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SUMAS COUNCIL HOLDS MEETING

The regular meeting of the Sumas council was held in the municipal hall on Saturday last.

Communications Received

From the G. N. R. asking for further information regarding the proposed road to Kilgarde station. The clerk reported that he had forwarded the information asked for, and his report was approved.

In reference to the proposal to plank the Mission bridge the provincial department of public works wrote that the suggestion was not practicable. The letter was filed, as was another from the same source asking what the council thought of a proposition to pay 50 percent. of maintenance cost of trunk roads. Another letter from the department asking for information about bridges will be answered by the clerk.

From Evens, Coleman and Evans demanding payment for certain pipe or the return of the pipe. The clerk was instructed to reply that orders had been given for the return of this pipe as it had been found unsuitable for the purpose for which it was intended.

A letter from the Imperial Oil Co., asked for the immediate payment of an account of over \$94. The clerk was instructed to reply stating that this account does not credit the municipality with four barrels of oil that were returned to the company's agent at Abbotsford.

A communication from Agassiz stated that it was intended to erect a suitable soldiers' monument at that place and asked for information as to what was being done along this line here. The clerk will reply that no definite decision has been arrived at here yet.

Two letters received regarding the sale of road machinery were received and filed.

The municipality hold a note, given by F. D. Bouchie, for \$100 to assist in building a road. At a former meeting the clerk was instructed to write asking payment of this note. Mr. Bouchie replied that the note had been given on certain conditions which had not been lived up to. The clerk was instructed to answer that the amount of the note would be charged up against Mr. Bouchie's property.

Mrs. F. B. Fadden wrote asking the council to allow the Women's Institute the use of the municipal hall and grounds for meetings, socials and picnics and offering to clean up the hall and to keep the grounds in good

Dewdney Doings

(From the Fraser Valley Record)

Mrs. G. Hollingworth and son are visiting relations and friends here for a few weeks.

Mr. Percy Davis was on business to Vancouver last Saturday returning the same evening on the Fraser Valley local.

Mr. M. Bouchier and party were to Mr. Bouchier's mines on upper Stave the latter part of last week.

Mrs. M. Barker of this place who broke her arm some time ago is improving very slowly.

Mrs. Sam Smith was a visitor to the coast last week.

Pte. Glen Cox recently returned with the 29th Battalion from overseas and has gone into the barber business in Vancouver.

Mr. McIntosh of the Island has sold his ranch to a returned soldier by the name of Walker, and moved to Vancouver.

Pte. W. E. Davis has returned from overseas where he saw service on the Western front and in Palestine.

Hamilton Road's new barn 75 x 200 is under the course of construction, and will have two steel hay carriers.

Mr. S. H. Sharpe's new bungalow is nearing completion.

A new bridge is being built across O'Connell creek.

shape if the council would make a grant for a fence. The request was granted and material for the fence will be supplied.

Letters from E. Curtis of Abbotsford and J. J. W. Potter asked the council to have a road built to their property, the back part of N. E. quarter section 11, township 16. It was stated that a good road passes the front of this property and that this request amounted to asking for a private road. The clerk was instructed to reply to this effect.

J. Murphy visited the council and asked that the ditch along C. street be cleaned, explaining that it was all cleaned except 120 yards, and that this caused the water to back up to his place. Mr. Murphy was told to have the ditch cleaned for the council.

Mel Fadden waited on the council to ask that the Stratton road from the Hall corner to the Hyde corner be gravelled. Mr. Fadden was instructed to have the work done for the council.

Mr. Hill, secretary of the Abbotsford board of trade, accompanied by Reeve McCallum, accompanied by Reeve McCallum of Matsqui, waited on the council to ask for co-operation in the buying and handling of mosquito oil for this season. It was

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Mr. W. Porter had the misfortune to cut his foot severely with an axe. Medical attention at Sumas was called and he is getting along nicely.

Mrs. M. Murphy has left for a visit of several months' duration to friends and relatives in Nova Scotia.

Messrs Batt, Groke and Bonar were welcomed home on Monday Coun. Atkinson did duties as master of ceremonies.

The annual picnic of the Kilgard and Stratton folk was held on Tuesday at Atkinson Point.

The Fadden boys have turned from aviation to dairying and have purchased 20 high class milkers.

Mrs. J. W. Brownell was thrown from her buggy on Tuesday and suffered a hemorrhage.

Mr. W. L. Blatchford has purchased a well-bred cow.

C. P. R. TIME TABLE

Trains Going East—
4 Toronto 10:32 a. m.
14 St. Paul 5:20; lv. 5:35 p. m.
704 Ruby Creek 7:40 p. m.
12 Nelson and K. V. 9:32 p. m.
Trains Going West—
13 St. Paul to Van. 7:21 a. m.
703 Fraser Valley Local 8:15 a. m.
3 Tor. to Vancouver 9:20 p. m.
11 K. V. Points 9:55 p. m.
The south train leaves at 10:45 a. m., and returns from Huntingdon at 8:15 p. m.

