

CITY COUNCIL SESSION

WAS A LENGTHY ONE ON MONDAY NIGHT.

Recommendations of the Finance Committee—No Change Made in the Fire Limits of the City.

The City Council had another of its lengthy sessions on Monday night it being 12.30 a. m. before it adjourned to meet again in regular session on the 12th of October. The long discussion was with regard to residential road paving. In attendance were: Mayor Shaw and Aids. Bews, Couper, Clugston, Fair, Graham, Gillespie, Hughes, Hanley, Hoag, Kent, Litton, McCann, Newman, Nickle, O'Connor, Peters, Richardson, Stroud, Sutherland and White.

The Finance Committee made the following recommendations, which were adopted:

That the sum of \$40 be paid to the Public Utilities Commission as the cost of supplying a water pipe to the nuisance ground on Bagot street.

That the request of the Anglican Young People's association for a grant to assist in the expenses of a convention, be not granted.

That money be provided for the installation of two lights in Macdonald park; this is not provided for in the budget.

That money be provided for the purchase of a pulmo. This is not provided for in the budget.

That this committee be given authority to make arrangements for the reception and entertainment of the Old Boys during the home coming week.

That the City Property committee be granted \$75 for repairs to the buildings at the fair grounds for the holding of the Kingston township fair. This is not provided for in the budget.

That F. Davies be paid \$15 for services in connection with the sanitary inspection. This is not provided for in the budget.

That a map be purchased from Campbell & Wright for the committee room for general use. That the hydrants, water mains and sewers be marked on this map by the officials having charge of the same. This is not provided for in the budget.

That the public Utilities commission be directed to present to the council a detailed report showing the revenues and disbursements since January 31st, 1914, and hereafter quarterly, and to pay over to the treasurer of this municipality all surplus monies from the different utilities, in accordance with R.S.O., 1914, Chap. 204, Sec. 43.

That William Newman be engaged as caretaker of the bathing houses at \$1 a day till Sept. 30th, 1914.

That the following accounts in connection with the session of governor-general, for which no funds were provided, be paid:

C. Chambers, carriage. 50

S. Grinshaw, making plans. \$13.54

E. K. Purdy, flowers. 15.00

Regarding the Bell Telephone company agreement, Mayor Shaw said the Finance Committee was not yet ready to report.

A conference had been held yesterday afternoon with A. T. Smith, a representative of the company, who promised to submit the concessions that would be given to Kingston.

Ald. Hoag wanted to know why the Ferrar shows were coming to Kingston for the Old Boys re-union. He understood a contract had been signed.

Ald. Kent stated that all the information the Finance committee had about the matter was a letter that arrived last Friday stating that the Ferrar company had to cancel its Kingston appointment as it was not coming into Canada. There was no recourse against the company, the city solicitor had reported.

The clause in the Fire committee report regarding the extension of the fire limits was struck out at Ald. Kent's suggestion. The fire limits will remain as they are.

Several by-laws for the construction of walks and sewers were passed.

Edmonton to Entertain Duke.

Edmonton, Alta., July 21.—Elaborate preparations are being made by the municipality of Edmonton and semi-public organizations for the entertainment of the Duke of Connaught, governor-general of Canada, and the duchess, during their visit in Edmonton on July 27th. Mayor McNamara has proclaimed a public holiday. He is chairman of a special committee to arrange for the reception of the royal party.

SHOULD WOMEN ATTEND

Boxing Bouts—A Question Discussed in England.

London, July 21.—Should women go to boxing contests? This is a question at the present time which is attracting a great deal of attention in England, when boxing is the chief topic of conversation because of the impetus given it by Bombardier Wells and Colin Bell affair and the Ritchie-Welsh fight.

When the Rev. Edward Digby, vicar of St. Agatha's, Finsbury, consented to act as master of ceremonies at the Bell-Wells fight there was much discussion as to the propriety of such action on the part of a clergyman. Shortly afterwards it became known that many well known women had secured tickets for these fights, which precipitated a discussion in which the clergyman's action was entirely lost sight of.

