

RAD LOR
 EMPRESS OF WATERS.
 Wholesale Agent, H.Y. READ, 19 Jordan-street, Toronto.
 SIXTEENTH YEAR
DIVISION AT DAYBREAK
 Cartwright's Amendment De-
 feated by 117 to 71.
CLOSING SPEECHES OF THE DEBATE
 Hon. Dr. Montague's Able Ar-
 gument of Opposition.

been made that Mr. Laurier...
 Dr. Montague read from a statement...
 in the House of Mr. Laurier in which...
 he admitted that he had always as-
 serted he was in favour of the inter-
 provincial conference resolutions. And...
 when Mr. Laurier made that state-
 ment he must have known that the...
 of the floor, heard Dr. Montague...
 it would add \$1,700,000 to the pub-
 lic expenditure of this country. (Cheers)
 Now, he thought he might refer to...
 the record of the Opposition for purity.
 He touched briefly upon the Anglin...
 printing contract and the re-letting of...
 the Welland Canal contract at very...
 increased prices.

The Reform Trade Policy
 Coming to the question of the liberal...
 trade policy he pointed out that Sir...
 Richard Cartwright had always been...
 the controlling spirit of the Opposition.
 The light, airy and beautiful nothing...
 of Mr. Laurier did not count with the...
 vigorous assaults of the member for...
 South Oxford. When the Liberals...
 on the treasury budget the next day...
 he and Cartwright were pouncing him...
 night and day to introduce protection.
 Mr. Charlton wanted Mr. Laurier...
 to say that he would not support...
 the proposed tariff for the industries...
 of this country. Today the issue was...
 between protection and free trade.

The Liberal Circular
 On a recent trip in the west he (Dr...
 Montague) had referred to a Liberal...
 circular which was sent to manu-
 facturers in 1887 urging them not to...
 be afraid of the Liberal policy. One...
 Liberal member had the honor to...
 deny that such a circular existed. Un-
 fortunately he (Dr. Montague) had...
 the circular with him at the time; he...
 could not be expected to carry...
 the circular literature all over the coun-
 try.

Mr. Charlton (interrupting): It is...
 a pity you have not the circular now.
Dr. Montague: It is a pity, but it so...
 happens that I have it. Here is the...
 circular, which was sent to every...
 manufacturer in the country. It is...
 headed, "Mr. Blake on the tariff, the...
 manufacturers have nothing to fear."
 This circular is dated for a while, but...
 Sir Richard Cartwright got in his...
 sledge hammer blows and the new...
 policy was introduced.

Wheat in Canada and the U.S.
 Resuming after dinner Dr. Montague...
 gave further instances to show the...
 beneficial effects of the National Policy.
 He said that at Regina, Manitoba, on...
 May 20th, wheat sold at 73 cents a bushel...
 while at Niche, Dakota, just across...
 the line on the same day it sold for 60...
 cents. Since dinner he had learned...
 that a member of the Opposition with...
 him wheat at Port William at \$1.10...
 a bushel, while the price at Duluth the...
 same day was \$1.1-2 cents. (Cheers)

**The Speaker proceeded to review the...
 condition of English trade, pointing...
 out that the trend of public opinion...
 over there was in favor of protection.**
 In February last, a resolution was un-
 animously adopted by the Imperial...
 House of Commons, declaring that it...
 was incumbent on the British Govern-
 ment to take steps to restrict the im-
 portation of goods made in foreign...
 prisons. (Cheers and Opposition O.H.s.)
 What mattered it whether the goods...
 were made in foreign prisons or...
 outside? The principle was the same...
 these goods were depriving the arti-
 sans of work. (Cheers)

**He proceeded to compare the condi-
 tion of affairs in Canada and United...
 States, showing that in the depression...
 there has been far less felt in this...
 country than across the line. He then...
 gave some valuable figures to show how...
 cities and towns in Canada had grown...
 under the National Policy. He speci-
 ally mentioned the cities of Toronto...
 and Montreal. He said that the...
 of the National Policy had developed...
 certain industries which had de-
 veloped. The Globe was asking: "Has...
 the National Policy made you rich?"
 Mr. Paterson, the Liberal member for...
 North Brant, could answer that ques-
 tion, as his confidential sources, MacKenzie...
 and last year at from \$75,000 to \$100,000...
 and last year at from \$75,000 to \$125,000.**

**In concluding a magnificent speech...
 of three hours duration, he apologized...
 for detaining the House so long and...
 said that if he had given the Opposi-
 tion an uncomfortable time it was be-
 cause of vagaries of the Opposition on...
 their trade policy.**

**20,000 bushels were still held at Lucan...
 10,000 had been sold since; prices rose...
 while 75,000 bushels were still held...
 in the country, and so on.**

