

KING EDWARD MEMORIAL FUND

WHAT THE FUND MEANS

- (1) Conducted under Royal sanction of King George and Queen Alexandra.
- (2) Money is required to provide accommodation for the many needy consumptives seeking admission to the Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives and Toronto Free Hospital. The Toronto M.H.O. says there are 1,000 cases of consumption under supervision in Toronto. 222 are being cared for in the hospitals of the N.S.A.
- (3) The institutions to be benefited are: (a) Muskoka Cottage Sanatorium, (b) Muskoka Free Hospital, (c) Toronto Free Hospital, (d) Queen Mary Hospital for Tuberculous Children, so named by gracious permission of her Majesty Queen Mary.
- (4) The work is national, patients being admitted to the Muskoka Institution from anywhere in the Dominion.
- (5) Consumption is a menace to every citizen, emphasizing the importance of every citizen having some part in wiping it out. The King Edward Memorial Fund provides the opportunity.

"THE KING EDWARD MEMORIAL FUND TO END CONSUMPTION IN CANADA."

Ready for Anything

Mr. Alf H. Downing, an ex-patient of the Muskoka Hospital, writing to the Physician-in-Chief, says: "Received your letter forwarded from Brownsville on 7th inst. I might say that I have taken up my trade of butchering since leaving the Sanatorium. Am in business now at Port Elgin. Am on the road all the time in all kinds of weather. Can get out and drive cattle with any man, and am thankful to say have had no return of my old trouble in any form. Weigh all the time at from 180 to 185. You will find enclosed my report. You can use it on this letter or any portion of it or my name, either publicly, privately or in any way you see fit. Please find enclosed P.O. order for \$5.00 for Free Hospital."

Care of Patients

What Government Inspector Dr. R. Bruce Smith says:

"At my inspection I saw all the patients and noted the provision made for their comfort. The beds and bedding, on account of the open air treatment to which the patients are subjected, have to be of the best, and are warm and comfortable. The furnishings in all the buildings were found very satisfactory. The appearance of the patients is cheerful and contented, and the hopeful expressions heard are the best indication that they receive careful and considerate treatment."

557 Free Patients in the Hospitals, N.S.A., Last Year.



KING EDWARD VII

"Every man among you who has saved a quarter from out of his earnings, in order to help the ladies and gentlemen who are endeavoring, by providing Hospitals, Sanatoria, etc., to conquer consumption and to banish it from the land, is following the example of our King, and is making a truly royal gift."—His Excellency Earl Grey.

Would Have To Be Sent Free

A prominent citizen writes: "There is a young lad in our town aged seven years showing the very first signs of consumption, and the doctor who is attending him recommends that he be sent to the Sanatorium. He would have to be sent to the Free Hospital, as his mother says she could not pay more than \$1 per week. They asked me to write to you. Do you think he can be admitted?"

All the Way From Saskatchewan

The following letter is written from Saskatchewan, and tells its own touching tale:

"My husband received a paper from you a few days ago. Will you kindly let me know all particulars? I saw two doctors in Regina, and they told me my lungs were affected. I do so much want to get better, as I have only been married 18 months and have a baby six months old. The doctor told me it was nothing to be alarmed at, and I would improve in a few weeks. We are going to Vancouver, and I would like to get well before going. So will you kindly let me know as soon as possible the charges— if I would have a separate room, etc., also if I could make any arrangements regarding the baby."

Not a single patient has ever been refused admission to the Muskoka Free Hospital because unable to pay.

Christmas Stamps Can Be Used

On all mail matter. Place them on the back of letters and parcels as a seal. This is the order of the Postmaster-General. Use them freely and help bring the amount this year up to \$25,000, as against \$16,000 last year. This is the hope. Help.



Cold weather in Muskoka has no terrors for this crowd. They have learned the value of the fresh air cure.

A TOUCH OF THE CHRISTMAS SPIRIT WILL DO IT

Touched with the Christ spirit that makes Christmas the most joyous season of the whole year one need not fear the outcome of this appeal to help the needy consumptive. Christmas is not Christmas except as one's thoughts—and actions—go out towards others—especially the weak and sick and suffering. Let our thoughts be of others, not of self, and the trustees of the National Sanitarium Association will see the King Edward Memorial Fund rounded out to completion. **EVERYONE CAN HELP.** Ten dollars comes today from the Toronto newsboys. Those hard-working little chaps, who serve the public with undiminished good nature at all times and seasons, have set us all an example to follow. **HELP NOW—TO-DAY.**

Contributions to the King Edward Memorial Fund to end consumption in Canada may be sent to W. J. Gage, Esq., 84 Spadina Avenue, Toronto, or Secretary-Treasurer, National Sanitarium Association, 347 King Street West.



