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### Dr. Taylor Tells Board of Trade What Queen's Does For Canada

Its Revenue Would Be Much Affected If The Ontario Government Out Off Its Grant of \$210,000.

Dr. R. Bruce Taylor, principal of Queen's University, was the special speaker at the monthly meeting of the Board of Trade held on Tuesday evening, and he dealt with the question of the university, and what it meant to the city of Kingston. During the course of his remarks, Principal Taylor referred to the little local group of men of which the Hon. W. F. Nickle of Kingston, is chairman, who for years have been meeting, in fact holding almost weekly meetings, for the purpose of guiding the destiny of Queen's University. He said the university and the citizens of Kingston are certainly indebted to these men.

Dr. Taylor opened his talk by referring to the splendid library at Queen's, and he said that he often wondered why the citizens of Kingston did not take advantage of reading the books contained in that building. Any person, said he, could have access to them if they wished, and it is a pity that they are not more used. He stated that books from Queen's library are being loaned to people all over the continent.

Spends Half Million Here.

The speaker then referred to what the university, from a financial standpoint, meant to Kingston during the year, and said that it was a steady industry spending in the neighborhood of a million dollars among the citizens. Dr. Taylor then spoke of the wonderful progress which has been made at the university since his coming to Kingston eight years ago. The new heating plant located on the lake shore has been erected at a cost of \$255,000. And it is now working well and a report for the year shows that the cost of heating the university and the General Hospital buildings is down considerably this year. The new library was erected at a cost of \$370,000, the new Women's Residence is nearing completion, costing \$200,000. Two risks, each costing \$90,000, one of which went up in smoke. Referring to the new rink which has an artificial plant, Dr. Taylor said that the rink this year was just as good a paying proposition as the championship rugby team. He spoke of the building of the George Richardson Memorial Stadium, and the rebuilding of the old medical building which was recently destroyed by fire. Dr. Taylor also referred to the tremendous reconstruction scheme under way at the General Hospital at the present time, which when completed will cost \$1,200,000, which is considerably over the estimated cost made in 1915.

A Compliment Paid.

At this point of his address, Dr. Taylor took occasion to compliment Mr. J. M. Campbell, who supervised the building of the heating plant, and stated that there was only a difference of \$400 between the estimated cost of the plant and the price which was paid for its construction, which is certainly a glowing tribute to the faithfulness and attention of Mr. Campbell.

Dr. Taylor when speaking of all this money which had been expended in building, said that it brought about a great overhead expense at the university, which is shown in the fact that at the present time the weekly wage for men who are employed around Queen's is \$860, and this does not include any of the teaching staff. He stated that the intra-mural registration at the university last year was 1,152 students, of whom 240 were women.

Limited Revenue.

Principal Taylor then told of the number of students in the different faculties, and said it was necessary to limit the number entering medicine and science, on account of limited accommodation and equipment. He stated that nothing around the university paid, and it was not intended to pay. He then dealt with the question of revenue which the university obtained, and said that the annual grant from the provincial government is \$210,000. Premier Ferguson had served notice to the effect that Queen's could not expect a like grant in the future. Dr. Taylor said that the university received \$160,000 per year from fees, and the revenue derived from the \$2,000,000 endowment, made the revenue of the university up to half a million dollars.

Dr. Taylor said that it was a question of close figuring and as a result the salaries which are paid to the professors are not as large as they should be. A professor in charge of a department is paid \$4,000 a year. A professor who is not in charge, \$3,400, and assistant professors, \$2,500. Principal Taylor said that it takes a great deal of devotion to hold these men. He also referred to the fact that Queen's is compelled to compete with universities which are wealthy, and the members of the staffs of these universities are paid a great deal more money, both in Toronto and Montreal. Dr. Taylor spoke of the position which the professors find themselves in when reaching old age, and who have been unable to provide a great deal on account of small salaries. He also said that Queen's is always afraid of losing its good professors due to inducements offered by other colleges.

Dr. Taylor said that Toronto University was considered by the government to be the state university.

He was not grumbling with the government, as he considered that Queen's up until the present time had been used very fairly by it. He realized that the government had to make ends meet.

