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UNIVERSITY AND SCHOOLS

How Some Would Plan to Remedy Grave Defects

Some Things That Dean Ellis Thinks Could be Done to Keep the University in Sympathetic Connection With the Lower School Work.

Dean W. S. Ellis in Queen's Quarterly.

There is frequent complaint on the part of college and university instructors that the secondary schools are not meeting the requirements of the higher institutions by adequately preparing students for taking up the more advanced work demanded after matriculation. There is an equally common and persistent complaint on the part of the masters of these schools that the influence of the college is detrimental to some of the more important interests of secondary education by putting undue emphasis on certain subjects, and by keeping a standard of entrance which prevents the schools from doing their best work. This dissatisfaction is summed up on the one side by the statement that the students who come up for matriculation have neither accurate knowledge regarding the content and use of several of the subjects required, nor capacity for work of the character called for in advanced classes. There is, in consequence, a recurring proposal to resort to the old and inefficient device of prescribing an extra scrap of work in one subject, a bit of examination in another, and an omission some place else, in order, as it is alleged, that scholarship may be improved and mental power developed. In any case a merely superficial treatment of a deep-seated trouble is of doubtful merit, and it does not seem a very rational procedure to attempt thus to adjust institutional problems that reach to the foundation of the educational structure. On the other hand, it is claimed that the college entrance tests are of a kind to induce pupils to pass out of the schools, before they have attained either to the standard of knowledge or the capacity which they should reach. If they took full advantage of the staffs and equipment provided for them. Hence, it is said, if college instructors get poorly prepared, inefficient students, it is their classes they are not reaping the harvest of a sowing that they themselves have made; and if they are compelled to do work of a secondary school grade it is because they draw students away from schools where this class of teaching could be better and

more economically done. To save at that both complaints have some foundation in fact, and that each party has a grievance for which the other is to some extent responsible. The meeting place of school and college is one of the weak points in the educational plan because the parts do not readily permit of new adjustments—to suit each other's needs. Unfortunately, though, the problems arising out of this situation go far beyond the institutions and affect others besides the master in his school and the professor in his lecture room. When there is a failure at any point in the system the inquiry falls mainly upon the pupils and the nation, for the time being, and the former are failing to carry them to that position of attainment and power which is their due, and the intelligence and progress of the latter are coming short of the standard which efficiency of the school and college should produce. It becomes pertinent, therefore, to look into the relationship of these parts of the educational system for the purposes of finding out why such difficulties exist and how they may be remedied. Without doubt the trouble is due mostly to inherited conditions rather than to active, present-day agencies. It is but another example of that laissez faire tendency which has been so prominent a factor in most of our social arrangements. There has never been in any English-speaking country an endeavor to organize a scheme of education at once systematic, scientific and purposive. On the contrary, every plan now followed has grown up by additions and adjustments made to already existing, simpler schemes for the purpose of meeting exigencies that could no longer be disregarded. In this province there is what by courtesy is called a system, but it is one of those developments rather than an organization. In consequence it is, in parts, illogical, defective, and badly arranged. Left this should be taken entirely as an adverse criticism, it must in justice be stated that when compared with the rounded, symmetrical, balanced systems of some European countries ours makes for independence, per-

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NEWS GOT THROUGH

SAILORS START REVOLT IN FAVOR OF MANUEL

Royalist Outbreak in Lisbon Against Portuguese Republic Causes Severe Fighting, But is Quelled.

Lisbon, July 8.—An agency dispatch from Badajoz, Spain, that purports to be a relay from Lisbon that there has been a monarchical outbreak in Lisbon and severe fighting in the streets.

Seamen from the barracks are said to have revolted at the instigation of royalist agitators. The populace, armed with revolvers and knives, followed the sailors until the garrison was called out. After a sharp conflict the mutineers were quelled.

The city is represented to be in a state of extreme panic and the government is rigidly censoring all telegrams sent from Lisbon.

Monarchist leaders are said to have received another \$85,000 from Brazil.

A PLUCKY ACT.

Swimmer Went to Rescue of Drowning Man.

Corwall, July 8.—A man named H. White had narrow escape from drowning below the town yesterday. He was in bathing near the shore and got in to deep water. Being a poor swimmer, he soon became exhausted and was going down for the third time when Rodrick A. McLennan, son of A. R. McLennan of the East Front, plunged in and succeeded in getting him to shore. There was no one else near at the time except a small boy, and it was a plucky act on the part of young McLennan to go to the rescue of the drowning man, as he is not an expert swimmer and went at the imminent risk of his own life. White has a wife and three small children depending on him for their support. The rescue entitles young McLennan to the Royal Humane Society medal.

