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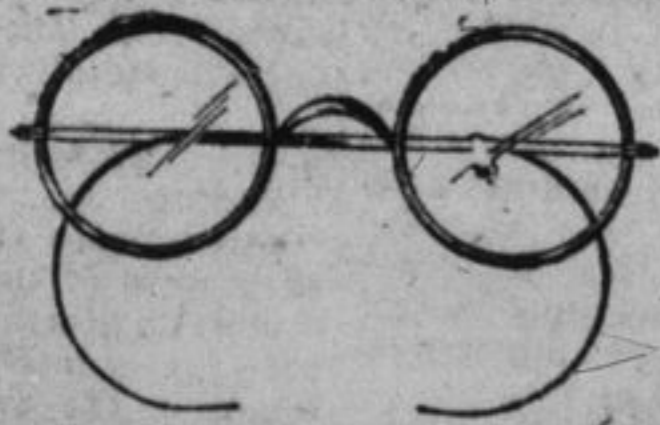
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KINGSTON LABOR PARTY TO CONTEST ELECTION

Address Given by H. Kirwin, Toronto—The Financial Difficulties.

By a vote of 21 to 2, the Kingston Labor Party decided to place a candidate in the field to contest the by-election to the Ontario legislature.

A meeting on Friday evening was addressed by Harry Kirwin, Toronto. Much discussion followed Mr. Kirwin's address in which he told of the good work done by the present U. F. O.-Labor government and urged his hearers to seriously consider the advisability of nominating a government candidate. Several speakers pointed out the difficulty of the situation in Kingston and the inability of Labor here to finance a successful campaign, but when the motion to put a candidate in the field was moved by James Baxter and seconded by Mr. Stone, it was carried, and the chairman, W. Fleet, announced that a mass meeting would be called at a later date to select the candidate.

Mr. Kirwin, president of the Ontario Labor Party, was introduced by William Fleet, president of the local branch, and he pointed out the desirability of Labor in Kingston as well as the other voters of Kingston, irrespective of their calling, having a member to represent them in the Ontario government. He told of the advanced legislation carried through by the Drury government in the short time it was in power, of the development of the Hydro power, a greater achievement than that of any other country, of legislation for the betterment of all working classes and the protection of the widow with children and the economical and efficient administration of public affairs. These are the things, he said, that have shown the people that that government is not a class government, but that it is a clean and honest government. "The Labor party stands today for honest labor politics, and not for class government as erroneously supposed, and it only asks for the support of the people who are seeking a way out of the system of misgovernment that prevailed heretofore, and look for honesty. Ninety per cent. of the citizens are workers and it is to these that we appeal for support of our cause."

Asked what was the policy of Labor respecting prohibition Mr. Kirwin said that at the last Labor conference the party went on record as approving a return to better beer and wine. "As a matter of fact, said he, 'all the bootleggers in the province were behind the prohibition forces in the last referendum in order to keep the law in force that would enable them to make millions out of the bootleg-traffic that has been going on.'"

The matter of financing a campaign was brought out by Percy Bould, who said that the labor unions sent too much money to the International headquarters in the United States. If that money was retained in Canada it would be available in elections. In reply Mr. Kirwin stated that labor in Canada was not strong enough to finance its organizations and that in 1919 labor, while on strike in Kingston received more money from the International union than it would pay back in dues in twenty years. In a period of twelve years, labor in Canada received from the International headquarters \$250,000 more than it paid in. It must continue to depend upon the International organization.

"But money is not of such importance in election campaigns as the spirit of the people behind a candidate," said Mr. Kirwin. "In Toronto in the last federal election labor polled 14,000 votes. I was a candidate and lost my deposit; but we are never going to give up. We are gaining constantly and will continue to fight until we get representation for the working people in the governments of the country."

In concluding he urged his hearers to put a candidate in the field in the by-election, and upon a standing vote being taken the meeting went on record in favor of the proposal.

Mothers' Council, Y. M. C. A. The Mothers' Council, Boys' Division, Y.M.C.A., met Friday afternoon with the president, Mrs. C. Bateman, presiding. Miss Van Straubense conducted the devotional exercises. The recent musical recital held under their auspices in the City Hall, realized \$108, and this will be used for the redecorating and making the boys' room more attractive. Final arrangements were made for their annual Valentine tea and sale to be held in February. At the close of the meeting the members accepted the kind invitation of T. Nugent to attend the private screening of "Ten Nights in a Bar Room", and all expressed themselves as being delighted with the film.

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BANK REPORTS.

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The country is now on the last lap of a long hard race against famine and want. As is the case with runners, the last lap is telling on almost every branch of business. Resources have been worn away, little by little, last reserves are fast approaching their definite end, and the pinch is being felt greater daily.

Like the good runner, we should take a new lease on life as the goal approaches. It adds new courage, new energy with which to carry on the fight, which can end but one way, in improvement and better conditions.

One of the best barometers for what might be called the atmospheric conditions of the business and financial world, is a bank report and just at this present time there are many to choose from. They all show a condition of affairs which gives even greater brightness to the future. Business has, of course, declined somewhat, but every president and general manager has unhesitatingly predicted a change for the better in the near future, provided that crops and general conditions remain as favorable as they normally are in this country.

This paragraph from the address of the general manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce to the shareholders at the annual meeting, is typical of the general run of opinions of the outlook: ". . . The doubt as to the future, so widespread. The stocks of goods produced at a high cost have been steadily reduced by consumption, even if often disposed of at a loss. The problem of production at lower costs, which for a time seemed so baffling, appears now in fair way to being solved. The soil and other natural resources of Canada are as ready as ever to respond to the efforts of her people. If business seems, at present, to be more or less in a condition of suspended animation, any change which takes place must surely be for the better, and at any moment it may awaken to new life and prosperity. Granted a favorable harvest in the coming year, we may confidently look for a return to more normal conditions."

These same statements, with but little chance, are echoed in the reports of other banks throughout the country and all furnish some concrete ground on which to build hopes for the future. The gradual reduction of the discount on both Canadian and Sterling money on the New York markets is another indication which can safely be taken as a prophesy of better times ahead, and, with new hope revived and the worst of the battle over, the never-failing vitality of the country itself will do the rest.

In this district, as in others, we are only now feeling the most severe pinch of that period which we spoke of rather skeptically early in 1919 as "the Reconstruction Period." So far our little section of the world has come through it without very serious mishap, and, though we are now feeling the effects of it in earnest, it should be but the signal for a greater and more co-operative effort to overcome the final struggle of the monster war.

The world powers are discussing the scrapping of their navies, things which they do not really need; in England sweeping reductions are being made in similar lines to lower the expense of running the country; our own government has already practically decided to retire several generals and thus effect a large saving yearly. It is up to all to do the same.

Countries, provinces, counties, municipalities, firms, families, individuals, all should follow the lead of the Disarmament Conference in their own lives. The nations plan to "cut out" the vanities and jealousies and there are many little things in the life of the individual which may be so classed and so "cut out."

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