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From now on we'll let the sun do the snow-shovelling—Brookville Recorder-Times. For most households the sun has been doing it right along.

A Chicago man told the police that a girl had driven him to the altar at the point of a revolver. Isn't this rather exceeding the leap year privilege?

President Wilson has taken his typewriter in hand and is preparing another note on the Adriatic question. Woodrow is himself again, it would seem.

The city council has done well in adopting daylight saving again this summer. It may have its drawbacks for the farmers, but for the city workers it is a blessed boon.

A new Liberal daily newspaper is to be started at Ottawa. Will the managers please tell the rest of us where they get their newsprint? The query is not prompted by curiosity.

The city made no mistake in electing a number of young men to the council. They have already proved their worth. The pity is that some of the deadwood was not removed long ago.

The day when a farmer's daughter could teach school on a "permit" is gone forever. Teaching is now a skilled service, and as such must be adequately paid for. And the better the pay, the better the service.

"I have never been able to entirely rid myself of the belief that any nations which could not settle differences without the sword are not worthy of being called Christian nations."—Ex-President Taft, at Woodstock, Ont.

Twenty thousand Armenians are murdered in one province by the Turks. The United States Senate refuses to ratify the peace treaty. What will be the world's verdict on the action of this great nation in the face of such facts?

Admiral Sims, like Admiral Dewey, has become one of the best abused men in the United States. Both did their duty as they saw it, and both deserve praise rather than censure. History will accord each of them their rightful place in the nation's role of heroes.

A newspaper publisher spends most of his time these days wondering where he is going to get his print paper supply, how much it is going to cost and where he is going to get the money to pay for it. And this is the greatest pulp and paper producing country in the world!

Immigration from continental Europe is now closely restricted. Canada already has a foreign element whose presence is markedly felt in the north-west, and which constitutes a serious problem of population and racial assimilation. The problem will become more menacing still if further restrictions are not imposed.

A few days ago the police magistrate of Hamilton threw out eight liquor cases because he would not take the word of spotters unless substantiated by impartial evidence. The men who are interested in securing convictions, and whose expense ac-

counts are practically unlimited, do not always advance the cause of justice. The public is apt to regard them as about in the same category as the bootleggers.

IMPORTANCE OF SOUND TEETH.

Science has been late in coming to the discovery of the vital importance of sound teeth to the maintenance of general bodily and mental health.

Thousands of sufferers from rheumatism, inflamed joints, heart trouble, tonsillitis and chronic throat trouble owe their sufferings to a diseased tooth. The disorder in the tooth is not always made evident to the patient by the pain that commonly is associated with a toothache. In many instances a cavity, or even an abscess, exists for months without causing any local hurt or serious discomfort. But the poison emanating from the processes of decay in the teeth is absorbed throughout the system. "By poisoning the blood, this decay causes bodily deterioration and consequent mental inefficiency, even if it does not immediately produce specific diseases.

The toothbrush is one of the universally recognized methods of preventing the decay of the teeth. The gospel of the toothbrush is being insistently preached, not only by every dentist, but also by every physician.

POLITICS STILL TO THE FRONT.

Mackenzie King, in his keynote speech for the current session of parliament, says the Montreal Star pipes the same old political tune; but the people will not dance to it any more.

They know that when he finds fault with what the government has done, without telling what he proposes to do, he is playing the old game upon the old tactical lines; and they are tired of the old game.

They know that when he demands an immediate general election he is making a very commonplace political bluff; and they are fed up with that kind of politics.

The average Canadian may not be satisfied with the government, but unquestionably he prefers it to any alternative possible at present, and wants the government to hold on until he can see clearly what its disposition might mean.

A Canadian election ordinarily is a plain choice between two parties with more or less definite policies. An election to-day would be a plunge in the dark with possibilities perilous to not only the prosperity of the Dominion but to its federal existence.

THE RICHARDSON MEMORIAL STADIUM.

The announcement that James Richardson has undertaken to build an athletic stadium for Queen's as a memorial to his late gallant brother, George T. Richardson, is one of the most pleasing surprises we have had for some time. The generosity of this family in promoting various schemes of benefit to Kingston has always been striking, and this latest gift is only one of many. The athletic committee of the university is indeed fortunate in having secured the interest of the donor in so tangible a manner, and the sporting activities of Queen's will be placed on a level with those of Toronto and McGill by the gift.

As a memorial to a very gallant officer and gentleman, there could be nothing more fitting than a gift of this kind. George Richardson, during his brief spell on this earth, proved himself to be a sportsman and athlete of the very highest type. He not only took a great interest in all matters of sport, but he was an athlete of a very high order. In many branches of athletics he was prominent, his best work, perhaps being on the ice as a hockey player. He himself could wish for no finer tribute to his memory than to have a place bearing his name set aside as a gathering place of the finest athletes of Canada's leading universities.

The thanks of Queen's University and of the whole city of Kingston are due to the citizen who has made this splendid gift to his Alma Mater, and he fully deserves the honor conferred on him by being elected an honorary member of the student body. Queen's has ever been fortunate in the loyalty of her graduates, and to-day she has once more cause to be thankful for the interest taken in her welfare by those who have passed through her gates as students.

