Collins Defeated Thompson.

(Dundas Banner. (Dundas Banner.)

Another strong element in his defeat, no doubt, was the fact that the Independent-Conservative candidate, Mr. C. Collins, accepted Mr. Thompson's invitation extended to both candidates to be

tion extended to both candidates to be present at his meetings. As the Consecutive candidate did not accept the invation, but chose to have independent

tation, but chose to have independent meetings, and as Mr. Thompson and Mr. Collins were together at his meetings, the persistent rumors that they were partners in a scheme to defeat Mr. Wilson had a decided effect against Mr. Thompson.

Downey Vindictive.

The first man to complain

(Guelph Mercury.)

The first man to complain about a victorious opponent not knowning when to stop would be Mr. J. P. Downey, M. P. P. Yet that gentleman showed just how devoid of generosity he is, when, on Monday night, he indulged in recriminations aimed at this paper, and accused it of having misrepresented him in the campaign. It would appear that Mr. Downey has been more considerately treated by political opponents in the past than his vindictive disposition justifies.

Here's to Mr. MacKay.

(Kingston Wnig.)

Mr. MacKay, the young leader of he liberals in Ontario, has reason to be disappointed, but not cast down over the result of the provincial elections. Meanwhile Mr. MacKay can grow He is a young man whom Hon.

in power. He is a young man whom Hon Mr. Graham claims the credit of discov

ering while on a missionary journey the northern country. As a lawyer

with his remarkable mental endowments. He possessed the qualities that make for success, and when later a commissioner of crown lands was wanted in the Ross government, the call went to MacKay.

Empire Day and Victoria Day.

Canada.)

Some cofifusion seems to exist, especially in the minds of people in the Old Country, as to Empire Day and Victoria Day. Victoria Day, the birthday of Queen Victoria, has been kept in Canada as a bank holiday for many years, the birthday of the reigning sovereign being a statutory holiday. When the King came to the throne, as his birthday falls in November, it was decided to

falls in November, it was decided to keep May 24 as the holiday still and the day became known as Victoria Day. Em-

day became known as Victoria Day. Empire Day is of more recent origin. The first resolution for an Empire Day observance was passed by the Hamilton (Ontario) School Board on December 2, 1897, on the suggestion of Mrs. Clementina Fessenden of that city; and the first observance took place on May 22, 1899. As May 24 was already a public holiday, when the children would necessarily be away from school, it was decided that Empire Day should be cele-

sarily be away from school, it was decided that Empire Day should be celebrated in Canada on the last school day before May 24. The Empire Day, then, by the way, was adopted in England in 1899, at the instance of Lord Meath, who wrote to the Times suggesting that the Canadian idea should be adopted in the British Isles. Since 1904, May 24 has been observed as Empire Day in the British Isles, and in other dominions and colonies than Canada, and in India.

AN ANCIENT SHIP.

Klondike Miner Brings Word of a Strange Craft.

Strange Craft.

Seattle, Wash., June 10.—Practical confirmation of a weird story growing out of the earlier days of the Klondike gold stampede, of the finding of the hull of a ship high upon the hills within the Arctic circle, is furnished by N. J. Brown, a well-known miner, just arrived at Dawson.

Brown located the strange craft, which, he says, is still in a fair state of preservation, on a hillside overlooking a chain of lakes from 40 to 50 miles from the head of the Chandelar River and possibly 200 miles from the Arctic circle.

circle.

Brown says the big structure has crude doors and windows in the opper works similar to those of a ship, and bears letters or hieroglyphics which baf-

The Only Way.

White—What a strange looking face you have on your watch! It has figures for only eleven hours. Green—I had to have it made that way. The watch was losing an hour ev-

ery half day, and the watchmaker said was impossible to adjust it to go any

who have seen

fle translation by those who it, Russians and natives alike.

(Canada.)

large practice he impressed Mr. Graham with his remarkable mental endow-

OBSTRUCTION.

