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LOOKING FORWARD

What will be the result of the mingling of races in the Canadian west? What type of man will the Canadian of the future be? Dr. Parkin and Dr. Grenfell predict that he will be of the highest type in all the world. The question presented itself to a keen American observer, Dr. Frank W. Gunsaulus of Chicago, while he was in Winnipeg recently, and he was impressed also with the very important part Winnipeg must play in the formation of the national character in the new west. In an interview with the Free Press he said:—

"As I drove along your streets this morning, I was reminded of the old Roman roads, where people of every class and nation and language gathered for the purpose of trade and commerce. Here you are gathering people from all nations, and the vastness of the country is educating and developing them. What kind of a man is going to come out eventually as a result of the mingling of all these races? You will need in Winnipeg the finest training institutions for the education of these men. You must have institutions similar to our Armour institute in Chicago. To that institution the Armour family have now given the sum of $2,800,000. To it there come the rich and the poor. The sons of the wealthiest fmilies in the west have come to us and there has never been a student turned away because of his poverty. Our theory of education is the simultaneous training of the heart, the mind and the hand, and I am glad to learn that to a large extent this system of manual training has been largely introduced into the schools of the city.

"I don't know when I have been so impressed with the possibilities before a city, as I have been impressed with the possibilities before the city of Winnipeg. The extent of country to which you minister here and which looks to you is so vast. You know that all the capitals of the great western country which extends north and west to the mountains, will be to a large extent reproductions of Winnipeg.

"The spirit which is engendered here will spread through all your western country. My interest is largely along educational lines and what, as an educationist, I would desire is to have the city of Winnipeg ministering to the great needs of the west in this respect. You will only be a true capital city as you supply to that area the trained men that are required for all affairs commercial and otherwise. This great country will be calling for engineers, mechanical, electrical, mining engineers and the city of Winnipeg ought to be prepared to supply this demand.' "

Dr. Gunsaulus sees in Winnipeg a parallel for Chicago in its former relation to the American west. In this regard he says:

"I went first to Chicago with my father just after the war. I saw the throngs of people who were crowding through the city to the west just as the people are crowding through Winnipeg today. After the war soldiers who had been in the service were each alloted land in the western states and these men were then going through the city to take possession of those lands. They got it free of cost or for a dollar per acre, because it was in the centre of a wildernes. That land is now worth $100 to $200 per acre, and there is a school house every two miles. Winnipeg is a similar gateway to the great northwest of Canada, and the story of the western states will be repeated here."

The favorable views entertained in the United States respecting Canada are illustrated by one other statement which we may quote from this authority:

"It is everywhere recognized that in connection with the settlement of the west in Canada there has been no disregard of law, no spirit of lawlessness, such as might have been expected in a new country. If there had been, the world would have found it easily excusable. The world would have said: 'The country is new. When the people have settled down these symptoms will disappear.' There has never been a period of that character in western Canada. The people who came here in the beginning, the Scotch-Irish, the Germans, the Icelandic, the Dutch, the Swedes, these people had been taught the virtue of obedience, and when they were called on to rule, they were well prepared to do it,. It is the people who know how to obey, who also know how to rule."

EASILY SETTLED

The editor of the New Glasgow Chronicle is opposed to the union of the Presbyterian church with other churches. He would resort to heroic measures to frustrate any such scheme. He sees new theology and rank heresy in the proposition. But he has discovered the cause of the threatened evil, and the remedy. Here is his own statement:—

"We believe we have discovered those who cary the microbes into the Presbyterian Assembly. They are, in our opinion, the college principals. They are at the root of the union movement, and they are the higher critics. They make their own creeds and thereby corrupt the doctrines of the church. They should be expelled and the assembly confined to the ministers and elders of congregations. The latter are they who know the views of the people, and they should know what the church should teach. Lord John, Lord Patrick and the other college lords should be shown to the dooor and boosted out."

It is quite clear from another article in the same issue that this brother also has his doubts about the wisdom of the clergymen, one of whom he accuses of "shooting off his mouth" and "making a public guy" of himself. Why have either college principals or clergymen in the Assembly? Why not only the elders—or one elder—to settle the whole matter? Is the New Glasgow brother an elder?

HARBOR MATTERS

(From The Telegraph.)

