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They have raised the price of stoves because the coal they burn costs more.—Toledo Blade.

In Toronto a minister's wife occupied her husband's pulpit and delivered a splendid address. And why not? Haven't the ladies always had a reputation for being good talkers.

"We must destroy," says the New York Soviet, "all field fences and boundaries."

When I was a boy, I used to hear the old man say: "Cursed be he that removeth his neighbor's landmark!"

If the Prince of Wales had called at the House of Commons on the evening previous to his visit there, he might have thought he had struck another war, for he would have seen the Currie-Cowan battle.

The provincial police are now empowered to seize all pistols and other dangerous weapons in the possession of foreigners, and will proceed at once to do so.

It is claimed that ninety per cent. of the successful business and professional men of Canada are products of the farms.

The latest distinguished guest to reach Canada is Admiral Lord Jellicoe. He deserves a fine welcome from this country, for only the efficiency of the navy under his rule made it possible for the Canadian Corps to reach France.

The veteran's municipal platform is meeting with the approval of a great many citizens. It seems as if there is a genuine desire on the part of the citizens to have some dead-wood cleared out of the council and some new blood introduced.

One of the first bills the new Farmers' government will be called upon to pass is that arising out of the late election and referendum. It will amount to about \$1,260,000. But it was worth something to get a new set of men at Toronto.

The proposal of the Premier of Ontario to make the Farmers' party a peoples' party will be accepted after his government has shown that it can tackle the problems before it, particularly the problem of the high cost of foodstuffs.

In spite of the gloomy pictures painted of conditions in Great Britain, it is announced that in October British exports increased by over \$36,000,000 and imports by nearly \$39,000,000. There is not much sign of decadency in those figures.

It is a significant fact, as pointed out by Lieut.-Col. H. A. C. Machin, that not a single wealthy man has been convicted of an offense under the O.T.A. That does not mean, however, that none of them indulge in a little hard refreshment, for they have the advantage of being able to retire to their collars when they wish to fill up.

David Loughman, the brilliant editor of the Veterans, signifies his willingness to resign if his views in favor of political action by the veterans do not meet with the approval of the G.W.V.A. Such action is bound to come, however, and the entry of the veterans into municipal affairs in many parts of the country is the first step.

THE FAILURE WITH YOUTH.

The great failure of the modern city is its failure with youth, particularly with masculine youth. For all its much exploited "faculty," the female sex is much more stable than the male, and much less likely to develop anti-social tendencies in a bad environment.

Hardly a day passes without some serious crime being laid to lads under twenty-one years of age. The reports refer to holdups, robberies and murders. No doubt some of these young brigands are instinctive criminals, but to say that all belong to that comparatively rare variety of evil doer is ridiculous.

In 1802 he wrote the British authorities asking permission to establish a colony in America; the only response was a statement that the Home Government did not favor such a plan.

There are quite a number of people in Kingston and the surrounding district who have money invested in the west, and particularly in real estate. An announcement made the other day by Lieut.-Col. J. Leslie Kincaid, who has just returned to New York, after a tour of investigation in the west, should prove interesting and encouraging to such people.

FOR THE COMMON GOOD. The world carried its war burden by co-operation. Why not carry its peace burden the same way?

War is horrible, fiendish, destructive beyond belief. Almost its only redeeming feature is that it takes a man out of himself, and bids him serve, not his own ends, but those of the community.

Carleton Parker, one of the wisest social students the United States ever produced and one whose early death was a loss to the world, recorded his belief that a great deal of what we vaguely call "unrest" is a result of the unsatisfied communal instinct, which wants to render community service, but is not permitted to do so, save at a prohibitive cost.

PUBLIC OPINION

Breaking About Even. (Washington Post) Lemnie and Trotsky are up against it in Russia, but look at their gains in the American coal region.

Punched Into Propriety. (Detroit News) When a woman is unable to crowd her foot into a small shoe she is an advocate of sensible footwear.

The Difference. (London Free Press) United States Liberty bonds are selling at a discount. Canadian bonds sell at a premium. They're a good buy and good patriotism.

Good Will Lacking. (Toronto Globe) Another Home Rule plan for Ireland is in course of preparation. If plans could end discord in Ireland the Green Isle would be the happiest spot on earth. It is good-will that is lacking, not good ideas.

Still Talking Democracy. (London Advertiser) New would be a good time to rid the pretenses of some of the non-sensical procedure that surrounds the opening and closing of the Legislature. Fendal ceremonies are out of place in twentieth-century democracy, and only serve to cultivate snobbery.

Canada-East and West

Domestic Happenings of Other Days.

LORD SELKIRK

When November 14, 1803, dawned it saw on its way to the great unknown West of Canada a sturdy, vigorous man to play a great role in its development in the years to come.

In those days the Hudson's Bay Company was the power in the wilds. It was but natural that the young Lord should come into conflict with it.

Unless there's a big purse in sight it doesn't pay to start a fight.

Rippling Rhymes

UNHAPPY.

I will from this land depart, with my gun and carpet bag, when its customs break my heart, when they make my spirit sag; when our government's a bore that has made me raw and sore, I will seek some other shore, where I'll stand and cheer the rag.

—WALT MASON.

AN ENGLISH VICAR IN BANKRUPTCY COURT

Evidence That Shows Conditions to Which the Clergy Are Reduced.

London, Nov. 1.—The Rev. Joseph Baldwin Meredith of Rubberholme has been forced into bankruptcy. He said he had been in Burma nearly nine years as a chaplain at \$65 per month. On returning to England fourteen years ago his assets were \$250. He held various curacies at stipends of \$600 to \$800 per year, eventually becoming vicar of Rubberholme at \$1,000.

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