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PERSONAL

YOUNG GENTLEMAN WISHES TO correspond with young ladies; view matrimony. Apply Box 169, News.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ALBERT GEORGE GORDON NELSON, DECEASED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to the provisions of "The Manitoba Trusts Act," Chapter 170 of the Revised Statutes of Manitoba, 1902 and amendments thereto, that all creditors, and all persons having claims against the estate of Albert George Gordon Nelson, deceased, who died at the City of Brandon, and Province of Manitoba on or about the 27th day of April A. D. 1914, and probate of whose will was granted to John S. Nelson and William J. Nelson, Executors by the Surrogate Court of the Western Judicial District of the Province of Manitoba, are hereby required to send by post prepaid, or deliver to Clement & Clement, Solicitors for the said Executors at their office in the Clement Block, Brandon, Manitoba on or before the 4th day of August A. D. 1914, their full names and addresses, and descriptions, and full statement in writing of their claim, with particulars of the nature of the security, if any held by them, duly verified by Statutory Declaration.

AND TAKE NOTICE that after the said 4th day of August A. D. 1914, the Executor will proceed to administer the estate of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice, and that they will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons whose names and addresses have not been duly received by them at the time of such distribution.

Dated at Brandon, Manitoba, this 25th day of June A. D. 1914.

JOHN S. NELSON, and
WILLIAM J. NELSON
By their Solicitors, Clement and Clement.

SCHOOL PLANS ARE

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again decided upon having Souris coal for the pumping station.

Instructions to Architects
On the motion of D. Shriver, seconded by W. L. Puckering, it was resolved: "That Shillinglaw and Marshall, architects, be instructed to prepare plans and specifications for a six-room school to be erected on the site south side of Louise Avenue between Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth streets. The building to be of reinforced concrete construction, heated by steam, and to be so designed that by the addition of other six room units the building can be enlarged to 24 rooms and auditorium, two rooms in the unit now to be erected to have dividing walls left out to permit of their being used as an assembly hall.

"Collegiate Gothic design to be followed in the elevation, and this made to front on Louise Avenue with the finished side of the unit to front on Twenty-third street."

Clarence King brought up the question of increased accommodation on the flat and spoke of a visit that he had made to

the district north of the C. P. R. tracks. He found on Stickney Avenue and Seventh Street enough children of school age to fill a room. He did not now think that it would be wise to make the additions to the Assiniboine school that had been decided upon, and he therefore suggested that they should rescind the former resolution.

D. F. Creighton said that he also had been on a visit to the neighborhood in question, and had changed his views with regard to the location of the school. It was very hard to get the exact population from enquiring of the people as they seemed to think that the information was needed to tax their children. They had gone to houses and found women declaring that they had no children whereas it was found that they had a family of three or four, and of school age.

W. L. Puckering also spoke to the same effect, and it was subsequently decided to rescind the resolution and to go in for a one-room school as already indicated.

ROBLIN GOVERNMENT

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block the examination.

The exposures came as a result of the protest by the Liberals of 42 Italians who were registered by the naturalization method at a booth on Ellice Avenue. The exposures of Mr. Johnson had been so timely that the government machine had only dared to place these 42 names on the list, leaving all the others off, including some 200 colored porters.

It was necessary to have the Italians personally present in order to deal with their protests, and so the startling developments did not come until 7.30 last night, just after the court opened for the final session of the day. Before Pickersgill gave evidence, another mighty effort was made by Mr. Elliott to have the hearing confined solely to the cases of the Italians, but Judge Dawson thought otherwise.

Names Had Been Forged

After Pickersgill had been heard, those of the Italians who were present were examined one by one, and it was further revealed that their names in many instances, had been forged. Several of the Italians who claimed to have lived in Canada from 5 to 15 years could scarcely speak a word of English, and had to have the aid of an interpreter. It looked as though they had been carefully drilled before coming into court. Mr. Coyne cleverly tripped several of them up in their assertions with regard to signatures and length of residence in the country.