HELP TO CLEAN UP BRITISH COLUMBIA

(From British Columbia Monthly)

The editor of the The British Columbia Monthly having been invited by the Programme Committee of the recently formed Kiwanian Club of Vancouver to speak on the "Aims, Objects and Ideals" of the club, made a few suggestions as to how such an organization might translate these into service.

Just as the honor of so addressing his fellow-Kiwanians came to him unsought, in like manner certain sentences in his remarks received publicity in the newspapers. While it is usually a compliment for any speaker to get independent attention from the daily press, there are times when sentences cannot be fairly interpreted away from their context.

Judging by the applause with which Kiwanians greeted the remark about "transferring the ban" against entrance to the Provincial Parliament from the clergymen to the lawyers, this suggestion (which was meant to ridicule the restriction) might have serious support if put to the people.

It should be remembered, however, that, notwithstanding popular prejudice, there are honest lawyers, active in community service, though they are not usually of the type that seek every possible opportunity of advertising themselves.

As politics make for publicity and professional practice (in speechmaking and otherwise) to lawyers so interest in public affairs and various organizations may lure the ambitious parson. If a number of clergymen of the publicity-hunting type got into parliament, its last state might be worse than its first. But though we may not want "Bishops" there, we may fairly question why the Church should be altogether "divorced" from the State.

Be Democratic—Avoid Clique Government

This association of business men is a democratic institution, and it is for each member to be frank in discussion. We were told something of Kiwanian purposes and possibilities by the organizers. Since then we have seen its Creed.

Now, instead of theorizing further about the "Aims, Objects and Ideals," it may be well to point out how such a club composed of active

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PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. John Fraser from New Westminster were the guests of Mrs. Hannah Fraser last Friday.

Mrs. B. V. Smith and Mrs. J. Renner were visitors to Vancouver last Thursday.

On account of the strike in Vancouver, Mr. Jonathan Fraser is home for an indefinite time.

Miss Grace Kennedy spent last week end at home in Abbotsford.

Mr. P. R. Peele was a visitor in Abbotsford last Friday.

The McCallum family spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. McCallum in Mission City.

Pte. E. McMillen, son of Mr. and Mrs. McMillen, of Abbotsford, returned with the Canadian Engineers.

A number of the Abbotsford people attended the Eastern Star Lodge in Vancouver last Monday night.

Mr. Fred Carmichael spent a few days in Vancouver last week.

Mrs. Frazer from the Manse, has returned from Seattle where she has been nearly six months.

Rev. Bruce is to take the Presbyterian pulpit on Sunday. His morning service is to be "Religious Blunders" and the evening sermon on "Fashions in Dress."

Mr. Langley formerly of Abbotsford passed away last week in Vancouver.

The Ladies' Aid Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Groat, St. Nicholas, on Wednesday afternoon, June 18th. The tram leaves Abbotsford at 2:40 p. m. and there will be autos there to bring them home.

Mr. and Mrs. McMaster went to Bellingham last Saturday to spend week-end and received a phone message they had company from Seattle, that necessitated a sudden return.

Mr. William Roberts gave a birthday party last Saturday afternoon June 7th, in honor of celebrating her daughter's 11th birthday. All had a jolly time. Eighteen children sat to supper. There were a good number of adults present also, who enjoyed the afternoon.

Miss Laxton spent last week end with her sister in Abbotsford.

The Woman's Auxilliary intend carrying on the whist drives as long as the weather keeps favorable, not

too hot, and the people come out. Miss Herd had her sister from Seattle visit her for two weeks.

Rev. Collins, M. A., rector of Chilwack, preached in St. Mathew's church last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. McMenemy motored to White Rock on Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Parton visited in the city last week.

SMUAS W. I.

June roses graced the meeting of the W. I. at Mrs. Mel Fadden's home on Thursday last. A rose display was on the programme, but other events clashing with the arranged date the ladies met a week earlier than the schedule time and it was feared that blooms would not be available. The roll call was "Joys of June" and every lady had a different joy to mention. Expressing their joys were Mrs. F. Downman, Mrs. McAdam, Mrs. Yarwood, Mrs. Lunn, Mrs. Laxton, Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. H. Bowman, Mrs. Porter, Mrs. Howard, Mrs. Beckett, Mrs. W. H. Fadden, Mrs. McGillivray, Mrs. Nelles, Mrs. Hart, Mrs. Winson and Mrs. T. F. York, president. An invitation from Mrs. McMurphy that the Institute spend July 1 at White Rock was accepted provisionally—there may be too much hay in the way.

Gravel is being put on the main street. It looks good, but some of our citizens are wondering why all Abbotsford's appropriation is being spent on gravel.

Mr. Teddie Barrett is once again among us, looking well, and we may soon expect to see him back at his old job in the post office.

