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**British Ideals and Responsibilities**

Dr. G. R. Parkin, C. M. S., the administrator of the Rhodes Scholarship Fund, has been speaking on the above subject, and as would be expected from his intimate relations to young men from all parts of the world, especially all parts of the British Empire, his opinions are calculated to awaken serious thoughts. Like other prominent men, he has no fear of the dissolution of the British Empire by the present deplorable war. He believes, rather, that however protracted the struggle, and however great the sacrifice in men and money which must be made, the people of the Empire will obtain a clearer vision of their duties and responsibilities and throwing aside worn-out ideas and habits, will devote themselves more seriously to the consideration and adoption of measures by which the nations which have sprung from the British mother of nations will be united and consolidated into one homogenous nation, devoted to the highest national, moral and spiritual development of every citizen. Dr. Parkin says, "Think how this wealthy country which is said to be spending \$25,000,000 a day on war, would have thought the world had come to an end, if any public man had proposed, two years ago, to spend \$25,000,000 a month in cleaning out the slums of the great cities, or in giving decent cottages to the poor! And, yet, it is things like these which purify the fountains of national life, which are going to make this Empire worthy of the name."

One of the British ideals is "free self-government for every community where capacity for that self-government exists." This is very different from the German ideal. Prince Buelow frankly states, as have other German writers, that the German people only succeed when they submit their will to the government or something above them. This is the devotion to the superman. The superman must be the dictator and final authority. As a member of the Reichstag has recently said, "the Kaiser orders, and we have to find the money." There is a vast difference between these two ideals or systems. And it is because the nations under British rule in Canada, Australia, New Zealand, India, Africa, and the islands scattered over the seven seas have realized the difference, and have felt their obligation to the mother land for fostering self-government among them, that they have so voluntarily and unstintingly risen to support the Empire in the present crisis. Where there is free government their must be free discussion, and sometimes discussion will become violent. The Kaiser took violent discussion to mean rebellion. He has been sadly disappointed. After all the attempts of his agents to promote rebellion, not one British colony the world over has yielded to his solicitations.

When peace comes to the world, about one-quarter of the land surface of the earth, and about one-quarter of its entire population will be under the British flag. Dr. Parkin wisely asks the British people to consider well how great the responsibility thus developing upon them. He looks upon the drinking habits of the British people as having been in the past one of the greatest hindrances to their progress. He bids them remember how those habits in all classes of society have weakened the national energy at times, have paralyzed the arm of industry, have promoted vice, and have filled our police courts, gaols and workhouses. We must get rid of the handicap of \$300,000,000 spent every year on drink. Dr. Parkin entertains high hopes for the future of the nation from the letters he receives from the educated young men who have offered their services thereto. He believes that the more than forty-thousand young men from the Universities who are serving with the colors are types of many others, all of whom have intense convictions of the value of the things for which they are fighting and for which the British Empire stands.

**Woman Suffrage**

A bill favoring Woman Suffrage passed the third reading in the Legislature of Manitoba without opposition, excepting from one representative, whose contention was that to allow women to take an active part in politics would lead to trouble in the homes during times of election. Query: Was he thinking of his own home? This bill not only entitles

women to vote, but also permits them to sit in the Legislature, as the representatives of the people.

When the vote was taken, women in the gallery sang, "O Canada," and "For They are Jolly Good Fellows." They were followed by members in the same patriotic and appreciative manner.

The Premier of Alberta has pledged his Government to grant Women Suffrage at the next session of the Legislature.

It is expected, also, that the Hon. Dr. Pugsley, M. P. for St. John, N. B., will ask the Dominion Parliament during the present session, to enact, that wherever women are added to the voters' lists of any Province, they shall become automatically eligible to vote in Dominion elections to which the Provincial lists apply.

The feeling seems to prevail in England that women have taken such a large and willing part in so many ways, even in work which demands good mechanic skill and inventiveness, to bring victory to British arms, that when matters settle down again to the normal, there will be little opposition to the demands of the suffragists.

