

THRESHING OUT UNIVERSITY BILL

Choosing of the Governor's
Board Postponed Until June.

CAN BE DISMISSED BY GOVT

Opposition Considers Board Has Too
Much Control—Proposal to
Change the Name.

Toronto, May 4.—The discussion in committee of the university bill took up the whole of yesterday afternoon's session, the participants being Messrs. Harcourt, Mackay and Graham, for the Opposition, and the Premier, and occasionally the Provincial Treasurer, for the Government. A noticeable feature of the discussion was the ostentatious silence of the Minister of Education, who did not utter a syllable all day.

The whole bill passed the committee, with the exception of one or two clauses, which will be taken up on the third reading.

The Governor's Board.
Mr. Whitney said the Government wanted plenty of time to choose the board of governors, and fixed June 15 as the date by which the appointments must be made.

The principal amendment made to the act provided a site for Trinity College in Queen's Park, near Bloor street.

Mr. Harcourt approved of clause 4, which enables the board to remove all officers at their discretion. Teachers retained for life were injurious to an institution, he thought.

The Premier pointed out that the clause providing for change of name to "The University of Ontario" would not take effect unless by a vote of three-quarters of the senate present at any meeting.

Messrs. Graham and Mackay objected to the change, which would break many old associations, and do no good. Mr. Harcourt urged that all appointments made by the board should be subject to approval by the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council.

The Premier answered that he would not deliberately inject poison into the bill. He wished to remove all temptation to or opportunity for backstairs influences.

Mr. Mackay objected that the Government retained no power over the board of governors, except that of dismissal.

Powers of Dismissal.
The Premier replied that if the board persisted in the appointment of any person after a minister of the crown had signified that such a person was unfit, the obvious course would be to dismiss the board, and this the present Government would not hesitate to do.

Mr. Harcourt could not conceive of a member of the Government going to the board and saying that an appointee was unfit. It could not be done in decency. The Government could only enter a protest.

Mr. Harcourt and Mr. Mackay objected to the power given the board to purchase and acquire all such property as it deemed necessary without ratification by the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council. Mr. Mackay feared the board might make the Province responsible for large expenditures.

The Premier pointed out that another clause provided for full control by the Government.

Mr. Matheson said the intention of the bill was to free the university from the interference from which it had suffered for 30 years. The board was to have the power of the statute.

Changed His Views.
Mr. Whitney, in the course of the discussion, admitted that he had diabolically changed his position on one point. He had in the past advocated the absolute severing of the connection between the Government and the university. Experience and later knowledge had shown him the error of his view, and his advocacy of the version. Mr. Whitney also intimated that the Opposition's criticisms were largely offered for effect, and he thought that if no reporters were present, the bill would be put through about four times as quickly.

Mr. Mackay objected to the provision of a yearly sum, which might be far in excess of the needs of the university. He thought the Legislature should straightforwardly vote each year the amounts actually needed by the institution.

The Premier said that it was vitally necessary that permanence and stability should be given the university's finances. It was the element of uncertainty in the past that had hampered the university. The university should not be compelled to come to the Legislature and ask for money which the latter, in the exigencies of the movement, might not feel like granting.

In moving that the committee rise, the Premier said he would not thank the members of the Opposition for their share in the discussion, for no thanks were needed. Both sides of the House had shown themselves to be at one on the measure, and he thought the people of the Province would be highly gratified at the manner in which the Legislature had treated the measure. He wished to make it very plain to those who would hereafter be concerned with the measure, that the Government had every confidence in the men who would be called upon to take control.

Mr. Whitney said that as the House had worked so faithfully for the afternoon, there would be no night session, and he accordingly moved the adjournment of the House at 6:20.

FIREMEN GET SALARY INCREASE ON RECOMMENDATION OF CHIEF

All Men Two Years in Service
to Benefit—Two Resignations Accepted.

The market, fire and light committee last night unanimously decided to grant an increase to all the firemen on the local department who have been in the employ of the city for two years or more.

This action was taken on the recommendation of the chief, who stated that as the men had asked for an increase, and as it was only fair that the maximum salary should be increased, he would not like to see the request ignored. He paid a warm compliment to the officers and men under him.

"The city of London demands efficiency and the enforcement of a strict discipline," said the chief, "and the men of the department who prove themselves worthy should be recognized. I make this recommendation in the belief that it is in the interests of the city."

The committee accepted the recommendation without dissent. As a result, Assistant Chief Attkin will receive the sum of \$50 extra for his work as an electrician on the department, making his total salary \$850.

Foreman Case and Truck Foreman McDonald, of No. 1 station; Foreman Findlater, of No. 2; and Foreman Attkin, of No. 3, all receive an increase of \$25 a year, making their salaries now \$750 instead of \$725.

Three assistant foremen—Messrs. Gray, Secombe and Nicholson—have their salaries raised from \$650 to \$675 per annum. The following firemen also come in for an increase of \$25 a year: Messrs. Scott, Taylor, Haylock, Matthews, Riddle and Mitchell. They will each draw \$650 instead of \$625 a year.

Assistant Engineer Bolton gets an increase of \$50 a year, bringing his salary up to \$725. All increases go into effect July 1.

All the men who have received increases have been on the department for 25 years. The increases mean an additional \$25 on the salary roll.

The resignations of Messrs. Borland and William Stinchcombe from the fire department were accepted.

SYNOD'S MEETING BEST ON RECORD

Resume of the Work Accomplished at the Presbyterian
Gathering at Brantford.

