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KEEP CANADIAN CAPITAL IN CANADA.

To the current number of Munsey's Magazine, Herbert N. Casson contributes an interesting article on "Quebec—A Land Without Trust." He finds it a matter of surprise that at this time of day in the western continent, a land so rich in natural wealth as Quebec should still be the "idle home of the small farm and the small factory" and remain "one of the least developed regions of the world."

"Montreal," says Mr. Casson, "has capital—hundreds of millions. She has millionaires—forty-two of them all told. It is said, she has mills and factories—nearly a hundred of all sizes. But the vast bulk of her wealth is invested in enterprises that lie outside of the Province of Quebec. Her capitalists are at present building a railway in Cuba. They hold two million dollars' worth of United States Steel stock, and they have placed large amounts at the service of the Wall-street banks. They are the principal pioneers in the development of electric power in Mexico. They control the steel companies in Detroit, Toledo, Cleveland, Akron, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Havana, Trinidad, Jamaica and Rio de Janeiro."

Mr. Casson also notes that four notable Montrealers hold a \$30,000,000 interest in James J. Hill's railways, and adds that it is understood the late John W. Mackay was strongly supported in his cable enterprise by these same financiers.

All this, he admits, brings money to Canada, but it does not develop the resources of Quebec—she might have made it the resources of Canada. As regards Montreal he points out that her total manufacturing capital is only \$75,000,000, and that the almost unlimited possibilities of her water power might make her a manufacturing centre with a world-wide commerce; yet not more than one-twentieth of the power is now being utilized.

Very much the same thing might be said of the position in Ontario. Capital that would have been invaluable at this period of the nation's growth has been sent out of Canada to assist in building up and developing the cities and industries of foreign countries. It is all very well to boast that Canada is now among the nations that seek an outlet for their wealth, but it is a dear boast when it simply means that because of the lack of that withdrawn capital, Canadian industrial growth is retarded and her unexploited natural resources remain unused. What Canada needs to-day is capitalists and financial institutions that will set themselves to the task of making the boundless possibilities of the Dominion actualities. And it must be done along straight business lines that recognize

public rights equally with private interests.

DANISH AGRICULTURE AND CO-OPERATION.

Denmark, with an acreage of 2,375,000, and a population of about 2,500,000, is one of Canada's most formidable competitors in the British market so far as agricultural produce is concerned. Of its exports to the United Kingdom, butter accounts for a value of \$50,000,000, bacon \$25,000,000, and eggs \$7,500,000. Recently a party of British journalists toured Denmark, one of whom invited a number of leading Danish exporters to express an opinion regarding the effect of Mr. Chamberlain's proposals on their trade. To his surprise they were by no means alarmed at the prospect of a small English import duty. Their views were thus expressed:

All depends, of course, on how high the duties are. If a high duty is imposed, some damage may be done to our trade. For instance, if you put a duty of ten per cent. on butter, as the Germans have done, you will cause us considerable trouble, and, I suppose, give the advantage to the English farmers. But we are not afraid of a small preference to your colonies. At present Denmark is the only country from which you get a large and uniform supply of butter, while Australia has occasional droughts and Canada is not yet sufficiently developed to be a dangerous rival. Moreover, our products can reach you fresh, while theirs, whatever precautions are taken, cannot arrive in England in a really fresh condition. Of course, if you put on a high duty we shall have to drop our present rate and take up something else. But that we see no reason for expecting.

The remarkable prosperity of the agricultural industry in Denmark during the last twenty years is attributed by the people chiefly to the policy of discouraging large estates in land, while assisting the peasantry to purchase the land they cultivate, and to the development of the system of co-operative manufacturers and distributors. Only one-fifteenth of the agricultural population are not yet freeholders, and the prevalence of thoroughly scientific methods, thru the training given in the high schools, has aided considerably the general contentment which prevails among the farming population. Denmark now possesses 75,320 farms, ranging from 20 to 150 acres, and 68,000 small holdings, most of which contain from three to seven acres. According to the special correspondent of The London, England, Morning Post, it is the farm holders who have shown the greatest enterprise and have benefited most by the high schools—known as "the poor man's university." On farms of 80 acres, the usual average, there are generally 20 cows, yielding annually milk valued at \$1500, and from 60 to 70 pigs, which can be sold to the Co-operative Bacon Factory for \$1100. The general yield of the land is from 1800 to 2000 bushels of grain, valued at from \$1350 to \$1500, and 12,000 bushels of roots valued at about \$700.

Of special interest to Canadian farmers are the details given regarding the co-operative institutions of which there are about 1200 in the country. Although it is most in evidence in the towns, in Denmark it is confined almost exclusively to agriculture, and its success there is attributed to the number of small freeholders. An idea of the popularity of the co-operative dairies can be gained from the fact that there are 1085 of them, as against only 138 private dairies. They vary much in size, as opinion differs as to the area that can be economically served—the question being how far cheaper working can compensate for cost of transport. The co-operative dairies are equipped with the most modern machinery, are kept scrupulously clean and very stringent regulations are in force for the inspection of milk sent in and of the butter and cheese produced. What is claimed to be the largest dairy in the world is situated near Haslev, on the island of Zealand, and was built by the large farmers, after they had seen the success of co-operation in the case of the small freeholders. It is capitalized at \$275,000, has 85 members, who possess together 12,000 cows, and are bound by agreement to support the dairy until the year 1919. The dairy handles several million gallons of milk annually, the value of the cheese produced being \$1,040,000, and of the butter \$385,000. There are over 400 inspecting bodies, "whose duty it is to keep a record not only of the whole stock of the country, but even of the capacity and fitness of every cow." Similar societies control the sale and export of bacon and eggs.

