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NO PRIZE.—"The fire committee reported "with pleasure" to the Council on Monday that no fire calls had been received since the last meeting of the committee.

THE COUNCIL'S FLAGSTAFF.—The Finchley Urban District Council have decided to purchase a flag and a flagstaff for the Council office, at a cost not exceeding £5.

OUR MOTOR ENGINE.—The chief officer of the Grimsby Fire Brigade, together with several members of the Grimsby fire brigade committee, have paid a visit to Finchley for the purpose of inspecting our motor fire engine.

Mr. Asquith's LATEST is "Wait and see." It is just possible to wait too long. My advice is to go early to B. W. Making's, Gent's complete Outfitter, Regents-parade, North Finchley, who has a fine range of Gent's and Youths' Clothing, and all the latest styles for spring and summer wear.—*Advt.*

CLERK OF THE WORKS.—At Monday's Council meeting the highways committee reported that they had instructed the surveyor to give the "weak" notice to Mr J. C. Lodgin terminating his engagement as clerk of the works, and recommended that their action should be approved.—In answer to a member, who asked if there was a reason, the Chairman replied: "Yes; but we will give it in committee."

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH.—St. Luke's parochial year book, just issued, contains interesting detailed statements of the various organisations, and particulars concerning the Church and its work. The Vicar (the Rev. S. W. Howe) expresses a hope that he will have the help of a regular curate in October. This will necessitate the raising of at least £70 before next March, but we think the generosity and enthusiasm of the St. Luke's congregation are quite equal to the effort. Of special interest is the "Freewill Offering Scheme," which is thus explained in the year book:—"There are always a certain number of people who would like to contribute to Church funds, but who either dislike to see their names in print or who can give so little at any one time that they are too shy (a false shyness) to send in. This scheme enables all to give as they please. Everyone should contribute to the support of God's work, according as God hath prospered them. How few of us know the blessing of real giving; and if there is "a willing mind it is accepted according to that a man hath, and not according to that he hath not." The scheme helps us to meet deficits, and so saves the necessity of making special appeals; but after all, it is the minority that give regularly, and nearly everything. The burden should not fall on the few. Those who do not contribute regularly are asked to study this scheme and see if they do not think they ought to take their part in the support of God's work. Those who are willing to do so are requested to fill in the amount they desire to contribute to any of the objects named below, or to specify any others that they may prefer, and to return the form to me with their contributions."

THE
GARDEN OF AVENUE HOUSE,
CHURCH END, FINCHLEY,
WILL BE OPEN
(By permission of Mr H. C. STEPHENS) on
THURSDAY AFTERNOONS
From June to the end of September.

It is hoped that those availing themselves of this permission will be so good as to comply with the following regulations, which it is found desirable to make:—

Entrance to be made at the Main Gates in East End road *only.*
Children under 12 must be in the charge of some older person.
Dogs and perambulators *will not be admitted.*
but perambulators may be left in the stable-yard.

Garden open from 2 o'clock till 7 o'clock.

In particular parties will refrain from picking the Flowers, and will be careful to do no injury to the Trees and Shrubbery.

Visitors are warned that the ponds in the grounds are deep, and that it is not safe, therefore, for little children to play near to them alone.

THE CHURCH END Lawn Tennis Club will give an al fresco concert on June 21st. A band will play at intervals.

THE COTTAGE HOSPITAL.—Week ending June 5th. Number in hospital, 19; new cases, 1; discharged, 5; remaining, 14. Gift received: Fruit, Mrs Hatsenley.

SHAVING.—Mrs Soole, widow of the hairdresser who recently the subject of an inquest, has decided to continue her late husband's business at 3, Stanley-terrace, Regents Park-road (near the Queen's Head). She has secured the services of a competent hairdressing and shaving assistant, and business will probably be conducted on Sunday morning.

