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CONSERVATION

The appointment of the conservation commission for Canada is another important step in the direction of protecting great sources of national wealth. The personnel of the commission, indicated in an Ottawa despatch in today's Times, shows that political considerations have not swayed the government, and that each section of Canada is well represented. The powers of the commission are merely advisory, but if these gentlemen give some attention to the collection of data, and to conferences on the whole subject, the result of their deliberations cannot but be beneficial to the whole country. In this new country there is too great a tendency to exploit somewhat recklessly the wealth-yielding resources, with too little regard for the future. This is notably the case in relation to the forests, and to some extent of the fisheries. Canada does not know the extent of its wealth in natural resources, and is therefore careless of conservation. The like carelessness prevails all over the continent, although in quite a number of the American states the question of proper protection is receiving a great deal of attention and has been made the subject of important legislation. The new Canadian commission is a public recognition of a great need, and it should accomplish valuable work along the lines mapped out for its activity.

BERESFORD'S SPEECH

The heart of the Empire is absolutely dependent on the punctual and sure delivery of the water-borne food and raw materials supplied by its arteries, the trade routes. A successful attack on the trades routes would paralyze the trade of the Dominions as well as that of Great Britain. It therefore becomes a matter of life or death to the British Empire to remain supreme at sea. Any attempt to wrest that supremacy from us must be met by a steady, reasoned and determined effort on our part to defend what we hold. Command of the sea is a necessity for our existence as an Empire."

This statement by Lord Charles Beresford in Toronto yesterday expresses the views of the Canadian people. The trade routes must be protected, as well as the heart of the empire. To this end the oversea states must have their own naval forces, able to defend their great ports and the routes therefrom to the blue water. To say that its navy must be supreme at sea is very far from saying that the Empire seeks war or aggression. The aim is to consolidate and develop the Empire. Peace is desired, and the surest guarantee of its maintenance is, as Lord Bereford has said, a practical plan of defence. "Our supremacy at sea has been threatened," says the admiral, "in language that is unmistakable."

The Canadian people did not await the coming of Lord Beresford to make up their minds in regard to this whole matter. They are none the less glad to hear his clear and calmly reasoned statement of the case. This country is already committed to a policy of naval defence, and there can be no doubt that a satisfactory plan will be announced as a result of the imperial defence conference. The growth of a healthy imperial sentiment in the last few years has been rapid, but remarkably so during the past few months. A notable contributing cause was the grave tenor of the addresses of Asquith, Balfour, Haldane, Rosebery and Beresford before the members of the imperial press conference, and the agitation that arose in Great Britain over the question of naval defence. Events have crowded upon each other and, while the local panic in England quickly subsided, the result has been far-reaching. The Empire has calmly set itself to the task of ensuring its integrity by an imperial plan of naval and military defence, founded, as Lord Beresford said yesterday, in a phrase that will live, on the principle of "one Union Jack, one navy, one army, one throne." By this he means that the navies and armies will be one in the stress of war, but that each of the five nations will ordinarily manage and control its own. That is the Canadian idea in a nutshell.

COURTING DISASTER

Some Conservative editors down this way would do well to ponder over the following observations made by the Victoria Colonist (Conservative) touching the course they pursue—

"A certain section of the Conservative press is courting another disaster for its party. It has suited the purpose of some editorial writers to assail in advance the policy of naval defence, which had been agreed upon between representatives of the Dominion government and the British ministry. No one knows just what that policy is, because there has been no formal announcement; but the papers referred to are sure it must be wrong because it has the approval of their political opponents. They are dragging into politics something that ought to have no place in politics, and some of them are disopsed to assail Mr. Borden because he does not enter a protest against an undeclared policy. * * * * *

"We not that one prominent eastern Conservative paper denies that in the solution of this question the first place, after the duty of bearing our share in Imperial defence has been conceded, must be given to the maintenance of the principles of Colonial self-government. The man or the newspaper which thinks the Conservative party can hope to carry Canada upon a platform which does not admit to the full these principles is under a complete delusion. The relations of the self-governing Dominions and the Mother Country are in a process of somewhat rapid evolution. British peoples are engaged in working out a new problem in national development, in which independence within the Empire is an essential feature, and this must find expression in any permanent system of Imperial defence. The people of Canada will not be content to play the part of tributaries. The partnership must, as Viscount Milner said, be between equals."

It does not appear to be necessary to add anything to these pungent remarks.

