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WORKLESS MEN AT QUEEN'S PARK

Premier Drury Was Not Present When Deputation Marched up

NO FARMERS AMONG 'EM Manning Doherty is Told no One Wants to go Out on the Farm

TORONTO, April 28.—Several hundred unemployed men paraded to the parliament buildings here and placed their demands before the government. The deputation was received by Attorney-General Raney in the absence of Premier Drury.

Hon. Walter Rolfe, Hon. B. Bowman and Hon. Manning Doherty were present. In outlining his request for some solution of the unemployed situation Thomas Dixon, leader of the deputation, frankly stated that he knew the government could not provide work.

He thought the provincial officials should take some action to see that men had a place to sleep, and that they get enough to eat. Mr. Doherty pointed out that there was a dearth of farm labor but Mr. Dixon replied that their were no men with farming experience in the crowd.

The deputation was assured that the matter would be taken up with the premier on his return.

The Fateful Years For Every Woman

How to Overcome Troubles That Afflict Women Only.

So far as a woman's health is concerned, probably the most fateful years in her life are those between 45 and 50. Many women enter this period under depressing conditions, through overstrain in household cares, or a neglected condition of the blood, and so they suffer heavily.

Among the commonest symptoms at this time are headaches, pains in the back and sides, fever, flushes, palpitation, dizziness and depression. It is well to know that these variations of health can be relieved by home treatment. What women stand in need of at this time, but never more so than in middle age, is rich, red blood. As a tonic for the blood and nerves, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are always useful, but especially will they help women at this time.

Among those who have found benefit through the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is Mrs. J. A. McDougall, Rhodena, N.S., who says: "I was greatly troubled with nervousness, palpitation of the heart, dizziness, and a generally run down condition. It was only with difficulty that I could do my work, and although I had been taking medicine for some time I did not improve. Finally a friend advised a Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and I got a supply and began taking them. The result more than met my expectations, and I am feeling better than I have done for years, sleep well, eat well, and do my household work much more easily. In any case the pills certainly did what you claim for them."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all dealers in medicine, or you can get them by mail at 50c a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

6TH LINE SIDNEY.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Ketcheson and Mr. and Mrs. Darcy Ketcheson, of Frankford, spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. Grant Coulter and Mr. H. Lott of Foxboro, spent Sunday at Mr. Mait. Sine's.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Rikley visited at Mr. Wm. Rose's one day last week. Mrs. J. T. Reid is still very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Moon spent Sunday in Foxboro.

Mr. Geo. Acker of Rawdon visited friends here recently.

Mrs. Parliament of Prince Edward spent a few days last week at the bedside of her aunt, Mrs. J. J. Reid.

Mrs. Davis and Miss Helen of Foxboro, visited Mrs. Wilnot Rose one day last week.

Major-General Garnet B. Hughes, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., and his young son, Sam Hughes, Jr., have sailed for Canada on a short visit to the former's father, Lieut.-General Sir Sam Hughes.

On returning to England, General Hughes will be accompanied by Mrs. H. P. Newling, of Victoria, B.C., mother of Mrs. Hughes.

Last evening the young people of St. Andrew's Guild were the guests of the young people of Bridge St. Church and they report a thoroughly enjoyable evening, spent with their Methodist friends and co-workers. A short program was run off, consisting of orchestra selections, reading by Miss A. Ketcheson, solo, Miss Marjorie Bird, guitar selection, Mr. Marshall Sills. The balance of the evening was spent in games that were ably arranged and put on by Mrs. Chas. Hyde and her assistants. Refreshments of a very attractive character brought the happy union meeting to a close at an hour befitting the occasion.

The recent storm did very little damage to the gardens in and about Cayuga.

NO CONTRACT AWARDED; AGAIN TO COMMITTEE; NEW TENDERS OPPOSED

Recommendation of Sites, Buildings and Repairs Committee of Board of Education Giving Contract to Outside Firm for \$8,000 More is Halted by Vote of Board—Details of the Meeting.

The contract for the erection of the new Coleman ward school was not awarded last evening by the Board of Education, but the recommendation of the Sites, Buildings and Repairs Committee to let it to the Carswell Company of Toronto for \$131,800 was referred back for further consideration. The reference did not take place before Belleville contractors had been given a chance to explain their tenders. The resolution referring the report was moved by Mr. John Elliott, those supporting it being Messrs. Elliott, Wallbridge, Ackerman, Pringle, Sharpe, Reid, McGinnis and McGie. Mr. H. W. Ackerman had favored the Board did not approve of this, on the advice of the architect, Mr. Beaumont Jarvis.

