

EMPIRE DAY IN CANADA

A Valuable and Illuminating Catechism on the Day and Its Importance, and on the Greatness and Extent of the British Empire.

THE BRITISH EMPIRE—ITS SIZE AND POPULATION.

Q. How large is the British Empire? A. About 12 million square miles, or one-fifth of the earth's surface. Britain thus leads the world in area, Russia coming second with 8 million square miles; United States third, with 3,623,000.

THE SUB-DIVISION OF THE EMPIRE'S POSSESSIONS.

Q. How many dominions, colonies and dependencies comprise the British Empire? A. 72.

KING EDWARD—HIS TITLE AND REIGN.

Q. What is the full title of King Edward? A. His Most Excellent Majesty, Edward the Seventh, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and of all the British Dominions beyond the seas, King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

them; and to inspire them with determination to do their duty. Q. When is it celebrated? A. In Canada, on the last school day before May 24th. In the other Dominions of the Empire and in Great Britain, on May 24th.

EMPIRE FIRST.

By John Talon-Levesqueur. Shall we break the plight of youth, And pledge us to an alien law? Not we hold our faith and truth, Trusting to the God above.

CANADA'S RELATION TO THE EMPIRE.

Q. What is Canada's relation to the Empire? A. "Daughter am I in my mother's house, but mistress in my own."—Kipling.

does Canada include? A. Canada contains one-third of the area of the British Empire, or 3,744,893 square miles. Canada is as large as thirty British Isles, twice the size of British India, and one-third larger than Australia.

THE EMPIRE'S "MOTHER OF PARLIAMENTS."

Q. How many legislators has the United Kingdom? A. 1,302, viz., 632 peers and 670 members of the House of Commons.

THE TRADE OF THE EMPIRE.

Q. What is the value of the Empire's total trade? A. £1,906,726,000 (in 1906) or 9 billion dollars. About 73 per cent. was with foreign lands, and 26 per cent. between parts of the Empire.

THE SHIPPING OF THE EMPIRE.

Q. How does the Empire rank in shipping? A. It owns or controls about one-half the shipping of the world, viz., a mercantile marine tonnage of 11,961,381.

Canada is already helping to feed the motherland with her surplus products, and is destined to become "the granary of the Empire."

CANADIANS WHO HAVE RECEIVED TITLES FROM THE BRITISH CROWN.

Q. How many titled Canadians are there? A. 98 in all, viz., 7 peers, 4 baronets, 2 G.C.M.G.'s, 22 K.C.M.G.'s, 17 K.B.'s, 46 Companions and Members of the Orders of Knighthood.

THE BRITISH ARMY—ITS SIZE.

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CANADA'S TRADE WITH GREAT BRITAIN.

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THE TRADE AND REVENUE OF THE UNITED KINGDOM.

Q. What is the total annual revenue of the British Isles, and how raised? A. £144,860,000, or 700 million dollars. The estimated receipts from taxation in the United Kingdom for the years 1906-7 are:

THE BRITISH NAVY—ITS COST A. SIZE.

Q. What is the naval expenditure of the British Empire? A. £33,575,000 in 1906, or about 165 million dollars. United States comes second with 100 million dollars; Germany third, with 65 million dollars; France fourth, with 60 million dollars.

Q. What is Canada's relative area in the Empire?

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Q. How much of this sum did the Dominions and Colonies contribute? A. £440,366, or a little over 2 million dollars, viz.:

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HIS MAJESTY, KING EDWARD VII.

WILCOX BROTHERS

BARGAIN LIST for Thursday, Friday and Saturday

If you want any of the Lines Advertised in this List Now is Your Chance to Get Them

Table listing men's clothing items such as White Handkerchiefs, Neckties, Shirts, and Trousers with their respective sale prices.

In Boys' Department.

Table listing boys' clothing items such as Two-Piece Suits, Buster Brown Suits, and Three-Piece Suits.

Men's Hat Department.

Table listing men's hats including Hard Hats, Soft Hats, and Straw Hats.

In Shoe Department.

Table listing men's shoes such as Tan Oxfords, Patent Oxfords, and Women's Patent Oxfords.

Ladies' Clothing Department.

Table listing ladies' clothing items such as White Allover Silk Lined Waists, White Allover Silk Lined Waists, and White Allover Silk Lined Waists.

Ladies' Hat Department.

Table listing ladies' hats including P. C. and D. A. Corsets, and various styles of hats.

In Shoe Department.

Table listing ladies' shoes such as Fancy Lace Collars, Fancy Lace Collars, and various styles of shoes.

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WILCOX BROTHERS

SMOKE 10¢ NUF SED 3 FOR 25¢ THE CIGARS OF QUALITY

DEMAND THE BEST SMOKE GAMBLIO CLEAR HAVANA 10¢

SPORTS OF THE DAY

JAMES RECTOR IS A SPRINTING MARVEL Goes Hundred Yards in 9.2-5 in Face of Powerful Breeze

JACK CALEY IN HARD LUCK Former Manager of Eddie Conroy and Well Known Here had Troubles of His Own but Made Good.

THE RING JOE GAINS TO MEET NELSON ON JULY 4

BASEBALL DAVE BRAIN SIGNS WITH CINCINNATI

ATHLETIC YALE LIKELY FACTOR IN CHAMPIONSHIP

AQUATIC FORTY CREWS ENTERED FOR PHILA. REGATTA

NATIONAL LEAGUE At St. Louis—St. Louis 1, New York 0

AMERICAN LEAGUE At Washington—Washington-Chicago, rain

EASTERN LEAGUE At Rochester—Rochester 7, Rochester 1

JUNIOR BASEBALL Sporting Editor Times: In your issue of the 20th inst.

