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FEWER IN OUR PRISONS THAN EVER BEFORE

According to Ontario's Chief Parole Officer Who Addressed Kiwanis Club.

"There are fewer men in our prisons today than there ever were in the history of the country, studying the figures in decades." This was the statement made by Rev. Dr. Alfred E. Lavell, chief parole officer for Ontario in an address entitled "The Cure of the Criminal" before the Kiwanis Club at the weekly luncheon in the Hotel Frontenac on Monday. The cure of the criminal, according to the speaker is to be found not in confinement in jails and prisons but in speaking and liberation on permit, or probation, a system that has been in operation in New York state and Illinois for the past fifteen years. Rev. Dr. Lavell stated that Ontario has been experimenting on probation for the past two years, and of 200 men dealt with, ninety-two per cent. made good. Only one escaped and twelve were returned to prison for not playing the game.

President Noble Steacy occupied the chair and during the roll call the following guests were announced: Ken Crawford, Rev. Father Traynor, J. Bennett, Major W. J. McManus, Judge Lavell, Rev. W. S. Lennon and Dr. J. Broom.

R. E. Burns was the booster and he received a very warm greeting in Kiwanis fashion, without blushing. The prize donated by him, a fine fountain pen, was won by Frank McCallum.

President Noble made short work of the delinquents by calling upon all absentees of last week to stand. Any unable to show that they had notified the secretary of their inability to be present were fined—excuses were of no avail.

The singing under the direction of Garnet Locket started off badly, but revived with the old familiar air, "Mary Had a Little Lamb."

Major McManus, adjutant of the P.W.O.R., was introduced and made a strong appeal for a trophy to be competed for by the high school cadet battalion at the inspection to be held in the Queen's Jock Hartly Arena on May 24th.

W. R. Givens reported on the May 24th celebration. James Armstrong asked the members to send all ashes from the cellars to the Jock Hartly Arena where they will be used to fill the floor.

The by-laws of the club were accepted on a motion from R. E. Burns, seconded by A. B. Cunningham.

Stanley Driver reported on the organization of the baseball teams of which he is the manager.

W. K. Macneil directed attention to the 21st Battalion dinner to be held in the armories on Wednesday night when the speakers will be Sir Arthur Currie and Hon. George P. Graham.

Dr. Lavell's Address.

Dr. Lavell was introduced as an old Kingston boy, a son of the late Dr. Michael Lavell, and one who, by reason of associations with the Portsmouth penitentiary, had had an early interest in the subject he was to speak upon, one that he had given much study to for a number of years.

In opening his address, he explained his position as head of the Ontario Board of Parole, which consists of seven men and one woman. The work of the board was described. They decide who shall be liberated from the Ontario prisons and reformatories.

In dealing with subject, he said, it is necessary that we ask what is the criminal? Going over the records of the past century, and indeed over many centuries, we find that there is no single interpretation. We have to modify our views. Today according to the criminal code, a criminal is a man or woman who has broken some provision of that Criminal Code. Persons who were criminals 400 years ago are not criminals today, but if Abraham and Sir John Falstaff were here among us they would certainly be in our prisons, the one for an attempt to kill his son and bigamy, and the other for a breach of the O.T.A.

"There are fewer persons in our prisons today than ever before according to the figures as studied by decades. I don't see anything in the so-called crime wave scare."

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The speaker advanced arguments in support of his assertion and declared that in 1919 less than one per cent. of the people of Ontario were convicted of offences. This he attributed to the splendid work of juvenile organizations. He did not think there would be a decrease in crime by winking at it. "Every man should be tracked down and arrested, and, if guilty, convicted. But having found him guilty, what is to be done with him?"

Here the speaker entertained his hearers by a recital of the records of British jails brought to light many years ago by John Howard. Torture was a recognized mode of punishment. Hanging for forgery was only abolished in England within the last century and there 207 persons hanged between the years 1801 and 1817 for this crime, and the wife who murdered her husband was burned at the stake in England as recent as 1789.

The change has been brought about by the humanitarian sentiments. The great thing today is to obtain a clear idea of what a criminal really is and what the proper treatment for him is so that he will commit offences no more and become a benefit to society. The treatment is imprisonment in all countries, and no country is better officered or has better men in charge of penal work than Canada. We do not take second place to any country.

