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DOMINION DAY

While Canadian are less demonstrative than the people of the great and friendly nation to the south of the border, yet all classes of citizens will tomorrow join in a safe and sane celebration of Dominion Day. The British North America Act, creating the Dominion of Canada went into effect on July 1st, 1867, so that the country will tomorrow enter upon its 56th year. Canada is still a young country, but it has made wonderful strides along all lines of human endeavor. Canada started Confederation with four provinces, having a total population of 3,000,000; today there are nine provinces extending from sea to sea and the population as shown by the last census is 8,769,487. There was a 22 per cent increase during the decade ending in 1921 and a 32 per cent increase between 1901 and 1911.

Canada had only 2,188 miles of railway at Confederation; now the country has 40,000 miles being first of any country in the world in proportion of mileage to population and fourth in railway mileage. Railway receipts have increased from \$11,000,000 in 1867 to nearly half a billion dollars in 1921. At Confederation the railways carried 2,564,148 passengers in a year, while in 1921 the total was in excess of 50,000,000.

The foreign trade of the Dominion has made steady and substantial growth. At Confederation it amounted to only \$119,000,000; in 1896 it was \$240,000,000 while last year it reached the enormous total of \$12,450,587,000. It is doubtful if any country in the world carries on such an immense trade in proportion to its population.

The basic industry of Canada is agriculture. There are now sixty million acres of land under cultivation, which is six times as much as at Confederation. The population of the country has trebled since Confederation but the field crops of the country have multiplied twelve times. The Agricultural wealth of the dominion is estimated at seven billion dollars.

The great far-sighted statesmen who conceived and carried out the project of Confederation builded better than they knew and the country owes them a debt of gratitude. We have today a wonderful country, with rich natural resources and a prosperous and contented people. While there is depression in some lines of business today there is no reason why any red-blooded Canadian should be discouraged or lose faith in the future of his country.

When Hon. W. S. Fielding on behalf of the Liberal members of the House of Commons presented Premier King with a silver vase and a clock a few days ago, he said: "I hope the days are not far distant when you will have more use for them." The premier evidently tumbled to what the Finance Minister was driving at for in his reply he said he hoped that the time was not far distant, Mr. King was given three hearty cheers and he shook hands with every Liberal present.

Membership in the United Farmers Organization in the Province of Nova Scotia last year declined from 2,500 to 250. This does not look very encouraging for the farmer members elected to the Legislature two years ago. If the membership keeps on declining they will have no constituents to appeal to when the next election is called on. In the Federal election of December all of the constituencies which are represented in the Legislature by Farmers returned Liberals to the House of Commons.

The completion of ten miles of highway between Fredericton and Woodstock, which is now under construction, will make the road between the two points one of the very best in the

province. The completion of this highway will bring Fredericton into very close touch with the American border and is sure to give a decided stimulus to tourist travel. With good roads up to date hotels and modern garages equipped for handling any make of cars Fredericton can take care of all the motorists who come along.

The rain fall for June is likely to be a record for many years. The hay and grain crops on the uplands have been greatly benefited from it, but root crops and hay on the islands and interales have had too much of a good thing. However there is no reason why the farmers should be down in the mouth as those enegaged in other lines of work are also feeling the pinch of hard times. The only remedy is to look pleasant and hope for better things in the future.

The city authorities are determined that the ladies assessed for taxes shall pay up or take the consequences. Men are compelled to pay their civic taxes, and now that we have equal suffrage there is no reason why the members of the fair sex should not take the bitter with the sweet. Men learned years ago that the assessment law was not a joke and the females of the species are in a fair way of finding it out also.

Premier Norris of Manitoba in a speech a few days ago declared that in the approaching election there would be no farmer sweep such as had occurred in Alberta and in the Federal election. "The Liberals had done nothing to be ashamed of," he said, and he wanted to know why they should be discharged when there was no charge of bad administration against them.

The constituency of Happy Land in the province of Saskatchewan returned a Liberal to the Legislature this week by 500 majority over a farmer candidate. Any constituency which returns a Liberal to the Legislature should be a Happy Land.

