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God's in His heaven. All's r' ht with the world

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Future Homes for the White Man.

The address of Dr. J. Scott Keltie

president of the geographical section

of the British Association for the Ad

vancement of Science, at the opening

of the meeting now in pro Toronto, referred to many de land since Queen Victoria ascended the throne! Whole continents ther almost unknown, have now been explored in great part, and the science of oceanography has been developed as a result of the Challenger expedition. But Dr. Scott Keltie, like all earnest investigators, finds that much an inexhaustible field for the investi almost every section of the habitable globe and in the great waters In Southern and Centre Arabia, in the remarkable mountainous region of mysterious Thibet, in the great Taki-Makan desert of Chinese Turkestan-once inhabited, now empty and ferbidding-on the Siberian seacoast, and in many parts of China. Sumatra, Borneo, and the Philippines abundance of work for explorers. In Darkest Asia, within the of many of us, a remarkable transformation has taken place. The the continent has been exgreat rivers, lakes and mounthe maps, and the territory parceled out among the European nao the west and northwest of Lak Rudolf, on the Upper Nile, is a region of considerable extent which is still practically unknown. In the Western and Central Sahara there are also regions which have never been traversed, and in the Libyan desert much to be done that will well repay the explorer, as was proved by Mr. Cooper, an English traveler, who poli coast miles of magnificent ruins and much to correct on our maps.

northern half has been very well exothers, but he points out that though of the far north, something like a million square miles of Canadian territory is yet unexplored. The United States has also been well surveyed by the geographer and the geologist. It is in South America where the earnest investigator of forests, rivers, streams and plant life will find the richest har-The physique, the traditions, and the customs of the natives over a vast extent of this territory will also well repay careful investigation.

Even the interior of Morocco, and espe-

An intensely interesting problem is ppened up by Dr. Scott Keltie when he comes to deal with the opportunities for the expansion of the human race afforded by the various countries as have it understood that the Ontario been intended to confer the degree on yet sparsely settled. Australia, as he elections are at hand, says that it is Sir Wilfrid Laurier, and much disappoints out, is a great island, with a a matter of small importance whether pointment was expressed because he future no doubt, but none of the five colonies which divide among them the three million square miles of the con- gallant warhorse of the education de- date. The proceedings, which were tinent has an adequate water supply. partment, the hero of as many comthere are stretches of desert of greater or less extent. But The surface there is an immense store By the united help of the Liberals en tapped with satisfactory re-But whether irrigation can be introduced on a sufficiently large scale to materially reduce the desert of Australia-amounting at present to one-third of the whole-is

Dr. Scott Keltie has not a high opin- but we doubt it.

ion of the vast portion of Africa situated in the tropics. Its climate and the rainfall is scanty, and the ancient part of the world with people from the temperate zone. White people cannot hope to settle in Central Africa as they have settled in Canada and the United States and in Australia, and generations. Even in such favorable on the south of Lake Nyassa, white hildren cannot be reared beyond a certain age. They must be sent to England, otherwise they will degenerate physically and morally. But it has been maintained that it might be possible to adapt Europeans to tropical Africa by a gradual process of migration. Transplant southern Eurpeans to North Africa. After a generation or two remove their progeny further south, and so on, edging the ucceeding generation further and further into the heart of the continent The experiment—a long one—might be ried, but it is feared that the ultimate result would be a race deprived of all these characteristics which have made Europe what it is. In British East Africa there are plateaus of much greater altitudes than the Blantyre Highlands, and in other parts there are wide areas 4,000 feet and over above the sea level, and eventually these may be all filled up, but this minent scientist does not think that will come to pass until Canada and Australia and the United States are

Here again arises another problem intensely interesting to Canadians. Dr. Scott Keltie quotes from an eminent man of science the assertion that the copulation of the world-already dense in some parts-will have more than doubled in a century, and about 180 colonizing and organizing powers, the Anglo-Saxon race will have peopled and amalgamated and brought under tions. But to the south of Abyssinia the sway of Anglo-Saxon laws and deas all other white races with whom emigration of a healthful character comparatively restricted, and with vast undeveloped resources capable of affording a living to every industrious man and woman who seeks our shores, Canadians need have no misgivings we can find sustenance.

