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DRUMMONDVILLE, MAY 27, 1930

Canada's Empire Day Message Is The Budget Of 1930," Says King

POWER REGISTERS 43RD SECUTIVE MONTHLY GAIN

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R-100 MECHANICS ARE IN MONTREAL

Lieut.-Commander N. G. Atherton, with ten mechanics and riggers, and a wireless operator, have arrived in Montreal, Saturday. In discussing the proposed flight, Lieut.-Commander Atherton ventured the opinion that the R-100 would cross the Atlantic at a cruising speed of 55 knots an hour, and would be about three days covering the distance between Cardington, and Montreal, with average good conditions.

The air liner will pass over Cape Farewell and the Belle Isle Strait in sighting Canadian territory and will follow the St. Lawrence up to Montreal. Lieut.-Commander Atherton declared that the dirigible would vary about thirty-five tons of fuel on the trip, but would probably not need it all, unless she was forced out of her course by strong winds or inclement weather. Although she would cruise at around 55 knots, there was considerably in reserve for the R-100 could safely go as far as 85 knots an hour with her present covering.

Preliminary Steps Taken For Polling

New Features of Election Act — General Census to Be Taken — Same Procedure for Urban and Rural Districts.

OFFICERS

Several new features are incorporated in the Election Act which was recently changed in connection with polling. In the past Provincial electoral lists were used to form a nucleus from which the Dominion list was built up. The new ruling, however, calls for a complete census of every person over twenty-one years of age in the country in order that the Federal list may be as complete as possible.

It is explained that as soon as the date for the Federal contest is fixed at Ottawa and that the Drummond County Returning Officer receives notification to this effect from the Chief Electoral Officer, he will appoint one enumerator from each poll, whose duty it will be to canvass every family in his poll and take down the name of all persons over twenty-one years residing in his district. The lists will be gathered, printed in alphabetical order, and posted in his office for the inspection of the public, so that any person may determine whether or not his or her name is on list.

The same method of procedure will also apply to the rural districts.

Preliminary arrangements are at present being made the Returning Officer's duties, though as yet the enumerators and other officers have not been appointed.

Orders Notary To Stand Trial At Sweetsburg

J. R. Comeau, of Farnham, Charged With Misconversion of Securities, Released on Three Thousand Dollar Bail.

LIQUOR CASE

Sweetsburg. — R. Comeau, notary of Farnham, was ordered to stand his trial at the fall session of Court of King's Bench on a charge of converting to his own use municipal stocks and bonds to the amount of \$2,200, the property of Mr. Pierre Harbec, which had been entrusted to him for safekeeping. Judge Lemay fixed bail for Comeau at \$3,000.

Charles Page, of Noyan, was found guilty of selling liquor without a license, and was sentenced to forty-five days in jail. The charge was laid by the Quebec Liquor Commission.

Town Council

A regular meeting of the Town Council will be held to-night, presided by Mayor W.-A. Moisan. Several important question will probably be brought to the consideration of the Councillors and it is expected that the municipal appraisers for the present year will then be selected.

Premier Gives Messages to Nation — Stresses Need of Tightening Empire Bonds and Forming Economic Unit — Proposed Changes in Dominion Elections Act Tabled.

MAY PROROGUE THURSDAY

Ottawa. — On the eve of the Empire Day, Premier Mackenzie King issued a message to the people of Canada and of the British Empire generally. He stressed the need of tightening the bonds of Empire and of wedding together an economic unit.

"Canada's Empire Day message is the Budget of 1930. By progressive extensions of the British and Empire preferences, by facilities for welcoming to Canada the R-100, and by other means our country has afforded a practical demonstration of her desire to see developed policies which she believes are not only in her own interest but equally in the interest of all parts of the British Commonwealth of Nations."

"Canada's action in this particular is the outcome of no spirit or jealous economic exclusiveness toward other nations. Our portals of trade are open to the world on terms of fair exchange. We value, however, our association as a member of the British Commonwealth of Nations. In our growth toward full stature of nationhood, we have strengthened the ties of sentiment and tradition which bind us to the Motherland and our sister nations of the Empire."

"It is especially gratifying to note that our latest extension of the British and Empire preference has met with such a spontaneous and whole-hearted response in the British press, irrespective of party affiliations. Trade is essentially a matter of business, but in the conduct of our national business we are happy to remember that we are members of a great community of nations under the British Crown, which offers unexampled opportunity for fraternal co-operation and commercial enterprise in the era of vast development which awaits the world in this twentieth century."

