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DREADNOUGHTS AND POVERTY

In the course of his now famous speech on the relation of churches to social service, and referring particularly to the question of poverty in Great Britain, David Lloyd George said: "You cannot deal with a problem of this magnitude by mere spasmodic appeals to the charity of the benevolent. That is hopelessly inadequate as a remedy. You may as well try and run the army and navy by voluntary subscriptions." Thus we have a minister of the crown in Great Britain ridiculing a Montreal paper's pet theory for the future maintenance of the British navy. It would have Canada, along with the other nations of greater Britain, discharging their responsibility in the matter of Imperial defence by a system of voluntary contributions. It does not propose any basis upon which the amount of the periodicity of the contributions could be arrived at. But simply that Canada, whenever she felt like doing so, should hand over to the Mother Country a contribution, either in the form of money or dreadnoughts; the only proviso being, that in the event of the latter form being adopted, the ships should be named after the Canadian provinces. And this as a solution of the problem of maintaining Great Britain in her position as mistress of the seas.

Later on in his speech Mr. Lloyd George said: "Do you know that since 1880 the cost of preparations for war has gone up, in this country alone, by fifty millions a year." And it must be remembered that the Chancellor of the Exchequer is speaking in pounds. "Ever since 1896 it has gone up thirty-seven millions." As opposed to the late administration's policy of a national navy the Montreal Star would have the people of Canada enter this European game, by the payment of an anti of a couple of dreadnoughts. It does not require a vast amount of figuring to determine the amount we would have to pay to stay in this game.

Mr. Lloyd George declared that with half the amount by which the appropriations for the army and navy are increasing each year, any statement would undertake to clean out every slum in Great Britain. And not only that but would agree to solve the much vexed housing problem as well. Last year the United States spent upwards of fourteen millions of dollars in combating tuberculosis. That is a vast amount but it merely represents the actual cost of constructing a single superdreadnought. We have our problems of poverty and tuberculosis in Canada and it would manifestly be wiser for us to expend the difference in the cost entailed in the substitution of our present scheme of naval defence for the article championed by the Montreal paper, in the treatment of these.

Col. Sam Hughes has announced his intention of arming the entire militia force of Canada with the Ross rifle. All Lee Enfield rifles are to be withdrawn from use. No one can accuse the gallant Col. Sam with inconsistency as he always stood up for the Ross rifle when in opposition.

Mr. Hance J. Logan, ex-M. P., of Cumberland, has been offered a lucrative position with a financial house in London, England, and is thinking seriously of accepting. Mr. Logan is one of the ablest public men in Nova Scotia and his departure would be a distinct loss to the sister province.

FACE WAS LITERALLY COVERED WITH PIMPLES.

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Should the bill now before the United States Congress to suspend the duty on potatoes become law there would no doubt be an agitation in the upper provinces for the suspension of the Canadian duties. Ontario would then purchase potatoes in Michigan and New Brunswick farmers would dispose of their surplus stock in the New England States. The expense of the long railway haul would be saved to the consumer on both sides of the line. This is precisely the condition of affairs which would have been brought about under reciprocity.

Saskatoon Phoenix.—While the western Conservatives are trying to cajole the people by vague talk about lower duties the eastern Conservatives are talking higher duties and more of them. Even the building interests are asking for protection against American contractors. And the east has the say and the power.

It is said that Mr. John Standfield, M. P. for Colchester, will be appointed to the senate, and that Mr. Hector McInnis, the well known Halifax barrister will be appointed Solicitor General of Canada and seek election in Colchester.

The Duke and Duchess of Connaught and Princess Patricia seem to be enjoying their visit to New York. The Americans are a Democratic people, but they do enjoy a visit from royalty.

Five Conservative members of Parliament voted against Mr. Borden's motion to refer Mr. Lancaster's marriage bill to the courts, but we failed to notice the name of Mr. O. S. Crockett in the list.

Brandon Sun.—All that joyful stuff about a "Life on the Ocean Wave" doesn't apply to the officials of the Canadian Navy Department since the Tories got into power.

The Borden government's majority on the Premier's motion to shelve the Ne Temere bill was only twenty-five.

Hon. William Miller the oldest member of the Canadian senate is seriously ill at Ottawa.

WOULD YOU LIKE THIS MUSIC? IT IS OFFERED FREE.

A fine composition for the piano-forte, by the famous composer, J. Michael Watson, has been published by the Zam-Buk Co., of Toronto; and we are able to make our readers the very useful offer of a copy of this March for simply paying postage on same. The composition is not very difficult, is quite within the reach of young pianoforte players, and is a wonderfully effective piece of work. To obtain a copy, forward 2 cents (cost of postage) to the Zam-Buk Co., Toronto, asking for a copy, and mentioning this paper.—d.

APPRAISING LOSS

Mr. F. S. Whittaker of St. John, is here today to appraise the loss upon the Sharkey building which was gutted by fire on Saturday last. Messrs A. C. Fleming and Harry Clark of this city assisted. The damage to the building has been found to be much greater than was thought at first.

JANUARY 28.

1834—St. Louis Castle, at Quebec, destroyed by fire.

195—Gen. John Sullivan, a distinguished soldier of the American Revolution, died. Born Feb. 17, 1740.

