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CITIZENS' BANQUET TO MR. ROBERT BRYANS

(Continued from page 6)

latter had always given in public affairs. On the Board of the Ross Memorial Hospital Mr. Bryans had been one of the very helpful members. It was the same with the Agricultural Society and the various public offices in town and county which he had so ably filled. Mr. Bryans was certainly a valuable citizen and his removal was a distinct loss. Mr. Flavelle hoped that the departure of Mr. Bryans was not to be a forerunner of the loss of other valued and experienced citizens. If the town and county were so to lose its public and business men of ripe experience and fully developed and tested powers then such an exodus must certainly be viewed with the gravest alarm. For Mr. Bryans, personally, and for Mrs. Bryans and family, nothing but the greatest good and the fullest prosperity would be wished and that happiness and health might follow them.

Mr. Boxall made a happy "after-dinner" speech that was interesting and amusing. He told in humorous style how he had gradually got to like Mr. Bryans. First, he said, he felt that he could never like that man — Mr. Bryans. With a short acquaintance, however, he changed that opinion to this one — that Mr. Bryans is not such a bad fellow after all. A little further acquaintance and even this view was changed and to-day he respected and admired and esteemed Mr. Bryans to the very full. He believed the town and county were suffering a loss in Mr. Bryans' removal and while this was very apparent, still Lindsay had to be generous — or should be generous enough to rejoice in the gain that Alberta was making of a good citizen, a straight man and an experienced man of business.

OUR MUNICIPAL INSTITUTIONS

In introducing the toast "Our Municipal Institutions," Mayor Beggs made a few brief, but apt remarks. Mr. Bryans had taken an intelligent and able part in the making of the history of the town and county. The town could ill-afford to lose so good a citizen as he had proven himself to be, but he was going to a country where there was room for just such men and there all would wish him the greatest success and the highest prosperity. Coupled with the toast to "Our Municipal Institutions," were the names of Dr. Wood and Dr. A. E. Vrooman, both municipal legislators of experience who knew Mr. Bryans' ability and the public spirit which he had always exhibited.

Dr. Wood, in responding said he had sat with Mr. Bryans in the County Council, and there Mr. Bryans had shown talent and integrity alike. While all would deeply regret his departure from this district, still in wishing to Mr. Bryans and his family a long life of happiness, prosperity and health and all the blessings that a kind Providence and a rich country can give.

Dr. Vrooman in opening aptly turned the tables on Mr. Boxall for his humorous allusions. Dr. Vrooman said that he had known Mr. Bryans for many years, and not only had learned to respect him as a citizen, but he had come to like him as a man. Mr. Bryans was one of those men whom one seemed to warm to — a genial likeable man whose good nature and cheerfulness won hearts and made fast friends. The departure of Mr. Bryans could not be viewed otherwise than as a decided loss and one to be regretted. Mr. Bryans had served the community well in municipal life and so deserved the honors given, and he would be followed by the best wishes of all.

"OUR TOWN AND COUNTRY"

Mr. J. R. McNeillie, the County Clerk and Treasurer, was asked to respond to this toast.

Mr. McNeillie said he hardly expected the full burden of responding to such a large subject should be left to him alone. He felt that he could by no means do justice to so big a theme. He remembered, he said, when Lindsay was not the county town and when Victoria County was a part of Peterborough County. Many years ago, when he was a resident of Omeville, steps had been taken to separate Victoria from the County of Peterborough. The vote taken was favorable to the plan, and the resulting separation had proven very beneficial. He felt sure, to both the County of Victoria and the town of Lindsay. The relations at present existing between the county and the county town were most pleasing and satisfactory. The people of the county felt a pardonable pride in their progressive county town, and the people of Lindsay felt a similar pride in the rich and progressive country by which they were surrounded. Lindsay and the County of Victoria had grown and prospered together. Regarding the guest of the evening, Mr. McNeillie felt he could add little to what had already been expressed so well. If he could in any measure emphasize what had already been said in regard to the usefulness, the upright and the general public spiritedness of Mr. Bryans then he would be content. The undoubted kindness of heart, the true unobtrusive, the ever willing helpfulness of Mr. Bryans had made him loved and respected by all and all regretted the departure of him and his family from the district that they had bettered by their life in it.