The lady visitors to Granite Hall this week are not likely to get their names in the society column.

Through Our Sieve

With most people, are art of raising children consists in furnishing rations and clothes and trusting God for the rest.

He who laughs last creates the impression that he is slow in seeing the joke.

Mount Everest continues to stand up under all the wear and tear of the climbers.

It is easy to say things we don't mean when there is no chance that the bluff will be called.

Having made a success of fiction Conan Doyle may have thought he could make a fact of spiritualism.

Old Doc Brady hits the nail on the head when he asseverates that men ought to go into training for their vacations.

When a prophet wants to play safe in making a prediction he says such and such a thing will happen "though we may not live to see it."

"Now listen to me!" is about as far as a man gets when he tries to argue with his conscience. Even his wife is more tolerant.

"Maybe there are no more clinging vine girls" remarged the Man on the Car, "but there are still some wild morning glories among them."

"A Cleveland doctor thinks the liver as important as the brain." At any rate getting along without a liver is unthinkable.

All we can say to the ex parte testimony is that, if corsets are really hotter than pants we'd go behind the door and slip the thing off. You must mean ungriddle it. There are no slipping off corsets.

What is Wrong?

Strawberries are still being sold here at twenty-five cents a box, although in St. John this week they sold as low as ten cents by the crate. It apparently costs more to grow the luscious fruit in the vicinity of Fredericton than it does in the vicinity of St. John.

Public Opinion

FLAPPER SPEAKS UP

Editor of The Daily Mail,
Sir,—"Freak" is a term very seldom applied to a flapper these days. You could not have observed very closely the flappers' new sport models for this year, which are not in the least bit "freakish." Above all things the girls have replaced their French heels (which shouldn't be worn in the street) for oxfords or sandals with flat heels. Even the evening dresses are simple, and many are patterned after those which our grandmothers wore. Were they "freakish"? And I must say that I prefer bobbed hair to some of those funny "cooty cages." Please reconsider your idea concerning the flappers.

JUST A FLAPPER.
Fredericton, June 29th, 1922.

United Service.

Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. morning service in the Methodist church, evening service in the Presbyterian church. The newly elected elders of the Presbyterian church will be ordained at the evening service. Rev. Dr. Sutherland will conduct the services during the month of July. Sunday school in the respecting church at the close of the morning service.

F. B. Lynch of Bolestown is in the city.

Tenders For Clearing

The New Brunswick Electric Power Commission will receive Tenders up to 6 p. m. of Friday, July 7th, 1922, for clearing such part of the right-of-way of the Transmission Line St. John to Moncton, as requires clearing. Specifications can be seen and information obtained at the Office of the Commission, 72 Prince William Street, St. John. Tenders to state price per acre for ground actually cleared. Parties tendering to satisfy themselves as to nature of the work by personal examination of the ground to be cleared.

Tenders to be for sections of 22 miles each: 0 to mile 22. Mile 22 to mile 44. Mile 44 to mile 66. Mile 66 to mile 88.

The Commission does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

E. A. SMITH, Chairman.
A. R. Carter, Secretary.

PROBATE COURT
County of York

To the devisees, legatees and creditors of Eveleen Byrne, late of the City of Fredericton, in the County of York and Province (L.S.) of New Brunswick, Spinster, deceased, and to all others whom it may concern:

The Executor of the last Will of the above named deceased having filed his accounts in this Court, and asked to have the same passed and allowed, you are hereby cited to attend, if you so desire, at the passing of the same, at a Court of Probate to be held in and for the County of York, at my office in the City of Fredericton, on Friday the fourteenth day of July, A. D. 1922, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, when the said accounts will be passed upon.

Given under my hand this nineteenth day of June, A. D. 1922.
(Sgd) PETER J. HUGHES
Judge of Probate.
(Sgd) E. ALLISON MacKAY,
Registrar of Probates.
C. R. BARRY, Proctor.

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