

TRANSFER WAS MADE

OF MANUAL TRAINING TO MACDONALD SCHOOL.

Board of Education Adopted Recommendation of Management Committee—A. T. Hatch Appointed Supervisor at Salary of \$1,400.

On the recommendation of the management committee, the board of education, on Thursday night, decided to transfer the manual training department, now in the Collegiate Institute, to Macdonald school, for the use of public school pupils, and appointed A. T. Hatch, supervisor and teacher of the manual training of the public school pupils, at a salary of \$1,400 per year, his duties to commence September 1st next.

The chairman, J. B. Walkem, presided at the meeting, and the other members present were P. B. Chown, James Craig, J. G. Elliott, J. M. Farrell, James Henderson, Thomas Lambert, F. G. Lockett, W. H. Macne, Robert Meak, H. F. Metcalfe, A. W. McLean, William Peters, Dr. A. W. Richardson, W. J. Renton, Stephen Roughton and Robert Wallace.

A number of communications were received.

Enoch Godwin wrote, complaining of the conduct of the children in attendance at Frontenac school. He stated that Mrs. Godwin was ill, as a result of the conduct of the children, and further stated that if he was put to any expense, as a result, he would request the board to meet the same.

Trustee Meek pointed out that the trouble was caused by the pupils going off the school property, and held that it was a matter that should be attended to by the property committee. The board expected the children to keep on their own property. There was plenty of room in the school grounds for their play, and they should remain upon it. There was good reason for the complaint, and the principal of the school should see that the pupils kept in the school property.

Trustee Richardson told of having made an investigation, and reported that of late, no complaints had been made, and that Mr. Godwin was now satisfied.

Communications Read.
The following additional communication

were received and referred to committee:

From Gertrude Harold, Jessie Stewart, Annie Macdonald and Muriel Sprague, applying for position as public school teachers.

From F. C. Anderson and G. Dolan, of the Collegiate Institute staff, applying for leave of absence from June 17th to the end of the term.

From Ewa Greenless, kindergarten director, asking for leave of absence on May 20th, 21st and 22nd, in order that she may assist at the wedding of a friend.

Trustees Renton and Henderson moved that the request of Miss Greenless be referred to the management committee, with power to act, but the motion was lost, thus the matter will go to the management committee for a report.

H. L. Chown, corresponding secretary of the Y.W.C.A., wrote extending thanks to the board for the use of the gymnasium at the Collegiate Institute for the members of the association, asking that the same privilege be extended next year.

The department of education submitted the schedule of grants to be given on teachers' certificates, the local grant to be the same as last year.

Repairs to Schools.
The report of the property committee, was presented by Chairman Macne, and adopted.

The committee asked for power to expend the sum of \$150 for flowers for the Collegiate Institute and public schools, the same amount as was spent last year.

That repairs and improvements be made during the mid-summer vacation to a number of schools, and that the committee be given power to ask for tenders, where practicable, and report to the board. The cost will be about \$500.

Repairs are planned for the Collegiate, Frontenac school, Central school, Victoria school, Sydenham school, and also alterations to the domestic science kitchen and board rooms.

The finance committee's report as presented by Chairman Henderson, was also adopted. It recommended the payment of a number of accounts.

Management Report.
Chairman McLean submitted the report of the management committee, and after some discussion it was adopted, with one amendment. The report reads as follows:

"That, in response to the letter of

B. Meek, secretary of the Canadian Club, stating that the club was prepared to co-operate with the board in the observance of Empire day, that the club be asked to kindly provide on Empire day for the Collegiate Institute, Central, Victoria, Frontenac, Rideau and the Depot schools, and speakers each; and for Sydenham, Rideau and the spot schools, and the Orphans' Home one speaker each.

"That the pay for occasional teachers be as follows: For second-class teachers and graduates with satisfactory experience, \$2.50 per day up to a week's continuous teaching, and \$2.25 per day thereafter; for third-class teachers, \$2 and \$1.75 per day.

"That the request of the Humane Society be permitted to form Bands of Mercy in the schools be granted, the time to be given to instruction by the society, to be one-half hour in the afternoon of the last Friday in each month; and that the teachers be requested to co-operate with the society in the work.

