Allegro Vivace.

Mr. Hahn played Charpentier's melody, and Popper's humorous gavotte with a charming encore called "The his beautiful gurglers."

The glorious duo for piano and cello, Chopin's "Polonaise Brillante," made a splendid finale to a much appreciated programme.

The vocal numbers of the evening were supplied by two of our own artists, Mrs. S. J. M. Compton and Miss Hazel Massie, Mrs. Shaw and Mrs. Williams accompanying.

STOCK MARKETS F. R. McCurdy & Co., 86 and 88 Brock St.—H. W. Nelles, Manager. Closing Prices, Jan. 30th.

Table with columns for Montreal and New York, listing various commodities like Cement, R. & O., Brazilian, Detroit, Macdonald, Dominion Steel, Spanish River, Ottawa Light, Heat and Power, Coppers, Smelters, C.P.R., Reading, Union Pacific, United States Steel, Erie, Soo, Atchison, Northern Pacific, Brooklyn Rapid Transit, Rubber, Lehigh Valley, American Can, New Haven Railway, Southern Pacific.

Table with columns for Cotton and Grain, listing prices for May, March, Wheat, July, Corn, July, May.

Court Room Decorated Friday morning's session of the police court was held in the court room for the first time in many days.

Both Are Improving Toronto, Jan. 30.—Reports from the Toronto general hospital, to-day, indicate that both Sir James Whitney and Sir George Ross are improving.

"Fresh Beef, Iron and Wine." Gibbons's.

IN THE BRITISH CANADIAN THEATRE SOCIETY

Which is For the Purpose of Choosing and Supporting the Best of Plays and Vetoing the Unpleasant.

William Holles, of the British-Canadian Theatre Organization Society, was in Kingston on Thursday and Friday, to interest prominent citizens in the objects of this association.

Said Mr. Holmes: "An organized audience, a union of playgoers strong enough to choose its own plays, and to support them, sufficiently powerful to veto the unpleasant contributions to the drama, to make the mystery play as possible as the musical comedy—to bring about all these things is the object of the Theatre Organization Society."

"In the past," continued Mr. Holles, "English dramatists have been content to transfer the acting rights in their plays, both for the United States and Canada, to American managers, who, it is no secret, have shown little regard for what Canadians very rightly consider to be their legitimate claims.

"In London I got into touch with Carl F. Leyel, who was lessee and manager of the Criterion Theatre, and he entered enthusiastically into the idea. A limited company with a capital of £10,000—the amount required, let me say, has been already subscribed—was quickly formed by him under the name of the British-Canadian Theatre Organization company.

Its temporary offices are at 25 Craven Street, Strand, and as the first outcome of the combination, Martin Harvey has come to Canada. He will be followed by Lawrence Irving.

Let me indicate the advantages we shall be able to offer English companies and English playwrights. We ensure a tour of at least twenty weeks; further, there is this point, to be taken into consideration, namely, that Canada can be used as a first stage for a tour extending to Australia, the company returning via South Africa. By adopting this route a saving of three to six weeks can easily be effected."

Mr. Holles has enlisted the support for the society of the most prominent people in Halifax, Montreal, Ottawa, Toronto, Vancouver and Winnipeg so far. While in Kingston he secured the co-operation of a number of the leading theatrical patrons of the Limestone city. Mr. Holles would be glad to receive communications from interested music and drama lovers. His address is 407, Board of Trade building, Montreal.

C.O.C.F. INSTALLATION On Thursday Evening by Dr. J. H. Bell, of Hamilton

Councils Nos. 20 and 217, C.O.C.F., met in the Chosen Friend Hall, on Thursday evening for the purpose of installing officers. Dr. J. H. Bell, of Hamilton, the grand marshal, examined of the order, was the installing officer, and was assisted by Dr. A. W. Richardson, Grand Marshal.

The officers installed for council No. 20, were: P.C., S. E. Trotter, U. C., W. R. Buck; D.C., J. H. Jarvis; recorder, R. C. Bell; treasurer, O. C. Smith; prelate, E. J. Smith; marshal, H. Moncrieff; warden, Vera A. Bell; guard, T. Handford; sentry, W. Crawford.

The officers installed in office for council No. 217, were: T.C., W. J. Driscoll; C.C., J. McKegney; V.C., John Burns; recorder, Nellie Hanley; treasurer, M. Hanley; prelate, A. McKeeney; marshal, J. Hurley; warden, A. Devlin; guard, E. J. Dunphy; sentry, John Donevan.

After the business part of the evening a programme was carried out, which included solos by Miss Phyllis Devlin, and Miss Grace Mitchell; readings by Dr. A. W. Richardson, and O. C. Smith. An address was given by Dr. J. H. Bell, and the socially orchestra which was present, favored the audience with some choice selections. The ladies of the council served refreshments at the close. The crowd taxed the seating capacity.

Applied Christianity An illustrated lecture on "Applied Christianity" will be given in St. Andrew's hall this evening at 8 o'clock.

The lecturer will be the Rev. F. E. Robinson, of the Presbyterian Board of social service, and he will illustrate the social conditions of Rural and City life in Canada. Silver collection.

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