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### SIR WILFRID'S TOUR

Sir Wilfrid Laurier's western tour had an auspicious opening in Fort William on Saturday night. He was given a reception that was marked by great enthusiasm. Sir Wilfrid first disposed of the Conservative rumor that his western tour was to be followed by an election in the autumn. Taking up then the question of transportation, he pointed out that the Welland canal must be deepened and that in due time the Georgian Bay canal would also be required to handle the enormous grain traffic of the growing west.

Touching Mr. Fielding's statement that the tariff arrangements between Canada and the Mother Country were domestic affairs with which outsiders had no right to meddle, the Victoria Colonist, Conservative, says:

"We confess to having had some fear lest the position taken by the United States at the time of the recent negotiations might be so construed as to warrant the assumption that the Dominion government would feel obliged to consider Washington in any negotiations with the United Kingdom or any voluntary preference that Canada might extend of her own accord to the mother country, or the other dominions. We did not ourselves believe that to be a necessary inference from what transpired, but some of our contemporaries seem to have been of the opinion that it was. We are therefore very glad that Mr. Fielding has defined the position of the government so unmistakably. We stand hard and fast on the principle that the internal affairs of the British Empire are beyond the interference of foreign nations."

### HOUSING THE VISITORS

The problem of housing all the visitors to the Dominion Exhibition is one that must be solved in a satisfactory manner. The city should make a reputation for itself by the systematic manner in which visitors will be enabled to find accommodation in the midst of the greatest crush of people ever witnessed here. The ordinary hotel accommodation will not suffice. It is sometimes found to be insufficient in the height of the tourist and convention season. For the ten days of the exhibition period much additional sleeping accommodation must be provided, while the restaurant service will also need to be greatly enlarged.

The city of Montreal, which is so much larger than St. John, is nevertheless facing a similar problem for September. The immense number of visitors expected there for the Eucharistic Congress makes it necessary for the reception committee to do much more than prepare and distribute a list of the hotels, boarding houses and restaurants. At a meeting of the committee last week it was decided to ask all families with a room or two to spare to make the fact known, and families living out of town will be urged to place their town houses at the disposal of the committee. In addition to this, an alderman who is a member of the committee proposed that expert organizers and real estate agents be asked to study the situation. They might, he suggested, furnish vacant houses and rent them to visitors at a reasonable figure. It was further suggested that responsible manufacturing contractors or furniture dealers might furnish halls which the committee would be glad to place at their disposal. Possibly something of the sort could be done in St. John. One of the most important matters to be considered in connection with the exhibition is the comfort and convenience of visitors.

### REMOVING MISCONCEPTIONS

The following is an exact statement of what Hon. Mr. Fielding said in London on Dominion Day, relative to alleged discrimination in Canada between Americans and Englishmen:

"There is no regulation against Englishmen that does not apply to the men of every other country. The regulations have regard to the fitness of the man for the work of our country. If he is the right man we rejoice in his coming; if he is the wrong man, even though he should happen to be an Englishman, we think he had better not cast in his lot with us."

This is a plain statement of the case that must appeal to the common sense of the people of the United Kingdom, and remove any misconceptions caused by irresponsible assertions of persons who

have not found Canada to their liking. Mr. Fielding further observed that if any Englishman visiting the west got the impression from a new settler from the United States that Canada and the United States should be under one flag, he would strongly advise him to pay the west another visit two or three years hence, when he would find that the settler had entirely changed his opinion. Commenting on this the London Leader says:

"We have no doubt that Mr. Fielding is quite right in this confidence in Canada's power of assimilating entirely the most alien elements. It is a trick she has learnt from the Mother Country, and assuredly it is well worth knowing; for knowledge of it is of the essence of any country's material greatness."

All Canadians agree with this further statement by the finance minister to the London audience:

"I have hesitation in saying that there never was a moment in the history of Canada when there was less thought of annexation to the republic than at the present moment. We have the utmost respect for the great republic to the south of us, but the determination of the people of Canada I am sure is that, while maintaining the best possible relations, the two countries must work out their problems of government separately, and Canada will remain as she is at present, thoroughly British."

It is stated that the pest which is destroying trees at Sussex is probably the elm tree beetle. Someone who knows should investigate at once, in order that steps may be taken to save the beautiful elms of the Sussex valley.

The torrid heat is causing many deaths in Montreal and in American cities. St. John would gladly save these casualties a share of its cool and delightful climate if that were possible. Since it is not possible, the next best thing is for the sufferers to take the next train for St. John.

New records both in height and speed are being made by the aviators. In view of the short time since the first really successful flight was made, the proportion of accidents is not great. The conquest of the air is being made with great rapidity and far greater ease than had been anticipated a few years since.

The mayor of Montreal says he will take no action to prevent the exhibition of moving pictures of the Duffie-Johnson fight, and he is said to have intimated that a lot of pictures are now being exhibited in Montreal which have an immoral tendency and are likely to cause infinitely more harm than the prize fight pictures. If this is true, and Mayor Guerin knows it to be true, why does he not take action in regard to those immoral pictures?

### FREEDOM

Men! whose boast it is that ye  
Are fathers brave and free  
If there breathe on earth a slave,  
Are ye truly free and brave?  
When it works a brother's pain,  
Are ye not base slaves indeed—  
Slaves unworthy to be freed?

