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YALE, St. Clair County, Mich., THURSDAY, June 9, 1921.

\$2.00 Per Year in Advance

City Dads Have Busy Session Monday Night

Annual Budget Is Acted Upon—New Sewers to Be and Dug and Water Mains Extended

Yale, Mich., June 6, 1921. Council met in regular session, Mayor Jacobs presiding. Aldermen present, McIntyre, Elston, Slosser, Beal Welch and Barr.

Minutes of last regular and special meetings read and approved. Moved by Elston and supported by Beal that the following bills as approved by the finance committee be allowed as read.—Carried.

James Edgerton	\$ 30.00
Grant Holden	8.10
Ras Secor	3.25
C. E. Richards	31.88
Jarvis Bros.	487.70
Schmerheim Bros.	42.98
Wirth Sales Book Co.	11.28
Elec. Appliance Co.	299.40
Clarence Drake	10.00
R. Raymond	82.00
John Henry	100.00
Carl Mason	1.00
Harvey Hydorn	2.00
Geo. Williams	8.00
Joe Heberton	18.00
A. Graybiel	116.00
G. Woodruff	100.00
W. Woodruff	100.00
Elston & Griffith	129.79
John Hutton	45.97
Spaulding Elec. Co.	121.39
Western Elec. Co.	102.77
Joe Wilt	175.00
Jennison Hdw. Co.	50.52
George Elston	13.00
Ed Mullaney	7.00
J. Cascadden	104.00
Wesley Beemer	2.00
Elec. Supply Co.	36.79
Yale State Bank	4.00
Wing & Evans	6.48
Alert Pipe & Supply Co.	87.60
Yale Machine Works	2.50
Dr. Andrews	8.00
Jenkins Bros.	8.51
Staley & Bricker	5.05
Yale Lbr. & Coal Co.	40.29
Chas. Meharg	33.50
L. & W. Fund	316.25
Robt Middleton	85.20
Wm Joss & Wm Bryce	90.00
Con. Coal Co.	1350.54
Geo. B. Green	78.74

Moved by Slosser, supported by Barr that the petition of the Centennial Committee for the use of the Park for July 3, 4 and 5 be granted.—Carried.

Moved by Beal, supported by McIntyre that the petition of Bert Jackson and others that a street light be placed at end of Second street west be granted.—Carried.

Moved by Slosser supported by Elston that the petition of E. A. Dodds and others for sewer on Mary street be referred to the sewer committee for investigation and report.—Carried.

Moved by Slosser, supported by McIntyre that the petition of Lew Smith and others for sewer on Arthur street, running one block north from Fraser street, be referred to the sewer committee for investigation with authority to go ahead with same.—Carried.

Moved by Welch, supported by McIntyre, that the petition of Geo. Williams and others for water on South Main street be granted, this water main to connect dead end of water main on South Main street with dead end of water main on south end of South Mary street, with hydrants at corner of Spring and Main streets and corner of Main and Mary streets.—Carried.

Moved by Beal, supported by Elston, that the tax roll as submitted by the Board of Review be accepted and approved as the tax roll for the City of Yale for the year 1921.—Carried.

The following annual appropriation was introduced by the Ordinance Committee:—

The City of Yale Ordains:—
An Ordinance making appropriations and ordering the levy of taxes for corporate purposes for the fiscal year from the first Monday in October, 1921, to the first Monday in October, 1922.

Section 1—That the following sums be and the same are hereby appropriated for the corporate purposes as herein specified for the City of Yale, Michigan, for the fiscal year commencing on the first Monday in October, 1921, and ending on the first Monday in October in 1922, payable to the different funds herein designated to defray the expenses and liabilities of said city, for said fiscal year, payable from said several funds.

Contingent Fund—To defray the expenses of salaries, election expenses, printing, fire department, support of poor and miscellaneous expenses, the sum of \$10,100.45.

General Street Fund—To defray the expenses of opening, widening, extending, altering and vacating streets, alleys, and for public grounds; and for grading, paving, curbing, grading and paving, graveling and otherwise improving, repairing and cleaning the streets, alleys and public grounds of the city, and for the construction and repair of sidewalks, and the care thereof, the sum of \$2,970.72.