During the hearing of these Italians Judge Sawson was moved to remark: "I imagine that a good many of these certificates of naturalization were got too easily; it is high time the Dominion government did something to stop this!"

The Judge ruled that the Liberals had made out a prima facie case, and he listened carefully to the evidence taken. As there are still several Italians to come up, no decision will be given with regard to striking off the names until the whole evidence has been concluded.

ONTARIO AGAIN RETURNS

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field, South Wellington.

Liberals Get Larger Vote

The most notable feature in the polling was the reduction of the popular majorities of the government's candidates in the province at large in the last house. The Conservative majority in the two Ottawa seats was 3,377. This has been changed to an aggregate Liberal majority of over 500. In the Midland counties there has been a steady all-round reduction of Conservative votes. The same tendency is observed in Western Ontario, where in the Waterloos, Elgins and the Kefts the falling off has been most marked. In Toronto, too, where at the

last election the Liberals were simply overwhelmed, they put up a much better fight on this occasion.

There was evidence of a concerted endeavor to defeat N. W. Rowell in North Oxford and Wm. Proudfoot in Centre Huron. The reduction of Mr. Rowell's majority was accomplished by an extraordinary turnover of votes in the city of Woodstock, where undoubtedly the liquor interests did effective work in swinging electors whose party affiliations sat lightly upon them against Mr. Rowell.

All Shades of Opinion

The increase in the Liberal membership comes from points so far separate as Ottawa in the east to Cochrane in the extreme north of the province, and the Essex ridings in the west. It represents all shades of opinion and all elements of the population. The Brants, South Wellington, North Middlesex, West Ottawa and West Peterboro represent a purely Anglo-Saxon population, while in a number of other constituencies gained by the Liberal party there is a considerable admixture of French-Canadian electors.

MEMBERS OF LEGISLATURE

Liberals Elected

Brant N.	Scott Davidson	100
Brant S.	J. H. Ham	350
Bruce W.	C. M. Bowman	601
Bruce N.	W. McDonald	601
Cochrane	M. Lang	118
Essex N.	S. Ducharme	118
Essex S.	L. P. Wigle	144
Glenora	H. Minro	144
Huron, Centre	W. Proudfoot	314
Kent, E.	W. R. Ferguson	181
Lincoln	T. Marshall	251
Middlesex, N.	J. Grieve	124
Middlesex, W.	J. C. Elliott	704
Norfolk, N.	T. R. Atkinson	681
Northumberland	Sam Clark	161
Ottawa, E.	A. A. Pinard	102
Ottawa, W.	C. G. Hurdman	102
Oxford, N.	N. W. Rowell	111
Oxford, S.	T. R. Mayberry	31
Peterboro, W.	G. A. Gillespie	201
Prince Edward	N. Parliament	91
Russell	D. Racine	301
Sturgeon Falls	Z. Magau	1001
Wellington, E.	J. C. Richardson	501
Windsor	J. C. T. Coltrie	401

Independents Elected

Hamilton, E.	A. Studholme (Labor)	1001
Prescott	G. Evans (Ind. Lib.)	251
Wellington, S.	Sam Carter (Temperance)	91

Conservatives Elected

Constituency	Candidate	Majority
Addington	W. B. Black	1804
Algoma	F. Grigg	404
Braceville	A. B. Donovan	401
Bruce, S.	W. D. Cargill	small
Carleton	R. H. McElroy	657
Dufferin	C. R. McKewen	551
Dundas	Sir J. P. Whitney	751
Durham, E.	J. J. Preston	516
Durham, W.	J. H. Devitt	227
Elgin, E.	C. A. Bröwer	347
Elgin, W.	F. G. MacDiarmid	48
Ft. William	C. W. Jarvis	307
Frontenac	A. M. Rankin	400
Grenville	G. H. Ferguson	534
Grey, Centre	Hon. I. B. Lucas	1000
Grey, N.	C. S. Cameron	731
Grey, S.	Dr. D. Jamieson	987
Haldamond	Dr. W. Jacques	258
Halton	A. W. Nixon	465
Hamilton, W.	Col. J. Hendrie	1488
Hastings, E.	A. Grant	500
Hastings, N.	R. J. Cook	1007
Hastings, W.	J. W. Johnson	953
Huron, S.	A. H. Musgrove	153
Huron, S.	H. Elber	320
Kenora	H. A. C. Machlin	(accl)
Kingston	Dr. A. E. Ross	1481