A group of nurses and patients of the Toronto Free Hospital for Consumptives. When the Queen Mary Hospital for Consumptive Children is completed they will become patients there.

YOUTHS GET LONG TERMS IN PRISON

James Latimer and Norman Ryan Sentenced to Kingston For Shooting With Intent.

James Latimer, Norman Ryan and Robert McCue, were arraigned in the county Judge's criminal court yesterday on the charge of shooting with intent to maim John Bell, fruit gardener, Cookeville, on the Dundas road, a few weeks ago. The crown could offer no evidence in the case of McCue, and he was discharged, but Judge Moran convicted the other two.

Ryan, who is 16 years of age, is now serving three years in the penitentiary for burglary, and the Judge for this offence added six months to the term. Latimer was sentenced to three years.

ASK REDUCTION OF NEW LEASE

Company Claims Property Is Not Worth Price Paid Thirty-six Years Ago.

Claiming that property in the vicinity had lessened in value by reason of the business centre of the city moving westward, the Canada Furniture Company, lessees of the old Mammoth House, on the north side of King street east of St. James' Cathedral, and representatives of the Henry Cawthra estate, lessors of the property, submitted their differences to Judge Denton yesterday, for arbitration.

The arbitration was adjourned, and it is hoped that the testimony of two new witnesses will enable the parties to arrive at a settlement.

STORIES CLASHED PERJURY CHARGED

Chicago Man, After Giving Evidence in Dynamite Case, Was Committed to Jail.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Dec. 13.—(Can. Press).—Jail on charges of perjury for Frederick W. Zeiss, Chicago, a union ironworker, the testimony of Thomas Taggart, Democratic national committee man about an explosion, and speeches and reports in which the ironworkers' International Union was accused of approving of the defiance of law in its strike, were developments at the "dynamite conspiracy" trial today.

Zeiss, the second witness for the defence to be held to the federal grand jury on charges of perjury, was a room mate of Orville E. McManigal when McManigal blew up a building in Detroit in June, 1907.

He is charged with not telling the truth before the federal grand jury last winter, when the indictments in the dynamite cases were returned, and with testifying falsely today in an effort to impeach McManigal's confession.

Last winter, the district attorney said, Zeiss asserted McManigal never had confided to him about explosions, which was in accord with what McManigal had said. Today Zeiss testified McManigal not only confided in him, but also offered to "split up" with him if he (Zeiss) would help do the dynamiting.

ALL ABOARD FOR COAST ON C. N. R.

Company Expects to Complete Transcontinental in Eighteen Months—Royal George Seaworthy.

"We hope to be able to shout 'All aboard for Vancouver' at Montreal within eighteen months, and we will naturally have to build more steamships to carry on our business as it will be a complete transcontinental line," said D. B. Hanna, vice-president of the Canadian Northern Railway, who has just returned from Montreal.

"We are now considering," he said, "and considering very seriously our steamship plans, but our exact program has not been decided upon yet. We may be doing, but we are not asleep."

Mr. Hanna, accompanied by Geo. H. Shaw, general traffic manager, was down to Quebec looking over the Royal George.

"The steamer is now seaworthy," said Mr. Hanna, "and is on her way to Halifax. In the drydock there she will be further repaired so as to enable her to cross to Glasgow and get ready for the rush of Canadian immigration in the spring."

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Dec. 13.—One man is missing and eleven persons injured as a result of a fire today which destroyed Library Place, a four-story brick apartment building on the north

side, causing a loss estimated at \$200,000. The man missing is Colonel John Taylor, a civil war veteran.

DELAWARE, O., Dec. 13.—That he smothered to death her two-year-old daughter was the substance of a confession made by John Morrow in the

presence of Mrs. Frank Platt and Sheriff Chilcote of Morrow County in the jail in this city today.

Morrow declared that he was infatuated with Mrs. Platt, forty years his junior, and hoped that she would elope with him if freed of the care of her child.

A meeting of the Athletic Hockey Club, Senior City League, which plays at Victoria Park, is called for Monday, Dec. 16, at 8 o'clock, at the residence of the secretary, 161 Howard Park avenue. Any players desirous of joining are invited to attend.

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