Sinking Fund—For the payment of the public debt of the City, and the interest thereon, the sum of \$1,188.28.

Section 2—That the sum of \$14,259.45 is hereby raised by taxes to be levied on the July tax roll of the city of Yale upon the taxable property within said city for the purpose of defraying the general expenses and liabilities of said city of Yale, and for all purposes for which said several funds are constituted.

Section 3—That the sum ordered by Section 2 hereof be placed when collected, in the several funds in the following proportions:—The first \$10,100.45 in the Contingent Fund; the next \$2,970.72 in the Street Fund, and the balance, that of \$1,188.28 in the Sinking Fund.

Section 4—That the following unpaid sidewalk and gutter taxes be spread upon the tax roll for the year 1921:—T. U. Wharton, \$170.60.

Section 5—This ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage.

Passed, ordained and ordered published this 6th day of June, A. D. 1921.

CHAS. W. JACOBS Mayor
G. B. GREEN, City Clerk.

Moved by Slosser, supported by Barr that the report of the ordinance committee on appropriations for the several funds be accepted.—Carried.

The following resolution was introduced by Alderman Welch and supported by Slosser, that Sec. 48 of Ordinance No. 30 is hereby amended to read as follows:—

Power rates shall be 7 cents per kw. hour or 1,000 kw. hours, for all users under 1,000 kw. hrs. or 1,000,000 watt hours; 6 cents per kw. hour or 1,000 watt hours for all users of 1,000 kw. hours or 1,000,000 watt hours and over that amount. Electric cooking exclusively, 6c per kw. hour or 1,000 watt hours.

Ayes—Barr, Welch, Beal, Slosser.—(4)

Nays—Elston and McIntyre.—(2). Motion carried.

Moved by Beal supported by Elston, that the city furnish three men to act as marshals for the 4th and 5th of July.—Carried.

Moved by Elston, supported by Welch, that the city clerk install water meters on any or all water users he deems necessary.—Carried.

Moved by Slosser, supported by Beal, that the mayor be instructed to look after obtaining bunting or other decorations for the Centennial celebration, said bunting and decorations not to exceed the sum of \$75.00 dollars.—Carried.

Moved by Slosser, supported by McIntyre that we adjourn.—Carried.

CHAS. W. JACOBS, Mayor
G. B. GREEN, City Clerk

TO THE PUBLIC
Below is published a report of the findings of the Board of Review and a statement of how the budget of the coming year is to be apportioned:—

Total amt Real Estate as assessed on tax roll.....\$775,990
Total amt of Personal Property assessed on roll..... 412,299
Tot. property assessed.....\$1,188,289

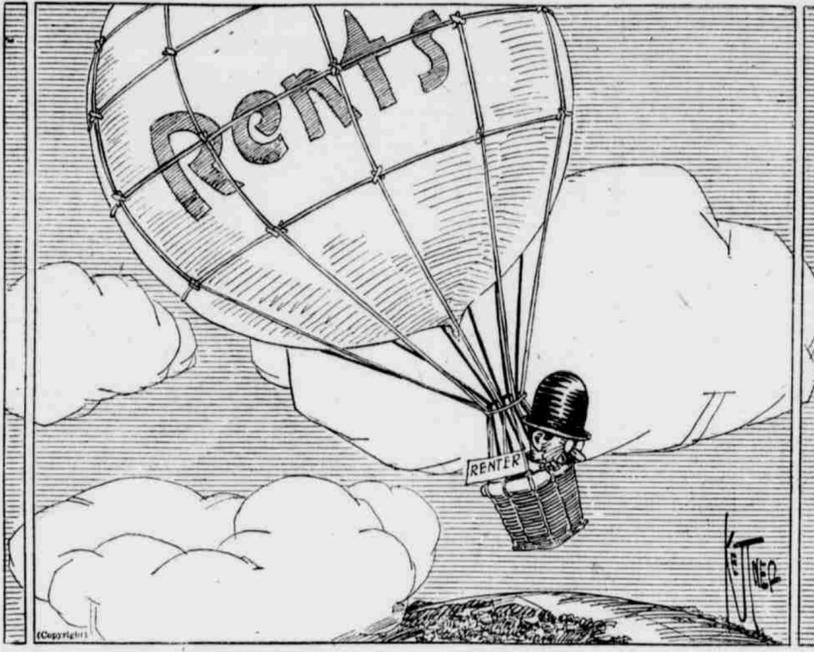
The following is the apportionment from each \$100 of above amount:—
Contingent fund, 85c.....\$10,100.45
Highway fund, 25c..... 2,970.72
Sinking fund, 10c..... 1,188.28

