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The Public Forum

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CAN THE FIBS!

Sir.—Many thoughtless remarks that work to the injury of the Protestant Orphanage are being made by persons who have not considered fully the harm they may do. The Protestant Orphanage is kept up solely by the good will offerings of the people and the hard work of a wonderful band of women who give of their time unstintingly to augment these offerings. While the institution may not be perfect and we do not claim it is, yet it is doing a wonderful work for the help-less orphans of Protestants here. Nothing should be said against it that will cause injury. Stories circulated that there are only eight or ten children in it, etc., are not helpful to the canvassers. A count of heads will show you, if you are a visitor, thirty-two children, mostly very young, several being babies. Of course babies require night nurses, etc., and mean more expense but they are always welcome and will be long as so many good people remain to help the Protestant Orphanage.

I am, Sir, etc., D. A. MacKINNON, Lt.-Colonel Chairman of Board of Trustees of P. E. I. Protestant Orphanage

Notes by the Way

The suggestion that the same day should serve for Armistice and Thanksgiving celebrations is rejected by the Toronto Globe on the ground that it has little to commend it. Both are notable days, but it is argued that the only relation between them is that the usual dates fall pretty closely together. They have been hitherto observed on different dates and each with a specific object in view. Armistice Day has been set apart to commemorate the anniversary of the cessation of hostilities in the Great War and to pay a silent tribute to those who gave their lives for their country, while Thanksgiving Day is a day of rejoicing for the ingathered harvest and the blessings of the year. Armistice Day is a fixed historic date and has been set apart by the British people for their observance throughout the Empire. And the Empire is so broad and so varied in climatic conditions that rejoicing for its ingathered harvests could be fitly celebrated somewhere within its bounds in every month of the year.

One complaint against Premier Ferguson is that he makes prohibition a party question by making Government control the chief issue at a general election. The objectors aver that the Government control should have been submitted to the people by a plebiscite or referendum, separate from party political questions. As it is now many electors will be voting for or against the Government on purely party grounds, while many others will be voting for or against prohibition, because of their moral convictions as to the best method of handling the liquor trade.

The objection has not much value or weight. The merits or demerits of the Government are inseparable from its policy and measures and by these it will be judged and must stand or fall. If the popular vote goes against Government control it goes against the Government and both ought to fall together and vice versa. The Opposition stands by the Ontario Prohibition Act, and if they win on that they will be entitled by the popular vote to have the administration of it.

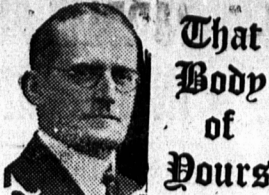
There are some minor issues in the campaign. One of these is old age pensions, which the Liberal leader has made a plank in his platform. We presume he is in favor of the measure which was introduced by the King Government at the last session of Parliament and was passed through the House of Commons but was defeated in the Senate. Old age pensions are of two main classes, contributory and non-contributory, according to whether the beneficiary contributes or not toward the pension fund. In the non-contributory class the pensions are paid entirely from public moneys.

Old age pensions wholly from public moneys were first established in Germany in 1889, and later in France, Great Britain, Denmark, Iceland, Australia and New Zealand. Within the last few years nine European countries, as well as

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DAILY LESSONS IN ENGLISH

Word Study: "Use a word three times and it is yours." Let us increase our vocabulary by mastering one word each day. Today's word: AN character analysis of love. "I analytic



That Body of Hours

By James W. Barton, M.D. NOT ALWAYS INDIGESTION.

You read in the papers from time to time of men and women stricken down suddenly, and death was ascribed to ptomaine poisoning, or perhaps acute indigestion. A Boston or rather Brookline physician contends that many of these sudden attacks are really due to a heart condition. The vessels supplying the blood to the heart are sometimes thickened, so that the flow is not sufficient to nourish the heart, and it gradually weakens and finally stops.

