

Minutes of a Quebec Provincial Headquarters Executive meeting, held on Monday March 30th 1925 at 8.15.p.m.

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There were present, ----- Lt-Col. C.B. Price elected to the Chair  
Mr F.R. Thom  
Miss Hay Browne  
A.H.D. Hair

1. The Minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted.
2. Correspondence to hand included the following subjects:-
  - (a) An appeal from the Mother of a soldier killed in Belgium during the Great War, for representation from this Society to the local Cemetery Companies, asking permission for the permanent erection of the wooden cross sent her by the Imperial War Graves Commission from the grave of her son.
  - (b) An appeal to defray local burial costs of one Ex-Sgt R. McRae, who died in New York and whose body was brought home by his widow, with the help of her employers in New York.
  - (c) An appeal by a widow of an ex-soldier in Stanstead P.Q. for assistance to bury her late husband.

Subsequent to deliberation, Mr Hair was authorised to appoint a representative deputation, to seek a personal interview with the Trustees of the respective Cemetery Companies, and discuss the subject of erection of the wooden crosses that will from time to time be received from the Battlefields of the Great War, and subsequently to report back to the Executive. In the case of Mrs McRae, Mr Hair was authorised to make an offer to Frank Feron Reg'd Undertaker of \$44.50 for acquittal in full of Mrs McRae's account, and failing his acceptance thereof, to help Mrs McRae liquidate the amount in full with the Society's cheque for \$50.00. The necessary papers applied for by Mr Hair in the Stanstead case not being to hand, he was authorised by the Executive to take the necessary action consistent with the requirements of the case, conditional upon receipt of the papers and subsequent report to the Executive.

3. The interim Secretarial Report was taken as read, and on Motion of Mr Hair Seconded by Miss Browne, the following accounts were ordered to be paid:-

Rush Printing Coy	\$ 10.50		
Witness " " "	11.66		
Beck Duplicator	1.25		
Bell Telephone Coy	5.13		
Joseph C. Wray & Bro	494.25		
Petty Cash	15.00	Total	\$537.79

4. Under 'New business' Miss Browne Moved, Seconded by Mr F.R. Thom:-

" The Executive of the Provincial Headquarters of LAST POST FUND learn with very much regret of the serious illness of Mr John Munn - Chairman of the Grounds Committee of this Association - and desire to give expression to their most sincere sympathy with him and earnest hope for an early and thorough recovery; which expressions they desire to be conveyed to Mr Munn by the Secretary".

Carried unanimously.

5. Mr Hair reported a request from the Sir Arthur Currie Chapter I.O.D.E. to be permitted to cooperate in this year's "Commemoration Day" ceremonies, offering to supply a Choral organization of some 50 or 60 Girl Guides. The Executive in accepting and endorsing the kind offer, suggested that it should be passed on to the Women's Auxiliary for their advice.