

## CANADIANS IN LONDON

GREAT interest was created among the Canadians in London, over the marriage of Mr. Hamar Greenwood, M.P. for Sunderland, to Miss Margery Spencer, which took place on May 23rd, at St. Margaret's, Westminster, Canon Henson, the Bishop of British Columbia, and the Rev. Herbert Athill, being the officiating clergymen.

The ceremony was made still more impressive by the presence of a detachment of the Canadian Squadron of King Edward's Horse, who lined the aisle during the service. Mr. Greenwood is Captain of this Squadron.

Some of the guests included Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Sir Frederick and Lady Borden, Mr. Asquith, Mr. John Burns, Mrs. Lloyd George, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Amery, Mrs. Colin H. Campbell, Dr. and Mrs. Donald Armour, Hon. Mrs. Howard, and Major-General F. W. Benson.

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We are pleased to record again the victory of our Canadian Miss Dorothy Campbell, who, on the links of the Royal Portrush Club, in May, defeated Miss Violet Hezlett in the final by three up and two to play. Miss Campbell, who holds the United States and Canadian championships at golf, won the Scottish championships on three occasions, and the English in 1909. She learned the game at North Berwick.

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London is already swarming with Americans, by which term we mean people from the Northern, as well as the Southern, part of the country. Some are waiting to be presented at court, some do not anticipate the honour, some have been presented, among them Mrs. F. Orr Lewis, of Montreal and Hatfield, Herts, who was presented by Mrs. Dawson. She wore a gown of shell pink tulle over pink satin Anglaise, embroidered in feather design.

A charming young debutante, Miss Iris Howard, wearing a Parisian gown of white satin and silver, trimmed appropriately with white iris, was presented by her mother, who was dressed in apricot satin with train of cream brocade, the whole trimmed with rich oriental bead embroidery. Mr. John Howard has represented Nova Scotia in London for many years.

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Homesick Canadians longing for a peep at their dear land might well have imagined themselves back again, at the recent reception given at the Foreign Office, by Lord Beauchamp, in honour of the Dominion's Ministers. Such familiar faces as Sir William and Lady Mackenzie's were seen, and Mr. Sanford Evans, of Winnipeg, strolled through the fine old corridors, chatting with Mrs. Colin Campbell. Mrs. Redford, of Montreal, came with her uncle, Lord Mount Stephen, and Lord Strathcona talked interestingly with Lord Minto, of Canada and the Canadians. Mrs. Sifton and Mrs. L. S. Amery, one of England's most popular brides, were also present.

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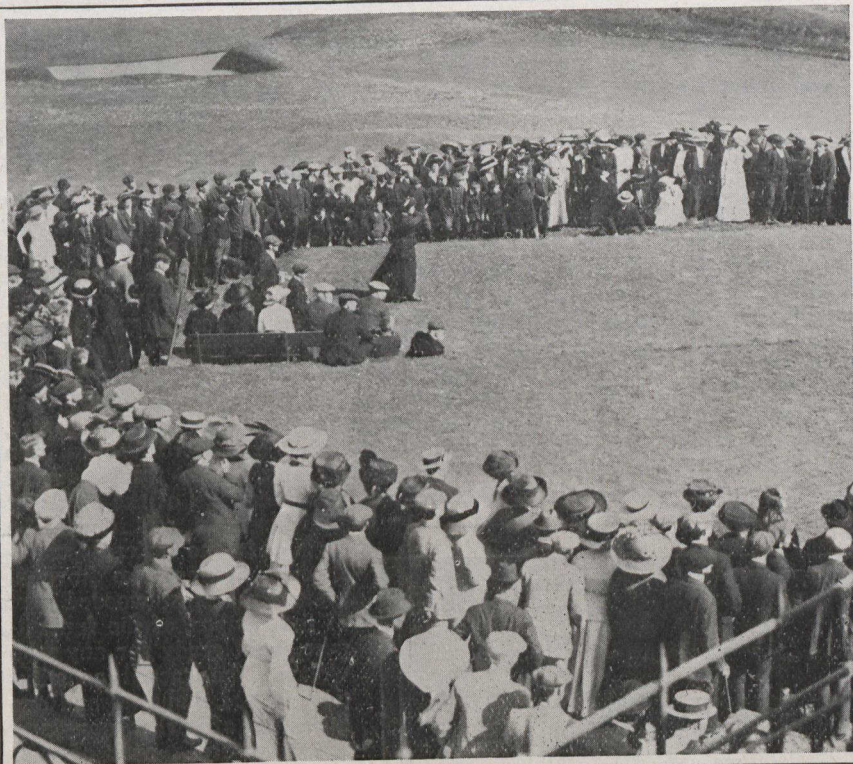
Several Canadians were among the number who were summoned for the next court, some of them being Miss Catherine Welland Merritt and Mrs. James Scott, who were presented by Mrs. Harcourt, wife of the Minister of the Colonies; Mrs. Cawthra, Miss Grace Cawthra, and Miss Ridout.