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THE LADIES.

To the toast "The Ladies," Mr. E. Weldon made an amusing reply that created laughter and applause unstinted. Mr. Weldon said he used to believe that he should come in with the "Learned Professions." Lately, however, he had decided that he could hardly be called a lawyer for the reason which he gave about as follows: First, there was a valuation of the county by three valuers; this valuation proved unsatisfactory, and he understood there was to be proceedings for equalization of the assessment before the County Judge; the latter, however, struck him as being more in the nature of "proceedings for liquidation." The whole proceedings cost the county about \$5,000 — **AND HE NEVER GOT ONE CENT OF THAT MONEY.** Nearly every other legal light in the town got a slice of that \$5,000, so he felt that perhaps there was something wrong with his standing as a lawyer that made him miss the event. Consequently, he was prepared to attend to the next best thing on the program — the ladies. His description of "The Ladies" proved amusing and entertaining. Mr. Weldon also paid his mark of esteem and respect for Mr. Bryans, and wished him and family joy and prosperity in the west.

AULD LANG SYNE.

In announcing the close of the evening, Mr. S. J. Fox, M.P.P., said he could do little more than heartily endorse all the good words that had been so justly said about the guest of the evening. Everyone regretted the removal of Mr. Bryans from this community where he had so successfully lived and labored for himself and for the community. Everyone, too, would join in wishing Mr. Bryans the best of life in the West, and in hoping that Mr. Bryans would yet return to Lindsay where innumerable friends would be ever ready and anxious to welcome him back.

The company then joined hands and the singing of "Auld Lang Syne" brought to a close the proceedings of the evening.

THROUGH ACCIDENTS.

While Mr. Nottingham spent his first seven years as a sectionman, he was a foreman afterwards until he came to Peterboro. He was foreman of extra gangs, and had extensive experience on ballast trains and snow-plows. During his long active service as a railwayman, Mr. Nottingham has been through accidents of more or less seriousness. He was ditched with a snowplow seven times while working on the Toronto and Nipissing road. Mr. Nottingham bears facial marks to-day received in those accidents, and on one occasion had a very narrow escape from fatal injury.

CONDUCTOR MITCHELL TO RETIRE.

Port Hope Guide.—It is understood that Mr. Charles Mitchell, conductor on the train to-day received in those accidents, and on one occasion had a very narrow escape from fatal injury.

L.C.I. Examination Report

Form III A.—Ancient History. G. Knowlton 72, J. Flavelle 69, E. McDonald 67, F. Callaghan 66, W. Whiteside 61, J. Graham 52, L. Richardson 55, S. Kerr 55, F. Reid 50, D. Lamb 48, J. Parker 48, M. Jordan 46, F. Maund 45, N. Davy 43, C. Graham 40, M. Cinnamon 39, V. Teevin 38, W. Suggitt 37, W. Preston 37, M. Naylor 37, J. Murphy 33, I. Lytle 27, E. Maybee 24, J. O'Connell 16.

III B.—Chemistry. H. Philip 68, W. Knowlton 66, M. Fallis 66, G. Mitchell 64, R. Fallis 61, L. Rogers 60, E. McEachern 54, M. Tolmie 49, M. Brokenshire 48, K. Anderson 47, L. Wood 41, A. Jack 37, R. Wilson 37, L. Koyle 30, R. Flavelle 27, G. Knowlton 27, H. Paterson 23, E. Graham 18, W. Fallis 12, P. Spratt 0.

Bookkeeping—Junior Commercial. H. Hungerford 100, R. Weldon 96, L. Brown 93, J. Kenny 93, A. Brimley 89, R. H. Ackert 75, C. Lamont 72, M. Varcoe 68, V. Laidley 65, G. Wilkinson 60, G. Hutton 60, W. T. Moynes 54, M. Sanderson 51, M. Cary 51, W. Thurston 51, J. Simpson 49, E. Albott 48, G. Koyl 48, R. Rich 44, A. K. Popwood 41, W. M. Mullen 33, M. Ingram 18, Hazel Coad 18, W. Bughshaw 14, J. Coed 14, G. Hutton 0, A. Absent 0, L. Warner 0.