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Lennox	G. G. Caracallen	171
London	Hon. Adam Beck	1500
Manitowlin	R. R. Gamay	300
Middlesex	E. J. McFarlan	398
Muskoka	S. H. Armstrong	802
Niagara Falls	G. J. Musgrove	613
Nipissing	H. Morel	405
Norfolk, S.	A. C. Pratt	200
Northumberland	Sam Nesbitt	614
Ontario, N.	W. H. Hoyle	200
Ontario, S.	C. Calder	218
Parry Sound	J. Edgar	579
Peel	J. R. Fallis	619
Perth, N.	J. Torrance	600
Perth, S.	J. Bonnevise	198
Peterboro, E.	J. Thompson	600
Port Arthur	D. Hogarth	589
Rainy River	J. A. Mathieu	200
Renfrew, N.	A. E. Dunlop	636
Renfrew, S.	T. W. McGarry	(accl)
St. Catharines	Dr. E. Jessop	330
St. John's	W. H. Hearst	700
Simcoe, Centre	A. B. Thompson	230
Simcoe, E.	J. I. Hart	300
Simcoe, S.	A. Ferguson	621
Simcoe, W.	Hon. J. S. Duff	1000
Stormont	R. T. Shearer	103
Sudbury	C. McCrae	600
Teniskaming	T. McGladery	1000
Toronto N.E.A.	H. Irish	1000
Toronto N.E.B.	Dr. R. A. Pyne	1700
Toronto N.W.A.	Hon. T. Crawford	3000
Toronto N.W.B.	W. D. McPherson	2800
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Toronto S.W.B.	G. H. Gooderham	1300
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Toronto, River	J. Russell	—
Victoria, N.	Dr. R. M. Mason	275
Victoria, S.	John Carew	500
Waterloo, N.	C. H. Mills	600
Waterloo, S.	Z. A. Hall	231
Welland	D. Sharp	863
Wellington, W.	W. C. Chambers	156
Wentworth, N.	A. F. Ryckert	24
Wentworth, S.	J. T. H. Regan	500
York, E.	G. S. Henry	689
York, N.	T. H. Lennox	235
York, W.	Dr. F. Godfrey	(accl)
York, W.	Dr. F. Godfrey	(accl)

McLEAN-COOK

A quiet but pretty wedding took place this morning at 11.30 at the home of Mrs. J. Cook, 329 Ninth Street, when her only daughter, Margaret Irene, became the wife of Seward McLean of this city. Rev. H. Edmison performed the ceremony. The bride looked lovely in a

UNION OF TWO GREAT SCOTTISH CHURCHES IS NOW STATED TO BE INEVITABLE

AFTER YEARS OF NEGOTIATIONS ESTABLISHED CHURCH OF SCOTLAND AND UNITED FREE CHURCH MAY UNITE

Edinburgh, Scotland, June 30.—Five years the general assemblies of the two great Scottish Presbyterian churches which meet annually in May, have been occupied mainly with the absorbing question of their reunion in one united church.

Union committees have been appointed by the Established Church of Scotland and by the United Free Church, and by dint of careful labor, practically undisturbed by the passions and prejudices of the ecclesiastical conflicts of the past, they have so prepared the ground that the union of these two bodies is now held to be inevitable.

The genial climate in which these delicate negotiations have thriven is a new element in the life of Scotland, and has little or nothing in common with the ecclesiastical atmosphere which prevailed but a few years ago.

Whereas formerly the attention of these two churches was largely fixed upon the conflicting traditions which each upheld, and which had established a wide gulf between them, today they think only of bridging the gulf in order that they may join harmoniously in the high task of religious service in the modern world.

