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THE DUTY OF THE PRESS

The press of Toronto played the part of an accomplice when it allowed to appear in its columns a deliberate falsification of the Quebec situation by two English journalists. Dominion, but it has had precisely the opposite effect. For France there Though such an obtrusion into our domestic politics at this particular juncture cannot but appear mistaken and impertinent to every self-respecting Canadian, and is consequently without weight or influence, yet it assumes an aspect of importance and a special guilt when seen on the newspaper page.

That the yellow gossip of such stupid bigots could so readily get a prominent place in the press of Toronto, shows how much the journalism of that city has lapsed from the high purpose of newspaper ethics. The worst feature of newspaper notoriety is that while people do not believe all they read they generally noise abroad and spread broadcast all they read.

Any journal that foments jealousy, suspicion and malice between the two great races in Canada during the present crisis does so at the cost of national unity and betrays the fiduciary office it holds towards its readers of cultivating and spreading amongst them the virtues of truth, justice and charity.

The press being the contributor and guide of public opinion, we can see to what extent it has abused its responsibility and forfeited its trust from the following Canadian Press Despatch :

"London, Eng., July 11.-Saturday Review editorially says it is no use Review editorially says it is no use shutting our eyes to the fact that there is a rift within Dominion life square miles of perpetual snow. As some important respects. For some which, unless firmness is shown by great a statesman as Cobden thought places the list of successful Entrance cal study and research. may easily widen into ernments, something disastrously like civil war Catholic Quebec will not agree to Conscription,' says the Review, 'beor lot in this war. They are led by Laurier. It is sad to see a great

that Bilingualism is a religious ques- practice the art of soothing and tion as to say conscription is.

In view of the fact that the enlistnent of Catholics in Ontario more than favourably compares with any other denomination, the charge that the peace of the Dominion for years rot would be much more pronounced. the Church, whether in Quebec or to come and loosen every stone in elsewhere, has not been in practical sympathy with the Cause of the Allies is on the face of it reckless. from leaving Confederation should vicious, and untruthful. Catholics throughout the Dominion cannot she so desire. help but resent such a mockery.of

EXAMINATION

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Separate School Honors, 28 or 56%

Public School Honors, 124 or 31%

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their sacrifice. Parents bowed down THE HIGH SCHOOL ENTRANCE with grief and wounded in heart will feel insulted and outraged: the maimed and crippled for life will feel aggrieved that their loss has been far as English Separate Schools are ignored; sisters, lovers, and dear concerned, we think it well to call friends, will account their common attention to the work our schools are sorrow and sacrifice belittled as long doing as evidenced by the common as their Church is libeled and slandered. and impartial test of the depart-

mental examinations. London Truth writes of the crisis at Ottawa with more open-minded-HIGH SCHOOL ENTRANCE EXAMINATION ness but with hardly less ignorance. Statistics compiled from the results It says : as published in press and from Minis-

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cause

ter's report for 1916 : "London, July 11 .- The political crisis in Canada which conscription has brought about is surely one of strangest of War ironies," re. marks Truth. "It might have been hoped that the Anglo French alliance in Europe would help obliterate the old-standing racial antagonism in the is lip homage and a display of the Public Schools tricolor in preference to the Union Separate Schools., 1027 749 54 50 4.08 6.6 92.6 Jack, but a flat refusal to render her the only effective service in her extremity. It is evident that any of city schools in 1916 were : Public, 70% enrollment; Separate, 73%. This attempt to enforce conscription will a very serious tumult in the

accounts for the changes of relative French Province." percentages in columns 5 and 6. In its superficial knowledge of this vexed question it saddles the whole pupils and 20 Public school pupils opposition to conscription upon who Quebec, whereas it is Dominion wide. Entrance Standing under the Departmental Farm Employment Regula-tion. Including these — and they Every member at Ottawa knows that conscription would be lost on a refershould be included-the above table endum. The question is, therefore would read more than racial, it is constitutional. Public Schools..... 8363 5843 475 420 5.0 7.2 88.5 Quebec does not oppose conscription eparate Schools., 1027 749 59 55 5.3 7.3 93.2 on the plea that it has no share in the War, but on the score of intolerance and a violation of the Constitu tion. Moreover, with the conscription regulated largely by Ontario, Examination again falls to a Separate Quebec rightly or wrongly thinks any school pupil, Merlyn O'Donnell, of Stacceptance of the measure without a Mary's School. national referendum would be as The London Public School Inspector