**The report from Exeter was that farm-
 ers in that section are holding from...
 300 to 50 bushels each, while some of...
 them had held on to their stocks for the...
 past few years waiting for an advance...
 in price.**

**A telegram from Mr. W. V. Ogilvie...
 of Montreal, dated the 27th, said that...
 from one and a half to two million...
 bushels of wheat were still held by the...
 farmers of Ontario in prospect of yet...
 higher prices, while Manitoba farmers...
 were still offering their wheat freely.**

**Dr. Montague continued that, accord-
 ing to the Welland Canal report, Cana-
 dian farmers were getting from 12 to...
 15 cents a bushel more than was paid...
 in the United States, so that in Mr...
 Ogilvie's estimate it was safe to con-
 clude that \$20,000 were being put into...
 the pockets of the Ontario farmers by...
 the tariff on wheat alone. (Cheers)**

**Dr. Laurier followed the Secretary of...
 State; he was succeeded by Messrs...
 Jeanotte and Carey. The latter con-
 cluded his speech at 2 o'clock, when...
 the division bells were ringing.**

**Sir Richard Cartwright's amendment...
 was defeated by 117 to 71. Mr. Calvin...
 of Frontenac, voted for amendment...
 and Mr. O'Brien of Ontario, who...
 was in the House, voted against it.**

The House adjourned at 2.40 a.m.

GREENWAY AND SIFTON AT ODDS
**The Two Manitoba Ministers Drifting...
 Apart as the School Question...
 real Green Men in Favor of Branding.**
 Montreal, May 29.—The Premier of...
 Manitoba and Attorney-General Sifton...
 deny that such a circular existed. Un-
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 try.

GREETINGS OF THE NATIONS
WOMEN OF OTHER LANDS CONGRATULATE THE NATIONAL COUNCIL.

**The Second Day of the Convention at the...
 Pavilion Last Night—The National...
 Council of Women Practically Wound...
 up its Business for 1895 Last Night...
 and the Convention Dealt With...
 Papers Read on Art and Music—Mun-
 icipal Next Place of Meeting.**

**The National Council of Women prac-
 tically wound up its business for 1895...
 last night, when the invitation of Mon-
 treal for the next annual convention was...
 accepted. Sectional meetings and a...
 chartered conference will be held to-
 day, but all the business of the order is done.**

**In opening the meeting the Countess...
 of Aberdeen reminded those present that...
 the tariff on wheat alone. (Cheers)**

**The Montreal Butter and Cheese...
 Association have passed a resolution...
 branding the date of manufacture on...
 all cheese made in Canada, and will...
 send delegates to Ottawa to inaugurate...
 the scheme.**

**Rev. Wm. Torrance of Paisley Dies From...
 a Ruptured Pulmonary Vessel.**
 Paisley, Ont., May 29.—To-day Rev...
 William Torrance conducted a service...
 from 2 to 4 o'clock, but he was not feeling...
 very well, and, but a second doctor...
 was called in, and he died at 10 o'clock...
 of a blood vessel is supposed to be...
 the cause of death.

**A Torontoian to Edit Musical Paris...
 Herald.**
 Mr. Percy Mitchell, formerly musical...
 instructor of Upper Canada College, and...
 well-known among local musicians, has...
 recently accepted the position of editor...
 of the Paris edition of The New York...
 Herald.

Weddings of June.
 The month of June is peculiarly the...
 month of marriages. The wedding of...
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 cheapest trick of late put on record.**

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 by the Conger Coal Co., at their back...
 shop on the Esplanade at the foot of...
 Church-street, was engaged in unloading...
 a vessel, and was standing on the...
 elevated cat track. He did not notice...
 until about 20 feet on to the coal dump...
 at a good rate of speed. The car...
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 made short work of the unique request...
 of the Island Residents Association that...
 the water lots against all kinds of vehi-
 cular traffic, especially the operation...
 of a street railway on or round the...
 island.

DICKSON & TOWNSEND
 TELEPHONE 8972
 Sole of COMMERCIAL COLLEGE FURNITURE
 Corner of Lower Huron, at 11 a.m.

INSOLVENCY BILL OPPOSED
SENATORS FREELY EXPRESS OPINIONS ON THE MEASURE.