Eye Lost by Strange Mishap.

London, July 8.—While T. J. Davies, of Old Kent road, was examining his motor car, a builder's workman dropped a tile from the roof. The tile broke the radiator of the car, and part of the radiator destroyed one of Mr. Davies' eyes. For this he was awarded \$2,875 damages against the builder in the law courts, yesterday.

DAILY MEMORANDA.

For Summer hats. In styles as usual. Having the best in Campbell's hobby. Naudeville, Lake Ontario Park, 3.39 p.m. Re-opening Chalmers Church, 11 a.m. Sunday. St. James Club 8th annual search light, Monday, July 17th. 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th, 21st, 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th, 28th, 29th, 30th, 31st. Boat leaves Folger's wharf 1 p.m.

BARBER KILLS CUSTOMER.

As Result of Dispute Over Head With Razor.

Madrid, July 8.—A terrible crime was committed, yesterday, by a barber at Toledo.

Valenciano Pinto, a barber, was shaving a customer when he reminded him that he was two months in arrears with his payments. A violent quarrel followed, and Pinto overcame with rage, seized his customer by the hair and severed his head from his body with his razor.

The murderer then rushed out of the shop and disappeared before the tragedy was discovered. He has not yet been traced.

NO MORE FRENCH STYLES.

American Dressmakers Issue Declaration of Independence.

New York, July 8.—A has la moda Française. This is the slogan of the first American Styles Congress, in session under the auspices of the merchant ladies' tailors and dressmakers of America. The delegates, including both men and women, declared today they have been dictated to long enough by the Frenchmen. Hereafter they will build American models for American women, and they say when the style books for next fall and winter are out, American women will rub their eyes in surprised pleasure. The delegates representing the south and west declare the hobble and harem skirts are doomed.

SHOT AS THEY WALK

JILTED LOVER SHOTS SWEET-HEART AND SELF.

Corset Stay Deflects Bullet and Saves Girl's Life—Man Probably Fatally Wounded.

Chicago, July 8.—Walking through a shady park in the woods of Park Lane with Miss Mary Peterson, pleading for her love in vain, Henry Lehner, twenty-one years old, suddenly drew a revolver and fired three shots at her. The first bullet struck Miss Peterson in the left side, but was deflected by a steel corset stay. The other bullet struck Lehner in the chest, and he fell to the ground. Believing he had killed her, Lehner turned the revolver on himself and sent a bullet into his abdomen, inflicting a probably fatal wound.

The shooting occurred just before the couple, who were returning from a dance at Woodward's pavilion, reached Strong's hotel, where both were staying with friends.

At the hospital in Benton Harbor, where Lehner was taken, he made the short statement to his father: "We quarreled. That's all there is to it."

Miss Peterson, who lives in Wabasha street, was taken to the hospital with the injured man, returned to Chicago last night. She was only slightly hurt.

PORCUPINE'S SELF-RELIANCE.

Hon. Frank Cochrane Finds Things to Admire—Railway Justified.

Cobalt, July 8.—"No question about it," said Hon. Mr. Cochrane, when asked if Porcupine had not justified its existence and the building of the railway. "And more than that, what I like about it is they are able and willing to hold up their own end. While the government is ready and willing to help, we do like to see a little community taking hold of their own problems themselves, and doing their best to solve them. That is what Porcupine is doing."

Mr. Cochrane is of the opinion that the main line of the E. & N. O. and the Matagami river there are now 10,000 people at a conservative estimate. Everywhere the party went it received congratulations on the prompt construction of the railway, and all the officials present, Messrs. J. H. Black, Superintendent S. B. Clement, Chief Engineer J. Burke, in charge of construction, received much praise.

CABINET MINISTERS RETURNING TO OTTAWA

Lot of Business to Be Done Before Parties Lock Horns on Reciprocity.

Ottawa, July 8.—Nearly all of the cabinet ministers will be back in Ottawa next week, following Sir Wilfrid Laurier's return here on Tuesday next. There is considerable work ahead of the cabinet in cleaning up arrears of business accumulated during the past month, and in completing the government's legislative program for the balance of the session.