Scores of persons have been interviewed on this subject, and while many have advocated the right of women to attend prizefights and boxing contests the predominant opinion is that it is "not for the gentler sex."

Father Vaughan, is expressing an opinion in opposition to the right of women to attend such performances, said: "When I see women rushing to boxing matches I ask, Why do not men refuse to take women to arenas where they must witness scenes which ought to disgust, as they must degrade, them? Let men help women to self-reverence and self-control, and let women be shut out from ring fights."

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HAD 1,000 PROPOSALS.

Omaha City Prosecutor Marries and Gets \$50,000 Legacy.

Omaha, Neb., July 21.—Fred W. Anheuser, city prosecutor of Omaha, who has received more than 1,000 proposals of marriage during the last six months, is married. He thus will obtain a legacy of \$50,000 left by his uncle with the provision that he should marry within twenty-four months. The bride was Miss Katherine Von Lome of this city.

When Anheuser's millionaire uncle died last November the story of the \$50,000 legacy and its queer condition got into the newspapers at once. Also Anheuser's photograph in Nebraska, Iowa, South Dakota, Wyoming and other western states was also in the papers and then the letters began pouring in on Anheuser.

"The legacy had nothing to do with it," said Mr. Anheuser today. "I've been engaged all the time."

WOULD ENTER PRIESTHOOD.

Women Not Content With Newly Granted Privileges.

London, July 21.—Not content with recent concessions with regard to the right of representation in the church councils, women are now claiming the right of ordination to the priesthood in the Church of England. That claim is likely to find expression at the proposed conference of women church workers shortly. The basis of the women's contention is that the priest is a human, not a sexual, office. The Guardian strongly opposes the innovation as emanating from a band of women who have pushed the claims of their sex to such a point that they have lost all sense of proportion.

Railway Building in Alberta.

Edmonton, Alta., July 21.—Ten million dollars, it is estimated by local contractors, will be expended in the province of Alberta this year by the Canadian Northern Railway company and subsidiary companies. The programme includes the construction of a line into the Peace River country, north of here. The Canadian Northern Western Railway company, a subsidiary concern, has received \$6,500,000 from the sale of guaranteed bonds in England. Officers of the provincial government say at least 700 miles of railway will be built in Alberta during 1914.

A Typewriting Record.

Edmonton, Alta., July 21.—Winnie A. Martin, a fourteen-year-old student at the Victoria high school here, claims world's records for typewriting in six one-minute tests are: Greek, 61 words, two errors; German, 67 words, two errors; Latin, 57 words, no errors; French, 74 words, no errors; English, 103 words, no errors; blind fold, 92 words, two errors. She also wrote 71.5 net words a minute for 10 minutes.



MYSTERIOUS MURDER AT FREEPORT, N. Y.

The house in which Mrs. Bailey was shot while calling on Dr. Edwin Carman. The man in the inset is Dr. Carman, and the woman is his wife. The marked window is the one which was raised by the person who fired the revolver. This murder mystery is exceptionally interesting in the United States and Canada.

PAID FOR PRIVILEGE

OF USING NIGHT LINES FOR EELS AND CATFISH.

Which Are A Scourge to Commercial Fish—Overseer Tells of Kingstons Who Fish at Brothers Island on Sunday.

Sandhurst, July 20.—(To the Editor): According to a paragraph in your valuable paper under date of July 16th, one not aware of the facts would naturally conclude that the fishermen (night line) of this district were superseding their rights and the overseer neglecting his duty. In justice to all concerned and to the public at large allow me to explain the situation as it really exists.

These night-line fishermen in every instance have paid their license fee and have been granted a night-line license by the fish and game department of the Ontario government for the purpose of catching eels and catfish (which you, no doubt, aware have been a great scourge to the commercial fish of these waters) and the small fishermen, rarely, if ever, catch any other species of fish. So under the circumstances how do they effect the anglers in these waters?

These fishermen in a majority of cases are young farmers and farmers on the farm are also trying to make an honest shakedown in this way and I think are to be commended rather than depreciated on their high standard of Canadian enterprise.

