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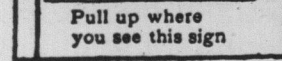
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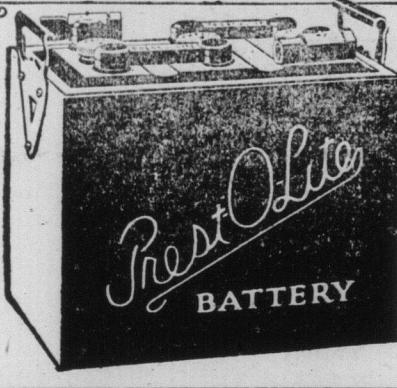


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SITUATION IN EAST ALARMS

That it was extremely interesting but also somewhat alarming to visit the Near Eastern countries after an absence from them and to note their progress in some of their activities was the statement made last evening by W. Jessup, National Secretary for the Foreign Work of the Canadian Y.M.C.A., who arrived in the city. During the course of an interesting interview, Mr. Jessup touched on the situation prevailing at present in the Near East and also told of the work which the Y.M.C.A. was doing to bring the more rational viewpoint into prominence in these countries.

Mr. Jessup has been stationed in Egypt for the last twelve years. He visited St. John two and one-half years ago and since that time has travelled almost around the world, having visited Egypt, the Near East, India, China, the Malay States, Korea and Japan. Mr. Jessup visited the chief cities in each of these countries, noting the work which the Y.M.C.A. was carrying on in each. He met the leading nationals in each, many of whom are not of Christian beliefs but all of whom proved most sympathetic toward the missionary cause, particularly to mission schools, medical missions and the Y.M.C.A. Mr. Jessup attributed their sympathy for the latter to the character of the work, specializing in training the student body in Christian ways; because of this it appeals to the official classes.

One of the things that strikes a visitor most, said Mr. Jessup, was the progress made in a physical way. At the Far Eastern Olympic games held in Shanghai last year more than 100 athletes from China, Japan and other countries took part, and a wonderful spirit of co-operation was shown. The people of north and south China, then as now, sank their differences to enter into friendly competition. The officials at Shanghai expressed their amazement that such a thing could come to pass in a country torn by civil war.

But, said Mr. Jessup, the significant thing that strikes a traveler in those countries was the unrest among the Mohammedan people, stretching from Morocco on the west to China on the east. But still more alarming was the growing alliance of the Moslem and the Bolshevik. Someone had said that the unrest in the east was the protest of the colored races against white domination. Islam recognized no color barrier, nor did Bolshevism. The Turks, having lost in the great war, were now using their position as leaders of the other Mohammedan races to demand the restoration of Turkey and the custody of the holy places now in British hands, which was denied them by the Sevres treaty.

Another interesting thing was that in Moslem there was the thread of solidarity for which no parallel was found in any great movement of the world except Bolshevism, Mr. Jessup said. Both declared that might was right. Both had lower ideals of social and married life. Both had a theory that there was lots of property that should be alienated by force. The Moslem wanted the property of the non-Moslem and the Bolshevik wanted the property of the rich. Because of the great war they both had suspicions of the western nations and hated with desperate hatred the British Empire. The unrest really was due to the aspirations of these eastern nations, brought about by education and closer contact with the western nations. They realized that they must assert themselves if they were to avoid being exploited by the western peoples.

In speaking of India, Mr. Jessup said that the moderate party there was willing to work with the government in order to try out the new reforms, and in time India would become a self-governing nation, although still a part of the British Empire.

In China, the whole situation depended upon the co-operation of Dr. Sun Yat Sen with the leaders in the northern section. If they united, Mr. Jessup was of the opinion that China was in for better times.

In conclusion, Mr. Jessup said that for the whole distracted world to-day there was nothing but the Christian solution adequate to meet the world situation. What was needed, he said, was a practical application of the sermon on the mount as individual with individual and nation with nation. Never before had the opportunity been so great nor the need so urgent for a practical demonstration of vital Christianity. The Y.M.C.A., with its physical gospel for the body, education for the mind and moral and spiritual basis for life, had the correct programme for the needs of the day and one that should challenge the attention of every thinking man who had the welfare of his fellows at heart. The world was now in a state of transition, he said, and a new order would succeed the old and this was the opportunity for Christians and Christian organizations to show for what they stood.—St. John Telegraph.

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Unfortunately, however, continued the Cardinal, "owing to the folly of our own people, instead of taking what is likely to secure that great blessing, there is danger through dissension among ourselves of its slipping away altogether and of our being thrown back into the terrible state of chaos and confusion in which the country has been for the past two or three years."