A Nasty Slap

No doubt the Peterboro Review editor had our esteemed cotem in view when writing the following in the dark insinuation. Just what the Review has done to incur the Review's retort is an open question. To an outside observer, however, it would appear as if the Review should confine its attention more to home as it were—the Examiner and Times, for instance. However, the Review says: "An operating for removal of the stomach has made life without stomach, as easy and pleasant as life without an appendix. We have long observed that certain newspaper men whose names need no mention, have been able to live without brains. The same may be said of frogs and geese, but nature has endowed them also with an unusual power of making a noise that sounds like reason."

CHANGES ON THE G.T.R.

FLAGMAN McMAHON RETIRED. — CONDUCTOR MITCHELL TO RETIRE. — CHANGES AT PETERBOROUGH.

The following extracts will be of general interest: —

CHANGES AT PORT HOPE.

Port Hope Times.—In compliance with the rule of the Grand Trunk Railway Co., that employees at the age of seventy years must retire from service and receive their pension, affects one local gentleman, Mr. Patrick McMahon, who has so far observed the rules of a flagman at the little red flag at the 4.20 train Tuesday evening for the last time. Pat has been a faithful servant of the G.T.R. Co. for many years, but having passed the three score year and ten mark, was obliged to retire from active service. Mr. Bennett Hawkins is his successor, and Mr. McMahon's pension will amount to about \$16 per month.

CHANGES AT PETERBORO.

For two years better than a half century Mr. Geo. Nottingham has been employed on several railways, but last night he received word that he was to be retired by the G. T. R. would take effect on March 1. Mr. Sam McIlroy, another employe of the G.T.R. received notification to the same effect.—Examiner.

These two men have been in charge of the gates at the G.T.R. crossing on Simcoe street—Mr. Nottingham during the day and Mr. McIlroy at night.

LONG SERVICE.

In 1856 Mr. Nottingham commenced to work on the Richmond and Quebec Railway. Seven years later he was appointed foreman and remained on that position until 1872, when he came to Upper Canada and began to work for the Toronto and Nip-

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NEWS OF THE WEEK

ITEMS OF INTEREST FOR BUSY READERS. — HAPPENINGS OF THE WORLD.

The Winnipeg grain exchange has been practically closed as the result of a new act of the Manitoba Legislature.

Mr. J. J. Hill is said to be preparing to build a railway parallel to the C.P.R. between Brandon and Calgary.

Walter Miles, an old Yukon miner, has discovered a hill of gold, samples of which yield over \$100 to the ton, on Vancouver Island, B.C.

The British army estimates brought down last week in the House of Commons call for over 150 million dollars. The naval estimates amount to over 160 million dollars.

The anarchist who killed Father Heinrich at Denver recently has said that he committed the crime because of the ringing of the church bells reminding him of the home which in Sicily.

Premier Whitney has t week announced that no measure of law reform would be introduced this session.

Judgment was given last week against the Nova Scotia shareholders in the claim against the York County Loan.

Sudbury residents have asked the Dominion government to appoint a French-speaking judge for that district. No doubt the Dominion government will comply, as they have lots of Frenchmen well qualified by reason of political work and party service for such positions.

Large quantities of colored oleomargarine are being sold as butter in Chicago.

Twelve jurymen who decided a case by a flip of a coin were fined \$50 each in New York, and their verdict was set aside.

South Grey Conservatives nominated Mr. D. Jamieson for the Legislature.

An attempt was made last week at Tehran to assassinate the Shah of Persia. The game laws require amending to make some sort of close season for monarchs if this species of game is to be preserved from extinction.

Three boys and three girls — six in all according to the usual arithmetic — were born to an Ohio couple last week. Only two of them lived beyond a few minutes.

An unsuccessful attempt was made at Buenos Ayres last Friday to assassinate President Alcosta of Argentina. Another argument for a close season for rulers.

A monk has been sentenced to fifteen years in prison in the Russian Province of Perm for murdering a number of women who visited him in his cell. The monk posed as a hermit and was reputed to have the power of working miracles and curing diseases. He robbed his victims, and hid their bodies underneath his cell floor.

Rev. Edward Roberts died suddenly at Cobourg last week.

Government Detective McCaskill made a round-up of foreigners in Montreal and secured a lot of dangerous firearms.

