

Educational Contest Lists Destroyed By Fire

CONTEST EXTENDED TO July 31st, 1906

Messrs. Armour Limited, Toronto, regret to advise all who have so kindly forwarded lists of names as per the conditions of their Educational Contest, that their building, with its entire contents, was destroyed by fire on the evening of March 19th, and all records of lists they have received, as well as all lists, were destroyed, and we ask that all who had sent in lists previous to this time, mail us duplicates. No metal caps required with duplicate lists. To make up for time lost by the fire, and to give all competitors a fair and equal chance, we have consented to extend the Educational Contest until July 31st, 1906.

We offer \$200.00 in gold to those sending in the largest lists of correct words made from the twelve different letters used in spelling the four words.

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\$100.00 in gold will be given as the first prize.
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\$2.00 will be given to each of the next twenty.

CONDITIONS

Use only the following letters: A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, J, K, L, M, N, O, P, Q, R, S, T, U, V, W, X, Y, Z.

Only such words may be used as are found in Webster's International Dictionary.

No proper nouns, foreign words or names of persons, towns or places are to be used.

Words spelled the same, but having different meanings, may be used but once.

All contestants must attach to their lists a metal cap taken from a jar of "Armour's Extract of Beef." Failure to do this will result in disqualification.

The names of the winners of these prizes will be determined by judges whose names will appear in the list of winners.

Write only on one side of the paper. After making out your list, state the number of words it contains, with your full name and address at the top of each piece of paper and mark on the outside of the envelope "Educational Contest Department," and mail to the address below.

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WATER BOARD DECIDES FOR REGULATING VALVES

Engineer Hunter May Be Engaged to Supervise Their Placing—Director Murdoch Complains of Press Statements—Bill for \$200 from McArthur & McVay Questioned and Filed.

At a special meeting of the water and sewerage board yesterday afternoon the recommendation of the sub-committee to provide pressure regulating valves as advised by Engineer Barbour, was unanimously adopted. The board has power to arrange with the consulting engineer to employ some one to supervise the work of installation and that the entire water system of the eastern side of the harbor be placed under his control for such time as he may deem necessary. A special meeting of the council will be called for Monday morning to formally ratify the recommendations. The plans for increasing the fire protection of the vicinity of the coal pockets at the foot of the North wharf were recommended.

A letter from Director Murdoch protesting against what he declared malicious statements in the press and claiming that he had carried out the orders of the board, was read. The mayor occupied the chair and Ald. Bullock, Baxter, Christie, Lantlaim, Lockhart, Willet and McGoldrick were present with the director, Engineer Hunter and the common clerk.

On motion of Ald. Baxter, seconded by Ald. Bullock, the mayor was formally appointed chairman of the board. His worship briefly replied, expressing his thanks.

Fire Protection Near Coal Pockets.

The director, in reply to Ald. Baxter, said the proposed increase in the fire service system on North wharf near the coal pockets would give an 8-in. main along North wharf, Nelson street and Robertson's alley and a 4-in. main to the east end of the wharf. There would be three fire hydrants available. The cost would be \$1,800.

Ald. Baxter asked if it had not been settled that the Dominion Coal Company's structure should be sheathed with iron.

The matter was laid over so that the city engineer, who had the plans, might be consulted.

The director said he proposed to discontinue the use of a 4-in. pipe which was laid sixty years ago and supply the people using it with a lead service pipe. The old pipe would be reduced by incrustation to a diameter of about two inches.

On motion of Ald. Baxter the plans of the director were recommended and the treasury board requested to meet the cost pending the issue of bonds.

On motion of Ald. Baxter, the director will report on all water mains laid in Water street with a view to replacement or alterations before the new granite curbing is laid.

Ald. Baxter mentioned the cast iron water pipe in Tower street, Carleton, which had been laid some years, but not connected, and he suggested that in view of the street railway extension down Lancaster street it would be wise to relay the two blocks between St. John and Tower streets and connect with the main already laid.

The director said a main from St. John to Charlotte streets had already been ordered and was only awaiting funds. The cost would be \$1,800.

On motion of Ald. Baxter the treasury board will be asked to make the necessary financial arrangements.

McArthur & McVay Bill for \$200

The chairman referred to a bill for \$200 from McArthur & McVay for extra work in constructing a road from Desmond's to the pipe line. The bill was certified by the resident engineer.