I think in so far as the lawful fishing in these waters are concerned you would assist us much more by helping to stop the many city and country anglers who Sunday after Sunday fish not only at the Brothers but along the shores of the Bay of Quinte much to the annoyance of the law-abiding citizens of these parts.—GEORGE H. GURRIN, Game and Fishery Overseer.

Decrease in Trade Disputes.

The number of trade disputes reported to the department of labor during June was nine, one less than the previous month, and two less than the corresponding month of the previous year. The total number of disputes in existence at the end of the month was twenty-two, as compared with fifteen during May. The largest disputes of the month were those of the carpenters at Montreal, in which 1,000 employees were concerned; carpenters at London, affecting some 300 men, and miners at Nordberg, Alta., to the number of 300 directly and 600 indirectly.

The liquor business employs 152,000 persons in New York state.

The Korean postal savings bank system has 120,000 depositors.

Modern street paving is virtually unknown in the cities of Japan.

FINANCIAL MATTERS

FACTS SHOW CANADA BORROWED MORE THAN OTHERS.

Largest Proportion of British Subscriptions in Past Half-Year Came to This Country.

London, July 20.—New capital issues in London during the half year just ended amounted to the huge sum of \$760,000,000, the figure being supplied by the London "Economist." This sum is the greatest amount subscribed for new capital since the first half year of 1910 and with that one exception greater than any amount in any half year since 1904.

The total subscriptions it is satisfactory to note that the largest proportion of those to the British Overseas Dominions and to foreign countries were to Canadian issues. Altogether \$193,853,000 was given to Canadian governments and private concerns, for the purposes of development, out of the total of \$351,263,000 sent to the British Dominions overseas in that time. Australia was a second favorite with \$93,931,000 loaned and South Africa a modest third with about \$25,000,000.

American Tel. and Tel. Report.

New York, July 20.—American Telegraph and Telephone company's earnings for the six months ended June 30, 1914, were \$23,328,767, an increase of \$536,826 over the corresponding months of last year. Net income was \$20,569,308, an increase of \$313,455. The balance after charges is \$16,365,703, a decrease of \$109,113. Dividends paid amounted to \$12,785,673, an increase of \$114,608, leaving a balance of \$2,580,030, a decrease of \$214,709, as compared with last year.

Heavy Losses Since 1913.

New York, July 20.—The low prices established during last week twenty-one of the leading New York stocks showed declines from the high of 1913, ranging from fifteen to seventy-five points, a total depreciation in market value of some \$560,000,000. The par value of the same issues is \$1,417,807,000. The stock which has taken the greatest loss in the year is Canadian Pacific, with a depreciation of \$200,000,000. New Haven is next, with \$109,000,000, and National railways of Mexico third, at \$55,800,000. Missouri Pacific has lost \$27,000,000.

Laurentide Plant Near Completion.

Montreal, July 20.—Work on the new plant of the Laurentide company on the St. Maurice River is advancing rapidly and it is now confidently expected that the hopes of the officials will be attained and that the Laurentide company will have three units, equal to 60,000 h.p., of new hydro-electric development in operation by November 1st. 120,000 h.p. is the development aimed at and the new plant, comprising this would be ready by next spring. Provision is being made at the power house for three additional units, which would bring the development up to 180,000 h.p. which is aimed at ultimately.

Electric Companies Merge.

Buffalo, July 20.—The General Electric company and the Cataract Power and Conduit company applied to the common council for permission to operate as one company. The former company proposes to take over the capital stock of the latter. Both concerns operate by power from Niagara Falls.

U. S. Investments Here.

Montreal, July 20.—Careful calculations by a financial expert reveal the fact that the sum total of United States investments in Canada in 1913 amounted to \$637,000,000, as against \$417,000,000 in 1911 and \$279,000,000 in 1909. Of this sum \$13,000,000 has gone to British Columbia land, mills and mines, and \$40,000,000 has gone into the prairie provinces.

New Steel Company Director.

