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ABSENCE NOTICED

Journal regrets to learn of the illness of Mr. J. B. McIntyre, causing his friends concern. It removes temporarily from the daily ebb and flow of humanity in this city a man who has been one of its conspicuous figures for a long period, and who, as former mayor presided over the municipality with honor and success. In fact in the list of those who have filled the office of Chief Magistrate we doubt whether any has been more talented in speech or more successful in government. St. Catharines has had the public service of many good men, who devoted the best that was in them to be worthy of the responsibilities with which they were entrusted and we believe it can be said without reserve that Mr. McIntyre was one of that class. For over seventy years he has been a student of municipal, political, and public affairs. He has seen the city grow from infancy to the busy place it has become today, and during that long and active period he has held the high respect and esteem of his associates. For a number of years he has devoted his thought, with other prominent citizens, to the welfare of the G. & M. Hospital, and when the Board met again yesterday without him his absence was indeed regretted. The

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Reserves.....\$1,000,000
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community owes much to men of Mr. McIntyre's type, and we have a number of them, and possibly it is no error to tell them while they are among us, that their services and sterling qualities have been appreciated.

A GREAT AND MAGNANIMOUS MIND.

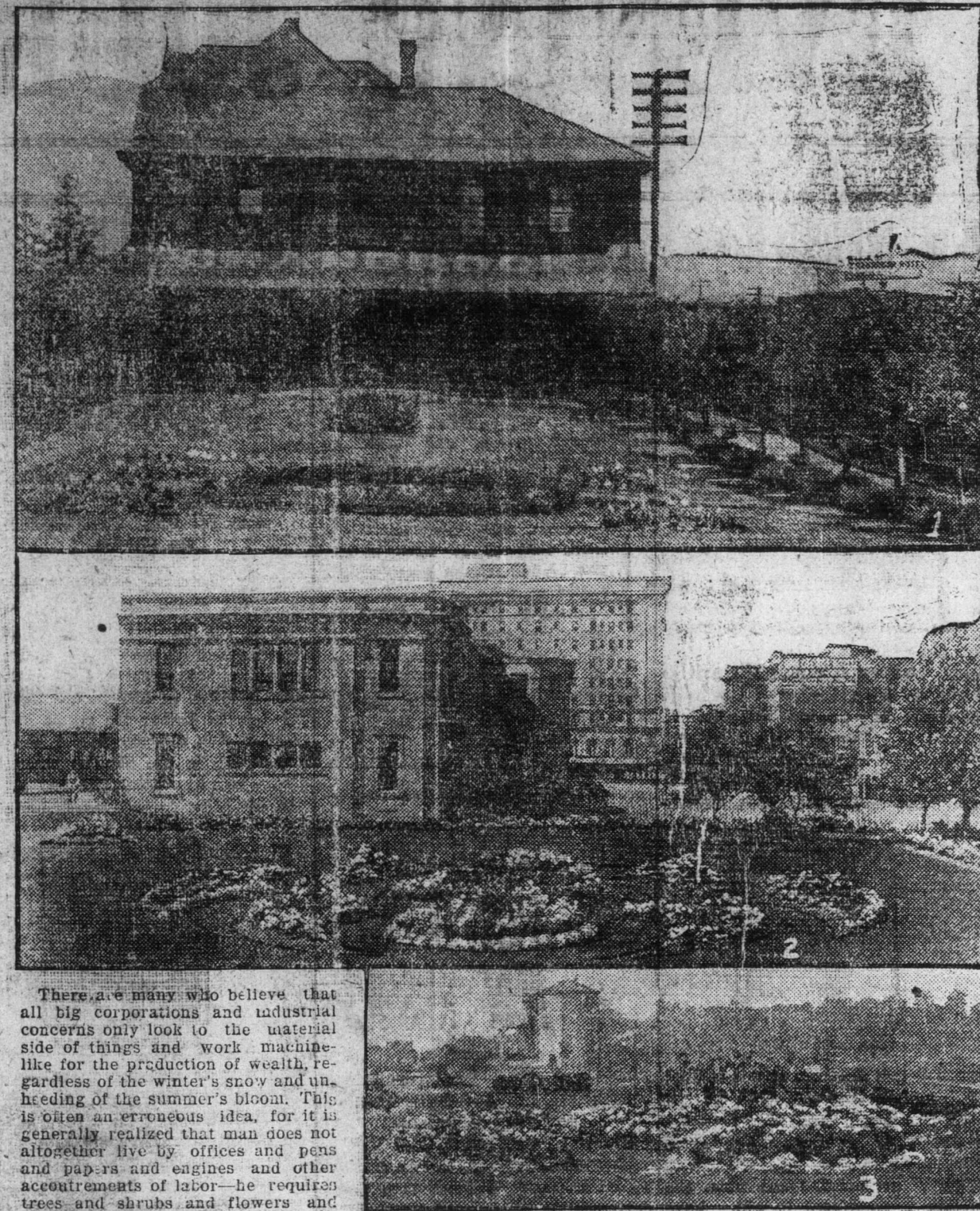
The appearance of Peter McArthur's work on the life of Sir Wilfrid Laurier furnishes an opportunity to again reflect on the career and character of that lamented statesman. It once more reminds us that the greatest monument a man can rear for himself is an affectionate memory among his countrymen. When other things of a material nature are chipped and broken by the hand of time the record of an unblemished life and of a kindly heart remains.