Mr. Hunter said the council voted \$200 towards construction of the road but the contractors found a swamp after getting to work and had abandoned it. Mr. Murdoch gave the right of way. He considered the \$200 had been spent and understood they had found an entrance in some other direction.

The director, on being asked for an opinion, said he did not think more than \$50 could have been expended. The contractors had cut about fifteen cords of wood which he believed was sold.

Mr. Hunter said an entrance to the pipe line had been made by Desmond's and Sprout's roads. He considered the \$200 granted by the city had been expended and for that reason he certified the bill.

The chairman said "Have they built a road on the right of way?"

Ald. Lockhart—"Yes, that's the question."

Ald. Christie—"I move that the bill be filed."

The chairman suggested that a small committee might look into the matter. He thought every alderman should take an early opportunity of going over the extension works.

Ald. Christie pressed his motion, and it was carried unanimously.

The Valves.

The matter of the regulating valves was then taken up.

The common clerk read the following recommendations of the sub-committee:

Your committee recommend that pressure regulating valves be procured as advised by Mr. Barbour, also that the board have power to make arrangements with Mr. Barbour for some person to be employed to supervise the installation of these valves and the connecting of the water main now under construction with the distribution system, and also that for this purpose during such time as Mr. Barbour shall consider necessary the entire water system of the eastern side of the harbor be placed under his immediate supervision and control.

Ald. Baxter said when Snow & Barbour were employed a single source system was adopted by them and the diminution of the pressure by means of valves was embodied in their report. The fire underwriters and the leading merchants had asked the council to take the responsibility of carrying out those recommendations and they had confidence in Mr. Barbour that his plans were correct.

Mr. Murdoch had stated he was professionally opposed to the valve system and it would therefore be unfair to ask him to take any responsibility in managing a system in which he could not agree. If Mr. Murdoch's views eventually proved correct, he might be accused of not giving the system a fair trial and there might come a clamor for his removal. It was not intended by the resolution to supercede or discredit the director in any way and he was glad to say Mr. Murdoch had expressed the desire to wash his hands of the matter during the period referred to. He would move that the recommendations of the committee be adopted and submitted to the council.

Ald. Bullock said it would be necessary to have some new financial understanding with Mr. Barbour and decide how long he wished to take control.

The chairman thought Mr. Barbour would probably ask the council to appoint Mr. Hunter and would visit the city at intervals as he had done in the past. He felt himself that the course adopted was the best one to follow. There was no reflection on Mr. Murdoch's ability and he trusted that if Mr. Hunter was

appointed that Mr. Murdoch, Mr. Hunter and himself would be able to get along in a friendly way.

Mr. Hunter in reply said he was quite in accord with what had just been said. If appointed he would be glad to undertake the work with the understanding that he had entire charge of the distribution system. Outside the actual service, he cared nothing. It was important that the valves should be ordered at once, and as soon as possible, that plans should be made and the exact spot where they would be placed ascertained.

In reply to Ald. Bullock Mr. Hunter said he thought either the "Union" or the "Ross" valves would be used.

He imagined the Ross would be the better. It would take weeks to two months before they could be procured. As soon as possible Mr. Barbour should know the decision arrived at, and the Union and Ross people would send men here to look over the ground that the valves might be placed to the best advantage.

The Reason for Using Valves.

In reply to Ald. Christie, Mr. Hunter explained that the valves were required because the new system would immediately add sixty pounds pressure on the pipes and it would be impossible to tell what might happen in consequence. By putting in pressure regulators, five pounds pressure could be added one day and five pounds the next, and the result noted. If breaks occurred they could be repaired gradually. By adding the pressure by degrees the full sixty pounds additional pressure would be available. In case of fire the valves would act automatically to the pressure at which they were set.

After some further discussion the motion was carried unanimously.

The chairman said he would call a special meeting of the council on Monday at 11 a. m. to confirm the resolution.

With reference to Mr. Hunter having access to plans, Mr. Murdoch in reply to Ald. Bullock that he was prepared to give all information required as he had done before.

Ald. Baxter said no doubt the chairman would give any direction necessary and that the work would proceed harmoniously.

For New Hydrants.