FINCHLEY BURIAL SOCIETY.—The Registered office, 6, High-street, North Finchley (near Tally Ho Corner Shop), is open every Tuesday evening, from 8 to 9. Deposits from 6d upwards received at 5½ per cent. interest. Four per cent. interest allowed on shares, which can be purchased by monthly payments of 5s. Rules for programme.—*Advt.*

MEDICAL OFFICER'S REPORT.—The medical officer reports that during the 5 weeks ended April 23th the birth-rate of Finchley was 24·2 and the death-rate 8·4 per 1,000, as compared with 17·4 and 9·2 respectively during the corresponding period of the last year. Eleven cases of scarlet fever, 12 of diphtheria, and 3 of erysipelas had been notified, and 15 of these were removed to hospital, where at the end of April there were 31 patients in hospital.

FINCHLEY WESLEAN CHURCH.—Sunday, June 19th, is the occasion of anniversary services in connection with the Finchley West P.J. Church, Ballards-lane, Church Rod. The Rev. J. Herbert Ryder (Leyton Mission) will preach in the morning, a flower service is to be conducted by Mr E. G. Gillard (Barnet) in the afternoon, and a concert held in the evening will be the Rev Harry Bisseker (Leyton Mission). Special singing by the children is announced, and collections in aid of the school funds are to be made. See advertisement.

DISAPPROVED PLANS.—The Finchley Council declined on Monday night to approve the following plans:—Twelve shops, with dwellings over, east side of Great North-road, submitted by Mr E. M. Gilbert Lodge; alterations and additions to 1, Cambridge-villas, High-road, East Finchley, submitted by Messrs. Mann and Crossman; 17 houses, east side of Naylor-road, submitted by Mr Baily; dwelling-house and stable, land at rear of Bleinheim, Great North-road, submitted by Messrs Farm Dairy Company; 2 houses, electric theatre, Great North-road, North Finchley, south of Castle-road, submitted by Ashby's Estate; 2 houses, shops, alterations, and drainage to Stanhope Hall, Stanhope-road, North Finchley, submitted by Messrs. Blackhead and Bird; shop and workshop, extension of Naylor road, Totteridge-lane, submitted by Messrs. Malbrich and Weber; temporary shed, Verandah House, The Walks, East Finchley, submitted by Mr A. Abey; motor garage, south-west side of Seymour-road, submitted by Mr C. J. Phillips; temporary building at rear of 10, Manor-villas, Squires-lane, submitted by Mr F. J. Chaney; electric theatre, east side of Great North-road, submitted by the Premier Electric Theatre Company; temporary building at rear of 7, Station-road, East Finchley, submitted by Dr. A. Griffiths; 5 dwelling-houses with motor garages, north side of Holden-road, submitted by Mr R. M. Denman; and temporary electric theatre, west side of The Broadway, Church End, submitted by the National Theatre de Luxe, Ltd.

PLANS APPROVED.—The following plans were approved by the Finchley Council on Monday night:—Proposed addition to "Raglan" and "Milford," Great North-road, submitted by Messrs. Mr J. Webb; drainage extension, new addition at "Bosel," Hendon-avenue, submitted by Mr H. Pringle; addition to "The Kloisters," Hendon-avenue, submitted by Mr T. G. Smith; new road, Farm Dairy Centlemen's Estate, Barnet-road, submitted by Mr T. Adams; 4 houses, south-east side of Church-lane, submitted by Mr G. W. Shell; 3 houses, north-east side of and of Percival-cottages, East End-road, submitted by Mr H. Boyce; 5 houses, south side of Seymour-road, submitted by Mr J. C. Williamson; 1 house, south-east side of Hendon-lane, submitted by Mr J. Cooper; 2 houses, south-east side of Church-lane, submitted by Mr G. W. Shell; 3 houses, north-east side of Seymour-road, submitted by Mr C. J. Phillips; 1 house, west side of Holden-road, submitted by Mr W. Bennett; 1 house, south side Ffinalen road, submitted by Mr C. H. Scott; temporary building, rear of 5, Station-road (2 years), submitted by Mr W. Shewry; temporary building, east side of 35, Lichfield-grove (3 years), submitted by Mr E. J. Farrow; temporary building, rear of 34, Elm Park-road (3 years), submitted by Mr F. Chatterley; temporary building, in field No. 239 on Ordnance sheet near Strawberry Vale (3 years), submitted by the Islington Municipal Officers' Club; and temporary building, rear of "Ivydean," Etchingham Park-road (3 years), submitted by Mr R. J. Scarborough.

