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Belgium Loses Great Poet

As though Belgium had not enough to suffer at the hands of the men who kill her sons or send them to captivity, a cruel fatality has deprived her accidentally of her most glorious children. This summer our great economist, Emile Waxweiler, who was to supervise the restoration of our national life, was killed in the streets of London by an automobile. This month a train in Rouen crushed to death Emile Verhaeren, the great literary figure of Belgium.

We had hoped that the same powerful voice which magnified the great industrial effort of Belgium and with a wild energy denounced the annihilation of all its attainments at the hands of the invaders would concentrate the vigor of an exceptionally virile talent in an inspiring hymn of triumph for the day when Belgium will be free again. This privilege has been refused to a man who deserved it so well, not only because he was a great artist, but because he is eminently a Belgian poet, uniting in his talent both the Flemish mentality and the French power of expression.

He was born in St. Amand, near Antwerp, in 1855, on the banks of the Scheldt, a region of gloomy mists, but with a fertile soil and a sturdy and lusty race of men. As a student in Louvain University, Verhaeren founded a literary periodical, La Semaine.

He soon became a friend of Maeterlinck. Edmond Picard, the editor of L'Art Social, converted Verhaeren to socialism. From the very beginning of his literary career the young poet had found himself especially interested in workmen and peasants. His first book, "Les Flamandes," aims to describe the Flemish farmers. Prompted by his juvenile extravagance, he drew of them a picture hideous and immodest beyond measure. The critics were severe upon the young artist, who tried to give loftier descriptions in "Les Moines" ("The Monks").

As an adolescent, he had been profoundly impressed by the mystical figures of the monks of Bornhem, near his native place. In order to revive his impressions he had spent some time with the Trappists near Chimay. The picture he gives of the monk, however, is hardly less exasperated than the description of the "Flamandes." The friars are for him a disconcerting vision of a fierce asceticism in an inhospitable surrounding.

In both works his tumultuous soul, like a lens, was amplifying everything and overheating the eye of the observer. These, moreover, were the first symptoms of a mental and moral crisis through which Verhaeren had soon after to struggle.

Turned into a hypochondriac, he was more and more attracted by gloomy and dark visions. He went abroad and found a congenial surrounding in the foggy immensity of London. During his sojourn in the English city he wrote a trilogy of tears, fears, and despair, "Soirs," "Debacles," "Flambeaux noirs".

In 1891 he recovered from his illness and his despair in the conviction that he had a social mission. Like his friend, E. Picard, he thought that art should be made accessible to the people and help the conversion of the working classes to the ideal of collectivism. Verhaeren's social ideal, true it is, is more or less unprecise and negative. His vehement soul had conceived an immoderate hatred against the evils of our present society at the same time as an immense affection for the toilsome existence of the humble. He became the chanter of peasants and workmen, of their quiet and laborious life in the small towns, and the indefatigable denouncer of the unquenchable thirst of our modern ugly cities for more men to swallow up in their factories and their turmoils of money and pleasures. Verhaeren's style is somewhat harsh and irregular. The strength of the expression, the intensity and the sincerity of the feeling are its beauties. The sensations of the poet are intense and concentrated. Verhaeren accumulates in his soul the vision of the whole world and the strain oppresses him. His verses often are like the discharge of an overheated boiler, though they may also be serene and illumined by a soothing light as the ocean after a hurricane. Those are lulls in a tempestuous soul, never satiated because it is too strong to put up with the meanness of a life without an ideal. It was born for a holy religious anger at the sins of the world, for a violent asceticism allied with an evangelican sympathy with the humble. The loss of the Christian ideal of its youth and of so many generations of Flemish Catholicism bewildered that powerful mind.

This explains why Verhaeren could not be neutral and at the end of his life became a preacher of atheism. In quest of a luminous ideal, he eagerly welcomed the visions of that world of dreams in which scintillate the wan lights of universal fraternity, regeneration of mankind in love and equality, communtiy of goods and souls, consciousness of a liberated mankind, religion of science, life of the universe, and to those idols he sacrificed with the hyperbolic faith of a Victor Hugo and the bitterness of a man who has never recovered from the loss of his first love.

The moral as well as the physical sufferings of Verhaeren have been productive of beauty. He is a great poet because while he has gone through the same struggles and made the same efforts as thousands of his contemporaries he could find the words that gave a powerful and imperishable existence to what was only vaguely apprehended by the crowds. He was the Rubens of the mentality of a portion of mankind during the last generation. He dies in a tragic manner while an immense tragedy is shaking the ideals of those who, like him, had an unrestricted faith in man.