MORE ENUMERATORS ARE URGED

Ottawa. — The principal change proposed in the recommendations of the special parliamentary committee on the Dominion Elections Act, which was tabled in the House of Commons immediately prior to adjournment Friday night, relates to the appointment in urban areas

posed political interests in the electoral district.

of two enumerators to each polling division instead of only one provision being made that one of each pair of enumerators shall represent one of the two principal op-

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A LETTER OF APPRECIATION AND MEMORIES, FROM FAR AWAY TEXAS

Dr. E. A. Cayo, Now of San Antonio and Formerly a Drummondville Boy, Sends Greetings to The Spokesman and Recalls Happy Days in His Old Home-Town.

We are delighted to publish the following letter, dated May 17, at San Antonio, Texas, and sent in by a former Drummondville boy, Dr. Edward A. Cayo, and we take this opportunity to heartily thank the latter for his kind appreciation of The Spokesman, and for all the sentiments he expresses in recalling the happy days he has lived here, with the many "good little boys" who will remember him with pleasure, for sure:

"Editor, The Spokesman, D'ville.

My dear Editor:— I find my subscription to "The Spokesman," for the present year, is due, or over due, so I am enclosing my cheque for this amount and also to cover the subscription for the coming year.

Now, with the consideration in hand, may I take this opportunity of saying a few words, not only to the credit of "The Spokesman," but also to the memory of my old Home-Town, Home-County, and Home-Country.

So first let me say that there is a feeling of pride and satisfaction associated with receiving a newspaper from my old Home-Town, yes, a newspaper that is broad enough to incorporate the spirit of thrift, progress, and goodfellowship that I find in The Spokesman. I read "The Spokesman" all through and enjoy, not only the general news, but, the editorials, as well. One editorial that appeared in a recent issue was strikingly interesting in disclosing the fact that the psychology of life with you people is quite on a par with that which is going on down in this Southern part of the world. This comment of yours had to do with automobiles and the "speed limit", and advised a law to regulate reckless driving without reference to speed limit: this is just what I advocate myself, and here, I am reminded of a statement that I once heard Sir Wilfrid Laurier make. He said: "We are making laws so that it will be easy for people to do right and difficult for people to do wrong." A speed-limit law, I contend, makes it so easy for people to break the law that the latter becomes a demoralizing rather than a beneficial influence and most people seem to be breaking this law at every opportunity.

And now about Drummondville. Drummondville, since the days when I a boy on the banks of the St. Francis River, has impressively developed to the point of incorporating all the vices and virtues of a full grown town, and I now think of it, not as the little village lost in the nine-mile woods that, as a boy, I used to know, but rather as a thrifty metropolis with an unlimited future of prosperity. So times have changed. My old home, in Wheatland, that, in the days gone-by, was two hours from Drummondville, in these modern days it is only fifteen minutes away, in other words, it is in the suburbs of your city.

So, leaving behind the days of Billy Mitchell, Old-Man Watts, J. N. Turcotte, Piché le maigre and Piché le gras, etc., will you please remember me to some of the good boys with whom I used to go fishing, namely: Dr. Charpentier, Dr. Garon, Dr. Allard, by brother Urban, and, all my other good friends?

With best wishes to you, I remain,

Yours very truly,
Edward A. CAYO, M. D.

MAYOR OF GRANTHAM HIT BY AUTO

Mr. Esdras Mailhot, Mayor of the parish of Grantham and superintendent of the highways for this district, sustained several injuries to the head, legs and arms, Friday evening, when he was struck down by an automobile, the property of and driven by Mr. Hermann Cardin, in Heriot street, opposite the Post Office. The injuries, although considered minor, are most painful and will prevent Mr. Mailhot from working for several days, it is reported.

CITY LICENSES ARE NOW DUE

All city licenses are due since May first, including dog and horses licenses, and the city authorities are prepared to enforce the by-law in that regard. The officials of the city trust that the public generally will give their immediate attention to the payment of all licenses so that no unpleasant situations may arise.

ALBERTA OIL SANDS YIELD AUTO GAS

Ottawa. — Gasoline in almost unlimited quantities can be commercially produced from oil sands in northern Alberta. Announcement of this discovery was made today by Dr. E. H. Boomer, of the University of Alberta, addressing the National Research Council.

