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ENTERTAINED AT A DINNER

BOARD OF EDUCATION WERE GUESTS OF CHAIRMAN

Happy Event Followed the Final Meeting Held on Thursday Evening—Programme of Toasts Followed a Dainty Spread.

Following the last regular meeting of the Board of Education for 1919, held on Thursday night, the retiring chairman, F. R. Anglin, entertained the members of the Board, the officials, and representatives of the press, at a dinner given in the New England Restaurant, on King street, and the gathering was a very happy one. After a most tasty spread had been partaken of, a number of toasts were responded to, and all present spent a very pleasant time together. The chairman proved himself to be a royal host, and during the evening, he was showered with well-deserved praise for his work as chairman of the Board during the year.

After "The King" had been responded to by the singing of the National Anthem, Trustee J. G. Elliott took over the duties of toastmaster, and ably presided in this capacity. Mr. Elliott proposed the toast to "The Chairman," and coupled with it the names of Trustees J. F. Macdonald and Trustee T. W. Mills.

To Mr. Elliott goes the honor of being the dean of the Board of Education, as he has completed twenty-five years service on the Board. Mr. Elliott referred to the fact that Mr. Anglin had served on the Board for many years, and was a much-valued member. It had been with pride that the members had elected him as chairman; at the beginning of this year.

Trustee Mills paid a warm tribute to the work of the chairman, and stated that it had been a pleasure for him to serve under him. He referred to the work carried on by the board, and said that the year had been marked with great success.

Trustee Macdonald also praised the work of the chairman, and also made some pointed remarks on the question of education. In his opinion there was need of some changes in the public school system. Under the present system, he considered that a scholar simply wasted two years of his time. This was all due to the system, and not the fault of the teachers.

The new government had expressed the opinion that there should be changes, and it was up to the various boards of education to have a share in the suggestions to make for needed changes. The speaker also referred to the steps now being taken to organize the teachers all over the province. Teachers were demanding higher salaries. The formation of unions for the teachers was under way, and this had also reached some of the universities, and one might look for an epidemic of "strikes" among the members of the profession, if conditions were not made satisfactory to the teaching staff. To secure the very best teachers, the highest salaries possible must be paid.

The members of the Board sang very heartily "For He's A Jolly Good Fellow," before Mr. Anglin was called upon.

Mr. Anglin returned thanks for the kind words said about him, and pointed out that his duties as president had been made very easy, and at the same time very pleasant, as a result of the co-operation given by the members. He said he was pleased to know that the building of a new school had been undertaken during the year; he had been chairman. He also referred to the progressive steps undertaken by the Board, in providing dental inspection. He had been impressed with what Brigadier-General A. E. Ross had said about the establishment of dental clinics overseas for the soldiers, and he thought that this work should be proceeded with for the school children. While the teeth of the children underwent an inspection, many of them might never see a dentist unless arrangements were made for them to do so.

Mr. Anglin paid a warm tribute to the work which is being carried on by the Parent-Teachers Associations formed in the city, and stated that they were rounding up good material for school trustees. He also expressed the hope that the new school in Cataract ward would eventually be used as a community centre.

Mr. Elliott proposed the toast to "Our Officials," and E. O. Silter, principal of the Collegiate, and John Macdonald, the veteran Secretary of the Board, responded with happy speeches.

"They are splendid men and have accomplished splendid service during the year," remarked Mr. Elliott.

It is of interest to note that Mr. Macdonald will on June 1st, next have completed thirty years service as secretary of the Board. His remin-

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escences of the Board were most interesting to the members. Both Mr. Macdonald and Mr. Silter had warm words of praise for the retiring chairman.

"The Ladies," a new toast for the Board of Education, as this was the first year for ladies to serve as trustees, was proposed by Mr. Elliott, and ably responded to by Mrs. A. Newlands and Miss Mowat.

"The Press," proposed by Trustees Lemmon and Cohen, was responded to by the Standard and Whig representatives.

At the close, Trustee Sawyer thanked Mr. Anglin for his kind hospitality, and the gathering dispersed shortly after midnight.



DR. MICHAEL CLARK
Member for Red Deer, Alta., who is being mentioned for the Senate vacancy in Alberta.

RED CROSS SOCIETY ANNUAL

REPORT OF WORK DONE DURING THE PAST YEAR.

The Society Has a Balance of \$4,427.38—To Continue Social Work—Mrs. H. R. Duff Re-elected President.

The annual meeting of the Kingston branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society took place at the Board of Trade rooms on Thursday afternoon, when reports of the past year's work were presented and officers were elected for the ensuing year.

Dr. J. C. Connell, dean of the medical faculty, Queen's University, and honorary president of the society, occupied the chair, and Miss Marion Redden, secretary-treasurer, read her reports. She said that since the conclusion of hostilities the society was engaged in adjusting itself to new conditions. A branch for the care of refugees had been opened overseas, and forty-two cases of supplies had been sent. Hospital supplies had been sent to Siberia, and a bale of clothing to Labrador, the receipt of which was gratefully acknowledged. Labrador was described as a very dismal place. Winter set in in October, there was no vegetation, and the diet of the people consisted of gulls' eggs, fish and rabbits. Much valuable help was given to the local military hospitals and the convalescent soldiers during the year. They were visited every week by the ladies, and comforts were provided from the funds set apart for that purpose. Twenty-five dollars was spent on a picnic for dependents of soldiers in the summer, and the convalescents were given automobile drives into the country weekly during the hot weather, for which they were very grateful. With the opening of Sydenham Military Hospital, provision was made for a permanent home for the society at Red Cross Lodge. Prior to this rooms had been provided at Queen's through the kindness of Dean Connell.

The financial report showed receipts \$5,598.95, and disbursements \$2,171.66, leaving a balance of \$4,427.38. The accounts were audited by R. Easton Burns.

Miss Ross reported on the work of the visiting committee, showing that there were many ways in which soldiers in the hospitals could be helped, and they appreciated the ladies' visits very much. They were given razors, toothbrushes, socks, sweaters, magazines and books, and made their wants known, although for some time they were reluctant about it. An additional sum of money was voted to enable the committee to provide a special Christmas treat for the soldiers who will be in the hospitals at that time. Christmas trees are being given by the Daughters of the Empire.

The future work of the society was discussed, and it was decided to continue the social work. Dean Connell said Brig.-Gen. A. E. Ross suggested that the society should prepare for emergencies that might arise by providing boxes of surgical supplies, and form an organization composed of men and women who would be ready at any time their services might be demanded.

When the election of officers was proposed, Dean Connell vacated the chair to Mrs. R. H. Duff, the president, and thanked the ladies for the splendid work accomplished during the year. He moved a vote of thanks to the medical faculty for courtesy shown, and also for the use of rooms for the society's work. He then moved that Brig.-Gen. A. E. Ross be elected honorary president, but there was no disposition on the part of those present to allow Dr. Connell to retire, and the election resulted as follows: Honorary president, Dr. J. C. Connell; hon. vice-president, Brig.-Gen. A. E. Ross, C.M.G.; president, Mrs. R. H. Duff; vice-presidents, Mrs. W. L. Goodwin and Mrs. G. Y. Chow; secretary-treasurer, Miss Marion Redden; auditor, R. E. Burns. A very warm vote of thanks expressing appreciation of the kindness of the Captain Fryar Red Cross Chapter of Ulica, N.Y., was passed.

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