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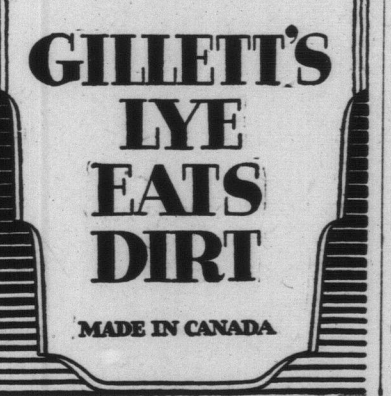
By the use of fertilizers and scientific methods England grows 32.5 bushels of wheat to the acre as against Canada's 15.5. The Council of Scientific Research at Ottawa is trying to perfect methods of providing cheap fertilizers for Canadian farmers from raw materials now wasted in Canada. At 32.5 bushels per acre our last wheat crop would have been increased roughly \$398,000,000.—Calgary Herald.

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THE RURAL MAIL CARRIERS

The rural mail contractors are again presenting their case to the government. They want the contract system abolished and the carriers engaged permanently at a uniform rate of \$70 per mile. Under the contract system there is a tendency to underbid the existing holder of the contract.

This is done by men who have had no experience in making estimates and tenders, and no adequate knowledge of the service required and the necessary expenditures. The system is the cause of much hardship. Last year 125 mail carriers were sold out of house and home, largely through expenditure for horsehoes, feed and repairs to wagons. One who had formerly enjoyed a comfortable house left Barrie with two suitcases containing all his possessions after a seizure and sale.

The contract system is suitable for large public works, for which tenders are made by men of experience. It is not applicable to a mail carrier in the country any more than to a city postman. A fair rate should be fixed and adhered to. Economy in public expenditures should not involve gross injustice and hardship to public servants.

The work is done under great difficulties. The roads are sometimes bad, and cases of horses so badly injured that they had to be shot are not infrequent. Many rural mail boxes have wrong names or no names at all, and the carrier must spend time in obtaining the information necessary for accurate delivery. Sometimes the box is left in the ditch instead of being fastened to a post, and the farmer expects the carrier to get off his wagon or place the box in position himself. Another cause of trouble is that boxes are sometimes on the right-hand side of the road, sometimes on the left, involving the danger and inconvenience of frequent crossing. Two carriers were killed in this way.

There is at present an expensive system of inspection, for which the country does not obtain an adequate return, because so much of the inspector's time is taken up in dickering with intending contractors. If the contract system were abolished, the inspectors would be free to devote all their time and energy to improving the service. They could insist upon the boxes being properly placed and named, and could call attention to the need for repairing bad pieces of road. They could encourage good service, and criticize failure to discharge the duties properly. To the credit of the carriers it must be said that out of 1,500 only six have been found guilty of wrong-doing.

In the United States, where there is rural mail delivery on a very large scale, the carriers are paid \$75 a mile, and they have three weeks holidays in a year. The Canadian carriers ask for only ten statutory holidays. Many recipients of mail have expressed their willingness to do without holiday delivery. We hope that the men who are making a modest request for fair treatment will receive a favorable hearing and will not be put off again. Let the new government make a good beginning.—Toronto Globe.

ROUND HILL

Mrs. L. B. Dodge and little son, William, of Kentville, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Williams.

Miss Edna Johns, of Halifax, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Milner.

Miss Minnie Whitman (teacher) spent Sunday at her home in Annapolis Royal.

Henry Reeks, of Kings College, Windsor, is spending the holidays with his father, Rev. J. Reeks, of Bridgetown.

Mr. Francis Baxter, of Truro, is visiting his mother, Mrs. W. Baxter.

Mr. E. Gormley, of Annapolis Royal, spent Sunday with friends in this place.

ANOTHER GOLD STRIKE REPORTED IN NOVA SCOTIA

Truro.—A rich gold strike has just been made at the long-discovered Oldham Mines, said to be one of the richest in the history of the Province; and as a consequence there is much excitement in that and adjoining localities. Recently, George A. Cameron, of Eureka, Pelton County, the veteran prospector and miner, representing himself and associates, took up property in that district and began prospecting. They came upon a lode, and without firing a shot, broke off a piece of the lode that it is estimated contained fifteen ounces of gold. Experts say the lode will run from 50 to 75 ounces to the ton. In the sixties and early seventies Oldham was a rich goldfield, and old timers always contended that there was a very rich lode there.

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