FINCHLEY UNITARIANS.

On Sunday evening last the Rev. W. H. Drummond (minister of the Provincial Assembly) conducted his service in the Westminster Hall, Ballards-lane, Church End. His subject was "The magnetism of the Cross," and his text was taken from St. Paul's 1. Corinthians:—"The preaching of the Cross, the power of God." Mr Drummond said that anyone who followed the course of religious thought at the present time, and had the deeper and more spiritual aspects of the study of the New Testament, would be impressed with the way in which men were coming to read the New Testament, not as a theological text-book, but as a book which he contended was full of dogma, but rather as what it really was, a book of deep and intensely religious experience. The New Testament came to be written in response to an imperious religious need, and the impulse which led to it depended on a deep inward impulse. All the personal experiences of St. Paul seemed to centre round the Cross, and it was there he felt some thing in Christianity which attracted St. Paul more than another, and held him firmly to the strong in Christian loyalty, it was the Cross of Christ. The Cross was proved of a great power, it was something which had gone very deep down into his life. It was generally did that moment he felt that it was wonderful to observe that that magnetism did not spend itself on the Christian Church, but it was a power in the world. To some, no doubt, it brought the spectacle of suffering and sorrow, and it was a tremendous honour which human life pays to self-sacrifice. That was the first and simplest appeal of the Cross. It was the Cross that wanted to interpret it, explain it, or weave doctrine around it. To many it was a great appeal. The strange haunting symbol of the Cross was one of victory of the kind that men wanted to believe in. So the Cross had stood for centuries as the symbol not of a mere sorrow, but of a great conquest. Some of Christian centuries it could be traced how that influence of the Cross had been manifested in human life, keeping it pointed ever upwards towards love and self-sacrifice in obedience to the will of God.

Mr Morley Chancellor presided at the organ, and Mr A. Savage Cooper acted as sidesman.

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FINCHLEY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

Cr. W. C. Cope, J.P., presided at a meeting of the Finchley Urban District Council held on Monday night. Present: Messrs. Cr. Cope, J.P., Bloomfield (vice-chairman), W. Bennett, J. Boggon, H. G. Eckert, J. H. Fry, T. H. Hewitt, W. F. Martin, J. McMeckler, L. A. Mason, Rabbidge, H. P. Nicholls, S. Pulham, C. Rabbidge, J. Richardson, J. Robertson, T. Sanderson, C. S. Syrett, and B. Tew; with Mr A. E. Lister (clerk) and other officers.

RESIGNATION OF SURVEYOR TO FOOTPATH.

Cr. Rabbidge asked whether the Hendon Council had replied to the Council's letter relating to the surveyor to footpath, and if it was proposed by the Clerk that nothing but a formal acknowledgment of the letter had been received.

A DEPARTURE FROM CUSTOM.

The highways committee reported that Mr Dennis had applied for permission to place a stone in connection with the making-up of Grange-avenue, and recommended "That the desired permission be given, subject to a satisfactory guarantee being obtained for a period of five years."

Cr. Nicholls asked why they were going to allow this builder to use the stone in Grange-avenue, and not other people, the Council's contracts, other stone was used.

Cr. Boggon replied that the surveyor had given his opinion that, as the Grange-avenue and Percy-road extension would carry very little traffic, and there was a five years' guarantee, it was permissible to use an inferior stone.

Cr. Nicholls said he did not know whether the Council would be satisfied with the explanation. The guarantee seemed risky. Supposing a firm ceased to exist before the five years expired, where would the Council be? They were a public authority, and had to look to the public interests, and if this particular stone was inferior to other stone which the Council could recommend, it ought not to be used.

