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## Bourassa and Col. S. Hughes Have a Tilt

Remarks of Latter on French Clergy Taken Exception to The Col. Refuses to Retract—Moderate Speech From Mr. Borden.

(Mail and Empire's Report.)  
Ottawa, April 15.—In the House the other day, Mr. Pappet, the member for Lislet, objected to the observation of Col. Hughes, made a few days before, to the effect that French clerics recently expelled from France, were a curse to the country. To-day Col. Hughes adverted to the matter, but declined to take anything back, except that his observation had reference generally to ecclesiastical tyranny, against which the Canadians should guard.

A violent speech from Mr. Bourassa followed, and this did not tend to improve matters. The Leader of the Opposition and Mr. Bergeron, in moderate speeches, repudiated responsibility for Col. Hughes' utterances. Mr. Borden's speech was a beautiful tribute to the zeal and fidelity of the French-Canadian clergy. Several members of the Liberal side tried to provoke a rancorous debate, but, on the whole, the discussion was good-tempered.

**COL. HUGHES EXPLAINS.**  
Col. Sam. Hughes (Victoria and Halifax) made an explanation in regard to an interjection he made the other day whilst Mr. Lavergne was discussing the bringing of the evicted priests from France to this country. Col. Hughes had remarked that these men would be a curse to the country, and he now made an explanation as to what he meant by the words. He made no retractions, but he said he would be the last man to offer an insult to the French race. "I happen," said Col. Hughes, "to belong to the French race myself." (Laughter.) Col. Hughes, however, repeated that he claimed to have as good French blood running through his veins as had any other member. He, however, quoted the words of Daniel Defoe from "The Trueborn Englishman": "Of all the ills by which mankind is cursed, Ecclesiastical tyranny is the worst." He did not know a solitary French-Canadian who did not agree with the sentiment he had expressed in regard to the introduction of these French priests into the country. With regard to the French sisters he had said nothing against them.

**NO INSULT TO FRENCH.**  
All he had said was in regard to the French clergymen. He did not see that he could be charged with an insult to the French race, which was one of the grandest races that ever graced civilization. The reason, however, that these men had left France, was that they preferred to observe the laws of Rome rather than the laws of France; many of these men had come to Canada, but he had good reason for believing that their intention was to return to France at a later date. While he contended that they could find no better settlers than the men who came from the Republic of France, his contention was that these priests had come here, not teaching loyalty to the British flag, but with the intention of returning later to France. They were not, Col. Hughes said, seized with open arms by the Church or by the people of the country.

**MR. BOURASSA WAXED WROTH.**  
Mr. Bourassa deprecated the words which Col. Hughes had originally made use of, but said he originally made no importance to them coming from such a source, adding that the remark would not change the loyalty of French-Canadians towards Great Britain. What Col. Hughes had said did not represent the responsible opinion of any respectable section of the community, and he thought the remark he made would go down into oblivion with the other deeds, military and political, of the honorable member for Victoria and Halifax. He would not have called attention to the matter, only he thought that some respectable paper, and people reading it might attach some importance to it. (Laughter.)

**MR. BORDEN'S VIEWS.**  
When the House resumed at three o'clock, Mr. R. L. Borden said:—"Mr. Speaker, Mr. Bourassa has spoken very warmly in his comments made on a previous day and also to-day on a remark by my friend from Victoria and Halifax (Col. Hughes). Let me say that I think Mr. Bourassa put into the mouth of the member from Victoria and Halifax some phrases, which he not only did not use, but some which he expressly disclaimed in his speech. He expressly disclaimed any reflection upon matters of race and religion, testifying to his appreciation of the French race, and accorded particularly the right to worship in his country without comment or criticism from anybody.

"So much for that. Let me say with regard to the remarks of the member from Victoria, in the first place, I do not think it is desirable for us in this country to enter upon a discussion of what has recently taken place in France. The question of what laws would be best for the Republic of France is a question entirely for the Legislature and people of that country and not for us. We do not understand—most of us do not profess to understand—these matters with which the French people and their representatives have to deal. We have problems in our own country which deserve our full attention, and I think we shall do well to abstain from criticism or discussion of matters which are the concern of the French people.

### POSTMASTER GENERAL.

Mr. Lemieux then rose and said he desired to register his strongest protest against the ill-advised language used by Col. Hughes the other day as well as this morning. The history of the French clergy showed that they constituted not only a school of loyalty, but also a school of true patriotism. He hoped that Mr. Pappet would not be misled by the priesthood of France, but that he would withdraw his unfortunate language.

Col. Talbot (Bellevue) said the member for Victoria the other day had made a remark in the hearing of many of the members, which was not recorded in Hansard.

