

Our Montreal Letter

(From Our Own Correspondent). THE HOME TRAINING SADLY NEG-LECTED.

In this age of enlightenment, civilization and progress, the question of education is a vital issue. But there is one great factor, even the foundation stone, and that is sadly missing in hundreds of families to-day-the Home Training, or co-operation with the teacher. When the parents do not give their children the proper home training in the art of morals and manners, I fear for the safety of such children, even with the results of the best education received in schools. The Home Training is fast becoming a thing of the past, even in well educated families. The late hours at night roaming around the streets visiting the "movies," no attention is paid to their home exercises and lessons, their tardiness in arriving on time in the mornings, and their frequent absence during the scholastic year, tell the same old story in the same old way .- No Home Training, and the loss of parental control. The records of our Juvenile Court can reveal many instances where children have started on the downward path owing to the want of proper home training. Impudence and independence seem to be the chief things inculcated in them even at the early ages of 7 and 8 years. And parents think this is "smartness." Parents who are negelcting to give their children a proper home training are simply making for themselves a whip of knotted cords that their children will scourge them with and make them shed tears of sorrow and shame and hurry them on to an early grave. The jail records of young boys of 17. 18 and 19 years of age bear silent and convincing testimony to over indulgent, negligent and careless parents. Let me quote a few authorities on Proper Home Training. "Our Sunday Visitor" says:-

Educators of the present day lament the evident lack of reverence on the part of those placed under their direction. Irreverence is a sign of wrong thinking, of unworthy standards, of improper training. The cure for this public, social cancer is an insistance upon correct principles by means of proper education. The home is the fruitful nursery

wherein reverence must be instilled, in youthful minds. "The worst thing that could hap-

pen for the present system of education would be for it to succeed," said Prof. Gus Dyer of Vanderbilt University, in an address on education delivered at Peabody College.

"Our whole system of modern education is artificial," he said. "It aims at training the intellect, and does not train the whole mind. We do not live, move and have our being in the intellect. Intellect is only a subordinate part of the mind, a tool to assist the will to obtain the heart's desire. Emotions, passions, morals, religion, love and hate-these make up

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him. A visit to Europe brings home

the important part of the mind, the part that feels. Our education does not touch it. Our system is intensely narrow

"The first system of education was God's system—education of the child by the parent. Next came the "me and God" system ,and not it is just "me." The home is the greatest ut our present system, instead of supplementing the home, attempts to replace it. We substitute the school teacher for the mother. The typical school teacher is a thoughtless young girl who is teaching only until she can get married or can get a better job. She is supposed to be able to train the child better than its parents, but few are the schools where this is really true.

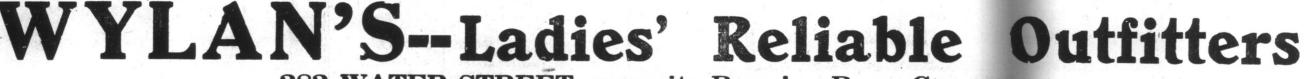
her "In the old-fahsioned home the child was an asset. Now we make the child a liability! The compulsory school laws shoulder serious responsibilities on the parent. No longer is a family considered fortunate to have a large number of children. We have made the child a parasite instead of a help to his parents. In doing so we have deprived the child of his best training, work. We have taken him out of tempered with sobriety. the real world of work and play ,and put him into an artificial world. Anything that deprives a child of his opportunity to work is doing him an injustice.

"What are the results of this system? In the 'Athens of the South' we to-day. We must learn that a civilcannot get half the citizens to the ization conceived in spirituality will polls to vote, and one of the crime centers of the country is this Athens.' "Charles Schwab employs 150,000 We must teach them that our coun-

men. But Schwab says he has had only one college man that made good in an administrative position. The fruits of our system do not justify its

"We must restore the home as the chief educational institution. We must permit the parent to direct the. child's activities. I would like to see the time when we have schools for. fathers and mothers. We must discover Nature's laws for the development of man, and co-operate with Nature."-

Under the heading of "Education and Moral Rights," the Los Angeler Times says :-- Real people are getting tired of education, so called, that stops short of the real thing. And education that stops short of conscience, character and courageous citizenship is not the real thing. It is even a dangerous thing. The dull-



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handness have cured thirty little of eight storeys facing on St. Antoine William Penn has the following words of wisdom :- Above all things endeavor to bring children up in the love of virtue, and that holy plain Laurentian Mountains. One girl grew way of it which we have lived in, that



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children of the white plague who Street. The building will be erected spent the summer at the Royal Ed- two blocks further west than the Canada, and on the continent is sec- erica is regarded as having emerged ward Camp at Ste. Agathe in the present one and will occupy a block. ' ond only to a house in St. Augustine, Florida In his book on historic monu-THE OLDEST HOUSE IN CANADA.

A NEW BUILDING FOR THE GA-

ZETTE COMPANY.

The proprietors of the "Gazette"

are about to erect a new building

Roy recalls that it was from this old dodged her share of the responsibility A despatch from Quebec says: The second oldest building on the house that Jogues, Breboeuf and American continent, the old. Jesuit residence at Sillery, will shortly be- out. come the property of the Provincial The house is still in good condi-

Government, and be preserved, as a tion. It was here that Father Masse historic monument. According to died in 1646, at the age of 72 years. an announcement made by Hon. Ade-, He was burded in a church which lard Turgeon, speaker of the legisformerly stood directly opposite the lative council, and president of the house, and in the ruins of which his Historic Monuments Commission, remains were found.

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does is to assume the role of a super- | Flour, very best grade, the unpleasant conviction that Am- for kind of censor, a self-appointed umpire who accepts no responsibility for his actions." Our recent handling from the World War with all the of Japanese exclusion is cited as an chips. And the losers do not take great illuminating illustration of our arpains to conceal how they feel. Briefly ments of the province Pierre George most Europeans feel that America rogant attitude towards other nations. Superficially, Americans receive courtesy nearly everywhere. But when imposed by civilization through her other Christian Fathers were sent delay in entering the World War and you get down to talking heart to heart, you find that the attitude usalso that, worse still, "she let us

ing the attitude of the losers in a swer, along some such lines as these:

by Washington since the world war

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askers usually supply their own an-

"An 'unofficial observer' is something

we do not understand. He is neither

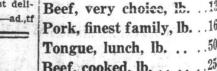
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ually is that of the losers towards Biscuits, Pilots, lb ... down" by repudiating the obligations the big winner in a card game. and agreements entered into by the Unpleasant, yes, but I am here athead of the nation. President Woodtempting to record, not explain or de- Beans, Pea, lb. ... row Wilson. There are, of course. fend .--- B.C. Forbes in Forbes Magamany expressions of abject gratitude zine (N.Y.). from those weaker peoples who re-

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