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Our English cousins are beginning to appreciate the gifts of Canadians in art. Quite a large circle of English friends as well as several Canadian ones were present at the musicale given by Miss Edith Miller, at 101 Queen's Gate. Lady Kirkpatrick, always an enthusiastic patron of the singer, wore black, with a waist-deep V of filmy lace veiling and blue satin corsage bandeau. Lady Allan, who was also present, wore black satin and black hat with white ospreys.

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The State Ball, which was given in honour of the German Emperor and Empress, was another meeting place of Canadians, there being among the number, Sir Thomas and Lady Tait, Sir William and Lady MacKenzie, Mrs. Colin Campbell, of Win-



Miss Dorothy Campbell driving off from first tee.



Miss Campbell holding her cup. Miss Hezlett seated opposite.



Hamar Greenwood and his bride leaving the church.

nipeg, and Mrs. Cawthra. Only those have been presented at court may attend a court function.

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Mr. Balfour's presence at any gathering always serves as a magnet, and when Mr. Balfour is to speak at any meeting, the magnet proves stronger than ever. At the mass meeting in Albert Hall, for the furtherance of Imperial preference, several representatives of our Dominion listened to this renowned speaker. Two boxes of them sat side by side, in the grand tier, the occupants of one being Mr. and Mrs. Donald McMaster, Mr. and Mrs. Max Aitken, and Mrs. Sifton and some friends. In the other were noticed Lady Mackenzie, Mrs. James Scott, Mrs. Grantham, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Griffin, Miss Ethel Mackenzie, and others. Miss Merritt and Miss Gertrude Tait were present, in another box, and also Mrs. Albert Gooderham, with some friends.

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Every ship brings more Canadians to the old land. Every bell rings out a welcome to them, and every hostess seems anxious to include the representatives of the fairest colony, in her list of invitations. No organization is lauded more than the I. O. D. E., members of which are very busy attending to their social and business duties. There was the dance at the Ramblers' Club, by Mrs. Popplewell, the tea on the terrace of the House of Commons, given by Mrs. James Lowther, wife of the Speaker; the dinner party to meet the Duchess of Connaught; the reception given by Lady Helen Munroe-Ferguson, who asked about forty of the members to meet her mother, the Dowager Lady Dufferin, who says that her happiest days were spent in Canada. 'Tis a gala time for Canadians, a time which will live long in the memories of all the old land visitors.

Among the number who have lately arrived in London are many more, who are rushing over at the latest possible moment, to see the Coronation. Some of these are, H. P. Anderson and the Misses Anderson, Toronto; Miss Betts and Mrs. Clarkson, Toronto; C. F. DeBrisay, Ottawa; Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Rutherford, Colborne; Dr. Irwin, Mrs. Jarvis, Miss Murphy, Toronto.

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Exceptionally jolly was the wedding of Mr. Claude Bryan, to Miss Furness, much of the jollity being the effervescing effect of the bridegroom's boyish exuberance. Perhaps this exuberance was due to the presence of so many of his compatriots, nearly all of whom received an invitation. His old friend, Casey Baldwin, was there, with Mrs. Baldwin. And Miss Merritt was present, wearing a handsome gown of grey satin, with an overdress of net wrought with pink velvet roses. Sir William and Lady Mackenzie came in, during the reception, and Miss Norah Casey, until recently acting in one of the big London theatres, came with her uncle, Mr. Biggar. The bride's greatest friend, Lady Jellicoe, came from Gibraltar for the wedding. Mrs. Bryan was bridesmaid to Lady Jellicoe, on her marriage three years ago, to Admiral Sir John Jellicoe.

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The second last court, held on May 24th, was the most interesting of all so far, to Canadians, there being eighteen presented. These included Mrs. Henry Cawthra, Miss Grace Cawthra, Madame Brodeur, Lady Donegal, Mrs. Pervical Ridout and her daughter, Mrs. Adam Beck, Mrs. Robert Reford, Mrs. Sloan Stanley, Mrs. Colin Campbell, and her daughter, Miss Nora Maclay, of St. Catharines, Mrs. A. A. Kirkpatrick and her daughter, Lady Mount-Stephen, Lady Maru, Lady Jane Van Koughnet.

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Old London was the recent scene of several weddings of interest to Canadians. On June the first the marriage was celebrated at the Church of St. Thomas, of Canterbury, Gorin-on-Thames, of Maude Erskine Parkin, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George R. Parkin, Goring-on-Thames, and formerly of Toronto, and Mr. William Lawson Grant, son of the late Principal Grant, of Queen's University, Kingston. The young couple will reside in Kingston.