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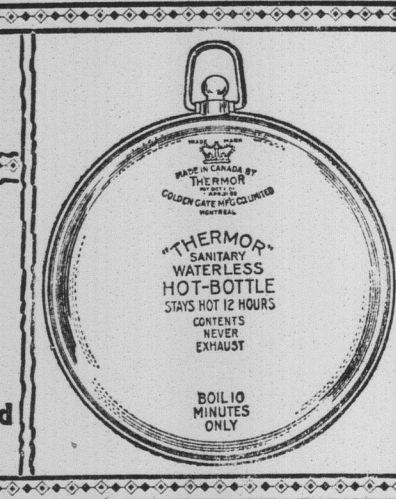
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SOCIAL SERVICE RESOLUTIONS

Series Adopted by Congress in Halifax Covering Matters of Importance

The following series of resolutions were adopted by the Social Service Congress in Halifax last week:

Amendments to Criminal Code

This Nova Scotia Social Service Congress earnestly calls upon the Dominion government to introduce legislation at this session of parliament amending the criminal code:

(1) Making adultery a crime.

(2) Raising the age of consent in sections 301 and 211 from fourteen to eighteen and sixteen to twenty-one respectively.

(3) Removing the limitation to "shops, stores, mills and factories," in the section protecting women employees against seduction by employers.

(4) Providing for adequate penalties against any stepfather who seduces or debauches a step-daughter.

(5) Making the business of procuring betting or gambling criminal without limitation or exception.

Women's Rights

This congress expresses its gratification that the four far western provinces have given the franchise to women on the same terms as to men; urges the government of Nova Scotia to do likewise without delay, and also recognizing the fact that the Dominion government of Canada to give the federal franchise to women in all provinces that have given them the provincial franchise.

Federal Board of Health

That it is our very strong conviction that a dominion board of health should be immediately organized by the federal authorities, with power to co-operate with provincial boards of health in their work, including the dealing with venereal and other social diseases.

Women's Work

That legislation should be enacted by the provincial legislature that will ensure to women a living wage and sanitary conditions in the places where they labor. We further express our conviction that female workers should receive equal remuneration with male workers for equal service.

Sex Education

Recognizing the supreme importance of training our youth in regard to sex relations, the social evil and diseases pertaining to the same, and also recognizing the inability and unwillingness of many parents to give this training, this congress recommends that the council of public instruction take steps to have the same teaching given in the public schools either by the teachers or by a staff appointed by the board, as is done in Ontario, or by whatever methods is deemed most advisable.

Child Welfare

This social service congress recognizing the vital importance of child welfare in all its aspects, resolves:

"That the provincial government be and is hereby urged to request:

(a) To increase the per capita grant for delinquent and neglected children to at least \$4 per week.

(b) To enter into conference with the governments of the other maritime provinces with a view to making adequate and immediate provision for the care of the feeble-minded, especially of feeble-minded females of the child-bearing age.

(c) To provide the superintendent of neglected and delinquent children with a staff sufficient to properly supervise the work of his department, including inspection and probation work.

(d) To arrange for the bringing of the juvenile delinquents' act into force throughout the province and make provision for the necessary homes and probation officers.

Conservation and Development of Water Power

This congress urges the provincial government to appoint a commissioner to investigate the possibilities for the economic and social benefit of the whole people of Nova Scotia of the harnessing for the generation of electric energy for light, power and transportation purposes in rural as well as urban communities, of all the water powers of the province as has already been done in other provinces.

Welfare of Soldiers

This congress urgently appeals to the imperial government on behalf of the men who have offered themselves for the service of king and country, that they

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Federal Prohibition

This congress declares itself in favor of the immediate putting into effect of federal prohibition of the liquor traffic.

Patronage

This Nova Scotia social service congress urges the provincial and federal governments to abolish altogether the patronage system, placing all appointments in the hands of a commission to be made on a basis of merit and efficiency only. This congress also heartily commends the honorable minister of railways for directing that the government railways be run on a business basis for or refusing to allow even the most influential followers to interfere in the interests of party patronage.

Boy Scout Notes

His Excellency the Duke of Devonshire, as Chief Scout has approved the following awards:

A Wiltman of Kenora, Ont., who rescued a boy from drowning. Wiltman, thirteen years of age, rescued a lad of nine, who had slipped off some logs into the water.