stupid as the calf that should choose is quoted as saying : " Certainly I his own butcher. am pleased with the showing ; it is It may be well to remember anent excellent, and I am delighted." Those this question that Quebec is rather of our readers interested in such late taught in the doctrine of matters will on comparing results

Imperialism. Even Ontario only with those in their own locality agree learned the imperial dialect a score that the Public schools of London heard Imperialism spoken by our percentage of successful candidates statesmen at official banquets in for the whole province will, judging London, or after they had returned from the past, be under 60%. as titled Canadians. As late as Con-As will be seen by referring to the federation, Canada was regarded in table given above, the Separate schools Canada was of no value to England candidates is published in the order and spoke of her as if she were of their standing. It is not so done

when the guarantee of the Canadian honors taken are their own eloquent cause it will not admit they have a part Railway was proposed in the British comment. Parliament Mr. Cave, the member for We have been told of the survival career like Laurier's sink in the Barnstaple, remarked "that instead in some places of the notion that a cloud of clerical bigotry and parochial of giving three million sterling with high percentage of successful candi. absolutely necessary if they are to selfishness. Those Canadian soldiers a view to separating Canada from the dates is regarded, in itself, as a succeed in their important underfighting in the War who have suffer-United States, it would be more matter of congratulation. So that a taking of performing the same good sensible and more patriotic to give teacher who sends up ten candidates office for other liturgical books for their shirking—terrible prospects ten millions in order to unite them." and passes all of them is thought to popular use. The revised Missal, with which can only be avoided by firm. This statement provoked no word of be doing better than one who sends an instructive introduction by Dr. ten millions in order to unite them." and passes all of them is thought to popular use. The revised Missal, with dissent from any member in the up twenty and passes fifteen! This is Adrian Fortesque, and printed House. Only nine months ago not only stupid but mischievous in throughout in the liturgical colors, (October 10, 1916) the Mail and the extreme. It is the reason for red and black, has already made its Empire said, reporting an interview one or more of the abuses which with Premier Hearst : "The Prime impel some thoughtful educators to the Prymer, and other manuals are Minister found little if any sentiment advocate the abolition of the written in preparation. The latter was from The Westminster Gazette remarks: among the British people regarding Entrance Examination altogether. "Without in the least interfering compulsory service in Canada. There is no excuse for it or for the eenth the prayer-book of the laywith Canadian domestic politics we There may be some among Canadian abuses to which it gives rise. We people, and of all the books of the Army men, but the British people cannot too strongly urge those interhave received so much more help ested in the success of our schools larly as it seems to accentuate the from Canada than they looked for at and the welfare of our boys and girls by other manuals of devotion in our facial and religious differences which the outset, that they are not disposed to stamp out this pernicious ideait always has been the supreme ob-to demand more." In an editorial wherever found. The age of the into popular use, and taken in conthe Globe says, July 13, 1916 : candidates and the percentage of the junction with the "Horæ Diurnæ" "The Globe, in its editorial columns, the Imperial government as well as has constantly pointed out that in a guarantee that the school with school attendance are the only Entrance candidates a hundred per cent. successful is not a poor schoolsponsible statesman of either party, poor and not honest. that the emulation between Public devotion. and Separate schools has had a vital influence for good on both. Indeed this than it has done to assist volunteer recruiting. The criticisms of the important fact was noted by Edgerton Ryerson half a century ago. Convinced opponent of Separate schools as he was on principle he yet wrote ciations of the Toronto Telegram the Winnipeg Telegram, the Montreal "In connexion with these Separ Mail, and other journals that have ate school provisions, our Public absolutely no sympathy with the School System has been established, has been developed, and has advanced and extended beyond precedent, Up to our own generation people the claims and ideals of Protestant lived in imagined security as long as try. In a few rural sections some temporary, or local inconvenience Italy breaking away from the Triple attacked. It would appear that this may be experienced from them; but, in the Cities and Towns it may be Allies it is difficult to see how relig-ion can be smuggled into the present ion can be smuggled into the present from its veiled threatening and tart are not rather promoted by the exist-