While Foster, Borden, Taylor and others of the Ottawa obstructionists seek to evade blame for delaying the passage of the estimates, thus keeping the public servants out of their wages, the Ottawa Citizen boasts of their success in killing time and hampering the business of Parliament, and asks credit for them for allowing any business to be transacted as long as a measure to which the Oppo sition takes exception is not withdrawn!

This organ of the obstructionists says: Opposition were more general than the Government in connection with obnoxious Franchise bill is still kept to the fore and should really block business until it is disposed of, the Opposition waived the advantage which they might have exercised and assisted in putting This is a free avowal of the obstruction few days ago, in words the equivalent of "If you seek to pass any measures that we object to, we will by obstruction deliberate and organized tie up the work of Parliament and demoralize the public

IS LORD MILNER A TRAITOR?

Some Canadian papers with extraordinary pretension to loyalty have taken strong exception to Mr. Justice Longley's speech at the New York Canadian Club dinner in which be declared that Canada must eventually exchange the position of a colony for that of an ally, that by a process of development Canada must assume the responsibilities of an independent nation. If these superloyal organs had the power, Justice Longley would have been treated to a divorce between his head and shoulders But Justice Longley holds his views in fairly good company. No less an authority than Lord Milner, the noted Imperialist, taking precisely the same ground in an article contributed to The Standard of Empire, the new organ of Empire sentiment just launched. Lord Milner expresses his belief that the process of familiarizing the majority of men of the British nations with the true Empire idea is one that will take time. He even thinks that "Imperialism" as too many view it, has done harm. Let us

quote:
The word "Empire" has in some re-The word "Empire" has in some respects an unfortunate effect. It, no doubt, fairly describes the position as between the United Kingdom and subject countries such as India or our Central African possessions. But for the relations existing between the United Kingdom and the self-governing Colonies it is a misnomer, and with the ideas of ascendency of domination, inevitably les it is a misnomer, and with the ideas of ascendency, of domination, inevitably associated with it, a very unfortunate misnomer. No doubt we in this country lave long ceased to think of the great British Dominions beyond the vea as subject to the United Kingdom, or to expect or desire them to subordinate their own interests to those of the Mother-country. Modern Imperialists cherish a very different ideal, But in the younger communities this is not al-Mother-country. Modern Imperiants cherish a very different ideal. But in the younger communities this is not always recognized. Witness the unprofit-table discussion which breaks out from time to time, especially in Canada, over the question of "loyalty" to the Mother-country. Rightly regarded, there is just as much, or as little, reason for Great Britain to be loyal to Canada as for Canada to be loyal to Great Britain. What matters, from the point of view of the wider patriotism, is that they should both be loyal to the larger body politic, of which they are both members. True, that greater State has as yet but a shardowy existence. It possesses no comshadowy existence. It possesses no comcertainly a momentous exception, and one which alone renders the growth of other institutions possible.

But his lordship does not stop at this. He is more candid and outspoken in his Mr. R. L. Borden, who draws the salary presentation of the case from that point and occupies the nominal position of

Hear him again:

One thing alone is certain. It is only on these lines, on the lines of the greatest individual development of the several States, and their coalescence, as fully developed units, into a greater Union, that the Empire can continue to exist at all. The failure of past attempts at Imperial organization is due to our imperfect grasp of the idea of the wider patriotism. In practice we are always slipping back to the antiquated conception of the Mother-country as the centre of a political system with the younger States revolving round it as satellites. Against that conception the growing pride and sense of independence of the younger States revolt. That revolt is sometimes falsely regarded as evidence of a desire for separation. But the two things are not really identical. Indeed, it may be said that the development of the spirit of indeepndence and self-reliance in the several States is a necessary stage in lish and French-speaking races of our country. of independence and self-reliance in the several-States is a necessary stage in the evolution of a new form of union. No doubt it is possible that the process may be interrupted, the independence of the parts achieved, and the new union never attained. But that, though an ever thus set forth:

The aims of this society shall be the ine parts achieved, and the new union never attained. But that, though an ever present danger, is not the inevitable end. Side by side with the growing spirit of local independence there is a growth of what can best be described as a strong family feeling, a sense of kinship among nations—drawn together in a large measure by community of race, and in a still greater degree by similarity of social and political ideals—a sense of the necessity of cohesion in order to resist the impact of alien influences. That a greater future lies before the several States as one Body Politic than as a number of separate units, must be obvious to every one.

