

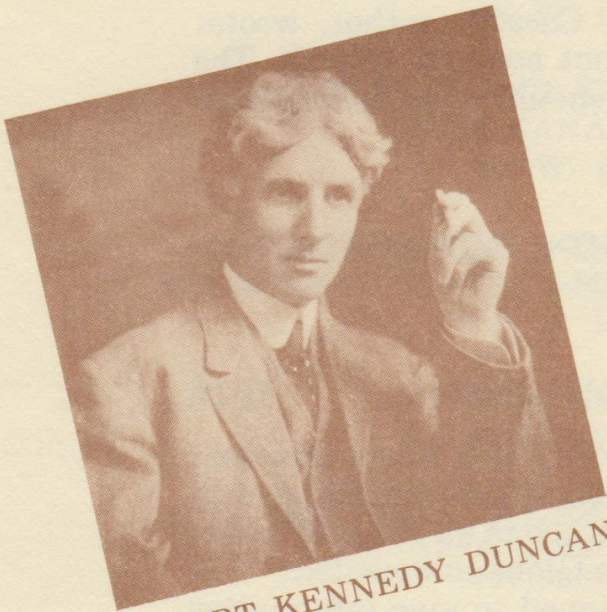
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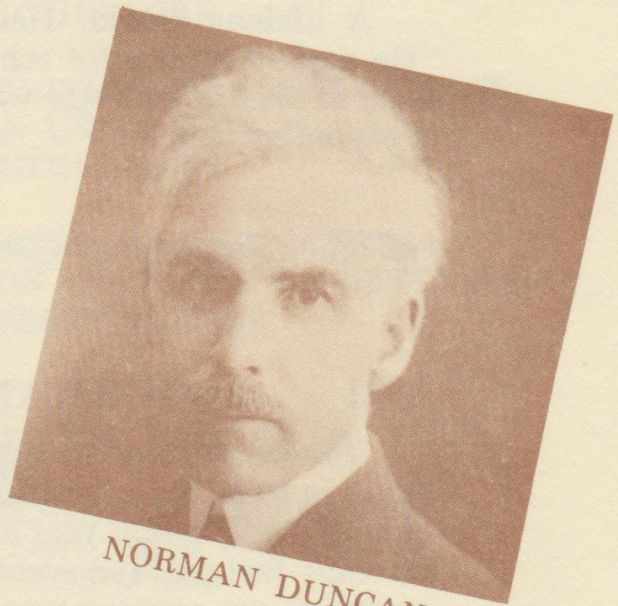
OF

HISTORICAL MARKERS

HONOURING AND COMMEMORATING TWO
DISTINGUISHED BROTHERS BORN IN BRANTFORD



ROBERT KENNEDY DUNCAN



NORMAN DUNCAN

AT

Preston Park

END OF DUFFERIN AVENUE

BRANTFORD

ONTARIO CANADA

SUNDAY, JULY 1st, 1979

3:00 P.M.

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1868 ROBERT KENNEDY DUNCAN 1914

The one hundredth anniversary of Dr. Duncan's birth was celebrated in 1968 by the RKD club and the Mellon Institute of Research, Carnegie-Mellon University, Pittsburgh.

A colleague wrote, "He was an inspired leader who in a brief few years led American Industry from the slough of inefficiency to new and great heights. Every man, knowingly or unknowingly, is indebted to Robert Kennedy Duncan's inspirational thinking for his present ease and comfort."

A lifelong friend, Herbert Casson, author, wrote: "He made fortunes for others but none for himself. The story of his life is an epic which should never be forgotten in his native land."



1871 NORMAN DUNCAN 1916

To record the sixth anniversary of Norman Duncan's death in 1922, the Literature Club of Toronto, 500 strong, met on April 28 that year and although all Toronto dailies strongly featured the event, the Globe commented: "The program last evening was designed to give information regarding Norman Duncan's life, to show the beauty of his art and to bring close to everyone the mystery and magic of the sea."

Undoubtedly "he was one of Canada's most gifted literary craftsmen." (The Canadian Bookman — June 1926)

His book, Going down from Jerusalem, (one of 20) was published by Harper Bros., publishers of New York and illustrated by Lawren Harris, a Brantfordite who later attained world fame in the 'School of Seven'.



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