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TRIBUTE TO LORD TWEEDSMUIR

John Buchan, First Baron Tweedsmuir, G.C.M.G., C.H., the fifteenth Governor-General of Canada, and the first to die while in the viceregal office, passed away at Montreal yesterday.

Lord Tweedsmuir's death yesterday, however, was not directly due to the state of his recent health, though indirectly, no doubt, he paid the price of his devotion to his onerous duties.

It is not an exaggeration to say that all Canada deeply mourns his death and feels the sincerest sympathy for the bereaved widow and other loved ones so suddenly and sadly bereft.

In recent days, there has been growing a strong realization of the effectiveness and the faithfulness with which Lord Tweedsmuir has carried out his duties as Governor-General, and with this there has been gathering a genuine affection for the man himself.

A brief sketch in the Encyclopedia Britannica for 1939 suggests that here was no commoner, but a follower of the royal pathway of life.

In the meantime he had won world fame as author and historian. His novels, "Prester John," "The Thirty-nine Steps," and "Greenmantle," are looked upon as classics.

knowledge of Canada and Canadians to put on imperishable record the history and the ideals of this land.

His services to Canada are more real than apparent. In the first place, he represented his King in one notable way—he was a family man, giving the example of true home life, with all that it implies.

In March, 1937, Lord Tweedsmuir created a happy and helpful precedent by paying an official visit to President Roosevelt in Washington, returning the call of the President in Ottawa the previous year.

One of his latest activities was in the endorsement of the Canadian Legion War Services Incorporated. He recognized in this notable plan a great benefit to the soldiers of to-day and to the citizens of to-morrow.

HOW MUCH SENSE HAS A CENSOR?

Curse the censors anyway! Double curse them! Not content with telling the newspapers that they mustn't say this and mustn't do that, they have turned now to trying to force the newspapers to consult the dictionary.

In one of the latest releases of the censors for Canada, marked "not for publication", there is a reference to two sorts of troops—one to be used one way and the other differently.

"Ancillary" troops! "What are ancillary troops?" one of the returned soldiers was asked.

When at last the dictionary was found in the corner where it missed the stray cat, it was discovered that the lads who had connected "ancillary" with the female of the species were not so far wrong.

ONE REASON FOR THE CHANGE

In suggesting that the record made in school in Canada by a young girl from Czechoslovakia should be an inspiration to Canadian-born children, The Dunnville Chronicle overlooks the fact that recent changes in the school system of On-

LOCALS

Mr. R. E. Graham, of Pembroke, was a visitor to Timmins last week.

Mr. R. Fleming was a visitor to Hailybury last week.

Miss C. Lemieux was a visitor last week to North Bay and other points south.

Mr. Bud Ball left Friday for Toronto, where he will join the Royal Canadian Artillery.

Mr. Elmer Small left on Friday for Toronto, to spend a week's holiday there.

Misses Sheila and Annabelle Lang left on Friday to spend a week's holiday visiting friends in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Smith, of 112 Maple street south, left last week to spend an extended holiday in Florida.

Mrs. Basil Maloney and family have been visiting Mrs. Maloney's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Walton, at New Liskeard.

Bruce McGill, Underground Superintendent at the Aunor Mine, who received badly crushed foot in a recent accident, is progressing very favourably.

Mrs. J. A. ("Stooge") Herrington and baby son, Bobbie, left on Friday to spend a week's holiday visiting at the home of Mr. Herrington's parents in Toronto.

His many friends will be glad to know that Mr. A. W. Young who has been ill at his home on Hemlock street, is reported to-day as steadily improving.

His many friends will be glad to learn that Mr. Gordon Baguley, who was seriously ill at St. Mary's Hospital, is reported to-day as being greatly improved.

Mr. and Mrs. V. S. Daughney, of Tyrant Mine, Gowanda, have returned to their home after a pleasant holiday spent visiting at the home of Mrs. Daughney's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Scott, of Hemlock street.

Among the local and personal notes in The New Liskeard Speaker last week was the following item of local interest: "Mrs. W. G. Turnbull has returned home following a month's visit with her daughter in Timmins and her son in Kirkland Lake.

Among the local and personal items in the North Bay Nugget last week was the following paragraph of local interest:—"Mrs. T. Skerrett and daughters, Rosamond and Mavis, have left Ferris to join Mr. Skerrett at Timmins where he has taken a position with the T. & N. O. Railway.

