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At this season of the year La Grippe is more than usually busy and its victims are to be found everywhere. PSYCHINE, the greatest of tonics, should therefore be in every home.

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THE RACE CRY IS RAISED IN DOMINION PARLIAMENT

Discussion of French-Canadian Repatriation and Colonization Occupied the Entire Session of the House Yesterday—No Race Suicide in Quebec.

Ottawa, Feb. 10.—The French members of the commons had a field day today, the whole of the session being occupied by a discussion of French-Canadian repatriation and colonization from the New England states.

Mr. Paquet (Liberal) started the debate by moving for a copy of correspondence, reports, etc., which had passed between the department of the interior and the immigration agents in the United States and the colonization societies since Jan. 1, 1908. His speech was largely a plea for a more aggressive policy of repatriation and colonization.

Hon. Mr. Lemieux and Hon. Mr. Brodeur were the principal speakers on the Liberal side. They claimed that the government had done good work in the direction of repatriation and colonization, and that French-Canadians in the United States received every encouragement to return to Canada. The minister of marine and fisheries charged the member for L'Islet with attempting to raise racial and religious animosities.

Replying to Mr. Cushey, Hon. Mr. Graham, in the absence of the minister of public works, stated that the work of constructing the post office at Halifax was by contract. There was no penalty clause in the contract for the completion of the work within a certain time. The total cost of the new customs house at Halifax to date was \$200,000. The work was by contract, but there had been delay owing to the difficulty of procuring suitable stone.

Hon. Mr. Graham informed Mr. Standfield that it was the intention of the government to build a new station at Truro, but it might not be possible to undertake the work this year.

Mr. Paquet, in moving for a copy of all correspondence and documents which had passed between the department of the interior and immigration agents in the United States since Jan. 1, 1908, urged upon the government the desirability of taking steps to encourage the repatriation of French-Canadians who had gone to the United States.

"Our compatriots in the United States," said Mr. Paquet, "have shown an energy and a talent which should make us think of colonization and repatriation. Societies had been formed and were working to assist in the peopling of the west."

Hon. Mr. Lemieux pointed out that since 1906, outside of Alberta and Saskatchewan, the province of Quebec had best maintained its population. At present agriculture in Quebec was prosperous and French-Canadians who had left the province in recent years had gone west to found little French-Canadian communities.

"Not only," he declared, "have we maintained the progress of our population in our province, but we have been able also to assist in the peopling of the west."

He claimed that the Liberal government was entitled to credit for what they had done to repatriate French-Canadians who had gone to the States. Before 1896 there were no agents for this purpose. Now there were many. All expatriated French-Canadians who desired to return to Canada would receive from the government all encouragement possible.

Mr. Monk deprecated any attempt to make the question a party one. The exodus of French-Canadians had diminished but it had not ceased. He believed that a scientific and regular plan were adopted it would be possible to bring back to the land 25,000 French-Canadians now in the United States.

Hon. Mr. Brodeur claimed credit for the government for their repatriation and colonization policy. They had brought many French-Canadians back to Quebec and had placed many in the places of the west. He charged Mr. Paquet with having raised the question for the purpose of stirring up race and religious animosity against the government in Quebec.

The debate was continued by Hon. Jacques Bureau, Col. Talbot and Messrs. Roy (Montreal) and Ethier. The motion passed.

OBITUARY

Mother St. Alphonsus

At the Monastery of the Good Shepherd yesterday news that Mother St. Alphonsus, superior of the Monastery in Halifax, had died after a lengthy and painful illness, was received. Mother St. Alphonsus was founded, Mother St. Alphonsus was provincial of the order with headquarters in Montreal, but years ago she retired from that position and became head of the institution in Halifax. She had been a long time in the order, and she will be much missed.

Miss Helen Burns

Maugerville, N. B., Feb. 10.—Miss Helen Burns, only daughter of Mrs. Charles Burns, died on Saturday afternoon after illness of consumption. Besides her mother, she leaves six brothers to mourn the loss of a loving sister. The funeral was held on Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock at the Catholic church in Maugerville, where requiem mass was celebrated by Rev. J. J. Ryan, of St. Mary's. Interment in the Catholic burying ground at Oromocto. The funeral was one of the largest seen in Maugerville in years.

A BRITISH PERIODICAL OFFERS PRIZE FOR ESSAY

London, Feb. 10.—"The Standard of Empire" in its issue tomorrow will announce that an anonymous donor has offered a prize of 100 guineas (\$100) for the best essay on the "Governance of Empire."

This offer is made in connection with a series of articles recently started by Sir Frederick Pollock in "The Standard of Empire" on this topic, which are understood to have attracted considerable attention in Canada and other parts of the empire. The competition, it is announced, will close in September.

West Indian steamer Sobo, Captain Bridges, arrived at St. John's Monday on her way south from this port via Halifax.

CHATHAM LEAVING NO STONE UNTURNED TO GET FAIR GRANT

With Better Hotel Accommodation, a Street Car Service and Better Railway Connection North Shore Town Might Have a Chance—St. John Must Wake Up.

Ottawa, Feb. 9.—The despatches have informed your readers that there is some chance of the grant of \$50,000 for the dominion exhibition being given next year, and the rumor is persistent that an eastern province, New Brunswick, will receive it. Be that as it may, the people of the North Shore are determined to lose no time in placing the claims of Chatham before the government, and to that end half a dozen or more of the enterprising citizens of Northumberland are here now, as they have been before upon several occasions.