Mr. Foster rose to a point of order and asked if there would be imported into the discussions of the House what might have been uttered by a member as an aside, or in the corridors. If that were permitted it might lead to reprisals, and probably to scenes that might be unprofitable and degrading.

**AN ADDED INSULT.**  
Col. Talbot, continuing, said Col. Hughes, following his remark that French clergy were a curse to the country, had in the hearing of many members added: "They are only good for breeding purposes." He did not know whether Col. Hughes had applied to the clergy or the French-Canadian race, but from what he had said this morning, he presumed he had applied it to the clergy. All he could say was that an English-speaking member had told him he had been sitting as next to Col. Hughes as was Mr. Bergeron, who would have slapped his mouth. (Laughter and some cries of "Order.") He looked upon Mr. Bergeron, sitting next to Col. Hughes as he did, as being somewhat responsible for that gentleman's good behavior. More particularly as he was one who went up and down Quebec claiming for his party the sole right to defend the French-Canadian clergy, and declaring that the Liberal party was seeking to diminish the influence of the French nationality in Quebec, and to destroy the Catholic religion in the Dominion.

Col. Hughes was absent from the House while the member for Bellevue was speaking, and only heard the last sentence. He immediately rose and interrupted Col. Talbot to say that he had been temporarily called from the House to answer the telephone, and he desired to inform him that he made exactly the opposite statement to that which had been quoted.

Col. Talbot, continuing, said Col. Hughes was on record as declaring that, rather than see Canada an independent nation, he would fight for annexation. He would fight for the head of the Canadian army carrying Ross rifles and fighting for annexation. (Laughter.) He would be sorry for Canada if there were more of the type of Col. Hughes in Parliament.

**SURE NO INSULT WAS INTENDED.**  
Mr. Bergeron said he had not intended to speak in the discussion until his name was dragged into it by Mr. Talbot. He had heard and had lost no time in expressing to that honorable gentleman in a friendly way his absolute dissent from the remark he had made. He had not the slightest doubt in his own mind that Col. Hughes never intended to insult the French race or the Catholic religion. Mr. Talbot said words were uttered which did not appear in Hansard, and had called him as a witness. Having been present during the discussion, he could inform the member for Bellevue that what had been repeated to him was untrue. With regard to the fling which Col. Talbot had had at him, he once more emphasized the position that he had always taken when he said that in 1906 the Conservative party was simply endeavoring to secure justice for the minority in Manitoba.

**A SAMPLE OF GOODNESS.**  
"That is only one of the many characters portrayed by men who, as I have said, were not in absolute sympathy with the Church. And I am bound to say that a priesthood which could give to the world types of that character which are not unreal, although the one to which I have referred lives only in an imaginative work, is not to be characterized in the way in which my friend from Victoria has seen fit to characterize the French priests who are said to be coming to this country. (Cheers.) So far as I am concerned, I venture to think that I have an acquaintance with these gentlemen, as has my friend from Victoria. For some 12 years, in the City of Halifax, I passed every day of my life a community of French priests. They were brought there under the ecclesiastical authority of the late Archbishop O'Brien, of Halifax, from whom a finer, nobler, and a more loyal character never existed in Canada. (Cheers.) I have had the advantage of knowing some of these men. They led very busy and were engaged in good works—there is no doubt about that. I have seen some of their work; I have known persons who attended their religious services.

**NOT A CURSE TO THE COUNTRY.**  
"They were doing good work in the City of Halifax; and more than that, they had many pupils, for they were not a religious, but an educational body, including some of the very highest character, and from some of the best families in France. To say of men of this type that they are a curse to this country seems to be unwarrantable; and I am sure that Col. Hughes said this only in a moment of warmth, and that he will be the first one to withdraw this expression as soon as he sees the expression justified of it. I do not think there is any honorable gentleman on this side of the House who would be prepared to concur in the somewhat hasty remarks which escaped from my friend from Victoria on this occasion." (Cheers.)

(Mr. Borden, on the assumption that the incident was ended, was about to discuss the participation by public officials in elections, but several members desired to speak. Mr. Fielding suggested that it would be better to finish the discussion now, and then Mr. Borden could bring up the matter of the civil servants later. Accordingly, Mr. Borden gave way.

### GOOD OUT OF EVIL.

If the unfortunate words of Col. Hughes had only one result, namely, to rise to the eloquent speech of the leader of the Opposition, it would be a bad thing which had resulted in good. (Cheers.)

Mr. C. R. Devlin thought Mr. Bergeron the other day should have immediately repelled the observations of Col. Hughes.

Col. Hughes—The honorable gentleman did so at once. He reasoned with me. (Laughter.)

Mr. Devlin said Col. Hughes' expressions were exceedingly hurtful to the feelings of a large proportion of the members in the House, and it was evident that they were uttered for the purpose of making a few more votes for himself at the next election.