Cconciliation Shown
The debates conducted lately in both assemblies with such statesmanship revealed the great power of the current of Scottish public opinion, now setting strongly towards conciliation among Presbyterians, and showed how a new spirit may wholly transform an old body.

This year the Church of Scotland assembly was the main center of interest, for since May, 1913, its union committee has been engaged upon the task of formulating a portion of the constitution for the new united church dealing with the vital question of spiritual independence, on which so much bitter warfare has been waged in the past.

It was their ardent love of this freedom which drove one group of men after another, from 1733 to 1843, to leave the Established Church in the belief only too well justified in those far-off days, that the Established Church in its heart preferred the comforts and emoluments of the state connection to more vital things.

By 1900 all these protesting groups were at last united in the United Free Church of Scotland, which was, and is, the great rival of the Established Church of Scotland. And is it not too much to say that this rivalry, with its inevitable

results of overlapping and gratuitous competition, has played a decisive part in creating the movement towards a greater union.

More Churches Than Needed
In many towns in Scotland there are more churches than the population needs. In nearly every village there are two competing edifices each half empty, and on the other hand, there are great industrial districts which are grievously undermanned. Such waste of effort cried aloud for co-operation of these competitors; and in what great public service could co-operation be more seemly and more fruitful, and competition less defensible, than in the service of the Christian religion.

These facts came home to both churches; and when the Edinburgh Presbytery of the Established Church invited the General Assembly in 1907 to open negotiations for union with the United Free Church this question arose in all hearts: "Are the distinctive testimonies of our two churches, which we deeply prize, so vital and so incompatible as to justify the continued maintenance of our separate existence?" The answer is slow in coming; but the progress already made is so substantial that few are found to doubt it will be heard before many years have passed.

The answer is partly contained in the nine articles of that draft constitution mentioned in the foregoing for which Lord Balfour of Burleigh claimed, with the overwhelming assent of the Established Church assembly, that they not only maintained the great historical tradition of his own church in the matter of the national recognition of religion, but preserved as well the essential testimony of the United Free Church in the matter of spiritual independence.

Debates Show Trend
The debate in the United Free Church assembly revealed a similar opinion; and though there are in both churches, minorities that voice the fear that vital principles seem to be in danger of destruction, candor must compel even these dissenters to admit that no scarier has yet been asked which the most stalwart of Presbyterian believers in great boon of conciliation and co-operation.

The existence of these minorities must, however, be taken as proof of the wisdom displayed by the leaders in both churches in advancing slowly and exploring thoroughly the ground upon which an enduring union can be established. The work already accomplished in five short years has laid many fears to rest and converted many doubters. Five years more may well see them all satisfied and union accomplished without one hostile voice.

The team was hurried away by a few friends.

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suit of midnight blue silk poplin, the little coat opening over a dainty white crepe blouse, and wore a French leghorn hat. Mr. and Mrs. McLean left on the G. N.R. for Chicago and Minneapolis, where they will spend their honeymoon. On their return they will reside in Brandon.

RICHARDSON-BOWEN

A pretty wedding took place yesterday afternoon at St. George's Church, Rev. A. J. McKinney officiating when Miss Mabel Annie Bowen of 1135 Sixth Street and William John Richardson of this city were united in matrimony. The bride looked very pretty in a cream silk dress with hat to match, and carried a bouquet of carnations and lilies of the valley. She was given away by her brother, Mr. Charles Bowen: Miss Mary Carr, of Franklin Street, acted as bridesmaid, and was most becomingly attired in pink crepe with black hat. The groom was attended Mr. Harry Roberts as best man. A dainty wedding luncheon was served at the house of the bride's mother, Mr. and Mrs. Richardson will reside in Brandon.

WEEK'S SUMMER SCHOOL

A week's session of a summer school in connection with the Canadian Council Missionary Education Movement, will be held at Brandon College commencing next Thursday evening. The conference will be a centre for a large number of delegates from various parts. The conference closes on the evening of July 9.

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