The credit for a new method, which yields light oils suitable for the production of gasoline, goes to Dr. Boomer and Dr. A. K. Clark, also of the University of Alberta. A semi-commercial plant is now in operation in the field and results show that western Canada, at least, will shortly be independent in the production of motor fuel.

Research in connection with tar sands has been conducted for several years under grants by the National Research Council and energetic study has produced striking results, it was revealed.

By the application of hydrogen obtained from the enormous quantities of natural gas available in Alberta, Dr. Boomer has hydrocracked the tar and produced a light oil that readily cracks to produce gasoline.

Boyce Concert Real Treat to Lovers of Music

First Concert of Choral Obtained Bright Success, Tuesday Night — Brilliant Programme Well Rendered.

OPERA

A most enjoyable concert was given, Tuesday night, at the David Academy, under the auspices of the Boyce Choral. The latter then officially made its maiden bow to the public of Drummondville and a well deserved success crowned its efforts to please its audience, which was a large one albeit a very nasty weather prevailing that night.

The following programme was mastered by its interpreters who had, in most instances, to answer encores:

Four groupes sang the popular airs: "Cheminéau chemine," "Au Clair de la Lune," "En revenant de la Jolie Rochelle," and "Vive le Roi et la Reine." The soloists were Messrs Paul Audet, A. Rivard and Miss Albertine, Florina and Louise Parenteau sang with success, "Les Brésiliennes."

"Elle ne croyait pas dans sa candeur naïve," by Ambrose Thomas and, "Ca fait peur aux oiseaux," were rendered with brio by Mr. P. E. Rioux, tenor.

Mrs. Houston, charmingly interpreted two songs, "Au clair de la lune," by Paul Marinier, and "Somewhere a voice is calling," by A. F. Tate.

"Sous la fenêtre," by Schumann, was sung by Miss Hilaria Lamoureux and Mr. Paul Audet. A group of the Convent de la Présentation pupils interpreted a very interesting short play entitled "Les Heures," by Dubois. The audience was so enthusiastic in its applause that the play was repeated. The artists were Misses Rita Moisan, Madeleine, Paule, Charida Labrecque, Barbara Benoit, Therese Helie, Lucille Milot, Hermance Genereux, Solange Chapdelaine, Marie Lafond, Rachel Normandin, Gertrude Gauthier, Marie-Therese Menard, Rejane, Paule et Hectorine Biron.

A charming operetta, "La Doctoresse" was very brilliantly rendered by Mrs. C. Rancourt and Miss Yvonne Proulx.

"Youppie! Youppie! sur la rivière," Victor Pepin soloist, and "Chants Canadiens" and finally "O Canada!" were sung by a choir.

All the artists on Tuesday night's programme, and particularly Mrs. Boyce, who directs the choral, deserve most sincere congratulations for that first concert. It is especially called upon to live in the best interests of art in Drummondville.

Recommends Boys

Ten young English lads who have had some training in farming sail today from England with Sherbrooke as their destination, and R. W. Nutbrown, the secretary of the Eastern Townships Immigration Society, says he will be glad to receive applications for their services. These young men are of a superior type, and Mr. Nutbrown can always proudly recommend them to good farmers in the Eastern Townships.

IMPRESSIVE CEREMONY AT CATHOLIC CHURCH, SATURDAY

E. T. NEWS OF
INTEREST

DESASTROUS FIRE

Magog. — Fire completely destroyed a truck and its load of furniture at Doyed Hill, two miles from Magog, Thursday, evening. The machine was travelling from a connecticut village to Lake Megantic at the time of the blaze, with the household effects of a returning family.

The flames started in the rear of the vehicle and had gained such headway before they were noticed that the occupants were unable to save anything except a few bed springs and a stove that were on the back of the load.

While the exact cause of the outbreak is unknown, it is thought it was started when a match was flicked by some one into the rear of the truck.

SEARCH FOR SON

Sherbrooke. — A search is being conducted by Mrs. Margaret Kuann, 274 Wellington street south, for her son, Edward, who left Sherbrooke about three years ago and from whom she has only received one letter since. This came from Cathcart, Mann., about a month after his arrival at that place.

Edward Kuann, now twenty years old, came to this country from England to work on a farm, and a year later was followed by his parents. For a year after their arrival he worked near Lennoxville, but in the summer of 1927 left on a harvesters' excursion for the west.