Hamilton, Ont., July 20.—Ross H. McMaster of Montreal, has been elected a director of the Steel Company of Canada to fill the vacancy created by the death of the late Senator Gibson.

Hudson's Bay Sales.

Winnipeg, July 20.—The sales of farm lands of the Hudson's Bay company for the quarter ended June 30th, amounted approximately to 4,200 acres for \$16,400, as compared with 11,800 acres for \$49,500; and

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the sales of town lots to \$3,400, as compared with \$11,800 for the corresponding period of 1913. Receipts are \$86,500, as against \$144,500 in 1913.

Furness Line Registered.

London, July 20.—The Furness-Houlder Argentine lines have just registered with a capital of a million sterling. Sir Stephen Furness is one of the principal directors.

Financial Notes.

British Canadian Cannery, Ltd., is planning a \$500,000 bond issue.

The Canadian Pacific has ordered ten engines from the Montreal Locomotive Works.

It is said that the Bank of Nova Scotia will open a branch office in London soon.

Directors of the Mond Nickel company announce profits for the year amounting to \$297,634.

U. S. distillers agree to reduce 1913 output 20,000,000 gallons on account of large stocks and overproduction past five years.

President Farrell, of the U. S. Steel Corporation, has been appointed chairman of the U. S. National Foreign Trade council.

La Rose surplus at the end of June was \$1,600,000. When the dividend is paid next week a balance equal to 90 cents per share will be left.

It is announced that the Muskoka Lakes Navigation and Hotel company, Limited, will pay dividend of 5 per cent.

The skunk brings annually to the trappers of the United States about \$3,000,000. It stands second in importance only to the muskrat among our fur-bearing animals.

The Pacific Gas and Electric company reports gross earnings of \$16,743,050 for the year ended June 30, 1913.

The commission estimates that between \$70,000,000 and \$90,000,000 has been lost to the New Haven stockholders, through waste and impairment of value under the old management.

During the fiscal year ended June 30th, 1914, there were built in the United States, and officially numbered, 1,291 vessels of 311,578 gross tons, compared with 1,658 vessels of 382,304 gross tons or the same period of 1913.

Passenger earnings of the Twin city Rapid Transit Co., for the month of June were \$731,939, which is \$35,328 ahead of the company's earnings during June, 1913. The earnings for the year to June 30th were \$4,468,939, an increase of \$280,959 over the earnings for the same period last year.

Proctor & Gamble, multi-millionaire soap and perfume manufacturers, have selected Hamilton as their Canadian headquarters. The firm is

capitalized at \$25,000,000, and has five big plants in the United States, the parent industry being in Cincinnati.

The gross business of the Dominion Glass company, Limited, for the year compares very favorably with that of 1913. The company's fiscal year closes on September, and the announcement has just been made that the sales for the last nine months are approximately the same as for the corresponding period the preceding year.

Frederic Nichols, president of the Canadian General Electric Co., Toronto, says that while that enterprise is experiencing a falling off in the volume of orders received, the Canada Foundry department has received a greater number of orders in the past six months than in the first six months of 1913. Collections have been surprisingly good, and the company's liabilities have been reduced by over \$2,000,000 since the beginning of the year.

A Mean Pollockman.

The lady householder was stealing water. She was stealing it with much circumspection from a low-lying sprinkler, which was turned on just sufficiently to nicely sprinkle a dry place upon the lawn, but not enough to be conspicuous from the street. A policeman comes along with his weather eye open for just such infringements of the city ordinances. The lady householder realizes that it is too late to shut the water without attracting the attention of the policeman, so the day being warm she calmly sits down upon the tall-tale sprinkler and hides it from view.

The policeman walks slowly to the fence and engages the lady householder in conversation. He talks about the heat, the necessity of keeping lawns well sprinkled, the weather generally, the picture shows, and many other topics which came into his mind upon the spur of the moment. At the end of 20 minutes the policeman walks quietly—oh, with a smile upon the side of his face which is turned away from the lady householder.

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By "Bud" Fisher

