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SATURDAY, JANUARY 8, 1910.

A LESSON FROM THE MORTALITY STATISTICS.

So much has been said and written of the poverty and distress in England and of the small stature and feeble frames of the men offering for service in the army and navy, hosts of whom are rejected, that many might be led to think the race is sinking into descrepitude and decay. There is, however, another side to the story. The vital statistics of the third quarter of the past year have just been published, and these tell the story.

According to the official figures the deaths for the quarter in England and Wales show the astonishing low rate of 11.6 per thousand per annum. This is 3.4 below the average for the same quarter in the past ten years, and is the lowest rate of mortality ever recorded in the Motner Country. The greatest care is taken in recording all births and deaths throughout the United Kingdom and therefore the figures quoted may be implicitly relied on.

To show what this means it is only necessary to make comparison with the mortality rates in other countries of Europe and America. In the year 1900 the death rate in Austria was 25.4 per thousand; in Belgium 19.3 the German Empire 22.1; Hungary 26.9; Switzerland 19.3; England and Wales 18.2 and in the registration area of the United States 17.6. It is true that 1900 is now some years past, and these figures may have since been improved upon in other countries as well as in England. We may also remember that the statistics for one quarter in England may be more favorable than for a full year.

But after making all due allowance for these considerations the vital statistics for England and Wales quoted at the beginning of this article are assuring. They show that the race is still vigorous and strong, and neither weakening for want of food nor sinking into race decay. Our own Canada has a healthful climate and is peopled by a hardy and vigorous race stock, but Canada has not yet reached the exceedingly favorable mortality rates now quoted in England. There is "life in the Old Land yet," sturdy and valorous life, and patriotic Canadians will read the record with pleasure.

NO ROYAL DUKE IS MADE A GOVERNOR.

A number of newspapers have spoken favorably of the possibility that the Duke of Connaught, brother of King Edward, may succeed Earl Grey as Governor General of Canada. There can be no doubt that a most hearty welcome would be extended by the Canadian people to the Duke should he be appointed to the position, but we cannot think it an event likely to occur. Such an appointment would be an innovation upon the established order of things. When has a member of the royal family ever been appointed a governor?

Again, Lords Dufferin, Lansdowne and Minto passed at the conclusion of their official terms in Canada to take the Viceroyalty of India. If royalty were to be considered in connection with a governing position it would be to India rather than to Canada that the Duke of Connaught would be sent. And the wisdom of such an appointment for India would be doubtful. The disadvantages might far outweigh any possible advantage. But if the King's brother is to be appointed to any Governorship within the Empire, no other than the highest of these positions could very well be offered him.

SENATOR DOMVILLE AND THE CANADIAN NAVY.

The Cleveland News prints an extended interview accompanied by a life-like portrait of Hon. Col. Domville, Senator, in which among other things that gentleman gives his views upon the proposed Canadian navy. Col Domville, as he is familiarly known, has always taken a deep interest in military and defence matters, which is quite natural to him as the son of an English General of the Royal Army. Like Hon. Mr. Emmerson, Senator Domville, although a Liberal in politics, is opposed to the notion of Canada building and owning a navy. We quote:

"I am not in favor of a fleet for Canada, myself. I believe our loyalty to the empire should be evidenced in another way. Building a fleet of our own is not so good a notion as contributing to the upkeep of the British fleet, which will serve our needs fully when they arise. Battle ships go out of date in a few years. We would do better to keep our Canadian navy in the form of money, which dosen't become antiquated.

"A great argument in favor of the fleet is that it will take care of our fishermen, that it will be manned by seamen from our banks. It seems to me ridiculous to suppose that a fisherman who earns $3 to $10 a day would forsake his calling to go and fight in the navy for 25 cents a day."

There are many shades of opinion on the navy question and Col. Domville is in the minority both in his party and in Parliament in regard to it. The strong points in favor of a Canadian navy are that we greatly need a steel ship-building industry in Canada to which it would give an impetus, and that there is a strong feeling in Canada that the Canadian Parliament should control the expenditure of Canadian money, whether for warships or public works.

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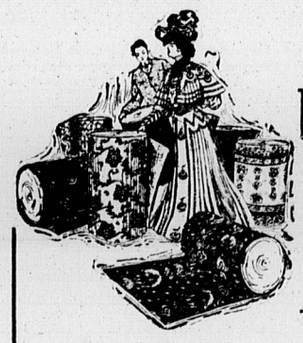

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