Two instances of men being sent to prison were given by Dr. Lavell by which he showed that in one case imprisonment was a punishment and in the other it was not, but the wives and children of both men suffered. From his experience he was able to say that only five per cent. of the prison population was composed of really bad men, the remaining ninety-five per cent. are not bad. They are criminals of impulse. They have made a mistake, but it is a very serious mistake for us to compel them to live with the close association with the five per cent. morally bad. We would not treat smallpox that way.

"A man must feel his identity with the welfare of society. A man once in prison can never again take up life and go on. You can't make the punishment fit the crime. Take murder and rape. What punishment will fit the crime? There are some men who should be behind bars all their lives, such as the gunmen and those convicted of arson. Mental defectives should be treated as defectives. But there are fully eighty per cent. not bad or vicious and merely need treatment, and there is no reason why they should not be outside the walls of the prisons.

The speaker did not favor the Dominion ticket-of-leave system, declaring it to be obsolete, because there was no provision for supervision.

He advocated giving to the judges the discretion to choose the punishment, and suggested corporal punishment in the form of spanking with an instrument approved for that purpose. This would be better than confinement. The Ontario Board of Parole is trying an experiment with probation, a system by which the prisoner sentenced may be allowed out of jail in the day time to work for his family and return to the jail at night. Of 200 cases so treated 92 per cent. made good, one escaped and twelve were sent back to jail for not playing the game. We hope to extend the scheme, although it is very difficult to administer, and we hope to cure crime by this means."

A hearty vote of thanks was tendered to the speaker on the motion of Elmer Dav's, seconded by Bruce Hopkins.

CITIZENS MUST OBEY HOSE REGULATIONS

New Hours Fixed—Hydro Auditors' Report Shows a Good Surplus.

Persons breaking the regulations regarding the use of water in gardens and on lawns during the summer are to be prosecuted. This was the result of a discussion of the subject at a meeting of the commission on Monday afternoon. The hours for the use of garden hose have been slightly changed owing to the adoption of daylight saving time. The water may be used from 6 to 9 a.m. and from 5 to 9 p.m.

The ten-year contract to supply water to the Grand Trunk Railway will expire next year, and the manager was authorized to notify the railway that the contract will not be renewed in its present form owing to the increased cost in operating the water system.

Complaints about plumbers turning off and on water were considered, and it was pointed out that such action was against the rules and made them liable to prosecution.

Tenders for cables were received and that of the Eugene S. Phillips Co., Brockville, and Montreal, was accepted.

A communication was received from the Ontario Compensation Board showing that the commission was obliged to enter its employees under the new law and action was deferred until another meeting.

Chairman Elliott reported on the meeting of the Ontario Hydro municipalities called to nominate commissioners to sit on the Chippewa Commission. Several names were asked for but only one, that of Mr. Kingston, was selected. The government declined to accept him and another meeting of the executive has been called for Wednesday at Hamilton to consider the matter. The chairman, who is third vice-president, will attend.

The financial statement made out by the Hydro auditors was presented and discussed. It showed a surplus



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In the electric lighting account of \$14,900 and an increase in revenue of \$22,722. The system of the auditors was not approved by Commissioner Burns, who discussed it with the auditors when in Kingston, but they said it was adopted and was carried out by all municipalities. Mr. Burns said it showed profits that did not really exist, by carrying along depreciated plant that was really of no value. The statement was received and filed.

The chairman read a letter from Whitty endorsing his stand at the meeting of municipalities when it was proposed to ask the Hydro Commission to take over the Central Ontario system. On that occasion Mr. Elliott protested against the merging of the plant with that of the Hydro, unless it was distinctly understood that existing contracts were fully recognized and respected.

Baker-Franklin Nuptials.

The marriage took place in St. John's church, Bath, on Wednesday evening, May 10th, of Ethel May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Franklin, Milhaven, and Harold Baker, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Baker, Ernestown. Mrs. Stephen Mack, an aunt of the bride, was matron of honor, the groom being supported by Reginald Franklin, a brother of the bride. The bride, who was given away by her uncle, Almon Young, was attired in a navy blue tulle suit, with picture hat to match. Quite a large number of relatives were present for the ceremony.

Good Sale of Tickets.

The committee looking after the sale of tickets for the 21st dinner on Wednesday evening, report that a splendid sale has been realized to date, and that extra accommodation will have to be provided for the big crowd expected. It is understood that about one thousand guests will sit down for the banquet.