Fortunately, if a physician is called, he recognizes the symptoms of this condition, and can safeguard to some extent the future health of the individual. Ordinarily, as this physician points out, "the picture is that of a middle aged person suddenly stricken with a severe pain under the breast bone, or over his stomach, and nothing, not even morphine, seems to relieve that pain. The face is anxious, of an ashy color, clammy skin, and rapid, feeble pulse." You can readily see that this is not unlike an attack of indigestion or ptomaine poisoning. However, there are other symptoms as to blood pressure, temperature, condition of the blood and so forth, that only the physician can recognize and appreciate. Therefore, it would be a wise proceeding to call in a physician for any and all of these attacks. If it is a simple case of indigestion the physician can give relief in a shorter time, and should it be the heart condition, the physician's treatment is absolutely essential.

A heart case of this kind, from which the patient recovers, mistaken for indigestion, gives a feeling of security regarding the heart that might prove fatal at the next attack. The treatment is complete rest in bed, even if morphine or other medicines are needed to keep the patient absolutely quiet. He should be kept in bed for six weeks. These attacks are sometimes due to a small portion of tissue actually blocking or partly blocking the vessel so that there is not sufficient supply of blood to the heart to keep up the strength of the heart itself. Of course, most sudden attacks are not heart attacks, and are therefore not dangerous, but it would be well for us to remember the warning of this physician, and call in the family doctor.

Daily Selections FOR Guardian Readers

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THE REDISCOVERED BIBLE— "And the King went up into the house of the Lord, and all the men of Judah and all the inhabitants of Jerusalem with him, and the priests, and the prophets, and all the people, both small and great; and he read in their ears all the words of the book of the covenant which was found in the house of the Lord." 2 Kings 23:2.

PRAYER— Lord, we would cleanse our way by taking heed to Thy Word.

MAN AND THE TREE I ask no greater favor than to be friend of the sunshine, brother to a tree.

Neighbor to beauty, and in turn to give little joy to others while I live; To have in me that gift for happiness.

Which trees and stars and violets possess.

Men find delight in brooks and running streams, Beneath a tree a weary traveller dreams.

Roses make glad innumerable hearts, Unmeasured joy the morning sun imparts.

And since all nature wears a gentle grace, So I with beauty would enrich my place.

Some stand enraptured, gazing on a tree, So let men find some little charm in me.

Pansies are loved and welcomed in the spring, The world grows brighter when the linnets sing.

Brother to these, I, too, would pay with mirth And happy memories for my stay on earth.

Must the unthinking tree be kinder than, I to the weary, dusty fellow man? Must men rejoice to see an elm at morn And find no joy because I, too, was born?

Surely I have it in my power to be as friendly and as gracious as a tree.

love children. "I like candy." OFTEN MISPRONOUNCED: abyss. Pronounce a-bis, the a as in "talk," I as in "it," accent last syllable. OFTEN MISPELLED: fertilize; lize. SYNONYMS: essential, necessary, needful, indispensable, required, requisite. WORD STUDY: "Use a word three times and it is yours." Let us increase our vocabulary by mastering one word each day. Today's word: AN character analysis of love. "I analytic

OUR LIQUOR PROBLEMS

It is only natural when the liquor legislation of other provinces has been put, or is being put, into the melting pot, that seriously-minded people should question whether our own liquor legislation is giving the results anticipated. Except by the Guardian the question has not hitherto been publicly discussed seriously although it has been receiving a good deal of consideration in a private and semi-private way. We are sure our readers will read with interest the address delivered last night by the Rev. Mr. Herman and reported in this issue. Mr. Herman handles the subject boldly, but the sum and substance of his conclusions are that the way to compete with the illegal traffic is to cheapen legal liquor. We are not in a position to criticize the accuracy or otherwise of all Mr. Herman's statistics, but we do know he is in error regarding the part played by the medical practitioners. Mr. Herman says the issue of "scripts" by the doctors is "unrestricted" and that as there are a hundred doctors in the province, the public pays them \$120,000 per annum. As a matter of fact doctors are restricted, the number in the province is only about 60, and the average number of certificates granted per month is 50; at least it was so last year, and we have no reason to believe it is higher for the current year; so that instead of \$120,000, the amount paid for certificates is \$36,000—provided the fee is always a dollar, which we very much doubt.

