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MILITANT SOCIALISM

Recent conduct on the part of some representative Socialists—perhaps we should say sample Socialists—in Canada has served to direct public attention to this misguided element in the national life. The Socialists cut no figure in eastern Canada, but in the west, especially in British Columbia, they have gained some prominence. The Victoria Colonist, in an article which we reproduce, reads these people a lesson which ought to be taken to heart not only by Socialists but by Canadians generally. None have greater reason to distrust Socialism than the workingman whom it seeks to marshal under its banner. In Great Britain the breach between the Socialists and the trades-unions is widening, because the members of the latter realize more and more that it is not the worker but the loafer who has most to gain from a state of socialism. As the Toronto Globe remarks, "society must be able to give to every man his own and the fair value of his services in free competition before it need hope to reach an exalted plane in which man will consider his brother's interest as his own."

So long as Socialists contented themselves with advocacy of their peculiar views the general public went abut its business undisturbed, the very system which these people condemn giving them absolute freedom of thought and speech; but when they presume upon good nature to the extent of offering open insult to the cherished principles of their fellow-citizens it is not surprising that we have such protests as the following from the Victoria Colonist:—

"In Winnipeg British Columbia Socialists disgraced themselves and the province from which they came by refusing to rise when the toast of the King was proposed. Socialists in the British Colonial legislateure refused to rise when the official representative of His Majesty entered the assembly room. The mob in Vancouver declared its intention of burning in effigy the representative of His Majesty, and a supine civic administration permitted it to do so. Little wonder that, having done this, the mob proceeded to violate the laws of the land and to bring discredit upon British institutions."

"The time has come for plain speaking. The time has come when the blatherskite element, which has attached itself like a leech to organizations of honest, loyal and patriotic workingmen, should be held up for public execration. What is the King? He is the personification of the Majesty of the Nation. Of what does this Majesty consist? In the first place it consists of that principle of liberty of speech, which makes it possible for Socialist blatherskites to emit their tirades without being put under arrest. In the next place it means the safety of life, liberty and property. In the next place it stands for a fair field and no favor, for it is true, and every Socialist knows it, that under the protection of this Majesty, any person under the British flag may attain any position which his talents fit him to fill, except that of king, which experience has taught the British people cannot well be made a place open to the ambition of everyone. It means absolute liberty of thought, speech and action within such limits as the majority of the community think best to prescribe. This is the Majesty of the Nation—not the extent of its area, the wealth of its resources, or the glory of its history, except so far as that history teaches that under the flag liberty broadens down from precedent to precedent.

"When we drink to the health of the King, we are not simply honoring a man, Edward, although he is a man in every sense of the word—a patriot in the truest meaning, a friend and promoter of peace, an example of good and progressive citizenship, and the most popular man in the Empire. As such we might all be proud to honor him. But it is not the individual that we recognize when we rise to drink his health, but the representative of the Majesty of the Nation, the personification of the British 'crowned democracy.'

"Canada ought to have no place within her borders for those who decline to recognize these things, but on the contrary take occasion to show their contempt for them; yet the very thing which these Socialists profess to despise enables them to remain in the country, and if an attempt were made to remove them, they would be the first to appeal to the Majesty which they insult. 'God Save the King,' is more than a form of words. It is the embodiment in a short phrase of the results of long centuries of evolution in the science of human government. The spirit, which animates it, alone makes it possible for men living under the British flag and enjoying its protection to give vent to the half-formed notions which are paraded as Socialism."

AN INFERENCE

We infer from some observations which appear in the New Glasgow Chronicle that it does not hail with the unmixed pleasure we would expect to discover in a good Liberal newspaper the proposal of Sir Frederick Borden to introduce military training in the schools. If the inference is not well-founded the valued Chronicle will accept an apology. In the course of its observations the Chronicle says:—

"But, we had better stop, for the more we think and write the more disgusted we become. The subject is like a hair in a man's mouth which the longer it is in the bigger it seems. And our exemplar, the Morning Chronicle! For God's sake what twisted its usual good sense in that direction? We may give it up. Yes, and, as if to add insult to injury, the picture of the War Minister in its columns was taken with his eyes turned heavenwards. He evidently was not thinking of fiddling and jig dancing when posing for that picture. Oh! send him back to Ottawa where the formation of clesses v. s. masses is in progress. He and his General are out of place in our school business."

The Good Templars of Victoria county have endorsed the course of the Temperance Federation in asking the government to introduce a prohibitory law at the next session of the legislature. Presumably, with the return of the season of public meetings and general activity among temperance societies this question will be made one of general discussion. To what extent public sentiment may respond, and whether the prohibition question is to figure in the elections remains to be determined. Whatever else may be attempted, the license law as it applies to St. John is open to improvement in the number of licenses, the manner of granting them, and the enforcement of the regulations.

The Telegraph's special New York letter states that the American fleet will positively be sent to Pacific waters, and quotes the New York Times to the effect that Uncle Sam has grown weary of the "diplomatic hectoring" of Japan. It is further intimated that the government will renew its demand for increased naval expenditure, to provide an Atlantic fleet. The rise of Japan has projected new and momentous elements into the realm of international politics. Canada is not unaware of the fact, and must have a hand in the solution of some of the new problems.