Powassan News:—In England the blackouts are causing street deaths at the rate of one thousand per month, and there have been no deaths from air raids, precautions against which the blackouts were made.

tario were designed with the idea of preventing any such evidence of the deplorable spirit of rivalry. The story by the Dunnville paper may be summarized as follows:—"Hanna Hammerschlag, who arrived at Grimsby last summer with her parents from Czechoslovakia, made an enviable record in her first term at the Grimsby High School.

Whatever any so-called new system may suggest the record of Hanna Hammerschlag is one of which the young lady may well be proud, with reflected honour on her family and the whole race.

No doubt the little refugee from Czechoslovakia is bright and clever and industrious. But there are Canadian-born youngsters equal in merit and performance, given the chance. In Timmins years ago when competition was not frowned upon by the school system, the remark was often heard that the published honour rolls showed children of foreign extraction as leading in all classes.

There was such a public outcry against the proposal that political addresses should all be reviewed by the censors that the Dominion Government rescinded this ruling. Instead, radio station managers are to censor any addresses over the air.

WANT Ads

ROOMS

FOR RENT—Large furnished room in private home. All conveniences. Reasonable. Apply 64 Sixth Ave or phone 2381W -12p

FOR RENT

FLAT FOR RENT—Four rooms; toilet and bath; garage; no children preferred. Apply 44 Wilson Ave. -12-13p

FOR RENT

APARTMENT FOR RENT—Three-room apartment, steam heated, hot water, heavy duty electric stove supplied, use of telephone, no children preferred. Apply 108 Birch street south. -12p

Learn Beauty Culture the Most Modern Way

SCHOOL OF HAIRDRESSING 56 Mountjoy Street

Highlights of the Annual Report of Hollinger Mine

The following are some of the highlights from the annual report of the Hollinger Consolidated Gold Mines issued last week:—

Ghost Bird of Rouyn Area Caught in Trap and Killed

There has been much talk of the bird (screech owl, or whatnot) that is alleged to have attacked workers in Boudreau's lumber camp near Rouyn knocking off their hats and scratching their faces.

COAL OF ALL KINDS

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GRAVEL AND SAND—AND PLACER

Globe and Mail:—Britain will surrender nine of twenty-one Nazis taken from a Japanese steamer to help Japan "save face." Or at least to save half a face.

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED, by the Childrens Aid Society, families willing to give homes on a boarding basis to Protestant children 10 to 14 years of age. If interested, phone 855, or call at Room 4, Municipal Building, Timmins. 60-62:1

IN MEMORIAM

McQUARRIE—In loving memory of our dear husband and father, Lindsay McQuarrie, who departed this life, Feb. 14th, 1937. Sweet memories will linger for ever. Time cannot change them it's true. Years that may come cannot sever Our loving remembrance of you. -12. —Sadly missed by wife and sons.

IN MEMORIAM

ARMSTRONG—In loving memory of John Stewart (Jack), beloved son of Carson and Elva Armstrong, who passed away Feb. 13th, 1937, age 8 years. Nothing but memories as we journey on, Longing for a smile from a loved one gone; None knows the depth of our deep regret, But we remember when others forget. -12p. —Daddy, Mother, Sister Jean.

IN MEMORIAM

IN LOVING MEMORY of Norman A. Rule who died on February 10, 1935. Loving and kind in all his ways, Upright, bright and just to the end of his days. Sincere and true in his heart and mind, Beautiful memories he left behind. —Always remembered by his wife, Lillie, 27 Homies Street, Tuiparrdvei, Transvaal, South Africa. -12

IN MEMORIAM

HANNEBERRY—In loving memory of a dear daughter, and sister, Jessie Campbell, wife of James Hanneberry, who passed away on February 3, 1937. Gone is the face we loved so dear, Silent is the voice we loved to hear; Too far away for sight or speech But not too far from thought to reach. Sweet to remember her, who once was here, And who, though absent, is just as dear. —Fondly remembered by Mother, Brothers and Sisters. -12p

Attention Insurance Agents or Companies!

Information desired. About 1929 Mike Zagar was insured in Timmins Branch office and wishes particulars. Write Mike Zagar, Box L.S., Advance office, Timmins 10-11-12

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Buttons on my shirts now.

"My wife complained that her eyes bothered her when she was sewing or mending. In fact it was an ordeal for her to even read the newspaper. Since Mr. Curtis prescribed glasses everything has changed. She reads, sews, mends and knits without any trouble at all now. She's awfully glad I insisted on an eye examination... and so am I."

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14 Pine St. N. Phone 835

Brantford Expositor: A despatch from Ottawa says that censorship of political speeches over the radio in the forthcoming election campaign will be studied from the war angle, not the political. But in view of the fact that the main political issue is the war that is going to become complicated.

