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Editor's Talk

R. C. R. McCULLOUGH, of Hamilton, originator of the "Canadian Club" idea, makes some suggestions in this issue with regard to the celebration of Canada's semi-centennial in 1917. Undoubtedly there will be a celebration of some kind, and it is not too early to discuss the form which it should take. Any reader who has an idea along this line is invited to send a letter to the Editor for publication. Discussion of the subject in the public press will probably bring out some valuable suggestions.

These national festivals and celebrations do much to educate the younger generation in Canadian history and achievement. At the same time they asist in impressing upon the world the fact that Canada has made a great success in working out the "Confederation" idea, which has since been adopted by Australia and South Africa.

Mrs. Sheard's story, "The Man At Lone Lake," begins in this issue. It is unquestionably the greatest Canadian story which we have yet secured for the readers of this journal. The story has already been accepted for book publication by a leading firm of publishers in London, England, and it will also appear serially in Great Britain and the United States. The exclusive serial rights for Canada have been secured for the "Canadian Courier."

The first of a series of humourous Jewish stories, by Ed. B. Cahn, will appear in our next issue. Mr. Cahn is a resident of Toronto but is widely known throughout the Dominion. He has had some of his stories accepted by the leading weeklies and monthlies in the United States, which is evidence that as a popular writer he has already "arrived."

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