Brantford, May 3.—The meeting of the Synod of Hamilton and London, which closed its sessions yesterday, has been pronounced one of the best in the history of that body. About 150 delegates were present, and the proceedings were alive with interest.

The session of the retiring moderator, Rev. Hector Currie, of Thorndale, in the Synod of Presbyterian, was eminently scholarly and evangelical.

Dr. John Ross, the new moderator, was for over 26 years minister of Melville Church, Brussels, and is now pastor of the church at Port Dalhousie. He is a gentleman of fine presence and made a dignified and tactful moderator.

The lengthened devotional exercises of the first day were very largely attended and most impressive. The singing with Rev. J. Thompson, of Ayr, as organist, was inspiring to a degree.

The augmentation report, presented by Rev. A. Henderson, of London, concurred in the most satisfactory in the history of the fund within the bounds, the contributions exceeding last year's by \$1,000, and the previous year by \$1,400.

Rev. J. H. Edmonson, of Cheltenham, gave a fine address in support of the fund. The prejudice against it in some quarters, he declared, to be unreasonable. Dr. Lytle, Dr. McCreary and others spoke briefly on the splendid results, but pointed out that the rate of giving was still very small on the part of many of the members and adherents of the church.

Rev. J. W. Macnamara, of Nelson, presented the report on young people's societies. Many of the societies have suffered severely by the removal of so many young people to the west. Some have ceased to exist for this cause. Still, a good year's work has been accomplished, and there is reason for thankfulness for the good done.

The Sunday school report caused the most lively discussion of the sessions. The report of Rev. W. J. Clark, Rev. James Rollins and Rev. Dr. Ross were all given, and a committee was appointed to seek to secure a still attendance of both ministers and elders at future meetings. The next meeting is to be held in the First Church, Chatham, on the last Monday of April of next year, the sessions to begin at 8 o'clock in the evening.

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The Seagrave Ladder Company, which is building a new fire station, chemical wagon for No. 3 station, asked to be allowed to make certain changes in the specifications submitted by the city. With the approval of the chief, the changes were agreed to.

The recommendation of the water commission in regard to a water supply for the London Show Case Company, which has been outside the city limits, was accepted by the committee. It is to the effect that a main along Dundas street to Patrick street will cost \$450, the company should be asked to pay one half the cost, and an annual rental for the use of the water, water to be charged for at one third over that charged manufacturers in the city.

A fire alarm box will be erected at the nearest point within the city to the show case works.

It was decided to reaffirm the committee's former decision in regard to the increase in rental for the fish stalls, and hereafter they will be rented for \$10 a month, about \$300 worth of repairs will be made to the building at once.

Tenders for a new one-horse water cart are to be called for.

At the request of Messrs. Hughes, and with the sanction of the city council, it was decided to add the block bounded by William, Adelaide, Horton and Bathurst to the rag and bone market.

The list of new lights recommended some time ago was reaffirmed, all lights to be lighted for the first time on Oct. 1 next.

The contract for another water tap in No. 3 fire hall was awarded to the Smith Plumbing Company at \$15.

No action will be taken in regard to a light at the corner of the Hamilton road and Rectory street until the township is heard from.

A petition for the watering of Waterloo street, between St. James and Oxford, was granted.

The committee adopted a motion of Mr. Armstrong's that with a view to establishing public bathing, in London, the proprietor of the London mineral baths be interviewed to ascertain the amount at which he would be willing to supply the necessary water to the city, and also to lease a site to the corporation.

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DETROIT BORE UNDER WAY
Shafts Already Sunk on Both Sides of the St. Clair.

Detroit, Mich., May 3.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Detroit River Tunnel Company, the Michigan Central subsidiary corporation, which is to build the double-barreled tunnel under the river, was held here today.

The personnel of the board is the same as before, except at his own request Ashley Fox was elected, and William C. Brown, of Chicago, was elected in his place.

The construction of the tunnel for which the board of directors were to-day authorized to borrow fifteen million dollars for its completion, is daily taking on more form and semblance.

An 18 by 58 foot shaft has been sunk on the American side a depth of 62 feet, and 10 of the same size shaft sunk 84 feet on the Canadian side.

The actual tunnel construction will cost approximately \$7,000,000 and the electrical equipment about \$2,000,000 more, as it is definitely decided to use electrical power transmission. The time to complete the tunnel will be three years.

BEAUTIFUL DAYS IN OLD LONDON

Shrub and Tree Bursting Into
Leaf, and Much Sunshine.

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Exhibition on Health, Beauty
and Toilet.

London, May 1.—Never has London appeared more beautiful than during these last few days, when every shrub and tree is bursting into leaf, and above the high-walled gardens in the suburbs masses of feathery bloom soar like snowdrifts, a striking contrast to the smoke-begrimed avenues of bricks and mortar which surround them.

Lilies of the valley sell at a penny a bunch in the streets, and are hawked about by men who form as great a contrast to the fragile blossoms as do the drab walls to the branches of pear blossom. Two Saturdays ago every bus driver on the Kensington route sported the light blue ribbons of the Cambridge crew on their whips; many of them blossomed out in white straw hats with pale blue bands, but the drab walls to the branches of pear blossom. Two Saturdays ago every bus driver on the Kensington route sported the light blue ribbons of the Cambridge crew on their whips; many of them blossomed out in white straw hats with pale blue bands, but the drab walls to the branches of pear blossom.

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