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## BUSINESS OF THE COUNCIL.

### MEASURES ADOPTED BY THE CITY FATHERS.

**Twenty Local Improvement By-Laws Read And Adopted—The By-Laws Regarding The Riding of Bicycles Also Amended—A Bill Over The Action Of Committees In Enforcing Work.**

A regular meeting of the city council convened last evening for the transaction of general business. Present: Mayor Livingston, Alds. McKelvey, Carson, Curtis, Donnelly, Elliott, Minnes, McCartney, Webster, Johns, Wright, Toye, Shaw, Ryan, White, Cooke.

Ald. McKelvey and Curtis moved that the minutes of the last regular and two special meetings be confirmed. Adopted.

**COMMUNICATIONS CONSIDERED.**  
John McIntyre, in behalf of Mrs. Sarah Bennett. In November last the city acquired a part of her lands for the purpose of extending Sixth street. The lands have a frontage of forty-one feet on Division street. The owner of the remainder of the land is entitled to be released from all taxes for 1898. Court of revision.

Capt. T. F. Taylor, giving notice of appeal against the decision of the court of revision in confirming extra assessment for drain on Queen street. This matter is one for the county judge to consider.

James Schofield, asking to be relieved of personal property tax, as he does not possess any taxable personal property. Court of revision.

Walter Barwick, asking for extra copies of the agreement to be submitted to the people, re bonus to the cotton mill company. Also copy of existing by law granting the company exemption. This matter was attended to by the clerk.

W. Giddings, asking for reduction of taxes on two dwellings on account of vacancy. Court of revision.

Mrs. J. Williamson and Mrs. W. Johnson, complaining of an open sewer on Beverly street which discharges into Queen street. The water is being discharged into a stone well and is running into the cellar of Mrs. Williamson, one of whose children has been very ill in consequence. Board of works.

Ald. J. B. Cooke, asking for remission of dog tax for 1898, not having a dog. Court of revision.

W. Gill, asking for use of benches for use in Y.M.C.A. tent at the Pittsburg military camp. Referred to city property committee.

**PETITIONS PRESENTED.**  
Ald. Minnes. From Rev. A. W. Richardson. Prior to undertaking the full duties of a citizen he was assessed upon his income. He omitted to appear in time to appeal against being assessed upon his income and residence. He therefore requests your honorable body to have the amount of his assessment upon income remitted. Court of revision.

Ald. Elliott. From Peter Lowry, asking permission to make connections with the main sewer on Division at the corner of Concession street. Board of works.

**FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT.**  
Ald. Ryan presented the report of the committee on finance, recommending payment of these accounts: S. Grimshaw, sidewalk, \$40; parks pay roll, \$51.26; W. Shullbootham, \$10.61; Simmons Bros., \$109.53; A. Floody, stone, \$4.40; Mrs. Irvine, stone, \$1.00; McEdden, \$33; general pay roll, \$92.60; J. F. McElroy, street, \$108.35; Annie Clark, \$7.15; John Tweedell, \$18; S. Anglin & Co., \$7.50; J. Tweedell, \$39; police department, \$2.25; Oram, Shanks and Carter, \$30.50.

**Water works department:** F. H. Bibby, \$5; Carnovsky wood working Co., \$2.40; E. Law, \$11.90; Rathbun Co., \$3.25; Bell Telephone Co., \$17.25; Eaney Salby & Co., \$24; W. C. Craig & Co., freight, forty cents; R. Mitchell & Co., \$72.50; labor pay list, \$193.39.

Upon the application of Joseph Carington, re exemption, it was decided to recommend that the lots acquired by him subsequently to the passage of the present by-law of 1894 and required and used by him in connection with his tannery be exempt from taxation, except school taxes and local improvement rates, the exemption being that the premises used in connection with the tannery be exempted only upon its assessment in excess of \$5,000.

Upon the application of G. H. Allen, re balance due the 14th P.W.O. rifles band for playing concerts in city parks in 1897, the committee recommended payment of the account, \$18.

Ald. Elliott refused to sign the report of the finance committee because it recommended payment of accounts contracted by the water works department without them having been first considered by that committee and forwarded to the finance committee. He thought it wrong for the council to pass such accounts.

Ald. Curtis could not find any clause in the rules or by laws of the council to bear upon Ald. Elliott's stand. He had been rapped over the knuckles himself for the same thing and had looked up the law, but could not find anything to prevent such action.