Women! who shall one day bear  
Nests to breathe New England air,  
If ye hear, without a blush,  
Deeds to make the roused blood rush  
Like red lava through your veins,  
For your sisters' wrongs in chains—  
Answer! are ye fit to be  
Mothers of the brave and free?

Is true freedom but to break  
Peters for our own dear sake,  
And, with leather hearts, forget  
That we owe mankind a debt?  
That true freedom is to share  
All the claims our brothers wear,  
And, with heart and hand, to be  
Earnest to make others free!

They are slaves who will not choose  
Hated, scorned, and abused,  
Rather than in chains share  
From the truth they needs must think:  
They are slaves who dare not be  
In the right with two or three  
—James Russell Lowell.

### IN LIGHTER VEIN

NO TEMPTATION.

"James, can I trust you with the key to the wine cellar?"

The new butler (faintly)—Certainly, sir. I have seen all the labels.

### HIGH PRICES

Who steals my purse is trash,  
But though it may seem queer,  
The man who steals my daily bread  
Is an honest manufacturer.

### HOW SHE LOST THEM

First Society Girl—I lost two or three puffs yesterday.

Second Society Girl—How did it happen?

First Society Girl—Mother came in just as I was putting a cigarette to my lips—St. Louis Star.

### THE NEW SHINER

Twinkle, twinkle, little star!  
How I wonder what you are?  
Up above the public square—  
Aerial lightions I think you are—  
—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

### HOW IT WOULD WORK IN THE FAMILY

"Johnny did you take that jam? Answer me this instant!"

"What jam, ma?"

"You know very well what jam. Did you take that?"

"That's a leading question, ma. I can't incriminate myself!"

"Johnny!"

"And besides, ma, it's no crime to take jam, because there's no mention of black-berry jam in the constitution."

"Johnny, I'm losing patience. Once more, did you take that jam?"

"Ma, I'd like a delay until next fall to prepare my case. My witnesses have gone to Europe."

"You're overruled. If I waited you might destroy the evidence."

"Then I want a change of venue."

"Overruled. This is just as good a place as the woodshed."

"Can I have a habes corpus, ma?"

"Johnny, you're leaving your own case by all this quibbling. Come now, did you take or didn't you?"

"Ma, I'd like to appeal the case to some court that isn't in session."

"Nonsense. This court is capable of trying it. If you're guilty, I want to know it, and if you're innocent I should think you'd be glad to have a chance to prove it. Are you guilty or not guilty?"

"Not guilty, Ma!" —Chicago Tribune.

### HAD HIS HANDS FULL

Judge—"Why didn't you seize the thief when you found him?"

Policeman—"How could I? I had my club in my hand and my revolver in the other!" —Pittsburgh Courier.

### VACATION

Cook—What is your definition of a vacation?

Hook—A vacation is something that enables a man to get away from home for a time, so he won't have to live up to his reputation.

### DOES US ALL

"Oh! you don't cut much ice," she said witheringly.

But the gallant youth was a literal soul. "I cut as little as I can," he answered; "I'm an ice-man."

### Cut the weeds before they go to seed

and add them to the compost heap. If you wait until they mature seed you will only spread the weed crop when you use the compost.

### The speed of otters under water is amazing

Fish have no chance against them. In some places in India otters are kept by the natives to fish for them.

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## REV. DR. MORISON IN MONTREAL PULPIT

The Montreal Witness of Friday says:—"The Rev. J. A. Morison (Ph. D., D. D.) pastor of the First Presbyterian church, Chicago, will be the speaker at the men's meeting in the Central Young Men's Christian Association, Dominion square, on Sunday. Dr. Morison has been pastor of the oldest religious organization of Chicago for six years, and during that time has raised for it an endowment fund of \$50,000. For four years he has been chairman of the Clerical Board of the Presbyterian Hospital of Chicago, and is a member of the University of Chicago. Dr. Morison is a McGill graduate, and three years ago the degree of D. D. was conferred upon him by the Presbyterian College of Montreal. He is an eloquent speaker, and considered to be one of the most promising of the younger preachers of America. He will speak at the Y. M. C. A. on Sunday, at 3.45 p. m., and an invitation is extended to all men to attend. Dr. Morison, of Chicago, will occupy the pulpit of the American Presbyterian church on the 10th and 17th inst."

## OBITUARY

L. L. King  
Truro, N. S., July 10.—(Special)—There died suddenly this morning at Truro, L. L. King, of Orangeville (Ont.). He was representing Girard & Godin, undertakers' supplies, of Three Rivers, and had been their maritime representative for ten or twelve years.

## J. H. Walsh

Jarvis Hart Walsh died at Guysboro, N. S., Sunday. He is survived by a widow and four daughters.

## Oscar S. Davidson

Oscar S. Davidson of the Customs department, Yarmouth, died on Sunday at the age of eighty. Surviving are his wife and one daughter, Mrs. Murray Dudge of Worcester, Mass.

## Mrs. Henry How

Halifax, July 10.—(Special)—Louisa Mary, widow of Prof. Henry How, D. C. L., of King's College, died at the home

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