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May we express the hope that the supper given to Yonge St. Mission recently, should become a permanent institution? We can hardly imagine a better way of spending an evening than in entertaining some 400 of Toronto's "submerged tenth," to a simple and satisfying meal, followed by a rousing address by the Principal. The class of men reached will never darken the doors of a church, so "if the mountain won't come to Mahomet, Mahomet must go to the mountain."

ELECTRICAL CLUB

At the regular meeting of the Electrical Club last Thursday evening Mr. J. M. Barr gave a paper on the city waterworks system. Mr. Barr is a graduate of Glasgow University and Assistant Engineer in the Waterworks department.

The speaker first gave an excellent outline of the complete system showing the status of the various pumping plants situated on the Island and in the city. The remainder of the paper dealt with the several types of pumps in use.

Mr. Barr's paper was greatly appreciated by all who were fortunate enough to be present at the meeting and a hearty vote of thanks was extended to him.

EXCURSION TO PETERBORO

Electrical Club Visited Works of Can. Gen. Electric Co.

The Electrical Club excursion to Peterboro was most successful. The object of the excursion was to visit the works of the Canadian General Electric Co., which are situated there. Representatives of the company were at the station to meet the team and provided street cars to take the visitors to the hotel. Here, as guests of the company, a first class dinner was provided and full justice was done to it.

After dinner the works were visited and with several of the company's engineers in charge of the various parties, a very profitable time was spent in the many departments of the large works.

About half the men remained until Saturday night and during the day visited several power plants of interest including the Auburn Power Co., the city Pumping Plant and the power plant of the Canadian General Electric Co.

Professors Angus and Rosebrugh accompanied the club making a party of about forty-five.

The Club is greatly indebted to the Canadian General Electric Co. for the excellent manner in which the arrangements were carried out and for their kindness in providing such a splendid time.

STUDENTS' VOLUNTEER UNION

Addressed by Mr. C. W. Bishop, B.A., About Conference At Constantinople

Those who were present at the meeting of the Student Volunteer Union, held in Wycliffe on Sunday evening listened to an interesting and powerful address by Mr. C. W. Bishop, B.A.

Speaking of the World Student Christian Conference recently held at Constantinople, he pointed out the significance of this gathering. It represented the Student Volunteer Movement all over the world; there being present 237 delegates from 33 countries. The fact that the sessions of the Conference were held in Constantinople—the centre of "the world's danger zone"—indicated the liberal movement now taking place in Turkey, and the dawn of a new era in this part of the world.

Mr. Bishop spoke of the great difficulties under which work amongst students is being carried on in such centres as Constantinople and St. Petersburg; and he concluded by appealing for more earnest prayer on behalf of those in the Field, and for the renewed consecration of the great world-service of making the truths of the Gospel known.

Silence is the college yell of the school of experience.—O.A.C. Review.

CORRESPONDENCE

**A Supporter for Dr. Cook
Part II.**

Dr. Frederick Albert Cook, will rank among the most heroic of the world's explorers; but for the time he is the victim of a colossal conspiracy, to which the newspapers have lent their powerful support. After the serious accusations of Peary and his cliques, the world waited in suspense for the decision of the experts at Copenhagen by whom Dr. Cook's records were examined. The decision was that there was no absolute proof. On the strength of that and the mudslinging of Peary, the world has branded Dr. Cook, as a liar; yet Peary's tale is generally accepted as true, though his records have exactly the same element of uncertainty. It is very significant that the Royal Geographical Society's medal presented to Peary was inscribed, "For long service in the Arctic," not for discovery of the Pole.

As Dr. Cook himself affirms, no man can bring home absolute proof of being at the Pole, nor can he be personally convinced that he has reached the exact spot with pin-point accuracy. There are no stars, the sun is only ten degrees above the horizon, the polar sea is covered with a moving ice-pack, and there is no landmark whatsoever in the desolate waste of ice and snow. This frank admission two years ago was sufficient for an unprincipled reporter to cable that "Cook has at last confessed his falsehood, and disappeared."

Yet there was a reliable practical test which Cook carried out with a scrupulous care. He reached the locality where a man's shadow is the same length throughout the twenty-four hours, and that he did before any other living man. For this we have to take his word and that of his two Eskimo companions; but who will be mean enough to stand up and deny him the credit for a great achievement?

It was a grand, ungrudging ovation that he received on Monday night when the Stars and Stripes were flashed upon the screen, and the doctor exclaimed in a tone of quiet triumph, "That was planted on the Pole." An intangible something which gave David Livingstone the credence and credit he deserved, told each listener on Monday night, that Frederick Cook was a man of courage, truth and honour. All joined in a tribute to the man and his flag.

Those are facts, and I have gone so far into merely narrative details simply because of the unfairness and misrepresentation of the newspapers—the tight-fisted tyranny of the press. One finds it hard to refrain from the most passionate indignation when reading this solitary report in the sixteen pages of Tuesday's Daily Star:—

"NOTE AND COMMENT.

Those who attended Dr. Cook's lecture last night just wanted to have a look at his cheek."

"The News" is generous enough to devote three inches of small type in an obscure corner of page 11. Even by "The Globe," the brave doctor in his lonely fight is "damn'd with faint praise" in the lower right-hand corner of page 2.

Give the man fair play. It is all he asks; it is the breath of life to him now that his greatest work is done. Are we of a large University too blind to realize the unfair attitude of the press? Read the New York "Evening Post" for Sept. 8, 1909:—"Peary will wear his great laurels with becoming grace, and will without hesitation share them freely and ungrudgingly as soon as Dr. Cook can produce his proofs!" According to the enlightened American press Peary did not need proofs.

The New York "Times" went a little too far in the bitter controversy, and must now defend itself on a \$100,000 libel charge entered a month ago by Dr. Cook. We trust the Toronto "Star" will assist the "Times" in securing a jury of "suitable" men. There is no prejudice, no injustice, no tyranny greater than that of the proud journal which will not be shown that it has been fooled.

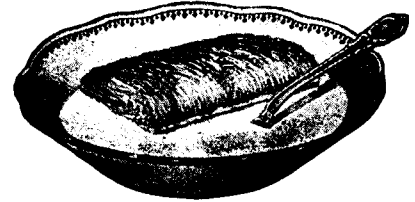
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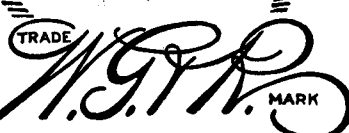
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