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WHY THEY GO TO THE U.S.

A gloomy picture of the migration of Canadians to the United States was presented by a Conservative contemporary on the occasion of the 79th birthday of the Dominion.

"Canada today is experiencing a recurrent boom in an export trade that she can ill afford," says this newspaper. "It is the export of brains and human energy," and in proof of the contention the paper gives the answers provided by many former Canadians who have made good in the United States to the questions:-

"Why do Canadians leave Canada for the United States? What is the motivating factor in the great exodus that has robbed Canada of some of its keenest intellects,

scholars, scientists, industrialists and business men?" The answers without exception point to one reason, namely, that the United States offers greater opportunities than does this Dominion. But why? An analysis of the facts and a survey of political trends is enlightening.

One of the revelations of such a study is the lack of team work, the almost complete absence of co-operative effort on the part of political parties lined up against the Dominion government. Considerations of political expedlency motivate Oppositions even against such program as those advanced by the Mackenzie King government looking to the promotion of social and economic security and the fostering and equalization of opportunities for all Canadians.

We all know of Richmond Hill boys and girls who have been attracted along with the thousands from other communities to the distant pastures of the southern republic. We think of them particularly when we hear opposition to plans for a Canadian flag, a Canada Day, any movement, in fact, that has for its purpose a slogan such as: 'Let's all be Canadians now.' The pity of it! The shame of it!

A NURSE'S POINT OF VIEW

A week ago we had occasion to discuss the interest of Richmond Hill in hospitalization and the shortage of nurses which is said to be the reason why hospital accommodation in nearby centres has become an acute problem. We quoted a young woman, discharged from active service with the Canadian navy where she was called upon to render nursing service. Her qualifications, although quite high, were not sufficient to admit her to a course of instruction in any hospital in this province. Today we have further proof that the reason why so few girls are favorably inclined to the nursing profession is because of red tape and unsatisfactory hospital procedure. B. Dean, a registered nurse, writes:-

"The salaries of nurses do not compare with those of teachers and dieticians.... In many places, they still have twelve-hour duty and I have yet to hear of a hospital that has less than a 48 hour week. Most laborers and office staffs work 40 to 44 hours a week Many general hospitals seem to resent nurses working in military hospitals, which are also short of nurses. Incidentally the salaries paid by both are approximately the same. No one will deny the veterans, needing hospital care, some priority.

"If hospital boards and nursing organizations wish to obtain more nurses they need to improve their treatment of graduates. Thus girls interested in nursing might consider it worth while to put in three years of hard work, in which time they received no remuneration except board and uniforms."

"CANADA SAVINGS BONDS"

Many Richmond Hill men and women obtained first hand proof of the value of regular saving when they bought their first war saving certificate or Victory bond. It was a lesson worth while, and a discontinuance of the plan of saving thus offered them would have been anything but agreeable. But the finance minister of the Dominion, the Hon. Mr. Ilsley, has so arranged for future loans that public offerings of government securities will still be available to the small investor.

"Canada Savings Bonds" will replace war savings certificates and victory bonds, and they will embody certain features of both these types of securities. The savings bonds will have interest coupons attached, and also, as in the case of Victory bonds, the lowest denomination will be \$50 while others will be of \$100, \$500 and \$1,000 denom-

The new bonds, like the war saving certificates, will be registered to individuals. They will not fluctuate in value and they will be non-assignable. They will be redeemable at 100 per cent plus interest at any chartered bank. As with war saving certificates, there will be a limit to the amount any person can buy in a year. The registration will enable the finance department to keep track of bond ownerships, besides protecting the investor against loss through theft or destruction. The bonds will be sold to individuals only.

The rate of interest is not yet announced, but Mr. lisley says that "the terms will be more favorable than those existing for comparable investments at the time of issue. There will be no canvass for the sale of the bonds, but they will be available at banks, investment houses, trust companies, etc., and the individual may buy them or not as he wishes.

FOLLOW POLICE ADVICE

The attempted burglary of a Richmond Hill service station a week ago again calls attention to the necessity of taking all possible precautions against break-ins. Thanks to quick action of a neighbor in phoning the police, this crime was averted, and the would be thief or thieves made a get-away, abandoning the car in which they had travelled to the scene of the crime and the loot they had piled up for themselves in the form of tires.

Richmond Hill has been particularly fortunate in escaping much of the present crime wave. No doubt the size of the village and the fact that it is the home of several vigilant police officers may to some extent account for our comparative freedom from the activity of criminals. But the advice of these same police officers cannot be ignored. Windows and doors should always be secure at night. It may not afford complete protection, but it makes the job of the burglar more difficult and thus increases the chances that he will be detected before completing his mission.