A gift medal of merit to Scout Clifford Upham of Vancouver of the 1st B. C. Sea Scouts, who rescued a boy from drowning. The lad had gone under twice and would surely have been drowned if it had not been for quick action on the part of Upham.

A letter of commendation from the chief scoutmaster to Scoutmaster Ernest Shiman of Toronto, who brought to shore the body of a little girl who had been drowned, and notified the proper authorities.

A Boy Scout is also taught first aid, and this particular proficiency badge stands high on the list of the Scout's accomplishments. Other badges of service are the Airmen's badge, which includes the rescue of animals and how to provide ropes and jumping stunts.

For the Missioner's badge a scout must have an elementary knowledge of sick nursing, invalid cooking, sick room attendance, bed making and ventilation, ability to help the aged and infirm and have a general knowledge of health and sanitation.

The Rescuer's badge requires a boy to perform his method of rescue and three of release in water, the drowning subject in rescue methods, ability to help the aged and infirm and have a general knowledge of health and sanitation.

The Scout's badge is also given to a scout who is able to work the rocket apparatus. To earn this badge a boy must swim fifty yards with clothes on and be able to undress in the water.

Must be able to swim without clothes one hundred yards on the breast stroke and fifty yards on the back with hands either clasped on the arms or folded in front of the body. Must be able to dive from the surface in the water about six feet and pick up small objects from the bottom.

One cannot doubt the service ability of a scout who is proficient in any one of these badges.

Handicrafts for Boy Scouts

"Training them in habits of observation, obedience and self-reliance—teaching them services useful to the public and handicrafts useful to themselves." Such is a portion of the aims of the Boy Scouts Association, as effecting its members, and with such aims in mind the rules and regulations of the association were drafted; with such aims in mind provision was made for the awarding of badges for efficiency in handicrafts. The aim was to make the training complementary to the school walls to the scholastic training within the school.

Airman Badge

Everything possible is done to stimulate interest in these badges. For instance, in connection with the Airman Badge, the scout is asked to make a working model of an aeroplane or dirigible that will fly at least twenty-five yards. There are in the homes of Canadian scouts many excellent models.

Basket Worker

It is not an easy matter to weave a basket, but with patience and care Boy Scouts have become quite expert in the manufacture of baskets of every description. Then, too, they have learned to weave cane seats for stools, rush seats for chairs, raffia trays, etc. Their training in this respect goes still further, for they are required to have a general knowledge of the raw material used in the manufacture of each article.

Metal Worker

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Leather Worker

A general knowledge of leather and leather goods is necessary before a scout can wear the Leather Worker's badge. The candidate must be able to sole and heel a pair of boots, and generally repair boots and shoes. He must be able to dress a saddle, repair traces, etc., and know the various parts of harness.

"The Wolf Cub"

The Wolf Cub, a bright, snappy sixteen page periodical, founded by Lieut.-Gen. Sir Robert Baden-Powell in the interests of the Wolf Cubs of Great Britain, has made its first appearance. If the first number is any indication of what is to follow the Cubs will look forward eagerly to each issue.

It is full of snappy, interesting and instructive articles and stories. There is a corner where the editor and the Cubs have little chats together. Then there is a page of tips for the guidance of boys who are interesting themselves in handicrafts. Altogether it is a noteworthy magazine.

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son, 965; Havelock H. Warman, 959; Murdoch Macdon, 871.

Ward one—A. Cavour Chapman, 299; P. A. Belliveau, 286; P. D. Ayer, 194.

Ward two—J. E. Wetmore, 837; Chas. W. Milton, 840; Joseph J. Bourgeois, 287.

Ward three—David Steeves, 829; Alexander J. Curran, 809; Benjamin Tuckey, 281; Harley G. Steeves, 244.

At the meeting of the electors in City Hall this evening, Sheriff Willett presiding, short addresses were given by Capt. Masters, H. H. Warman, F. C. Robinson, A. C. Chapman, J. E. Wetmore, C. W. Milton, David Steeves and A. J. Curran.

Result of voting was as follows:

For mayor—J. E. Masters, 890; J. B. Toombs, 706.

Alderman-at-large—Frank C. Robinson.

At a meeting of the council tomorrow morning the new mayor and aldermen will be sworn in.

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1 only Hudson Seal Coat, bust 40 in., length 45 in., sable collar, fancy grey lining. Regular \$210.00. For \$170.00

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