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THE LEADER'S CALL.

"If there are people who say we should not fight for England, I say that we live under British institutions. We are a free country, and we must always fight for our country. I go further: there are people who say we will not fight for England; will you then fight for France? Ah, gentlemen, remember that it is not on England that Germany throws her forces; it is on France and Belgium. If England had refused to give her aid, those who say we should not fight for England would be the first to accuse England.

"Gentlemen, for my part, I want to fight for England and also for France. To those who do not want to fight either for England or for France, I say: Will you fight for yourselves? This war that has been going on for the past two years is the war of barbarity against civilization. This war interests all nations, even the neutrals. If Germany were to succeed, sooner or later those neutral nations would have to defend themselves against German aggression. Germany wanted to crush France, to annex Belgium and take domination from the North Sea to the Balkans as far as Arabia, and then she would dictate to the world."—Sir Wilfrid Laurier at Montreal, September 27, 1916.

CANADA AFTER THE WAR.

A spirit of optimism is sounded by Mr. James Carruthers, president of the Canada Steamships Lines and head of the well known grain firm of Jas. Carruthers & Co., in an article appearing in the current number of the "By-Water Magazine," the house organ of the Canada Steamships Lines. He says:

"I do not believe in most of the theories being advanced about the staggering situation to be faced after the war—not as regards Canada at least. There will be no such unsettlement as there was at the beginning. It will not be unexpected, it will be gradual. We shall see the end coming and prepare for it. No wreck resulted from the storm that broke on August 4, 1914; it will be plain sailing when the enemy is beaten and this Prussian militarism is crushed to the earth.

"A careful survey of the whole horizon as far as Canada is concerned undoubtedly gives but one clear prospect. After the war, yes, even from today, we have ahead of us a development and prosperity that no one can measure.

"The world has been greatly disturbed by the war. Some nations impoverished beyond hope, and others made prosperous.

"The readjustment of trade and commerce after the war will give great concern to many peoples. To us it should give none. The only thing approaching concern will be to see that we build well in laying the foundations for our country's future. Optimism coupled with thoroughness should be our motto.

"It is a generally admitted axiom that the fundamental basis of national prosperity lies in the indigenous elements of the soil. This being the case, let us sum up. We have the greatest untouched agricultural lands and forest reserves in the world today. Our coal areas are so vast as to be practically inexhaustible. The baser metals are ours in untold supply. And besides these great assets we have our fisheries, which can sustain millions. We have water powers that can move every machine in America, and light the continent too. What other natural elements are necessary to success? None! We have them all!

"Besides, the groundwork is laid, and well laid. No country in the world has a finer or more adaptable banking system. Our waterways are one of the wonders of the world and our shipping tonnage, per capita, is greater than any other country except England.

"Our railways, without further building, can handle a population of twenty-five millions with ease. Some of the newer roads may need assistance for a while; but they are semi-national undertakings and if they are helped now they will help the country immeasurably by-and-by.

"What we want and need most is faith in ourselves—confidence. We haven't enough of it. We don't know our own power and resourcefulness. There was probably not one Canadian at the outbreak of the war who would have foretold that our country would spend \$1,000,000,000 and supply half a million men in the first thirty months of the war.

"The only thing that will act as a restraining influence on our expansion will be our finances. Much new capital will be required. But the solution of this problem rests with ourselves. Our credit is good now. Let us keep it so. Let us exploit our national resources, but not our credit, and the world, having seen us play a man's part in the war, will give us a man's credit in peace."

Journal of Commerce: Years ago Kipling said, "East is East, and West is West, and never the twain shall meet." This may be true of the Orient, but it is not true of Canada, where men from the East have largely made the West. A case in point is found in the British Columbia elections, where two men from New Brunswick have fought it out at the polls. Both Bowser, the defeated Premier, and Brewster, the Premier-elect, are natives of New Brunswick. Brewster left his native province some ten years ago and went to British Columbia, where he soon became prominent in the fishing business. He has been a member of the legislature for several years, for a time being the only Liberal in the House. He is a shrewd, wide awake, progressive business man, and he takes the same acumen into his political life. His friends predict that he will make an ideal Premier.