Total.....\$14,259.45
The rate in 1920 was \$1.25 on each \$100 valuation. Your rate for 1921 is \$1.20 on each \$100 valuation, which is 5 cents less on each \$100 valuation than in 1920.

George B. Green, City Clerk

Expositor liners pay.

-And Still Soaring



O'Donnell-Minnie

St. Stephen's church was the scene of a pretty June wedding this morning at the hour of seven when Miss Elva Marie Minnie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Minnie, Crescent Place, and Mr. John O'Donnell, son of Mr. and Mrs. James O'Donnell, of Yale, spoke their vows before a company of seventy-five relatives and friends. Nuptial mass was said by Rev. Fr. Brennan. The attendants were Miss Catherine Lamb and Charles O'Donnell, of Detroit brother of the groom.

In a wedding gown of white net over flesh colored Georgette with trimming of narrow bands of satin in ribbon, and a veil of net in cap effect, held in place by orange blossoms, Miss Minnie made a charming bride. She carried bridal roses and sweet peas in a shower bouquet, and wore the groom's gift, a platinum bar pin with pearl settings. Miss Lamb, the maid of honor wore organdie in maize and blue with hat to match and wore Sunburst roses. The gift of the bride to Miss Lamb was a silver bar pin with sapphire and pearl setting.

At the Minnie home, 929 Crescent Place, a wedding breakfast was served to immediate relatives, after which Mr. and Mrs. O'Donnell left for a trip to Buffalo. They will reside on Park street, where a home is in readiness and will be "at home" after July 1st. The bride wore away a dress of taupe colored taffeta with a hat of peach shade.

Out-of-town guests here for the wedding were Mrs. O'Donnell, the groom's mother, of Yale; Miss Thelma Minnie, of Utica; Donald Minnie, Yale, and Miss Zola Nelson, of Flint.—Port Huron Times-Herald, June 7, 1921.

The bride-elect is a niece of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Minnie, of our city, and the groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. James O'Donnell, east of Yale. Both young people are well and favorably known here and the Expressor joins with their many friends in offering the heartiest congratulations and wishing them many years of happy wedded life.

Centennial Contests
Four more centennial contests are closed and awarded as follows:—

Pioneer stories—1st, Olin Cameron; 2nd, Helen Palmer; 3rd, Nellie Regan.
Honorable mention, Mabel E. Hockaday. The judges found some grade stories so good that they recommended special mention of those written by Neva Ferguson, Gladys Yakes, Leah Middleton and Daisy Bryce.

Essays—1st, Harry Cole; 2nd, Grace Menzies; 3rd, Harry Gough.
Honorable mention, Max Fead.
Slogans—1st, Ruby Rose; 2nd, Hilton Ferguson.

Posters—1st, Clarence Boettcher; 2nd, Eugene Etchells.

When in need of films come to Holden's, the Rexall Store.

ENTIRE CITY PAYS TRIBUTE TO HER DEAD HERO

Body of Pvt. Thomas Magner is Brought Home From France Military Funeral Tuesday

On Friday morning last the remains of Pvt. Thomas Magner, one of Yale's boys who died in France arrived and was taken to the home of his sister, Mrs. C. D. Halsey, south and east of the city. Tuesday morning, from 10 o'clock till noon, all the business places in the city were closed, and our people turned out to do honor to our heroic dead at the military funeral held in Sacred Heart church, while men and women of all denominations, with bowed heads, paid their tribute of love and respect to the home boy who made the supreme sacrifice in the service of his country.