The decision of the city council to proceed at once with the work of rebuilding Union street will, it is hoped, ensure the completion of the work in ample time for next winter's business. Whether the plan of Mr. Peters is better than that of Mr. Cushing is an engineering question which the layman must leave to the wisdom of the council. They have in turn approved both, and therefore it may fairly be assumed that either would answer the purpose. The work is likely to prove an expensive one, but it must be done, and without delay. It is an important part of the work that must be done to make the new berths available.

The news that the powerful additional dredge will be at work in a very short time will be welcomed by the citizens. The summer is passing and much time most favorable for this work has already been lost. With two powerful machines at work, however, a great deal may yet be done before the end of November. The construction work on the new wharves appears to be well advanced, and if no serious difficulty is encountered the next four or five months should see a great change in the appearance of that portion of the west side water front, and a notable improvement in the facilities of the winter port.

anticipates the general elections for next autumn, Tuesday's Montreal Herald says: "Mr. Borden stated today that he was misunderstood when definiteness was given to a belief on his part that a general election was so near at hand, or that it might take place before the next session of parliament. Mr. Borden says he does not believe there will be a general election before next session—and that he has no reason for doubting that assurances given by the ministers that the elections are still some time off, are correct."

Today is the thirtieth anniversary of the great St. John fire. A view of the city as it was thirty years ago yesterday, placed side by side with one of the city as it is today would show great and wonderful changes. Brick and stone have replaced wood, steamships taken the place of sailing ships, grain elevators look down upon new wharves, and the whole aspect of the city is greatly altered. There is no less striking a change in the social life of the people.

The state is producing strong evidence to corroborate the testimony of Orchard in the great trial at Boise, Idaho. The Miners' Federation may endeavor by resolutions to influence public opinion, but the state appears to have a very strong case.

The destruction by fire of the Dalhousie Lumber Company's mill at the busiest time of the year is most unfortunate for the owners and for the hundred men employed.

SALVAGE CORPS JUBILEE

Twenty Fifth Anniversary of No. 1 S. C. & F. P. Will be Celebrated Tonight.

The silver jubilee of No. 1 Salvage Corps will be celebrated tonight by a banquet in the assembly rooms of Keith's Theatre. The rooms have been handsomely decorated for the occasion with flags, streamers, steel engravings and portraits of the heads of the department and prominent members. Each of the charter members, present and former members will be presented with a solid silver souvenir shield badge in commemoration of the occasion.

Capt. R. W. W. Frink will act as chairman and it is expected that between eighty and 100 will be present. Among the guests will be included all former members of the corps besides Mayor Sears, United States consul, Judge Willrich, Chief Kerr, the chairmen of the aldermanic boards, Street Superintendent Winchester, Chamberlain Sandall, Clarence Ward, who is, as far as known, the oldest fireman in the city; Director Wisly; Hon. R. J. Ritchie, Recorder Skinner, Chief Clark, Captain White of No. 2 Salvage Corps; Joseph Green, superintendent of the fire alarm system; Chief Rutter, of Fredericton, and Ald. Hooper, chairman of the fire board of that city, and others.

THE OPENING OF ROCKWOOD PARK

The New Amusement Resort Will be Formally Opened on June 29.

Rockwood Park, with its varied amusement features introduced by the Frank White Catering Company, will be formally opened to the public on Saturday, June 29, when the attractions will all be in full running order. One week later, on Saturday, July 6, a series of aquatic events will be provided on Lily Lake by the Neptune Rowing Club. On the evening of that day a display of fireworks will be presented and a pyrotechnic display will also be given on the evening of Dominion Day.

A meeting of a committee from the Neptune Rowing Club which has the aquatic sports in hand was held last evening in White's restaurant when the programme was decided on. The committee is composed of Heber Vroom, H. N. Coates and George Kirk. They decided to have the following events: Single scull race, double scull race, canoe races, pleasure boat races and a tilting contest. The majority of these events will be open to all.

It is probable also that arrangements will be made for sporting events to be held during the early part of the evening on some occasions to enable men who cannot get away from work till 6 o'clock in the evening a chance to compete.

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Saying to wrong, "Depart!"
To the voices of hope that are calling you
Open the door of your heart.

Open the door of your heart my lass,
To the things that shall abide,
To the holy thoughts that lift your soul
Like the stars at eventide.
All the fadeless flowers that bloom
In the realms of song and art
Are yours, if you'll only give them room,
Open the door of your heart.