There are close on 16,500,000 pupils in the United States public schools.

cially of the Atlas mountains, is little American continent, finds that the the United States is President Patton, of Princeton University. He expresses the belief that public sentiment in the praises the work of Sir William Lo- could only be kept quiet we should gan, Dr. Geo. Dawson, Dr. Selwyn and never hear this talk of estrangement between the two branches of our race. I do not believe that the feeling of much pioneer exploration has been ac- estrangement is growing or that anycomplished, a great deal remains. thing will occur to disturb the friend-Apart from the uninhabitable regions | ly relations that should be assured by a common origin, a common language, and a common literature."

Ontario's Crop Outlook.

Ontario's crop report proves the splendid standing of this province. With 10,000,000 more bushels of wheat than ing, even though their dairy products prices, and there is a substantial in- each other, as their needs dictated. crease in yield of and money paid for these staples also

The Strathroy Age, referring to the frantic efforts of opposition organs to University yesterday. It had also the fight comes this fall or next June. "In West Middlesex," says the Age, be present. He will be asked to come "there rings no uncertain sound. The to Toronto for the purpose at a later bats as Mowat, will still be the gov- were presided over by Hon. Wm. Muernment candidate. Hon. Geo. W. lock, vice-chancellor of the university. Ross holds a high place in the esteem reason to believe that under of both Liberals and Conservatives. In several places this supply supplemented by the votes of many treal, at the instance of the wholesale his opponent may be."

> The Boston Telegram says it is seriously proposed to nominate J. L. Sullivan, the pugilist, for mayor of that city. He might fight his way to the top of the poll on election day,

Canada's Advance

The Buffalo Express makes a queen excuse for itself for contending that

situations as Blantyre, a lofty region its illustration, Canada has made much ter that date was the confederation of The Intercolonial Railway was not then begun, and the necessity for great ports on the Atlantic seaboard was not impressed upon the people. In the intervening years all that has been changed, and as The Advertiser has shown, five lines of transatlantic and as many run to and from Halifax. N. S., and there is a steamship ser-

> The facilities for all-the-year-round transatlantic traffic, at the ports named, have been constantly improved Ondry dock at Halifax for repairs, her at any port on the eastern sea-

> vice from the same ports to the West

Canada is not a nation dependent on the good graces of any country for its trary, but those who take stock in their arguments are bound to be misled. Canada's day of progress has arrived.

Dr. Scott Keltie, president of the years hence it will have quadrupled. geographical section of the British As-In the interval, because of its great sociation, in his late address, paid a well-deserved tribute to the work of a famous native of this city, Dr. John Murray, the scientist of the Chal the greater portion of the earth's sur- lenger expedition, who has spent the face now adapted to the residence of last twenty years in compiling and the white man, and will have absorbed publishing the most interesting volumes-50 in number-detailing the re sults of that famous exploration.

If Andree could only get back to it comes in contact. With the field for tell the British Association all about the North Pole, what a furore he would cause among the savants!

Enterprise, Not Retaliation.

The Pittsburg (Pa.) Dispatch joins as to the future of the Dominion as a "retaliation" Canada's determination nation. In the next few decades, we to encourage trade with Great Britfound not far from the Tri- will get all the population for which ain by means of a preferential tariff. miner who went to that country four In what sense is it retaliation? Our view is that it is a simple act of natural as the day he was frozen. Cold justice to the motherland, 'which will be well repaid to Canada by the One of the most eminent visitors at ever-increasing demand for her pro-Dr. Scott Keltie, in dealing with the the British Association meeting from ducts in Great Britain. Against not against the United States, for plored so far by the two great nations United States is not hostile to Great that country, by its tariff arrangethat divide its territory. He highly Britain. "If," said he, "the politicians ment, has given Canada fair notice that by barriers it can prevent.