Ald. Donnelly did not agree with Ald. Curtis' contention. Rule thirty-seven distinctly provided for accounts being first passed by the committee, contracting them before being sent on to the finance committee for confirmation.

Ald. McKelvey moved that all the water works accounts, except the labor pay roll, be stricken out of the report, to be a precedent for the future guidance of committees. This resolution was adopted, as was also the amended report.

**Twenty local improvement by-laws were presented and passed.** Alds. Elliott and Webster presided as chairmen while council was in committee of the whole. Alds. Webster and Donnelly also gave the clerk considerable assistance in reading a number of the by-laws.

Before council adjourned a by-law was passed amending the existing by-law governing the riding of bicycles by striking out the clause providing for the carrying of lamps, and adding one stipulating the speed at which bicycles can be ridden in the streets.

Moved by Alds. Minnes and Elliott, that, whereas W. Snowdon has declined to do the work on the Brock street fire station, he be contracted to be done by his tender of \$55 owing to his having made a mistake in his calculations, resolved that the committee on fire, water and light be empowered to award the work to the next lowest tenderer, Free & Lytton, as per specifications. Adopted.

Moved by Ald. McKelvey, seconded by Ald. Cooke, that in future no accounts be recommended for payment by the finance committee unless said accounts are passed and approved at a meeting of the committee having charge of the expenditure contained in the account and all the accounts to be certified by the chairman that they have been passed in committee.

Ald. Bell and Donnelly did not favor the resolution. Ald. Donnelly agreed that there was a grievance, but to adopt such a resolution would interfere with clauses thirty-three and thirty-four of the rules of the council. He was in sympathy with Ald. Elliott when he refused to sign the report of the finance committee which recommended payment of accounts of the

water works department that had not passed that committee. The members of the finance committee are supposed to be the solons of the council, but when the speaker saw members of that committee not agreeing with the actions of their colleagues he concluded there was something wrong. It looks as though the finance committee does not look after the affairs of the city any better than the other committees. That committee brings in matters of the utmost importance, like the Carrington exemption by-law, affecting the finances of the city, and, without giving any notice of such action, rush the matter through council.

Ald. Elliott spoke of the importance of having all accounts passed by committees before being considered by the finance committee.

Ald. Bell thought the rules of the council would have to be altered if such a resolution of the council was adopted. If this was done it would require a notice of motion.

The mayor did not think the rules would be interfered with or that a notice of motion was required.

Ald. McKelvey pressed the adoption of the resolution. It would strengthen the finance committee. For the future he would not sanction an account being considered by the finance committee without its first having been passed by the committee contracting it. The resolution was adopted.

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Messrs. Alexander & Anderson have made an offer of fifty cents on the dollar, which has been accepted by the Canadian creditors. The liabilities are placed at \$124,000 and the assets at \$132,000.

**Hot Weather.**  
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**Cheese Markets.**  
Saturday: London, 3,838 boxes boarded; 210 sold at 7 1/2c, 340 at 7c, 255 at 7 3/4c, and 935 at 7c. Cornwall, 854 Canadian and 242 American white cheese boarded; all sold at 7c. Cwawawillo, Que., 2,470 cheese boarded; 332 sold for 7c, 1,122 for 7 3/4c, and 637 at 7c. Canton, N. Y., 2,200 cheese sold at 7 1/2c, and 400 twins at 6c. Water town, N. Y., 6,900 boxes large cuffed; sold at 6c and 6 1/2c.

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## BOGUS COUNT ARRESTED.

**Detective Who Married Jeannie Young in Trouble Again.**  
LONDON, June 20.—Joseph von Arnold, a private detective of San Francisco, who married Jeannie Young in that city in April, 1897, and who deserted her in London, is now under arrest here, charged with obtaining £16 (£730) from a hair-dresser under the pretence that he, Von Arnold, was heir to a large estate in Germany. It has developed that the prisoner has four wives. He was last married in May, 1898.

Arnold posed as a count when he married Jeannie Young. Arnold's trial will take place at the next sessions.

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## NEWS FROM OUR NEIGHBORS.