Last year the tenders were about \$165,000 for the school. Ex-Mayor Riggs had moved, seconded by Mr. W. R. McCreary, the acceptance of the committee's recommendation awarding the contract to the Carswell Co.

Justice to Local Contractors. Mr. John Elliott thought more consideration should be given the awarding of the tender. "As I understand it, there are several tenders from local parties, reputable men, and I don't see how the Board can justify itself to the ratepayers if it gives the work to an outside concern for \$8,000 more. How can we hope to build up the city of Belleville along such lines? If any of the local men can carry out the contract, one of them should get it. We cannot do justice to our citizens and these local contractors if we do otherwise."

"I shall move as an amendment that it be referred back for consideration. Some of our members are away tonight."

The second of the amendment was Mr. Hope McGinnis. "Boost our residents don't mean boost them out of town." Mr. McGinnis thought if Mr. L. E. Allen could do the work, he should be awarded the contract, even if his price were higher, because he was a local man.

He declared the Board should take great care as there was considerable criticism of that body for the proposed action.

Plea for Mr. L. E. Allen. Mr. William Carnev, appearing on behalf of Mr. L. E. Allen, said: "The only question is whether we are going to buy a school for the best price." Mr. Allen had been a prominent resident of Belleville, his heart being bound up in the city. He had been connected with a great many enterprises. Why should the Board pay \$8,000 more for the school than necessary if Mr. Allen can carry out the work? He would submit contracts to local men. The committee could not take it amiss to have the question of tenders opened up.

"Let us give the preference to local men. Buy our goods in Belleville, as it were."

Mr. T. Manley said: "I was low figure here on the first tender. I pay \$11,900 a year taxes." He contended that Mr. Allen had given a second figure.

"I have the equipment and can do the work for \$10,000 cheaper than any other contractor. All I want is British fair play, and I want it and I'm going to have it."

"Show cause," says Mr. Manley. "Show cause," he said to the Chairman of the Board, Mr. A. McGie, for turning down his tender, the lowest, \$8,000 down.

"We don't have to show cause," said Chairman McGie. "I'll find out," shouted Mr. Manley. "I can see the whole thing. You will tell the whole thing before it is done," declared Mr. Manley, starting to walk out. He was prevailed upon to walk out.

High School Salaries. The High School staff asked the Board of Education to consider the adoption of the salary minimum of \$2,900 per annum and of the adoption of maximum salaries with graduated annual increases until they are reached. This was referred.

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cur regular employment before that date, the school attendance officers are not to compel their attendance at school. The new act will ultimately keep all children at school until the age of 16 years. This statement was made in a letter from Inspector H. J. Clarke.

Night Classes. This year's classes at the Night School are the most successful in its history, according to Principal MacLaurin.

Mrs. Vosper, of the High School staff, notified the Board that she would not ask for re-engagement for next year.

Mrs. M. A. Phillips wrote the Board regarding a fence, pupils of the Pine Street school having the habit of running over her lawn.

Miss Mary E. McIntosh requested leave of absence from May 24th to the end of the term to allow her to visit Europe. Her request was referred to the School Management Committee.

The members present were A. McGie, Chairman, N. D. MacFadyen, H. W. Ackerman, John Elliott, Thomas Marshall, W. R. McCreary, Hope McGinnis, Harry Pringle, C. M. Reid, F. Sharpe, D. V. Sinclair, J. A. Higgs, W. B. Riggs, J. A. B. bridge and Dr. O. A. Marshall.

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Trustee McCreary by His Guns. "I for one am going to stand by my guns," was the attitude of Mr. W. R. McCreary. A week ago the only tender lower than the Carswell Co. was Mr. Manley. Mr. Allen's first tender for \$133,000. He cut this to \$123,000. The cut, he did not think, was warranted by lowering of the cost of materials and labor.

How \$10,000 Reduction Occurred. Mr. L. E. Allen, addressing the Board, stated that while he had been engaged in undertakings outside Belleville, he preferred to work in the city. He had been associated with the firm of William I. Bishop of Montreal, contractors. This firm had checked his figures. He explained the drop in prices in the past three weeks. There will be further drop in prices in the next few months. He anticipated these reductions in his later tender.

