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A LIVELY TILT AT BOARD OF EDUCATION

Over Criticism by City Council About Stone Got in Toronto for New School.

All's well that ends well, but the letter from the City Council to the Board of Education, complaining about cut stone secured from outside the city, to be used on the main entrance of the new school being erected in Rideau ward, stirred up quite a hornet's nest at the meeting of the Board of Education on Thursday night. H. W. Watts, contractor for the new school; Robert Wallace, the sub-contractor, and Architect Drever were present at the meeting, and for a time the questions came thick and fast, but after explanations had been made by Trustee L. T. Best, chairman of the Property Committee, the two contractors, and the architect, everything was settled satisfactorily to all concerned. After all had been said and done, it was found that the contractors were up against it in the way of securing the cut stone required, and that they were compelled to get stone cut in Toronto to fill the bill, so that work could be proceeded with, and so the roof of the school could be completed in time to allow for the other work to go on during the winter months. A letter will be sent to the City Council, stating that Kingston labor and material is being used in the construction of the new school, and will be used as far as possible.

Letters of Complaint.
The matter will be recalled, was brought before the meeting of the City Council held on November 2nd by Ald. Driscoll. He complained that cut stone was being secured in Toronto for the new school, and he held that the Board was not doing the square thing, as a promise had been given to use local labor and material.

Many Questions Asked.
As soon as the letters were read by the secretary, Trustee Best, chairman of the Property Committee, was called upon for an explanation as to why the stone for the school had been secured outside the city.

Trustee Best stated that no doubt Architect Drever could explain the matter better. He said that trouble had been experienced in securing the stone required, and that it had been decided to take the quickest way to avoid trouble.

Trustee Baldwin said the trouble had never been brought before the Property Committee, and stated further, that if the matter had been brought to the attention of this committee, he felt sure that it could have been settled satisfactorily. Trustee Baldwin could not see why outside people had been brought to the Board meeting in an advisory capacity. He also could not see why the Board should be criticized by what he termed a "pre-election speech" of Ald. Driscoll. He felt that it was a matter for the chairman of the Property Committee to explain, and not the contractors or the architect.

Trustee Jones wanted to know what was in the contract for the erection of the new school. Was the Board bound to employ Kingston labor and local material.

Trustee Best explained that the contract called for Kingston material and Kingston labor "as far as possible." Trouble had been experienced in securing the cut stone required, and as he was leaving the city, he did not have time to call a meeting of his committee. It had been pointed out to him that the cut stone required could not be secured in Kingston for at least six weeks and this would tie up the entire job.

Trustee Best stated further, that it was all a matter of time, and that he had been walking around looking for work of this kind. The stone could not be secured here, and it was a case of getting the roof on the school before the cold weather, so that the inside work could be carried on during the winter.

Trustee Moore wanted to know when the sub-contract had been awarded to Mr. Wallace, and was informed by Mr. Watts that Mr. Wallace had been given the sub-contract immediately after he had received the main contract.

Trustee Baldwin wanted to know if the stonecutters had been consulted in regard to the matter. He thought that the Property Committee should have been consulted and the matter discussed.

Trustee Bishop wanted to know how soon after the emergency arose, had the chairman of the Property Committee been consulted.

Trustee Best stated he could not remember the exact date, but he thought that it was about a month ago.

Architect Drever stated that the emergency arose about three weeks ago.

hop, "and at that meeting Secretary Allen and I were asked if Kingston labor would be employed on the new school and we said, 'yes, as far as possible.' I feel that the city Council has general cause for complaint against our action. If there was an emergency, the Board had no notice of it."

Trustee Mrs. Godwin stated that she did not know anything about the matter until she had read about the complaint of Ald. Driscoll in the newspapers. She too had been at the meeting of the City Council, the night the money had been granted to build the new school, and she understood that Kingston labor and material was to be used.

Trustee Milo asked if it was absolutely necessary to get the material outside the city. This was the question.

The chairwoman, Mrs. Newlands, stated that she was a member of the deputation that went before the Council to secure the money for the new school. She understood that Kingston material and labor would be used. She thought that Trustee Best should have called a meeting of his committee to discuss the matter.

Trustee Bishop said he did not want to find fault with the contractors, but he felt that Trustee Best should have consulted his committee over the matter.

Architect's Explanation.
Architect Drever was called upon, and he stated that difficulty had been experienced in securing the cut stone required. Three weeks ago, Contractor Wallace stated that he could not get the stone here until the middle of January. He and Contractor Watts had interviewed Trustee Best, and had told him what they were up against, and that they were being tied up. They asked Trustee Best what they had better do. Trustee Best stated that he could not give them authority to get stone from outside the city, unless the workmen concerned were agreeable. He had suggested that Mr. Wallace interview the stone cutters about it, and the matter was left in this way. Later on he heard that stone was being cut in Toronto. Contractor Wallace went to Toronto and gave orders for the stone required. The work had been held up, but the contractors could not be blamed. There was a shortage of both labor and stone here and it was known that the stone would not be available until the middle of January. As to the complaint made by a member of the Council, that there was no shelter for the men cutting stone, he stated that it had not been the practice to erect shelters other than a shanty for the men in which to eat their lunch.

"When was it suggested to cut the stone outside the city?" asked Trustee Moore.

"As soon as Contractor Wallace said he could not get the stone here," replied Architect Drever.

"Did the stonecutters give their consent to the stone being cut outside the city?" asked Trustee Baldwin, but the question was not answered at this point.

Architect Drever stated further, that Contractor Wallace had told him that one stonecutter had applied for work, but there was no stone to cut. He understood that this stonecutter went elsewhere and secured work. Contractor Wallace did not refuse to give stonecutters work. He had been securing stonecutters outside of the city.