### WHAT OUR CORRESPONDENTS HAVE TO TELL US.

**The Tidings From Various Points in Eastern Ontario—What People Are Doing And What They Are Saying—The Events Of Interest For All Parties.**

**Godfrey, June 18.**—Crops look well. Hay will be an average good crop this year. Rev. Mr. Meredith preached his farewell sermon at Bethel last Sunday. George Kennedy passed last Thursday with his bride to his home. Our popular station agent and wife have started housekeeping. Visitors: Miss Loretta Goddell at R. B. Howe's; Miss M. Fox at her parents'.

**Venuehar, June 18.**—The farmers are doing their usual work. The infant child of Alexander Gregg died last Sunday. A number of the Free Methodistists attended the camp meeting at Verona. The cheese factory is now running in full blast with a good supply of milk. R. Connor sent 170 pounds of milk from five cows. Visitors: Mr. and Mrs. W. McCoy and Miss Candace Penock, Snake Creek, at J. Gilmour's.

**Dareville, June 17.**—Rain is badly needed, but crops look well. Statute labor is being done in the different divisions. Mrs. Michael Tayner has returned home to Crosby after spending an enjoyable time visiting friends and relatives here. Strawberries seem to be plentiful. F. White is erecting a fine barn. P. Bennett, Stanleyville, is the carpenter. Potato bugs are numerous.

**Parham, June 20.**—Recent showers have made a decided improvement in crops. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Goddell, Goddell and A. Goddell have arrived home after an absence of six months. John Shellington has closed the mill in this place after a very successful season's cut. He intends starting his mill at Hinchbrook's last week. Mrs. George Howe and Mrs. W. D. Black spent a few days of last week at Sydneyham. D. L. Goodfellow and N. T. Harvey spent Sunday at Tichborne. E. Ellis, visiting Saturday and Sunday at Westport, has returned. Fishing is all the rage at present. A party made a large catch in the Fifth Depot lake on Saturday, having caught upwards of one hundred pounds of black bass in two hours.

**Maynooth, June 20.**—There was a picnic in the grove at the White church on 15th inst. in aid of the Methodist church, which was well attended and a good time enjoyed. Another was held at Papineau lake on 17th, free to all. It was well attended. There is still another picnic to come off next Thursday in James Grant's grove. On June 14th Charles E. Spence was united in marriage to Miss Annie McCormick, both of Montague, but the latter is lately from Renfrew. The ceremony, performed by Rev. W. Puffer, was witnessed by a few of the relatives. Rev. T. W. Puffer preached his farewell sermon here last Sabbath from the text Gen. XXXI-49. He has been here two years and will be missed by a large number of friends. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Clerk were in Banff last week. Anning, Banff, was in town on 15th inst., looking hale and hearty. Rev. E. E. Finlay, Fort Stewart, is to take charge of the Methodist mission here for the coming year.

**Ripin Epitodes.**  
Elphin, June 18.—Ponderful rains are making the crops spring forth very fast. James Smith, Jr., Dalhousie, is erecting a dwelling house; he intends having it completed in July. James Wilson is building a house for John Munro. Neil McFarlane, carpenter, is putting improvements on T. Purdon's dwelling. Rev. Mr. Binnie attended the general assembly at Montreal, also Mr. and Mrs. William Brownlie. McDonald's Corner. James Wilson has been sent to Perth to consult Dr. Hanna. William McFarlane has purchased a bicycle from Mr. Gardner. Mr. and Mrs. William McCullough were the guests of William McIntosh on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson, also Mr. and Mrs. Knapp, Perth, visited at Robert Wilson's last week. On Wednesday, June 1st, there occurred an interesting event at John Miller's, when his only daughter, Lizzie, was united in marriage to James Smith, a prosperous young farmer of Dalhousie. We wish the young couple happiness.

**Rose Bank Ripplings.**  
Rose Bank, June 21.—Fannies are the go now; they average one a week and well attended. On Friday the Antiochian Society of Renfrew held their annual picnic and concert at night; both were well attended. A picnic of another description took place Tuesday of this week when the people of this circuit gathered together and renewed the interior of the church. Strawberries are very plentiful. John Jeffrey has returned to his home at Haley's Station. The Admonestor ball team won the match with Renfrew and are ready to "down anything in the Ottawa valley," so beware. Misses Crozier and Burton paid a visit to Haley's Station. A visitor has come to stay at George Crozier's. It's a girl. Allan Francis got a severe kick from one of his horses, but we hope he will soon recover. William Hodgins has got six hours' restlessness. Quite a few of the young folk attended a picnic in Bromley. The groves around here have been destroyed by caterpillars. They have even stopped the C.P.R. train. Miss Jennie Mullin has returned home. Diarrhea is again shown itself in locality. Walter Pever has it.

