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A POPULAR MINISTER.

The Ottawa Journal, a Conservative newspaper recently paid the following tribute to Hon. J. A. Robb, who has again become finance minister of Canada:

"Announcement that Mr. James Robb will continue in Mr. King's cabinet as Finance Minister will be welcomed far beyond the ranks of the Liberal Party. There are men in public life whose character compels the respect of political opponents, and Mr. Robb is one of them. He is not of the flashy, brilliant style of politician, but rather the slow, steady type of mind, endowed with common sense to an uncommon extent—a man to bank with and to bank upon.

"In the election Mr. Robb was a tower of strength to his party. He had not that often fatally facile eloquence which rises easily above facts, but it had an authentic note, a realism, and an authority that inspired confidence and respect. Unquestionably, too, the Robb Budget was a tremendous factor in the polling results. It might be true—it was true—that the Robb Budget merely did for Canada in 1925 what other Governments did for other countries years before; but the fact remained that Mr. Robb had devised a budget that was popular, and the country gave him credit for it.

"In any event, men like James Robb are needed in public life. He is one of the Old Guard, one of that old Laurier band whose ranks are thinning fast—a man that Parliament, as at present constituted, could ill afford to lose."

HUMAN NATURE.

Is human nature changeless or does it simply become "more so" with the passing ages? Findings by archeologists prove that women in prehistoric times were interested in being thought beautiful. Some of the methods they adopted to make themselves beautiful were as strange then as they are now. Some of the results were as horrifying as they are today. At any rate women continue to spend millions, in hours and time, pursuing the sometimes difficult trade of producing beauty. In 1925 about 141 and one-half millions of dollars were spent on cosmetics and toilet preparations by American women. And they are evidently on the way up in their interest for that enormous sum represents an increase of 19 per cent in the figures of a couple of years before.

The name of Premier Baxter of New Brunswick is among those mentioned in connection with the position of house leader of the Conservative party for the approaching session. Hon. Mr. Baxter has served a four years apprenticeship in the Federal Parliament, and the Conservative party would be fortunate if they could persuade him to step into the breach to be created by the retirement of Hon. Arthur Meighen. Had Hon. Mr. Baxter been at Ottawa during the recent session and occupying the high place in the councils of the Conservative party which he occupied between 1921 and 1925, it is safe to say there would have been fewer vote losing blunders and the Conservatives would have fared much better at the polls than proved to be the case.

It's pretty tough on the neighbors when the owner of the neighborhood lawn mower gets so prosperous he goes away for the summer and leaves the thing locked in his cellar.

The clothes moth, says an entomologist, has extraordinary strength in its jaws. Still, none of them has ever actually cracked a moth ball with its teeth.

Only one phase of the business of sentencing Nebraskan bootleggers to bread and water has not yet been discussed. That is whether it discourages bootlegging.

A French aviator has made a new altitude record of something over 13,000 meters; but the way exchange is now that's probably only 85 feet.

Two Scotch girls may be deported for illegal entry in the U. S. A., but think of the Scotch that is making illegal entry and just gets decanted!

Western university president tells the incoming students not to work too hard, but how is he going to enforce it?

Scotland Yard is looking for Cromwell's watch which has been lifted. Well, at least, they can't blame that on Charles.

Mr. Tunney says the first syllable of his name is pronounced "ton," not "tune." Mr. Tunney is a heavyweight not a singing master.

Four out of every five wish they were some one else at times, and if they could have their wish they might wish they weren't.

After all, nothing determines quite so conclusively which is the best town as a high school football team—if it wins.

Among others who lost their titles Thursday evening were a large assortment of heavyweight boxing prophets.

When a man makes a business of his pleasure he doesn't get much pleasure out of his business.

Ludendorff has married a nerve specialist. That ought to give the former Kaiser a good laugh.

Generally speaking, when a man wants sympathy he's looking for something else, too.

It's a great life if you don't weaken, or waken.

If autumn comes, can the spring style shows be far behind?

A perfect bust may be either a 36 or a one-night affair.

