

THE PRINCE SIGNS AUTOGRAPH FOR SCHOOL TEACHER AT  
MAPLE CREEK, SASK.



STRONG SUPPORT  
FROM MEMBERS  
OF PARLIAMENT

New Brunswick Representatives in Ottawa Pledge Assistance to G. W. V. A. in Campaign Against Appointment of Outside Officers.

The Great War Veterans' Association has entered a strong protest against the appointment of Lieut.-Colonel Sparling to the staff of Military District No. 7 and the appointment of Lieut.-Colonel Brown, formerly commander of the 29th New Brunswick Battalion in his place has been urged. Communications setting forth the views of the members of the association had been forwarded to the New Brunswick representatives in the house of commons. Replies have been received as follows:

From R. W. Wigmore, M. P.: "I have duly received your wire of 27th inst. protesting against the appointment of Lieut.-Colonel Sparling to the staff of D. No. 7. I will take this matter up at once and see what I can do in the latter. I have been protesting against the practice that has been in vogue, in appointing of outside men to the staff of the St. John district, for the last years with some results, as in some cases where I protested the conditions were changed. You can rest assured that I will attend to this promptly, and will put the case up just as strongly as can. I will let you know just as soon as I can get any definite information from the department as to what they intend to do."

From H. F. McLeod, M. P.: "I have your telegram in regard to the case of Lieut.-Colonel Sparling, and I shall do what I can to prevent any other officers being brought from outside the province to fill positions that can be as well filled by officers of our own. I, especially, have a warm feeling for Lieut.-Colonel Brown, who served under me for some months, and for whom I have the very highest regard. The whole principle of bringing officers from other provinces to our province is wrong, and I trust we shall be able to successfully combat it."

From A. B. Cope, M. P.: "Your telegram of 27th inst. re appointment of general staff officer M. D. No. 7, St. John (N. B.), received. In reply I beg to say that I have taken this matter up with the minister of militia and defence, strongly placing before him your protests and at the same time insisting that

N. B. officers be given proper consideration when positions are to be filled in that province."

From O. Turgeon, M. P.: "I have duly received your telegram of the 27th inst. protesting against the appointment of Lieut.-Colonel Sparling as general staff officer M. D. No. 7 and recommending that an officer of New Brunswick be placed instead. Your request is receiving my attention and in a couple of days, I hope that I will be able to let you know what success we may possibly get."

From Pius Michaud, M. P.: "You can feel assured that the recommendation of the Vets will be gladly supported by me. They know what they want best and surely they should be entitled to have their views carried out."

From W. S. Loggie, M. P.: "In reply I will consult with Mr. Wigmore, and act along the lines suggested by you as far as is consistent with my present position."

WANT CHURCHES IN  
INDUSTRIAL MEETING

National Bodies Send Message to Wilson—Ask That Protestants and Catholics be Appointed Members of Conference

New York, Nov. 2.—President Wilson has been asked by the Interchurch World Movement of North America to include representatives of the Protestant and Catholic churches in the personnel of the new industrial conference which he is about to appoint. The following message, signed by Charles S. MacFarland, general secretary of the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America, and S. East Taylor, general secretary of the Interchurch World Movement, was sent to the president:

"We urge respectfully and most earnestly that you include in the personnel of the new industrial conference or commission which you are about to appoint, representatives of the Protestant and Catholic churches, men who command public confidence, who have had extended experience in social work and practical economics, and who will accentuate in the conference the ethical point of view."

"The great issue in the impending industrial crisis is a moral one, and in your endeavors to arrive at a solution of the problems on a national basis, constructive and practical. Both Protestant and Catholic churches have been dealing with industrial problems on a comprehensive, organized basis for months, and they have gathered valuable data and have men well equipped and well trained that are all at your command."

"The viewpoint of the Church is at once national and unselfish, and we submit that it may be made of greatest service in the present emergency."

THE BUSINESS COLUMN.

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mit we were not as cocksure about it as we would have been about a sale of women's fur coats. The latter case had been tried before; it was an institution, and then, too, women had the bargain instinct more keenly developed than men."

"We went ahead. The first advertisement was run a day ahead of the big one giving the details. It simply carried the word."

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LAST PUBLIC  
APPEARANCE OF  
H. R. H. IN CANADA

Prince Attends Christ Church Cathedral, Montreal, When Bishop Farthing is Speaker.

Montreal, Nov. 2.—The last public appearance of the Prince of Wales save at the railway station on leaving the city, was at divine service at Christ Church Cathedral here this morning. The prince and his suite, including Major-General Sir H. E. Bustall, Commander Newport and Lord Claude Hamilton, were met at the porch of the church by a procession of clergy in which were Bishop Farthing, Rev. Dr. Symonds, the vicar, the Ven. Archdeacon Norton, the rector, Rev. Dean Evans, Rev. H. Fricker and Chancellor Davidson. The pew in which the royal party sat was covered by a royal standard.