Rich Color and Soft Skin May be imitated, but beauty is more than skin deep—it is hidden in the blood.

CATCHER PUNCHES UMPIRE Springfield, May 20.—Springfield won an up-bill game to-day from Holyoke, 2 to 1.

Mrs. Elk, wife of Capt. Alfred Elk, died at 10 o'clock last night at her home, 205 St. George's street.

PEACE REIGNS IN OTTAWA HOUSE NOW

No Further Opposition to Civil Government Estimates—A Compromise on Aylesworth Bill Under Way.

Ottawa, May 20.—Peace and harmony reigned in the commons today. The civil government estimates were taken up and the appropriations were put through for the Northwest Mounted Police, militia and office department.

That a compromise on the Aylesworth bill is under way is fairly to be assumed. It is said that Sir Wilfrid Laurier has agreed to abandon the objectionable features of the bill.

It will doubtless be found that the amended bill will accept the provincial list, the allocation of voters in registration districts intersected by federal constituency boundaries will be done by county judges.

That for districts untouched by those boundaries the local districts will be accepted for federal election purposes.

On Monday next, a 12-ounce bout between Larry Toppo and Bill McKinnon will be held.

INTER COLLEGIATE RECORDS AND THOSE WHO HOLD THEM

The Montreal Transcript gives the following intercollegiate records for record holders which is of interest at this time:

100-yd. dash—V. Black, Mt. A., 12.5 sec. 200-yd. dash—V. Black, Mt. A., 23.1 sec.

400-yd. dash—Ridgely, U. N. B., 59 sec. 800-yd. dash—Ridgely, U. N. B., 1:38.14 sec.

1 mile race—T. Atkinson, Mt. A., 15:54 sec. Running high jump—Rosen, A. C. T., 7 ft. 7 in.

Pole vault—Marr, Mt. A., 30 ft. Putting—Jones, A. C. T., 115 ft. 2 1/2 in. Hammer throw—Jones, A. C. T., 115 ft. 2 1/2 in.

THE REGULATIONS FOR CAMP SUSSEX

Ottawa, May 20.—Militia rules announce that the camp at Sussex, N. B., will be held between June 20th and July 4th.

Camp commandant, D. O. C., M. D., No. 8; orderly officer, Capt. J. McArthur, 62nd Regiment; Chief Staff officer, D. S. O. M. D. No. 8; D. A. A. General, C. C. O. M. D. No. 8; Senior A. S. C. officer, Major A. D. Marnie, No. 7 Company, C. A. S. C.; Principal Medical Officer, P. O. M. D. No. 8; Senior A. S. C. officer, Major A. D. Marnie, No. 7 Company, C. A. S. C.; Principal Medical Officer, P. O. M. D. No. 8; Senior A. S. C. officer, Major A. D. Marnie, No. 7 Company, C. A. S. C.

THE HOUSE WENT INTO COMMITTEE

The house went into committee, Mr. Woods in the chair, and considered bills in reference to confirming debentures issued by school trustees.

On the item for the maintenance of the provincial hospitals, Mr. Fenwick moved to collect from the different parishes the amount due from them for the maintenance of the same.

Mr. Fenwick said that in addition to the new law, consideration should be given to the provisions of the act for the purpose of maintenance.

London, May 20.—King Edward will shortly spend a week with the Emperor and Empress at Portsmouth on May 29 at the conclusion of President Fallières' visit to London.

Canada was the first colony of the Empire to establish the penny post.

Canada's postal surplus for 1925 was \$1,000,000.

TO SUFFER FROM HEADACHES MAKES LIFE MISERABLE

It takes a person that has had and is subject to headaches to describe the suffering which attends them.

The majority of cases are caused by constipation and dyspepsia. The dull throbbing, the intense pain, sometimes in one part, sometimes in another, and then over the whole head, varying in its severity by the cause which brings it on, purely indicates that there is something the matter with the stomach or bowels.

It has proven a specific for the malady in all its forms.

Mr. Wm. R. Gilchrist, New Mills, N.D., writes: "I was troubled for years with constipation and headaches, but after using four bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters I am completely cured."

For sale at all Druggists and Dealers.

FREE COURSE FOR NEW BRUNSWICK TEACHERS

Prof. J. W. Robertson Offers to Give One Dozen Teachers Free Agricultural Tuition at Macdonald College.

Fredericton, N. B., May 20.—Prof. J. W. Robertson, dean of Macdonald College, addressed a large audience in the Legislative Building this evening.

He told the successful work accomplished by the Macdonald College extended an invitation to the teachers, to take a year's course.

On conducting a hearty vote of thanks was passed to the lecturer, moved by Dr. Robertson.

WHAT IT WILL COST TO PUT THE SCHOOLS IN SHAPE

Architect Brodie Estimates That to Carry Out Suggestions of Committee on Safety Will Require \$13,500.

It will cost \$13,500 to make the schools of the city safe for the children, according to the estimate of the architect.

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St. Petersburg, May 20.—A duel which had been arranged to take place Thursday morning between M. Guopoff, the Octoberist leader, and Professor Paul Milukoff, leader of the Constitutional Democrats, has been called off, thanks to influential members of the Duma.

Large Arranged and Called Off

Unexpected Visitors are always welcome when you have bread in the home made from

PURITY FLOUR It makes bread tasty and nourishing.

WESTERN CANADA FLOUR MILLS CO., LIMITED MILLS AT WINNIPEG, GODEFRICH AND BRANDON

SHOE POLISH is a welcome increase in stock to every grocer.

It is the best, quickest and blackest polish made, and the quickest and readiest seller.

Black and All Colors 10c and 25c tins

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