If Justice Longley's speech, so much

erificised, was unpatriotic, Lord Milner's before 1896 testifies to the advantages article is rank treason. And he is a Bri- of having a friend at court. Look at ton whose loyalty to the Empire none the record of its spoil, as shown by the dare impeach. Canada is growing rap idly; her population is increasing by millions. In the nature of things, she will, in the near future, dwarf the par British. Why should she not British British in sentiment, in the rinciples of liberty and progress-a sh nations? It is too early to say that some organic system of Empire govern- Those years of fatness seem to have

throughout the world is impossible consistently with the autonomous selfgovernment of each. But if such be ever arrived at, it will be by gradual developand-fast political agreement. Meanwhile the sisterhood of sovereign states n one great British bund, toward which Justice Longley and Lord Milner look,

In fairness to Justice Longley it should be stated that the New York vellow press have grossly misrepresented the sentiments to which he gave utterance at the New York Canadian Club dinner. Instead of advocating separation from the Empire, Justice Longley's speech was an intensely loyal and hopefully Imperial utberance, with which Rt. Hon. Mr. Bryce heartily agreed, and to which, far from taking exception to, he gave cordial approval. Justice Longley, in his speech, took exactly the view of Lord Milner, that Canada has passed the "colony" stage, and that her future will be that of a great sister state of the allied nations, free and self-governing which go to make up the great and world-wide Empire of Greater Britain. This view Justice Longley shares in common with a growing number of the far-sighted and patriotic statesmen of the British race throughout the world.

KNIFE AND PISTOL CARRYING. It is but too true, as Chief Justice

Mulock very effectively points out illustrating by the case of the homicide re sulting from a quarrel between armed Italians, for which crime Guiseppi Greco has been sentenced to death, that the means to commit crime frequently lead to it, when, weapons not being handy, serious results would not follow. The knife and pistol carrying habit is one that admits of no defence or extenuation in this country. Neither as individuals nor as organizations, can Canadians permit the law to be set aside and private vengeance to be established in its stead. Canada the operation of the law is ample for the protection of all, and he who sets up to ignore it and substituta extra-legal methods of enforcing what he regards to be his rights, becomes at once an enemy of law-abiding society. Unfortunately, the weapon-carrying habit is not entirely confined to foreigners; too frequently men familiar with Anglo Saxon institutions illegally carry lethal weapons. That is to be regretted, and the habit is to be reprobated and discouraged by all good citizens. But the newcomers of hot-booded races, and of habits of society where respect for the institutions of the law has not exercised the same influence on the individual, are dangerously prone to crimes which are the result of a combination of too-ready weapons and unrestrained passion. That the recent murder was the outcome of such a combination has evidently been deeply impressed on Chief Justice Mulock. That His Lordship should take action by way of appealing to the countrymen of the parties to the recent tra gedy shows that he feels that a campaign of education is likely to have good results. The judicial appeal for the discouragement of the weapon-carrying habit will not, we hope, be without ef fect. It will be an illuminating illustration of the fact that Canadian justice seeks the good of the men against whose illegal and dangerous habits it enforce the laws which are for the good of soci ety at large. If the Chief Justice's A vice is well received and acted upon, an appreciation of the kindly spirit which manifests will result in excellent edu cational effects.

THE OPPOSITION LEADER.

From the Halifax Chronicle one ob tains a sort of political biography of of view than ever Justice Longley was. leader of the Opposition. From Mr.