Nearly half of the government business, as planned for the session, remains to be put through, and four weeks of hard work can hardly be put in after the house resumes on July 18th in clearing of the order paper before the decks are cleared for the final struggle with the reciprocity bill, and the reciprocity agreement.

To Welcome Laurier.

Montreal, July 8.—Arrangements are complete for the welcome of Premier Laurier. Both sides of the river will be illuminated. A triumphant arch will be erected at the point of embarkation and vessels in the port will be decorated. An official welcome will be made by the mayor and city council.

\$7,500 Refused for a Strad.

London, July 8.—Although \$7,500 was bid for a violin by Antonino Stradivari, at Messrs. Patten & Simpson's, yesterday, it was with drawn.

Special sale of 82 chocolate of black Oxford, \$1.63. Dutton's Shoe Store.

Bibby's special 60c. shirt sale.

MAJORITY OF 10

In United States Senate Favorable to Reciprocity.

PASSED BY AUGUST 1

THIS IS THE STATEMENT OF SENATOR PENROSE.

President is Anxious—Farmers Will Retaliate—Senator La Follette to Speak for a Week.

Washington, D.C., July 8.—Although the situation with regard to reciprocity in the senate has twisted and turned to a point where President Taft and Chairman Penrose, of the finance committee, are confident that it will be passed by a comfortable majority before August 1st, the measure is by no means out of the woods.

Senator Kenyon, of Iowa, who has been regarded as one of the staunchest supporters of the president, announced, to-day, that he will vote against the reciprocity bill. He had been expected to make a speech supporting it.

"I have been compelled to take this action," said the senator, "because the farmers of my state are unalterably opposed to the bill."

BEER DRINKING IN U. S. SHOWS AN INCREASE

No Less Than 63,000,000 Barrels Sold During the Past Twelve Months

New York, July 8.—No less than sixty-three million barrels of beer were sold in the United States during the twelve months ending June 30th last, or an increase over the previous twelve months of 6.21 per cent., according to the annual report of the beer and whiskey sales made public here to-day, by the U. S. Brewers' Association. Notwithstanding the increase, which, the report contends, indicates that the country is prosperous, the spread of prohibition has affected the trade considerably, it is declared.

"No doubt a good deal of bottled beer is going into the dry territory," the report reads, "but it is not enough to offset the loss of the draft beer saloon trade. The beer business is mainly a city business, and in good times a steady increase may be counted upon."

"GOLDEN RULE" AND THE STEEL TRUST

New International Octopus Will Take It for a Rule of Conduct, Gary Says.

Brussels, July 8.—A "world-wide steel trust," technically to be known as the "International Steel and Iron Institute," with the "golden rule" as a working policy, took definite shape at the second day's session of the steel congress. A committee was appointed to draw up a plan for the organization of the big steel interests of the world, as suggested by Judge Gary, of the United States Steel corporation.

The European delegates have taken up the plan with much enthusiasm. All credit for the idea is given to Judge Gary. There is talk of making him the head of what will be the biggest trust in the world, when formal organization is finally effected.

Gary reiterated his statement that the purpose of the organization was to "apply the golden rule in the world's steel business." The application is to consist in the control of the world's output of iron and steel, the regulation of prices, division of territory, and the elimination of "ruinous" competition.

HUSBAND IS "BOSS," COURT SO DECLARES.

Woman Has Nothing to Say According to Rules Laid Down for Guidance of Family Affairs.

Springfield, Mass., July 8.—These precepts for the guidance of wives and husbands were laid down by Judge Charles L. Long in the separate support case brought by Mrs. Edith Marsh against Henry B. Marsh, assistant treasurer of the Five Cent Saving Bank.

"The husband is absolute lord and master of the estchequer," he said. "He is entitled to his meals at any hour he wants them."

"He may select such food as he chooses. If he wants one food and his wife another, the husband's decision goes."

"A servant girl to whom the husband objects must be discharged."

"Finally, man—who pays the bills—and not woman, is boss."

A POSTMAN ARRESTED

In Toronto on Information From Scotland Yard.

Toronto, July 8.—George Gullie, London, England, postman, was arrested here yesterday afternoon, charged with stealing British currency equivalent to \$245 from letters. Information that he was wanted came in a cable message from Scotland Yard, who had located him by intercepting letters. Two hours after the message was received, he was found by Detective Greer, at a house, on Niagara street. He will be held for the arrival of an officer from London.

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DOING GOOD WORK.

Women Dig Ditches in Schenectady Streets.

