

C-221-56

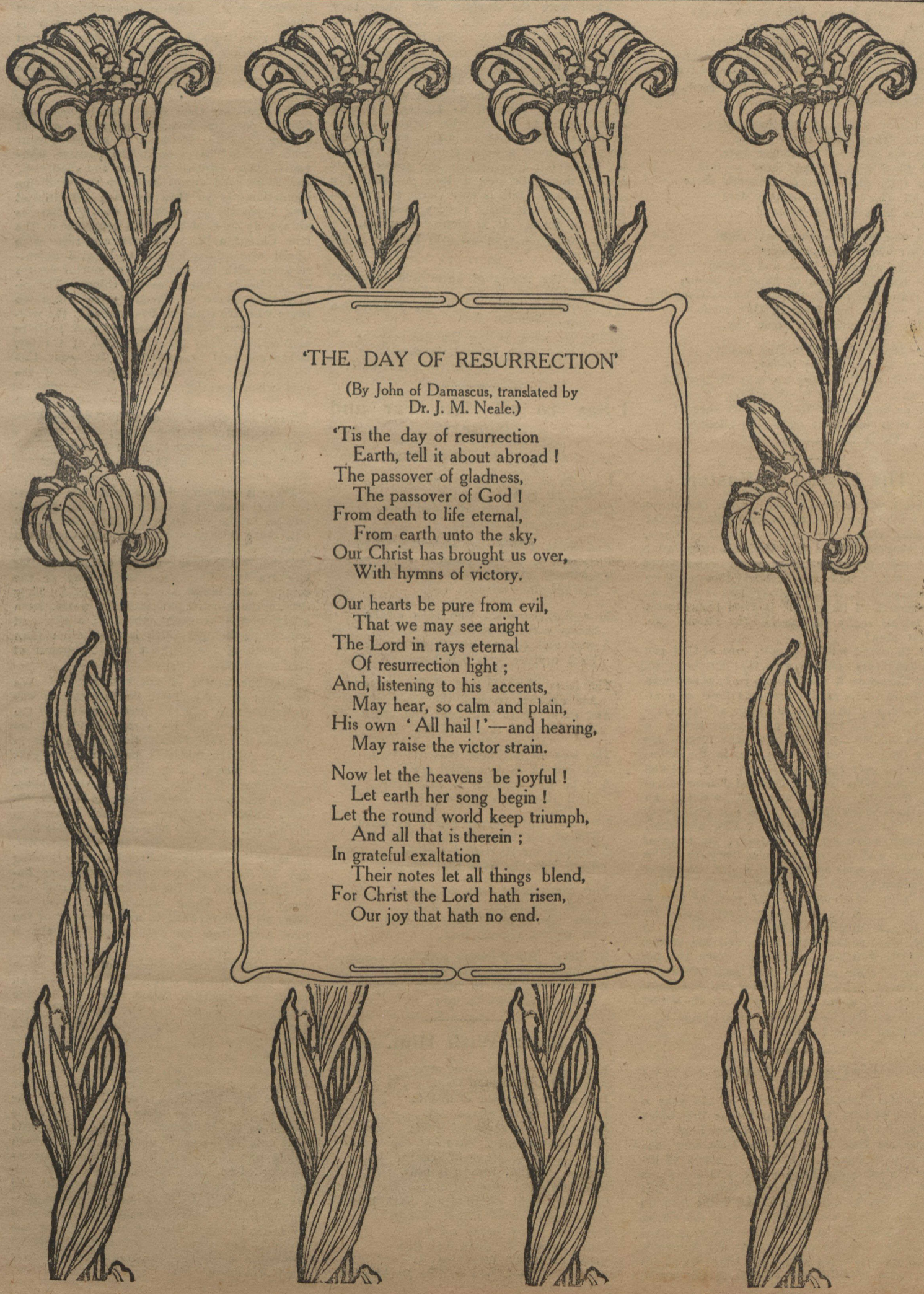
Wm Brouncombe 20107

Northern Messenger

VOLUME XLII. No. 13

MONTREAL, MARCH 29, 1907.

40 Cts. Per An. Post-Paid



'THE DAY OF RESURRECTION'

(By John of Damascus, translated by Dr. J. M. Neale.)

'Tis the day of resurrection
 Earth, tell it about abroad !
 The passover of gladness,
 The passover of God !
 From death to life eternal,
 From earth unto the sky,
 Our Christ has brought us over,
 With hymns of victory.

Our hearts be pure from evil,
 That we may see aright
 The Lord in rays eternal
 Of resurrection light ;
 And, listening to his accents,
 May hear, so calm and plain,
 His own 'All hail!'—and hearing,
 May raise the victor strain.

Now let the heavens be joyful !
 Let earth her song begin !
 Let the round world keep triumph,
 And all that is therein ;
 In grateful exaltation
 Their notes let all things blend,
 For Christ the Lord hath risen,
 Our joy that hath no end.