Rev. F. Dunnigan, of Flint, assisted by Revs. Melling of Yale and Cotter of Emmett, officiated at Mass. In his address, Fr. Dunnigan, who himself was with the boys in France, commented on the debt of gratitude which the American people owe, not only to his heroic dead, but to the boys who came back from the battlefields of Europe to take up their peace pursuits.

The services were in charge of the Frederick W. Hyde Post, of the American Legion, who were accompanied by a delegation from the Charles Hammond Post, Port Huron. There were twenty-eight of the boys in line, and the services were very impressive.

The remains were laid to rest in Sacred Heart cemetery.

Assistance Appreciated
As captain of the Frederick W. Hyde Post, American Legion, I wish to express the thanks of the Post for assistance rendered last Tuesday at the funeral of Thomas Magner. There were 28 of the boys present, four of whom belonged to other posts, and it was certainly a fine showing. I also wish to thank those who furnished autos for our use at the cemetery.

The services of the nine members who volunteered to act at the funeral of James Green are also duly appreciated.

Jos. Heberton, Captain

ROAD BUILDING
The Peacock Construction Co., of Yale have secured the contract for the Belle river road, commencing at the Memphis mill and running northwest nine miles to the line between Riley and Berlin townships. They also have the contract for seven miles of road, commencing at the east end of the Memphis State road now being built by McKay & Son, and to pass through Lamb, and connecting with the Smith Creek road. They expect to commence work about June 20th.

SCHOOL EXHIBIT

The exhibition of work done by the students in every grade of Yale's public school, which was open to all interested on Friday last was viewed by a large number. In fact, if the people hadn't been moving from room to room in a regular procession, it would have been called a crowd.

Friday evening from seven to nine or later, a steady stream moved from the kindergarten room to first grade, and so on up to the high room.

Each room was beautifully decorated with fragrant flowers and the high school orchestra in the corridor, furnished excellent music throughout the evening.

Exhibits of the work done by the little ones in the kindergarten and first grade seemed almost remarkable to those not accustomed to the splendid training these youngsters are receiving, and step by step as one visited the higher grades the work in all the various branches of study showed an insight, a talent by the pupils, and a thorough instruction from those in charge of our schools.

We can hardly go into detail of all the worth while things which each room and grade were filled with, but this exhibit, gotten together and hung with much pains by the teachers, aided by their pupils, was a fine thing and the visitors were thoroughly pleased with all they saw and also with the fine courtesy shown them by the instructors of the various grades.

REVIVAL MEETINGS



Special meetings of a revival nature will be commenced in the Brick chapel on Sunday, June 5, and continue over four Sundays. Meetings each evening except Saturday, beginning at 8:00 o'clock.

Evangelist N. W. Rich of Rocky Ford, Col., will do the preaching. The public is invited and will be made very welcome.

R. M. Dodd, Pastor.

Attention! O. E. S. Ladies!
Every lady of the Yale Eastern Star Chapter who can take part in the pageant drill is requested to be at Masonic Hall Monday June 13, at 7:30 p. m.

Commencement Week Is About Completed

This has Been Busy Week for the Senior Class of Yale High School

BACCALAUREATE
The opening event of Commencement week of Yale high school was the annual Baccalaureate services. These were held in the Methodist Episcopal church on Sunday evening last.

Beautiful, fragrant bouquets of peonies decorated the altar. The choir was composed of the various church choirs united and the hymns and anthems sung were extremely well rendered.

Music by the orchestra, led by Fredda Holden, opened and closed the services.

The graduating class of twenty girls and boys marched in to the music of the orchestra and were given seats in the front body of the church, while parents, faculty and board of education members had seats reserved for them. The church was crowded with interested friends.

The scripture lesson from Mark 10, was read by Rev. Ryan, and prayer was made by Rev. Mumby. Rev. Alfred Martin preached the Baccalaureate sermon to the class, taking for his text Mark 10th chapter, a portion of the 21st verse, "Then Jesus beholding him loved him."