The contracting situation is rotten in the country and he thought the price safe.

Mr. J. Allen representing the John Lewis Co., suggested that a local firm get the contract, as if an outsider got it, no local plumbing and heating firm would get a chance at the job. His company would rather be responsible to the Board alone.

Wasting Time. "I don't purpose attending any more meetings of the Sites, Building and Repairs Committee," said Mr. McCreary. He did not care to waste his time, he declared and upheld the committee's action.

Mr. Reid thought saving \$8,000 for the municipality was worth while.

"I would say, call for new tenders," said Mr. Ackerman.

"Let us have new tenders," added Mr. MacFadyen.

But this amendment to the amendment to call for new tenders lost. "Health sacrificed to Economy?" "The health of the children in that school is being sacrificed to serve economy, and I don't believe it is economy," declared Mr. McCreary.

Architect, Beaumont Jarvis stated that the contractors did not wish to tender again.

Mr. Walter H. Paterson, whose tender, he said, was high, declared he was interested in seeing Mr. Allen get the contract.

The vote was then taken, Mr. Ackerman's amendment to the amendment being lost and Mr. Elliott's carrying.

There have been several narrow escapes of children from motors, said Mr. H. McGinnis, at the Queen Victoria school, and urged the placing of the "Go Slow" motor signs near the schools.

Ex-Mayor Riggs said that it was up to the city to put them up.

Mr. H. Pringle cited what he saw to prove the need of signs.

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Sympathy is extended to Mr. and Mrs. James Cole in the loss of their only son and to Mrs. G. Sywood and family of husband and father. Both families being bereaved within the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Clarke spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. S. Hadgley.

Several farmers are through seeding this spring.

Mr. Jack Locklin of Belleville, called at his sister's, Mrs. Whitfield, on Tuesday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Zenas Palmer of Foxboro, spent Thursday at the home of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Whaley.

Mr. Jesse Martin and daughter of Belleville, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fry on Tuesday last.

A number from this village spent Saturday in Belleville.

Mrs. C. Adams is visiting friends in Corbyville for a few days.

Messrs. Will and Tom Reid spent Friday in Prince Edward visiting their sisters, who have been seriously ill.

Mr. Well, Kilpatrick and Miss Viola Wood spent Sunday last at Moira, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry McCreary, of Latta, spent Sunday in this village.

Mr. James Chambers of West Huntingdon, and Mr. W. Chambers spent Friday in Eldorado with Mr. John Chambers.

Miss Kilpatrick, of Madoc, is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. John Kilpatrick.

Sunday school and church services were well attended on Sunday. Rev. McMullen gave a splendid address.

Mrs. Poucher was presented with a club bag and an ebony set prior to her leaving this neighborhood.

Mr. A. Ashley Miss J. Ashley and mother visited at Mr. Jones' on Sunday.

Mrs. Simpson, Zion, has returned home after spending several months with her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Vandewater.

The stork passed over this neighborhood on Friday and left a fine baby girl at Mr. Bambers'. Congratulations.

Miss Nellie Udy is visiting friends in this community.

The neighbors gathered at the home of Mr. Fairman on Tuesday evening and serenaded Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Brownson, who were quietly married at the parsonage the same evening. After some hesitation, the happy couple appeared and responded nobly to the demands of the serenaders.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Phillips, of Hamilton, are visiting friends in this neighborhood for a time.

Misses Mae and Grace Brickman returned home on Monday after visiting their friend, Miss Keltha McDonald, Point Anne.

Mrs. Clifford Peck was in town on Friday.

Miss Mae Brickman and Miss Marion Allison attended church at Albany on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Knox, of Victoria, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Rae Weese.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hall entertained company on Sunday.

Rev. L. M. Sharpe took tea at Mr. F. Crocker on Sunday evening.

Mr. John Garbutt was in Belleville on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hall called at Mr. David Rose's on Sunday night.

McINTOSH BROS. SPRING 1921 SNAPPY BARGAINS

NOW IS THE TIME TO SELECT YOUR SPRING NEEDS. OUR NEW STOCK IS COMPLETE AND PRICES EXCEPTIONALLY REASONABLE.