It is a fine thing to have faith in your own town, no matter whether the population is forty or a hundred thousand. Without faith in its advantages, in its rights, in its progress, the community would soon lose interest in itself. Chatham will never die from this fault. The possibilities of the North Shore loom up in large proportions before these gentlemen and they are after the biggest thing in connection with public grants to exhibition—the dominion \$50,000.

With such enthusiasm as W. S. Loggie, M. P.; W. B. Snowball, Richard A. Lawlor, from Chatham, and Hon. John Morley and Mayor Miller from Newcastle, it is safe to say that all of the claims of the Miramichi will be presented. They are conscious, too, of those things which are demanded by a dominion exhibition and which at present Chatham lacks.

They do not agree with the argument that there is any fault with the location of Chatham, so far as the convenience of the people in connection with the exhibition is concerned, and their strongest argument is that St. John has been well treated in so far as government assistance goes and that there should be no selfish spirit there.

To all of which the St. John men calmly reply that it is expected that the dominion grant should go to the largest exhibition in the province—to the business centre—to the place where is plenty of accommodation for visitors, so that the province can receive the best possible advantage. It is argued that it is impossible for a town of four or five thousand, or taking in all the nearby places, a community of ten thousand, to accommodate the visitors who would attend such a show.

Moreover there are some incidental matters in respect to transportation, such as the necessity of railway connection with the exhibition city and such conveniences as street railways, etc., all of which seem to be expected by those visitors who come from a distance and who would fail to see why they should be put even to this slight inconvenience because of the natural situation of an enterprising centre.

There is much, of course, to be said by both advocates, but after all it is said it is probable the New Brunswick members will give the question their best consideration and decide in what they think is the best interests of the province, rather than any particular community.

The necessity for an early decision is, however, apparent in order that proper plans may be made to make the event a great success and one worthy of New Brunswick.

Last evening in the House there was an interesting discussion upon exhibition in connection with the item of \$75,000 to defray cost of exhibits at the Alaska-Yukon show in Seattle this summer and fall.

For the St. John people an idea of what is spent upon these shows, the Canadian building there is estimated to cost about \$20,000, salaries about the same, and transportation and advertising will foot up largely.

The St. John people are not without resources. It has also been the experience that newcomers to the city who, by reason of one year's residence, cannot be deported, frequently become a burden on the citizens. An effort to have the law changed in this respect will be made. It is not anticipated that the committee's recommendations can be dealt with at the coming session of the legislature, but their reports will be available for future use.

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THREE MASTED SCHOONER BOUND TO ST. JOHN, DASHED TO DESTRUCTION ON ROCKS
The Schooner Georgia, for which J. Willard Smith is Agent, Struck on Owl's Head and is a Total Loss—Captain Smith and Crew Thought to Have Escaped.

Rockland, Me., Feb. 10.—While trying to get into Penobscot Bay, to seek shelter from the storm, the schooner Georgia, of New York, Captain Smith, mis-timed and ran her forefoot on the bleak headland of Moose Island, off Owl's Head, and was wrecked on a small rocky point.

Although the captain and crew have been unable to communicate with the mainland and are virtually marooned on the island by heavy seas, it is believed that all made their escape. Several schooners by climbing from the end of the jibboom through the surf.

A fishing schooner belonging to M. T. Jamieson & Company of Owl's Head, sent out to the assistance of the wrecked vessel, but was unable to go close in. Several men reached the island. By the time the fisherman reached the scene the masts of the stranded schooner had fallen and the vessel was fast going to pieces on the rocks.

The fishermen could see a fire on the island and could hear voices. One of the boats of lobster fishermen on another part of the island. It is supposed that the captain and crew of the Georgia, after making their escape, were on the island, and that they were seen by the fishermen.

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WHERE SAVAGES BEAT US

The rude, uncultured savage did not sit most of the day in a padded office chair, a carriage or car. His food was not prepared by a chef. He had to hunt for something to eat. And dinner, when he got it, was none too rich.

But the rude, uncultured savage did suffer from indigestion, constipation, biliousness, headaches, as we civilized beings do. Exercise and the amount of fruit and fresh vegetables in his diet, kept liver, bowels and kidneys working right. None of us wants to go back to the days of wigwams and tomahawks but a lot of us certainly would like to have the digestion of the savages.

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At the monthly meeting of the Associated Charities yesterday, committees were appointed to look into the question of obtaining additional legislation to deal with people without visible means of support. And who become a charge on the community. In the course of the work of the organization there arise cases of individuals who are absolutely destitute, but there is no provision by which they can be compelled to enter the alms house. It is felt that these cases create a serious handicap to the aims and objects of the organization.

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Montreal, Feb. 10.—An anonymous donor today gave \$100,000 to McGill University on condition that an additional \$500,000 be raised, the resultant \$600,000 to be funded for the general use of the university.
No time limit is set for the collection of the \$500,000, but Principal Peterson has stated that he already has in hand about \$100,000 to this fund, including a donation of \$50,000 recently made by the Rev. John A. Macdonald, which was made today, also by an anonymous benefactor.
Battle line steamship Eretia, Captain Mulcahy, left Nantux yesterday for Huelva to load ore for the United States.

Have only one doctor—just one
No sense in running from one doctor to another! Select the best one, then stand by him. No sense in trying this thing, that thing, for your cough. Carefully, deliberately select the best cough medicine, then take it. Ask your doctor about Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for throat and lung troubles.