Few pause to think, perhaps, of many occasions which arise during the activities of public men when their patience and urbanity are disturbed by discouraging circumstances and merciless attacks. The tendency of human nature is to express opinions that savour at the time of retaliation. What Prime Ministers and leaders of great parties say becomes history, but the most cautious and restrained tongue sometimes reveals the inward feelings of him who is nettled or annoyed.

In reviewing the memoirs of Sir Wilfrid, one is forcibly struck with the constant graciousness and magnanimity of the late orator under the most trying conditions. Though pierced by the arrows of criticism, often carrying poison and hatred in their points, Sir Wilfrid seemed never to lose control of his speech. The retort courteous was his form of reply. He was large enough and noble enough in temperament and soul to be kind to those whose differences provoked irritating words.

What a contrast in stature politically can be drawn between him and another of his own race who, though at one time dignified with the term "Honorable," has exceeded all reasonable bounds in his statements in

ROADS THAT ARE STREWN WITH FLOWERS



There are many who believe that all big corporations and industrial concerns only look to the material side of things and work machine-like for the production of wealth, regardless of the winter's snow and unheeding of the summer's bloom. This is often an erroneous idea, for it is generally realized that man does not altogether live by offices and pens and paper and engines and other accoutrements of labor—he requires trees and shrubs and flowers and the loveliness of nature.

The Canadian Pacific Railway has always paid considerable attention to the development of garden plots along its lines. It is just thirty years ago since a C.P.R. employee raised a few varieties of flower seeds in his own garden, and distributed them amongst his friends in the service of the company, with the object of promoting flower gardening at the various station plots of the railway. A vast advance has been made since then, and now the company possesses a Floral Department with headquarters at Windsor street Station, Montreal, and a Floral Committee which embraces members from the Eastern and Western lines. It is under the guidance of this department that the various station plots and other properties of the company are cleared up and beautified. Thousands of packages of flower seeds, bulbs, trees, and shrubs and large quantities of glass wicks and fertilizers have been distributed during the last few years to station agents, section foremen, caretakers of round houses, and all employees living on the property of the company.

The House, we refer to the Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, former Post-Master General. Piqued by the criticisms levelled by the press against the indifference of many of Quebec's people in the war just closed, and stinging under a defeat which showed clearly Canada's lack of confidence in Quebec's parochial politicians, Mr. Lemieux resorted to the unusual tactics of uttering statements under protection of Parliament which he did not have the courage to repeat outside. He charged that the Liberal newspapers were "bought" in the recent election and were base enough to advocate what they did advocate because of monetary consideration. He sought to establish that a chain of newspapers almost from the Atlantic to the Pacific abandoned all moral and ethical standards for a few hundred dollars a piece, doled out by the Government. Without discussing the absurdity and falsity of Mr. Lemieux's remarks or asking him if all the siders in England and France were likewise "bought" because they voted for Union Government, does there not appear a remarkable difference between the attitude of Sir Wilfrid and that of Mr. Lemieux? It is not a difficult thing to imagine that the Liberal leader was keenly disappointed over the loss of old friends and supporters, but no harsh or improper words fell from his lips. He granted to all men the right to think as their conscience dictated. He could not and did not allege that those who differed from him were susceptible to the tinkling of gold. It would be as hard to fancy Laurier saying such a thing as it is now to conceive how Lemieux made such a blunder. The only explanation is that that one man was a statesman, with a mind cast in a large generous mould, the other is a provincial politician with the canker of jealousy, suspicion and prejudice working in his bosom.

The Robins buzzed on the mast hits, reaching the Philie hurlers for twenty-three safe ones on April 30.

Travellers on the line observe the happy results achieved. The cultivation work is done in all cases by the employees themselves, who in most cases acquired the art of amateur gardening by taking their lessons from leaflets issued by the Floral Department. The best material is always provided. Amongst the varieties of trees supplied are: Maple, birch, beech, poplar and catalpa. Some of the shrubs are: weigelia, berberis, laurel leaf willow and sumac. Perennials distributed are: Oriental poppies, iris, phlox, veronica, gaulthier, larkspur, columbine, sweet william, and pink. Bedding plants used include: geraniums, coleus, cannas, pansies, asters, verbena, petunias, and castor oil plants. Standard seed packets are given every year for the best displays, and many of these amateur products with success against all comers at the big Canadian and American flower exhibitions.

The Celtic is to arrive at Halifax with 2,675 Canadian troops on board on or about May 15th, and the Ordun, with 976, on the 16th.

St. Thomas citizens are invited to buy coal at \$10.25 through the city's Coal Purchasing Committee, the dealers' charge being \$12 at present.

Troops were called for by the border cities Mayors to "prerive order in Windsor when the striking street railway employees prevented the company from giving a car service.

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