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SOCIAL SERVICE WORK IN BRANTFORD WILL BE WELL LOOKED AFTER THIS WINTER

Meeting Was Held Last Night in the City Hall—Co-operation of All Was Keynote of Gathering—Frank Cockshutt President.

The Social Service League, which will take up charitable work in its broadest sense was launched last night at a splendidly representative meeting held in the Y. M. C. A. auditorium. The new organization, which is really the old Associated Charities under a new cognomen, was formally given its status and will work in conjunction with the whirlwind campaign to be conducted by the Patriotic Committee for the raising of some \$50,000.

Officers Elected. Mayor Spence was elected as Honorary President, and Mr. Frank Cockshutt was proclaimed president and as such took the chair. Mr. A. McFarland was chosen First Vice-President and Mr. T. H. Preston as second vice-president, while Harvey T. Watt was appointed Secretary-Treasurer.

Constitution. The constitution is the same as was published in the Spring and the whole will be under the control of a Board of Management, which will be selected one delegate from each of the societies who are affiliated to the Society. An organizing committee was appointed and was as follows: Mesdames, T. H. Preston, W. C. Livingston, Digby, T. L. Wood, W. H. Whittaker and Cummings. They will have power to add to their number should they deem it necessary. The fee for membership is one dollar.

Rev. G. A. Woodside. In opening the meeting the Reverend G. A. Woodside said he was pleased to greet such a fine gathering and briefly he went into the details of the proposed organization. They believed in preventative charity and not curative charity; they would aim by amalgamation to prevent any overlapping and also prevent indiscriminate charity. They were to be charitable in the broadest sense of the word, and the new name would enable many to mistake of the benefits of the society, who would have previously refused because of the aspect of charity. They would seek to give men employment and thereby get away with the root of charity. A committee had been got together which was one of large interest and influence, and one which would help with sympathy as well as financially.

The character and constitution of the society would remain unchanged, but the name would be in future Social Service League. This was passed by those present unanimously.

Rev. A. E. Lavell. Rev. A. E. Lavell said that from previous experience, he was conscious that a good and appropriate committee had been selected. There were others that might be as good but not improved upon. Paragraphs of the constitution might be taken out and altered, but he asked that the committee report stand as it was. Criticisms might be made but he trusted that whatever criticism was offered, was constructive. He desired to see

the thing go through, as they were right up against the actual work of the society now.

As chairman of the nominating committee, Mr. Lavell said it was felt that in such a city as Brantford, the body might grow too unwieldy for action and therefore it was decided that the executive be formed of as small a body as possible. That was the reason that only one representative from each society associated, had been allowed upon the committee.

Kind Offers. Mr. Woodside announced that a nurse who was a graduate of Montreal hospital offered her services to the association free of cost during the coming winter.

Mayor Spence then informed the meeting that the Ladies' Junior Hospital Aid had also offered their services to the association during the winter.

The Women's Patriotic Society announced that they were willing to help any way they could and would readily accept all they could in the matter of clothing, etc.

Mayor Spence. Mayor Spence said that he thought with proper organization there would not be a great deal of trouble in raising \$50,000. A meeting of the patriotic committee had met in the Y. M. C. A. when an organization was effected which would carry through a whirlwind campaign. Co-operation with this committee was suggested and from amongst which he and others had made in Hamilton it was found that co-operation by the two was to the interests of both and the delegates were much encouraged by the information they had received.

The question of Old Home Week representatives upon the board was touched upon and it was unanimously decided to allow that body three representatives upon the board and Messrs. D. J. Waterous, J. J. Kelly and F. J. Calbeck were accepted.

Mrs. George Watts then announced that she was present to give the fees of the Junior Hospital Aid and Women's Patriotic Society.

The President, newly elected, was then called upon and he thanked them then explained at length the objects and aims of the Social Service League, dwelling upon the charitable and unemployment sides of this service.

He also dealt upon the ladies' side of the work, whom he referred to as the queen of the home, touching upon their aptitude for sympathetic work.

