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GOOD FRIDAY

In the religious world, this week occupies an important place. Each day of the week has its particular connection with the Christian events of our Lord's early life in the flesh. Good Friday is the climax, when He was nailed to the cross for the sins of men, and His body lay in the tomb until early Easter morning. Good Friday has become more and more each year, a day to be observed by the Christian bodies who forty years ago gave little heed to the day. The custom of making the day one of jollification and sports as a common holiday is dying out, and properly so, for come to think of it, none of us would care to celebrate the day of our dearest friend's death, or a program of sports and a rousing good time. Some portion of the day at least should be devoted to thoughts of Him who gave His blood to save men's souls. It is a healthier sign in the religious life of the people when they take time to think of these things; for each one of us is personally involved in what made it necessary to have that day, whether we recognize it or not.

EASTER

There is a danger that church people themselves at times lose sight of the true significance of Easter. It is not simply a time for special music, for the display of flowers, and a general opening of the spring season. It is more than that. It is, in fact, nothing short of being the keystone of the whole Christian religion. It is the great central fact, and without it there would be no Christian religion at all. Without it, the birth of the Redeemer, His life, His teaching, His matchless humility and His fathomless love, His suffering in Gethsemane, and the final sacrifice on Calvary would amount to little had He not risen on Easter morn. When the Master gave up His life the test was to answer yes or no to His claims was staged. Had that tomb remained closed with the great stone that was rolled against it we would of "all men, be most miserable." The fact that that stone was rolled away while under the eyes of the Roman soldiers—the fact that Christ did rise from that newly-hewn grave—the fact that He did appear to many people after that—these things form a chain of evidence that completes the life of Christ on earth, and gives the Christian church today the justification for its existence and its teaching. It is important in this day, when so many brainy men seek to teach that the Master was a great moral teacher, a propagandist for the existence of a super-man, and an advocate of the golden rule idea, but nothing more, that His people should re-assert with devotion and confidence the fact of Easter in all its glorious reality, and proclaim without reservation or doubt their belief in the completed life and sacrifice and resurrection of the Man of Galilee.

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NOTE AND COMMENT

There is not much sympathy for the Toronto promoter who was given seven years in the penitentiary last week by Judge Widdifield for false statements in selling stock. His misrepresentations cost investors thousands of dollars.

The Ontario Motor League, by its prompt action, has killed off, for the time being at least, a move on the part of several members of the Ontario Legislature to assess American tourists \$5 at the border when crossing from the States at any frontier port in Canada.

Death has removed L. R. Steel from the jurisdiction of earthly courts. If he has left any substantial assets behind him they should be used to relieve the burden of the poor people induced by him or his agents to invest in his companies.

The Swedish government is advocating the emigration to America of 40,000 unemployed, thus helping the situation in both countries. They are a good class of people, readily assimilate Canadian ideals and in time make excellent citizens.

A single merchant acting alone can not do very much in fighting mail order houses or in boosting his home town; but the organized merchants of a town can do much. A single snowflake means nothing, but let enough snowflakes fall and all traffic is suspended. In union there is strength.—Oshawa Reformer.

The Mines Department at Ottawa, through Mr. B. F. Haanel, a member of the Canadian Fuel Board, warns Canadians that this country is soon to be faced with a permanent fuel shortage. The visible supply of anthracite will only last about 80 years and the visible supply of oil in America will last only 25 years.

The city of Welland will spend \$550 upon newspaper advertising for the industrial advantages of the city. For this sum they will obtain a full page in one issue of The Globe, (Toronto) distributed among its regular circulation, and an additional 500 copies to be sent to the city for such distribution as it may wish to make.

Of course it's heresy, rank heresy, in these days, still we cannot help but cherish the idea that the reformers who are trying to make everybody good by law would accomplish a lot more if they would bear down a little harder on the moral suasion side; and maybe sidetrack conviction in the courts for "conviction of sin" as the Methodists used to put it.—Detroit Free Press.

The weekly press has been flooded this winter by the Presbyterians with "stuff" in favor of church union, and last week the Methodists appointed Mr. R. F. Stouffer, a Toronto newspaper man, as their publicity man. Fortunately for the public, newspapers keep large wastepaper baskets and paper balers for most of the propaganda matter sent out from numerous sources.—Orillia Packet.

Statistics which throw illuminating light upon the magnitude of the educational facilities which Ontario citizens maintain for their youths were given during the question period the other day in the Legislature. During the past year it was stated, the sum of \$7,552,753 had been spent for the support of Primary, Continuation, High and Normal Schools, and Universities, and 642,374 pupils were declared to have been in attendance at these institutions. This was an increase over the figures for 1921 of \$2,343,677 in the matter of funds appropriated and of 28,885 in the matter of pupils attending.

