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WILL BE RECEIVED AT NEIL COOPER'S auction room, 241 Dundas street, for stock of jewelry and fixtures valued at $2,500; also for the premises situated at Ailsa Craig: a first-class business stand with a bench business of $1,000 per year already worked up. No other jewelry business in the town. Stock sheet at NEIL COOPER'S, or at Mr. BROWNLEY'S at Ailsa Craig. 62c txt

BOOTH PRIVILEGES FOR RAILROAD teamsters' demonstration will be sold by auction at Queen's Park, Aug. 12, at 7 p.m.; terms cash in advance. A. F. WICKS, secretary. 62c txt

BY AUCTION.

THERE WILL BE SOLD IN REAR OF the City Hall on

Friday, Aug. 9, at 10 a.m.,

The privileges of selling fruit in baskets or crates. The spaces allotted will be 8 feet by 15 feet as now numbered.

J. W. JONES, Auctioneer. A. B. POWELL, Ch. No. 3 Com. 65u

He Abstained

And His Principles Secured Him the Position

Of Drill Instructor at the Collegiate Institute.

Assistant English Master at the Collegiate Appointed.

Resolution of Condolence—Fifth Form Muddled—The Requisition for Money Withdrawn.

The question of total abstinence on the part of a high school teacher cut quite a figure in the appointment of a drill instructor to the Collegiate Institute last night. It will be of interest to all future applicants for positions on the teaching staff of London that the little sentence, "I am a total abstainer" was largely instrumental in securing an appointment. The discussion on this matter was interesting, as showing how the smell of liquor on an applicant's breath may lose him the position he seeks.

Chairman Blackwell presided, and the trustees present were: Logan, Campbell, Hunt, Turner, Sanders, Martin, Wilkins, Buchner, Anderson, Craig, Keenleyside, Murphy, Griffin, Johnston, Stephenson, Jeffery, and Principal Merchant.

Principal W. F. May, of King street school, has received an appointment to the Mitchell high school, and wrote from Grand Bend resigning his position.

Miss Macpherson asked leave to attend the Normal School. Granted.

A large number of applications for positions on the teaching staff were received and sent to committee.

MR. CARSON'S RECOMMENDATION

1. That Miss Carrie Fleming, who has returned from the Normal School, be placed in charge of the vacant second book room in Simcoe street school.

2. That Miss Bertha Graham be transferred from the transition class in Princess avenue school to the second book class in the same school, in place of Miss Macpherson, who is to attend the Normal School.

3. That Miss Sale be transferred from the transition class in Lorne avenue to the transition class in Princess avenue.

4. That Miss Beattie be transferred from the transition class in St. George's school to the Part I. class in Lorne avenue, in place of Miss Minnie Laidlaw, who is to attend the Normal School.

5. That Miss Giddens be appointed to take charge of the transition class in St. George's school until Miss Beattie returns after Christmas.

6. That Miss McKee be transferred from the transition class in Rectory street to the Part II. class, in place of Miss Ince, who is to attend the Normal School.

7. That Miss Cullen be appointed to take charge of the senior class in Waterloo south school, in place of Miss McNaughton, who is to attend the Normal School.

8. That Miss Hardey be appointed to the transition class in Colborne street until Christmas.

9. That Miss Auld or Miss Minnie Graham be appointed to take charge of Miss Sutton's class while she is attending the Normal School.

10. If the services of Miss Munroe can be obtained I would strongly recommend that her name be substituted for Miss Bertha Graham's in clause 2, and that Miss Bertha Graham's name be substituted for Miss Auld's and Miss Minnie Graham's in clause 9.

Referred to No. 1 committee.

No. 2 committee's report recommended the payment of accounts amounting to $190 06.

That the claim of John Taylor, which was $47, had been settled for $15.

That tenders for repairs in several schools be accepted as follows: Kalsomining and painting, George Howe; fencing at Park street, Dunn & Dunlop; sidewalks at Simcoe street, M. Inwood. Report adopted.

DRILL INSTRUCTOR APPOINTED.

