

*Nineteenth Century and After* that a part of it was cabled to this country, is reprinted in full in *The Living Age* for May 8.

*The Living Age* is reprinting from *Blackwood's* the war sketches called "The First Hundred Thousand" which describe vividly and with humor the training experiences of English recruits. The latest instalment appears in *The Living Age* for May 29.

"A Sketch of the Russian Soldier," by N. Jarintzoff, which *The Living Age* for May 15 reprints from *The Contemporary Review*, gives some very real glimpses of a fighting type that has won the world's admiration as he has made his way over high mountains and fought steadily through deep snows in the eastern theatre of the great war.

A number of strong features are found in *The Canadian Magazine* for June. "The fear of Russia," by Professor A. W. Crawford, shows that after the war we have more to hope for from Russia than we could have from Germany. Professor R. A. Macnaughten gives an interesting personal reminiscence of Admiral Jellicoe, and Professor D. Fraser Harris outlines the influence that Italy has laid on British life and thought. John Lewis reviews the famous trial of the Hon. George Brown for contempt of court. Mr. Newton MacTavish contributes a character sketch of George Ham, the "most popular man in the Dominion." There are six excellent short stories.

#### N. B. OFFICIAL NOTICES.

The following is a summary of the changes in the School Law of the Province made at the last session of the Legislature:

"In any school district in which it has not been found possible to secure an acting school board, or to provide school privileges, the Inspector of the inspectorial district in which such school district is situate is hereby authorized to exercise any and all powers and to perform any and all duties vested in a Board of School Trustees by this Chapter."

"The school district may elect annually, and provide for the payment of the expenses of one or more representatives of the district to County or Provincial teachers, or trustees' institutes; in cities and incorporated towns such delegates may be appointed annually and their expenses provided for by the trustees at any regular monthly meeting."

All plans for new school buildings must have the approval of the Inspector.

Hereafter, whenever possible, school grounds shall not be less than one acre in extent.

The inspector may in his discretion audit the accounts of any school district not being a city or incorporated town.

Attention is directed to the N. B. School Calendar for 1915-16, published in this issue of the EDUCATIONAL REVIEW.

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Education Office, May 22, 1915.



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