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At The Federal Capital.

The adjourned debate on the resolution of the Prime Minister, Sir Robert Borden, to approve the Peace Treaty and the Covenant of the League of Nations was resumed in the House of Commons on Monday September 22nd.

A splendid and illuminating contribution to the debate was presented by Hon. Mr. Rowell, President of the Privy Council. From whatever point of view his discourse could be regarded it was a masterpiece, and was so regarded and pronounced by all his hearers.

This resolution would terminate on Thursday the 11th. Consequently, it was important that those desirous of participating in the discussion should be on hand and ready to take their turn as orators would offer.

As the discussion proceeded, and the ideas of members on the respective sides of the House found expression, it at once became manifest that the opposition, one and all, appeared determined that they would not give their adhesion to the approval of the Treaty.

No doubt great expectations were entertained of Mr. Fielding's participation in, and contribution to this most important of debates. He had been absent from the House for some days, not improbably preparing his thunder.

out any real meaning in consideration of the spirit and form of the Peace Treaty and the Covenant of the League of Nations. It was to the effect that any attempt to carry the resolution by means of her presence in the League of Nations, the authority of her parliament would in no way be impaired.

Hon. Mr. Doherty, Minister of Justice, who was leading the House in the absence of the Prime Minister, immediately assailed the untenable position assumed by Mr. Fielding. In sarcastic language he held Mr. Fielding up to the ridicule of the Government's attitude, as expressed in the Prime Minister's resolution.

The debate was continued during the evening of Thursday far into the night. No contribution of any consequence was made thereto. A number of speakers participated, almost all on the opposition side.

thirty-two against the amendment. After Mr. Speaker declared the amendment lost, he called the question on the main motion, but the opposition friends did not evidently desire to place themselves on record against the motion. After all the talking had been done they would not like to have the division taken over again.

The front Government seats have in a great measure been denuded of their occupants for some days. To begin with, two members have no seats in Parliament, namely, Sir Henry Drayton, the new Finance Minister, who has not yet occupied a seat, and the Hon. Dr. Tolmie, who was a member until he accepted the office of Minister of Agriculture, in virtue of which he vacated his seat.

A jolly group of cowboys waited at Bar-U ranch, near High River, Alberta, on the 16th, to watch the delivery of the morning cup of tea to the Royal Party housed in the guest cottage at the big ranch, hoping to get a glimpse of the Prince of Wales.

The New St. Dunstan's

Architectural Description

This morning the massive and beautiful St. Dunstan's Cathedral was dedicated. The building is of that purest Gothic style which, apparently more than any other, lends the ideal of a vivifying sermon to what was erstwhile silent stone.

It is, however, the interior of St. Dunstan's Cathedral that constitutes its artistic gem of the whole Dominion, and perhaps, the finest bit of ecclesiastical architecture on the whole American Continent.

On each side of the main Sanctuary are Chapels finished in marble, Green Vermont, Chocolate Tennessee, Black and Gold, Nile-green and Brachio-Violet predominating. One contains a very beautifully modelled and colored statue of Our Lady of Victoria, the other a no less beautiful statue of The Sacred Heart.

The main piers in the nave of the Cathedral are finished in Skyros marble, the main shafts from these carrying up to the ceiling and supporting the vaulting. Moulded arches spring from the capitals of the piers along the full length of the nave carrying the clerestory.

Paonaya marble. The triforium admits of a passage way, along the full length of the nave, access being had to it from the choir gallery. The treatment of the clerestory is very effective, the large tracery windows with annular glass having niches on either side for statues. The whole effect is one of delicate tracery work in stone.

There are in all eight Shrines or Chapels in the Cathedral, three in the basement and five in the main chapel. There is a Shrine or Chapel in each transept, one dedicated to St. Joseph and one to St. Ann.

Directly behind the basement is a spacious assembly hall delegated for the meeting of the various religious societies. Beneath the assembly hall is located the immense steam heating plant, which is installed with the air live system. Immediately above the assembly hall, with a stairway leading to it and with two large entrances to the main Sanctuary is the main Sanctuary, a room fifty by forty, finished in oak and plaster of Paris.

This fine Cathedral, which is by no means the largest in Canada, is one of the finest, and has few if any equals on the Continent of North America. The artistic work was under the direction of Mr. Goddard, of New York, and the marble and stucco work was beautifully done by the firm of Nocenti, of New York and Chicago.

Oak. They resemble somewhat the stalls of the Old Royal Chapel of Edinburgh. The various Commission Ralls, the Pulpit and the Stations of the Cross are in colored marbles and are equalled by any Cathedral in Canada.

The floors of the whole church and vestibule, including the Sanctuary and side Chapel, are finished in Terrazo with pink Tennessee marble borders and panels, and the walls of the whole building have a dado of Green Vermont marble.

The electric fixtures are antique. They are in the form of very artistic lanterns much ornamented and are made of Rignico. The effect of the whole structure when lighted up is a dream of surpassing beauty.

The basement Chapel is large, having a seating capacity of 1200. It covers an area of 140 feet by 90 feet and is 18 feet high. The floor is of reinforced concrete, the ceiling is of Plaster of Paris over concrete, with artistically decorated columns and capitals.

There are two large entrances to the basement, two on Dorchester Street and one on Sydney Street. The building is lighted by electric, with alabaster globes producing a pleasing effect. There are two large Sacristies in the building, one behind the basement Chapel, which has served as the principal Sacristy up to the present time and has a large fireproof vault for the purpose of protecting the Sacred vessels.

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G. J. DESBARATS,

Deputy Minister of Naval Service, Department of the Naval Service, Ottawa, Ont., Aug. 20, 1919.

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