ATTAINING SOCIAL SECURITY

"Initiative and thrift were the only instruments by which to gain security we and our ancestors had," writes a correspondent of The Liberal. "Is it wise to try to substitute social legislation for these virtues?" We would unhesitatingly answer in the negative but

for the fact that the writer puts something hypothetical rather than factual before us, and an answer of "no" would merely permit him to say we oppose social security legis-

The fact is that the social legislation that has been and is being enacted in the Dominion is not a substitute for initiative and thrift, and it does not interfere with these or any other homely virtues.

The present generation of Richmond Hill residents know that thrift and initiative do not guarantee a family against the misfortunes of life. During the depression that preceded the recent war, the truth of this statement was made abundantly evident, and back to the days of the first Canadian settlers it has been all too often the case that the frugal and the provident, the thrifty and the ambitious who have suffered most bitterly from conditions over which they had no control.

Accidents, illness, business reverses, unemployment may effect the loss of the savings of a life time. Many a man has had to borrow on his insurance or put a mortgage on his home on becoming the victim of the slings and arrows of outrageous fortune.

It is acknowledged by all authorities and all political parties here and throughout the English speaking world that government is the one certain guarantee of security. The British government, for example, is proceeding with a program that provides social security from the cradle to the grave, and Canada would have gone far in the same direction if the Mackenzie King government's proposals to the Dominion-provincial conference had been accepted.

BEST ROAD TO KNOWLEDGE

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A striking observation of interest to educationists and parents alike was recently made by Rev. C. B. Brethen, minister of Richmond Hill United Church.

"Once children learned by repetition and memorization," said Mr. Brethen, "but in more recent years we are being told that children attain unto knowledge by means of visual education. It is said by some authorities on the subject that as much as 80 per cent of our knowledge is acquired by "the eye gate" while 12 per cent of what we learn comes to us by the medium of the ear. In other words, we are impressed seven times as much by what we see as what we hear while over 90 per cent of what we know is acquired through the eye and the ear combined. When we have given these facts enough recognition we may begin to realize that we are all products of what we have seen and heard,"

Public School Promotions For Richmond Hill And District

ROOM 2

Grade 6 to Grade 7-Ray Agar, son, Betty Jones hon., Beverley hon., Mable Young rec. Leech, Edward Little hon., Reta Mihorean hon., Terrance O'Neil hon., hon., Bernice Roberts, Eleanor Smith, Edward Sullivan hon., Daphne Tit-VanDyke.

Dee Jernigan, Lee Sullivan.

Grade 7 to Grade 8-Dale Agar rec., Audrey Allen, James Galloway, Margaret Hillier hon., June Hudson hon., Betty Mabley, Catherine Me-Arthur, Jack McArthur, Lucy Mihorean, Bill Semkiev hon., Marjorie

Weaver, Jean Webb. ROOM 3 Grade 5 to 6-Edna Abbot, Ruth Ann Armstrong hon., Sidney Barraclough hon., Shirley Bowen, Donald enson, Gordon Read, Inez Wood. Booth hon., Patricia Ball hon., Berhon., Mary Cottrill hon., Joyce Coop- Stevenson hon., Ray Winger. er hon., Marguerite Gorst, June garet Horwood hon., Carlyn Jerni- Winger, Gordon Wood. gan hon., Elsie Kerr hon., Fred Mi-Jacqueline Mabley, Walter MacKay Wood. hon., Heather McLean, Keith May- Grade 1 to 2-Kenneth Baker, hew, Rodney Mallory, Helen Moryto | Mary George hon. hon., William O'Hara, Catharine O' Hara rec., Jill Pritchard hon., Ronald Pullen, Myrna Risebrough hon., Ar lene Sauve hon., Jimmy Simser, Ralph Selby hon., Marion Stapley, Richard Soderberg, Robert Tomlinson, Beat-

rice Wilson. ROOM 4 Grade 3 to 4, promoted on year's work-James Hogg, Joan Hull, Robbie Keith.

Promoted on final examinations-June Grainge, Janet Tomlinson, Grade 4 to 5, promoted on year's work-Bruce Brillinger, Terry Bunce Elizabeth Carter, Helen Franklin, Joan Gibbons, Ruth Harding, Dorothy Harding, Orlin Horwood.