It is hardly likely that Hon. Bob Rogers has the support of Hon. J. D. Hazen in his red herring crusade against Mr. Justice Galt of Winnipeg. The Hon. Bob is on record as stating that it was graft pure and simple for a judge to accept pay for his service as a commissioner. One of Hon. Mr. Hazen's first acts on becoming Premier of New Brunswick was to appoint the late Chief Justice Landry a commissioner to investigate Central Railway matters, and he saw to it that he was well paid for his services from the provincial treasury.

In connection with the high price of flour which now prevails, it is interesting to note that the Lake of the Woods Milling Company last year had net profits amounting to \$525,141. After providing for bond interest and dispersing \$273,000 in dividends, it carried the sum of \$53,000 to surplus account. It is an ill wind that blows nobody good.

The vacant Senatorship is said to be causing Minister Hazen a lot of worry. At last accounts the number of aspirants had passed the fifty mark, and was still growing.

Through Our Sieve

A house without a mortgage lacks one of the modern inconveniences.

A man who acknowledges that he is a chump has begun to acquire wisdom.

There would be fewer axes ground if the grinders had to turn the crank.

Few women would carry pocket-books if they couldn't carry anything in them but money.

Few men are as black as they are painted or as white as they are whitewashed.

Cynics and pessimists and war prophets have a hard row to hoe in this busy world.

The price of flour hasn't gone high enough yet to prevent the newspapers from printing cooking recipes.

The man who can acknowledge his mistake without blaming it on someone else has true courage.

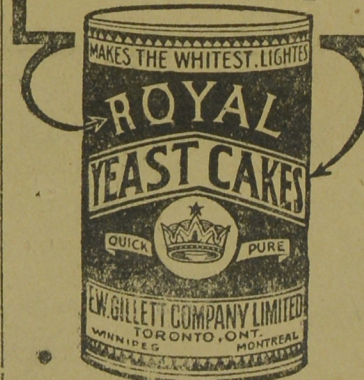
The father who uses only moral suasion with his children never has to strike them—except in a case of self-defence.

If a woman calls her husband a fool, he wonders whether he's a fool because he is her husband or her husband because he's a fool.

The Kaiser is off again to the East front. Wilhelm should find a spark of consolation in the fact that the distance from Berlin to the battle fronts grows shorter daily.

Nature hath formed strange fellows in her time. Some that will evermore peep through their eyes and laugh like parrots at a bag-piper.—Merchant of Venice.

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DROPPED CASE AGAINST THE LAVAL STUDENTS

Montreal, Oct. 11.—In the police court this morning the charge laid against two Laval students by officers of the pioneer battalion for tearing down recruiting posters and the recruiting stand and tent in Phillips Square, in the students' celebration last week, was put over.

No explanation was given for not going on with the case, but it is generally believed that in view of the statement of the Laval students that they regretted the occurrence, which was not intended as a protest against recruiting, that the pioneers will drop the charges.

M. P.5s SON WOUNDED.

Enlisted as a Private with the McGill Co. of the Princess Pats.

Ottawa, Oct. 11.—Robert Sifton Turpin, son of J. G. Turpin, M.P., appears among the wounded in this morning's casualties list.

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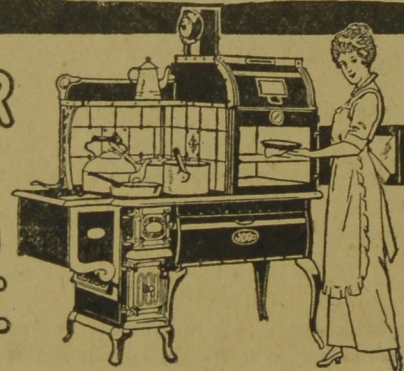
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