He spoke of the task of going out and soliciting subscriptions toward the support of Queen's and said it would be a very difficult task if the university was to go in debt and then people would be asked to contribute a sum toward the upkeep.

Queen's Is National.

Referring to the proposal of Premier Ferguson to cancel the grant to Queen's University, Dr. Taylor said that the university had come to be a national institution, and had a national work to do. He spoke of the Queen's men who occupy high positions in the life of Canada and the United States. The engineering profession was spoken of by Dr. Taylor who made special reference to the part which the late Prof. Nicol and Miller had played in the world of geology. These men, said Dr. Taylor, did not go into the Cobalt district for the purpose of doing something for themselves, but thought of the development of the branch of work in which they were interested. The late Dr. Miller, who was the provincial geologist, had turned down an offer of \$15,000 or any sum he wished to name, as he was not out to make money, but to render service. He said that there were not so many men being turned out at Queen's in the electrical engineering department but they had always been able to reach the top. He spoke of the wonderful work which Prof. Douglas Ellis is carrying on in the department of hydraulics.

Dr. Taylor said that the small classes at the college made it possible for the professor and the students to do better work.

Medical Department.

When dealing with the department of medicine, Dr. Taylor said that Queen's for years had been turning out the general practitioner, and the important thing today was to get the doctors to go into the country districts where there are no doctors. If Queen's was forced to cut down on account of no grant from the province, it would be necessary to cut down, and the country would be left against it as there would not be enough doctors turned out.

He said that the time had passed when the college authorities could look for private gifts. These grants are heavily taxed and the Queen's principal said that no government could take all that money without handing some back to the colleges. Dr. Taylor dealt in detail with the suggestion of the premier that the first two years' work in college could be taught in the high schools and said that he did not agree with the suggestion, as physics and chemistry could not be taught in high schools unless they had extra equipment which would cost a lot of money and the teachers were not available at the present time.

A vote of thanks was extended to the speaker of the evening on a motion moved by Mr. Elmer Davis and seconded by Mr. H. C. Nickle.

Tendered A Gift.

Miss Florence Cullen, Smith's Falls, is to enter the Kingston General Hospital as a nurse-in-training. Her friends met her at Mrs. W. S. Bell's, enjoyed a social time, and presented her with an Eversharp pencil and a nicely-worded address.

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#### Clearing Sale of Millinery Parisian Shop

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One of the young men who was brought out from England and placed on a farm in Frontenac and Lennox and Addington counties by the British Empire Immigrant Association, of which Joseph Foster, of Moscow, is the Eastern Ontario representative, does not like the work on the farm and called upon Mayor Angrove on Wednesday morning.

The young man said that the farmer he worked for had used him well, but he simply did not like the work on the farm, and so quit and came to the city. He had stated that he agreed to stay with the farmer for one month, and had carried out his agreement. Before coming to Canada, he had been employed in a wholesale in the heart of London.

Mr. Stroud, the local representative of the Ontario Labor Employment bureau, expected to place the young man in another job on Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Foster was reached by telephone and he will come to Kingston on Thursday and try and arrange matters for the youth, who is only sixteen years of age.

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#### QUEEN'S WOMEN'S RESIDENCE.

How the Rooms Will be Divided for Next Season.

Already about half of the rooms in the new women's residence at Queen's University have been allotted. About twenty rooms have been reserved for students who will be seniors upon re-entering the university next fall. Twenty or twenty-five are being given to girls who will be in the second and third years, while forty rooms are being provided for the freshmen.

When asked if it was expected that the building would be completed in time for the summer school students, it was stated by one of the members of the committee in charge of the new building that it was very doubtful. The building will be finished but the work of furnishing the rooms would require considerable time.

It is expected that an official opening of the home will take place in the fall.

The ladies in charge of the building of the home are still anxious to receive more subscriptions.

Fine Day at the Lake.

Charleston, April 27.—R. Foster is improving Cedar Park hotel by having it repainted. B. Slack was at Morrisville, on Wednesday, shipping a quantity of maple syrup to Somerville, N.J. The farmers did considerable work on the land during the past week. Charleston Lake had many visitors on Sunday, the day was so fine. T. Fritchard, Wilested, has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. H. Webster. There are a number of guests at Cedar Park hotel for salmon fishing and having good luck.

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