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THE COLONEL'S REPLY

To the Massachusetts Historical Society who is endeavoring to get possession of the gun captured at Bunker Hill in 1775 we may expect Col. Sam Hughes to reply, "What we have we hold."

BRITAIN'S DRINK BILL

The drink bill of Great Britain for crease of $26,000,000 over the premous total of $814,000,000, an inthe last year amounted to the enorvious year. Some observers interpret the increased expenditure as meaning increased prosperity, the argument being that the more money a people have the more they are able to spend, foolishly or otherwise. On the other hand it might be contended, says the Woodstock Review, that the more money the people of a nation spend in drink the less likely they are to be blessed by prosperity.

BANK MANAGERS

Those people who are willing to sit meekly by and let bank mergers become the fashion in Canada until finally the country is wholly in the power of a great money trust will do well, says the Kingston Standard, to read the evidence before the Pujo Committee of the American House of Representatives which is investigating the so-called money trust in the States. When a perfectly solvent bank can be forced to the wall and good men's names taken away by a dominant and dangerous trust it is high time to ask where the country is at, and where the people will be later on. We want none of this sort of thing in Canada.

6,0000,000 ILLITERATES

Twelve per cent of the men voting in the United States cannot read their ballots, according to W. H. Hand, of Columbia, who contributes an article to the 'Child Labor Bulletin, a new quarterly review, issued lately by the National Child Labor Committee. He adds that more than one in four of the native white children between the ages of 10 and 14 years, in eleven southern states are not in school at all.

Dr. A. J. McKeleway of the committee, who also contributed to the 'Bulletin,' says that one in seven of all the children in the United States between 10 and 14 years are not in school. He estimates that there are 2,000,000 child laborers in the country.

Dr. F. Adler, of New York, writing for the 'Bulletin,' estimates the number of illiterates in the United States at six millions.

QUESTION OF ECONOMICS

A recognized authority on economics, Chiozza Money, a British M. P., has recently published a book which is createing considerable comment. The writes declared that high wages so far from making economy in production impossible, tend to greater economy in production. In support of his stament he stated that U. S., United Kingdom and Germany pay higher wages than any other countries in the world, and still these three nations have by far the greatest export trades in the world. Where labor costs little there is apt to be extravagance in the use of it; where it costs much it is utilized to the best advantage. Moreover high priced labor is necessarily highly skilled labor and skill spells economy in production.

PEAT FOR FUEL

He would indeed be a public benefactor who could invent a system by which moist peat could be converted into compressed briquettes for fuel. The rapid depletion of our forests, and the absence of coal in this province makes a cheap fuel an urgent necessity.

In Germany a 300 horse power installation has been successfully operated, consisting of a peat gas producer and a gas engine, with a result which shows that peat is one of the least expensive fuel sources known to the scientific world. Ontario has no coal, but plenty of peat. Now and then we hear of attempts to convert moist peat into dry compressed briquettes suitable for use in domestic heating, but somehow the product has never become so plentiful as to be available in the general market. The difficulty has always been in the drying of the peat before it is compressed. If gas can be made from the peat in its natural condition, without drying, and turned into power, we may have as large a source of wealth in our peat beds as we have in our water powers.

ULSTER WON T FIGHT

T. P. O'Connor, familiarly known as "Tay Pay," one of the most brilliant Parliamentarians in the British House of Commons, makes the following comment in reference to the threat of Ulster to fight if a Home Rule bill becomes law :—Mr. O'Connor bases this statement on the commercial situation in Ireland, Belfast, the chief city in Ulster, although doing a large international trade, does a still larger trade with the rest of Ireland. Three great seed houses in Belfast, O'Connor says, supply the greater part of the farmers of Ireland with seed. All the south of Ireland gets its ready made clothing in the same city; in tea and whiskey, Belfast is again the chief supply house for the rest of Ireland. In fact, Belfast commercial travellers are found, O'Connor says, in every town village and hamlet throughout the south and west. Belfast's trade would of course be entirely destroyed by civil war, and with the destruction of trade would come the ruin of the city in which it is carried on. Belfast knows all this and knowing will not be so foolish as to commit commercial suicide.