CANADA'S TRADE

To those Canadians who fear that disaster will follow in the wake of retaliatory duties on pulp and paper entering the United States, we commend this statement from the Bangor Commercial:

"Congressman James R. Mann, who worked for a reduction of the tariff on wood pulp and print paper in the house, sees dark times ahead for users of the latter. He believes the United States is on the verge of a great tariff war with Canada and states that the Dominion has the position of vantage in the matter of the pulp and paper tariff. He believes the situation rests in the attitude of the Provinces of Quebec and Ontario toward the provision in the new tariff regarding pulp and paper. It is his opinion that Canada is not pleased with the new tariff, and he foresees the price of paper soaring skyward, possibly by next March.

"Unless we can get pulp wood from Canada," he said today, "many of our print paper mills will go out of business, and it is to the interest of cheap news print paper that we should have competition between American paper mills and Canadian paper mills. Whether the Canadnan provinces will remove their restrictions is doubtful. Under the proposition I made to congress, making a tariff of $2 a ton on paper, if the restrictions were removed, the Canadian provinces would have agreed to our terms. But it is doubtful whether they will do that to get a reduction to $3.75 a ton."

THE HARVESTERS

Noting the fact that the west is still calling for harvesters who do not materialize, the Montreal Gazette says:—"Apparently the certainty of securing plenty of hard work in the fields at wages running from $2 a day and all found does not appeal to the working men of the east this year. This is undoubtedly in large measure due to the fact that with returning good times there is a good supply of steady work at fair wages to the right kind of men, while the others are generally unable to raise the price of their tickets to the west."

Perhaps if it were made as easy to get back after the harvest is over as it is for the men to go west, the response might be more general. Doubtless the Gazette's explanation of the case is the true one. Times are better this year. Several excursions were cancelled last year because more than enough men were available in the western harvest fields. The contrast is striking and instructive.

The British Association has been considering a resolution urging the Manitoba government to offer a bounty for the extermination of rats, on the ground that if allowed to spread they will destroy 25 per cent of the wheat crop. The farmer in New Brunswick does not have to reckon with crop-killers of this sort.

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Free trade England continues to protect its cattle industry from Canadian competition.

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If the statement about wages, $52 per week, given out at Glace Bay is true, the road to sudden affluence has been discovered. It is a subway.

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Here in the noise and the din,
Here where our spirits were hurled
To battle with sorrow and sin—
This is the place and the spot
For knowledge of infinte things;
This is the kingdom where thought
Can conquer the prowess of kings.

Wait for no heavenly life;
Seek for no temple alone
Here, in the midst of strife,
Know what the sages have known;
See what the perfect ones saw—
God in the depth of each soul,
God as the light and the law,
God as the beginning and goal.

Earth is one chamber of heaven;
Death is no grander than birth,
Joy in the life that was given,
Strive for perfection on earth.
Here in the turmoil and roar
Show what it is to be calm;
Show how the spirit can soar
And bring back its healing and balm.

Stand not aloof nor apart;
Plunge in the thick of the fight.
There in the street and the mart
That is the place to do right;
Not in some cloister or cave,
Not in some kingdom above;
Here, on this side of the grave,
Here should we labor and love.

IN LIGHTER VEIN

MUSICAL

He sang to her in the gloaming,
Love songs she was joyed to hear;
She thought it the sweetest music
That ever caressed the ear.
It wasn't artistic singing,
But Cupid supplied the art,
For while he sang, he was playing
On the organ called her heart.
—Philadelphia Bulletin.

DO WE SEE OUR WIVES AS OTHERS SEE 'EM?

First Strapholder (in a whisper)—"Why did you give that woman your seat! She isn't bundle-laden, tired, or pretty, or even polite."

Second Strapholder—"Well—er—you see—she is my wife."

NEARLY ALWAYS

A watch may have no gender.
But you really can't efface
The fact that nearly always,
There's a woman in the case.
—Philadelphia Bulletin.

UNCLE EZRA SAYS

" 'Ez a rule people ain't half so sad nur half so happy ez they appear to be on the surface."—Boston Herald.

TRUE

All men at times must toe the mark;
But all men who know
The holes in socks, if left undarned,
Will surely mark the toe.

FOR HE'D HAD EXPERIENCE.

Her (reading)—"And so they were married and that was the last of their troubles."
Him (sotto voce)—"Last but not least?"—Cleveland Leader.

THE TARIFF AT THE TABLE

"It is evident that the tariff provisions are coming right home to us," remarked the cheerful boarder.

"How is that!" inquired the ribbon salesman.

"Why," replied the cheerful boarder as he frowned reproachfully at his knife, "it looks to me as if this sirloin steak was the 'leather joker' in a thin disguise."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

ONE VIEW.

If I could hit like Tyrus Cobb,
I'd never have to hunt a job,
If I could scheme like old John D.,
The wolf would never bother me;
But if I couldn't sail balloons
Much better than Walt Wellman—then
I think that I would quit the game,
And be content to push a pen.
—St. Louis Star.

