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EDITORIAL

The Creed of Canada's Only Lady Member of Parliament

Miss Agnes Macphail, M. P., announces her po- commes in April was 160.6 against 163.8 for litical creed in these terms: "I believe we need a Janus while the April index number for Canadian at for the Royal Air Force display was self upon the foemen's spears, if by change in the form of government which will allow farm sucts stands at 172.9. On the other hand the mittee. questions to be debated on their merits, and in Unit tates Department of Agriculture index which the Cabinet will be a committee of the House. shows farm products in the United Statees stand I believe in good-will and the creation of a peace 146, mainst a general price level of approximately Acton Police Court on Monday for had been prepared. Now, removed psychology to replace war and militarism. I believe 154. oth cases these index numbers are weighed being drunk and disorderly. in social credit; I believe that humanitarianism in rea to the economic importance of the various Saturday night by which the Conser- he had the great opportunity to think. should be expressed in our social laws. I believe in price ing into the index. The prevailing low vative and Labor Parties will share in the narrow land of the Nile men the low tariff. I believe in enabling laws for co- price corn and cotton go far to explain the low their meetings. operation. I believe in electoral reform."

Two Provinces Attain Majority

The two Canadian provinces of Alberta and Saskatchewan attain their majority in regard to age on September first next. They will then be 21 years old as provinces of the Dominion. Prior to that date the area they now embrace had the status of territories administered largely by the Canadian pubmothing that cannot be read aloud in the Union joined the Ealing contingent in loving God. Finally there came a Federal Government. The occasion of the two provinces reaching their majority provides an interest- ado ing retrospect. In 1905 the combined population soci of Alberta and Saskatchewan was 400,000 in round ACT REE P.RESS. figures. It is now 1,500,000. The value of the anhual agricultural production has increased in 21 years from about \$40,000,000 to \$785,000,000.

Need for Immigration to Canada

It is not putting the case too strongly to assert, that in an agricultural country, the main object of statescraft might well be to maintain reasonably stable rural land values, so far as this object may be attained through legitimate legislation, or sound executive direction. In Canada, for example, rural land values, in the East, as well as in the West, became demoralized through the interruption of the stream of immigration, leading at once to agricultural depression, owing to a reduced demand for land, and the consequent stimulation of emigration from Canada, to the United States, largely in sympathy with the concomitant of such a situation, namely urban depression. Land

Canadian Optimism

adian Weekly Newspapers' Association, at Quebec few weeks ago, Hon. Frank Carrel, M.L.C., Presidont of the Canadian Daily Newspapers' Association, said he had selected the subject of Canadian opti- kallord Byng's mind. It predicted that Premier from 15 to 19, and of good physique, it among your friends seven days of mism as being an appropriate one for a Quebecker to cover before such a distinguished body of visitors. t He said the trouble with Canada to-day was not the teriff, which arouses such a lot of pessimistic speech- ti es but the truthful fact that Canada stands on the threshold; of one of the greatest eras of prosperity of any country in the world. She requires increased population to make both ends meet. Mr. Carrel concluded his address with a plea for a more optimistic spirit among Canadians. "To bring this about," he of Thiers Government of France: "It is a Governmid "every loyal and patriotic Canadian must realize that he must we united in our thoughts on this subject and we must make it plain that there is no room for the pessimistic politician unless he can imbibe some of the optimism to be found not only in the Province of Quebec but in any one of the provinces of our vast Dominion."