Col. Hughes protested that the member for Nicolet had no right to impute motives, whereupon Mr. Speaker Sutherland called Mr. Devlin to order.

**COL. HUGHES REPLIES TO BOURASSA.**  
After Mr. Roche (Halifax) had spoken, Col. Hughes made a slashing reply to the attack of Mr. Bourassa, and justified the remark that he had made. He repeated his statement that these French priests refused to obey the laws of France, and were fighting against the laws of their fellow-countrymen. He contended that his words had been misconstrued. Mr. Devlin, whom he referred as the member for Galway, then correcting himself said, "no, the member for Nicolet, he had run away from Galway."

Mr. Devlin—That is a falsehood. (Cries of "Order.")

The Speaker—Mr. Devlin, you are out of order in saying that.

Mr. Devlin—Well, I bow to Parliamentary usage, I will say that it is inaccurate. Whenever I wanted a seat I could get it.

Col. Hughes—That shows the honorable gentleman's pull.

**NOTHING TO RETRACT.**  
Col. Hughes went on to say that his remark was made at a time Lavergne was saying that these French priests were the best class of immigrants which we could get in Canada. The Canadian people objected to people who had been expelled from either Austria, Germany, or even the British Isles, being brought to Canada, and why did not the same thing apply in regard to the present case. He had nothing to retract, and he contended that men who could not obey the laws of a country such as France, which stood at the head of civilization, should not be induced to come here. If a man could not be a good citizen of a country like France it could not be expected that he would be a good citizen of Canada. In his remarks he was not referring to these gentlemen in their corporate capacity. He expressed regret that his remark had been taken in the way it had been. He pointed with pride to the attitude which he had adopted at the time of the South African War, and in regard to what Mr. Bourassa had said concerning the remark going down into oblivion he said that he was on record as having supported Canadians serving in that war. He had never said one word against the French-Canadians.

Mr. Bourassa—I do not wish to say much. I just wish to apologize to Mr. Chamberlain, and to Lord Milner for having said they were responsible for the South African War. We know now that it was the member for Victoria and Halifax who was responsible for that war. (Laughter.)

Mr. Fielding expressed regret that Col. Hughes had not seen fit to withdraw the remark, inasmuch as the words he had used were calculated to be very offensive to a large section of people in the country. However, Col. Hughes had stated that his words had been misconstrued, and he (Mr. Fielding) sug-

gested that the matter might now be allowed to drop.

The subject then dropped.

### OUR LUMBER AND OTHER INDUSTRIES.

**MILLS AND FACTORIES ALONG THE RIVER ARE ALL AT WORK WITH PROSPECTS OF GOOD SEASON.**

The industries by the river side, some of which are closed during the winter months, are all now in active operation. Some information picked up the other day has had to be condensed.

**JOHN CAREW**  
Mr. Carew's mill started sawing on Monday of this week. An extension has been made to the old mill. The cut of logs in the woods last winter was larger than in any previous year, and in a week or so some from up the river will commence to arrive.

At the old Parkin mill, part of which is now used as a box factory, a planing mill has been added, and a plant for a sash and door factory is now being installed. Both will have the most modern equipment.

A large part of the output of the box factory is taken by Flavelles Limited, and other local and district concerns. About 100 hands are employed in the mills and 60 on the drives.

**BAKER & BRYANS.**  
The saw, shingle and lath machines of this firm all went into operation on Thursday, April 11. They report the largest cut of logs and of best quality they have yet had. Two or three tows have already been brought down from Scugog Lake by their tug. There is a good demand, they report, for all classes of lumber and shingles have advanced in price. They expect to cut to cut ten or eleven million of the latter this season.

**KENNEDY & DAVIS CO.**  
A work of a unique character is now being done by the Kennedy-Davis Milling Company, the construction of fifty ready-made houses for Cobalt, and they may get orders for more. The houses are built of dressed lumber in sections, and can be put together on arrival by ordinary labor. They are 12 by 18 feet, 6 foot wall, with pitched roof, also partition for bed room, and are painted red on the outside.

**FLAVELLES, LIMITED.**  
Several improvements are being made in the Flavelle egg-house, including addition to receiving room and cellarage. Mr. Arthur Parkin is looking after them personally. They expect a very busy season, considerable quantities of eggs having already been received.

**BEAL LEATHER CO.**  
The Beal Leather Company have commenced building an extensive addition to their tannery.

**Y. M. C. A. Notes.**  
The directors of the Y.M.C.A. met on Tuesday evening last, and decided to hold a conference next Tuesday evening to discuss a general forward movement. Each church will be asked to send its pastor and two lay delegates. The members of the Ladies' Auxiliary and the active members of the Association are also invited to attend.

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