NOTICE

A meeting of all returned soldiers will be held in Abbotsford, Tuesday, June the 17th at 8 p. m., in the old Red Cross Rooms, for the purpose of organizing a branch of the G. W. V. A. Every returned soldier is expected to be present.

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J. A. BATES, Editor and Proprietor

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The present unrest throughout the country is these days causing much comment, and it is hard to know just where the trouble lies and the remedy for it all. Labor complains about the injustice of capital, and capital, sometimes wonders if labor, especially the labor leaders, are serious in their demands. And there you are between the devil and the deep sea. But it seems to us that when it is all over the big man, the man with capital, will be bigger than ever, and have much more his own way. The present conditions would appear to point to the elimination of the small man in business, as he cannot stand the financial pressure too long. Probably he has only his business ability and energy to back him up—and if he cannot get the business he is bound to go to the wall. We believe it is in the interests of the laborer that there should be as many small men (men with limited capital) doing business as possible—they would be easier to handle than the big fellow.

We believe that the present unrest will have a very great tendency to make capital timid. If a man has enough capital these days to start big business it looks as though he were courting trouble to start anything in the way of developing a big industry. We cannot eliminate the capitalist; neither can we do away with the laborer. Both are in every way essential so far as we can see, but the capitalist can let his money work at very low interest, thus making times very hard for all. Our eve of great prosperity in Canada may be the eve of a time of very great depression, unless we get matters straightened out and get down to business.

Some people blame the government for the

present unrest; some blame the capitalist, and some say that it is the fault of the man who will not give a full day's work for a full day's pay, and Satan finds mischief for idle hands to do. There are a lot of us who would like to keep on working as industriously as we have been for the past five, ten, fifteen or twenty years, or more, so that when old age comes we can spend a few years in rest and quietness. The present system may be wrong and it certainly has many injustices, but better grin and bear than cause our neighbor to starve for a while, while changing the system.

True our governments are not all good, and some of them are undoubtedly bad, and we do not have to go away from home to find a representative who misrepresents the people. Supposing the opinion of the people of Dewdney was to be taken on the spur of the moment, how could our misrepresentative Honest John Oliver tell what the people think on any subject. He is a stranger among us and prefers to remain so—to misrepresent us rather than represent us. He is very dilatory about getting or keeping in close touch with those who elected him to represent us—not misrepresent us. We feel sure that if the hon. member knew the public opinion of Dewdney riding he would immediately seek to sever his connections with the riding and seek representation where he would know his ability was recognized and appreciated. Such might be the case with other members of parliament. We have been hoping in Dewdney for years that our misrepresentative would do some things he was asked to do, but we have waited in vain—some day he will want to smile on us and we will get even by not smiling back.

Now we think New Westminster would be an excellent place for John Oliver to misrepresent after the next election. The board of trade are banqueting our premier, and they are going to have a swell affair. Waitresses are in great demand for the special occasion they tell us.

The Fourteen Points in Shooting A Man

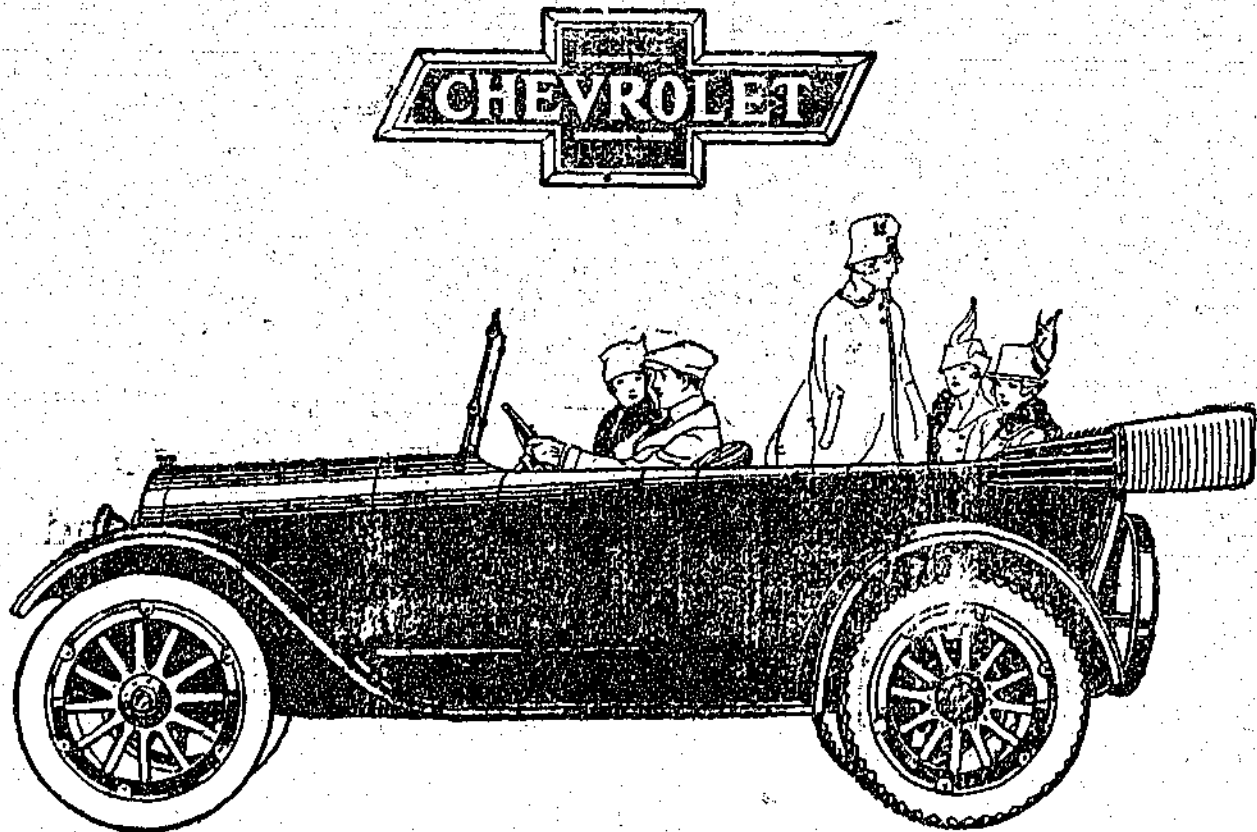
In Texas they shoot you, then ask your name.
In New York they shoot you, then take home their wife, with whom you had been dining.
In Chicago they shoot you to reveal the inadequacy of the police force.
In Arizona they shoot you to test their new "shooting irons".
In Kansas City they hold you up, take your money, and then shoot you so you won't tell.
At Chateau-Thierry they shoot you then cried "Kamerad!"
In Russia they shoot you to convert you to Bolshevism.