The following tenders for castings for six fire hydrants were opened:

John Smith's Sons, Eagle Foundry: 24 cents a pound; St. John Iron works, 3 cents; Union Foundry, 22-100 cents; J. E. Wilson, Limited, 234 cents; McLean & Holt, 21 cents.

On motion of Ald. Lockhart the offer of the Union Foundry was recommended as the lowest tender.

In reply to Ald. Baxter the director said no water was guaranteed to users of the water pipe supplying the Cushing Pulp Mill. He had advised householders to use pumps.

The mayor read a letter from H. L. Parsons drawing attention to his new patent cess-pool in connection with sewerage work at Loch Lomond. The matter was referred to the claims committee.

On motion of Ald. Baxter, the claims committee on water extension matters was reappointed as follows: The mayor, Ald. Bullock, Baxter, Pickett and Willet.

Mr. Murdoch's Letter.

At the request of the director the following communication was read:

To the Water and Sewerage Board:

Gentlemen: In view of the fact that a number of personal attacks have been made by certain newspapers upon your director, and that the statements so published are, in many instances, untrue, I beg to state:

On May 31, 1905, by direction of the water and sewerage board, a report was submitted to the effect that the increasing pressure due to the refusal of the mine operators to grant the demands of the mine workers, will declare itself finally and definitely tomorrow.

That is the only thing that can be said with any certainty tonight. The entire situation is now believed to rest with President John Mitchell.

The convention this afternoon decided to refer the entire question to the general scale committee with instructions to report recommendations to the convention tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

The reference brought into the situation for the first time since the delegates began to arrive in the city a possible suggestion of peace though it is generally believed tonight that the majority of the delegates still favor the declaration of a strike.

The general scale committee went into session this afternoon immediately following the adjournment of the convention. It remained in session until after 5 o'clock when President Mitchell announced that the entire matter had been referred by the general committee to the sub-committee and secretary treasurer, W. B. Wilson, son, of Indianapolis, who arrived in this city today. The members of the sub-

committee in addition to President Mitchell, are district Presidents, Nichols, Dempsey, Gallagher and Hartigan. The sub-committee held an extended session tonight.

Mr. Mitchell said that the committee would submit resolutions and recommendations to the convention tomorrow but that he thought that would say nothing. It is said the purpose of Mr. Wilson's visit to this city is to give the leaders of the organization definite information of its financial condition and to put them in close touch with the situation in the bituminous field, where he has been in charge for the past few weeks. He said today that in his opinion if a strike of the anthracite miners is called the majority of the bituminous operators will sign the union scale at once. The convention will tomorrow do one of three things. These three points are succinctly set forth in the last paragraph of the scale committee's general report which was made to the convention at this morning's session as follows:

"You will observe that your committee has made every possible effort to reach an agreement as to the wages and conditions of employment; that they have proposed—subject to your approval—an arbitration of the differences between us; that our proposals have been rejected in toto, and that our offer of arbitration upon a basis just to us and fair to them has been declined.

"If it is true—and we believe it is—that the operators have made their final proposition there is nothing left for us to do but to accept, for a period of three years, a renewal of the award of the anthracite coal strike commission, or the conditional and restricted methods of arbitration proposed by the operators, or to strike until we secure better conditions than are now offered by our employers."

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EIGHT INJURED IN C. P. R. WRECK

Immigrant Special from Halifax Leaves the Rails—Two Men Have Fractured Limbs; the Others Slightly Hurt.

An accident occurred about 4.45 o'clock yesterday afternoon to an immigrant special from Halifax carrying the passengers of the Allan liner Carthaginian, and which left here at 6 a. m. yesterday. About a mile east of the Quebec boundary line the two baggage cars next to the locomotive and the two passenger coaches nearest them, left the rails, resulting in the somewhat serious injury of two, and the slight injury of eight passengers.

The more seriously injured are George French, of Yorkshire (Eng.), compound fracture of the leg, and Herbert Hoyt, of Wales, compound fracture of the arm. The two with fractured limbs were sent to the hospital at Sherbrooke. The remainder of the passengers were quartered at a hotel at Megantic.

It is not known how the accident occurred, but it is supposed that there was a broken rail or a brake fell on the track. A wrecking train was sent out from Megantic to clear the track. The train was in charge of Conductor Vickers and Engineer Carney, both of Brownville. It is not known where what damage was done to rolling stock.

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