An employment bureau might be established where a man might be put in charge who was in touch with the citizens. A home might be established where a man could get a cheap meal and a cheap bed. As to finances

the churches would contribute while a city grant would be expected. The league was quite willing to work in harmony with the wishes of the Old Home Week representatives. As to the establishing of a central dispensing place where the whole of the charities of the city might be dealt with. That was for the city to deal with. It was not for the league to suggest in any way.

The only remedy for all distress was not charity. Charity was a means of relief, it was not a cure. The remedy was work and our employers might do their part. Manufacturers might get their selling agents to work, but there was no doubt of it, a man could not make when he was not selling. Householders too could help in the unemployment question by attending to the small jobs around their homes. It was a time for solid thought. Let the league be an efficient instrument in the dispensation of the work in which it was concerned. He was sorry he could not do the subject justice, but he would ask the co-operation of all present.

Mr. T. H. Preston spoke briefly and complimented the members of the league on their selection of a president. He thought the change of name was one of the wisest and thanked the members for his election.

Mr. McFarland spoke briefly of the objects of the society and thanked those present for his election.

The Mayor asked that the meeting endorse the action of the Patriotic society in raising funds for the wives and dependents of the soldiers and with enthusiasm this was done.

Valuable Suggestion. At the conclusion of the meeting the Mayor stated that a new cement road was being constructed between Toronto and Hamilton and he thought that with the aid of intermediate centres between Hamilton and Brantford it would be possible to have the road extended to Brantford. He asked all to work for this project in as much as if it went through work could immediately be commenced upon the Brantford end of this construction thus giving work to many men now unemployed.

This suggestion was very heartily received.

COLLEGIATE BOARD

Account for County Pupils' Attendance is Still a Live Question.

The Collegiate School Board met last night, when a rather lengthy session resulted, principally caused by various items of accounts and the county account being discussed.

Some discussion was manifest when the county account, which has not yet been presented, was under review. The pros and cons of the situation were dealt with and some of the board were in favor of refusing the county pupils admission to the school, so unsatisfied did they feel with the account. Eventually the matter was left over.

The accounts passed amounted to over \$500. Four new teachers were included in the report of the school committee, namely: Miss Mary W. Martin, at a salary of \$1500; R. Goring, at \$1200; C. T. Bell and S. J. Devitt, at salaries of \$1300.

Miss McCallum, who has been absent from duties for a year, reported and was enrolled upon the staff once again.

Miss Ryan was promoted from the commercial classes to be modern teacher, while Miss Mary Good will take the position vacated by Miss Ryan.

The attendance at the school this year has broken all records, and the average number of scholars attending is 440.

Those present were Chairman Lahey, E. Sweet, R. E. Ryerson, Gary, Pickles, W. Scace, Dr. Palmer and Principal Burt.

ARE ON GUARD

Twenty From Dufferin Rifles Were Picked Out at Valcartier.

[By Special Wire to The Courier]

VALCARTIER, Sept. 12.—Twenty of the smartest men in Valcartier Camp were required to go on a four days' guard at the big pumping station here. For this work, only wide awake soldiers are required, as the lives of the troops would be endangered if the water were tampered with. The whole of the two men were picked from the 38th, Dufferin Rifles and when they paraded, ready to start, they looked "just so" in their new brown boots, khaki greatcoats and armed with new Ross Rifles. Considering that they were only given about half an hour's notice to get supper, wash, shave and pack their kit, this is certainly doing some.

FAREWELL SOCIAL. The members of the church and congregation attending Park Baptist church will hold a farewell social for their pastor, Rev. C. V. Rose, on Wednesday evening of next week. It is hoped that all who can will attend.

Hon. Dr. Pyne severely wrenched his knee in a fall from a street car step in Toronto.

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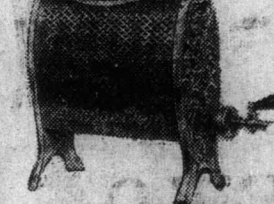
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