

Books And Their Authors

Tributes to a Canadian Writer.

The Whig's Book Review page has frequently contained notices of books or articles from the pen of John Stuart Thomson, a Canadian author of note.

The Sacrifice of the Trenches.

Lieut. Coningsby Dawson, the author of a new war book, "Carry On," will be remembered as the writer of "The Garden Without Walls," etc.

Views of a Canadian Writer.

Writing to the Whig's Book Review editor from his home in Jersey City Heights, N.J., John Stuart Thomson, an author well-known in his native Canada, and the publisher of such well-known books as "China Revolutionized," "The Chinese," etc.

LAWYERS PREDOMINATE

In the Composition of the Union Cabinet, Ottawa, Oct. 26.—Professionally lawyers predominate in the new union cabinet. There are fifteen members of the bar in the government.

THE WORLD'S NEWS

IN BRIEF FORM

Tidings From All Over Told In a Pithy and Pointed Way.

Europe's wheat crop is only 85 per cent. of normal. Prescott has fixed its tax rate at 26 mills, or 1 1/2 mills lower than last year.

The Fall Weather Hard on Little Ones

Canadian fall weather is extremely hard on little ones. One day it is warm and bright and the next wet and cold.

SUPPORTS UNION GOVERNMENT

Liberal Member For Norfolk Declares Allegiance to New Cabinet. Simcoe, Oct. 26.—W. A. Charlton, who has represented Norfolk County in the House of Commons, as a Liberal, for six years, in a letter published in the Simcoe Reformer

The Navy League, publisher of "The Navy" magazine, Victoria street, London, through its general secretary, P. J. Hannon, writes John Stuart Thomson under date of Sept. 10, 1917, as follows:

NELSON'S HISTORY OF THE WAR, VOL. XVII.

By John Buchan. 215 pages. Illustrated. Price, 35c. Thos. Nelson & Sons, London, publishers.

WOLFE ISLAND WEDDING

The Casey-Greenwood Nuptials on Tuesday Morning. Wolfe Island, Oct. 24.—A very pretty wedding took place in the church of the Sacred Heart on Tuesday morning at 9.30 o'clock when Mary Alphy, second daughter of

Mr. and Mrs. John Greenwood, was united in matrimony to George P. Casey. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Flemming.

was caught with a wreath of orange blossoms. She carried a shower bouquet of white roses, lilies of the valley and maiden hair fern.

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The Soldier's Prayer.

The following poem was written by Lt.-Col. A. T. Thompson, ex-M.P. of Ottawa, who is at East Sandringham Camp, England, for the Canadian Military Gazette:

"I to the hills lift up mine eyes, from whence doth come mine aid," Oh, Lord, make Thou my vision strong, I would not be afraid!

"I to the hills lift up mine eyes," my spirit soars on high. For there I see Thy presence, Lord, and victory is nigh!

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