Edmonton Bulletin: Reports from Dublin are that the Republicans are to have a "period of mourning." Certainly not without cause. The Free State Government has been proceeding on the assumption that those of the rebels who did not surrender under the recently offered amnesty are irreconcilables and has been dealing with them accordingly. Up to date 67 have been shot, and it is noted in the dispatch that a "feature" of the new policy is the promptness with which punishment follows crime. That course of action is very much calculated to produce lamentation among the lawless, and a season of general wailing on the part of the 'dissidents' would seem to be strictly in order. It must be getting more dangerous than profitable to be an outlaw in the Free State.

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Slats' Diary

By Ross Farquhar

Friday—Over at Jakes house this evening and his Pa was sore because he had to go down town and pay sum bills. He wanted to stay home and read "The Watford Guide." Well he aint got the snap pa has got. He never has to go down town to pay his bills. They are men coming to the house every day to collect them. Wich saves him a lots of Steps.

Saturday—A man offered me a job today to work evny Saturday after noon and nite till 1/2 past 10. But I refused as pleasantly as possible. Ma was 1/2 sore about it because she has ben pestering me a good wile to try & get a job so I cud help by my close and ect. But as I exclaimed to her I am not like so meny yumans in this country. Money issent evrything with me.

Sunday—pa and Ma including I and the dog tuk a long trip on the rale rode train today. About 50 or a 100 miles I spect and 1 time we went threw a Tunnel and they was a yung cuple a setting in back of us and the tunnel was a grate long 1 and wen we cum out of it into the day lite the yung ladie looks at the fella and she sed kinda offhanded I wander how much that tunnel costed to bild it and the fella replied and sed gringly, I dont no how much it costed but its sure is wirth it.

Monday—They are starting a new Club here in town and pa and ma are a going to put in a appellation to join into it. The only requirements is that you must be poor and Respectible. As far as pa is concerned he has a cinch on 1/2 of the requirements as evny buddy knows he is poor, & as he laffingly sed to I and ma that is 1/2 the Battle.

Tuesday—I guess pa is getting on ma's side of the wirk question and I believe he is in earnest to. He says he is going to take me out with him and make me look for wirk. But I still have sum Spirit left to. He can take me where the job is. But he cant mak me hunt it.

Wednesday—I tried to throw a scare in to the teacher today. She has ben giving us such hard lessons I told her I was affrade they was a getting the best of me and that I wood half to slow down a little. She just looks at me with her eye and sed. If you slow down on yure studnyg yule be a walking backward.

Thursday—I gress it is up to me to cut out the dancing and partys witch is being give by the yunger set of who I am a member of it. You got to have money and good close both at the same time. And thats what

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No story told in the House of Commons in recent days possibly, has given rise to so much curious speculation as one told Friday by R. A. Hoey, Progressive member for Springfield, Man. It was the story of an immigrant who came to Canada "some 14 years ago." When he arrived at Quebec he had not the necessary \$25 and evaded the immigration authorities. He went to Montreal and got a job in a tannery at \$7 a week. In two months he saved enough to go to Fort Frances in New Ontario, where he got a position at \$400 per year, and saved enough in two years to take a five-year university course. "We sometimes hear," added Mr. Hoey, "of men living on a meal a day. This particular immigrant lived for four days on one meal, and I remember on one occasion he lived for five days on one meal, and the last week of the year in which he graduated, he lived for ten cents a day, and was denied the privilege of writing home to his parents because he did not have the money for postage. He is today a member of the Federal parliament. He is still in his thirties and is by no means a physical wreck."

Afterwards when questioned by a Canadian Press representative Mr. Hoey declared that it was "impossible" for him to give the name of the immigrant. Was he telling the story of his own early days in Canada? According to the Parliamentary Guide, Mr. Hoey came to Canada from Ireland in 1909, or 14 years ago, and graduated from Wesley College, Winnipeg, in 1915. He is 39 years of age.

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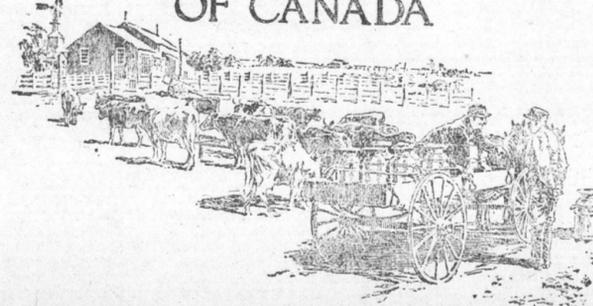
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