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**OTTAWA FINDS RIDEAU HALL NOW OUT OF BOUNDS.**

Police men Bar the Entrances to the Grounds Where Once the Public Walked and Played at Their Own Sweet Will—Quaint Old Building is a Rambling Place and is the Work of Many Vice-Regal Hands.

Ottawans in general are now beginning to realize the effects of having a prince-of-the-blood as Governor-General of Canada, and some surprises have come upon them.

Rideau Hall has up till the present been a sort of show place of the capital and the paths regarded as semi-public highways. Now, however, citizens and others have discovered somewhat abruptly that they can no longer wander at will in the domain appertaining to His Royal Highness. Fields on the estate which have always been used by football and other clubs, with easily gained and sometimes arduous permission, are absolutely closed; by-paths which led across the grounds are rigidly forbidden; twelve uniformed policemen and a host of plain clothesmen order all pedestrians off the premises by day and eight policemen do the same at night. Every person is met at any corner by the eagle eye of the custodians of His Royal Highness' welfare, with enquiries as to their business. Few of the old democratic customs are allowed to prevail, and those who now reach the very portals of government have first to show solid reason why.

It was not like this in the olden times, and there are heart burnings in consequence. Everybody now has to march up in the middle of the road to the main entrance, and may be turned back soon after passing the entrance gates. A few days ago two unsophisticated newspapermen, representing Winnipeg papers, went to Rideau Hall with the intention of gathering news items of an indefinite sort, and were met on the roadway by the custodians of the law, who asked their business. Failing any substantial reason for being on the premises, they were asked if they did not know they were on private grounds, and as they were not aware of it before, they had no objection to leaving the premises—in which they were not alone, for many an honest citizen and visitor has already received a surprise of a like nature.

Rideau Hall seems rather a curious building for its purpose until you realize that the purpose has made the building what it is—a plain, large, rambling structure of quite non-descript architecture. It is no more incongruous than one might expect, considering that every Governor-General since its first official tenant, Lord Monck, has left his mark upon it, enlarging and adapting the house to his own particular requirements. Still further alterations, we hear, have lately been made, so as to fit it for the occupation of its new master—the first Governor-General of the Dominion connected with our royal house since the time of the Marquis of Lorne and his Vice-Regal, the Princess Louise. The place is said to be very comfortable, and it is, of course, permeated with countless Canadian-British associations and memories, mostly pleasant.

Some idea of the gradual expansion of Rideau Hall may be gathered from the fact that the original structure consisted of only eleven rooms, exclusive of those in the basement and attic. To-day there are over a hundred, not to speak of numerous buildings in the grounds. The original house was built in 1833 by Thomas McKay, a wealthy and hospitable Scots-Canadian—contractor and member of Parliament—for his own residence. It was then playfully called "McKay's Castle," and every one of any note who passed through Ottawa made a point of visiting the host and his wife and large, merry family, with whom entertaining was a cult. The portion is as McKay left it; the round tower also.

Like all good Scots, the McKays took an immense interest in gardening. It is said, indeed, that the grounds have never since been kept so well as in their time. Mr. McKay trimmed the first cedar hedge ever grown in Ottawa, and every single tree in the avenue was planted by his wife.

Although the grounds may not have been perfectly kept in the days that have followed the Government's taking over of the lease from Mr. McKay in 1865, they certainly have been vastly improved in various ways by successive Governor-Generals. Thus it was Princess Louise who cut the second avenue through the woods known as "The Princess Vista," whence you get a delightful view of Ottawa and the mountains beyond. The finest cricket ground in all Canada, dedicated for ever to the use of the Ottawa Cricket Club, is located in a field in front of Rideau Hall.