There were ten applicants for the vacant position of drill instructor at the Collegiate Institute. The applications, testimonials, photographs, etc., made quite a respectable bundle as they lay on the table. Following are the names, addresses and salaries expected by the applicants:

E. D. Griffith, city	$500
W. A. McCrimmon, city	500
Allan B. Shantz, Walkerton	800
C. S. B. Athewas, Hamilton	700
W. G. Wright, Collingwood	700
Murray Anderson, city	600
C. A. Botsford, Brockville	450
John J. Brown, city	400
Gordon Boles, Chatham	480
A. E. Lennox, city	600

No. 1 committee recommended that the application of W. A. McCrimmon, city, be accepted.

Trustee Griffin moved that the matter be referred back for further consideration.

TOTAL ABSTINENCE.

Mr. Sanders said that the committee had weeded the applications, leaving only the local men under consideration. Mr. Sanders went over the different points of each application, and said that Mr. McCrimmon's strongest recommendation was his own statement in his letter that he was a total abstainer.

Then Trustee Anderson held that it was only fair that the other applicants should be sounded to see whether they also were not teetotalers.

Trustee Jeffery moved in amendment that G. W. Wright, of Collingwood, be given the appointment, as he was the only aplicant who had had practical experience with that class of work.

"One of the other applicants," said Mr. Jeffery, "had the smell of liquor on him, and the question was whether he was the sort of man we wanted to teach the boys and girls at the Collegiate Institute."

Trustee Griffin would not support the amendment, because he did not go in for importations.

MR. MURPHY'S REASONS.

As the mover of the motion in committee to appoint Mr. McCrimmon, Trustee Murphy made the following explanation: "I made the motion principally because he was a city man, and a most valuable man. Another matter that was considered in his favor was that he stated himself that he was a total abstainer. I think if anything would be a recommendation to a man going among boys at the high school, it would be a recommendation as a total abstainer. One man had the best testimonials before the board, but there is a suspicion that he is not a temperance man—at least, that he is a man that drinks, and I would consider that a man who drinks—no matter how good he may be—is not a fit man to go among the boys at the Collegiate Institute. These were the grounds on which I moved Mr. McCrimmon's appointment.

THE COMMITTEE UPHELD.

Mr. Griffin—What guarantee have we got that Mr. Wright does not drink?

Chairman Blackwell—We have no guarantee from any of them—only their word.

Trustee Logan moved that John Brown be appointed. It was true that he did not know gymnastics—neither did Mr. McCrimmon. The latter's father had told the speaker that he knew nothing about gymnastics, but that he could read it up in one night.

It was finally decided to place the names of the three Londoners interested and Mr. Wright before the board and take an open vote. The result justified the committee's selection. The vote:

John Brown	9	10	7
W. A. McCrimmon	12	12	10
Col.-Sergt. Griffith	11	7	
G. W. Wright	4		

The division on the final vote was as follows:

Brown—Logan, Turner, Sanders, Anderson, Craig, Keenleyside, Blackwell—7.

McCrimmon—Campbell, Hunt, Martin, Wilkins, Murphy, Griffin, Buchner, Johnston, Stevenson and Jeffery—10.

THOSE ERRORS EXPLAINED.

No. 1 committee recommended:

That a third room be opened in the Waterloo south building for the accommodation of a class from Simcoe street school during the model school term. The errors in the examination paper used at the recent examinations for grade 4 were caused by an oversight in reading the proof; and the committee accepted the explanation of the examiner as satisfactory. That C. W. Horton, Cobourg (a Midlesex man), be appointed to fill the position of assistant English master at the Collegiate rendered vacant by the resignation of Mr. Porter; salary to be $900 per annum. Should Mr. Horton not accept, that Mr. Norman, of Ingersoll, be appointed. The report was adopted.

A FEW MOVES.

Trustee Griffin moved that Mr. Latta, of the Simcoe street school, be placed in charge of the King street school, rendered vacant by the resignation of W. F. May. The motion carried, and Trustee Johnston moved that Mr. W. R. Manning be appointed to the position at the Simcoe street school, rendered vacant by the advancement of Mr. Latta. Mr. U. A. Buchner seconded.

