

**Canadian Motion Pictures.**

The first Canadian success in motion picture production, accomplished through the collaboration of strong Canadian financial interests, a cast of Canadian actors, and scenic splendor lent by beautiful Canadian locations, bids fair to demonstrate to practically every corner of the earth that Canadian motion picture production will be a significant factor in the future.

Under the title of 'Back to God's Country,' by James Oliver Curwood, the world's greatest living writer of animal stories who has devoted the greater part of his life to popular fiction about Canada, the picture will soon be distributed in the leading theatres of Canada.

Nell Shipman, screen favorite of inter-national popularity but who is especially known in Canada as the little Canadian girl born in Victoria, B. C., plays the leading role.

The greatest motion picture interests of the world regard the accomplishment of the Canadian Photoplays, Ltd., of Calgary, Canada, as one of the most remarkable of recent screen events. The First National Exhibitors' Circuit, Inc., through which organization 'Back to God's Country' will be distributed, anticipates a gross return on the picture equal to that on any of the most pretentious productions in the history of the industry.

In conjunction with the release of 'Back to God's Country,' a song of the same title, written as the musical interpretation of the feature, will be published by the Waterson, Berlin & Snyder Co., New York City. Words of this song number will be translated in three languages. Arthur Pryor, famous band director, is arranging the song as a theme to interpret the picture when it is shown at the Capital Theatre, New York. Pryor's band of seventy pieces will play the musical score of the picture at its New York premier. Paul M. Sarazan is the author and composer of the song number.

A second picture, entitled 'The Yellowback,' is now being produced by Canadian Photoplays, Ltd., and the third picture, entitled 'Nomads of The North,' will be adopted from the book published by Messrs. Doubleday Page & Company.

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**The Gratuity.**

Study a parliamentary committee is giving the problem of the returned soldier should result in practical and workable suggestions which both the country and men will find acceptable. Actuaries' figures establish that more than \$1,000,000,000 would be required to meet the suggestion of \$2,000 for each man, a clearly impossible sum for Canada to raise. Statements made by the Veterans' advisory committee through representative officials establish that the present schemes of help are both incomplete, inadequate, and discriminatory. Something better must be evolved, and the fairest proposal appears to be one based on length of service, although even that will leave something to be desired in the case of the men who got quickly to France, while others with a longer enlistment term never got near the firing line. The hearing has developed the willingness of the country to aid the men and the difficulty of deciding what is fair alike to the men and the country. It is recognized, however, that present plans fall short of meeting the requirements and must be enlarged to bring under consideration every deserving case.

**Spoke Too Freely.**

"You Americans are too frank, you do not look before you leap. That is why you are poor diplomats" said Lloyd George at a dinner in London recently. "In fact, diplomacy calls to mind the conversation I once overheard between two American gentlemen at a house party:

"Beastly bore, isn't it?" said the first.

"Yes. It is anything but exciting."

"I say old chap," added the first, "why not get away from the infernal place. What say if we jump into my car and take a run down to the club?"

"Sorry, dear boy, but I can't. You see, I'm the host."

**Thrift in the Schools.**

Increasingly insistent is the demand that the schools of this Dominion teach citizenship—that they equip the child to do the full duty of a good citizen. It is not forgotten that the schools have for generations done excellent work; but the experience of the last four years has brought the realization that a change in method and in subject-matter—a shifting of emphasis—is urgently required. A young man may be an expert in arithmetic, in spelling, in writing, grammar, geography, and every other subject on the curriculum and may, none the less, display qualities of brutality, injustice, wastefulness, and treason—may, indeed, be a bolshevik. An altered type of training, a new view of relative values, must come. A knowledge of the fundamentals on which rests the structure of democracy must be a part of all instruction worthy of the name. Education may make or mar a nation—it has done so in Europe and elsewhere.

What are the fundamentals? Honesty is one. Industry is another, and there are many more. Frugality is an important one, and one that is being overlooked in this new country. Canada was built on thrift, among other things—the pioneers were specialists in thrift.

Thrift is not hoarding; it is not miserliness; it consorts not with the pessimist. Thrift is intelligent care of money and resources, conservation for the future, wise and thoughtful spending. The thrifty man is an optimist, for he has stored up power.

And thrift must be taught in the schools. This will not add to the teachers' burdens, for every subject of study can be so taught that it helps to inculcate the practice of thrift. A Thrift Club in the classroom works wonders in the discipline of the school; it gives the pupils something worth while to talk about and something worth while to think about. United for a common aim, they learn esprit de corps. They come to know the value of money and the principles of business; they are imbibing the necessary preparation for citizenship. For the attractive investment of small savings, War-Saving Stamps afford an excellent medium. This plan has been highly successful in the schools of Great Britain, of the United States and of Canada.

Thrift taught in the schools encourages industry because children wish to earn so that they may save. And, more than ever in its history, this old world needs to go to work. Production must be increased. Produce, save, invest, must become the universal slogan.

A doctor came up to a patient in a lunatic asylum, slapped him on the back, and said: "Well old man, you're all right. You can run along and write your folks that you'll be back home in two weeks as good as new."

The patient went off gayly to write his letter. He had it finished and sealed, but as he was about to affix the stamp the latter slipped through his fingers to the floor, alighted on the back of a cockroach that was passing, and stuck. The patient hadn't seen the cockroach. What he did see was his escaping postage stamp zigzagging aimlessly across the floor, and following a crooked trail up the wall and across the ceiling.

In depressed silence he tore up the letter that he had just written and dropped the pieces on the floor.

"Two weeks," he said "I won't be out of here in three years."

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