Shortly after his arrival in the west he wrote home saying that he had a position in view and would write when he was located definitely. However, no word has since been received from him.

He is described as dark-haired, brown-eyed and slight over five feet in height.

RECTOR HONORED

Sweetsburg. — At the annual convocation of the Montreal Diocesan Theological College held Thursday evening, the Bishop of Montreal, as president of the Board of Governors of the College, conferred the degree of Bachelor of Divinity on the Rev. F. T. Norman, B. A., I.T.H., rector of Cowarsville and Sweetsburg.

The degree was awarded as a result of examination finished last only once a year, the conferring had to be postponed until the present convocation.

The examinations for the degree, comprising in all, ten papers including one on the four Gospels in the original Greek, are set and conducted by the board of examiners appointed by the General Synod of the Church of England in Canada, of which His Grace Archbishop Matheson, Primate of Canada, is chairman.

The degree is a very coveted one as only ten have been conferred by the Diocesan College during almost 60 years of its existence. The college retains the right of conferring it only on those who are graduates of some recognized university.

WAS EMINENT LAWYER

Waterloo. — Mr. Charles A. Nutting, K. C., a prominent member of the Bedford Bar and a lifelong resident of this place, passed away at his residence here, Wednesday morning, following an illness of several months.

Born in Waterloo eighty-one years ago, Mr. Nutting received his early education at the Waterloo Academy, later studying law at McGill University. Upon his graduation, he returned to his native town and established himself in practice here. Of a kindly and friendly disposition, he much preferred to settle cases amicably rather than carry them through a long process of litigation.

He is survived by his widow (nee Elizabeth Haskell), and one sister, Miss Addie Nutting, of New York.

He was a lifelong member of the Methodist and later United Church, and in politics was an ardent Liberal.

His Grace Monseigneur Brunault Officiates at Blessing of The New Altars at Local Catholic Church — Of Gothic Designs.

ITALIEN MARBLE

His Grace the Bishop of the Nicolet diocese, Monseigneur J. S. H. Brunault, was the guest of the Catholic Clergy here, Friday night, and Saturday morning when he officiated at the very impressive religious ceremony of blessing the new altars, the main altar and two lateral altars, masterpieces of Gothic art, recently installed by the Canadian representatives of an Italian firm. They were effected in Italy, in Carrare marble, and their plan and designs were made by Mr. Louis Audet, Sherbrooke, architect of the new church. They are of a real artistic perfection in all their sober details.

A baldachin which is to rise over the main altar will be added later. The consecration of the church will take place later in the year and that very imposing ceremony will also be presided by His Grace the Bishop of Nicolet accompanied by a numerous representation of clergymen from this diocese and all over this district and the Eastern Townships.

Hotel Charges Will Be Probed By E. T. Boards

Complaints that Tourists Are Charged Exorbitant Rates for Hotel Accommodation in Eastern Townships Will Be Taken Up, at Next Month.

RURAL POWER

The charge made that excessive rates are levied on tourists by hotel managements in the larger centres of the Eastern Townships will be one of the several matters taken up at the joint summer meeting of the Eastern Townships' Associated Boards of Trade and Eastern Townships' Immigration Society, in Waterloo next month, according to a decision reached at a meeting of the executive which convened at the offices of the Immigration Society Sherbrooke, Friday, under the chairmanship of Mr. J. K. Edwards. The matter was brought to the attention of the executive by one of the members who stated that he had heard several complaints from tourists that exorbitant charges were made for hotel accommodations during the summer months.

The proposal of a National Park in the Orford Lake district will also be before the meeting, when it is expected that Dr. G. A. Bowen and Dr. C. S. Harris, both of Magog, will review the results of conferences held with federal and provincial officials. The abolition of level crossings in the Eastern Townships and the organization of Boards of Trades in the different towns of the district where such associations are not at present functioning will be another feature item to be considered.

The question of electric power for rural dwellers will be touched upon, and it is expected that an engineer of the Southern Canada Power Company will be present to address the delegates on this matter.

It was announced during the afternoon that the joint summer meeting of the two organizations will be held in Waterloo during the third week of June. The exact date has not as yet been fixed.

Among the speakers who will be requested to address the meeting will be Hon. A. R. McMaster, Provincial Treasurer; Dr. Black, C.N.R. Colonization Department, and a representative of the Provincial Women's Institute.