Pretty nearly all the joys of living are to be sum- the raffling of motor cars and operation of other med up in the word achievement. Both in sport and pries must be rigidly enforced. All inspectors of in work the achievement of a purpose is the thing Provincial Police are in receipt of similar adthat gives a man the great satisfaction. To feel that we are working steadily toward our aim, to see that the design is taking form under our hands, is to Mayor T. S. Annandale, of New Westminister, an entirely reliable remedy for such experience a satisfaction greater than any that comes to us through contemplation and leisure. Often when the task is hard and long you feel that, if only citizens injured in motor car mishaps. Failing you had it finished; you could be happy. Yet when it . he suggests compulsory accident insurance for The Hnished you soon learn that in the freedom from torists to protect the public. That might be a good If there is not so much planure as you found in the in, but the motorist who drives "in a manner and performance of it. You have indeed freed yourself a speed dangerous to the public," should be as at all times, spoke with an engaging Rheumatic Cripples from a companion of your thoughts, and you have sed for the major part of the premiums. perhaps nothing that at once can take its place. The mever know until the accomplishment was complete rederate has reached its sixtieth year, and that varied the usual character of the survives the labor only a short time; and looking very trustworthy and capable editor, Mr. A. W. meeting by slying a rather pompus backs you see that it was in the effort father than in light, has reached the twenty-lifth year of his two purport was that the merchant the triumph that the deepest satisfaction lay. But mection with that excellent paper. The Confederyou would never have realized that if the effort had has been fortunate in its editorial supervision enterprise gave employment to thousnot been crowned with the triumph of accomplish om the putset. The founder, Mr. Stovel, was a sile of seamen to show their the foliats and muscless—that's the secment. One of the virtues of accomplishment is that in of ability and discernment, but the paper never gratitude to the merchants. it makes us more keeply aware than we could other at an editor of more facile pen, controlled by a wise he of the joys of shangele. There is no joy of more sound judgment, than that of the Father Taylor rese and asked, simply; Rheums to day; if it doesn't do as we struggle for one who always fails to finish.

Thurches and Summer Attractions

These the days when the call of the open road test loyalty of church members on a warm, bright, siy. St. Marys congregations, says the Journal s, are holding up so far in a way that must be ifying to local parsons. The wise pastor will no rdo a good thing. He will remember that fiffer twenty minutes is plenty of time to put acre real message if he is well prepared. It is the mer who hasn't his subject well in hand that caret his "lastlys." Ministers can show their adiation of their congregations' loyalty these handays by "having a heart" and holding the sermown to one hour during the summer.

The and Motto of the Province of Ontario

Thereto of the Province of Ontario is "Ut Incepitalis Sic Permanet," which might be translated, Il She Began, So Forever She Remains." This haference to the fact that when the Province deper Canada was created in 1791, British law watroduced and the Government and Administra were moulded, so far as local conditions would lit, on British usage. The strong British sentime hich from that time has prevailed until the pre developing in more recent years into an ard imperialism, finds expression in the motto selected the Hon. Sir James Whitney when the presentins of the Province were adopted during his preship.

Farm Prices Higher in Canada

At ipresent moment, says the current letter of the al Bank, the position of the Canadian farmed much more fortunate than that of the farme he United States, since the price of Canadian products is above the general price level, while everage price of United States farm products low this level. For some months the whole trend asic commodity prices has been downward n bo United States and Canada, and as usual, raw reals have suffered more than finished goods. Eng., Express, received on the 8th man out of himself. He halls the The mion Bureau of Statistics Index for 236 inst.: price the United_States, while the high price of whenich is proportionately a much more importantauct in Canada, is a large factor in the prosperinthe Canadian farmer.

EDITORIAL NOTES

wspaper that goes into the home should famercle." This is a paragraph from the ethics the public welcome to the western day of vision and enlightenment-a by the Canadian Weekly Newspapers Asand has always been the policy of the

the old political parties in Halton are mak- afternoon of last week. ing ingements to place candidates in the field. Dr. erson will again be the Conservative candi- deacon of the Acton Baptist Church, datet it is not known who will be the Liberal took place on Friday afternoon, The The still, sad music of humanity. Stand-bearer, Duncan Campbell will no doubt be church by Prof. A. J. D. Farrer, of off the nomination again.—Burlington Gazette. | tended.

speech before the Conservatives of Dufferin ments at the Acton Conservative Club. urne, last week, Mr. C. R. McKeown, M. P. P., Amongst the new features will be a ied "that there would be both a Dominion and rovincial election before the snow falls and the ould be Conservative governments in power the Dominion and Ontario Houses before ed on remand at Acton Police Court the istmas holidays."

the possible exception of one candidate, the five strokes of the birch. Un Farmers of Alberta elected every one of the 46 didates who ran under the party banner in (it is thought through an open win- The knowledge of God, breaking in the vincial election of June 28. The standing of dow) St. Thomas Lodge, East Acton, upon a man's soul, must inspire him (the residence of the Rev. W. Cottrell, to go forth and bless his fellow men. the ties, with the result still doubtful in Atha- vicar of St. Thomas'. Acton Vale), Elijab or John the Baptist might not is: U. F. A., 45; Liberals, 5; Conservatives, 4; In an address before the convention of the Can- La 4; Independent, 1; doubtful, 1. Total 60;