If Justice Longley's speech, so much connections, and its nine years' record

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ment of the various British States led Mr. Borden to lose interest in the Liberal cause. Moreover, in 1893, the Tory lawyers of Halifax, who had suspected him of leaning toward Liberal-asm, complained to Sir Charles Hibbert ment, nad not by any haphazard, hard- Tupper, then Minister of Justice, that Mr. Borden was getting all the Government pap, or "graft," as he would n express it, and not assisting the party at all. Mr. Borden had now got hi seet into the trough, and he liked the flavor of the swill, hence, in 1894, we find him publicly identifying himself with the party that distributed so many good things among its friends, by appearing on a public platform at a Tory years before the people rose in their might and threw the entire aggregation, neck and heels, into outer darkness. Mr. Borden blundered in his time of apostasizing. In 1906, when the Tories of Halfiax were in desperate straits for a candidate they asked Mr. Borden to rep-He accepted, and since esent them. to lead the rump of Conservatism-or, at least, as much as Mr. Foster, Mr. Bennett and the gang will allow him to do toward leading it. That he does not like his job, is only too manifest, but having made his first capital blunder, perhaps, Mr. Borden thinks that, like a thrifty man, the wisest thing he can do is to hang on to his \$9,500 salary and take what enjoyment he can out o seeing Foster jealously writhing and seeking to still further wreck the party,

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and ruin its future beyond repair

on these power questions. We want neither the Cataract Company's nor Soth

Don't be silly, Mr. Herald. The alder men are not to be scared by threats of popular vengeance against them by vot ing to trust the people.

Why should Mayor Stewart be expect ed to care a snap for the people's inter est in the power matter, if he can induce the aldermen to betray it and further his schemes? Didn't he bluntly deny that it was his "funeral"?

Stubborn man, that Gibson! Indicaions still point to the conclusion that he can't be induced to come down with the least bit of "grease" for that beseeching opposition! It's a hard world, riends, for honest men with keen ap petites.

According to the Herald the alderman ho votes to lay the entire power mater in detail before the ratepayers and alderman." What would it designate the man who would stifle the voice of the ratepayer and betray him into a blind ontract to his great disadvantage for ends other than the public good?

"Bucking the tiger" in the bucket shops is quite thrilling, no doubt; but it might be made more so by buying tips from the bucket shop fellow's hired man. He would be so disinterested, of course The aldermen might think of this when they go to employ an electrical expert to help them to understand these power offers. Get an outsider, not the hired man of either the Hydro or Cataract

Ald. Sweeney, Ald. Clark, Ald. Allan abuse is aimed by the power monopoly organ, need have no fear of the monpoly organ's threat that the people will ensure them for consulting the ratepayers whom they serve. Their vote of Tuesday night on the power matter may anger the interests which would betray the city, but it will win them popular

"Left to the Ratepayers" is the heading given by the Herald to its comment upon the action of the Council on the power question last night. It expresses the situation exactly. The action was a safe and wise one. Then why the stream of abuse of the aldermen who voted that the Council trust the people, and sent the question on to be decided
by them, with the full statement of facts
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before them? The people like that kind of aldermen. The only carpers at the Council's action are to be found among those who had some other interest to serve than those of the great public.

If the people, after obtaining full in-

If the people, after obtaining full information on the subject, vote to assume the debt, liability and risk, and ubmit to the monopoly and other res trictions of the Hydro contract when heaper power, with no debt, liability monopoly, or risk attached, is offered ready at hand, that is their affair. The ut-voted minority may not like it, but t must submit. We're ready to trust

And the cost of operating the transformer station will be practically nothing. He [John Patterson] calculates the cost of operation and the cost of maintenance together at \$9,875.—Herald

The Hydro-Electric Commission esti mated the annual cost of the trans former station (not for distribution to rustomers, of course) at \$24,966, \$19,722, and \$14,421, according to its capacity. And the cost per horse-power for trans forming increases with the smalller quan-