United Church

The Ladies Aid of the United Church are having a Rummage Sale to be held at the Market Place, corner Heriot and Berard streets, on Saturday next, May 31st. Sale begins at 6.00 A. M., Daylight Saving Time.

SOCIAL & PERSONAL

M. and Mrs. L. E. McCarthy, from Coaticook, were interested visitors here on Sunday, the guests of their daughter, Mrs. I. Plouffe, Brock Street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Saucier, from Noranda, Témiscamingue, were visitors in Drummondville, recently, the guests of Mr. Alphonse Paré.

—Mr. R. Brouillard, of the C.N.R., was in Montreal for a short stay, last week.

—The Misses Edna and Gaby Lovejoy, from Granby, spent the week-end here, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Julien Datois, St. Joseph Village.

—Mr. Damien Moulin was in Montreal, Saturday.

—Messrs. A. M. Roche and Chas. McLeod, from Cowansville, were visitors in our town yesterday.

—Mr. Honoré Girouard, formerly municipal engineer here, has left for Toronto and the State of Ohio, where he is to meet officials of the company he is now employed by.

—Mr. Edouard Garand, publisher, Montreal, was in Drummondville, last week.

—Messrs. Oscar Timons and Charles Poirier were recently in Quebec City.

—Mrs. J. A. Gendron left for New York City, Saturday for medical treatments.

—Mr. and Mrs. Saunders, from Wickham, were the guests of relatives and friends here, on Sunday.

3-RIVERS' CLUB COMING?

Unfavorable weather did not allow the opening game of the season at Sherbrooke, Sunday afternoon, at which our local boys were to play against the bright squad of the Queen City.

No game has as yet been scheduled for this coming Sunday afternoon, but the D.V. management is actively trying to book the 3-Rivers club for that day. The fans would enjoy the presence of the visitors of the Pulp City on the local diamond, Sunday. And their dream may yet turn out to realization.

Large Number At Opening of Danville Club

Mixed Two-Ball Foursome Was Won by Mrs. Stevenson and Mr. J. A. Wilson.

Danville. — Despite unfavorable weather conditions last Wednesday, the official opening of the Danville golf course and club house for the season 1930 attracted a good turnout of members and their friends. Some seventy to eighty enthusiasts gathered together

during the afternoon, and a quarter of their number managed to get eighteen holes played without an inconvenient soaking by the Weather Man. Two ball mixed foursomes were the order of the day. At the end of the day's play Mrs. (Dr.) Stevenson and Mr. J. A. Wilson were found to be the winners, will Miss Gwen Elliott and Mr. Wade Gifford second. Some good scoring appeared on the cards considering Saturday was the first day out for many of the players.

Tea was served during the afternoon. The thanks of the Club are due to the following ladies, who were the hostesses, Mrs. Paré, Mrs. Cleveland, Mrs. Stevenson, Mrs. Alney, Mrs. Fuller, Mrs. Cle-

Announce New World Track Record Marks

List of New Athletic Records and Holders Published by International Amateur Athletic Federation at Berlin.

Berlin. — Here are new world's track and field records approved by the International Athletic Federation:

100 yards, 9 5-10 seconds, Tolani, U. S. A.
1,000 yards, 2:11 2-10, Ellis, England.
Ten miles, 50:15, Nurmi, Finland.
400 metres, 47 seconds, Spencer, U. S. A.
500 metres, 1:03, Tavernier, Italy.

15 kilometres, 46:49 6-10, Nurmi, Finland.
25 kilometres, 1:23:45 8-10, Harper, England.
30 kilometres, 1:43:07 8-10, Sipila, Finland.
One hour, 19:20 metres, Nurmi, Finland.
Broad jump, 26 feet 1-8 inches, Cator, Haiti.
Pole vault, 14 feet 1-2 inches, Barnes, U. S. A.
Discus throw, 163 feet 8 3-4 inches, Krenz, U. S. A.
Javelin throw, 232 feet 11 5-8 inches, Lundquist, Sweden.
110 metre hurdle, 14 4-10 seconds, Wennstrom, Sweden.
One mile relay, 8:13 4-10, United States.
400 metre relay, 40 8-10 seconds, German National and Charlottsburg, S. C.
veland Drown, Miss Church and Miss McCaffrey.