> exchange asks this significant question: who does not wish his name to be filled your heart with a great desire was it that the Toronto Mail and Empire nominate a lad of good character, aged the vision a tangible reality by living K would not get dissolution, and then before tural college in New Bouth Wales. tirement of Mr. Meighen transpired it said: covernment will ask and will receive a dissolu- at a gurden party held on Saturday Where did the Mail get the advance know-

onoclasts argue that the most-quoted sentence Church) branch of the Young Leasinhcoln's Gettysburg speech wast after all, only ataphrase from Wellington. The Iron Duke said of politicians, by politicians, for politicians." Ward Women's branch of the National Vdor what the cynical soldier-stateman would said concerning Canada's condition these days.

he raffling of motor cars or other articles is wful. County Crown Attorneys throughout the ince have been instructed by the Attorneyeral's Department that the Dominion Act respect-

, advocates a higher license fee for automobiles the creation of a fund therefrom to take care male.

of accomplishment that it had seemed you could by is a pleasure to note that the Mount Forest

Weekly Fashion Hint



PLAIDS AND STRIPES ARE

. The woman whose wardrobe i complete certainly pays strict atten-tion to the plaids and stripes this reason. They are used in simple, straight-line frocks of indescribable smartness, and while frequently trimmed, the decoration counts heavily from every standpoint. To the left is a faffeta trimmed with plain silk. The pockets are embroidered en appliqué and the fulness at the back held in with a narrow string belt.

Medium size requires 3½ yards 36inch plaid and ½ yard plain silk.

Flamel, linen, crepe de Chine or
damask may be employed in reproducing the second model. Twin inserted noclects and a labor of serted pockets and a jabot of plain Georgette trim the front of the dress, the cuffs on the sleeves corresponding with the jabot. Medium size requires 31/4 yards 36-inch striped and

Items of Interest from the Other Acton from the Express

school children to witness the rehears- Winkelried, he is willing to cast him-Daniel M. Carter (19), a farm la-

borer, who gave an address at En- wilderness. In Egypt his mind had

the use of Acton Market Place for 'The headquarters of the Acton section of the Metropolitan Special Con- vast open desert somehow proclaimed stabulary Reserve have been transferred to the Acton Police Station. Acton, having a well-managed dispensary of its own in Birkbeck-road, took a special interest on Wednesday sweep the desert below, that marshals in the sale of minature bells and other the shining host on high and guards emblems in aid of the People's Dispen-

Acton branch of the League of Nations Jacob, had worshipped one great and peace pilgrims at the Ealing border fire that shone brightly, but did not

Percy Harris, the Acton Girl Guides Through contact with nature and med-Local Association held its annual litation upon God's wonderful works, meeting on the lawn of "Grasgarth." Moses had found God. We too may Creswick-road, Acton, on Thursday find Him, even as did Wordsworth:

stock-road, an old member and former service, which was conducted in the Not harsh nor grating, though Regent's Park College, was largely at-

Good progress is being raade with important extensions and improvecomfortable bar-lounge, a new kitchen. a stewards' room and additional accommodation for service, a new bathoom and a new lavatory.

An Acton schoolboy who was charg-Wednesday with stealing from the doorway of 59, Avenue-road, a bottle of milk, the property of Messers. Long and Pocock, was ordered to receive covered God; and learned that with

Shortly before noon on Thursday of Duly. No man can find God and and stole a jewel case from Mrs. Cot- remain forever in the wilderness.

tion (an old and well-known resident your soul, has lifted you up, and has mentioned) has drawn the right to to be pure and good-you must make to hold a scholarship at an agricul- the week. We must be Christians, not fortunate than themselves was shown Joshed by the crowd on Main Street. afternoon and evening in the pleasant grounds of 9. Rosemont-road, in Acton, the residence of Mr. and Mrs. F. Cook. The party was planned in aid of the Acton Hill (Wesleyan

Some practical hints on how best to support the Empire were given by Sir Harry Brittain on Friday night to the members of the Acton South-East Unionist Association, in the Southfieldroad Schools, where they had arranged

an Empire Social. When Mr. John Taylor Is "path finder," a country excursion is bound to be somewhat out of the common rut. So was it on Wednesday, when some ninety members and friends of the Acton Chamber of Commerce left Bt Mary's Church in three motor coaches for an excursion through six

For Both House and. Stable .- There is a good deal of similarity, physically speaking, between human beings and he lower animals. Both are subject to many ailments arising from inflammation and to all manner of cuts and silments, and mishaps in both human beings and the lower orders of ani-

