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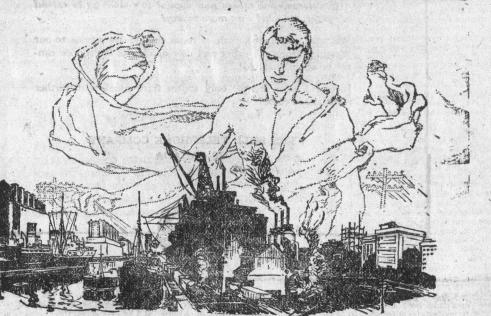
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BEHIND every industry in Canada-

-from the patient truck-gardener bowed over his lettuces-

-to the young manufacturer struggling to prove the worth of Canadian skill and Canadian material in some new enterprise-

Marshall Field Millions Have Become the Centre

Of Numerous Law Su to ~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~

EVER did a man leave so great a fortune so tightly tied up as did the late Marshall Field. The will has several times attacked, but been each time it has shown itself to be lawyer-proof. Perhaps hundreds of thousands of dollars have been invested in the effort to have the will broken, and now a last effort has been made, under the chief direction of Elihu Root. America's greatest lawyer does not base his contention on a point of law. He takes the broader ground that such a will as that of Marshall Field is contrary to public policy; that it is a menace to government, and that if the principle embodied in the will were permitted to continue unchecked it might result in the wealth of the country passing into the hands of two country passing into the hands of two or three men or even of one man. It is quite conceivable that when the Field fortune is eventually distribui-ed it will amount to a billion dol-lars, and it is equally conceivable that it will fall into the hands of one person. Is it against public bolicy that any man should have a billion dollars? dollars?

dollars? Marshall Field, who began as an errand boy, built up the largest re-tail business in the world and died fifteen years ago, left a fortune which was in excess of \$100,000,000. That he was able to do this partly by dobraching citic politics in Citi by debanching civic polities in Chi-cago has been said, and is not exact-ly to the point. No reference to the matter appears in the will. When





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centre that only his own arrest ac-scendants should share in it. His female descendants should share in it. His female descendants who were living at the time of his death had already been provided for handsomely, and the millionaire's sole interest appeared to be in his grandsons. The chief mover in the latest effort

The chief mover in the latest effort to get the estate distributed is Capt. Marshall Field 3rd, but all others interested are anxious that he should succeed. One may well marvel that this young man needs any more money than is already at his dis-posal. He now receives an annual income of \$40,000 from the trust fund, \$70,000 a year for his services as trustee for the estate, and a year are received the sum of \$450,000 ago received the sum of \$450,000, which the will provides shall be given him every five years until he comes into his full inheritance. Nineteen years from now he will also come into

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HENRY MARSH. The died he had two grandsons. He shall Field the Third and Henry Field. The estate was bequeathed to them in trust, and it was specified that as each reached the age of fifty the fortune should be divided, three-fifths of the whole going to Henry. It was provided that should issue before becoming entitled to his share, it should go to the survivor. Now Henry Field died some time ago, the result of a union with pagy Marsh, an English actress. No question has been raised that Henry Anthony Marsh, the child, is the son of Henry Field. The question is, should the son inherit a part of his should the mean 'legal issue''? I the son dive mean 'legal issue''? I the question is a son of the legal heirs to the word was used by Marshall Field, on the rease is not Peggy have henry Field similions. In England there have been many decisions to the fiete that 'lissue'' means only 'legal issue.'' Another question is, should the widow of Henry Field be permit-ted to share in the estate? The widow in the case is not Peggy her of one of the famous Langhorne beit of Arthur Ronald Field Tree, i is plain enough that a mark issue pid marshall Field intend to cut his issue widow cannot be considered his issue widow acanto be considered his issue be at the in the event of her has be at the in the event of her has be at the in the event of her has be at the in the event of her has grandson's wife off from any share in the estate, in the event of her hus-band's ceath? Those responsible for udministering the estate take the ground that he did, that 't was his

years from now he will also come into the accumulated income of the estate, which will amount to about \$90,000,-000. At the age of forty his income will be not far short of a couple of million dollars a year. He has no large family that ever we heard of, and it would appear that his present income of about \$140,000 a year should be sufficient for the modest wants of a young man who has had experience of soldierng. But Capt, Field, who presumably knows his own business best, is attacking the will in order to get control of about \$100,000,000 of the residuary estate.

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