**King Albert's Wedding Present.**

Princess Henrietta, of Belgium, niece of King Albert, was recently married to Prince Philip of Bourbon. There was simply a family gathering to witness the ceremony. But, two German uncles of the bride were not present. Probably they were not invited. Neither was King Albert present. His duties with his army would not permit. But he sent a wedding present, and among all the beautiful gifts dropped on the table, his was the most original and unique. It was simply a telegram which read, "I shall give you a present later on, but just now I do not feel justified in spending the smallest sum of money on any one but my soldiers."

**Sunday Work on Munitions of War.**

Mr. Lloyd George, Minister of Munitions, appointed a Committee to consider the value of Sunday work in the munition factories. The Committee, after thorough investigation decided against the Sunday work, on the ground that the physical, mental and moral welfare of the men, the cost of production and the efficiency of the work done on Sunday, all demand an occasional day of rest. More and better work is done in six days, with the seventh for rest, than by seven successive days of uninterrupted work. Mr. Lloyd George has therefore ordered all the Government controlled munition works to be closed on Sunday.

**A New Language**

Turkey put an embargo on the use by the people of the language of any of her enemies. This, of course, included the French, Russian and English languages. But, this embargo affected the schools, citizens and Embassy of the United States in Turkey. As the laws of Turkey are like those of the Medes and Persians, the order could not be withdrawn. But, a new order was issued, authorizing everybody to use the "American Language."

**They Saved the Pig.**

A British soldier writing home said he had just had roast pork for dinner. It happened in this way. One of the boys caught a little pig and took it into the trenches. Shortly afterwards the trench was "gassed," and the soldiers were obliged to put on their respirators. To save its life, they also put one on the pig. It was a comical sight and made lots of fun. But, it saved the pig and they afterwards had it for dinner.

**RURAL DEANERY OF ANNAPOLIS**

The clergy of the Rural Deanery of Annapolis were "in chapter" at Annapolis Royal, Monday and Tuesday of this week. All the benefited clergy of the Deanery being present.

The preacher at the Monday evening service was the Rev. Wm. Driffield, Rector of Digby.

On Tuesday morning at the Deanery Service proper the sermon "ad clerum," was delivered by Rev. S. Underwood, Rector of Bridgetown. During the session papers were read by Rev. J. Reeks, Rev. W. S. H. Morris.

On Tuesday evening the clergy dined at the Rectory at the kind invitation of the Rural Dean and Mrs. How.

The extra day in February which constitutes the entire year "leap year," provides a calendar different from any enjoyed since the centennial year 1876, 40 years ago; and different from any that will follow for 28 years longer, when 1944 will have begun. This is a leap year beginning on Saturday, containing 53 Saturdays, and 53 Sundays such as no person under 40 years of age ever knew before, and such as possible a very few will see again repeated in the millennial year 2000—84 years hence.

**OBITUARY**

**JAMES G. FITZRANDOLPH**

The citizens of Bridgetown and vicinity were shocked last Thursday morning when it became known that a telegram received the night before announced the very sudden death of Mr. James G. FitzRandolph, which occurred early on Wednesday morning, Feb. 16th, at the home of his sister, Mrs. A. F. Kinney, Brookline, Mass. Mr. Randolph retired the night before seemingly in the enjoyment of his usual good health, but when called the next morning and not responding it was found that he had passed peacefully away.

The deceased was born near Bridgetown, on the well-known "Belle Farm," in September, 1840, and was therefore in his 76th year. He was a son of the late John and Annie FitzRandolph. When a boy he followed the sea, then he worked at the carpenter's trade for a time in Massachusetts. But between 35 and 40 years ago he became associated with the firm of C. C. Docham Co., Boston, publishers of a textile directory, and was a most successful solicitor of advertising for that publication up to the time of his death. In this connection he had travelled all over the United States and Canada, visiting the larger milling towns and cities. He made Chelsea, Mass., his home, but some six years ago he purchased the Jared Troop property at the western end of the town, and after the death of Mrs. FitzRandolph, five years ago, he removed to this place, spending the summers here, and in the winter going to Boston to attend to his business interests there.

Mr. Randolph is survived by a step-daughter, Mrs. Roger Eccles of Norfolk, Virginia, three sisters, Mrs. E. C. Young of this town, Mrs. A. T. Kinney of Brookline, Mass., Mrs. Thomas Sayer of New Bedford, Mass., and one brother, Mr. John Randolph of Clyde, Kansas.