> which has hitherto been possible between Canada and the United States is in future diverted to Canadian-British channels, whose blame is that? Certainly not Canada's. The people of the Dominion, having resources in plenty, and enterprise to develop them, could hardly be expected to fold their arms, and bewail their fate, because parents on Hill Creek, in Baker county, last year, and a big increase in price, the United States politicians decreed had quite an adventure with wildcats. farmers have good reasons for rejoic- that it was necessary, as far as ex- for the evening milking, when she and hogs brought them only last year's tries from buying from and selling to

Lord Kelvin, Lord Lister, Sir John gan in earnest. It ended Evans, and Hon. A. S. Hardy, premier of Ontario, had the degree of LL.D. bravery and skill in a close and danconferred on them by the Provincial gerous encounter. could not return to Canada in time to most interesting to the British visitors.

The Grand Trunk authorities are arranging a buyers' excursion to Mon-Conservatives, he will be returned at drygoods houses, and for a single fare. the head of the polls, no matter who London is a wholesale center, and her merchants do business all over Can ada. Why should there not be an excursion, on similar terms, to this city

> UP-TO-DATE TRESSES. Philadelphia Record. The girls don't bleach their hair any more. They have it Klondiked.

The Province newspaper of Victoria, British Columbia, with commendable enterprise, has issued a large map of the Klondike region, and gold-bearing hich does full justice to Canada. It lescribes the various routes, and shows at a glance the whole of the now fam-

the conclusion of Francis Courtenay Baylor's two-part story, "Butterfield & Co." A sketch by Guy H. Scull, entitled "A Man and the Sea," and poems by Martha Gilbert Dickinson, and Lucy

The impudent old cuss!— . Conant, add a distinctly literary flaor to this issue.

McClure's Magazine for September will contain a thoroughly practical and Shall Mr. Dana's fingers cold useful article on "Life in the Klondike Gold Fields." It embodies the personal y come out, bringing a fair fortune enter and work their claims, how they how they govern themselves, what kind of men they are, and how they spend their leisure time. It tells also what is the best way to the Klondike, what the best equipments for the journey and a year's residence there, and what promise of prosperity the country actually offers. The article will be fully illustrated from recent pho-

The Scottish-American, one of the est weeklies printed on this continent, celebrates the 40th anniversary of its establishment by appearing in a new dress of type. Our contemporary is carefully edited, and well printed, and n every sense worthy of the wide patronage it receives.

During August Harper's Bazar will ontain interesting articles on "Alaska Bracelets," by Eliza R. Scidmore, and on "The Huysvrouw in New Amsterdam," by Helen Everston Smith; a suggestive paper on "French House-hold Economy," by Kathrine De Forest; a short story by Duffield Osborne and timely information relating to omen's clubs, in the new department onducted by Mrs. Margaret Hamil-

In the month of August Harper's Weekly will make a specialty of those features of wide-spread interest which have won for it the title of "A National Journal." Vivid accounts of the old fields in the Klondike, brought by niners returning heavy-laden, will be reproduced by special correspondents, with numerous illustrations, and there will also be illustrated articles on "The Siberian Railway," on "The University of California," and "Hawaii," and in stallments of the story of the Greek war of independence, "The Vintage, by E. F. Benson.

RAILROAD MEN. Atchison Globe. If you can talk a railroad man into anything, he is not a good railroad

AN ETERNAL TRUTH.

Chicago Inter-Ocean. Prosperity, even if it comes with a rush, won't shovel dollars into the idle, lazy men's pockets.

TRUE.

Vancouver, B. C., World. Mr. Tarte were a weak man, if the Tories did not fear him, we should hear less abuse of him, and the same may be said of Mr. Blair, who is the particular bete noir of a section of the Conservative press that makes up in virulence what it lacks in ability.

KEPT FOUR YEARS ON ICE. Beaver Valley, Neb., Tribune. If your friends go to the Klondike gold fields, and don't come back, you can rest assured that they are as yet in a good state of preservation. A years ago was dug out of a snow-drif the other day, and he looked just as the principal product of that country

for the next winter. THE RETURN OF PROSPERITY. Blossoms that were smiling On the trees in spring,

Tenderly beguiling Birds to pause and sing, Wait for us no longer With a sweet salute Twigs once frail, are stronger, Ready to bear fruit.

