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# NO TAG DAY FOR TIMMINS ON 21st

## Meeting Called by Mayor Agree That Taxation Is Best Way to Obtain Funds

To Mayor W. W. Wilson, Timmins: I beg to inform you that Lord Lansdowne has sent the following cablegram:—

"I beg to inform you that the British Red Cross Society and the Order of St. John, in view of the great demands upon their resources both in France and in the near east, have decided to make an appeal throughout the Empire, by street and other collections, upon the twenty-first day of October next. The money received from this appeal will be devoted entirely to relieving the sufferings of our wounded soldiers from home and overseas at the various scenes of war, from all parts of the King's domain. We have already received generous assistance in our work, but with the increase of British and overseas forces at the front there is a corresponding increase in our expenditure and we shall be truly grateful to you if you will help us by organizing an appeal and sending the proceeds to us for the objects which I have named. I shall be greatly obliged if you will kindly communicate the foregoing to your Government. Their Majesties the King and Queen and Her Majesty Queen Alexandra are giving us their gracious patronage and I trust that you will also be able to see your way to help. Lansdowne."

"In view of the urgency and importance of this first appeal that the Motherland has made to us, I confidently trust that you will at once organize with a view to getting a worthy contribution from the people of your municipality on October the twenty-first."

JOHN S. HENDRIE,  
Lieutenant-Governor.

Above was the reason why Mayor W. W. Wilson called a public meeting in the Council Chamber at Timmins on Tuesday afternoon of this week and the response was a large gathering of ladies connected with the Local Red Cross Society, members of the Town Council, Board of Trade, etc., with the Mayor in the chair.

Briefly his Worship explained the object of the gathering and asked for suggestions as to which might be the best way to raise funds on Thursday next, October 21st, which by the way is also known in the British Empire as Trafalgar Day.

### Everybody's Duty.

"I believe it is the Red Cross who want the money," said Councillor McCoy in opening the discussion. "Of course they are not a Government institution but I think it is the duty of the Government to look after soldiers when they come back from the front, just as much as it is their duty to get them over at the beginning."

"I am opposed to any collection of any kind or form. I think it is the duty of everybody staying at home to see to this and it should be done by taxation entirely."

He understood that in Haileybury they had offered to give \$300. As he understood, from hearsay only of course, the Red Cross in Toronto at their headquarters had set \$500,000 as an amount to be collected on Trafalgar Day. As there was a population of two million in the Province that would come to 25 cents per head.

Haileybury with their \$300 therefore numbered a population of 1200 and they all believed Haileybury had a much larger population than that.

### Impose a Just Tax.

"It just goes to show, however," proceeded the speaker, "that unless the people are taxed, and taxed justly, some are going to shirk their duty. Some people have good positions who will not give unless they are forced. I have spoken to the Mayor and Dr. Moore and they feel that if the town of Timmins gives \$300 they will be doing their equal share with Haileybury. At the same time I don't figure it is as much as should be given if the Province raises 500,000. But why should we give more than Haileybury?"

Mrs. Houston asked if it was not the Red Cross who were giving the \$300 in Haileybury. She understood the other day that was the case.

Councillor McCoy.—They may have obtained the \$300 from the Council. I think a lot of money is spent and wasted to collect money in this way if a tag day is carried out. I think if the town will give what is considered satisfactory it will not be necessary to go to the work and trouble which would have to be undertaken. It really amounts to taking a little off every person who is able to pay it."

Mrs. Brown.—Then the money would come entirely from the Council?

Councillor McCoy.—I would suggest that. It would then fall fairly on the shoulders of everyone.

Dr. McInnes asked if that was the way the City of Toronto were doing and the Councillor replied that he did not expect so but he saw no reason to take any precedent in the matter.

Mr. F. C. H. Simms, Secretary of the Board of Trade.—I suppose the Council are at liberty to donate it? "Well, we have donated before."

was Councillor McCoy's reply.

Mrs. W. H. Wilson thought the donation by the Council would not necessarily interfere with any action the ladies of the Town might decide upon taking, if they wished to go ahead.

Mrs. Brown agreed that if a tag day was held it would fall upon a certain few, but if donated by the Town it would come from the property owners who were best able to pay.

Councillor McCoy.—Go to any merchant in the town and he will tell you that they remember him as having given on a previous occasion and he is among the first appealed to the next time.