The schedule fixture for next Sunday at the Danville County Club is a scaled hole competition, which always proves popular so early in the season on account of the element of luck which enters into it. Given favorable weather a large turnout is expected.

The ringier competition sheet at the club house has already got a few figures inscribed on it.

BOXING SOIREE, AT GOSSARD PARK, SATURDAY, FINE SUCCESS

More Than Fifteen Hundred People Attended — Beau-rivage, Poisson, Chasse and Parenteau, Four Local Boys, Won Fights — Two Knock-Out.

No less than 1500 fans of the many art, many from outside points of this district, were attracted to the open air boxing matches held at the Gossard Park, Saturday night, and the general opinion was favorable regarding the way promoter Royce had organized things on that occasion.

Two decisions were given and two knock-outs were registered during the execution of the four-bout pugilistic programme.

Jack Fisher (Poisson) knocked out his man, Young Scott, of Drummondville, in no time, and Eddie Beau-rivage did the same trick against his black opponent, one Jack Reid, hailing from Montreal.

Both opponents to the two victors were willing, but did not class as real matches in the circumstances.

Frise Chasse and Young Parenteau won by a hair against Armand Cadieux and King Robert, respectively, both of Parnham, the two encounters going up to the end of the contemplated rounds.

A fire display ended the soiree which, taken all in all, was interesting and enjoyed by the majority of those present.

Percy Williams Resumes Training

Vancouver, B. C. — Percy Williams, Olympic sprint champion, and his fiery — thatched mentor, Bob Granger, who parted over a year ago following a series of misunderstandings at various eastern track meets, are teamed up again. The pair shook hands and vowed that in the future nothing would come between them to break up the act that put Canada in the athletic limelight, during the last Olympic games.

Under the direction of Granger, Williams will go into immediate training for the International meet which is to be staged here in July. Williams will also perform at the Empire games at Hamilton in August, and if successful there will run for the British Columbia team in the International games at Chicago. Williams this year may confine his activities to the century dash as his leg, injured last summer, may not stand the grind of the 200 metres or the 200 yards.

In commenting upon his reconciliation with his trainer, Williams said that working with Granger gave him greater confidence.

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the proposed act, since, if this Parliament were so soon dissolved, the proposed permanent provisions on this subject could not be brought into operation, and no provision which could be applied to a general election following such a general dissolution would be permanently satisfactory.

PROROGATION THURSDAY? Ottawa. — Prorogation of Canada's sixth Parliament on Thursday night looms as a probability. The speed with which the House of Commons despatched business so far gives weight to the closing of the session on that date. Dissolution and announcement of an election date will likely follow within a day or two.

Our forefathers shed their blood that we might be free. If only they could see us now, paying our income tax, and 33 other kinds of taxes.

Answer to Unsigned Letter

Received by the Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Co., from a Resident of Drummondville.

The following is published in answer to unsigned letter of criticism received from a resident of Drummondville.

The friends of Mr. Kehoe who supervised and opened the Meat Department of The Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co. Store in Drummondville, will be pleased to learn that he again has been placed in charge of the local store and plans in spending this week in Drummondville.

With respect to the appointment of enumerators, special provision is made to cover the case of the present Parliament being dissolved within one month from assent to

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There is no doubt about the vote having been given women for political advantage, but that is another matter. They have always believed, however, and still believe, that very few women will be interested in actively taking part in political life. Political efforts are, for the most part, rather foreign to the nature of woman. One has been voting in Ontario now, for many years, but one has only to talk to those connected with the political campaigns to find out how difficult it is to get women to vote.

have demonstrated that they have not the slightest idea of what the parties mean and what they stand for. They are not interested in politics. They are not interested in the attitude that politics is a man's game of importance to them.

India Is Invited

There is grim humor in the fact that, with one city hands of Indian insurgents and British air fleets piously dispersing hostile Afghan troops, the calmly announced that the round-table conference will attempt to settle India's problems will open on 20th. In other words, Britain intends to make walk along the path of orderly self-government, of Gandhi's passive resistance, or of his sup-violent riots.

date of the conference is purposely set to enable leaders to watch developments at the Imperial Conference. It is hoped that the leaders from the four of the Empire will lend their weight to the moral constitutional agreement in India.

Indian leaders could hardly fail to be impressed by the atmosphere of the Imperial Conference. Men of different racial origins, different mother and different religious creeds could and should part to convince India that India's progress to self-government depends upon India herself, and alone.