Glowing promise sounded Not so long ago. Were the words well founded? Soon the land shall know. Hope will not be banished, Though the days were drear;

Flowers of speech have vanished, But the fruit is near. ONE GIRL WHO CAN THROW A

Morning Oregonian. Wednesday evening Lillie Schaeffer, aged 14, who lives with her She was engaged driving up the cows orbitant import taxes would compel it, came face to face with a wildcat and to prevent residents in the two coun- kittens. The cats stood their ground the old one making fight with the girl' The young lady, not to be dr from the field by fright, gathered her apron full of stones, and the battle Schaeffer killing one of the kittens an carrying it home as a trophy of her

Whether itching, burning, bleeding, scaly, crusted, pimply, or blotchy, whether simple, scrofulous, or hereditary, from infancy to age, speedily cured by warm baths with CUTICURA SOAP, gentle anointings with CUTICURA (ointment), the great skin cure, and mild doses of CUTICURA RESOLVENT, greatest of blood

Our Hour of Peril.

[The Khan in the Globe.] But should a really serious attempt the Klondike region, and gold-bearing be made to enforce these laws (in Klondike) on an extensive scale, Canada will be given reason to repent the day she allowed her cupidity to get the better of her prudence. * * * We repeat the kindly advice hitherto given The fiction of the September Atlantic opportunities to draw American ats exceptionally good: "After the venience. Whenever that inconvenience tention to the colony as an incon-Storm," by Elia W. Peattie; "A Sec- shall prove importantly irritating the ond Marriage," by Alice Brown, and colony will soon disappear .- [New

Envelops every one, And my poor country cries aloud,

"Where's George T. Denison?

Tear up our Lauriel wreath And shall his pen prick forth the gold That glitters in our teeth Whene'er we dare to grin at him? If so, we are undone, Will some one go and shout with vim For George T. Denison?

Without him we are in the cage, For fifteen thousand Yanks Are gobbling up our heritage Without e'en offering thanks! They'll surely gobble Dundas next: We trust in only one, And he is not in sight—I'm vexed At George T. Denison

of course the Klondike and the gold In truth belong to us; Why send up mounted soldiers bold And make a wretched fuss? Send up no savage soldiers there, Send up no Maxim gun; If Mister Dana you would scare, Send George T. Denison

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SATURDAY WRAPPER SNAP

All price differences in our wrappers will be removed for Saturday. During our great wrapper sale a few weeks ago all but 107 were sold. Now to clear the lot will give you your choice on Saturday night for 67c. Some of them are \$1 wrappers, others \$1 25, others \$1 35, and others \$1 49. The choicest ones will go to the early shopper, but none can shop earlier than 7 o'clock or later than 10 o'clock and enjoy this price.

Men's and Boys' Clothing. Men's Fine Tweed Suits, odd lines. very shade, worth \$5 to \$7 50, Satur-

day night, snap, \$2 95. Only a few Bike Suits left now, bal-Any man's Unlined Coat in stock, in weeds, silks, lusters, worth \$3 and \$4, aturday night \$1. Any Unlined Coat in the house, Sat-

Barbers' White Duck, 4-button Sack oats, good weight, worth \$1 50, Saturay night 98c. Children's Fine Duck Blouses, in bluand white stripe, and white duck, with lue sailor collar and cuffs, worth 50c and 60c, to clear, Saturday night, 25c. Children's Fine Red and Cream All-

Children's Good-to-Wash Blue and White, and Pink and White Stripe Kilt Suits, worth 90c, Saturday night

Wool Serge Kilt Suits, fancy trimmed worth \$2, Saturday night, snap, \$1.

Boys' Good-to-Wear Tweed Knicker Pants, all sizes, from 3 years to 15 years, worth 50c, Saturday night 25c.

Staples Department.