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Stories of Father Taylor, the sailors friend, are perennial in their warm human interest. He was a man who. | 101 frankness, which sometimes became more brusque than was desirable. A banker from the West End of Boston once visited, Father Taylor's

princes of Boston were a very beneft-At the close of his speech the bank-

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

FOR SUNDAY, JULY 18, 1926 ACING A GREAT OPPORTUNITY General Lesson Title.-The Call of

Reference Material.-Acts 7; 22-34; Heb. 11: 24-26. Golden Text.-Certainly I will be with thee Exodus 3: 12. Devotional Reading .- Amos 8: 4-8a;

5: 21-24.

The Text Explained 11. Who am 17-Mosses' diffidence as probably the effect of his long isolation in Midian. - (The Book of Exodus says that the resided in Midian "forty years"; this is not, however, an exact measure and may mean simply a number of years. "Forty" is used in the Bible as a round number). 12. This mountain-Horeb. There is question as to the exact use of the names of Horeb and Sinal. Perhaps Horeb was the name of the entire range, and Sinal of a particular peak. Perhaps the names were synonymous. 13. Apparently the Israelites had for-

14. I Am-The name Jahveh or Yahweb (which in English we generally call Jehovah), is explained here as meaning "The One Who Is," namely, "The Eeternal." 4: 19 Moses is still diffident.

12. Jehovah gives Moses complete

asurance of his help.

getten during their residence in Egypt

the very name of their forefather's

Lesson Themes The Call of the Blood. Human pature is stronger than any man-made law or custom. The heart of love is its own master. According to the customs of the country and the time, Moses was an Egyptian prince, to whom the Israelites were nothing but foreign slaves. The young man's affection, however, overleaped the artificial barrier and persisted in turning to the despised slaves as his brothers. The call of blood drove him to take their part—even though the result The following items of local news should be disastrous to himself. The appeared in the issue of the Acton, beauty of patriotism is that it lifts a poorest and meanest of his country-An invitation to parties of Acton men as brothers. Like Arnold von

Discevering God. The "university man" was living us a shepherd in the from the distractions of court life and might worship many gods gods of each city and province crocodile gods -cats-jackals-iblses-bulls-but the the unity of Nature. Moses came to feel there is one Great Power that causes the thunderstorm on the mountain and the sandstorms which the caravans that cross the barren

saries for the Sick Animals of the wastes. There came to his memory -Many members and friends of the his ancestors, Abraham, Isaac and destroy, and a voice that proclaimed At the invitation of Mr. and Mrs. ["I am the God of thy fathers."

- The funeral of Mr. F. Unwin, Wood; To look on Nature; not as in the hour Of thoughtless youth; but hearing

> To chasten and subdue. And I have A presence that disturbs me with the Of elevated thoughts; a sense sublime,

> Of something far more deeply inter-

And the blue sky, and in the mind Vision Brings a Task. Moses dis-

Isalah, having seen the divine glory, An Acton member of the Fellow- immediately cried out, "Here am I; hip of the British Empire Exhibi- send me!" If God has come near to only when we are on the mountain top, How the young can help the less alone with God-but when we are

For Study and Discussion What circumstances had brought Moses to Midian? Should a Christian be patriotic? What do you think of that Internationalism which insists that one should look upon all countries alike? How did Moses' life in Egypt prepare him for his experienc in Midtan? After your mind has been trained, what should you do with it? Have you learned to see God in a sunset or in a flower? Can anyone continue as a Christian if he keeps his Christianity shut up in his own breast and

Daily Readings for Next Week Monday-Exodus 11: 4-10. Tuesday-Exodus 12: 1-11. Wednesday-Erodus 12: 21-28, Thursday-Exodus 12: 29-36. Friday-Exodus-13: 3-10. Saturday-1 Cor. 5: 6-13. Sunday-Psalm 91: 1-7.

MODERN WAYS Mr. Spendix-"Any installments due

to-day ?" Mrs. Spendix-"No. dear, I think Spendix-"Any payments due house, the radio, the furniture the rugs or the books?"

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And this notice being given in pur-

suance of Section 56 of the Trustees Act and amending Acts, notice is hereby further given that on and after the second day of August, 1926, the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties legally entitled thereto. and they will not be responsible for any claims for which they have not then received notice. Dated at Acton, this first-day of

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