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PRUDENTIAL CO.  
RELINQUISHES  
TRUST FUNDS

Money Deposited With That Company For Construction of Valley Railway Will be Turned Over to Trustee to be Named by Provincial Government.

Hon. W. E. Foster, the provincial premier, and W. P. Jones, K.C., president of the St. John & Quebec Railway Company, had an interview in Montreal recently with officials of the Prudential Trust Company in regard to the balance of trust money deposited with that company in 1912 for the construction of the Valley railway. Since the present government came into office it has succeeded in obtaining something more than \$250,000 from the Trust company, and now about \$400,000 still is in their hands. The money was to be paid out to the railway company as the work of construction proceeded.

With respect to 170 miles of railway, being approximately \$22,500 per mile, only 188 miles have been built and the Trust company claim the right to retain in its hands approximately \$280,000 until the remaining twelve miles are constructed. The company also claims the right to retain \$120,000 and set off the amount against the balance of the loan it made in 1912 to A. R. Gould and others, for which it holds notes of the railway company and practically all the shares and stock in the railway company as security.

There is also a provision in the trust mortgage that the railway company shall pay to the Trust company \$42,500 per year, for forty years beginning in 1921, to constitute a sinking fund for the redemption of the railway bonds. In view of the fact that much difficulty

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DEATH FROM SPLINTER.

London, Nov. 3.—Mrs. Phoebe Barrett, aged thirty-five, of Dudley, has just died in a hospital there from tetanus, caused by a splinter. The splinter stuck in her right hand while she was sweeping with a broom. Relatives announce that the manufacturer who made the broom and the dealer who sold it will be sued.

LIGHTNING'S FREAK.

London, Nov. 3.—At an inquest into the death of Percival Simpson, who was killed by lightning while standing under a tree, it developed that there was an exact impression of the tree on the man's stomach.

Is Canada Weary  
of Party Politics?

THE recent election in Ontario demonstrated the rather astonishing disintegration of the old party spirit in Canada. Voters deserted from the ranks of the two old parties in such numbers that the calculations of politicians were sadly confounded and governing power shifted to a class.

Previous to the election, the press in all parts of the country was commenting on the general lack of interest in politics and the failure of the old party slogans. Does it mean that Canadians are tired of the ancient game of the "Ins" and the "Outs"? That henceforth issues will be regarded as greater than parties?

MACLEAN'S MAGAZINE has made a careful toll of the press of Canada on this intensely interesting subject and presents a summary of what is being said in succinct form under the heading, "Is Canada Weary of Party Politics?" It is shown that the old ties, in some sections at least, have loosened and that the thinking man is going to vote according to the issues as they arise instead of following the straight furrow of one party. Some of the reasons for this change, as gleaned from the press, are set forth.

Every month MACLEAN'S selects the most important Canadian problem that is being discussed in the press and gives a careful summary of the best opinion, with brief comment thereon. This material, which runs under the department heading of "This Month's Vital Question," makes very interesting reading indeed, summarizing as it does the opinion of Canada from coast to coast on the important and pressing problems of the moment.

Ralph Connor on  
"The New Canada and Its Needs"

Ralph Connor, the famous Canadian novelist, who served for several years at the front and saw the war from many angles, is convinced that Canada must be prepared to make important changes if she is to profit by the lessons of the war. He has written a series of articles embodying his views. The articles were written for MACLEAN'S MAGAZINE and the first appears in the November issue, under the title: "The New Canada and Its Needs."

"The Idle Hands at Ottawa"

By J. K. Munro  
The recent session of the Dominion House was in many respects an idle one. There was not a great deal done, so the members had a lot of time to stir up things, and the result was some hugely interesting political situations, all of which J. K. Munro tells about in his usual unsparing and tersely humorous way.

Other Features of November MacLean's

- "My Memories and Miseries as a School Master." By Stephen Leacock.
- "Men and Money" (story). By Nellie L. McClung.
- "A Woman on the Bench." By Janey Canuck.
- "Why I Remain a Canadian." By Basil King.
- "Haldane's Weak Defence." By Lieut.-Col. J. B. Maclean.
- "Two Men and an Idea That Grew and Grew." By Charles Christopher Jenkins.
- "The Outlaw" (poem). By Robt. W. Service.
- "The Search for Missing Men." By Gertrude Arnold.
- "The Rainbow Death" (story). By Madge Macbeth.
- "His Majesty's Well-Beloved" (novel). By Baroness Orczy.
- "Spanish Doubloons" (novel). By Camilla Kenyon.
- "A Little Bit of Chickenfeed" (story). By Allen C. Shore.

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Lemonade from "Well."  
A Wichita, Kan., druggist recently doubled his sales on lemonade by having a stonecutter make a top of sandstone which he placed on a section of his counter. Beneath this he placed a stone jug in a box lined with ice. A sign, reading "Ice-cold lemonade direct from the old stone well," completed the arrangement.  
Each person who secured a check drew his own dipper of ice-cold lemonade from the stone well, which, after a few days' advertising, was thronged all day long.