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NEW LIBERAL PAPER

The advent of a new Liberal paper in Montreal is an event of interest throughout Canada. The new Journal, which made its first appearance on Saturday, is named the Daily Telegraph and Daily Witness. It succeeds the Daily Witness published so long by John Douglass & Son, who will hereafter confine their attention to the Weekly Witness, World-Wide, Northern Messenger and Canadian Pictorial. The Daily Telegraph and Daily Witness is published by the Telegraph Publishing Company of Montreal, Limited, with Mr. C. Gordon Smith as manager. Mr. Gordon Smith is a life long Liberal who held an important position on the Daily Witness staff for twelve years. The demand for the first issue of this new Liberal journal on Saturday was so great that the presses were completely over-taxed, and it is described as the greatest initial success in Canadian journalism.

Editorially the new journal defines Liberalism, tells of its great achievements in the past in the mother country, in Canada and elsewhere, and declares its own devotion to that cause.

Now that the Montreal Herald has become the organ of the Liberal and ultra Imperial group in Montreal, the advent of a stalwart advocate of the principles of Liberalism is timely; and the new journal should command the support, not only of the Liberals of Montreal, but of Liberals elsewhere who desire to secure a metropolitan journal from day to day.

BEN LINDSEY ON TRIAL

An attempt is being made in the city of Denver to remove Judge Ben Lindsey from the position of judge of the juvenile court. The surprising part of the affair is that the women of Denver are said to be behind this movement, and claim that the work of the juvenile court is not satisfactory, a tendency to undue leniency being productive of as much evil as undue harshness.

For quite a number of years Ben Lindsey has been a national figure in the United States, and his plan of dealing with juvenile offenders has been adopted in many other cities besides Denver. He has been called upon to deliver lectures all over the country, and has spoken in several Canadian cities, while magazines and newspapers have devoted a great deal of attention to him and his work, and his theory of the best manner of dealing with juvenile delinquents. His method was to repose confidence in the boys, put them upon their honor, and by appealing to their better nature gain their confidence and encourage them to change their ways and live honest and useful lives.

The news that the women of Denver have turned against Judge Lindsey is certainly surprising; for, as the Bangor Commercial points out, if the juvenile court is accomplishing what he claims, and what the public has generally believed, it ought to appeal in the very strongest manner to the women of the city. Whatever may be the situation in Denver, however, the Lindsey method of dealing with delinquents has proved a success in many cities to an extent which leaves no question in the public mind as to its superiority over any method marked by harshness or severe punishment, inflicted without discrimination.

The heavy rain of yesterday morning was of immense benefit to the crops in this province.

Charlottetown has a sensation today. The first automobile seen on the island for seven years appeared on the streets.

The vacant lot at the corner of Germain and Princess streets has waited long, but an eight story apartment house of modern construction was worth waiting for.

If the Bulgarians were guilty of the horrible atrocities which they are charged, they at least are paying heavily for their disregard of the methods of civilized warfare.

The United States department of agriculture and census bureau shows that while the population of the country increased between 1907 and 1912 from 87,178,938 to 95,765,578, the number of cattle decreased from 22,534,000 to 22,527,000. This leads Collier's to observe: "There is no way for a man to serve his fellow men during the immediate future more powerfully than by raising cattle, and no way more certain of reward. There is no principle of political economy more necessary for the government of the United States to practice than to withdraw the premium which a high tariff has put upon the manufacture of every kind of luxury, and restore the people from the factories to the farm."

The Bangor Commercial says:—"The strenuous campaign that has been carried on against arson in New York city has brought its need of accomplishment as evidenced by the fact that in the first six months of the present year there were 6,600 fires in the metropolis as compared with 8,446, a very material reduction. The losses from fire in the

BIRTHDAYS OF NOTABILITIES

MONDAY, JULY 14

His Honor Thomas Cranston Gordon, district judge of the judicial district of Yorkton, Sask., was born at Collingwood, Ont., forty-six years ago today.