merely a "white elephant." In 1867 in London; but in this respect the

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Educational progress in Ontario reconciling. Without the assistance has been nothing to boast of in the Drink. of French-Canadians, Canada will last twenty-five years ; but if it were not be able to drink the hemlock of not for the stimulating effects of the conscription. A plenary rejection of rivalry between Public and Separate the Bill by them would jeopardise schools the existing evidences of dry

We distinctly remember the time the edifice of Confederation. In fact when from platform and pulpit, as we have no law to prevent Quebec well as in the press, the enemies of Separate schools branded them as inferior, and triumphantly pointed to the conclusive evidence of the

now significantly and absolutely dead. The funereal silence is cause the results here are typical, so eloquent. Now we want our Separate school

teachers to do a great thing for elementary education in Ontario. We want them to reduce the average of Entrance candidates, and to increase the proportion of the average attend. ance who write every year. Progress has been made along these lines, but conditions are yet far from satisfactory. Set the pace. Prove that the founder of our school system was but a timid prophet when he wrote in 1858 :- "In the Cities and Towns it may be questioned whether the character and efficiency of the Public schools are not rather promoted by the existence of Separate schools. The Public schools will have to follow or quit-and substitute Recommendation for Examination.

### NOTES AND COMMENTS

ACCORDING TO the Echo de Paris, the Germans had from the outbreak of the War to the end of 1916, destroyed 1,360 churches in France and Belgium. The greater number of these have been irreparably ruined and been abandoned. Rheims cathedral alone has been hit by several hundred bombs, and the marvel is is surely the greatest tribute that whatever. Unbelief is the only sin is the lessening of the number of could be paid to the work of its that condemns a man, just as faith dugouts, so that the men will not be thirteenth-century builders. The honor of leading the city in the

ONE OF THE undesigned results of the War, as a consequence of restoring or replacing of the churches destroyed, is the impetus given to the study of Catholic liturgical art. Under the auspices of Cardinal Amette, Archbishop of Paris, a new association along these lines, the Society of Friends of Liturgic Art," has been formed, the honorary presiof years ago. Till that time we only have done exceptionally well. The dent of which is M. Rene Bazin, the well-known novelist, and the provisional president, Mgr. Pierre Batifal. The personnel of this new association is largely lay, and it is fitting that it should have its inception in France where laymen have for gener ations taken an active part in liturgi

> A KINDRED movement has made its appearance in England also. In issuing their new edition of the "Day Hours of the Church," Messrs. Burns port sums up the defeat of a new & Oates, Limited, have appealed to

shrinks into absolute unimportance?

What is the one article by means of using which, or refusing which, the people have it in their power to turn the scale against or in favour of our arms ? Drink.

What is the one article of consumption which reduces efficiency among our industrial army ? Drink. "What is the one article of consumption which causes 90% of the troubles that harass Provost-Mar. shals and the military police Drink

"What is the one article of conresults of the High School Entrance sumption which is a distillation Examinations. That sort of thing is from food deliberately destroyed?

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THE THREATENED attempt to as-

shirking of the duty assigned them

CANADIAN TROOPS holding the front

etween Avion and Lens have estab-

lished a post well to the north of

any hitherto occupied, according to a despatch from Mr. Stewart Lyon,

correspondent of the Canadian Press.

SPIRITISM

of holding certain lines.