In Germany they shoot each other through force of habit.
In Mexico they shoot you to blame it on Villa.
In Ireland they shoot you to demonstrate the value of Home Rule.
In California they shoot you, then throw you off a cliff into the ocean; you are picked up by a submarine, shot through the tube in an airplane, and must be home in twenty minutes to change your clothes for another scene in the movies.
In South America, in the revolutions they shoot you if you are a general; if a private, they don't bother, as there are so few of them.
In Amerongen they let you saw

wood a while before shooting you.
In the United States, in general, they don't shoot you at all; they merely tax you to death.—Life
Definition of Collective Bargaining
(From the Federationist)
That the workers of any trade, craft, industry, profession or calling, having proved that they have organized the workers in that particular trade, craft, industry, profession or calling as they deem fit, to the extent of majority of those so employed, shall be considered as an organized body of workers, and shall then be in a position to negotiate with the employers of that particular trade, craft, industry, profession or calling as to wages, hours of employment and general conditions of employment."

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agreed that Matsqui would buy ten barrels of oil, Sumas ten barrels and Abbotsford five barrels. Coun. Atkinson, speaking on the subject said that he believed oil did good if it was properly handled and advised the appointment of some qualified man to have charge of the putting on of the oil. H. R. Harris was appointed to act as supervisor of this work. Mr. Hill also asked the council for a grant for the Abbotsford-Sumas fair that is to be held in September for the first time since 1914. A grant of \$100 was made.

The following appropriations were made. To Coun. Atkinson, \$50 and a coil of wire for the Mather road;

\$50 for the Stratton and Clayburn road, half of which is to be spent east and half west of the school, and planning for repair work on bridges.

Coun. Delair got an appropriation of \$40 for the Munroe road near the G. N. R. trestle.

An appropriation of \$100 was made to Coun. Austin for work on the Angus Campbell road.

Coun. Delair reported that the adjoining municipality of Matsqui was willing to spend dollar for dollar up to \$200 on the boundary road. The municipalities will co-operate in this work, each spending \$200, while Sumas will spend an additional \$50 on the Colwell road, the necessary appropriations being voted.

An indemnity bylaw was passed which sets the indemnity of the

reeve at \$200 and that of each of the councillors at \$150. Previous to this year the reeve's indemnity had been the same as the councillors, and Reeve Fooks was averse to any increase but the council felt that as all other municipalities paid the reeve more than the councillors this one should do the same, and the reeve's objection was overridden.

The clerk was instructed to register the pound bylaw which had been passed at the last meeting of the council.

Miss York was employed to act as caretaker to the municipal hall; the salary will fluctuate with the number of times the building is used in a month.

Tenders for bridge on the Lamson road extension were received and opened. The tenders had been called for two styles of bridges of concrete and pile foundations. L. O. Lamson offered to construct a pile foundation bridge complete for \$537.50; Jack Wright offered to do the cement work for \$225 and H. R. Harris offered to haul the lumber and build the superstructure for \$65 if the council would buy the lumber. Figures showed this to be the cheaper of the two proposals and the tenders of Wright and Harris were accepted. The work will not be started until after the high water has receded.