THE TARIFF IN THE KITCHEN

"I am glad my dear," mildly observed the much-enduring man as he glanced on the underdone steak and the half-boiled potatoes, "that I now know our cook's views on the tariff."

"Why dear, she doesn't know or care anything about the tariff," said the astonished wife.

"Doesn't she?" returned the husband. "She shows a decided tendency for putting raw materials on the schedules, then."—Baltimore American.

HIGH AND LOW CHURCH AND THE NEW HYMNAL

(Toronto Telegram.)

J. Edmund Jones, convenor of the Hymnal Compilation Committee, the fruit of whose unremitting labors for three years was the Book of Common Praise, which is to be issued for the use of the Anglican Church in Canada on September 7th, refused to comment on attacks on the teachings alleged to be contained in the book. The hatchet is wielded by S. H. Blake, K. C., who declares that the book shows a Romeward tendency.

"The committee has disbanded, its work being completed," said Mr. Jones this morning. "The book has been passed upon by the highest authority, and I have no authority and no desire to speak on the matter.

"It might be noted that Mr. Blake in his pamphlet refers to hymns and verses which are not in the hymnal at all, and apparently he has no final draft of the book before him."

Mr. Blake quotes two verses from a hymn which he thinks inculcates worship of the cross. These are omitted in the new hymnal. He quotes another communion hymn from another hymnal altogether, the inference being that it is in the new hymnal, which it is not.

The new hymnal is to be adopted throughout the Diocese of Huron, which hitherto refused to accept Hymns Ancient and Modern. The Church of the Redeemer, 'low' church, is adopting the hymnal, as is also St. Ann's Church, in Parkdale, the corner stone of which was laid by S. H. Blake, K. C.

Mr. Blake intimated that lots of money will be forthcoming to produce an antidotal hymn-book.

ANIMAL HUSBANDRY

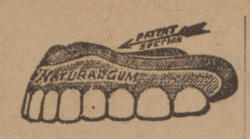
(Tornoto World.)

Farming is a profession which transcends all others in the richness of the things it teaches and the possibilities it opens. Not the least interesting of all the agriculturists' work is the rearing of animals. How types and symmetrical outlines can grow under man's supervising intelligence! This is well expressed in Sanders' History of Shorthorns. He says:

"The sculptor lures from the solid marble images of grace, beauty or strength that provoke the plaudits of the world. His contact with his work is direct. In calling from stone creatures of his own conception, the figures may be shaped at will. A Phidias or a Canova lifts the veil from his superb handiwork and gains a place in the gallery of immortals. Compared with him who has the power to conceive an ideal animal form and call it into life through a profound knowledge of nature's intricate and hidden laws, the greatest sculptor is a mere mechanic. There is no higher form of art than that which deals with the intelligent manipulation of animal life, the modeling of living, breathing creatures in accordance with the will and purpose of a guiding mind. It rises in its boundless possibilities to heights that are fairly God-like. It sounds the depths of the profoundest mysteries of physical existence, verging on the borders of the Infinite itself. The world of human endeavor presents no nobler field of action, no realm of thought demanding a higher order of ability."

Martin Harvey, the actor, has consented to open the session of the Scottish National Song Society (Glasgow centre) on Sept. 23 with a short address on "National Song."

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ACTIVE PREPARATIONS FOR PLENARY COUNCIL OF CANADA

Important Catholic Church Conference This Month in Quebec—The Programme of Ceremonies and Sessions

Quebec, Sept. 1.—There is active preparation for the important sessions of the plenary council of the Catholic church in Canada, to be held here beginning on the 19th inst.

Amongst those present will be all the dignitaries of the Canadian Church, and the proceedings will be opened by a period of general prayer to the Holy Ghost, ordered by all the bishops in their respective dioceses. Each archbishop will be present with two theologians, whilst each bishop will have one. Besides these latter the assembly will include vicars-general, delegates from the chapters of cathedral canons, prothonotaries' apostolic; Roman and domestic prelates; the rectors of Ottawa and Laval Universities, the superiors of grand seminaries and the provincials and vice-provincials of religious orders.

At the opening session, the officers of the council will be elected. These latter will not have a deliberative voice in the discussions. There will be secretaries and assistant secretaries, notaries, masters of ceremonies, chanters and porters.

In an official document His Holiness accords a plenary indulgence, subject to the ordinary conditions, to all the faithful who visit the cathedral church of Quebec or any other parish church of the province during the council, and who there pray for the intention of the Supreme Pontiff.

The programme of the ceremonies and sessions of the council is as follows: :

PRELIMINARY MEETINGS.