Murder in The U. S. A.

In 1900 in thirty-one American cities, with an population of 40,000,000, the homicide rate has been ten. The figures ranged from 66 for Memphis for Birmingham and Atlanta to 8.4 for Philadelphia for New York and 12.7 for Chicago. Contrast figures with those for the thirteen leading Canadian cities where the homicide rate decreased from 2.7 in 1918 to 1.28 in 1928. The rate for Montreal was 1.4. During that time there was only one homicide in the City of Quebec for all England and Wales in 1928 was 0.5.

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French Press Comments

WHEN CONTEMPLATING U. S. PROSPERITY

(L'Action Catholique Quebec)

"We are not by any means overcome when contemplating the actual prosperity of the United States, for history is like the old school-master who was noted for his good sense and who taught that it is the heart and intelligence that make peoples last. The United States command a great deal of admiration, but it must not be overlooked that in developing their scientific teaching they have omitted many things that count in the future of a people. The fact is being realized today, and the country is at a crisis upon the outcome of which it is difficult to conjecture. A machine age has been developed without thought of the people, and an expectant people is getting impatient. Science ought to be devoted not only to the service of production, but also, and above all, to a good distribution of all the activities of a nation."

THE MODERN GIRL

(Jean Bruchesi, in "Le Canada")

"Men—sometimes are very strange creatures. When they see girls who have little intellectual culture, they make fun of them. When they see girls who, on the contrary, are cultivated and well informed, they shrug their shoulders and speak of 'old maids' and 'blue stockings.' Here in Canada, old maids and 'blue stockings' in the sense signified, namely, women who have become pedantic through learning, are in a minority. Nevertheless, it is true that, in a general way, there is more culture, at once wide and varied, a greater intellectual curiosity and a more serious desire to learn—even a little snobishness—amongst the young girls of today than amongst the young men of the same class. And if amongst the girls who have come out, there are very many of the hair-brained kind, 'dolls,' as they are called, and not all of them pretty ones, is not the fault very often to be attributed to the young men?"

A MINISTER OF FISHERIES

(La Patrie)

"The Government's decision to divide the Ministry of Marine and Fisheries and establish a separate ministry of fisheries is meeting with some criticism in certain Conservative newspapers; but it is worth of note that in reaching this decision the Government is only adopting one of the recommendations of the Duncan Commission made after making a prolonged investigation into the needs of the Maritime Provinces."

UNITED STATES OF EUROPE

(L'Evenement, Quebec)

"On the same day that M. Tardieu announced the complete evacuation by French troops of the German province of the Rhine, his colleague in the French Cabinet, M. Briand published to the world an important document concerning a project for instituting, first of all from an economic point of view, and next from the pacific point of view, the United States of Europe. At Geneva, where the League of Nations assembled, it is estimated that fifteen or fifteen nations will be prepared to negotiate for economic unity on the basis laid down in the Briand project. It may be seen what progress has been made toward the fruition of an idea which, two or three years ago, was considered to be quite impracticable. It is coming to be more and more realized that, against the unpromising attitude of what we may term United States continentalism, Europe will be forced to find some means of economic protection or safeguarding. It is to be noted that the publication of the Briand plan coincided with the deposit of the promissory note with the new International Bank for the Settlement of War Indemnities. France and Germany have never been so well disposed since the distant days of the Empire of Charlemagne for making mutual concessions necessary for the peace of their frontiers and of the Continent of Europe."

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What Golf Can Do

Some golfers take their favorite sport entirely too seriously.

A Britisher by the name of Halliburton died in London recently and when his will was read it was found that he had provided that his body be cremated and his ashes scattered about under a beech tree located on the golf course, the tree being particularly designated.

Always under that tree Mr. Halliburton encountered something that prevented him from achieving some high point in golf. Shooting for the eighteenth hole his ball landed against the beech tree. His foil in life, the beech tree area became his grave in death as the members of his golf club carried out the wishes of this eccentric, and assembling under the beech tree, scattered his ashes hither and yon. The tree was even named after Halliburton.

Just what Halliburton expected to accomplish by means of his unusual will is unknown. Maybe he thought the peevish he cherished against the offending beech tree was of such a virulent character that his ashes would be impregnated with it and take on such poisonous qualities that the tree would wither up and die.



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