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FIRE DEPARTMENT MARE OBJECT OF DISCUSSION

Civic Committee Refuses To Get Rid of Condemned Animal.

The fire and light committee, with the mayor leading in the attack, presented strong opposition to J. R. C. Dobbs, president of the Kingston Humane Society, at a special meeting held on Wednesday afternoon to deal with a complaint against the fire department of keeping a horse that was suffering from incurable lameness and unfit to race to a fire. The mayor was determined not to concede the right of the humane society to interfere, and though the reports of the department veterinarian showed that the horse would suffer from being driven to a fire, owing to incurable lameness, and recommended that she be not used but be disposed of by shooting or other wise, the committee refused to vote on the matter, being satisfied that "Jess" had a good home and though past twenty years of age, should not be shot or sold to somebody who might abuse her.

Ald. Chown, chairman, presided, and the members present were Mayor Nickle and Aids. Driscoll, Clow, Rodger, Armstrong and Litton. The chairman opened the meeting by reading reports from Dr. William Nicholls, veterinary, upon the condition of the white mare "Jess." The reports stated that she was incurably lame and unfit for the service required of the fire department. This was borne out by a statement of the fire chief, in which he admitted that she had only been driven to fires twice during the past year, being held in "reserve" and only exercised by an hour's walk daily. Dr. Nicholls, who was present, stated that she was ambitious and would rush to a fire as best she could but would suffer afterwards. She had a lame shoulder received by a fall against the pavement five years ago, ring bones and corns on her feet. It was not shown that she was not properly fed and groomed, and when she was exhibited outside the window of the committee room window, the mare showed that she was well nourished.

The committee resented the action of the society as implying that the animal was subject to cruel treatment, and Mr. Dobbs was challenged to justify his action in having the veterinary inspect and report upon the mare. Mr. Dobbs stated that frequent complaints were made to him for not taking action against the fire department for keeping a lame horse that was not fit to be raced over the hard pavements. He asked Dr. Nicholls to report to him upon her condition, and he was of the opinion that in view of her physical condition, as stated in the reports submitted, it was cruel treatment to use the mare in the service of the fire department. "We are looking after the interests of the horse," said he. "It is incurably lame and not fit for the work."

Challenged as to his jurisdiction, Mr. Dobbs stated that the Kingston Humane Society was working under the Ontario Act for the prevention of cruelty to animals. "We go by what the veterinary says and we can enter any stable and take a horse out if it is shown that the animal is not properly treated," he said.

James Armstrong, chief of the fire department, stated that he knew the horse had been lame for five years. It fell on a pavement in 1916. Dr. Nicholls, he said, had never told him officially that the horse was unfit for service, but she had only been driven to two fires during the past year. She was held in reserve. She was given walking exercise for an hour each day and was well fed.

Questioned by Ald. Litton, Dr. Nicholls stated that the horse was unfit for service.

Ald. Chown: "But she has been to only two fires this year."

Ald. Rodger: "If that mare is run to a fire, is that cruel treatment?"

Dr. Nicholls: "Yes."

Mayor Nickle strongly resented Mr. Dobbs' action in interfering in the business of the city, and declared his conviction that he had no right to investigate the fire department because there was no cruel treatment. The mare was well-conditioned, aside from the lameness, and he would not vote to have her shot. He asked Mr. Dobbs what action of the society was working under, and the reply was "General cruelty, where a horse is being used when it is lame and suffering. That is cruelty."

Here Chairman Chown interposed the remark that the horse was only held in reserve and exercised daily by walking.

Dr. Nicholls said that citizens com-

plained about the horse being used when lame.

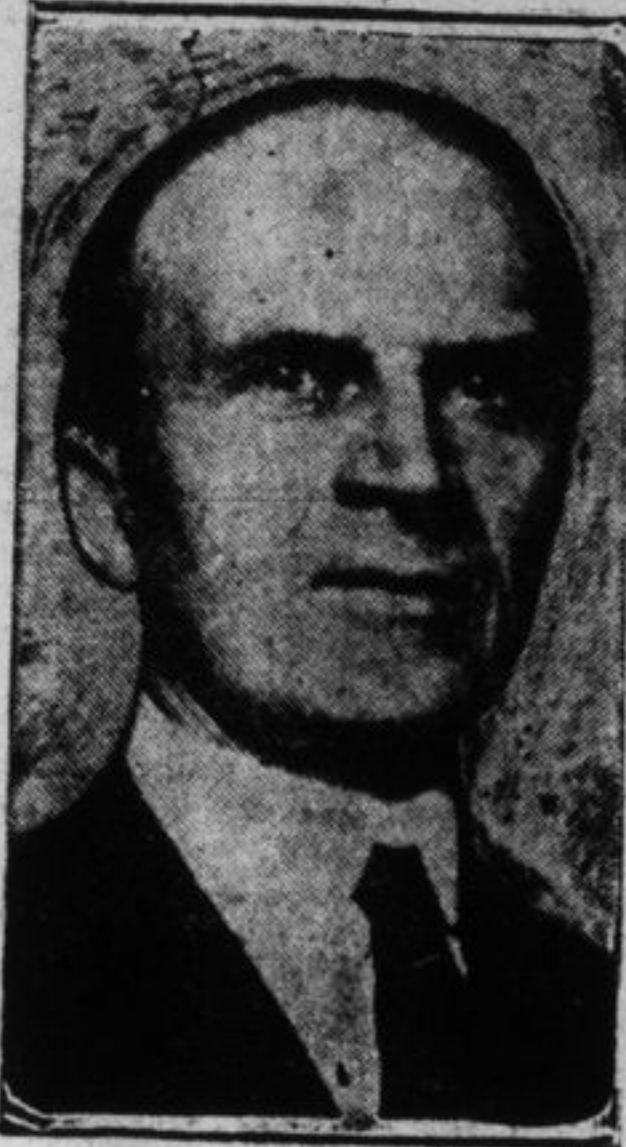
Mr. Dobbs: "We order lame horses off the street for treatment, and we have had many complaints about this horse of the fire department, and asked why we permitted the department to continue using a horse that was lame."