HELP TO CLEAN UP BRITISH COLUMBIA

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business men and earnest citizens, may justify its existence and make its presence felt in the community.

Abundant Opportunity for Social

Service in British Columbia

Like others, no doubt, I have joined this club experimentally. I was unconvinced as to the wisdom of joining, even after Mr. Struthers had used his expository and persuasive powers upon me. He invited me to

the first meeting, however, and I was influenced towards joining by a statement of Mr. N. G. Neil as to effective work done by Kiwanians in checking voters and voting in another Canadian city. I concluded that if the Kiwanian Club—no matter where or how it originated—was to be an active force in the community for business and social righteousness, there was abundant opportunity for its service in British Columbia.

As a Canadian, and a Scottish born son of the Empire, I have something of counsilly regard and family criticism for citizens of the United States; but I believe that, with notions as with men, we should be alert to emulate their good qualities, and careful to avoid their mistakes.

Whatever our international affiliations, each Kiwanian Club, I believe, is a separate entity, and may develop its own life and work, with the view of being most effective in its local service.

For information, and without criticism, one may—on the inside—raise a question as to why this club, formed about the end of the year, and collecting an initiation fee of \$15 per member, with well over 100 members, should levy its half-yearly fee of \$10 as due at 30th January instead of 30th June? * * I find added point to that question by observing from the Kiwanian "Torch" that the Toronto Club had an initiation fee of only \$10 and yet its yearly dues are only \$15.

Now, as to application outside the club of its aims, objects and ideals. One may suggest that Vancouver club should at once begin to take steps to justify its existence municipally and provincially by putting these ideals into practice. * *

This organization will naturally be ready to take part with others in any large social or philanthropic movement, effort or enterprise affecting the welfare of the city or country as a whole. That is a general assumption, but we must be more definite.

Mutually informing, encouraging and inspiring to its membership in the first place, the club ought to face unflinchingly the conditions in city and province. These conditions, judging by what has recently been "half-revealed and half-concealed," are such as to challenge the collective heroism of spirit of the members.

Sensible men do not besmirch their country or community; but they are poor patriots who ignore the "unfished mysteries" which tarnish their country's fame. * * Municipally, we have had curious incidents, and promised procedure in one case seems to have been followed by promise of a counter-action in another.

Is that the end? In provincial law and politics, also peculiar things have happened. Investigation of an alleged railway scandal was energetically begun, but a deadlock was reached, and some folk still ask how and why? * *

Were men of both parties involved in questionable practices, or was it, as was alleged, that one side was intimidated by threats of counter-revelations by the other? * * Whatever the cause or causes, such procedure is not British. Different opinions may be held by

Kiwanians as to Prohibition and its method of application. But I believe we will all be agreed that lawyers or judges who let mere "technicalities" or the prejudice of precedent interfere with the administration of justice are not a credit to any court or country.

British Columbia be the unique distinction of debarring clergymen from sitting as members of its Legislature while not speaking as a counsel for the clergymen—unless in the sense that I believe in fair treatment for all citizens—one might fittingly suggest that if one professionally-discouraging class must be kept outside parliament the ban might be transferred for a time to the legal fraternity. In the meantime some practical business men might get a few Acts on record that would speak for themselves, and be understood and interpreted without a historical review to support them.

Come what may, let us practise ideals Kiwanian by preparing to help to clean up British Columbia, municipally and provincially.

We should also work for a higher standard of citizenship. The standard for foreigners and children born of foreign parents must be raised. Better also if the voting age for all be not under 25. Measures should be taken to see that electors are awake, not only to the rights and privileges, but to the duties and responsibilities of citizenship. * * In this connection, regulations might with advantage be introduced where by citizens not exercising the franchise at an election would be liable to have their names struck off the roll.

Why should not this Kiwanian club independently take steps to select citizens whom it might invite, recommend, and work for as candidates, not for the perpetuation of petty partisanship in city and State, but for the extension of its ideals in social service?

