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### FULL TEXT OF THE PUGSLEY CHARGES

Following is the full text of the charges made in the House of Commons by Hon. Dr. Pugsley:

"I, William Pugsley, a member of this House, in support of the motion now under consideration, standing in my place in this House and on my responsibility as a member of this House, declare and charge that the Shell Committee appointed by the Minister of Militia and referred to in said motion, fixed excessive and unreasonable prices for shells and for other munitions and goods to be furnished to the British Government, which, by arrangement between the British Government and the Canadian Government were to be paid for in part by Canada.

"That such prices were fixed without competition and were far in excess of what would necessarily have been paid if ordinary business methods had been pursued, thereby involving an unnecessary expenditure of money, millions of dollars, conservatively estimated at least \$80,000,000, which will be improperly taken from the people of the United Kingdom and Canada.

"That the said committee gave large orders at such excessive prices and without competition to companies in

which members of the committee were largely interested and of some of which companies members of the said committee were the directing heads.

"That there has been great and wholly unnecessary delay in furnishing the completed shells for use of the Canadian and British forces at the front.

"That the said Shell Committee neglected and delayed for an undue period of time to provide the fuses necessary to render the shells effective, and, failing to endeavor to provide for their construction in Canada, as they might have done, proceeded to give an award, through J. Wesley Allison, in the United States, contracts for fuses amounting to \$22,000,000, on which they made an advance of \$3,750,000. That the making of the said contracts through the said Allison was unwise and imprudent, and was entered into with the knowledge and connivance of the Minister of Militia and the Shell Committee failed to obtain delivery of said fuses for an unreasonable time.

"And I do also charge that the Government of Canada had, through the Minister of Militia, to whom the said Shell Committee reported weekly, knowledge of such irregular and improper methods and acts of the said Shell Committee, and while having the power at any time to put an end thereto, the said Minister improperly consented to such irregular and improper methods and acts, and permitted the same to continue."

### C. P. R. WILL PROVIDE FARMS FOR OUR SOLDIERS

Montreal, March 16.—While much discussion has recently been carried on at Ottawa and elsewhere on the best method of dealing with soldiers who return after the war, both our own Canadian soldiers and the British veterans who, according to general opinion, are not unlikely to come here in considerable numbers, few practical suggestions have been made. With the object of finding whether the Canadian Pacific had any proposal under consideration, a representative of a Montreal newspaper approached Lord Shaughnessy. The visit was evidently opportune.

"As a matter of fact," said the C. P. R. President, "we have been giving this question the most careful consideration and have just decided on a comprehensive plan of colonization which will be the largest of its kind in the history of the Canadian Pacific Railway, and as you know, we have more colonization work probably than any other transportation or other corporation in the world. The details of this colonization plan are being worked out just now and when I tell you that it involves the preparation of perhaps as many as a thousand farms in western Canada, for occupation in the spring, you may realize the size of our undertaking."

#### Canada's Serious Problem.

"Our duty, however, demands that this great problem be met with the energy that it deserves.

"One of the most serious problems facing Canada today is the matter of handling the hundreds of thousands of returned soldiers after the close of the war. Their military service will have unsettled and unfitted many of them for a return to ordinary clerical and sedentary life, and something will have to be done to enable them to obtain outside employment.

"The problem is further complicated by the fact that without doubt a very large number of men who will be mustered out from the British army will want to emigrate to the overseas dominions, and provision must be made to properly take care of them and colonize them in suitable employment. The problem is one of such magnitude that it must be faced and solved by the Dominion government, but the provincial governments and the large Canadian corporations must also do their part.

#### Farms for Soldiers.

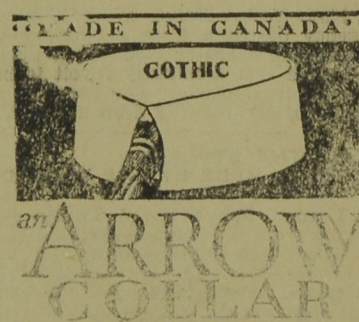
"Realizing that the necessity must be met and desiring to take its share of the burden of trying to solve this problem, and assist the men who have fought the battles of the Empire, the Canadian Pacific Railway Company has decided to establish in Western Canada colonies which for the moment we are calling "returned veteran colonies," where men who wish to go in for farming can obtain improved farms on terms which will in time enable them to become land owners and create homes for themselves and their families.

"These colonies will be given distinctive names, probably with military associations, and will contain a sufficient number of families in each to ensure social, school and church facilities, and in each case will include a central instructive farm under a competent agriculturist, so that advice and instruction may be available for the colonists.

#### Past Mistakes will be Avoided.

"Our experience in connection with the ready-made farms has been invaluable and will enable us to avoid mistakes which are unavoidable in new undertakings. The burden which we propose to carry will be no light one, as human nature is such that there are always fault-finders, always square pegs which will not fit into round holes. We have had such cases in connection with our ready-made farms, but on the whole the colonies established under the ready-made farm scheme have been highly successful, for instance, Sedgewick, which has a group of settlers of which western Canada may well be proud. But we are prepared to face all the troubles, all the petty annoyances which may occur in connection with this still greater scheme, realizing that it is our duty towards the Empire to which we are proud to belong."

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#### POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Only a true Christian can pray for rain if his roof leaks.

Trouble makers are as plentiful as peace-makers are scarce.

There's nothing like an obstacle for getting in a man's way.

It takes some men a lifetime to discover how unimportant they are.

It is as hard to be patient with some men as it is to borrow money from them.

Pessimists are the best thing there is for sitting around and hatching out misery.

Whenever you see a bright new pair of rubbers these days, you always think how hard you are working to make your own old ones hold out.

When a man makes a fool of himself over a woman it's a sign that it didn't require much of an effort.

### HEAD AND NOSTRILS STUFFED FROM COLD

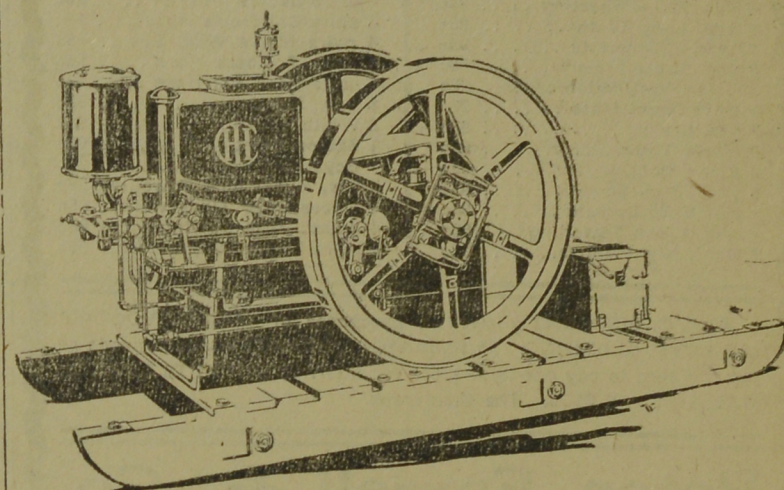
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