It's a pity we can't reverse things and start at the top. It would be so easy to reach the bottom.

A woman's heartbreaks are often as bad as a man's indigestion.

PHOTOGRAPHING THE WAR.

Canadian Woman Has Taken Pictures on Western Front.

Few more interesting war visitors have come to Canada than Mrs. Florence Harper (formerly Miss Florence MacLeod of Woodstock). In Europe when war broke out, Mrs. Harper became closely interested in French and Belgian relief work and conceived the idea of taking pictures of the work and exhibiting them on this side of the water. Collaborating with her has been Captain Donald C. Thompson, who was shot through the eye while operating the machine. Mrs. Harper has a nine-hundred-dollar cinema camera, and her party includes her partner and his wife and the camera man.

Mrs. Harper, who is a woman of independent wealth, had been so actively engaged in French relief work under the Duc de Polignac that the French Government gave her every facility to get pictures at the very front itself. And though it had been Mrs. Harper's intention to use her pictures in her own lectures she has been unable to carry out her plans owing to a painful affection of the throat. Accordingly she has disposed of many of her pictures to well known publications and regular film companies, and recently started for the Russian front. Armed with a passport from Sir Edward Grey, as her husband is an Englishman, Mrs. Harper has nearly a hundred letters to important men in Russia and China, as she is going to the Czar's domains by way of Manilla and China.

Very business-like did the lady look as she bade farewell to Toronto, for her adventuresome journey will cover about two months before she reaches the Russian front, and she had cut off her hair to save unnecessary trouble. Mrs. Harper hopes to return by next spring and carry out her original plan of lecturing with her pictures. Such wonderful things has she to say of the marvellous spirit of the French. "Words seem feeble to convey any idea of the indomitable spirit of the whole French army," said Mrs. Harper, who also has much to say of the appreciation in France of Canadian soldiers and relief work.

Mrs. Harper likes her hospital pictures best, as they show the wonderful cures wrought by the new ambrine, a liquid paraffin. Men who have been most cruelly burned about the hands and face are soon restored to normal condition by this wonderful new treatment.

Canada's Generosity.

It used to be said in the days before the war that the British people underrated their Empire because they were unable to comprehend any values that could not be expressed in terms of pounds, shillings, and pence. The reproach no longer holds good.

We have learned from the enthusiasm and devotion of the men of the Dominions that the meaning of the Empire needs to be expressed in terms of higher value. But even on that old sordid basis we are finding out week by week and month by month how much the Colonies are worth to the Motherland. The Province of Ontario has contributed a magnificent gift of £250,000 to the "Our Day" effort in behalf of the Red Cross funds. And this is but an installment of the £400,000 which this one province of Canada is voluntarily subscribing to the splendid cause.

Canada's generosity is indeed inexhaustible. For hospital equipment the Canadian Government contributed, to begin with, £20,000. The women of Canada subscribed £60,000, of which £20,000 was to go to the War Office and the balance to the Admiralty for Haslar Hospital. These and similar contributions in addition to the splendid hospital equipment for the treatment of Canadian wounded which the Dominion has herself provided.

There are other gifts and benefactions innumerable. How many people in this country are aware that Canadian help has been received towards the relief of distress in our east coast holiday resorts? Yet that is so. A vast contribution of wheat given to this country by Canada was sold and the money devoted to this purpose. Now comes this magnificent gift from Ontario. And all this on top of a contribution of close upon 400,000 of the finest soldiers in the world!—London Daily Mail.

Where He Drew the Line.

There is a story going the rounds about the famous sandstorms that swept over Camp Borden during the past summer. One particularly windy day when the clouds of sand were driving across the grounds, a recruit ventured to seek shelter in the sacred precincts of the cook's domain. After a time he broke an awkward silence by saying to the cook: "If you put the lid on that camp boiler you will not get so much sand in the soup."

The irate cook glared at the intruder and then burst out: "See here my lad, your business is to serve your country."

"Yes," interrupted the man in khaki, "but not to eat it."

Saw First Hockey Game.

The Duke of Devonshire witnessed his first game of Canadian hockey a few days ago in the Arena at Toronto. The game was put on in connection with a patriotic fete, and the Governor-General and his two daughters were present. The Duke faced off the puck and watched the game. He was greatly interested in the speed of the typical Canadian game, and commented several times on this feature of the play. Ladies Maud and Blanche Cavendish also enjoyed greatly the brilliant and flashing sport.