· Promoted on final examinations-Paul Atkinson hon., Nelson Burns, Barbara Cole, Primrose Craigie, Evelyn Dunbar, Marion Dunbar, Verna UNIONVILLE PUBLIC SCHOOL Dunbar, David Hudson rec., Duncan Kerr hon., Grace Layzell, Paul Le- Grade 1 to 2-Helen Bratton hon., Cuyer, John Leech, Grant Mylks, Ross Beckett, Dianne Cribbett hon., Williamean Neff, Carol Reid, George Billy Hendry, David Norton, Kath-Ross, Charles Roberts, Douglas leen Taylor. Smith, Ken Thornhill, Ronald Thorn- Grade 2 to 3-Brian Allen hon., hill, John Titshall, Henry Upton, Marilyn Anderson, Fred Christenson,

Carolina Schmidt hon. ROOM 5 work - David Brown, Marguerite | Williams. Clubine, Richard Flechner, Jim Gard-Kenny Tomlin, David Vallance.

Abbot, Bernice Archibald, Graeme son, Bobby Kent hon., Margaret Lyn- | Mavis Trunk hon. ett hon., Joan Marinoff, Helen Millen, Bryan Mills, Elsie Nicols, Pat Pax- ander, John Batton, Frances Griffton, Doreen Pullen hon., Ingrid Res- iths, Doreen Hiltz, Verna McCarty, entera, Laurie Weaver, Jack Wright, Bruce Maynard, George McClaren. Harry Young.

ROOM 6 hon., Wellington Bourne hon., Irene | hon., Beatrice McInnis, Eric Moore, Bresnehan hon., Thelma Dunbar, Ruby Norton, Charles Richens, Grace Frances Dunlop, Donald Glenn, Bill | Taylor, William Warne. Grainge hon., John Hill hon., Lynn Jackman hon., Edith Joyce, Jimmy McMullen hon., Ernest Norton, Ken-Kerr, Mary MacKay hon., Alex Mc-Gillivary, Alice Mihorean hon., Billy Mitchell, Billie Nicol, David Pattenden hon., Joyce Perkins hon., Jimmy Pollard, Patsy Ramer hon., Neil Risebrough hon., Jean Roberts, Paul Semkiw, Shirley Smith, Anita Soderberg hon., Shirley Thomas hon., Mur- Richmond Hill Phones-15 and 142 ray Thornhill, Donald Vallance,

ROOM 7 Grade 2 to 3-Marilyn Baker, Ron- THORNHILL AND UNIONVILLE

Promotions to Grade 8 - Joyce Craigie, Alverna Montgomery hon., Fowler, Janet Paris, Jean Muir rec. Jimmie Neal, Helen O'Hara hon., Douglas Stewart.

Kenneth Archibald hon., Howard Danny Cillis hon., Gwendolyn Hisey,

hon., Alex Caron hon., Gay Elliott hon., Sandra Emberley, Marguerite Sandra Koning hon., Roy Marinoff and cake was served. Promoted Jan. 5 to Grade 7-Dale hon., Joyce Smith, Kathy Todd hon. Agar, James Galloway, Eric Hillaby, Jimmy Wallbridge hon., Audrey Wil-

CARRVILLE PUBLIC SCHOOL PROMOTION RESULTS

Grade 7 to 8-Murray Winger. Grade 6 to 7-Carol Burton hon. Gary Burton, Doreen Houting hon., Evelyn McCarthy, Evelyn Sanderson hon., Ruth Winger, Bobby Wynn hon. Grade 4 to 5-David Barton, Brace farewell sermon. nice Bobyk hon., Mary Idelle Charles Norris, Bobbie Perring, Alexander Grade 3 to 4-Keith Sanderson Harding hon., Edward Hill hon., Mar- hon., Mary Sanderson hon., Keith

Grade 2 to 3-John Barton, Bobbie horean, Robert Moore, Ronald Millen, McEwen, Allan Sanderson, Kenneth

PROMOTIONS S.S. 3 MARKHAM

In order of merit Grade 7 to 8-Shirley Dolson, Morris Cook, Robert Lanthier, Helen

ald Brodie, Douglas Sherman, Ron-Grade 5 to 6-Barbara Radford. Grade 4 to 5-Ronald Leuschner,

Grade 6 to 7-Mervin Cook, Don-

Alice Malick. Grade 3 to 4-Margaret Brodie, Tot Sherman, Carole Radford, James

Grade 2 to 3-George Clark hon., Deanna Watson hon. Grade 1 to 2—Charles Barker, Margaret Beatty.

