

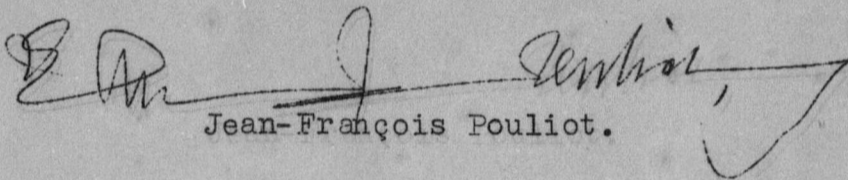
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You declared that "the workers of the nation"-- meaning surely the cleverest members of your C.C.F. group-- "will do a better job with the history of the future than all the politicians of the past did." You added philosophically that "the people had let themselves be diverted from the fundamentals of their existence by many things which were not important to their welfare."

On April 1, I asked you for the trades or previous occupations of the unemployed of your City. On April 16, you gave me their sex. Is it because you were diverted from "the fundamentals of your existence" as Mayor of Windsor, that there was a certain confusion in your mind about the trade and sex of the unemployed of your City? Can one forget that "the history of the future" is made of the present time?

One could say that your first duty would be, as Mayor, to look after the welfare of the unemployed of your own City. As you are apparently one of them and as also you are one of our countrymen, any Member of Parliament would be interested in your own welfare, the more so, because, from 1930 to July 1934, the Dominion Government has paid to the City of Windsor for relief a proportion of \$1,786,515.44 of a total joint expenditure of \$4,006,547.53? Is it not enough to be completely and fully informed on what is going on?

Sincerely yours,


Jean-François Pouliot.

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