PROTESTANTISM HAS apparently

persuaded itself that war or no war, it must pay tribute to its founder, Dr. Martin Luther, on the approach. ing four-hundredth anniversary of his defection from the Faith of his fathers. "The anniversary should have been the occasion of a great international commemoration," says the Presbyterian, "but the War has spoiled that." Pity it is, that while the War has opened men's eyes to the inherent evils of German philosophy as voiced by Nietzsche and other neo-pagans, it has not also brushed away the cobwebs which have so long obscured their vision in regard to the real character of the father of all these evils-the redoubtable Martin himself. We presume that in view of the projected celebration we may prepare ourselves for an avalanche of old fashioned Protestant enthusiasm this Autumn. If the celebration could only be made the occasion of real research into the events of the sixteenth century, Luther's reign

This new post, he says, is only fifteen hundred yards from the heart of among the heroes would be at an Lens. There are now thousands of end. fortified ruins, formerly houses, in the Lens salient well provided with FOR EXAMPLE, according to Luther's everything essential for a protracted fight. A comforting feature is that moral theology Christians are not the position is a real salient, and bound by any moral law, because under fire from north and south and Christfulfilled the law for us. We have west. Evidence is accumulating that the losses of the enemy are inthat there is anything left of it. nothing to do except to believe that That its walls should be still standing we are under no moral obligation creasingly heavy. One plan adopted

> is the only requisite for men's salva. caught in them when attacks are made and forced to surrender .tion. That "true saints must be Globe, July 21. strong sinners" was among the fundamentals of his doctrine. Upon this he laid great stress in a letter to Melancthon, Aug. 1, 1521 : "Be a sinner and sin strongly, but believe more with the strongly, and rejoice in Christ who its first definite reference in history in the scriptural story of Saul and is the victor of sin, death and the the Witch of Endor, but in the form world. We must sin as long as we in which it is popularly understood . No sin can separate us live. in our day it dates from 1848 when

from Christ, even if we commit fornication or murder thousands and thousands of times in one day.' Built upon such a foundation who can marvel at any modern "atrocity" in Belgium or elsewhere?

ON THE BATTLE LINE

"THE GROUND in front of our lines covered with the dead bears witness to the violence of the battle and the sanguinary defeat of the enemy." In In these words the French official regeneral assault delivered by the Germans vesterday morning

HAVE IT IN CANADA WILL SATISFY IRISH AMERICAN SENTIMENT

By Henry N. Hall, in the N, Y. Sunday World Dudley Field Malone, the Collector of the Port of New York, is one of he younger Americans of Irish blood who have made their mark in nation al politics. Although only thirty seven years old, he has rendered dis-tinguished service as Third Assistant special representative of President Wilson on several important occasions, as at the inauguration of Gen Menocal, the president of Cuba. Few men can speak with more authority for the best Irish sentiment in the consider that winning the war is the United States.

"When President Wilson, in his historic address to the Congress on sasinate the ministers of the Rus-April 2, called upon the United States to fight for the ultimate peace Government, which, it was stated recently, had been plotted by of the world and the liberation of its the Germans, has not been long in peoples, for the rights of nations developing. War Minister Kerensky is the first man to be attacked. A great and small and the privilege of men everywhere to choose their own shot fired at him fortunately missed way of life and obedience, that the the mark, and he has been spared to world might be made safe for dego on with his work of attempting to mocracy, he assured the realization bring further stability at home and of Ireland's century-old desire for on the fighting fronts in order to political freedom. The question is keep Russia in the War. It is likely no longer whether Ireland shall or that he will soon return to the front shall not have Home Rule, but when in the effort to bring the recalciand in what form Ireland is to take trant regiments to a realization of her place among the other self-gov their errors, and the loss of life suferning democracies." Dudley Field Malone, Collector of fered by their comrades through their

the Port of New York, who on several occasions has acted as the personal representative of the President and whose sturdy Americanism has made him one of the leaders of the Democratic Party in State and Nation, was telling me of the hope which he cherishes, in common with thou sands of other Irish-Americans, that the Irish National Convention, soon to meet in Dublin, will be able to settle the Irish question. He continued

