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Editor's Talk

THIS is the week when the Montrealers who are scattered far and wide over the continent are supposed to rush "Back to Montreal." As a consequence, Montreal occupies the foremost place in this issue. As Canada's largest and most important city, every Canadian may take some pride in its wonderful growth and development. For a time it seemed as if it might cease to be the "national sea-port," but all doubts have now been dispelled. The largest ocean vessels find their way into its harbour and the grain of the northwestern States and the western Provinces prefers Montreal to any other Atlantic port.

N EXT week, we shall pay some attention to Canada's First Plenary Council of the Roman Catholic Church in Canada. This will be held in Quebec and will be attended by all the leading men of the Canadian Church and many ecclesiastical dignitaries from abroad. The occasion will be noteworthy from a national standpoint as well as important from a religious point of view.

The same issue will contain some recent aeroplane pictures and will be decorated with an aeroplane cover design in colours.

M. W. A. FRASER, Canada's greatest short-story writer, has written an excellent Western tale entitled "Sergeant Kinnaird," which will begin in this periodical in a fortnight. It will run through eight or ten issues and should prove the most interesting piece of fiction which has ever appeared in these pages. The hero of the tale is a member of the Royal Northwest Mounted Police, which has contained some of the finest military characters ever produced on this continent. The incidents are sufficiently numerous and exciting to arouse the most sluggish imagination.







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