MEDUCTIC LOOKING FOR BIG BOOM

Meductic, N.B., Jan. 20.—At a well attended meeting of the Meductic Board of Trade here tonight, many matters of interest were discussed relative to a greater and better Meductic. Inquiries were read from two large manufacturers of hard wood, wishing to locate here. One of these was from a Quebec firm and the other from Grand Rapids, Michigan. Both expressed their wish to have a representative meet the board and look over the situation at once, so that construction could be started early in the spring. It is expected that the representative of the Grand Rapids firm will meet a committee of the board at the latter part of this month, and some good inducements are also held out to the Quebec firm. The industrial committee reported that the site for the new starch factory had been decided upon.

An advertising committee was appointed and money voted for an advertising campaign. The board was delighted to hear through Vice-President Edwards that a block of land of upwards of eight acres would be given free to the Quebec and New Brunswick Railway Company on which to locate car shops and the right to dig and lay pipe to conduct water from all the large springs situated on the hill back of the village was also secured. It was also decided that the board of trade be incorporated and a committee was appointed to apply for a charter.

The board will be entertained by W. S. Tompkins at a dinner on Saturday, January 27, at the Aberdeen Hotel.

The people of Meductic are determined to share in the boom that is now coming to Eastern Canada, and many of our citizens who have been looking with eager eyes to the opportunities of a so-called golden West have at last realized that the opportunities of this province are far superior to the speculative inducement of the west, especially along agricultural lines.

GREAT FACTORY FOR ALBERT CO.

(Telegraph.)

As a result of the visit of British experts now on the ocean on their way to New Brunswick to finally report on the cement possibilities of the Albert County deposits, it is expected that one of the largest plants in the Dominion if not in the world, will be erected in that section of the province.

The Telegraph is informed on reliable authority that the product will not be less than 2,500 barrels a day and that, necessarily, a very large payroll will be sustained. As there is no plant of importance in the Maritime Provinces and there is an increasing demand for cement for construction purposes, it will be very easy to find a market for the large product of the factory and great development may be expected in the cement district.

Ink stains are sometimes removed by soaking in sour milk and then rinsing in a weak solution of chloride of lime, then rinsing in cold water.

A HARMLESS WAY TO DARKEN THE HAIR

A Little Sage and Sulphur Makes Gray Hair Vanish—A Remedy for all Hair Troubles

Who does not know the value of sage and sulphur for keeping the hair dark, soft, glossy and in good condition? As a matter of fact, sulphur is a natural element of hair, and a deficiency of it in the hair is held by many scalp specialists to be connected with loss of color and vitality of the hair. Unquestionably, there is no better remedy for hair and scalp troubles, especially premature grayness, than sage and sulphur if properly prepared. The Wyeth Chemical Company of New York put up an ideal remedy of this kind, called Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy, and authorize druggists to sell it under guarantee that the money will be refunded if it fails to do exactly as represented.

If you have dandruff, or if your hair is thin or turning gray, get a bottle of this remedy from your druggist today and see what it will do for you.

This preparation is offered to the public at fifty cents a bottle, and is

NEW PUNISHMENT FOR WIFE BEATERS

Bayonne, N.J., Jan. 21.—The courts here have adopted a new procedure for the reform and punishment of wife beaters. As tried in the case of Mrs. Frances Levent, who testified that her husband had beaten her several times, it provides that the husband must first kneel at the wife's feet and ask her pardon. This done, he must express to the court his penitence and good intentions, finally sealing the compact by kissing his wife.

ANOTHER SENSATION IN LITERARY CIRCLES

New York, Jan. 24.—The latest sensation in literary circles here and in London, is the claim which has been suddenly brought forward by English Baconians, that Bacon re-wrote the Bible as it was translated for King James and that the King James versions as that team is now understood is largely the work of Bacon. According to T. W. Smedley of the Bacon Society, the final revision of the authorized version was handed to King James in 1609 and returned by him completed in 1610. During that time a stylist had been at work and it was not King James. In Mr. Smedley's opinion there was only one stylist in England at that time.

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 24.—Many visitors arrived in Louisville today to attend the eighth annual conference of the National Child Labor Committee, which will meet tomorrow for a four days' session. The conference will bring together leading experts on child labor reform and new methods in education from all over the country.

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TO HONOR BISHOP WHITEHEAD

Pittsburgh, Pa., Jan. 24.—Bishop Daniel S. Tuttle of Missouri, the senior bishop of the Protestant Episcopal church, with a number of other prominent representatives of the denomination, is here to participate in a celebration arranged in honor of the thirtieth anniversary of the consecration of the Rt. Rev. Cortlandt Whitehead, bishop of the Pittsburgh diocese.

SHOW COMPANY DISBANDED

The Madame Sherry Company closed their brief engagement at the Academy of Music, Halifax Saturday night and the company disbanded. As a result fifteen members of the company are practically stranded in that city. The principals and higher salaried members of the company left by train on Sunday night, but the others, owing to their financial circumstances are not able to leave the city. Of the number left behind six are female members of the chorus and have no friends. These statements were published in the Herald on Monday morning. In the Recorder on Monday afternoon it was denied that any of the players were stranded, although the company had disbanded.

C. O. F. Meeting

The regular meeting of the C.O.F. will be held Tuesday evening, January 23rd at eight o'clock in the Odd-fellows' Hall. The officers for the ensuing year will be installed.

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