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FAIR TREATMENT TO ALL

A letter in the Toronto World, a few days ogo, by Dr. Jas. L. Hughes, has the right ring about it. The first paragraph of the Dr's. letter reads as follows:--

"It is to be regretted that some politicians and some newspapers continue to try to stir up party strife during the war. I am a Conservative, but I am sorry to say that I think my own party is more deserving of blame for this condition than those of the other party. I have a high esteem for Dr. Edwards, M.P., but I have no sympathy with him in his attack on Sir Wilfrid Laurier, when he blames him for the recruiting disturbances in Quebec."

The writer is pleased to give credit to leading men of both parties for their patriotic utterances, and says that "the speeches of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Hon. George Graham Hon. Frank Oliver and Dr. Michael Clark, M.P., have been as patrictic and as inspiring as the speeches of any other four members of the Dominion Parliament. In Ontario, Sir William Hearst set a very high standard for any man to reach, but Mr. Rowell has proved himself to be his worthy mate as an earnest eloquent and patriotic Canadian."

We believe Dr. Hughes is right when he says that "too much has been said about Quebec." It is true there have been a few fire brands like Mr. Bourassa who endeavored to mis lead the people of his Province, but more might be gained if the rank and file were encouraged rather than censured.

It would be a good thing if there were more leading men like Dr. Hughes ready to give credit where is due even if the recipients happened to belong to another political party.

#### Presbyterian Church

Sunday, May 27th, the minister will preach at both services; in the morning "The Measure of Responsibility," in the evening "The Man who did not wear his trouble on his sleeve."

The Ladies of the Church are prepared as usual to give the public entertainment on the Twenty-fourth to dinner and tea.

On the first Sunday in June the two congregations will join in the celebration of the sacrament at Thornhill. This being the first occasion of the kind for many years a large attendance of members is expected. In September another joint service will be held at Richmond Hill.

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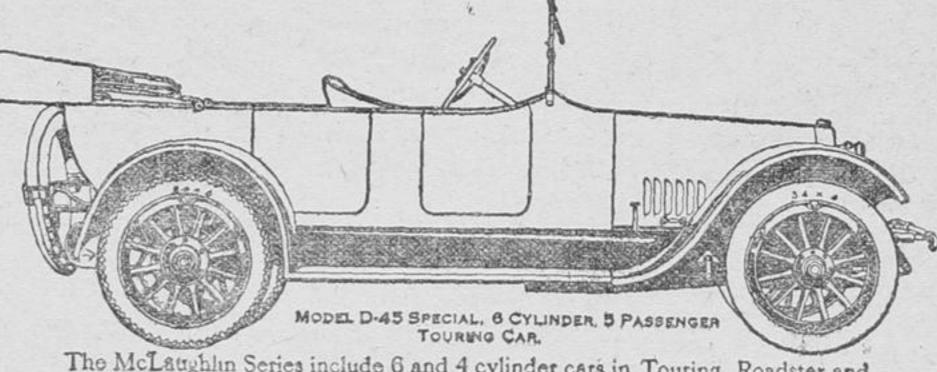
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