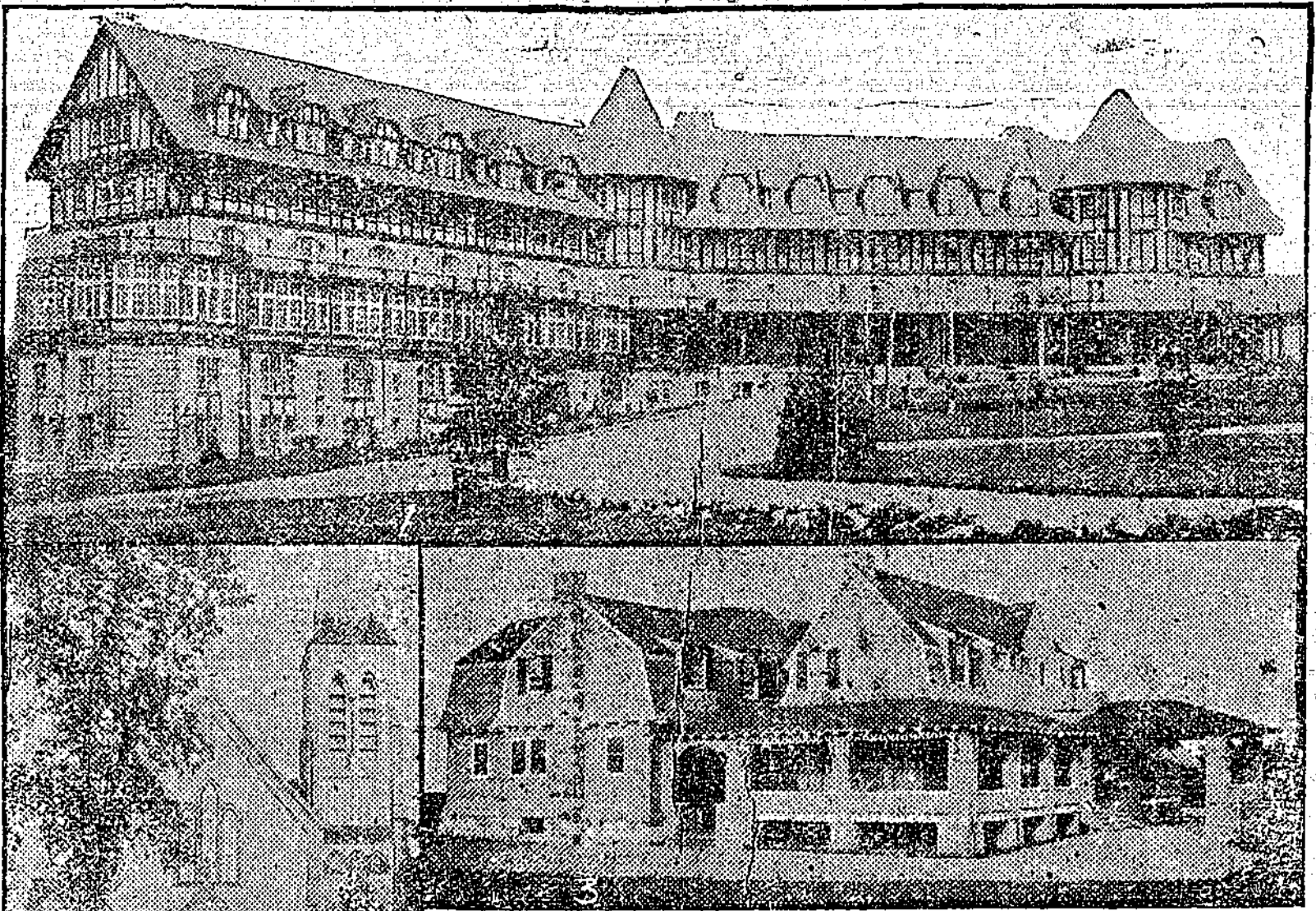
How can it be done? It is for our officers and committees to consider, consult and advise concerning ways and means in the first place; but the whole membership of the club might be formed into an Outlook or Vigilance committee to collect and collate facts concerning municipal and provincial affairs, and regarding men qualified beyond question to represent British Columbia, and to help it attain a place in the Empire and the world which shall be in keeping with all that is best in "British" and all that is fair in "Columbia," which, let us never forget, is after all a daughter nation of our own home-land.

Thus may British Columbia come to lead the Dominion and influence all British America by helping to make all America more intensely and lastingly British.

Whatever we do as a Kiwanian Club, let us justify our existence, not by mere "talks" and talking, but by such thought and action expressed in practical service as shall make for a brighter, better and cleaner British Columbia!—D. A. Chalmers.

Mr. H. B. Thompson, now in London, says there is practically an unlimited market for Canadian farm produce in Great Britain alone.

A GLIMPSE OF ST. ANDREWS



- (1) The Algonquin Hotel at St. Andrew's.
- (2) R. C. Church at St. Andrew's.
- (3) Residence of Lord Shaughnessy at St. Andrew's.

NEARLY everybody knows that golf was first played by the Scotch. A veteran devotee of the game, once said that Scotland's greatest contribution towards the welfare of mankind was the royal and ancient game.

Saint Andrew's By the Sea, New Brunswick, called after the patron saint of Scotland, is the home of many families of Scotch descent, and it is appropriate that the spot thus named should be possessed of golf courses as fine as any in the world. It is not exactly known when golf was first played at St. Andrew's, but the Algonquin Club came into existence in 1890. A club was firmly established here in 1895, and now St. Andrew's has the reputation of being the "Mecca of Golf." Hundreds of visitors from Canada and the United States flock hither annually and enjoy the glorious sport.