THE ENGLISH LAND QUESTION

In a recent speech at Swansea, Wales, Lloyd George came near treating with the real land question in Great Britain. This question, he said, had been handled as gingerly as if it were a hedge hog. He declared further that if the British people generally were as timid in business matters as they were in politics instead of having the greatest international trade in the world, they would be nothing but a coal yard to the German Empire. Then going on to speak of the land question, he said:

"The greatest people in England own land which at one time belonged to the poor-paid service of religion. The vessels of the consecrated sanctuary are still on their sideboards. Meat dedicated to the altar stocks their larders today. Go to a Primrose League meeting and look at those on the platform. One-third of them are probably people who have got church land. The very primroses which adorn their buttonholes were plucked from land consecrated to the service of the altar, and they have the effrontery to charge us — when we ask that the money which belongs to the poor ought to be returned—they have the effrontery to say we are robbing God.

"I will tell you what is the matter with this country. It is an unlimited monarchy. Here and there are 10,000 little czars. They hold absolute autocratic sway. Who gave it to them—this trust and property? We mean to examine the conditions of it. It is a fight full of hope for democracy. We are asking nothing we are not fit for. We are not a nation of pirates seeking to pillage. We seek but our own."

The day is at hand when land taken from the people of England will be returned to those to whom it rightfully belongs.

THE MEANING OF PRIMARIES

Under the above heading the Toronto World publishes a very comprehensive editorial uuon the race for the Presidency in the United States.

Within three months President Taft has ceased to be a possibility for re-election and Theodore Roosevelt has become the leading presidental candidate. If Mr. Taft is nominated at Chicago he cannot be elected. Mr. Roosevelt will be nominated but his defeat for nomination would by no means prevent his election. It he receives the nomination at Chicago there is scarcely any room for doubt as to the final result in November.

Three months ago Mr. Taft controlled the federal patronage, the Republican national committee, the Republican organization in practically every state east of the Mississippi River; Mr. Roosevelt on the other hand was a private citizen, not in touch with the party machine in the various states, opposed by all the big city newspapers and with the dice loaded against him in the Southern States.

Under the old-fashioned system of mustered a corporal's guard of supporters. He won out by contesting selecting delegates by state conventions, Mr. Roosevelt could not have the primaries wherever presidential primaries existed and by stirring up an agitation which caused them to be provided for by law in many states where they had not previously existed. His popular victories in Illinois, Pennsylvania, Ohio and New Jersey, coupled with the poor showing made in these states by the President and the absence of any Taft supporters at the Republican primaries in states like North Dakota and Nebraska, demonstrated beyond peradventure the inability of Mr. Taft to be re-elected if nominated, and in all probability has saved the Republican party from the hopeless disaster which would have followed upon his renomination. Twenty years ago President Harrison was renominated by the politicians, because twenty years ago the politicians did the nominating for the people. The dissatisfied Republican voters defeated Harrison at the polls. Had they been allowed to express their preference at primaries, the Republican party would have carried the election.

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RELIGIOUS FANATIC IS JUDGED INSANE
ODD HABITS OF DRESS AND FOOD

Intelligencer: Messrs. Gunton and Wrightmyer of the Children's Aid Association went to Brighton yesterday and brought to the Shelter here last evening the four children—ranging in age from 9 years to 1 year—of Sylvester Sabins, a man whose antics about the village have so outraged public opinion that his tents were burned by "Whitecaps," as narrated in yesterday's Intelligencer. The children were inconceivably foul, filthy and ragged, and the hair of the older ones had never been cut, but they will be better cared for now.

Sabins was not, as reported, a "Holy Roller," but is undoubtedly insane, and is as full of fanatical ideas as an egg is full of meat. For example, he will not wear boots, socks or hat and his clothing is of linen with no underwear. In winter the only addition to his wardrobe has been sandals made by himself. Neither bread nor meat would he eat, excepting unleavened bread made by himself, nor would he eat vegetables, his food being mainly fruit, butter milk and honey, but he would drink wine. He does not believe in washing the body, except the feet before meals, and washing the hands and anointing the head with oil when fasting. Soap he never used. Riding behind horses was taboo to him, and he would not cut down a tree. His idea of marriage is that the human beings should be like birds, separating when they failed to agree. Sabins said he would never die. He believes himself to be Jacob risen from the dead and that he will be King of Kings before long. His children he also believes to be the reincarnation of persons prominently mentioned in the Bible.