Shantymen's Mission.

Rev. Thomas Joplin, Toronto, financial secretary of the Shantymen's Christian Association, who has been in Ottawa for several days in connection with the work of the association, will come to Kingston on Wednesday.

The latest fad is for crepe paper hats. It is an inexpensive one. Read the first article about it in today's Junior British Whig.

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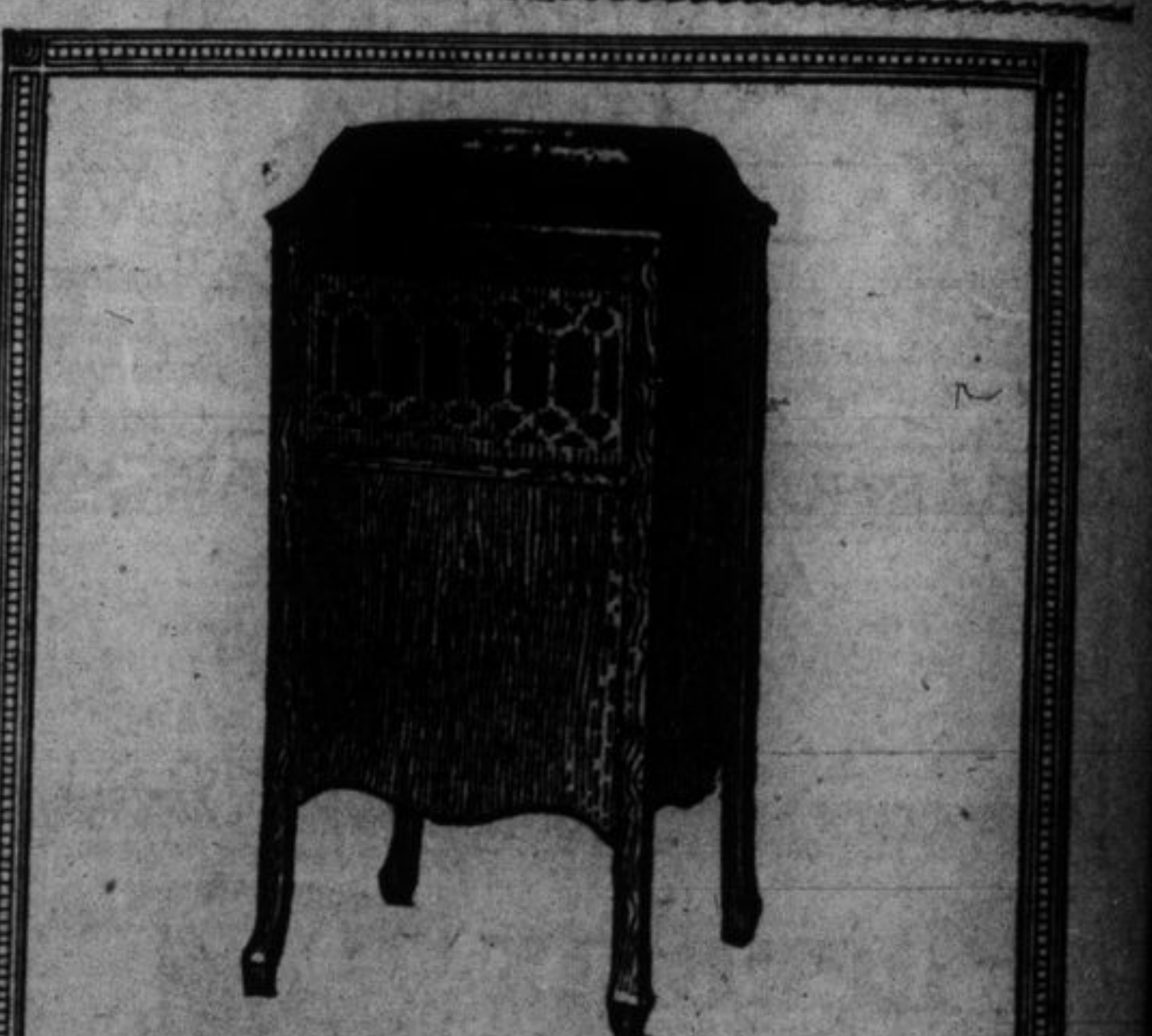


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