Golf is an invigorating game anywhere, but it is most delightful when played along the sea. At St. Andrew's there are two courses, a nine hole course 2,700 yards long and an eighteen hole course 6,000 yards long. Both overlook the sea, and are clad in a firm sward of velvet green. While resting on the course you can enjoy the view of the sea beneath,

dotted with sailing vessels and motor boats, and little row boats that glide serenely over the waves. From the golf links you may watch the fishermen catch millions of sardines in their weirs that are set a few hundred yards, or less, from the shore. And old men and old women may often be seen gathering shell fish on the beach. It is a delight to listen to the continuous panting of the waves that expire on the red-tipped land—for the coast line is made of rocks and sand of rich deep red; and looking on it one might fancy that here in prehistoric times some great sea monster was killed and dyed the place with his blood. When a game of golf is ended it is pleasant to sit on one of these red rocks, or gather bunches of the lovely New Brunswick wild roses from the hedges, or rich bouquets of blue lilies in the marshy meadows. In July the fields are laden with a wealth of wild strawberries that tempt many to go berry gathering.

The climate of St. Andrew's makes the place an excellent holiday resort. The skies are seldom clouded, and the heat of the sun is tempered by the cool breezes of Passamaquoddy Bay. The most pleasant golf is not all golf; a congenial atmosphere and environment are half the delights of the game, and the various other attractions at St. Andrew's are unique. The club house on the golf grounds is equipped with all modern conveniences; you may play tennis on the admirable grounds at the Algonquin Hotel. You may ride in a motor boat to Deer Island, you may hire a row boat, or bathe in the tranquil waters of Katie's Cove; and a game of bowling on the bowling green is a joyous pastime.

The late Sir William Van Horne, one of the presidents of the Canadian Pacific Railway, built a beautiful residence on an island in Passamaquoddy Bay, and his family still lives there in the summer season. Lord Shaughnessy, the Chairman of the C. P. R. Board of Directors, makes his summer home at Fort Tipperary, St. Andrew's, and takes a special interest in the progress of the place. At St. Andrew's there is splendid sea fishing, and a lake near at hand furnishes some of the best bass fishing in Canada. And should the weather ever be rainy the Algonquin Hotel supplies bowling alleys, pool tables, English and French billiard tables, and a beautiful large casino for dancing. Those who make St. Andrew's by the Sea their holiday resort once will do so a second time, for when you go away from it there is an allurements about the place that brings you back again.

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MATSQUI COUNCIL

A large number of communications were dealt with by the Matsqui council at its last meeting.

At its last meeting the clerk was instructed to notify N. J. Larsen to remove a building of his, which was on a municipal road. Mr. Larsen's solicitors wrote that they had advised their client that it was not necessary to move the building as it has stood unmolested for the statutory period, and offering to buy the land to avoid litigation. The clerk was instructed to reply that the building had been ordered removed several times and that it must be moved now as the road was needed, also that the municipality had no power to sell a road allowance.

Agents for Harold H. Heath, owner of the greater portion of N. E. quarter Sec. 5 Tp. 13, wrote complaining of the condition of the road from the Patterson road to Lombard station. As this is a private road the council will not undertake to repair it.

Another application for the council to open a private road was received from J. E. Thomson of Clayburn and was treated in a similar manner.

E. H. Verner wrote from the road superintendent's office that he was empowered by the provincial government to pay \$500 toward work on the Larson road. The council accepted the assistance and a contract for the work was let to Wm. Bates for the sum of \$825.

Coun. Phinney will investigate the condition of road north on township line at the request of H. Skouge.

In reply to the council's request that the provincial government ascertain whether it would be feasible to plank Mission bridge and use it for vehicular traffic, the department stated that the suggestion was not practicable.

Joseph Allan wrote saying that he had a station but no road, and wanted to inquire about a road. Coun. Keay will answer the inquiry.

At a former meeting the council instructed the clerk to write Mr. F. B. Stacey, M. P., calling attention to the erosions in Matsqui dyke. Mr. Stacey replied giving the government's policy on snags in the river. The clerk was instructed to write drawing attention to the subject matter of the former letter.

Permission to lay a two inch water pipe across Turner road was asked in a letter from J. W. Carlson. The permission was granted.

Richard Emanuel, of Aldergrove wrote that Salmon creek was being blocked by trees and brush being felled into the stream. He will be advised to apply for relief under the Water Courses Act.

A communication from the B. C. Veterans' weekly was filed as was a letter received from Webb & Gifford regarding work, and another from the Good Roads Machinery Co. regarding the sale of road machinery.

The clerk was instructed to write drawing the attention of the authorities to the fact that the pumps at Matsqui dyke were unable to handle the water fast enough. Mr. Hayward of the Western Power Company had promised to meet a delegation of the council and had not done so to date. The clerk was instructed to write calling Mr. Hayward's attention to this and asking for another appointment.

A letter from the district engineer asked for information about bridges in the municipality which had been built by the government. The clerk will supply the information asked for

Henderson & Taylor wrote that since making a survey of the roads around Wm. Elliott's property they had ascertained that an error existed in regard to location of corner post and advising that no work be undertaken until this was corrected. The inspector of municipalities lands and suggesting that by setting the price of these lands one bylaw could be made to answer. This course will be followed.