THE TREATMENT OF CRIMINALS

REVISION OF CERTAIN MEASURES IN AUSTRALIA REGARDING JUVENILE OFFENDERS.

The Toronto News of Saturday has the following: —

The expectation that a Juvenile Delinquency Bill will be introduced at Ottawa this session renders interesting to Canadians the fundamental revision within the past two or three years of certain Australian measures dealing with the treatment of criminals. Two of the individual States have altered their laws for the better. A New South Wales Act entirely separates juvenile offenders from association with hardened criminals, both before trial and during their period of punishment. In confinement they are brought under influences which conduce to permanent reform. A second New South Wales measure deals with habitual criminals. It enables a judge to declare anyone repeatedly convicted of criminal offences to be an habitual criminal, and to have him detained for an indefinite period in an institution which is a compromise between a jail and a reformatory. A criminal thus detained has access to ticket of leave privileges.

A more recent Act passed by the Victoria Legislature goes much further. It provides for the absolute detention of persons who have become habitual criminals, and at the same time scientifically with the same time of reforming the incipient criminal. Anyone now under sentence who has given evidence of qualities which distinguish him from the hardened criminal, and which may, on the recommendation of a board of experts, be removed from a jail to a reformatory prison. Here he is set to some work to which he is suited. Part of the proceeds thereof go to the support of his wife and family. Part is retained to sufficiently reform him, and to keep his future movements under the eye of the authorities.

This tribunal, in brief, exercises a paternal supervision over the occupants of the jails, strives to classify them on a scientific basis, and aims at reforming those capable of reclamation. This attempt to deal individually with criminals is a step surely wise and judicious. It should be the part of wisdom to seek to adjust the punishment to the person rather than to certain classes of acts. Good results should be obtained from this attempt to adapt the penalty to the moral condition of the prisoner rather than to the crime committed. Mere outward uniformity in the treatment of offences, nominally the same, is a crude method of dealing with criminals. It is as crude as that of making written examinations the only test of the student's progress. The humanitarian efforts now being made in different parts of the world to

make the treatment of criminals re-emptive instead of and rather than punitive are sources of inspiration to all believers in social reform and the elevation of society.

You will save money as the result of reading Page 12.

SIGNS OF SPRING

THE KHAN CHRONICLES EARLY THE EARLY APPROACH OF THE LONG LOOKED FOR.

"I observe," began Old Twilight, as he laid down the Jericho Junction Gazette, "that some folks has seen a robin. But I want you distinctly understand that I ain't no ha'bin'er uv spring. No, sir, bob! Why, look here, in the rusee, between a couple of pairs stays every winter.

"No, it's the best ha'bin'er uv spring ain't a-got no eyes, no ears, no nose, no legs, no fins, no flippers, and it ain't a-got no brains."

"Land of the livin'! Oh my, my," ejaculated Aunt Lucy, looking amazedly at Old Twilight over her spectacles.

"You'd never guess what it is in the old hundred years," continued the old gentleman, lighting his pipe with tantum deliberation. "No, sir, you've never guess what it is. It's an 'unfailin'! it never slips a cog; it never makes no error."

"Oh, for the land's sake," cried Aunt Lucy, pushing her specs up on her forehead. "tell us what it is, an' don't sit there chasin' yerself 'round a stump."

"It's a fish worm," said the old pioneer.

"To-day, lookin' for a place to put a hotbed, an' I found lots of fish worms just beneath the surface of the ground. It's a sure sign. If you spring was a long ways off, you wouldn't see no fish worms. There on the woodpile the pismires is crawling 'round in the sun. More'n that, the last big ice storm broke a lot of branches of the big maple behind the hen house, and wherever there is a broken branch it is a leak-in' spot to beat fifteen of a kind. The 'aters are sproutin' in the sullen, an' the hoeses is sheddin' their hair."

"Well, hev spring purt soon?"

"No, no, no!" cried Phoebe, with a gesture of hopeless finality. "She always starts off with sulphur an' molasses!"

She got up and stood looking out of the window at the 'ome boy, who was pumping water for the ducks.

"Poor little fellow!" she whispered to herself—"poor little helpless stranger! But Aunt Lucy won't forget him—he'll get his share with the rest of us."—The Khan.

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