PROMOTION RESULTS

Lawrence Gayman, Lorraine Holdsworth hon., John Little, Geraldine Passed with honours on year's Jarvis hon., Ernest Styles, Beatrice

Grade 3 to 4-Wayne Appleton ner, Ann Kerr, Denise Stapley, hon., Edward Alexander, George Gwynneth Stapley, Carl Teetzel, Carey, Robert Harrington hon., Mildred Holdaway hon., Doris Little Passed on written exams - Fred hon., Roy Murphy.

Grade 4 to 5-Donald Anderson Bales, Paul Baker, Gordon Booth, hon., Bert Beckett, Frank Boadway. Ross Bowes hon., Michael Butt, Joan Viggo Christenson hon., Alice Dun-Cook, Donald Cole, Watson Cottrill, lop, Arthur Latimer, Marjorie Mc-Molly Hargrove hon., Ronnie Hisey Carty, William Styles hon., Douglas hon., Shirley Hudson, Joyce Jeffer- Taylor, Kathleen Tomlinson hon.,

Grade 6 to 7-Lorne Alexander, Robert Alexander, Carman Boadway. Ernie Allen, Sylvia Allen, Audrey Beverley Bratton, Georgina Bugye, Archibald, Earl Arnold, June Barber Anne Hill hon., Doreen James, rec., June Bettridge, Muriel Bobyk Yvonne Kingston, Shirley Martin

> Grade 7 to 8-Elinor Brown, Mary neth Russell hon., Harold Tomlinson.

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EDGELEY

The ladies of the Edgeley Women's call, "Sing, say or pay". Mrs. Chas. Agnew then gave a very interesting Percy Usher.

and Mrs. C. S. Stong accompanied Mrs. Paul Snider to the District Annual of West York which was held at Vellore on June 21st. It was a very interesting meeting and the resplendid dinner was served by the

there.

and Mr. and Mrs. Kearns of Toronto and recently of Miami,

spent the holiday week-end at the home of their son, Mr. Herman Thompson, Markham.

A very pleasant time with a sac ald Baker, Sylvia Cole hon., Heather she has done for the young people Grade 1 to 2-Barbara Bell hon., deared herself to the children. She has had candidates for the entrance Bennett, Loreen Booth, Martha Borst Ethel Hudson, Carol Mansbridge examinations every year and has hon., Joan Bowen, Charlie Close hon., hon., Louise Munroe hon., Margaret been very successful. At the close Douglas Fowler hon., Shirley Frank- McGarry hon., Carolyn Rowell hon., of school the children presented her lin hon., Mary Ellen Glass, James John Sealy hon., Beth Smith hon., with two lovely ornaments for the Heal, David Hillier, James Hogan Sydney Smith hon., Jack Wilson hon., mantle and last evening Miss Eulahon., David Hogg hon., Dorothy Hud- Paul Wilton hon., Stanley Sheppard line Newton presenter her with a ear rings on behalf of the young Grade 1 to Grade 2-Carol Baker, people after Miss Bernice Usher had Gerald Paxton, Robt. Risebrough Stephen Beam hon., Lillian Butler read a poem entitled "a letter to

The evening was spent in playing shall, Stella Tomlinson hon., Harold Guppy, Kenneth Hines, Jessie Kemp, games and at the close ice cream

having a "get-together" at Musselman's Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Giffen and I Murray and Linda were guests at tea | of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Stong, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wilson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Stong

On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Stong, Terry and Clifford and Mrs. Mortson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Grade 5 to 6-Gordon Houting Donald Pickering, Victoria Square hon., Marion Middleton, Doreen Stev- and attended the service there where Rev. Mr. MacKay was preaching h

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Institute held their June meeting at the home of Mrs. Nelson Peelar with a splendid attendance. Five visitors were present. The hostess gave a very interesting talk on the motto "It | It was the second isn't what you start that counts but what you finish". This was followed by a splendid response to the roll demonstration on "Salads". They were many and varied which helped to vary the menu for the past hot spell, I am sure. The salads were not only extremely appetizing but good to look at as well. A generous | m serving was passed around accompanied by a tea biscuit. A vote of appreciation was given Mrs. Agnew and Mrs. Broadbelt who had assisted with some of them. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs.

Mrs. Nelson Peelar, Mrs. Agnew ports given were very gratifying. A

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Broadbelt and in little Margaret accompanied by Mr. | John Stanley and Miss Mallion motored to Niagara Falls and Bffalo a | 2 week ago and spent the week-end

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thompson

side to it was spent on Monday evening at Young People's when all the young people, practically, got together to show Miss Rumble how much they appreciated her and what of the community. Miss Rumble has been here as teacher of the Edgeley | school for four years and has engold locket and chain and a pair of |

On Sunday the Young People are

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