SCARFS: Ladies extra wide, fine, all wool scarfs. Just the thing for spring to take the place of a sweater. Two sizes, \$2.50 & \$4.25. TIES: Handsome assortment of Knitted and Broad end ties, 50c to \$1.00. SOCKS: Just in a large quantity of men's black cotton socks to be sold at \$1.00. SHIRTING: Heavy Rock Fast Drill Shirting, black and white stripe, special 3 yds for \$1.00. GINGHAMS and CHAMBRAYS: A splendid assortment of new Gingham and Chambrays at yard.



DRESSES: Children's Print and Gingham dresses to clear at .30c. UNDERSKIRTS: Just in a large shipment of ladies' underskirts, all traveler's samples including Silks, Satins, Sateens, Floral Patterns and also plain sateens, values up to \$7.50. While they last, \$1.50. CORSETS: Ladies' P. C. Corsets in all sizes, prices ranging from \$1.00 to \$1.25, \$1.75 up to \$4.00. CORSET WAISTS: Children's corset waists, all sizes from 2 to 14, to clear at 50 and 59c.



McINTOSH BROS.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Walt and little Vera visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Kennedy, on Sunday.

House cleaning is the order of the day for the women.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Carter and Master Lorne visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Rose on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Foster called on Mr. Daniel Wickett on Sunday afternoon.

Miss Ferne Morton visited her friend, Miss Mabel Snider, on Friday.

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Miss Mabel Snider visited her friend, Miss Ferne Morton for the week end.

Mrs. Jay Ross and baby, of Belleville, visited friends in our village on Monday.

Mrs. Nell Davis and daughter Helen visited at the home of Mrs. Wilnot Rose on Tuesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Prontice, also Mrs. J. C. MacFarlane, called at the home of Mr. Daniel Wickett's on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Hetherington and Muriel left on Wednesday for Flinton. They expect to be gone some time.

Mrs. Will Gownell called on Mrs. Will Cook on Wednesday afternoon.

Quite a number attended the surprise party at Mr. and Mrs. Kelly's, Madoc Road, on Thursday evening.

Among the many showers of the past week was a kitchen shower held at Mr. Wallace Brown's on Friday evening last in honor of their youngest daughter, Myrtle, who is soon to enter the bonds of matrimony.

There was a large crowd present and the presents were numerous and many of them expensive. The evening was spent in music and games.

Mrs. E. Abbott and sons, Frank and Howard, spent Sunday guests of her daughter, Mrs. C. Johnson.

Miss Helen Walker, of Hoard's, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Sanford Anderson.

LATE MRS. WOODCOCK.

Relatives and friends of the late Mrs. N. A. Woodcock, of this city, attested their sympathy by the following floral tributes:

Gates Ajar—Husband and Mother.

Anchor—Stanley Hadley and Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Dettlor.

Wreaths—Mr. and Mrs. George Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Evans, B. of L. F. & E. No. 66, Mrs. Wheeler and daughter.

Broken circle—Quinte Lodge of Ladies' Society, B. of L. E.

Sheaves—Mr. and Mrs. C. Meagher, Mr. and Mrs. Wannamaker, Mr. and Mrs. Booth, Mr. Earnest Fleming, Mrs. Ransom, Mrs. Denika, Mr. and Mrs. Easton, Mr. and Mrs. Dell Farnham, Mr. and Mrs. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. T. Crosier, Mr. and Mrs. Young, Mr. and Mrs. Farnell.

Sprays—Frances and Jack Walsh, the Misses Walton, Mr. B. C. Wilkinson, Mr. and Mrs. T. Whalen, Mr. and Mrs. Shoener, John and Samuel Symons, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Skinner, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Jones, Mrs. Jackson and family, Jennie and Berdine Canning, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Turney, Mrs. F. Trow, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Ridley, Mr. and Mrs. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Pierce.

INQUEST ON BABE TONIGHT. The inquest into the death of the infant whose decomposed body was found some weeks ago in a shed on Pinnacle street, will be resumed this evening before Coroner Boyce.

Col. Biggar rules ballot boxes not to be opened till May 4th unless both parties agree.

Glen Rawlings, Lake Road, has sold his farm of 120 acres to Newton Moody for \$10,000.

Mr. and Mrs. Hanson had quite a number of visitors to see the twin babies, boy and girl.

Mr. W. Sine has his barn almost completed.

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