

We held one man up on the seat. I have helped to hold a man up who did not have the strength by himself, and he has gained 30 pounds, and you would not know if you saw him that he had cancer of the stomach before.

Q. We thank you for coming. A. I am glad to come because I know that I owe my life to Miss Caisse, and no one else.

-- The witness retired.

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7 R. J. WOLFENDEN, called,
(5 Ross St. Barrie.)

BY COMMISSIONER WALLACE: Q. We are taking your statement down so that it may be available for the other members of the Commission who are not here. We are not swearing you, but we tell you that the information is being taken down so that you will understand what it is all about. You will tell the truth as you know it?

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A. Yes.
Q. Then, tell us something about yourself, -- about your difficulty? A. Well, sometime last March I was bothered with haemorrhoids pretty bad, and I worked on and on until they got so bad that there was something else wrong, and I consulted doctors. The first doctor I consulted, he thought there was something else.

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BY COMMISSIONER CALLAHAN: Q. Dr. Oake?
A. Yes, and Dr. Lloyd, and he said that there was something else, and he sent me down to Dr. Fred Bowman

in Hamilton, the specialist.

EXHIBIT NO. 8: Clinic card, re Mr. R. J. Wolfenden, August 20th, 1938.

BY COMMISSIONER CALLAHAN: Q. You were examined by Dr. Bowman in Hamilton, and he diagnosed what?

A. Cancer.

Q. What did he advise? A. Well, he came up to see my doctor in Barrie, and the following Monday he came to Barrie, and the doctor called me in the afternoon, and he told me there were only two places that I could get an operation with any degree of assurance -- about 60% was the chance I had. One place was London, England, and the other was Cleveland, Ohio, and that was out of the question, because I did not have the money to go there. In the meantime, I heard of Miss Caisse up here, and I came to her.

BY COMMISSIONER CALLAHAN: Q. Did you have any bleeding from it? A. Yes.

Q. Did you have any difficulty with your bowel movement? A. Yes, there was sometime in July.

Q. The stool was small? A. Yes.

Q. Has it returned to normal? A. Not yet, no.

BY COMMISSIONER WALLACE: Q. You have had treatment since what time: -- October, or August?

A. August.

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Q. August of last year? A. Yes.

Q. Continuous treatment since that time?

A. Yes.

Q. About once a week?

A. Twice a week. I

have had 57 treatments.

BY COMMISSIONER CALLAHAN: Q. What age are you?

A. Fifty-three.

Q. Would you mind letting me examine you?

A. Well, I would rather have a few more treatments, and get cured.

Q. I just want to look at it?

A. Well,

I would not mind, no.

BY COMMISSIONER WALLACE: Q. Are you feeling

much better for the treatments which you have taken?

A. Oh, different now than last August; there is no comparison. I am not clear of it yet, I know that.

Q. You are going about your ordinary work?

A. Yes.

Q. What do you do?

A. I am a plumber in

business in Barrie.

Q. Were you off your work for some time?

A. Well, I have not done very much since August; I have been kind of laying off.

BY COMMISSIONER CALLAHAN: Q. What effect did the

treatment have on you?

A. When I first started

here I practically could not eat anything, and it was

only soups, and that, and in about six or seven treat-

ments I was beginning to gain weight.

Q. Were you depressed in the beginning?

A. Yes.

Q. After you heard what the trouble was?

A. Well, I did not take it very hard, but I was not much surprised, and it was nothing to get excited about, or anything like that.

BY COMMISSIONER WALLACE: Q. Did you have any ill effects after the treatment? Did you feel hot after taking it? A. No, I did not; I cannot say I did.

Q. It did not affect you very much at all?

A. I understood from other patients that I would be sick after the first two or three treatments, but I was not. It did not affect me that way at all.

Q. Thank you.

COMMISSIONER CALLAHAN: You are not under any obligation to permit me to examine you.

THE WITNESS: All right.

COMMISSIONER CALLAHAN: It is simply a favour to us.

THE WITNESS: Yes. It is all right, Commissioner.

-- The witness retired.

8 ROLAND G. LONG, called,
(286 Edinborough St. Peterboro)

BY COMMISSIONER WALLACE:

Q. Mr. Long, you reside at 286 Edinborough Street, Peterboro? A. Yes.

COMMISSIONER WALLACE: Mr. Long's clinic cards will be Exhibit 9, attached together.

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