The Power Monopoly organ still con inues to prattle v about the Hydro scheme securing us "competition" and "cheap power." And yet a part of the contract forbids competition, enforces absolute monopoly for 30 years, and the best the city can get is an unquaranteed estimate or guess as to what the power will cost (we to take all risks and pay whatever the bill may be), it being at least 10 per cent. more than we are offered power for now ready for delivery! What is the Herald's bunco game that is served by such an abuse of Eng-

Another quite serious mistake Mr. Patterson has made is in reckoning that the price which the city would have to pay for 1,500 h.p. is \$26,250. This sum is obtained simply by multiplying 1,500 by \$17,50. But the price of power will not be \$17,50, but \$17,10, and the city will not pay for 1,500 h.p., but for only three-fourths of that quantity. So that the amount of the city's annual power bill would not be \$26,250, as Mr. Patterson says, but \$19,237,50.—Hamilton Herald. Herald.

statements of the facts. Mr. Patterson's statement is correct. If we contract for 1,500 horse-power and use it, we must pay for that amount: and the contract stimate is stated in the schedule at \$17.50 per horse-power. If we contract or 1,500 horse-power and do not use one, we must still pay for three-fourths of the amount, or 1,125 horse-power (see clause (g), Sec. 2). Also, if we ordinarily use a given amount of current, say 800 horse-power, and for any twenty minutes of a month we run up to a higher consumption of current, say 1,200 horsenower, we shall be obliged to pay for 1,200 horse-power for the entire month. It is well that the public should know the facts and not be deceived.

OUR EXCHANGES

(London Advertiser.)

The Ontario Opposition ought to be

Has Its Feet in the Trough.

(Dundas Star.)

For what we are about to receive in this line of Government "ads." may we be truly thankful. Let us have more of

Minister of Militia.

(Canada). It is but fair to say that no man who ever held the militia portfolio has done anything like as much as Sir Frederick Borden for the force under his control.

It Does Not Follow. (Toronto Star.)

The fact that a party wins a Provin-ial election is no ground whatever for rupt than the man who buys it.

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Hundreds of dainty "Tub" Suits, made of muslins, ducks, piques, linens, lawns, organdies and some fancy fabrics; a wonderful collection of styles; everyone perfect in make, fit and finish; a large portion from New York warehouses, all got by good buying at less than regular and on sale at great reductions from regular prices \$2.95, \$3.95, \$4.95, \$6.50, \$7.50 and \$8.50.

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Thousands of yards of grand Dress Goods, bought on the most favorable terms, direct from manufacturers and finishers and when sold to you at our regular prices were the best values in the trade. Now you can get them at these clearing prices. They mean saving a dollar on every three dollars you spend in our Dress Goods Department. Everything must be sold. Everything reduced. \$1.75 Goods for \$1.19 \$1.50 Goods for \$1 \$1.25 Goods for 75c \$1 Goods for 50c Goods for 25c

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	Children's Dresses, Print, at 39, 50 and 59c Children's Dresses, at 90c, \$1.00 and \$1.25
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ı	Crum's Prints, worth 15c, for 121/2e
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Gold Medal Flour Per Bag \$2.40 Lily White Flour Per Bag \$2.25

day and Monday only at this special cut price. Gold Medal, per bag. \$2.40; half bag. \$1.20; quarter bag, 60c. Lily White, per bag, \$2.25; per half

3 Lbs. Mooney's Soda Biscuits 19c

We are selling them, lots of them, regularly at 25c per box, but we started out this week to give extra exceptional values. Flour is one of them. This is another, and you will find more of them further down the list. There are just ten cases of these Sodas. They are fresh and light and crisp, and they go while they last, 19c per box.

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Promise to be an exceptionally heavy crop, and of course you will preserve some, and will want Sugar. We don't want to prophesy, but conditions seem to make the higher prices for Sugar. Then why not buy now? Best Granulated Sugar, 100-lb. bag, #5.05; 19 lbs. for #1.00; 9% lbs. for 50c. Bright Yelow Sugar, 20 lbs. for #1.00; 10 lbs. for 50c; 5 lbs. for 25c.

