

We also are Wasters

¶ We hear much just now about the great waste caused by the war, but we fail to remark the greater waste that we tolerate every day in the ordinary course of events. "Science and the National Development," the first of three articles by Francis Mills Turner, Junior, is a startling revelation of what in ignorance we suffer. A report issued by the United States Government says that the waste in smoke alone in that country runs into hundreds of millions of dollars a year. Is it believable? Mr. Turner points to that and other woeful losses in Canada. His article is the kind that the people of a young country like ours should read—now. But it is only one of many good things ready for the November number.

¶ We remarked last month that Thirteen is supposed to be an unlucky number. Now we know that it is. For Dr. Logan's article on that very subject had to be held over. More luck, however, to the readers of November.

¶ "The Legislative Halls of Western Canada," by W. Arnot Craick, will display the splendid optimism of the people of the prairies, while another article, by Main Johnson, will reveal another side of the West that will be found both interesting and refreshing.

¶ The November Number will contain lots of entertainment as well as instruction.

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