The remains were brought here on Saturday last, accompanied by Mrs. Eccles, and Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Kinney. The funeral service was held at his late home on Sunday afternoon, conducted by the Rev. G. C. Warren. A service was also held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kinney, Brookline, Mass., on Thursday evening, the Rev. Mr. Heath of the Warren Avenue Baptist Church officiating. Interment took place in the Riverside Cemetery.

**MRS. JOSEPH H. GRAVES**

There passed to her reward on Feb. 7th, Mary, beloved wife of Joseph H. Graves, at the age of 64 years. Mrs. Graves was born at St. Croix Cove, October 10, 1857. She was a daughter of the late Captain Elias Brinton, Sr., who predeceased her to the better land 24 years ago. She was married to Mr. Graves on Oct. 19, 1871. She united with the Port Lorne Church some years before her marriage, and kept in touch with the church wherever she was located. Mrs. Graves was taken sick on January 30th, and died of congestion of the lungs. Four years ago she made a visit to her old home. The news came as a blow to all, but it felt more keenly in her own home. She was a kind and affectionate mother and wife and was a friend to all, but their loss is her gain. They do not mourn as those with no hope. The obsequies were conducted by the Rev. Mr. Stewart, who preached a very impressive sermon from Joshua, first chapter and eleventh verse.

She leaves to mourn their loss a husband and four children, Mrs. Percy Hutchinson of Mattapan, Mass., Mrs. Bennett Farnsworth of Hampton, Arnold and Lloyd at home, beside an aged mother and two brothers, Ansley of Dorchester, Mass., and Hanley J. Brinton of Hampton. Interment took place at Nether Hill, Saskatchewan.

**MISS JENNIE A. AMBERMAN**

In the death of Miss Jennie A. Amberman which occurred at Granville Ferry on the 16th inst., that community has been called upon to mourn the loss of one of its most prominent residents.

The deceased was particularly popular and esteemed by all classes and denominations. Although in ill health for several weeks her death came as a distinct shock to the community.

The deceased leaves to mourn their loss her mother, Mrs. W. Amberman one sister, Mrs. B. Whitman of Lawrence town, and brother, George W. of Malden, Mass. The sympathy of the entire community is with the bereaved ones in their great loss.

**MRS. HARRY GOODINE**

The home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Camp of Young's Cove Road, has been greatly bereaved by the death of a daughter, Ethel Max, beloved wife of Harry Goodine, who died in Glenburn, Maine, on Feb. 1st.

Relatives left to mourn are a husband, her parents, four brothers, Howard A. Camp, William V., Charles M. of Montreal, Fred S. at home, and two sisters, Mrs. E. Chapman of Cole's Island, and Mary M. of Florida. The funeral was held at Cole's Island on

Sunday afternoon, Feb. 6th, and was attended by a large number of relatives and sympathetic friends.—St. John paper.

Germany has no less than \$600,000,000 invested in Italy. This is why the Hun has not declared war on Italy.

Andrew Carnegie has offered \$12,000,000 for Belgian relief.

**St. James Church Parish Notes**

The services next Sunday will be: Bridgetown—11 a. m. and 7 p. m. St. Mary's, Belleisle—3 p. m.

**WEEK DAYS**

Bridgetown—Friday. Intercession on behalf of the war at 4.30 p. m. Bible Class 7.30 to 8.30 followed by choir practice.

**Methodist Church Circuit Notes**

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30. Epworth League social at the parsonage on Friday evening. Service next Sunday, Feb. 27: Bridgetown—Sunday School 10 a. m. Public worship 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. The Rev. J. A. Smith of Berwick will be the preacher morning and evening. Other services: Granville 11 a. m. Bentville 3 p. m. Dalhousie 7.30 p. m.

**Bridgetown United Baptist Church**

Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7.30 p. m. B. Y. P. U. on Friday evening at 7.30 p. m.

Sunday services: Bible school at 10 a. m. Public worship at 11 a. m. and at 7 p. m.

**CENTRELEA**

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