Mrs. Houston wondered if there was no way by which they could get amounts from the foreigners but Councillor McCoy thought not, as they were too thick-skinned and had no sense of duty.

Mr. Shama thought the best and easiest way was that proposed, and the only question was the amount. They might of course establish a precedent themselves.

### \$500 Timmins Fair Share.

The Mayor, in response to further questions estimated that at 25 cents per head Timmins should give say \$500.

Mrs. Houston was very persistent that the money had to be raised on Trafalgar Day according to the request sent out.

To cover this difficulty Mr. Simms arose to the occasion with the suggestion that they could pay it over on Trafalgar Day and the ends would be met. He did not think they should take Haileybury into consideration anyway so far as the amount was concerned.

Councillor Moore explained that the reason they thought this was the fairest way is because this was a different district to older Ontario as there were a great many men whom a tag day could not be reached but would be through taxation. "If you go ahead with your tag day," he said, "it will be the same few who give as they always have done. The Council are suggesting this as a way of getting rid of this subscription and tag business."

could not add a donation to that of

the Council.  
Dr. McInnes.—I think the Council should give \$500 anyhow.  
Councillor Moore.—What are the Board of Trade going to do about it?  
Mr. Simms.—I earnestly I am a believer in taxation. We will have to give tons more of it before the war is over.

The Mayor.—The Council are all for direct taxation.

Mr. J. M. Allan, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, thought the ladies would be wise to accept the suggestions of Councillor McCoy as a solution of the problem.

Councillor McCoy.—If the ladies want to work let them go ahead and make more socks for the boys.

Mrs. Brown endorsed this opinion with one that if they put in the 21st knitting they would spend a much more profitable time than going around for subscriptions.

The matter was brought to a close by a motion from Dr. McInnes seconded by Mr. J. M. Allan and carried unanimously that "The Town Council of Timmins be asked to donate the sum of \$500 for the British Red Cross Fund on Trafalgar Day."

## TRAVERS NOW OUT OF THE PENITENTIARY

### Had Thanksgiving Dinner There and Finished His Full Sentence With Allowance

On Tuesday last, after he had partaken of Thanksgiving dinner in Kingston Penitentiary W. R. Travers the ex-manager of the Defunct Farmers Bank walked out of the jail a free man and later went to his home and friends in Toronto.

Clothing was sent him from Toronto with some of his personal belongings, including his gold watch and cuff links. Travers is not being paroled. He was released because he has served his full sentence. He was sentenced on January 16, 1911, to six years.

The statutory remission to all convicts of good conduct applied to a six-year sentence makes the actual period of servitude four years, eight months and twenty-five days, so this shows that he has out in his full time. It is stated that since he has been in the prison he has been a model prisoner. He wore a star on his coat, given to all prisoners of good conduct.

## Benjamin Franklin's Views About Thrift

The world's greatest exponent of thrift by precept and example was Benjamin Franklin. In his "Poor Richard's Almanac" for 1737, he gave the following advice, which has been repeated a countless number of times since his day. He called it "Hints to those that would be rich":

"The use of money is all the advantage there is in having money."

"For \$6 a year you may have use of \$100, if you are a man of known prudence and honesty."

"He that wastes idly a great's worth of his time per day, one day with another, wastes the privilege of using \$100 each day."

"He that idly loses \$1 worth of time loses \$1, and might as prudently throw \$1 into the river."

"He that loses \$1 not only loses that sum, but all the other advantage that might be made by turning it in dealing, which, by the time a young man becomes old, amounts to a comfortable bag of money."

"Again, he that sells upon credit asks a price for what he sells equivalent to the principal and interest of his money for the time he is like to be kept out of it; therefore, he that buys upon credit pays interest for what he buys."

"And he that pays ready money might let that money out to use; so that—"

"He that possesses anything he has bought pays interest for the use of it. Consider then, when you are tempted to buy any unnecessary household stuff, or any unnecessary thing, whether you will be willing to pay interest, and interest upon interest for it as long as you live, and more if it grows worse by using."

"Yet, in buying goods, 'tis best to pay ready money, because—"

"He that sells upon credit expects to lose 5 per cent. by bad debts; therefore he charges on all he sells upon credit an advance that shall make up that deficiency."

"Those who pay for what they buy upon credit, pay their share of this advance."

"He that pays ready money escapes, or may escape, that charge."

"A penny saved is a twopenny clear. A pin a day is a great a year. Save and have."

"Every little makes a mickle."

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