Discussing the principle of co-operation as applied to agriculture, with The Morning Post correspondent, M. Hogboorn, the Danish minister of public works, said:

"Co-operation in Denmark is almost entirely based on the equal and unlimited responsibility of the members of such societies in England you have only limited responsibility. That shows that we have greater confidence in one another than you have. Millions of pounds have been produced by this unlimited responsibility, and nothing has occurred to make us regret its existence. Moreover, we manage our affairs on really democratic lines. The upper classes are becoming

members of the co-operative societies, and the social advantages of this participation in institutions to which the lower classes belong, are very great in a small country like ours.

LATEST BRITISH BY-ELECTION. Jarrow election is the first fruits of the strained relations which combined to give the present British government its unparalleled majority. At this time four candidates aspired to all the place of Sir Charles M. Paine, who had for over twenty years been its representative in parliament. For the most part he was returned unopposed, the Liberal sentiment of the constituency being too well-known to admit of question. At the last general election, however, he found a challenger in Peter Curran, one of the best known members of the socialist wing of the Independent Labor party. Sir Charles Paine's hold upon the working class constituency proved too strong to be broken, and he was again returned by 8047 votes to 5083—a majority of all but 3000, out of an electorate of 17,000. On this showing the number of Conservative voters cannot have been very large.

At the by-election just held Peter Curran against stood as a Labor candidate and candidates were also nominated by the Liberals and the Irish Nationalists, the strength of whose support has been estimated at 3000. The prospect of profiting by this division of the predominant forces appealed to the Unionists, who put forward Patrick Ross-Innes to uphold the cause of tariff reform. The result of the election was that a majority of 768 over Mr. Ross-Innes, who again was 456 votes ahead of the official Liberal, while the Nationalist standard-bearer brought up the rear.

The figures polled are not given in the cables, but if Mr. Curran received an approximately equal measure of support to that previously accorded to the Unionist vote must not only have been considerable, but largely in excess of that available on the data afforded by the result at the general election. If this conclusion is confirmed, and looking in any case to the fact that the tariff reformer is seriously wounded as the result of a first conflict between the Guggenheim interests and the Bruner camp on Wednesday. The fight is over the right of way, which the Bruner interests are making every endeavor to have Governor Hogart order troops to the scene of hostilities.

Government Refuses Increase Wanted by Freight Handlers. OTTAWA, July 5.—M. J. Butler, deputy minister of railways, stated this morning that the department would not grant the demands of the striking intercolonial freight handlers at Halifax for an increase of wages before returning to work.

SHOULD A WOMAN PROPOSE MARRIAGE?

An Interesting Discussion on This Subject is Now in Progress.

Why not? is the question asked by a prominent western journal. It argues that if women made the marriage proposals there would be fewer unhappy lives. Instances are quoted of cases where the "woman" proposed with the happiest results. It is becoming quite customary and fashionable now for young ladies in Toronto and other Canadian cities to "propose" to their admirers. The practice is usually with the most happy and satisfactory results. Not always, of course, marriage proposals, tho' the good sense displayed sometimes leads to a "no" when her young man, or sweetheart, or best fellow asks her at the fountain or in the refreshment parlor. This is of course, she invariably proposes "Cola-Claret," the popular, delicious and satisfying summer drink that everybody is talking about. This is of course, she "drinks" question for the time being. It also sometimes settles the marriage question. An instance is quoted where a few evenings ago a young society lady's good taste and judgment in selecting her favorite drink and recommending it to him "Cola-Claret" that he immediately "proposed," and she, after due consideration, accepted. At all the best, however, in such cases, five cents. This young couple, when they set up housekeeping, intend as many now do, keeping "Cola-Claret" in the house all the time. It's a good home drink.

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SET FIRE TO POWDER.

Little Boy Will Lose Sight of One Eye as Result.

KINGSTON, July 5.—Willie Davy, 6 years old, got hold of a bottle containing gunpowder, and, childlike, lighted a match and applied it to the powder, with the result that the powder exploded, bursting the bottle into fragments and burning the lad's face and arms terribly.

Lost His Fortune Late in Life.

NEW YORK, July 5.—Francis B. Thurber, one of the organizers of the New York head of the Erie and Ontario, is dead here, aged 65 years. He acquired a fortune as a wholesale grocer, but this was swept away by the panic of 1893. He was admitted to the bar when 57 years of age.

Fresh Air Fund.

Yesterday morning a party of some thirty mothers with their little ones were sent across the lake to Lewiston for a day's outing by the Toronto Fresh Air Fund. This organization, which is presided over by Canon Dixon, began its good work for the present season on Dominion day, when forty-five east-enders were given a trip.

New York Excursion.

July 18th, Erie Railroad, good returning 15 days; \$9.10 from Niagara Falls, Ont. Apply to ticket agents or H. E. Huntington, general agent, passenger department, 309 Main-street, Buffalo, N. Y.

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Yankee George is George Tulmin, who is widely known as an expert horse buyer all over Ontario and many places outside of this province. Every farmer in York County and the adjacent counties is personally acquainted with the old man, who has an enviable reputation for ability, honesty and thoroughness in his work, his great fault being a generous heart, not from a covetous but from a generous heart. For 40 years he made his headquarters in the Clyde Hotel and locally. During his time there he has bought and sold many horses, and for instance, he purchased nearly all the heavy horses for Hendrie & Co.'s Grand Trunk lorry for the past two years or so.

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