"That the offer of B. W. Robertson, of \$50 for prizes in a writing competition by public school pupils be accepted with thanks.

"That \$25 be granted for prizes in a writing competition by Collegiate Institute pupils.

"That the manual training department now in the Collegiate Institute be transferred to Macdonald school for the use of public school pupils. This recommendation is made on the advice of Principal Sliter and Inspector Stuart—the former to the effect that it would be better to have manual training in the institute than to give to the work the time demanded by the regulations, and the latter, that manual training should be in the public schools.

THE TENTH ANNIVERSARY.
Of the Death of Principal George M. Grant.

BURGLAR IN A STORE

MAYOR HOAG WAS CALLED OUT AT 3 A.M., FRIDAY.

The Burglar Entered His Store at the Rear, But Took Nothing—A Policeman Saw Broken Glass and Notified the Owner.

The slumbers of Mayor Hoag were disturbed, on Thursday night, when a policeman notified him by telephone that his store had been broken into at 3 a.m. The mayor went down immediately and found that entrance had been attempted at the back of the ice cream parlor, and that another and more successful attempt had been made on the window facing on the street which opens into the prescription room at the back of the drug store.

The would-be thief had succeeded in taking the glass out slick and clean, and had gained entrance, which was shown by an invoice file which he had knocked down and stepped on near the window. Either he had been scared at this stage of the game, or after searching the empty cash register, had become discouraged, for he made a quiet retreat without any money and evidently without disturbing anything.

The work of the culprit looks like that of the thief which occurred there about two years ago, when entrance was gained through the back of the ice cream parlor by breaking the pane of glass near the door and pushing back the bolt in the door. This was also done last night, but the jam of boxes behind the door prevented its opening, so the sneak thief was obliged to take to the window on the street, where he evidently got in and out undisturbed.

At 3 a.m., when the policeman, on night duty, passed the window and noticed the broken glass on the ground below it, he immediately notified Mr. Hoag. The most of the money was locked up, but the thief overlooked \$3 which was lying loose in the postage stamp drawer.

Portsmouth Young Lady Dead.
The death occurred at Portsmouth, early on Friday morning, of Elizabeth Mary Smith (Lillie), in her twentieth year. The deceased young lady had been ill for eight months, and during that time had been a patient sufferer. She was the eldest daughter of Thomas Smith, and had resided at Portsmouth all her life. She is survived by her parents, two brothers, and five sisters, Agnes, Violet, Doris, Thomas and Joseph. The funeral will take place on Monday afternoon to St. John's church.

How's This?
On Saturday, at Best's, with each purchase up to and including fifty cents, will be given a coupon for half the amount of the purchase. In other words a person making a 50c purchase will really pay 25c, as the coupon for this amount will be a 25c denomination. No doubt hundreds will take advantage of this most liberal offer and do their drug shopping at Best's Saturday and all days.

14th Regiment Drilling.
The 14th P.W.O. Rifles is getting into fine condition. Every evening of the week some of the companies are drilling. It is expected the first battalion parade will be a week from Friday night to the cricket field. The companies this season are about up to the standard. Recruits are still drifting in, but it is not likely any more will be taken on after the first battalion drill. No. 8 company had its first drill on Thursday evening.

License Appeal Case.
It may be another week before the appeal of the hotelmen against the liquor license reduction by-law will be heard by the divisional court, Toronto. It was thirty-sixth on the list. The hotelmen are not placing any hope on being successful, but think it worthwhile to make this last effort to try and upset the by-law.

Hats With a Reputation.
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S. J. Chapleau, chief engineer of the public works department, Ottawa, was here on Thursday, inspecting the new wharf at the Royal Military College. He and Mrs. Chapleau were guests of Postmaster and Mrs. James Stewart.

Free lecture on Christian Science to-night, City Hall, 8 o'clock, by Francis H. Plimo, M.D., C.S.D. Everyone invited.

Owing to lack of a quorum, there was no meeting of the Portsmouth school board on Thursday night.

Twins Were Born.
Twins, a boy and a girl, were born to Mr. and Mrs. George Hoyt, of Sly street, Monday. Congratulations. So says the Canadian, N.Y., Daily Messenger.

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