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CANADA AND THE ST. LAWRENCE

The publication of the note from the Prime Minister of Canada refusing for the present to enter into negotiations over a convention for the execution of the St. Lawrence waterway project is a sharp reminder that the famous proposal is, after all, an international affair. It is a point which seems sometimes to be overlooked by the American proponents of the plan. When, after a long series of studies extending back over many years, the second point engineering board finally brought in its favorable report at the end of last year, and when Mr. Hoover, as chairman of the American advisory commission on the economic and national aspects of the project, had presented this report to the President with the recommendation that an agreement should at once be negotiated with Canada it seemed that the greatest obstacles to the project had been overcome. The economic and engineering practicability of the scheme appeared to be promising, opposition in the Eastern sections of the country was fading before the distresses of the West and the support of the Administration was definitely pledged. All factors were favorable except one thing—the opinion in Canada.

It was noticed that the reception of Mr. Hoover's report in Canada was not enthusiastic. Mr. King's Liberal government, which had just extricated itself from disaster, found its most solid support in Quebec Province, and Quebec has consistently opposed a project which is thought to threaten the supremacy of its chief city. It has even been argued that the Canadian government could not legally carry out the canalization without the assent of the province. At the time Montreal newspapers pointed out that the joint engineering board was divided as between the American and Canadian representatives, and that the Canadian advisory commission, unlike the American one, had failed to bring in its report. Difficulties were emphasized; it was said that Ontario could find the power which it wants elsewhere than in the St. Lawrence, and that the Western wheat provinces were more interested in the Hudson Bay than the St. Lawrence route. The Canadian railroads, which carry some 150,000,000 bushels of grain annually from the upper lake region, were not favorable. Against this background it is easy to understand Premier King's hesitation. The differences between the American and Canadian members of the engineering commission to which he points do not in themselves seem a very formidable obstacle. But as American opinion has been growing more favorable Canadian opinion seems to have been growing more cautious. Since the Hoover report there have come suggestions that the Canadian government might use the St. Lawrence as a bargaining point in other issues with the United States, such as those raised by our tariffs or the drainage canal controversy. And there have been fears lest the United States gain too much control over Canada's national river highway.

The St. Lawrence canal is an international project, containing the seeds of difficulty which international projects frequently do contain. When the Canadian advisory commission has reported we shall have a better understanding of their importance, but in the mean time we must not forget that this is a joint enterprise with another nation and that in prosecuting it the other nation's wishes will always have to be studied.—N.Y. Herald Tribune.

Lonely Places

I glimpse them here and there. High on a hill,
 But half revealed, calm and serenely still,
 As I flash swiftly by, a lonely spot is unaware how fortunate its lot—
 Wood creatures only know its charm and mystery,
 No human eye will ever all its beauty see.

When winter wraps the earth in shawls of white,
 The virgin forests call me through the night,
 Midsummer moons off point a finger where
 A lifted wing alone stirs saucy air.
 I lie awake and, through the darkness,
 Visions steal
 Of cliffs whose coolness human hands will never feel.

The dawn intrigues me. Safe from alien view,
 The modest woodland flowers are filled with dew,
 The twilight hour which veils the fading west,
 Enchants with thoughts of every hidden nest.
 And when rain falls I turn from near-by faces,
 My heart goes questing far to lonely places.

—Kalfus Gurts Gussling.

A girl in Hamilton, Ont., has never been absent or tardy from school in 14 years. There's a girl who will make some man a good alarm clock.

A mixed metaphor is forgivable, but beware of slang.—Dr. J. Herbert Low, Principal of Erasmus High School.

Men are like mosquitoes, easier to catch after a full meal.

3 MILES

Talks' Union.
 A energetic speaker at an election meeting lashed himself into a frenzy.
 "And are you—honest, hard-working Canadians like you—are you, I ask you again, going to take all this lying down?"
 "No!" shouted a voice from the back of the hall; "the reporters are doing that."
 What's the Difference?
 Tourist—"Think of it! Two hundred miles from nowhere and the engine is missing."
 His Wife—"Don't mind, dear, nobody'll know the difference; they can't see it under the hood, anyhow."
 Nothing To It.
 Jim—"Hello, where have you been?"
 Jack—"To see my folks."
 Jim—"And how did you find them?"
 Jack—"Easy. You see, I know where they lived."
 Did't Help.
 Housewife—"Why don't you try working if you are hungry?"
 Tramp—"I did once, madam, but it only made me hungrier."
 Phillida had gone to an exhibition of pictures. Not that she knew anything about art, but it was the thing to do. "Hello, Miss Phillida," said a clever young artist, as she stood gazing at an oil painting. "I see you are interested in art." Phillida turned her lovely, vacant eyes on the speaker. "Me?" she said. "Art who?"
 "I'm going to get married, ma'am," said the colored chore man. "You are?"
 "I hope it's a good match, Miss." "It's a fine match, ma'am. She has four houses." "Four houses. What kind?" "Where she does the washin', ma'am."
 "That nephew of yours who has just come home from college—what began?" "She is so smart," replied Farmer Plumbligate, "that he shows symptoms of being able to make his own living even if he has been to college."
 Two men were having an argument as to their respective strengths. "Why," said the first, "every morning before breakfast I get a bucket and pull up 90 gallons of water from the well."
 "That's nothing," retorted the other. "I get a boat every morning and pull up the river."
 A man charged with throwing a hook at an official in a public library was dismissed with a caution. The magistrate evidently considered the library was lucky to get the hook back anyhow.
 First Tramp (reading an old newspaper)—"Here's a story about a cow who did no work for thirty years."
 Second Tramp (wearily)—"Oh, don't talk shop."
 Notice posted in a Swiss hotel—"Strange gentlemen will please not to dress for dinner, as this costume flatters the scale of the maid folk and no work is resulted. Humbly asked."

WEAK AND NERVOUS

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"Twelve men were entombed, and the reserve party labored under great difficulty for ten days to break out and make a new gallery. When at last they got through they discovered the bodies of the imprisoned men, who had collected near the block to listen for sounds of rescue work, and had all been suffocated, as this point, happening to be the lowest, was a pit of foul air.

"But one man, a miner by trade, had stayed in a higher part of the gallery, and he was found alive. He owed his life to finding half a pint of water in a bottle, which he kept taking into his mouth and returning to the flask."

This incident, with 200 pages of others, is told in "The Battle Book of Ypres," compiled by Miss Beatrice Brice, with the assistance of Lieut. General Sir William Pulteney, and a foreword by Field-Marshal Lord Plumer. The volume is published "as a memorial book of Ypres in furtherance of the aims of the Ypres League."

No such record has been made before, and it will probably be treasured by those who read it like a family Bible or an old copy of Homer.

Captain Thomas Drake, of Seattle, Washington, who sailed alone from Charleston, S.C., April 23, in a 25-foot boat and landed in Plymouth, England, June 20th, pulled a stunt that is not to be sneezed at.

Heard in a Pennsylvania Dutch country on a street car as a bonneted Amish woman paid her fare. "Conductor, I want off vere the car handle."

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