Paper From Flax Straw.

The Canadian Pacific Railway's Research Department is working upon a method whereby a commercially satisfactory paper pulp can be made from flax straw. Hitherto the straw had to be burnt for want of proper methods of treatment.

The girl who is wise never gives a young man a lock of her hair. She may decide to change the color of it later.

Men who know themselves are often suspicious of others.

THE 253RD HIGHLANDERS GET MANY RECRUITS

Queen's University Corps Is Popular in the Cornwall District.

Cornwall, Jan. 23.—The recruiting meetings being held throughout this district by Major J. A. Cameron and Lieut. M. J. O'Brien, of the 253rd Queen's University Highlanders are proving a great success and B. Company being organized in Stormont, Dundas, and Glengarry counties, is 110 strong and is gaining strength every day. The Ross Mill Barracks occupied by the 59th Battalion last winter is being overhauled by the Engineers Department and it is expected that by the end of February the local company will be quartered therein.

At every place where he is asked to do so, Lieut. O'Brien makes an appeal from the recruiting platform for funds for the Red Cross and in this way he has collected to date the sum of $5,387. On the recruiting tour two diminutive boys clad in the kilts accompany the officers, they are Piper Donald Kippen, and Drummer Stanley Kippen, sons of Donald Kippen, of Maxville. The lads are only between 11 and 12, and 13 and 14 years old respectively but they play like veterans and they have been arousing great enthusiasm at the meetings they have attended. The piper is scarcely as tall as his pipes but he has remarkable control of them and plays very correctly all the old Scotch airs.

Meetings were held on Saturday in Morrisburg and Monday in Milleroches. Others billed are: Tuesday in Wales; Wednesday in Aultsville; Thursday in Iroquois; Friday in Cardinal.

Township Councils

LOUGHBORO.

Sydenham, Jan. 8.—Council elect met at 11 o'clock a.m., when the following members took the oath of office: Charles Truscott, reeve; R. H. Smith, David Walker, Edward Lawrence and J. F. McRory, councillors. Council adjourned until 2 p.m. Minutes of last meeting adopted. Applications were received from T. F. Lawrence, J. H. MacNamara and Stewart Joyner for position of auditor, and from Lewis Clow, William J. Caldwell and Calvin W. Lake for the position of assessor. On motion, McRory-Lawrence, J. H. MacNamara was appointed auditor at a salary of $6; motion, Walker-Smith, Stewart Joyner, auditor at $6. Thomas Fitzgerald was paid $25 for loss by fire. P. J. Trousdale paid $36.77 for supplies furnished Oliver Arnold by J. S. Roberts. Collector's time extended till Feb. 1st. Council adjourned to meet at 7.30 p.m. Jan. 20th.

Jan 20.—Council met at 8 p. m., all members present. On motion, McRory-Lawrence, J. H. MacNamara was reappointed a member of the board of health. On motion, Lawrence-McRory, A Blakeslee was appointed sanitary inspector. The following comprise the board of health for 1917: Charles Truscott, chairman; Dr. Tovell, M.H.O.; R. G. Guess, secretary; J. H. MacNamara, William C. Moon and George W. Guess, members.

The auditors' report presented, showing balance of $1,643.48. Report adopted. Accounts paid: Clerk, $53, election expenses; Standard Publishing Company, for 1915 and 1916, $124.55; British Whig Company, $600; Hanson, Crozier & Edgar, $15.50, and the Jackson account; Mrs. L. Soles paid $1 through error in dog assessment; S. W. Alexander refunded $15.75 through error in assessment. Tile account, $59.05, ordered paid. On motion, Walker-Smith, William J. Caldwell was appointed assessor at $75, the assessor to equalize the assessment. The clerk was instructed to ask J. S. Roberts to provide George Brooks with groceries to the amount of $10, he being in a destitute condition. The council adjourned to meet March 5th at 2 p.m., or at the call of the Reeve.

Coming to Griffin's.

The incomparable Mary Pickford in "Less Than the Dust."

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Probs: Wednesday, snow; continued cold.

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Save your hair! Beautify it! You will say this was the best 25 cents you ever spent.

IN ANNUAL SESSION

Prince Edward County Agriculturists Meet in Picton.