Thursday, Sept. 16—Arrival of His Excellency the Apostolic Delegate and the fathers of the council at 3 p. m. Meeting of the archbishops in the council room of the archbishop's palace at 8 p. m.

Friday, Sept. 17—Preliminary congregation of fathers of the council.

Saturday, Sept. 18—First preliminary reunion in the convention hall of the university of all the members of the council.

ORDERS OF THE DAY.

Sunday, at 9 a. m.—Solemn session; 7.30 p. m., pontifical vespers.

Monday, 9.30 a. m., congregation of bishops; 3 p. m., meeting of commissions.

Tuesday, 9.30 a. m., synodal meeting, 3 p. m., commissions meet.

Wednesday, 9.30 a. m., congregation of bishops, assembling of commissions at 3 p. m.

Thursday, 9.30 a. m., synodal meeting 4 p. m., meeting of the bishops.

Friday, 9.30 a. m., synodal meeting; 3 p. m., meeting of commissions; 4 p. m. congregation of bishops.

ORDER OF EXTRAORDINARY OFFICES.

Thursday, Sept. 23—At 9 a. m., solemn service in the Basilica for the deceased bishops.

Sunday, Oct. 3, pilgrimage of the fathers of the council to Ste. Anne de Beaupre.

ORDER OF EXTRA OFFICES.

Monday, Sept. 21—At 8 p. m., meeting of men in St. Savior's church.

Sunday, Sept. 27th, at 8 p. m., meeting of men in the Basilica.

Monday, Sept. 28th, 3 p. m., meeting of young and old men in St. Patrick's church.

Thursday, Sept. 30th, 3 p. m., meeting of young children in St. John Baptiste church.

Sunday, Oct. 3rd, pilgrimage to Ste. Anne de Beaupre.

Monday, Oct. 5th, at 8 p. m., meeting of young people in the Church of Notre Dame de Jacques Cartier.

Thursday, Oct. 7th, 3 p. m., meeting of English children in St. Patrick's church.

Sunday, Oct. 10th, at 3 p. m., meeting of English speaking women in St. Patrick's church.

Monday, Oct. 11th, at 3 p. m., meeting of French women in St. Roch's church.

The Conciliary Mass will be said each day at 8 a. m. in the Basilica.

The work of the council will occupy nearly a month.

SPECIAL RATES TO FREDERICTON

Fredericton, N. B., Aug. 31—W. B. Howard, district passenger agent C. P. R., was this evening consulting with the exhibition and driving park association authorities in reference to reduced fares during the exhibition. He stated that a one-fare rate would prevail on the Atlantic division during the fair, and that there would be special rates from St. John on three days, and from St. Stephen, St. Andrews and points north on two days. The fare from St. John on special days will be $1.60. The arrangements proposed are highly satisfactory to those interested.

There was an increase of $1,200 in the custom receipts here for the month of August over the corresponding period last year.

Rev. Sub-Dean Street performed the ceremony this evening uniting in marriage James D. Hughie, of this city, and Annie E. Jordan, of Lakeville Corner.

The local government met here this evening with all the members in attendance. The regular schedule was taken up and considerable business, principally of a routine nature, was disposed of. Another meeting will be held tomorrow. It is expected that the report of Commissioner Teed, who investigated the administration of justice in the Moncton police court, will be laid before the executive at this session.

John E. Stewart, railway promoter of Andover, is here on business with the government.

George E. Armstrong, of Perth, who has been guiding a party of Americans on the Nepisiguit River, is here this evening en route home from Bathurst.

ANNAPOLIS SCHOONER IS ABANDONED

Boston, Aug. 31—A despatch to the Chamber of Commerce today from Nuevitas, Cuba, states that the three-masted schooner Havelock, of Annapolis (N. S.), has been picked up at sea abandoned and towed to that port. Part of the cargo has been swept overboard and the vessel was leaking.

No news has been received of Captain C. C. Berry and his crew. The Havelock left Annapolis on July 25 for Caribbean, Savannah and St. Jago.

The schooner was built at Bridgetown (N. S.) in 1901 and was owned by Pickles & Mills, of Annapolis.

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GALICIAN MINISTER TO PRISON

Toronto, Aug. 31—At Fort William today, Rev. James Loudsick, a Galician minister, was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary by Magistrate Palling. He had been caught breaking into a Greek store near the docks.

HON. MR. PUGSLEY A DIRECTOR

(Montreal Star).

Hon. Wm. Pugsley has been elected a director of the Black Consolidated Mines, of which John Black, of Montreal, is president. Mr. Pugsley, with James Robinson, of Millerton (N. B.), will represent the maritime people who are taking an interest in this stock.

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