Hon. David V. Landry, M. D., commissioner for agriculture of New Brunswick, is forty-seven years old today. He is a doctor by profession but also farms on a large scale. He has been in the provincial cabinet since 1908.

Charles Caniff James, who is now in charge of the dominion government's grant for agricultural education, and who was formerly deputy minister of agriculture for Ontario, is fifty years of age today. He was born at Napawan, Ontario, and is one of the best authorities on scientific agriculture in the dominion.

LIGHTER VEIN

HOW WILL HE GET THE GASOLINE?

"Brown has just inherited a thousand dollars from his uncle."

"What's he going to do with it?"

"Buy a \$4,000 car, I think."—Detroit Free Press.

NOT SO FIERCE

"Don't go near that old fellow in the pasture, sonny," the farmer warned the fresh-air child. "He's terribly fierce."

"I tried him out already," the lad replied. "He ain't half as fierce as an automobile in the city. Got any bears or lions around here?"—From the Buffalo Express.

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STARTING AT THE BOTTOM

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"Exactly."

"Shall I put him on the pay-roll at the regular office boy's salary?"

"No, I wouldn't do that. You'd better start him in at about \$100 a week. The boy's simply got to have a little pocket money."—From the Detroit Free Press.

A BACHELOR'S BLUNDER

"It isn't wasn't for carfare and lunch," says a bachelor, "a woman would not have any need of money when she goes shopping." But every married man knows better.—From the Chicago News.

WHAT PUZZLED HER

"I understand the text all right," remarked Aunt Ann Peabody after the sermon was over, "but the preacher's explanation of it puzzled me a good deal."—From the Chicago Tribune.

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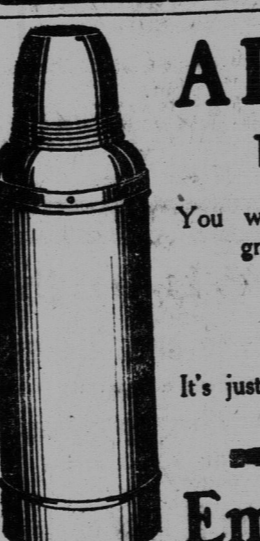
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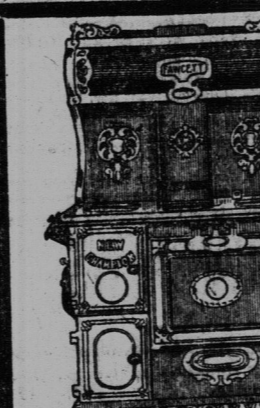
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When the present British cabinet was reconstructed at the death of Campbell-Bannerman five members retired at the average of about forty, making the average under fifty-two for the cabinet as reconstructed. This compares with the average of sixty-one for the Canadian cabinet. There were ten British ministers under fifty and only three Canadian. There was no Canadian under forty, whereas there are two in the British cabinet in the thirties.

Although Mr. Roosevelt was younger than Mr. Wilson, being the youngest of all presidents, his cabinet was older. It is so often remarked that science is prolonging human life our statesmen are growing younger. In the days of "the fathers" the age of presidents was nearer fifty than fifty. J. Q. Adams at fifty-seven being the youngest of the first half dozen and fifty-six being the average for twenty presidents. This

does not include presidents succeeding to the office from the vice-presidency, as did Mr. Roosevelt at forty-three. It was only our earlier presidents who were derisively, Washington himself was a colonel at twenty-two, Jefferson wrote the Declaration at thirty-three. Patrick Henry made his famous "treason" speech at twenty. Alexander Hamilton made himself immortal as a financier at twenty-four with his conception of a national debt as a national blessing. On the other hand, it is but a few years since A. R. Thayer analyzed the ages of 280 prominent men of the 19th century and found the average of 112 statesmen was seventy-one. New York Times.

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