But allowing for argument that Mr. Herman's statistics are right, and that the picture he painted of the deplorable state of drunkenness and bootlegging in our midst is accurate—which we do not for a moment admit—what is Mr. Herman's remedy? He would have the Dominion Government reduce the customs duty, he would have the Prohibition Commission eliminate its profits, he would wipe out doctors' certificates, and with the reductions thus obtained open the flood-gates of legal liquor to compete with the bootleg liquor of the rum-runner, and thus put him out of business. It is obvious, as Mr. Herman says, that so long as the cost of legal liquor is so much higher than the cost of bootleg, the boot-logger will prosper, as naturally the illegal purchaser will favor the cheapest market. But to enter into competition with the illegal traffic with legal traffic would not serve the purpose, temperance people have at heart. They do not want to raise drinking liquor as a beverage to the standard of respectability. At present it is not respectable, far less lawful to offer or accept strong drink, in the home or in public, and the temperance sentiment here is against lifting the embargo. While condemning the present system, which no one for a moment admits is perfect, Mr. Herman offers nothing in its place except "free rum" with the restriction which only "the law of Jesus Christ" would impose. But who is to see that the Christian law is enforced? We have no guarantee that the average Christian, or nominal Christian would restrict his indulgence, however desirable the attainment of such a consummation may be. The reverend gentleman does not suggest the system that is to replace the present for the distribution of the legal rum that is to drive the bootlegger out of existence. Has he the Quebec Government control in view? Does he represent the Moderation League? Are his views endorsed by the P. E. I. Ministerial Association? Is he merely a

EDITORIAL NOTES. Notwithstanding the frequent and occasionally heavy rains during summer and early fall the roads keep in excellent condition and are a credit to the Minister of Public Works and his patrolmen. Can any one find out what the King government is doing to prevent smuggling of liquor into this or any other province? There has been no boasting recently in Liberal circles over any new achievements. Good-bye October, with your gorgeous autumn colorings, your bright sunny days and pleasant memories! Welcome November, less balmy and less gorgeously dressed but none the less, although differ-

ment in the province, which rather favor tightening than loosening of the bonds of restriction. Still we do not wish to detract from the value of Rev. Mr. Herman's plunge into the controversy; he has the courage of his convictions in destructive criticism, though he is lacking in that constructive ability so necessary for the adequate discussion of a question of the importance of our prohibitory law.

DOES DAIRYING PAY?

In discussing this question with a farmer of considerable experience and who has been much more than ordinarily successful, he stated that at prices now prevailing for milk and counting the cost of hired help, that dairying does not pay. If cost of feed, of hired help and the necessity of milking regularly regardless of all other demands upon one's time, were taken into consideration, the net profit to the owner of the herd would be very small, if indeed there would be any.

It is quite possible that in such a season as the present, with an exceptionally large crop of potatoes and a remunerative price, the proceeds from the dairy herd may look somewhat meagre. But it must not be forgotten that the potato business is not always as profitable as it is this year. Nor should it be forgotten that the butter and cheese business is less liable to damaging fluctuations than any other line of agricultural products.

Admitting that the price received for milk is not as remunerative as it might be, we are strongly of the opinion that any reduction in the milk output in this province would be a serious disadvantage. The dairy herd returns to the farm all that it takes out of it, and it is the only product of which this can be said. The more milk the farm produces the more productive the farm becomes. Potatoes on the other hand exhaust the soil and while the crop may compensate for the expense of the fertilizer and the labor, there is a yearly leakage which must be made up yearly. Farm help is one of the great problems in this Province. In too many cases the sons of the farm, who are its best and natural help and who could build up a farm for their own future by staying by the business, leave for less profitable employment elsewhere. This is one of the difficulties of the help problem, and one for which many solutions have been prescribed, but only in a few cases adopted.

We sincerely hope that no discouragement shall fall upon our dairy business. It has long been regarded and, we believe, rightly, as the corner stone of our agricultural prosperity. Even if the actual net returns from it are not as large as they ought to be the value of the farm, the actual working capital, is being yearly added to and the future is being made secure.

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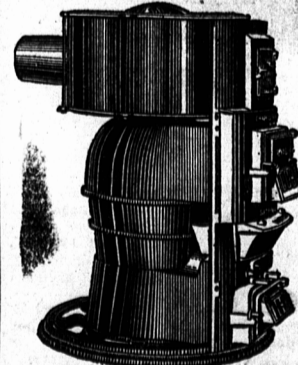
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