Trustee Wightman asked as to how many masons would be laid off pending the securing of stone, and was informed that practically all the masons would be off work.

It was also stated that the amount of money involved in the stonework reached \$2,400 and that of this amount \$1,800 would be for labor.

Trustee Milo questioned whether it would be wise to hold up all the other work on the school all winter for the lack of stone.

Contractor Watts on being asked an explanation of the conditions, stated that stone could not be secured unless temporary arrangements had been made and this would have added to the expense.

Letter to Council.
Trustee Bishop stated that in view of the letter received from the City Council, it was up to the Board to inform the Council that it was the intention of the Board to employ Kingston labor and use Kingston material, and to ask Contractor Watts to comply with this.

"I certainly will," said Contractor Watts.

Contractor Wallace said that he did not consult the local stonecutters regarding outside labor. He did not consider that it was necessary for him to do so, as he knew the situation better than anyone in Kingston. He was trying to get stonecutters for the job. He had secured some in Toronto, Ottawa, Montreal and Cornwall, and he had work for them that would last till next July. He regarded all the trouble as merely "a temporary matter." When Contractor Watts had informed him that he could not secure the stone, he had stated that there was only one way to get it, and that was to secure it from outside the city. It was costing him more money to get the stone from outside the city, but he did so to help out Mr. Watts. The local stonecutters would not consent to the work going outside the city, but he felt that it was in the interests of the other workmen and the citizens generally, to secure the stone elsewhere.

Trustee Campbell said that after hearing all the circumstances regarding the matter, he could not see as any other action could be taken than had been taken.

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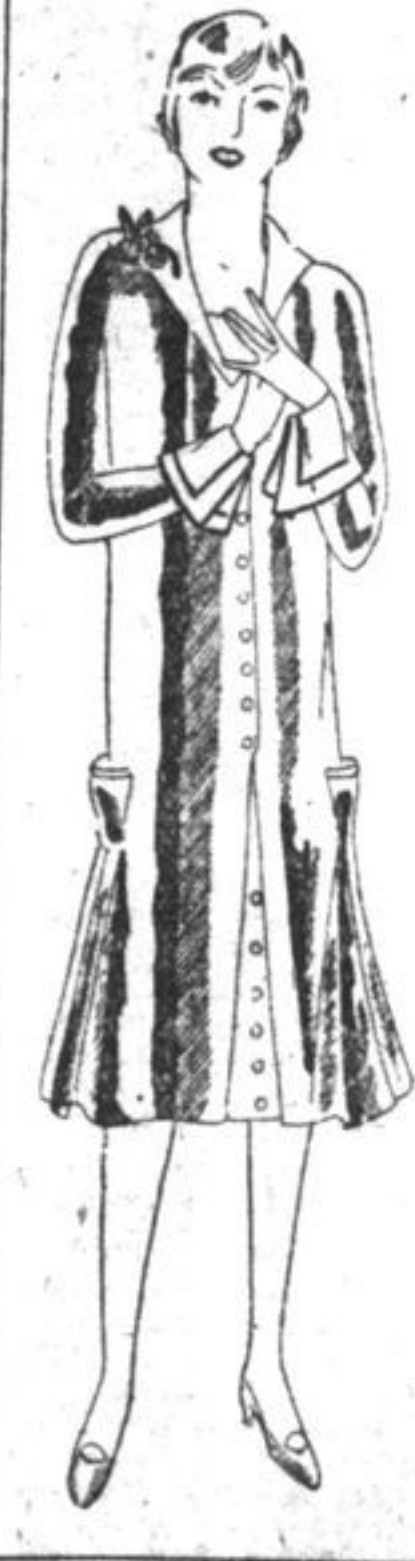
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titude of the contractors. He felt that the responsibility rested on the Board. In this case the Board was not acquainted with the facts.

Trustee Bishop said he was satisfied with the statement of the contractors, but felt that the matter should have been dealt with by the Board. The members should not be attacked for something they did not know about. The Council should be notified that the policy of the Board in regard to the matter was that Kingston labor and Kingston material should be used on the new school as far as possible.

And on motion of Trustees Best and Bishop, it was decided to have the secretary write the Council explaining the matter, and pointing out that it was the policy of the Board to have Kingston labor and Kingston material used as far as possible.

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Body of Missing Man Found.
Arnprior, Nov. 20.—After having been missing since Tuesday night, the body of Stafford Connery, 38, of Jasper, Ont., salesman, was found this afternoon in a clump of bushes a short distance east of the town with his throat cut and a safety razor blade clamped in his hands. No foul play is suspected and no inquest is being held.

He is known to have been dependent.

Called to Ottawa Church. Extended a unanimous call at a

meeting of the congregation of Stewarston United church, Ottawa, Rev. Fred S. Milliken, B.A., B.D. will in all probability be the new minister of the church, to succeed Rev. Wesley Megaw.

Rev. Mr. Milliken is a comparatively young man, being still in his early thirties. He is a graduate of Queen's University, and also took a post graduate course in New York.

Doubtless you can guess the official French abbreviation of Damascus.

Prodigality.
"Rafferty," exclaimed Mr. Dolan, "your boy threw a lump of coal at my boy!"

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He Wished He Knew.
Pat: "Sure and I'd give a thousand dollars, Mike, if I knew the place where I was going to die."
Mike: "Faith, Pat, and what good would that do you?"
Pat: "Begorra, I'd never go near the place at all."

BRITISH SUBMARINE SINKS WITH CREW OF 68.



The British submarine, M-1, sunk off the Isle of Wight, England, with its entire crew of 68 officers and men aboard.