WHY HOME RULE BILLS FAILED

'One reason why Home Rule legislation has failed in the past principally because it has been Eng lish legislation which the House of Commons would have forced upon the Irish people. Some of the Home Rule bills have been inadequate, some of them impractical, but per haps the latest offer of Home Rule with six counties of Ulster left out was the worst. That was hopeless. A witty Irishman aptly described it as an attempt to foist half a Parliament upon three - quarters of That is not the way in which the Irish question can ever be settled. It can be settled only by Irishmen, not Irishmen inspired by The question of communicating spirits of the next world has hatred of England, but by Irishmen inspired by love for Ireland-men who are unquestionably Irish and who yearn and long for Irish nation-

ality and Home Rule. the two sisters, Mary and Margaretta "Not only has the Irish question got to be settled by Irishmen, but in Fox brought it before the public of the settlement two great principles It is brought home to us at this of democracy must be respected. time with special force for two They are : first, that the will of the reasons, on account of the book on majority must ultimately prevail ; the subject by a prominent English second, that the rights of the minor scientist, and of the recent condemity must be adequately protected. nation by the Holy See. A short It is of vital concern to the success time ago Sir Oliver Lodge, an Englishof the Allies' struggle for world freeman distinguished in the realms of dom-a struggle in which the United science published a book called "Raymond," which consists of revela-States is destined to become perhaps the most potential factor - that the tions made to him through mediums plans for the establishment of demohis son who had been killed in cratic self-government in Ireland be the War. We are not prepared to made broad gauge with the true say that there is any connection beforesight of generous statesmanship. tween the appearance of that book How is this to be accomplished ? and the official pronouncement of but to the question asked in 1801, is to have an opportunity to speak through her chosen represent-atives, provided that the leaders of the present British Government mean what they say and back up their promises by appropriate action Some men will say that Ireland's historical experience scarcely warrants the assumption of the integrity of England's purpose ; but I for one will not judge of the motives of the England of today by the unspeakable acts toward Ireland of English states men in the past. We in America want to believe that the Irish National Convention will be a real

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cussion, refused. East of Brzezany THE IRISH QUESTION the enemy troops also took a number of trenches from the Russians, and a

HOME RULE FOR IRELAND AS WE foe advance west of Halicz is also recorded. To what extent the defection of the troops has spread is not known. It may have a very serious effect on the whole situation, and utterly cripple any further attempts

on Brussiloff's part to advance either toward Lemberg or the Carpathians for a time. There is some hope in the announcement that detachments of troops have arrived at Petrograd from the front, and in a most businesslike way have set about the task of restoring order there. They carried fortified places held by revo-tation of the task discrete the task secret gears out, he has rendered dis-tinguished service as Third Assistant Secretary of State and has been special representative of President lutionaries, captured and disarmed the occupants, and otherwise gave the impression of being determined to end disorder at home, and to show that there are men at the front who

make the French-Canadians pay for ness on the part of the Imperial and Dominion Governments. We wished citizens of the Dominion many happy returns of Dominicn Day, but we also wish them a clear eye and strong arm to discover and suppress disloyalty of a faction.'

may be permitted to regret the cleav. age caused by this difference of opinion over conscription. More particu-

Here a threat is uttered invoking our own, to apply coercion to Quebec country such as Canada conscription just as if Canada were no more than is an impossibility, and that no rean English shire, or was still seated in the go-cart of dependent, colonial dian War Ministry, would propose infancy. It also advocates reprisals compulsory service. Nor has the at the hands of returned soldiers. Globe unduly criticised the failure of "Those Canadian soldiers fighting in the Borden Government to do more the War who have suffered so heavily may on their return make the Globe and of most Liberal papers French-Canadians pay for their have been exceedingly mild when shirking." It associates the possible compared with the vitriolic denunfailure of conscription with the Church.

With Catholic Austria a Comradein- Arms with Protestant Prussia and Liberal party." Catholic Belgium dying in defence of England and infidel France and with Canada was not geographically Alliance to join her forces with the is yet the position of Quebec. With

embroglio at Ottawa. As well say lecturing, it should on the contrary ence of Separate schools.

the laity for that support which is appearance, and the Layfolk's Ritual, the thirteenth century to the eight-Middle Ages it was the most common and best-known. Largely supplanted time it gives promise of coming back and the Missal it must have an important part in turning men's thoughts back to the past and in rekindling that interest in the Church's liturgy which has ever been There is not a doubt in the world among the most fruitful sources of decisive results. In any event it

> THE CHANGE in public opinion in England in regard to the drink evil may be seen in the following excerpt from the London Spectator, at once one of the most moderate, most conservative and most influential of English weeklies. The War has changed many things, but in none has the change been more radical than in regard to the traditional national beverage, beer.

