

## Losing a Good Citizen

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St. Thomas has been fortunate to have a man of the calibre of John W. Jolly as general manager of the Canadian plant of the Timken Roller Bearing Company, a concern which has meant a great deal to the city and its people in the nine years or so that it has been here. Fortunate not only in seeing the Timken plant grow in size and importance under Mr. Jolly's guidance, but also in the part he has played as a private citizen in the furtherance of many community enterprises and in growing leadership in public affairs generally. His work as a director and president of the Board of Trade, as vice-chairman of the city's Industrial Board, in the campaigns for the erection of the St. Thomas Elgin General Hospital and the Community Centre and Arena; in the campaigns for United Welfare Services and in many other ways has been outstanding.

While regretting to lose such a valued citizen we extend congratulations to him on his appointment as general manager of the large Standard Tube and T. I. Limited plant in Woodstock, and wish him every success in his new post.

His successor at the Timken plant, John C. Trull, director of purchasing and planning, is one of those fine young Canadians, many of them war veterans, Mr. Jolly gathered around him at the time the staff of the new plant was being organized and with his ability and progressiveness it was natural that he should move to the top position. Like Mr. Jolly he is public-spirited and has already done much for his native city as well as for the Timken Company.