Applications to pass plans for two subdivisions were made and were left in the hands of the clerk as approving officer. The applications were from M. A. Alder for 84 acres in N. E. quarter of Sec. 36, Tp. 13 and Douglas Symington in N. W. quarter Sec. 21, Tp. 13.

The clerk was empowered to sell subject to ratification by bylaw, any tax sale land in the municipality at \$25 per acre.

The regular accounts were certified and ordered paid.

The next meeting of the council will be held in the Agricultural hall Gifford, on Monday, June 16th, at 1 p.m.

RECEPTION TO NEW PASTOR

(From Fraser Valley Record)

A reception was tendered the Rev. G. B. Ridland and wife in the basement of the Methodist church Monday evening. A large attendance of the members and adherents of the church was present, the basement being well filled. An address of welcome was read by Mr. Geo. Gibbard, recording secretary of the church, expressing the pleasure and approval of the church that Mr. and Mrs. Ridland had been sent to Mission and pledging the united support of the church in helping out the work. Mr. Ridland replied on behalf of himself and wife. He was pleased that the committee had sent him to Mission and from the way in which they had been welcomed, was sure that their work here would be pleasant, and with the co-operation of the church, successful. He thanked them for the very kind sentiments conveyed through the address.

A short programme consisting of solos, duets, readings and speeches was rendered. A very interesting item on the programme was a duet by the Rev. Mr. Scott and wife of Campbell River. Mission people are becoming well acquainted with Mr. and Mrs. Scott, as Mrs. Scott is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wakefield of Hatzic. After the programme a social evening was spent and at the close refreshments were served by the ladies of the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Ridland took advantage of the opportunity to pass around and become acquainted with the people.

A very pleasant evening was brought to a close by the young people clearing the seats from the center of the basement and enjoying some old time games.—Com.

Maple Ridge

The council met on Saturday. Conferences and deputations, principally on road matters, occupied the attention of the council until the luncheon recess.

The first deputation wanted the roads bordering upon the fruit fields and orchards, specifying the River and Lily roads, and more particularly between Haney and Hammond, oiled.

Reeve Ansell summarized it as necessarily involving a deduction from the road appropriations as no special sum had been reserved for

oiling purposes in the estimates and they were warned by the auditor not to exceed them at their own pecuniary peril.

Coun. Adair said he had been asked to bring the matter up himself. He had marked off a sum for oiling in his appropriation, but it was totally inadequate.

After assurance of careful consideration the deputation withdrew. The council will get an estimate of the cost of oiling the roads alluded to as soon as possible and decide.

Another deputation asked that the Weeks road between Pitt Meadows and Maple Ridge be raised and thus protect the farmers from the water.

The Pitt Meadows council will be communicated with in the matter.

Mr. West who contemplates an extensive dyking improvement scheme this summer between Pitt Meadows and Maple Ridge, also waited upon the council and discussed the subject of providing a road upon the new dyke and the manner of its construction, with the object of mutual benefits.

This matter will also depend in a degree upon the resolution of the Pitt Meadows council, but the Maple Ridge council will co-operate as far as possible with Mr. West after additional information concerning the policy of the neighboring municipality is forthcoming.

A letter was read from Mr. C. E. Tisdall forwarding a resolution of the Board of Trade calling upon the government to form a hard surface road between Port Coquitlam and Vancouver via Port Moody, as the beginning of the construction of such a thoroughfare extending to Agassiz.

Mr. Tisdall emphasized the saving of six miles in the distance between Maple Ridge and Vancouver markets by the Port Moody route and the growing importance of the municipality as a dairy, poultry and fruit producing district and the increasing traffic by road trucks.

The resolution was unanimously endorsed and ordered to be forwarded to the proper quarter.

A fire which originated in the Whonnock cemetery site during its clearing spread to the Indian Reserve burned an Indian's barn and damaged the fence around the Indian cemetery had resulted in the abandonment of the clearing contract by Mr. G. E. Clarke who was held responsible. The cemetery committee reported that they had agreed to the cancellation of the contract on condition that the work done by Mr. Clarke should be ceded to the council to meet the Indian's claims for the demolition of his barn which had been reduced from \$232 to \$150.

Councillors Adair and Best at first mutually agreed to the report if Mr. Clarke agreed in writing to relieve the council of the responsibility in demurred to cancelling the contract even on those conditions but ultimately connection with damages arising from the contract.

A letter was read from the Lords Day Alliance complaining of the increasing tendency of Orientals to work on Sundays and also to traders purchasing fruit on that day.

Coun. Ewing groaned at the tendency to diminish life's worth and joys by his act and prohibition.

A motion that the law should be more stringently enforced was carried by a majority, Coun. Ewing voting against it and Coun. Dale declining to vote.

Reeve Fooks was in town today. He says everything is lovely up in his part of the district, and the council is working well together this year.

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