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Editor's Talk

OUR circulation department has inaugurated a plan to send fourteen girls to college and a party of girls to Europe. The plan is one deserving of the confidence and support of our large body of friends in the nine provinces. The competition will be conducted on lines worthy of this paper and the promises made will be fully carried out.

Any reader who knows a young woman, anxious to have the advantages of a college education, would be conferring a favour on us by nominating her for this competition. No one will be allowed to enter, unless she is highly recommended. There will be some girls who could win success in this competition but who may be afraid to enter unless backed by some person whose good opinion they value. Hence this appeal to our readers to make nominations if they know suitable candidates.

We feel that we are doing something worth while in enabling young women to enter a reliable competition and thus win a year at college or a trip abroad under a suitable chaperone. All she is asked to do is to organize her friends into a little band to help extend the circulation of this publication. Her reward will be of such a nature as to confer on her a permanent educational benefit.

We have been devoting considerable space to the navy question in each issue, because we believe that this question is not as well understood by Canadians as it should be. The articles in this issue are not partisan, and contain much valuable information.

Next week we shall begin the publication of a new serial story. This week we present two short stories by well-known Canadian writers, Mr. W. A. Fraser, author of "Thoroughbreds" and other novels, and Cameron Nelles Wilson, who has contributed several splendid stories to our pages. For coming issues, we have arranged for many good stories, including some by the late Robert Barr and by Charles G. D. Roberts. Mr. Ed. Cahn will contribute a splendid Jewish story.

One of the features of next week's issue will be an article on "The Destiny of Canada," by Dr. James L. Hughes, being a reply to Dr. J. A. Macdonald's article, "Canada Among the Nations," which appeared in a recent issue. Dr. Hughes is a trenchant writer as well as a formidable debater.



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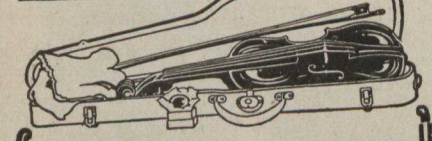
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