Open the door of your heart my friend,
Heedless of class or creed,
When you hear the cry of a brother's voice,
The sob of a child in need.
To the shining heaven that o'er you bends,
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But only the love the Master gave,
Open the door of your heart.

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"If you do not take care of your money," said the ant to the grasshopper, "the world will simply sneer and ask you what you did with it."

"Yes. And if I invest it and become rich the world will sneer and ask me where I got it!"—Sketchy Bits.

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THE ETERNAL FEMININE.

"The ship will float but a few moments longer! Trust yourself to me and jump! Quick!

"Is my hat on straight?"

"Yes! yes! but come! "

"Tell me first how does my life preserver set in the back?"—Sketchy Bits.

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SHE HAD HIM.

"Have you seen the new comet, Alf?

"Oh, yes, dar—' '

"Then go sir, our engagement is at an end."

"But—er—why?"

"Because that comet is only visible during the hours that immediately precede daynght."—Funny Cuts.

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NO REST ON SUNDAY.

Olive—I hear Mrs. Screecher is going down to the penitentiary on Sunday to sing to the convicts.

Cholly—Goodness! I thought they let the poor fellows enjoy themselves on Sunday.—Illustrated Bits.

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AN INTERESTED PARTY'S SUGGESTION.

"When I refused young Smithley last night he said he would go and kill himself. What ought I to do?"

"Wait, my dear, and see if the bounder keeps his word. If he doesn't, you'll know he was not worthy of your love!" —Sketchy Bits.

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SUCCESS.

Friend—You've done very well, haven't you, doctor?

Doctor—Very well. I can almost afford to tell some of my fashionable patients that there is nothing the matter with them.—The Packet.

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A PROFITABLE PARABLE.

Before the collection was taken at a negro place of worship, the minister, a colored man, declared his regret that his brother had retired to rest the night before without locking the door of his fowlhouse, to find in the morning that all his chickens had disappeared.

"I don't want to be personal," he continued, "but I has my suspicions as to who stole dem chickens. If I'm right in dose suspicions, de man dat stole dem chickens won't put any money in de box, which will now be passed round."

There was a grand collection, not a single man of the congregation feigning sleep.

"Now, brederen," announced the minister, "I don't want youah appetites spoilt by wondering where dat broder libs who don't lock his chickens up at night. Dat broder don't exist, ma friends; he was a parable foh purposes of finance."—Funny Cuts.

METHODIST CONFERENCE

ST. STEPHEN, June 20—At yesterday's session of the Methodist conference the following resolution from the St. John district was unanimously adopted:—

"The Rev. G. M. Campbell, having requested to be relieved from circuit work in order to accept the secretaryship of the Canadian Bible Society, it was resolved that this district recommend the conference to grant Rev. G. M. Campbell permission to accept the position of secretary of the Canadian Bible Society and for that purpose he be not stationed on a circuit."

The conference also recommended that the case of Mr. Campbell be recommended to the general committee of the supernumerary fund for its wisest and most favorable consideration.

An application was received from the Rev. Ernest E. Styles to be received into the conference. Mr. Styles was a member of the British Wesleyan conference and labored in the West Indies as a missionary for twelve years and for the past year has supplied the Bideford circuit in the Summerside district.

On motion, the application was referred to the following committee to report back its judgment to the conference: Rev. Drs. Sprague, Paisley and Rogers and A. D. McCully and James Strothard.

An application was presented asking that the Rev. C. W. Hamilton be left without a circuit for the present year to engage in temperance work.

The applications were referred to the stationing committee.

The following candidates were received on trial for the ministry: John T. Costain, from Chatham; George Sutton Patterson, B. A., Sackville district; Alfred Joseph Gould, St. Stephen district.

MONEY TIGHT

HAMILTON, Ont., June 18—The Bank of Hamilton on Saturday was obliged to refuse a $150,000 loan at 10 per cent on gilt-edge security. Unless there is some relief by foreign capital, some of the banks here predict that many small business places throughout Canada will be forced to the wall. Hamilton has been unable to pay half a million of debentures on the market and is trying to negotiate a temporary loan in the Old Country.

A. J. S. Copp, M. P., of Digby, was in the city yesterday and went across the bay this morning. Mr. Copp prophesied that eventually there would be winter ports at L'Etang and St. George as well as St. John, and that all would have as much traffic as they could handle.

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