Added buildings include the lodge, a curious octagonal building of yellow brick, with, as its vis-a-vis, Crich-ton Lodge, red-roofed and gabled. This used to be the private secretary's house, but he now occupies Rideau Cottage, which, though not so picturesque outwardly, has much internal solidity and comfort. Besides these, the guardhouse, gardener's cottage, laundry, stabling, coachhouse (and, I believe, motor garage), conservatory, vinery, iron gates, and strong pillars are among latter-day improvements. The house "nestles among pine trees and cedars on rising ground on the east side of the wild little Rideau River. Its queer chimneys, its old corners and low lines of grey walls may be clearly seen from any point on the opposite shore when the trees are leafless in winter, but in summer only the chimneys and flagstaff are distinguishable." Rideau Hall is named after the river which in turn was called Rideau from the picturesque and cartain-like falls which mark its juncture with the Ottawa.

Edmonton Nights. Summer nights at Edmonton, Alberta, have just two and a half hours of actual darkness.

Miss Robina Byers, Gananagan, left last week for Lethbridge, Alberta, and on Monday was united in marriage to Ives Armstrong, Lethbridge, son of Dr. George Armstrong, Montreal.

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**Minister and Judge.**

Judge Rensoul, who made a rapid recovery from his alarming illness in the City of London County Court the other day, has had a peculiarly varied experience of public life. He has been minister, barrister, and member of Parliament, and achieved success in all three robes. For some years he was a Presbyterian minister at Woolwich, and he is still a member of his Church, is still a minister, as well as a judge. While at Woolwich he found leisure to study for the Bar, and for a time he practiced as a barrister and carried out his ministerial duties contemporarily. Possessed of a fine, rich Irish brogue, Judge Rensoul is a welcome and humorous after-dinner speaker.

Among the many anecdotes which Judge Rensoul relates is one which has reference to the acoustic properties of the Central Criminal Court. These are not so perfect as they might be, and there is decided echo in the walls. Sometime ago, Judge Rensoul sentenced a prisoner to six months' hard labor. When the judgment was passed "six months' hard labor" was echoed from the back of the bench. Taken aback, the prisoner turned to the warder by his side and enquired anxiously, "Are these 'ere sentences to run concurrently?"

**No Words Wasted.**

A couple of Quakers hold the record for brief letters. One of them, wishing to correspond with a friend at a distant town had any news to communicate, posted to him a sheet of paper on which only a note of interrogation was written. The reply came in the form of a blank sheet, indicating that there was nothing at all to communicate.

Actors seem to carry off the palm for brevity in letter writing. Quin had a misunderstanding with Rich, the manager of Covent Garden, which resulted in Quin's leaving in an unceremonious manner. He soon regretted the hasty action, and wrote to the manager, "I am at Bath. Your loving Mother." Quin's answer was even shorter: "Dear Mother,—So am I."

**Smoke and Business**

A paper on smoke abatement was read before the British Association for the Advancement of Science, whose annual meeting was held recently in Portsmouth. The paper advocated a new standard of smoke emission for factory chimneys. The existing standard permitted the pouring forth of smoke that polluted the air, injured health, disfigured buildings, and cut off sunshine.

Commenting on this, Sir William White agreed that there should be a proper standard. However, there was a feeling in manufacturing districts that the more smoke there was in the atmosphere the better the business was. The people there got accustomed to smoke, and did not take as much notice of it as others.

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General Booth has been relating some interesting stories about royalty. On one occasion, preparatory to a visit to Copenhagen, he was anxious to enlist the sympathies of the Dowager-Empress of Russia, and addressed a letter to her sister, Queen Alexandra. He was summoned to Buckingham Palace, and while engaged in conversation with her Majesty Princess Victoria entered the room.

The princess placed an album before him with a request for his autograph. "This I consented to do," said the general, "and I pulled out my stylographic pen. But those stylographic pens (and here the general recalled highly amused, as memory recalled the incident) have a wonderful way of letting go their ink before the proper time, and it was so on that visit to Buckingham Palace. The ink ran everywhere but in the proper place. Queen Victoria, who was present, then directed me to use a fountain pen. I managed to sponge it off. The entry he made in the princess' album below his signature was: "Saved to save." Next day the Queen sent her album, and complying with her command, I wrote a line in the entry therein.