The following observations by the Montreal Gazette are not without interest to the citizens of St. John:—Lieut.-Col Davidson has been telling the people of Toronto that they will never get good municipal government until the big men in the community, as they do in Great Britain, consent to serve on municipal bodies. At the same time Col. Davidson declines to become an aspirant to the mayor's chair because he hasn't time to properly attend to the office. Why does he not do as they do in Great Britain and make the time necessary by sacrificing his own interests?"

Two parties of Doukhobors, one numbering forty and the other forty-four, are journeying east of Winnipeg toward Montreal, declaring they will reach that city or die on the road. As they must traverse great stretches of unsettled territory they will probably die. The government should round them up and scatter them among communities where they would be properly cared for.

As parliament is not to meet before Nov. 7th. it is clear that very little business will be done until after the new year opens, and the session will probably run well into the summer.

When General Both arrived in Boston he was greeted at the station and welcomed by Mayor Fitzgerald. Everywhere the venerable head of the Salvation Army is received with honor.

The winter steamship season is at hand and the city council does not yet know whether berth No. 5 will be properly equipped for handling grain. Who is at fault in this matter?

A drunken man, leading or being led by his little child, was a pitiful spectacle on one of the city streets last evening.

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And sudden gusts,
And sharp, cold thrusts,
And the whistle of many wings;
Slow dawns and valley mists;
The turmoil of the wind;
The mix of things;
Grey, gust-ripped clouds,
Thin, ragged clouds,
That hold the sun
And keep the glint of silver back
From off the frost-white fields.
I want the wind,
I want the wind,
I want again the wild, swift wind!

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"Out of a job?"

"Yes, and they put a woman in my place."

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Miss Knox—"Yes; the day is so fine that I really hoped I wouldn't find you at home.

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THE SECRET OF HAPPINESS.

"What," queried the young man, "is the secret of happinness?" "The secret of happinness answered the sage of Sageville is not to let your trouble bother you any more than they do your friends"

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ANOTHER MARTYR.

Maud—She is a woman who has suffered a good deal for her belief.

Ethel—Dear me! What is her belief?

Maud—She believes that she can wear a No. 3 shoe on a No. 6 foot.

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"Then why don't you hold on to it?" asked the canny man.

"I would, but I need a hair cut and a shave. How will I look if I wait a month?"

JEALOUSY OR INSANITY?

Montreal Dressmaker Shoots Billiard Hall Manager, Then Turns Pistol on Herself.

Montreal, Sept. 27—A jealous or crazy woman turned the main billiard room of the Checker and Chess Club, east St. Catherines street, into a scene of the wildest confusion this afternoon, when Miss Celaine LaPointe, a dressmaker, fired a revolver at the manager, Ludger Houle, wounding him, and then shot herself. The woman is now in the Notre Dame Hospital, where the medical superintendent states that her life is despaired of, as a 32-calibre bullet is lodged in the back of the head and has not yet been located.

Mr. Houle was fired at while his back was turned to the woman, and the bullet entered behind his right ear, but surgeons were able to extract it a short time after he had been conveyed to the Notre Dame Hospital, and he will probably entirely recover from its effects in a few days.

What the woman's motive was in thus firing at a man with whom she had been more or less acquainted with during the past ten years, is still a mystery. Mr. Houle himself says he cannot account for the occurrence, except by supposing that Miss LaPointe was temporarily insane, but at the boarding house where the latter was staying the landlady asserts that the woman had never given any signs of being out of her mind.

"I cannot account for the affair at all," said Mr. Houle. "If there had been any question of love between us it might be explained, but there never was anything of the kind. I think the poor girl must have had hard times lately and gone out of her mind."

WEDDINGS

Armstrong-McWhinney

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the residence of the officiating pastor, Rev. J. F. Fotheringham, Elliott row, St. John, on Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 25, when Annie G., second daughter of William J. McWhinney, of Fairfield, was united in marriage to R. Stanley Armstrong, of Sussex.

The bride was beautifully attired in a traveling suit of dark blue Venetian cloth and white picture hat. She was attended by her sister, Jennie McWhinney, who also looked charming in a suit of brown, with hat to match. The groom was supported by Brunswick Thompson, of Gardiner's Creek. After the ceremony the happy couple drove to the home of the bride's parents, where a dainty wedding supper was served, after which they left amidst cheers and showers of rice, for their future home at Beechwood.

The bride received many useful and beautiful gifts.

Halliday-Kirkpatrick

Miss Ada Kirkpatrick, daughter of F. R. Kirkpatrick, Wright street, was on Thursday evening, married at the home of her parents to Wallace M. Halliday, of Truro. Rev. Samuel Howard performed the ceremony. There were no attendants. Mr. and Mrs. Halliday, who were the recipients of many valuable and useful presents, will reside in Brittain street.

The home of Samuel Taylor, 15 Simonds street, was the scene of a pleasant gathering last evening when a number of his friends called to offer congratulations on the tenth anniversary of his marriage. Among those present were Mr. Taylor's fellow firemen from No. 2 Hook & Ladder house, Portland street. The presentation of a Morris chair by William Hamm to Mr. Taylor, on behalf of those present, was a pleasant feature of the evening. The recipient suitably acknowledged the gift.

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