Ald. Rodger: "Mr. Dobbs is not a highly paid official. He is only interested in the treatment of horses, and if a horse is being used to go to a fire when lame and cruelly treated, it should be taken off the department work. He has heard complaints, and I don't think there is anything wrong in his action."

Asked what he expected the committee to do, Mr. Dobbs said: "I want you to do the best thing for this horse by taking it off the hard streets."

Ald. Chown: "We are not going to sell the horse to be abused."

Mr. Chown gave it as his opinion that the horse did not come under any part of the Act for the prevention of cruelty to animals, and the committee took no action.



JAMES HALE
Who has been appointed chairman of the Ontario License Board, succeeding J. D. Flavelle. He will also be director of the Ontario Temperance Act prosecutions.

KINGSTON DID WELL

At the D.R.A. Meet Held in Ottawa Last Week.

The Kingston men who formed the team representing the Kingston Garrison Rifle Association at the D.R.A. matches last week in Ottawa did splendid work. Six of them got into the finals in the Governor General's match, and while they failed to lift the trophy did very fine shooting. The Kingston team was the largest single team from any regiment or club in Canada, a fact which shows the keen interest taken in rifle shooting in this city, which has produced some of the best prize men in Canada, two of whom are Capt. W. E. Swaine and Major W. J. B. White, who won high distinctions at the Bisley matches. One of the unusual happenings at the recent meet was the discovery of a phenomenon from British Columbia, in a lad aged sixteen.

Military at Funeral

Full military honors accorded the rank of lieutenant-general will mark the funeral of Lt.-Gen. Sir Sam Hughes, K.C.B., M.P., on Friday. Owing to the great expense, the military ceremonial will be somewhat abbreviated. The units called for are three infantry battalions, four squadrons of cavalry, and fifteen guns for the salute. The 4th battery at Peterboro will provide the gun carriage and firing detachment. The escort will be furnished by three companies of the Victoria and Haliburton regiment, of which the deceased was honorary colonel; and one company from the Durham regiment of which Major-Gen. Hughes, brother of Sir Sam, is honorary colonel. The headquarters staff M.D. No. 2 will be represented by Brig.-Gen. W. B. S. King, C.M.G., and Lt.-Col. Hodgins, D.S.O., general staff officer.

Getting Along Nicely

Philip Kane, the Montreal man who was stabbed on Sunday night in a field off Hickson avenue, is doing nicely at the Hotel Dieu. The police are still engaged on the case but there are no new developments. Kane at first stated that he knew who had stabbed him and afterwards said he did not know the name of the man who had attacked him. He is able to sit up in his bed and talk.

Direct Results

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TWICE TOLD TALES

News of Kingston

TEN YEARS AGO.

The government has adopted a ballot box designed by J. B. Walkem, K.C., of this city.

Market space is at a premium as a result of the work on King street paving.

J. O. Hutton has been appointed sole agent for Kingston of the Western Assurance Company.

Queen's new campus opposite Victoria school is in fine shape for the coming rugby season.

Ald. Carson is complaining to the city council that the paving work on Clarence street is very poorly done.

Archibald Hattan has left for Waters, Sask., to reside. He was formerly with the M. T. Co. here.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO.

Burglars paid a visit to Dunn's grocery store and Mrs. (Dr.) Saunders' residence last night.

Advertising is the one thing about a business that should never take a vacation.

The steamer Ontario is thought to be the first large vessel to shoot the Lachine rapids.

Toronto city baseball champions will play Granites here on Tuesday of next week.

F. Conway is back from a week of rustication at Caledonia Springs.

The propeller Oregon arrived in port this morning with 73,000 bushels, the largest cargo ever brought in here by any one vessel.

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Friday, August 26th—Moonlight to Clayton cancelled.

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