THROUGH OUR SIEVE

Florida is not advertising for loafers now.

Mr. Average Man's consoling thought: Money isn't everything.

Leaves have their time to fall. So with champions. It's nature's way.

Harnessing the atom will solve the world's basic problems, says a chemist. But will it stand still?

Women seem to be getting sweeter. They have quit shooting their husbands.

We don't want to brag about being missed by hurricanes and tornadoes. There can be no assurance of immunity.

"Another pathetic feature of every day life is a smartly dressed little boy," says Bob Ryder. He looks so clean, so sweet and so mfsrable.

Robert Quillen thinks "It must distress some people a great deal when they can't think of anything to lie about." Huh! No liar ever gets in such a fix.

Under our twentieth century progress and enlightenment people who abhor prize-fighting as a brutal and bloody sport turn to the solace of the radio when a big event is on and get the details blow by blow.

Glenn Frank says Henry Ford's reforms "usually rest upon an idea rather than an impulse." Maybe Mr. Ford put all his impulsiveness into the popular product which bears his name. It seems rather skittish at times.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Armand of Halifax are guests at the Barker House.

DIED

DOWNING—At her home, 522 King street, Sept. 29th, Mrs. May Downing. Funeral Friday afternoon from the late home. Service by Rev. D. C. Kaine. Interment at Sunnyside Cemetery, Devon.

BRENNAN—At the home of his nephew, Harry Finnermore, Marysville, Sept. 28th, Matthew Brennan, aged 93 years. Funeral Thursday with service at 2 p. m. by Rev. A. B. McNeill. Interment in Methodist Cemetery, Marysville.

ROSS—At his home, 246 Queen street, Sept. 28th, Charles R. Ross, after long illness. Funeral Thursday with service at the late home by Rev. F. H. Holmes at 2 p. m. Interment in Rural Cemetery.

MOREY—At Tracy, Sept. 28th, Mrs. Annie Morey, aged 68 years. Funeral Thursday afternoon. Service by Rev. Mr. Crowell at the home at 1.30 p. m. and at the Nasonworth Baptist Church. Interment at Nasonworth.

SIXTY-SEVENTH STANLEY FAIR OPENED TODAY

Weather Fine and Attendance Large—The Judges' Dinner Will Take Place Thursday Night.

(Special to the Daily Mail)
Stanley, N. B., Sept. 29—The sixty-seventh Stanley Fair opened here this afternoon with fine autumn weather and attendance large. The exhibition will be held today and Thursday. There is an excellent display of livestock and agricultural products as well as of dairy products and women's work. The midway is large and is expected to do a big business. Many of the booths which appeared at the larger fairs are here.

Tonight there is to be a big dance. On Thursday night the customary dinner for the judges and officials of the fair will take place.

CIGAR LIGHTERS LIKE PHONES

New York, Sept. 29—Americans may yet enjoy a more general use of the English telephone, only in slightly transformed version. One New York shop attracts many passersby with its display of the newest imported cigar lighters, made like miniature models of the English phones.

Death of Aged Man.

Matthew Brennan aged ninety-three years, died suddenly Tuesday afternoon at the home of his nephew Harry Finnermore, Marysville. He had been about as usual and passed away after lying down in the afternoon. He formerly resided in both Devon and Fredericton. Surviving are one son Harry Brennan of Saint John and one daughter Mrs. Isaac Burden of Moncton. The funeral will take place Thursday at 2 p. m. The service will be by Rev. A. B. McNeill at the late home. Interment will be made in the Methodist Cemetery, Marysville.

SPECIAL ATTRACTION AT GAIETY THEATRE

A feature picture made from a comic strip in the newspapers is Ella Cinders" at the Gaiety Wednesday and Thursday with Colleen Moore in the title the life of the little slaver of the Cinders household is quite appealing and Miss Moore gives it the proper emphasis, alternating the serious with the comic side of the character. Lloyd Hughes is the ice-man admirer of Ella and there are other clever people in the cast.

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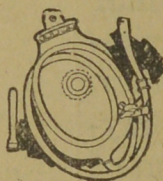
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