9-4 Plain Bleached Sheeting, English make, regular price 30c, for 20c. 44-inch Circular Pillow Cotton, regular price 16c, for 121/2c.

10-4 Marseilles Quilts, new patterns, regular price \$1 50, for \$1 20. 8-4 Plain Unbleached Sheeting, extra leavy, regular price 18c, for 14½c. Unbleached Table Linen, 56 inches wide, worth 40c, for 29c.

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Two only, Colored Quilts, largest sizes made, heavy weight and fringed, regular price \$3 50, for \$1 98.

Mantle Department.

All our \$1, \$1 25, \$1 35 and \$1 49 Wrappers going, only 107 in all, Sat urday night for 67c. One lot Rubber Waterproofs, regular \$2 50 to \$3 75, Saturday night for 75c. A few Rubber Waterproofs, for chilren, left, regular \$1, Saturday night

4 only Mohair Lace Skirts, regular

Shirt Waists. Shirt Waists. Shirt Waists.

Three tables and three prices only in our shirt waist stock, while they last. We don't expect many to be left after Saturday night. You'll \$ never see blouses as cheap.

Haberdashery Dept.

Ladies' White and Cream Kid Gloves. sizes 61/4 to 71/4, worth 50c, Saturday \$1, Saturday night 75c.

Ladies' Black Laced Kid Gloves, sizes to 7½, worth 75c, Saturday night 65c. Ladies' Black and Tan Lace Mitts, regular 25c, Saturday night 15c. Ladies' Colored Silk Gloves, regular 5c. Saturday night 25c.

Ladies' Black and Colored Taffets Gloves, silk lined, regular 45c, Saturday night 35c. Ladies' Colored, Black and White Silk Belts, fancy buckles, regular 35c, Saturday night 25c.

Ladies' Colored Leather Belts, harness buckle, regular 25c, Saturday night Ladies' Vests, regular price 15c, Saturday night 10c.

White Pillow Shams, special for Satarday night, 25c and 59c pair. P. N. Corsets, large sizes, 25 to 30 egular \$1 25, Saturday night 98c. H. S. Corsets, large sizes, regular \$1,

Dress Goods Dept. 10 pairs Lace Curtains, worth \$1 50

Saturday evening \$1 25. 6 pieces Art Drapery Muslins, spe cial, 121/2c. 5 pieces Silk Check Plaids, 36 inches, worth 50c, Saturday 25c. Table of All-Wool Dress Goods, 44 **** Table of Lusters, plain and fancy, regular 50c to 60c, Saturday night for

> Table of Tweeds, all styles, worth 50c, Saturday night for 25c. 5 pieces Silk, Satin Checks, for Hats, for 50c, worth \$1, \$1 25. louses, worth 50c, Saturday night 35c. All Trimmed Millinery, half-price.

Gentlemen's Furnishings

Men's Fedora Hats, all shades, worth Men's Colored Shirts, collars detached, cheap at 75c, Saturday night

Men's Colored Shirts, fast colors, worth 60c, Saturday night 40c. Umbrellas, the best \$1 umbrella in the city, Saturday night 89c Men's Natural Wool Underwear, regular 75c, Saturday night 65c Men's Cambric Hemstitched Hand-

erchiefs, regular 15c, Saturday night 3 for 25c. Men's Black Sateen Shirts, regular 50c, Saturday night 48c. Men's All-Silk Ties, newest shapes, worth 25c, Saturday night 2 for 25 Men's Black and Brown Stiff Hats, regular \$2, Saturday night \$1. Men's All-Wool Sox, worth 15c, Sat-

Millinery Department.

urday night 3 for 25c.

Cream, White and Colored Gauze Ribbons, for 25c. worth 50c and 75c. Colored Moire, Taffeta and Shot Ribons, for 25c, worth 50e and 75c. One box of Colored Ribbons, Dresden effects, for 5c yard. One box of Colored Laces, for 5c vard. Velvet Ribbons, satin back, for 5c vard. Colored and White Wreaths, suitable inches, Saturday night for 15c per yd. for children's hats, 10c each, worth 25c.

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