Choicest Creamery Butter Per Lb. 23c

Also 1,000 lbs. Fresh Dairy Butter to go this week at 20c per lb. Strictly Fresh Eggs, per dozen 20c; Prime New Cheese, per lb. 14c; Paragon Cream Cheese, regular 10c pot, for Sc; regular 25c pot for 17c; best Pure Lard, per lb. 15c.

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Farmers' Brand Canned Corn, bought to seil 3 tins 25c, and has been sold at that price, with perfect satisfaction; 100 cases going this weack at 7c tin, 4 tins 25c; Canned Tomatoes, Farmers' or Quaker, 3 tins 25c; Quaker Sugar Peas, 2 tins 15c; Aylmer Faultless Peas, 3 tins 25c; Refugee Beans, 3 tins 25c; Blood Beets, 3 tins 25c; Blueberries, 3 tins 25c; Pumpkin, 4 tins 25c; Raspberries, Strawberries, Peaches or Pitted Cherries, 15c pet tin, worth 25c; Lombard Plums, per tin 10c; Sliced Pineapples, 2 tins 25c; fyou were posted on costs you would know that these are practically givenawn prices.

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Vanilla Bars, Peanut Cookies, Lemon Wafers, Raisin Cakes, Sugar Brittles, Lemon Snaps, Campaign, all particularly nice, per lb. 10c; Chocolate Fingers 15c, worth 25c; Venetian Wafers, Duchess, Arrowroots, Cream Sandwich, per lb. 15c.

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Choicest small lean hams, per lb., whole 1414c; by the 14 ham, 15c; roll shoulder, per lb. by the piece, 12c; roast beef, 2 lb. tin 25c; l lb. tin 15c; corned beef, 2 lb. tin 25c; l lb. tin 15c; Davies' potted meats, 10c tin for 5c; 5c tin for 3c.

Soaps, Etc.

Surprise, Sunlight, Lifebuoy, Comfort, Richard's Pure, Victor, Quick Naptha, all 6 for 25c; Alliance soap, 8 for 25c; Shell Castile, big bar, 23c; Fairy soap, 6 for 25c; tar soap, big cake, 6 for 25c; Harvey's Powdered Ammonia, 3 pkgs. 25c; Old Dutch Cleanser, 3 pkgs., 25c.

CARROLL'S FIVE STORES (Cor. Emerald and Wilson, Cor. James and Macaulay, Cor. York and Caroline,

New Shoes

We have just received another shipment of New Shoes for mid-summer wear. Two lots are Women's Tan Oxfords. American make, price \$3.00 and \$3.50. Our stock is again nicely assorted in Tan, Patent and Vici Kid. We are doing a very large Oxford trade because we have the kind of Shoes the people want, and at reasonable prices.

PUMPS.—The rush is now on for Pumps. We are selling lots them in Tan, Patent and Gun Metal. They make an ideal sumr shoe.

MEN'S OXFORDS.—We have a choice stock of Men's Oxfords in Patent, Gun Metal, Vici Kid and Tan. We are having a big sale on Men's patent lines at \$3.50. They are genuine patent colt, and Goodyear well soles. See styles in window.

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Difficult Railroading

The exceedingly difficult country over which Austria railroads are constructed, necessarily making the cost of operating steam locomotives excessive, has caused the railway officials to study the ques-

While the Government has not definite-ly decided on any one system for all the lines, the three-phase will, it is said, be adopted for the Arlberg section.

sarily making the cost of operating in locomotives excessive, has caused railway officials to study the questof electrical traction. It is now losed to electrify 2,000 miles of trunk avystem. The Arlberg tunnel, which is a large traffic and is seven miles will be the first section considered.

Honorary degrees of LL.D. will be of fered to His Excellency J. J. J. Jusserand, Ambassador of France at Washington: Sir Louis Jette, Lieuuenant-Governor of species and John MacMillan, R. A., extended to the Collegiate Institute at Ottawa, by the University of Toronto.