Picton, Jan. 23.—At the annual meeting of Prince Edward County Agriculture Society, President Howard Leavens was re-elected for 1917. G. J. Boulter was elected First Vice-President and Carman Metcalfe, Second Vice-President. The newly elected Board of Directors are: H. B. Bristol, W. J. Carter, E. B. Purtelle, W. H. Gough, E. M. Herrington, A. Wright, B. R. Leavens, H. H. Horsey, M. Gilbert, C. B. Beamish, M. G. Thompson, G. B. McMullen, A. Welbanks, Mr. Moody and F. Hubbs. The annual report showed a most successful year. The annual exhibition held by this society is the largest and best in the Province outside of the Toronto, London and Ottawa fairs.

Messrs W. J. Carter and H. B. Bristol were elected delegates to the Provincial Association to be held in Toronto in February, and Messrs E. B. Purtelle and B. R. Leavens, delegates to the Midland District Association meeting at Belleville on February 27th.

WAS BARRED FROM U.S.

Discharged Soldier Wanted to Return to Home in Utica.

Brockville, Jan. 24.—An Assyrian, who came here from Utica, N.Y., five months ago to join the Canadian expeditionary forces, was given his discharge from a Kingston battery unit a few days ago on account of physical disability. Yesterday he was in town again on his way home, and crossing to Morristown, was turned back by the immigration inspector on the ground that he had forfeited his U. S. citizenship. Previously to coming here he had resided for many years in the United States.

Many a would-be poker player made a mistake in his calling.

Letters to the Editor

Garbage Collection Criticized.

Kingston, Jan. 22.—(To the Editor): I notice that Ald. Newman is the new chairman of the civic garbage committee, and I hope he will do something to improve the collection conditions, which are very bad in some parts of the city. I live within a few blocks of the incinerator. My garbage is carefully wrapped in paper, placed in a large can and left in full view of the collectors, if they care to open the gate. And yet during the past month or more, no collector has called unless specially invited by telephone after a lapse of a week or more. In one case the garbage was ten days without being collected.

I maintain that the collection system is in need of improvement. When it was first inaugurated we were served with notices that the collectors would call for garbage on a certain street on this day and that day, but they have failed to do this. Let Ald. Newman improve conditions now that he is boss of the garbage job.—CITIZEN.

Late Mrs. J. Wallace, Wilton.

In the death of Mrs. J. Wallace which occurred on January 4th, Wilton lost one of its well known and highly respected residents. Although Mrs. Wallace has been in failing health for some time she helped to nurse and tenderly care for her husband for about three weeks; till at last she gave up and sank rapidly. She was confined to her room about five days when death claimed her. Dialetes was the cause of her death. She is survived by her husband, one son, and five daughters, Mrs. Rev. York and Mrs. A. Babcock, Cadillac, Sask; Mrs. W. Topping, Elgin; Grace and Thomas at home; Alice with her uncle, J. Davy. Deceased was seventy-six years old and was born at Wilton, the daughter of John Davy and Margarete Brown. Mrs. Wallace had lived an active and useful life and had always endeavoured to work for the good of others. She was a loving wife and a kind and affectionate mother. Because of her kind manner her friends were legion. The funeral service, which was conducted by Rev. Mr. White, assisted by Rev. Mr. Tarson and Rev. Mr. Rament, was held in the home, and a large circle of friends and relatives gathered to pay their last respects to the deceased. The remains were placed in Wilton vault to await interment in the spring.

The less said about the age of women and canned goods the better.

CATARRH LEADS TO CONSUMPTION

Catarrh is as much a blood disease as scrofula or rheumatism. It may be relieved, but it cannot be removed by simply local treatment. It causes headache and dizziness, impairs the taste, smell and hearing, affects the voice, deranges the digestion, and breaks down the general health. It weakens the delicate lung tissues and leads to consumption.

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Sargol does not of itself make fat, but mixing with your food, it aims to turn the fats, sugars and starches of what you have eaten, into rich, ripe fat producing nourishment for the tissues and blood—prepare it in an easily assimilated form which the blood can readily accept. Much of this nourishment now passes from your body as waste. But Sargol works to stop the waste and do it quickly and to make the fat producing contents of the very same meals you are eating now develop pounds and pounds of healthy flesh between your skin and bones. Sargol is safe, pleasant, efficient and inexpensive, all leading druggists in this vicinity sell it in large boxes—forty tablets to a package—on a guarantee of weight increase or money back as found in each large box. If you find a druggist who is unable to supply you with Sargol send 1.00 money order or registered letter to the National Laboratories, 74 St. Antoint St., Montreal, Que., and a complete ten days' treatment will be sent you postpaid in plain wrapper.

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