Canada—East and West

Dominion Happenings of Other Days.

Mackenzie on the Pacific.

On the 20th of July, 1793, Alexander Mackenzie stood on the shores of the Pacific Ocean. The tide was out when the explorer reached the edge of the ocean. Food supplies were almost exhausted, and everybody was glad to be at the end of the long trip, so an Indian member of the party was sent in search of food. The next morning at six o'clock Mackenzie was anxious to proceed, but he had not gone far when he met three canoes, each with over a dozen men in it, who told him that recently the west had been attacked by Vancouver and his party—who had given the name to the island of that name—and that a village had been ruined in the fight. Seeing some ruins on the shore, Mackenzie landed to inspect them, when he found he was followed by ten canoes, each with about ten armed men in them. Things became so threatening that the explorer and his party took refuge on a safe rock, where they could easily defend themselves from attack. But although there was much insulting language used, no assault was made on the little party in the natural fortress. All night a fire was kept on the rock top, and a close guard was maintained, but nothing happened. The next morning two Indian canoes approached, and Mackenzie was able to secure a little meat from them. He lighted a fire in their presence with the aid of a burning glass. This so amazed the braves that they at once gave him the finest of their fox furs for the coveted treasure. The party then prepared to quit the place, but before doing so Mackenzie printed on the face of a rock, with some grease: "Alexander Mackenzie, from Canada, by land; the twenty-second of July, one thousand, seven hundred and ninety-three."

IMPERIAL PRESS CONFERENCE PLANS

Distinguished Visitors Will Arrive at Halifax July 25th.

Arrangements for the Imperial Press Conference which is to be held in Canada next summer are rapidly approaching completion. This conference which will be attended by one hundred of the leading editors and publishers of the British Empire, including men like Lord Northcliffe, Lord Burnham, Lord Riddell and others of similar prominence, as well as distinguished Americans, promises to be the greatest event of its kind in the history of the British Empire. The meetings of the conference itself will be held at Ottawa, and will extend over three days, but before and after that event it is planned to take these distinguished journalists on one of the most extensive tours of Canada that visitors have ever had opportunity to make.

As at present arranged the visitors will arrive in Halifax, July 25th, where they will be royally welcomed by representatives from the press of Canada, the Governor-General, the Dominion Government and the Nova Scotia Government. On two special trains, one supplied

by the Government Railways and one by the C.P.R., the party will leave Halifax, July 27th, making a trip up to Annapolis and return on the date and to Sydney on the following day. On the 24th it is planned to visit Prince Edward Island, returning to arrive at St. John, N.B., Aug. 30th. Leaving St. John next day with stops at Fredericton and Woodstock, the party will arrive at Quebec, Sept. 1st, reaching Montreal on the following evening, Sept. 3rd and 4th will be spent in Montreal, after which the party will proceed to Ottawa where the conference will be held Aug. 5th, 6th and 7th.

Leaving Ottawa the night of Aug. 7th, it is planned to spend Sunday at Niagara Falls and then proceed to Toronto, staying there from Aug. 9th to the morning of Aug. 11th. Leaving Toronto the party will go through Western Ontario to Windsor where they will take the one boat of the Northern Navigation Company to Port Arthur, arriving there Aug. 13th and at Winnipeg, Aug. 15th. That day being Sunday will be spent quietly, the official reception program being held over till the following day. On Aug. 17th Portage and Brandon and Carberry will be visited. Regina will have its opportunity to entertain the visitors Aug. 18th, Calgary, Aug. 19th and 20th.

The following Saturday and Sunday will be spent at Banff and Lake Louise. Monday, the 23rd, will be devoted to a trip up the Grosvenor Valley, arriving at Vancouver, Aug. 25th at 10 a.m., Wednesday. On the morning of the following Friday they will take the day boat to Victoria, spending there the 27th and 28th, returning to Vancouver without stopping over on the 29th. There will be a brief stop at Kamloops that day. The next day will be spent at the New National Park at Jasper, the trains arriving in Edmonton on the 31st and leaving on the morning of Sept. 1st. After a short stop at Wainwright, the party will be visited. On the way back it is proposed to give the delegates a day at Winnipeg, Sept. 3rd, for rest and relaxation after their train experience, without any official program.

Leaving Winnipeg on the night of Sept. 3rd they will come via Cochrane and Iroquois Falls, with stops at Timmins and Cobalt, arriving at Toronto again on the morning of Sept. 8th, for one day's visit at the great National Exhibition there, returning to Montreal on Sept. 9th and proceeding to Quebec that night. Here in the historic atmosphere of the Plains of Abraham the final sessions of the conference will be held. Extensive plans for the entertainment of the guests during their two or three days stay here are in prospect. It is expected that the party will sail for home again via C.P.R. lines between Sept. 12th and 15th.

The arrangements for the conference and its trip are in the hands of C. F. Crandall of the Montreal Star, who is acting as honorary secretary of the Canadian Press Association which is issuing the invitations.

Monday evening a well known resident of Prescott died after an extended illness in Mrs. Edward Quinn.

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