Schenectady, N.Y., July 8.—Women have taken the place of striking excavators in a Warren street trench, where work on a sewer is progressing. Strikers became demonstrative when five women began to upheave dirt with picks and shovels, but the women received protection from the police. The women, who are Italians, receive fifty cents an hour, as strike-breakers, and are doing satisfactory work.

ALL OVER A NAME.

Son Causes Divorce and Aisl Reconciliation.

Des Moines, Ia., July 8.—William O. Oswald, of Chicago, and Mrs. Nellie L. Oswald, were remarried, yesterday, by a justice of the peace. Mr. and Mrs. Oswald were divorced twenty years ago, following a quarrel over the name of their newly-born son. The son who caused the trouble affected the reconciliation.

Clouds of Moths.

St. John, N.B., July 8.—The dominion government's steamer Stanley, in port here after a cruise in the Bay of Fundy, reports that off the Litcher Lightship on the Nova Scotia coast clouds of brown-tail moths were being carried towards that coast. Millions of the insects say, alighted on the Stanley, and on the lightship, and it was some hours before the cruiser was entirely free of them.

CHALMERS CHURCH RE-OPENED

The Interior Has Been Beautifully Decorated and Furnished.

For the past three months, Chalmers Presbyterian church has been undergoing big improvements. The walls and ceiling have been beautifully decorated, the colors being most harmonious. The walls are in soft purple-grey, the ceiling in tones of cream that harmonize excellently with the walls. The decorations are in soft subdued colors, the design being especially suitable to the fine architecture of the church. The removal of the old wooden dado, the refinishing of the woodwork and seats in mahogany, the gilding of the organ pipes, and the new two-toned green carpet over the whole of the church have made a vast improvement, and the new choir rail and change in the platform have added much to the convenience as well as the appearance of the edifice. The church is to be re-opened on Sunday, and the choir will appear in gowns, the ladies wearing motor boots.

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LATEST TIDINGS

Despatches From Near and Distant Places.

THE WORLD'S EPISODES

GIVEN IN THE BRIEFEST POSSIBLE FORM.

Matters That Interest Everybody—Notes From All Over—Little of Everybody Easily Read and Remembered.

Judge Morson, in Toronto division court, gave judgment that a bet on a race could be collected by law.

The body of an unknown man was found on the beach near Mimico. Clothes with a grip were found nearby as if the man had gone in swimming.

Borden has completed his tour of the west. He says of all his tours this has been the most interesting as never has he found audiences so attentive.

It is believed in Ottawa that Sir Frederick Borden will succeed Lord Strathcona as Canadian high commissioner at London and his place in the cabinet will be taken by E. M. Macdonald, liberal member for Victoria, N.S.

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WEATHER PROBABILITIES.

Toronto, Ont., July 8, 10 a.m.—(Ontario) July 7th, 1911, to 12th. Lawless. Fine and moderately warm to-day and on Sunday. Local thunder storms by Monday.

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Will close at 5 p. m. During July & August—Saturdays excepted.

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A Great Wash Silk

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1 Yard Wide.

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STEACY'S

BORN.

MACCALLUM—At Niagara Falls, Ont., July 7th, 1911, to Dr. and Mrs. Samuel MacCallum, a son, "William Tandy."

HOLLAND—In Kingston, on July 6th, 1911, at 523 Princess Street, to Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Holland (nee Nettie Arnel), a daughter.

ROBERT J. REED, The Leading Undertaker. Phone 577. 250 Princess Street.

JAMES REID, The Old Firm of Undertakers, 254 and 256 PRINCESS STREET, Phone 147 for Ambulance.

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Natural Spring Water

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May be \$80,000,000.

Ottawa, July 8.—The customs revenue for the three months ending June 30th was two and half millions greater than for the first quarter last year. June showed an increase of over a million dollars. If the increase continues at the same rate during the year it will bring the annual revenue up to eighty million dollars.

Women as Public Officials.

London, July 8.—As an experiment and on the special recommendation of its medical officer, the Ealing borough council has appointed a woman, Mrs. Copeland, as fourth sanitary inspector at a salary of \$400.

Will be Inspected.

Ottawa, July 8.—Government inspection of all privately-owned wharves will probably follow the accidents at Montreal and Agincourt.

Shortly after a romantic girl

the person with the man of her choice, her romance evaporates. Your individual need in a property you can be met. Come in and tell us what it is. McCallum.