Cr. Boggon said he had merely given the opinion of their surveyor, who was their expert.

Cr. Bloomfield said that three years ago the surveyor prepared a very elaborate report "cracking up" this stone, and for his part he could not see that it had been proved inferior.

The Chairman: The surveyor says that this stone, with the makers' guarantee, is good enough for Grange-avenue, and we must take his word.

The committee's recommendation was approved.

STREET NAME PLATES.

Cr. Rabbidge asked for a return showing the number of employees of the Council who were called upon to work on Sundays, the nature of their occupation, and whether they got any time off during the week.—Cr. Boyston gave details so far as the highways committee were concerned, and it was resolved that these, together with details from other committees, should be submitted at the next meeting of the Council.

ROYAL ARMS.

The Clerk reported that he had received a letter, dated 1st inst., from the Home Secretary, stating that he was commanded by the King to convey to the Council his Majesty's thanks for the loyal and dutiful address expressing their sympathy with his Majesty and the Queen in the irreparable loss of his late Majesty King Edward VII., and congratulations on his Majesty's accession to the throne, stating that the expression of sympathy with Queen Alexandra had been laid before her Majesty, who desired him to convey her thanks for the address.

ADVERTISEMENT HOARDINGS.

The plans committee reported that hoardings for advertising purposes had been erected on Brighton-cottage, Ballards-lane, and opposite Friern Watch, North Finchley, without the consent of the Council. The committee recommended that the surveyor should be instructed to serve notice upon each of the erectors to pull down the hoardings, and that, failing compliance, proceedings should be taken under the Metropolitan Police Act, 1906.

Cr. Nicholls: The same as those that applied to the hoardings in Church End station; they are shabby.

Replying to Cr. McMeater, the Clerk said that certain other hoardings in East Finchley were erected before the Act came into force.

Cr. Bloomfield said that the hoardings at Church End station were taken down because West Ward ratepayers brought pressure to bear; East Finchley people had not done anything.

Cr. Nicholls said the Council had no jurisdiction in regard to the hoarding at East Finchley station, but they had power with hoardings over 12 feet high abutting on to the footway.

Cr. Martin said that action should be taken in regard to the hoarding near Christ Church-avenue.

Cr. Nicholls said that if the Council wished the committee to deal with the Christ Church-avenue hoarding as with the other two, they would be pleased to do so.—Agreed.

PLANS.

Cr. Tew asked why a builder, after depositing plans for three months, was permitted to do what he pleased with the plans, if the Council wished, could not get them through. He referred to plans for 17 houses on the east side of Holden-road.

Cr. Nicholls replied that the plans were not in accordance with the bye-laws. The builder had been eight expressed his willingness to do what the committee required, and, if the Council were willing, he was willing to let the builder proceed to start at once.

The Chairman: Does the plan show what we require?

Cr. Nicholls: We have no plans before us that conform to our requirements.

The Chairman: Then we cannot approve; it is not our business to assist the builder his business.

WATER PRESSURES.

The fire committee reported: "We have from time to time found it necessary to complain of the pressures of water obtainable from certain fire-cocks and standpots in the district, and have been in communication with the Barnet and Finchley Gas and Water Company on the matter, who state that the hydrants at which these pressures are found are fed from the old 3-in. pipes, which it is proposed to the Water Company is prepared to recommend the directors to replace the old pipes 3-in. towards the low pressure main to the high-pressure main (where existing) at an estimated cost of £26, provided the Council contribute £15 towards such cost. We recommend 'That this arrangement be agreed to.'"—Agreed.

CLEANING SUPERINTENDENTS.

The public health committee reported that they had received a communication from the secretary to the Institute of Cleaning Superintendents, stating that the annual conference in connection with the institute would be held at Southport on July 5th and following days, and asking that the Council would appoint delegates to be present thereat. The committee recommended that no action should be taken in the matter.—Agreed.

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