"What is notoriously by far the

in our national consumption by comparison with which everything else

wide front along the plateau before April of this year. Craonne and Vauclerc, north of the Aisne. Hand · to · hand fighting lawful to assist at any spiritistic communications." the Cardinals who occurred on the whole front, but the form the congregation on Faith and French held firm. An energetic Morals, answered no, and three days counter-attack later enabled the later the Holy Father approved the French to regain some of the posiresolution. tions that the enemy had penetrated This decision is so emphatic and southeast of St. Quentin. The desso exacting that all participation in perate attacks of the Germans here called spiritualistic seances is foron the French front are becoming so bidden. No excuse will justify the presence of Catholics at such meetfrequent and so sustained that they may soon equal in importance the ings, even though they are merely fighting around Verdun in the earlier okers on. phases of the struggle for that for-When the study of communication

New York.

tress. So far the small sectors of with spirits through a medium was ground gained by the Germans have in its infancy, people of education were accustomed to smile at the prenot been in any sense commensurate with the losses they have suffered. tensions of those who gave perform All the crest positions remain firmly ances, but in recent years the matter in the hands of the French, whose has assumed an importance which powers of resistance seem to stiffen demands consideration. No doubt as the foe attacks grow in intensity. there is fraud in many instances of The great fear of the Germans, apparspirit manifestation, but Catholics ently, is that the French will attempt know that the belief that spirits a big stroke with the object of driv ing a wedge between the German armies on the Verdun front and the Aisne front. Whether this will be allowance for imposture, we must attempted remains for the future to disclose. There is some feeling in France against a further offensive on a grand scale unless it is assured of are good spirits and evil spirits we would hardly be inaugurated until stances attending spiritualistic perthe British were ready to strike also. formances are such as would justify PETROGRAD FRANKLY admits a reus in saying that neither God nor the

verse on the Galician front in northern portion of the ground them. which has become familiar through Lemberg. At a point some twenty miles south of Brody and between Low Zorath and Zlota Lipa Rivers the of persistent thrusts. One Russian regiment finally left its trenches attend out of mere curiosity will be or Protestant clergy. It must be voluntarily and retired, according to decisive for Catholics. There is a real convention of real Irishmen, with the Petrograd report. As a consequence other corps had to fall back, the occult and hence even apart from and a Teutonic success was developed. the ban of Rome, Catholics ought to "What is notoriously by far the most expensive sort of waste in the country?" asks the Spectator. Drink. The official Russian roport makes no attempt to gloss over the cause of the defeat. It was due to the fact, it

says, that instead of obeying orders to support the detachments under ally and eventually gave up their is being made to gather together a attack some regiments, after a dis- faith .-- The Guardian.

convention, with no strings tied to YOUNG MEN FOR HOME BULE

" It is an indisputable fact that the strongest pressure which has been brought to bear on the British Government today to grant Home Rule to Ireland—and make it real, honest and substantial Home Rulemingle in the affairs of men is not has come from the younger men against Catholic teaching. Hence active in politics in England and in when all is said by way of making all parties in England. The younger men in British politics do not want grant that certain happenings have their country to remain under the so far baffled every attempt to explain stigma of denying justice to Ireland them by natural laws. Now as there when Irishmen are fighting so brave ly in defense of the ideals of democ may feel confident that the circum. racy for which England stands today It is the new generation which will solve this old problem.

"The one great thing, the only good spirits had anything to do with thing indeed that can assure success them. Spiritism has been a religion which aims at revolutionizing the Government forego any attempt which aims at revolutionizing the belief of the world, and that in itself directly or indirectly to control its members. There must be no hand. picked delegates and the convention must be free from the domination of be hoped the new condemnation the County Councilman as well as which applies even to those who from the domination of the Catholic certain fascination in dealing with representatives of all classes of the country's social and religious and

convention really representative of