This strange character was examined by two doctors, and pronounced insane, and subsequently Dr. Wade and Mr. Thomas Tweedle, magistrate committed him to the Toronto Asylum, and the children to the custody of the Children's Aid Society.

Strange to say, Sabins had made two converts — one a young woman who committed suicide two years ago, and Henry Vincent, a farmer living near Brighton, who is now said to be insane.

CLERGYMAN AND DOCTOR BRAVED DEATH

Dr. Kenneth Overend, son of Mr. W. J. Ovehend, of Peterboro and a nephew of Mr. Geo. Overend and Miss Overend, of Orillia, who is well known, here, had a narrow escape from death recently in New York. The New York World gives the following account of the incident:

"As Father George Gardiner said Mass at St. Finbar's Catholic Church, on Benson avenue, Brooklyn, last Sunday morning, he gave thanks for his remarkable escape from death. Twice while he was giving the last rites to an entombed laborer Father Gardiner had to be rescued himself from being buried alive. Dr. Overend, of Coney Island Hospital, shared the peril with him.

"While a man known to his fellow-laborers only as Dominick was shovelling sand at the bottom of an eighteen foot sewer trench in Nineteenth avenue (near Eighty-fourth street), a cave-in buried him beneath five feet of sand and lumber. His frightened comrades were led to the rescue by J. F. Kerrigan, a contractor, of No. 137 Bay Eleventh street who was passing.

"Fifteen patrolmen from Bath Beach Station, under Capt. O'Connor and Hook and Ladder Company, No. 143, with Battalion Chief Donohue, helped to make the sand fly. When they had uncovered the man's head Dr. Overend was lowered on a rope. He shouted back that Dominick had only a few minutes to live, and Father Gardiner was summoned.

"On another rope the priest was lowered into the pit and had just administered the last rites to the dying man when there was an ominous rumbling and another portion of the treacherous sand wall caved in. The men holding the ropes were carried off their feet by the tons of sand which rolled into the trench, burying the priest and the surgeon nearly to their necks.

"But the rescuers held on and the two were being hauled out when there was another cave-in. By violent tugs on the ropes Father Gardiner and Dr. Overend, who had only been gripped by the sand as far as their knees this time, were dragged clear. The rescue was made just in time, as the two had only scrambled to their feet when a fifteen foot section of the ground they were standing on slid out from under them but they managed to leap out of harm's way.

"The attempt to rescue the entombed man was then renewed. Three times the firemen and police, who were working frantically, almost reached Dominick, but each time the wall of the trench caved in, and they had to begin all over again. Twice several of the rescuers were trapped by the sand and had to be dug out. Finally after four hours' work, the buried man was dragged out. He was dead."—Orillia News-Letter.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

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Mr. and Mrs. Sutcliffe, of Barrie, announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Madeline May to Mr. W. Oswald Wilson, of Oshawa. The wedding will take place the latter part of June.

The half yearly distribution of prizes to the graduating nurses of the Hospital for Sick Children in Toronto were made yesterday afternoon at the Lakeside Home. Miss Pearl Austin, of Fenelon Falls won the prize for charting.

MAD DOG SCARE IN WESTERN ONTARIO

Guide: In Western Ontario mad dogs are again in evidence, and it would be well in "times of peace to prepare for war."

Dogs should no more be allowed to run at large than pigs, cows or bears. Every day or two children are bitten by the worthless curs, which are allowed to run at large, under no restraint or control.

It is only this week that a small boy was bitten on both legs, and it is high time that the stray dogs were destroyed and owned ones kept under control at all times by those who value them. As a community, we cannot afford to run the risk.

OGEMAH LAUNCHED LAST EVENING

The cabin cruiser Ogemah built by the Lindsay Boat Works was launched yesterday afternoon at the foot of Ridout street without any ceremonies or the breaking of a champagne bottle on her prow. The Ogemah gracefully took to the water, thus completing the work on the finest power craft ever built in this district. The boat tested proved to the entire satisfaction of the builder, Mr. Jesse Perrin, and the owner, Mr. H. P. Beall, of Ottawa, should feel justly proud and should have nothing to regret for having his boat built by the Lindsay Boat Works.

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