Trustee Griffin moved that F. Bryant be appointed. Mr. Anderson seconded.

The motion was finally referred to No. 1 committee.

FIFTH FORM MUDDLE.

Trustee Hunt moved that the test for entrance to the fifth, or commercial, form, be the high school entrance examination, or any pupil in the senior fourth whom the inspector or the principals feel fit to recommend.

Trustee Jeffery moved, seconded by Mr. Anderson, that the examination be similar to the examination for the fourth form work.

Trustee Buchner moved that the matter be referred to No. 1.

It came out that the fifth form, which it is proposed to establish after the holidays, did away with the high school entrance classes at the Princess avenue and Aberdeen schools.

"And where do they go?" asked Mr. Logan, in alarm.

"To the other nearest school," replied the secretary.

"That's a rotten way," commented Mr. Logan. "I don't think the members understand that—especially the members in the Fourth. I think it is ridiculous. The trustees must have been off their base that night."

Trustee Anderson—I must plead ignorance myself. I thought that the principals of each school taught the work.

Finally the chairman ruled the whole matter out, as No. 1 committee is already engaged in the formation of a curriculum.

CONDOLENCE.

Trustee Jeffery moved a resolution of condolence with the parents of the late Miss Flo Pococke, teacher in the Simcoe street school. Both the mover and the seconder—Mr. Craig—paid a glowing tribute to the sterling worth and integrity of the deceased, and her untiring labors in connection with the staff.

The trustees carried the resolution by a unanimous standing vote.

Trustee Jeffery succeeded in having a motion carried making it necessary to supply extra seats where the rooms are crowded.

On motion of Trustee Martin, No. 2 committee will consider the question of additional room in the Waterloo street south school.

AFTER THE FIFTH FORM.

Trustee Logan gave notice of motion to have the matter of fifth form reconsidered, and that the clause instituting the same be expunged from the minutes. Another motion was also given by Mr. Logan to reconsider all resolutions as to salaries.

FIGHT FOR SALARY INCREASE.

Trustee Logan moved, seconded by Dr. Campbell, that Mr. Bryant, principal of Princess avenue school, receive $900 salary instead of $700.

Trustee Jeffery held that there were no funds. There would be an overdrawn bank account if the board kept on.

Chairman Blackwell ruled that there were no funds.

The board appealed from the ruling, and the motion again carried, and Trustee Jeffery took the point that the motion was out of order until reported on by the audit committee.

Chairman Blackwell held the point well taken.

A motion to adjourn by Trustee Jeffery was then lost.

Trustee Stephenson moved to suspend the rule to allow of the passage of the motion.

Trustee Logan harangued the chair, saying it was not right that he, when the majority of the members had so voted, should block their wishes.

Chairman Blackwell said that he had been getting into warm places lately on account of the way the board spent money, and their memory lingered with him still. As ordinary trustee he could vote and be free from general criticism, while as chairman he was roundly abused for the same vote.

Finally the rule was suspended, and Mr. Bryant's salary increased on the folowing division: Yeas—Logan, Hunt, Campbell, Turner, Martin, Sanders, Buchner, Anderson, Keenleyside, Griffin, Johnston, Stephenson and Blackwell—13. Nays—Craig and Jeffery—2.

A CLOSING SCENE.

Trustee Buchner moved: That, whereas it has been made to appear to this board that the municipal council of the city of London are not in a position to provide funds for the erection of public school buildings in the city during the present year: therefore, be it resolved, that all requisitions before the said council for funds for the purpose of erecting public schools be withdrawn.

Trustee Martin seconded.

In speaking to this motion, Mr. Buchner intimated that the council had taken the action it did because of the personal feeling exhibited by one of the members of the board, who opposed the expenditure because he could not get what he wanted.

"That appears to be a drive at me," said Mr. Griffin, who wants a new school at Colborne street. It was a contemptible insult, he continued to say that it was done in spite.

The motion carried.

The board then adjourned.