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## A Journalist's Gossip

There was some talk of a general election in the house last week. D. D. McKenzie led off with the statement that he would not oppose the Grand Trunk bill if, before concluding the deal, the government would promise to go to the people and ask a mandate. A moment later, J. H. Burnham, member for Peterboro, formerly a Unionist, now a cross-bencher, suddenly supplemented the idea. "As a patriotic Canadian and a man who never expects to get back to this house," he observed, "I say we should go to the country and let the people decide the question." A chilly blast blew over the chamber and strong men shuddered at the very idea. McKenzie, Burnham and Company will do well to perish the thought if they think that, in this House, there is any substantial concurrence in their election views. And perhaps it is not drawing too much on the imagination to say that this antipathy to dissolution is shared, not only by government supporters, but, as well, by some of the opposition.

A few days ago, rumors were current that, if the senate did not pass the bill as it stands, dissolution on the question might be expected. It was only a flash in the pan, and not taken very seriously. A fortnight ago it might have been, but things have travelled fast since then, some established tenets of political faith have been shattered, ruthlessly, and the status quo is ominously altered.

**Cleaning House** What happened in Ontario was sad. What happened in the Federal by-elections on Oct. 27th also moves some people to grave and discomforting solicitude. It carries the same dominant note of warning that the old order passeth and the country is disposed to clean house whatever particular party happens, here and there, to be domiciled therein. An election, with all the disturbing factors that attend it, would be a bad thing for the country and its outcome might produce conditions of governmental instability.

It is not necessary, however, to argue the matter or borrow trouble because there won't be any election now and, probably, there won't be any till the sweet bye and bye when the present parliament shall have reached the end of its constitutional tether. Then, if no excuse can be thought up for extending the term beyond the early part of 1923, we may have an election; hardly before.

**The Farmers' Chance** Meantime, much history will be made, many things will happen in politics, the Union government will demonstrate its cohesive strength, (if any) under stress; some weak links may be cut out of the political chain and, particularly the farmers will be able to show what they can do. If, here in Ontario, they make good, the effect will be great upon future political conditions. If they fall down hard, the country will conclude that all this portentous upheaval is more or less of a brain storm and that business at the old stand is good enough. From the Unionist point of view, it would be a pity to start anything in the line of a general election till the farmer's clucking hen has shown what she can hatch.

## WHAT OTHERS SAY

(Mail and Empire)  
Whatever other saying there may be under a U. F. O. Administration there will be no daylight saving.

(Ottawa Journal)  
Farmer Drury, after the first had night's sleep he has had in years, concludes that there is more peace in growing peas than in provincial politics.

(Philadelphia Ledger)  
Respectfully submitted to strike committees everywhere: If you starve the cow you can't expect to milk her.

(Kansas City Post)  
Reduced to its simplest form, Bolshevism is merely a lazy man's envy of the prosperity of a hustler.

(Toronto Globe)  
The Government candidate in Carleton-Victoria, New Brunswick, and the Liberal candidate in Assiniboia have lost their deposits. The irony of the case is that the law which fines a candidate for not obtaining enough votes was supposed to be a device for protecting the old-line parties from irregulars like farmers and labor men. Now the irregulars beat the old-line candidates so badly that the tables are turned, and the regulars are fined.

(Statesman)  
So long as the opposition to President Wilson was due to the determination of the Senate to criticize the Peace Treaty, the Toronto Globe denounced the Senators as pro-Germans. But, when the Senate set aside the President's veto on the War-time Prohibition Enforcement Bill, the Old Lady of Melinda Street was wretched in smiles. How can the Senate be "pro-German," and at the same time the friend of prohibition?

(London Answers)  
Superstitious readers will be interested in the following extraordinary story, of which the hero is F. G. Cordwell, a newspaper man:

Mr. Cordwell has been literally dogged by the number 13. It was on the 13th of the month that he attested, went to France, went into action, got his first leave, and returned to take up his commission. It was in the 13th tent, in 13th lines, 13th camp that he had his first lodgment in France. The tent contained 13 men. He had 13 days in the hospital. He was given No. 13 pills. And, returning to civil work Jan. 13, he found that his old room had been renumbered 113.

Now count up the above coincidences. You will find 13 of them!

## HOTEL MEN'S CONFERENCE

New York, Nov. 7.—Fifteen thousand hotel men, being the largest gathering of its kind ever held, are to meet in conference here next week. They are coming from all parts of the United States and Canada, from South America and from several of the countries of Europe to discuss the pressing question of the hotel business—the changes made necessary in methods of management by high cost of living, labor shortage, and the other familiar elements of the post-war situation.

The Fourth National Hotel Men's Exposition will be held in Grand Central Palace. Three floors will be found necessary this year to accommodate the large number of exhibitors.

The hotel men will pay particular attention this year to the problem of the permanent guest. Shortage of houses has forced an ever-increasing number of people to change their habits of living. For the homeless family the hotel was naturally a first resort. Hotel men believe that guests who have once known the irresponsible comfort of hotel life will be unwilling to go back to the worries of servant hire and the winter coal, even after the housing shortage shall have been remedied.

## TO-DAY'S ANNIVERSARIES

- 1839—Czar of Russia issued a ukase permitting the title of citizen of the first class to be held by any Jew worthy of it.
- 1893—Thirty persons killed by an anarchist bomb thrown in a theater in Barcelona.
- 1900—Canadian parliamentary elections were carried by a Liberal majority.
- 1901—Li Nung Chang, China's famous statesman, died at Peking. Born in 1822.
- 1908—Attempted assassination of Sir Andrew Fraser, Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, at Calcutta.
- 1916—Cardinal Mercier, Primate of Belgium, issued a protest to the world against the deportation of Belgians.

## ONE YEAR AGO TO-DAY IN THE WAR

American army captured Sedan.  
Germany sent to Marshal Foch for armistice terms.  
Revolt broke out in Hamburg and other important German cities.

## TO-DAY'S BIRTHDAYS.

Mme. Sklodowska Curie, distinguished French scientist, chief professor in the Faculty of Sciences of the University of Paris, born in Poland, 52 years ago to-day.

## FOR TWO YEARS HE COULDN'T WORK

Has Now Accepted a Position and Will Go To Work in a Few Days.

"Just give me Tanlac and you may have all the other medicines," said Robert M. Sexton, of 504 C. Avenue, East, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, while discussing his case recently.

In relating his experience Mr. Sexton made the remarkable statement that a few bottles of Tanlac had done him more good than all other treatment and medicines he has taken in ten years combined. But let Mr. Sexton tell his own story. Here is his statement.

"At the time I began taking this Tanlac I had not been able to hit a lick of work in two long years, but I am now on my feet and am going to accept a position in just a few days. My stomach commenced troubling me about twelve years ago and although I just tried everything I kept getting worse until I had a complete nervous breakdown and got to where I was of little use to myself or anyone else. I suffered from indigestion, water eating and the gas on my stomach made my heart palpitate frightfully. I could rest or sleep at night and would often get up in the night and walk about town until day.

"I was beginning to think there was no relief for me but Tanlac is fast making a new man of me. I had taken on but a few doses of this medicine until I began to straighten right up, and while it may sound unreasonable it's the truth, a few bottles has done me more good than everything else I have taken in ten years put together. I can now eat anything I want and have no more gas, bloating or palpitation of the heart. My nerves have quieted down and I can lie down and sleep like a child until morning. There's no getting around it, Tanlac is the greatest medicine I have ever seen or heard of and it is nothing else than remarkable how it has brought me out in so short a time.

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