The address was replete with good thoughts, showing the young people just starting on life's road, how much there is yet to be learned, how much there still remains to be found by study and leaving them the motto "Plus Ultra," that there is more to be attained, rather than "Ne Plus Ultra," which signifies perfection, or nothing further beyond.

The services were closed with an anthem by the choir, "Now the Day is Over," with a solo part rendered by Miss Felton and benediction was pronounced by Rev. Mumby.

Class Day Exercises
The second function in the Commencement week program was the Class Day exercises. These have heretofore always been held in the high room, but the routine was changed this year and the Auditorium became the scene of action and Tuesday evening this hall was closely filled with people interested in school events.

The curtain rolled up, revealing the members of the class of 1921, twenty in number, seated in a semi-circle. The girls had elected to wear a regulation dress of white middie and skirt, and black tie, and they all looked very neat and sensible.

At the front of the stage, along the footlights, ferns were placed with a lovely basket of pink peonies in the center and the motto, "Find a way or make one," across the top.

The program was carried out as heretofore planned and published, and from the president's address and the salutatory to the valedictory, interest and enthusiasm did not wane with the audience.

The history of the class was reviewed with telling effect, a poem in its honor was full of humor; in the Gifatory speech, numerous articles were conferred upon the unsuspecting members of the class, showing up the pet little hobbies or the supposed to be hidden hopes; the class prophecy drew away the curtain and brought to light the future of each, whether to their own satisfaction or not, was hard to tell;

The program was one thoroughly enjoyed, as such always are, and all participating received words of praise.

The Juniors for next year are already making their plans for the same events, and the Seniors-to-be are beginning to show that lordly and all-wise air which seems to go with that honor.

We wish them that a united and successful year.

Junior Banquet
This important time is looked forward to by the seniors with pleasure, while the over-worked juniors, whose duty it is to look after all details, are wishing for their senior year.

Invitations were sent out by the Juniors to Seniors, faculty, parents of seniors and board of education for the annual banquet to be given in the dining room of the Methodist Episcopal church, by the ladies of that church on Wednesday evening, this week, six-thirty o'clock.

All were on hand and seated in the auditorium, about seventy-five in number, when they formed in line and proceeded to the banquet room, being seated in order at the long tables.

Decorations of the room were the colors of both classes in streamers of crepe paper and greenery banked at either side with '21 and '22 done in peonies. The effect was very pretty. The tables were trimmed by bouquets of roses and a single rose adorned the place of each graduate.

The menu served by waitresses from the sophomores, was all one could wish, hearty and yet dainty, palatable and satisfying, and at the close when the glasses of punch were brought, Supt. Greenman arose and introduced the president of the Junior class, Helen Wharton, who welcomed all to the banquet and introduced the toastmaster, Mr. Greenman. The latter prefaced each toast with a few laughable remarks on the one to give the toast and introduced Max Fead, Valedictorian of the Seniors, who gave a fine tribute to "Our Parents."

Frederic Fuller of the Junior class, toasted "The Seniors" in an excellent little speech. Howard Ruh, Salutatorian of the Seniors, got it back by a roasting toast on "The Juniors." "Our Teachers" was the subject of the toast by Grace Menzies, president of the '21 class, and the "Board of Education" was nicely treated at the charitable hands of Mrs. Greenman.

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Flag Day Proclamation

By The Governor

The observance of Flag Day is of comparatively recent origin and seems to have begun in the State of New York. The custom, however, has spread until practically every state in the Union has adopted it.

Honoring the flag means to honor the principles for which the flag stands, liberty, justice and equality. These are the foundation stones of the Republic. So long as these great principles are really respected and honored in the hearts of the people our government is safe. Our free institutions will weather any storm that may beat upon them.

Therefore, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Governor of the State of Michigan, I hereby proclaim
Tuesday, June 14, 1921, Flag Day.

Let flags be displayed on both public and private buildings; and I request that community exercises appropriate to the day be held wherever practicable. Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State this Second Day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, and of the Commonwealth the eighty-fifth.

By the Governor:
ALEX. J. GROSBECK, Governor
CHAS. J. DeLAND, Secretary of State.