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Tuesday, June 3rd, The King's Birthday being a statutory public holiday, The Morning Guardian will not be issued on Wednesday, June 4th.

The Evening Guardian will not be issued on Tuesday, but will be published on Wednesday as usual. Advertisers will please note these changes.

THE SENATE'S DECISION.

At the behest of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the Senate has sealed its fate. The Liberal members to a man went into the lobby in opposition to the Naval Aid Bill, which has been cast out. The majority of 51 to 27 is practically the strength of the respective parties in the House.

The House of Commons is not yet two years old. Its mandate is fresh. Its constitutional right to act for the country in all matters, grave or minor, is unquestioned. The Senate's concern in matters of legislation is not what the constituencies think or are presumed to think upon the subjects in issue.

TEACHERS SHORT COURSE.

The inauguration of a Short Course for teachers in this Province will meet with general approval. It has long been recognized that a revival is sadly needed in our common school work and revivals are possible only in the midst of such enthusiasm as numbers alone will create.

The general scheme of the course for teachers, as previously stated in the Guardian, will be modelled after that of the Short Course for farmers, which, last spring, proved such a splendid success.

It requires no great exercise of memory to realize that neither the school nor the schoolmaster occupies the place in the community today that they did even a few years ago.

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educated man or woman was somewhat of an exception, and looked up to as a superior; their accomplishments were coveted; the school and the schoolmaster were the dispensers of these accomplishments and correspondingly respected; their maintenance was not a burden but a privilege; children were sent to school to be educated.

Today, thanks to the burdens willingly borne by our pioneer forefathers, education is common; everybody is "educated" sufficiently to occupy some one of the many more or less lucrative positions open on every hand; the general level has been raised almost to that of the school and the schoolmaster; children are sent to school, not to be educated but to be trained to earn a living.

The schoolmaster—or schoolmistress is not an outstanding feature in the community. They are measured not by what they know but by what they can earn and that standard brings them down to the level of the ordinary individual—farm hand or tradesman, servant or seamstress.

There is, notwithstanding, a place for the school and the schoolmaster and schoolmistress, and that place is, as of old, the highest in the community, but it must be regained. It is for the teachers themselves to regain it and this can be done only by co-operation, by mutual helpfulness, by insisting upon their rights, by raising the standard of their work.

It is not the children, in our day, who, so much, need education; it is the parents, and with these the teachers must work. Ideals must be changed—in the homes. The school must regain its place in the community as a privilege, not as an expensive burden.

THE MEN WANTED.

The men wanted to develop this Island and Canada as a whole are men of business, be they agriculturists, artisans, or captains of commerce. That was the substance of the excellent address which the Rev. Dr. Kelly of Chicago, a worthy son of the Island and alumnus of St. Dunstan's, delivered to the graduates at Thursday's ceremony, when the students said good-bye to their fellows, their faculty and their college.

A writer in one of the monthlies, we forget which for the moment, drew special attention to this falling away from the part of the rising generation of Canadians, and insisted that the remedy was to be found in the proper adaptation of our educational methods to meet the changed circumstances.

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merce; there the university graduate, the skilled engineer, the expert typographer, the practical builder and contractor, are all equally men of education, trained and versed in the lore and technique of their respective callings.

In the United States, which no doubt the Rev. Dr. Kelly will bear out, educational authorities are turning their attention more and more to this aspect of education. A report, from the standpoint of an American business man, has been issued by the Public Education Association of Philadelphia upon information supplied by the American Consul at Erfurt, Germany. The writer himself, Mr. Ira Jewell Williams, emphasizes just the points which Rev. Dr. Kelly no doubt had in his mind when he advised the graduates of St. Dunstan's to eschew the professions and apply themselves to business.

ISLAND AFFAIRS IN PARLIAMENT

(Continued from page nine)

Mr. COCHRANE: The member for Queen's says he saw a letter to the effect. Whatever promise was made by the Prime Minister will be carried out definitely.

Mr. HUGHES: The member for Queen's made the statement, if I understood him correctly, that the disadvantage of the three short hauls would be eliminated. That must mean that freight would be carried to and from Prince Edward Island at the same rate as on the mainland for a similar distance.

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Mr. HUGHES: The hon. member for Queen's says that he got a promise that it would be done. I am only asking the present Government to carry out that promise. They do not appear to be ready to say that they will.

Mr. COCHRANE: I said that, if the promise was made, I would carry it out. I have said so three times, but somehow I cannot satisfy my hon. friend, although I would like to do so.

Mr. HUGHES: What were the promises that were made?

Mr. COCHRANE: I do not know. I have not seen the promises.

Mr. HUGHES: The hon. member for Queen's says that the promise was to the effect that goods exported from Prince Edward Island, say from the town of Souris to Montreal, the distance being the same as from the town of Pictou to Montreal, would be carried at the same rate for similar goods, and from Montreal or Toronto to Souris to Charlottetown.

Mr. COCHRANE: If that promise has been made, it shall be carried out.

Mr. MACDONALD: Let me point out to my hon. friend the minister, who is willing to carry out promises which he does not know were made or not, that his leader in 1907 promised that, when they came into power, the Intercolonial railway would be put under the control of a commission who would run it absolutely free from party influence of any kind whatever.

Mr. COCHRANE: That promise is contained in documents which have become a matter of public property. The hon. minister is not carrying out that promise.

Mr. COCHRANE: He was not elected in 1907. The people did not want him then.

Mr. MACDONALD: My hon. friend is pleading the statute of limitations. He is not very clear as to what promise his leader really made. My hon. friend from Halifax, Mr. McLean, confirms the impression which I have in my mind that the present Premier in this country in 1911 reiterated that promise, and assured the people of the Maritime Provinces that, when he came into power, the Intercolonial railway would be run by a non-partisan commission, free from party influence.

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An Islander, the Rev. George G. D. S. Duncan, B. D., son of the late Rev. Mr. Duncan of St. James, and nephew of Mr. Fred W. Hyndman, had the singular honor of conducting an important Masonic service in his church, St. Outhbert's, Edinburgh on the 18th inst. The lessons were read by the Rt. Hon. the Lord Provost of Edinburgh, Bro. Robert K. Inches, Chairman of the Metropolitan Visitation Committee, and the Right Worshipful Provincial Grand Master of Midlothian, Bro. John A. Forrest. The organist and conductor was Bro. J. W. Cowie, and the soloist Bro. Robert Burnett. It was computed 1600 brethren were present at the service, including representatives from districts all over Scotland.

Everywhere our Prince of Wales goes," says The Tatler, "one hears of his charm of manner." It is said that he has got rid of his shyness and now appears quite at his ease even in the atmosphere of foreign courts and is never at a loss for a word. Every one who knew King Edward marvels at his likeness to him in many ways. He seems to possess the same wonderful gift of making himself liked. "He has greatly enjoyed his five-weeks' stay in Germany, has made a large addition to his collection of picture post cards, and came back with an excellent German accent and knowledge of the language. It has now been decided that he will finish his university education at Magdalen, Oxford, instead of going for a time to Cambridge as was proposed. "Early next year a six month tour in Canada is being planned for him. He will travel to the Dominion on a British warship and will receive a commission in the Grenadier Guards before leaving, so that he may wear military uniform while he is in power."

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MEMORIAL DAY IN SAN FRANCISCO.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., May 30.—Memorial day was observed in San Francisco by the decoration of the graves of veterans in the National and Odd Fellows' cemeteries, and the strewing of flowers on the ocean as a tribute to the men of the navy who perished at sea.

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