**Come Again.**  
She looked splendid who was lately a pallid wreck. "Climax" Iron Tonic Pills did the business. The lady came for a fresh supply and said she wanted them for other nervous sufferers whose systems had become run down. 50 pills in a box for 25 cents. The Dr. Hall Medicine Co., New York. Sold only at Wade's Drug Store.

**Presentation To Mrs. Elliott.**  
Miss James Elliott received a presentation of a beautiful clock from her school in the infant class of the Melrose street church Sunday school yesterday. Reginald was expressed at Mrs. Elliott's removal to Kingston. Miss Marion Elliott at the same time was presented with a gold lined souvenir spoon.

**Summer Wear Shows.**  
Are colored shoes. This year the correct thing for ladies' wear is a dark brown kid Oxford toe or lace boot with vesting top to match. We can show you a number of lines of the above at prices ranging from \$1.25 to \$2.50. We have them for misses too. Haines & Lockert.

**Two Cows were killed by lightning near Brockville yesterday.**

## HOBSON'S REWARD.

Made a Choice which started the Old Heads at Washington.

WASHINGTON, June 21.—It is reported from the navy office that naval constructor Hobson was consulted before the kind of promotion which was to be given him as the reward for his gallantry was agreed upon. It was generally thought by his brother officers that he would have preferred to become an officer in the line. He elected to remain in the constructor class, and his advance of ten points as a sea officer is equivalent to jumping 250 points as an officer of the line. This sends him ahead of all his classmates in all branches of the service and doubles his pay.

In 1903, when he is only thirty-three years old, he will become the senior officer in the naval construction department. While he had his own way about the matter, the department would have preferred to make him a line officer. The contingency of having to young a man, no matter how brilliant, at the head of the construction bureau before he had an adequate experience with the complicated problems of his profession, is accepted with due gravity by the older men in the service. His pay will be increased from \$2,200 per annum to \$3,200.

**Spanish Troops Go To Manila.**  
LONDON, June 20.—The Cadiz correspondent of the Morning Post says that the real reason for the visit of Capt. Aunon, minister of marine, was his desire to attend the trials of a new rocket which on its explosion near an ironclad would produce so great a displacement of water that the vessel would be engulfed. The correspondent adds that he interviewed the minister of marine, who admitted that the government had given him unlimited credit to purchase war material, adding that it relied upon the loyal support of the wealthy classes to provide further necessary munitions. He was determined, he said, to despatch vessels to Manila as it would be an unpardonable crime to abandon our heroic soldiers there without an attempt to aid them.

**Were Not Traitors To Spain.**  
TACOMA, Wash., June 20.—The Oriental S.S. Olympic has arrived here, bringing China newspapers which accuse Admiral Montijo of cowardice at the battle of Manila. The admiral did nothing more than flee from one vessel to another during the engagement. He was among the first ashore and almost before the battle had been over was at his villa beyond the city. Colonel San Miguel, of the battery, the papers say, suicided when he found that his supply of ammunition was not what had been reported. Franks had been committed, which had disposed of the stock. The archbishop of Manila has issued a pastoral in which to urge the Spaniards to follow the Americans with all their power, telling them that unless they do they will find themselves reduced to the condition of beasts or machines, supplied or fed by a handful of rice, thrown in their faces while their temples will be ruined or else turned into Protestant chapels where there is no altar.

**English Blasts.**  
Three English engineers, just returned from Cadiz, say admiral Camara's fleet is in a frightful state of disorganization, lacking ammunition and armament. The ships' engines are greatly impaired.

Mr. Ramsden, British consul at Santiago, cables that nothing has happened to Hobson or his men during the bombardment.

It transpires that the intervention of the British consul at San Juan saved correspondent Halstead's life. He was slightly wounded as he was struggling to escape when being taken from the prison to be shot.

It is the expectation that in a few days Spain will be electrified by news of the departure from Carthagena of the Cadiz squadron under orders to defend Cuba and Porto Rico.

Owing to the shooting of native civilians in Manila without a trial by the Spaniards, general Agu