When visiting the late King Edward, General Booth was asked by his Majesty, "And what do the clergy think of your work?" "I was taken aback as to what answer to make," recounted General Booth, "as I thought the King might repeat my reply to the first archbishop bishop he met. Eventually I replied, 'They imitate us, your Majesty.'"

**Blind Stenographer.**

Of late years the blind have accomplished many things which have aroused the admiration of the world, and provide striking testimony to the progress of the training of those suffering from that greatest of afflictions, loss of sight. The recent feat, however, of Maurice J. Meyers, the blind shorthand writer and typist of the Birmingham Royal Institute for the Blind, stands out as one of the most extraordinary on record. He attended a recent conference on the treatment of the blind at Exeter as official stenographer and recorded all the discussions on the various papers. The conference lasted for five days, and Mr. Meyers' notes, which were recorded on a narrow strip of paper, with which the embossed shorthand typewriter for the blind which Mr. Meyers used was fitted, extended to a length of two and a quarter miles. Mr. Meyers, who can take notes at a speed of 150 words a minute, himself helped to formulate the Birmingham system of embossed shorthand. One of the most remarkable facts about Mr. Meyers is that he accomplished this difficult task of training himself as a blind shorthand writer after losing his sight, and after acting as a sighted stenographer to a firm of New York solicitors. It was after losing his sight that he returned to Birmingham, his native city, and went to the institute as a day pupil 14 years ago. Five years later he performed a similar feat to the one at Exeter, when he acted as official shorthand writer at the conference, which lasted the six seasons of an average duration of three hours each.

**Doyen at St. Stephen's.**

Lord Claud Hamilton, M.P., who has recently suffered a bereavement, Lady Claud Hamilton dying after a prolonged illness, is the doyen at St. Stephen's, although not actually the Father of the House of Commons.

He first entered Parliament in 1865 as member for Londonderry, exactly three years before Mr. Henry Chaplin first appeared at Westminster. Lord Claud's Parliamentary service, however, has not been anything like continuous, otherwise he would have been entitled to the appellation of Father of the House, a position now held by Mr. Thomas Burt, who has sat for the Morpeth Division since 1874.

Mr. Balfour first joined the House of Commons in the same year, and would now be entitled to be called the father but for the circumstance that he was out of Parliament two or three weeks between his rejection at Manchester and his re-election for the City of London. On the other hand Mr. Chamberlain has sat continuously since 1876, so that he is really the Father-elect of the House of Commons at the present time.

**Guarding London's Treasures.**

London's art treasures are most jealously protected. The National Gallery, in addition to having a security guard, is patrolled day and night by twenty-two constables and twenty-five employees. At the British Museum the million of pounds' worth of treasures are protected by over 200 assistants, including night keepers of departments, fifty-three assistants, nine security division clerks, twenty-two chief attendants, ninety-six attendants, five boy clerks, twenty-three boy attendants, forty-three commissioners and fifty-one laborers, while a number of detectives in various disguises keep on eagle eye on things in general.—London Telegraph.

**The Parsees.**

The Parsee, untrammelled by his surroundings, as seen in London in all his wealth of height and dress. The men are, without exception, tall, finely formed and stately, and possess a robustness and beauty quite in contrast with their Hindu neighbors. Their street costume is a peculiar long white cotton gown, wide trousers of the same material and color, and a tall, stiff shaped hat. They have a general reputation for sobriety, frugality and sagacity, and they seem to thoroughly understand the accumulation of fortunes, in this respect resembling the Hebrews. The wealthiest residents of Bombay are Parsees.

**The Boomerang.**

The boomerang, missile instrument for war, sport or the chase, in use by Australian aborigines, was first made known by being brought before the Royal Irish academy by Prof. McGullash in 1837.

W. L. Henderson, Jackson, Mich., formerly of Gananagan, died on Saturday, aged twenty-eight years. He suffered from tuberculosis.

Dr. H. M. Ferguson, son of Postmaster Ferguson, St. John's Falls, has taken up practice in New York.

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