**The Upper House Discussed the Bill All...
 Afternoon, Few Favoring and Many...
 Holding That There Was No Demand...
 for Such Legislation Except by Whole-
 sale Houses—The Premier's Remarks.**

**Ottawa, May 29.—The Senate spent...
 the greater part of the afternoon de-
 bating whether the insolvency bill...
 should be given second reading. The...
 bill passed the Senate last session after...
 protracted consideration, but was late...
 in reaching the Commons. Sir John...
 Thompson, however, gave the House...
 assurances that the measure as amend-
 ed by the Senate would be re-intro-
 duced this session. In moving the second...
 reading of the bill, this afternoon, Sir...
 Mackenzie Bowell referred to the...
 facts and said the bill was identical...
 the same as that of last session, with...
 the exception that a few incongruities...
 in last year's measure had been...
 removed. There was no change in the...
 principles of the bill.**

**Senator Scott said he failed to see...
 the necessity of any demand for such...
 legislation since last session. The...
 judgment of the Imperial Privy Council...
 declaring that the Ontario Insol-
 vency act was within the purview of...
 the local legislature had given that...
 province a law which differed from the...
 proposed measure only as much as...
 it had not the provision for the dis-
 charging of insolvents and the province...
 of New Brunswick had passed similar...
 legislation in view of these facts he...
 saw less necessity for the amendment...
 than there was last session and in ad-
 dition the machinery for enforcing the...
 bill's enactments was much less ex-
 pensive than that required to enforce...
 the proposed law. He was in doubt as...
 to whether he would seriously con-
 sidering the bill, unless the Govern-
 ment intended that it should be passed...
 by both Houses of Parliament at the...
 next session.**

**Senator McMillan, of Hamilton, was...
 in favor of the bill as it would secure...
 the insolvency of the assets of the...
 insolvents among creditors and pro-
 vide for the discharge of insolvents, a...
 provision not at present in any of the...
 enactments. He thought a universal...
 law should be passed to apply to all...
 debtors and was in favor of the...
 measure as it was in favor of the...
 bill in the right direction.**

**Senator McLeellan, of Kaubach, and...
 Primrose having spoken, Senator Mc-
 Clellan, in view of the fact that the...
 measure was not passed last session...
 the people and then asked for legisla-
 tion to force immediate payment under...
 the penalty of compulsory insolvency.**

**The Insolvency bill of 1895 had been...
 a curse to the country and its repeal...
 in 1880 was heralded with bon fires...
 and general rejoicing. Some members...
 might vote for this measure because...
 of their respect for the Premier, but he...
 knew that if they had to obtain the...
 approval of their constituents they would...
 not dare to do so. He warned the Gov-
 ernment that if it forced this bill...
 the result would be defeat at the polls...
 at the next election. He thought...
 he knew would kill the measure any-
 way and he appealed to the Govern-
 ment as a favor to withdraw the bill...
 or he would be forced to oppose it at...
 every stage. He then moved a six...
 months' adjournment.**

**Senator Bellrose was opposed to the...
 bill, but would not vote for a six...
 months' adjournment. Senator...
 of Capreton, was opposed to the measure...
 as it would give dishonest merchants...
 a discharge from their just obligations.**

THE CAT: The Dicky bird don't seem to be in it, does it?

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THE GRAND LODGE OF CANADA.
**And American and Foreign Masonic News...
 —Recent Craft Topics Discussed.**
 The Freemason for May returned...
 editorially to the recent removal of...
 George W. Mason, of Toronto, from the...
 executive system, appointed officers, and...
 a number of other important Masonic...
 subjects besides the usual budget of...
 American and foreign news.

NOTE IS A WELCOME SOUND.
**Notes of Thankfulness Heard in the Land...
 and its Significance.**
 The warm wave is upon us. After late...
 never. Its advent was known yes-
 terday by the new straw hats for both...
 sexes, which were everywhere in evi-
 dence. Dime's had a rushing day in...
 this line. They have the latest and...
 newest stock in Canada. Specimens of...
 thousands are on view in their King...
 and Yonge-street windows. They are...
 considered at this approaching meeting...
 of the Grand Lodge of Canada in this...
 city, combine to make this number the...
 brightest and best yet issued.

**Why the Toronto Rowing Club Drink...
 Beer.**
 Because the members of the club believe...
 it to be the most healthful mineral water...
 sold in Canada, and it keeps them...
 in the best condition. It is for sale...
 at all first-class hotels and clubs.

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 sider which...
 the sale...
 in auction...
 the taxes one cent. They were...
 anxious for office for the public good...
 but a more hungry looking lot of...
 the seekers it would be difficult to find...
 (Laughter.) He proposed to examine...
 into their record and show how by their...
 blundering, stupidity and incapacity they...
 were hauled from power by an...
 indignant electorate.

SEND
 He discussed these matters because...
 Mr. Davies had said last night that if...
 the Liberals ever got into power they...
 would do just as they did before.

SEND
 Wrong on Every Great Question.
 If the public records of this country...
 were consulted it would be seen that...
 the Opposition had been wrong on...
 every great public question on which...
 they have declared their policy. (Loud...
 cheers.) In 1871 Mr. Mackenzie...
 had advocated a cheap narrow-gauge...
 railway with steamers on the lakes...
 instead of a broad-gauge road for the...
 Northwest and British Columbia. Look-
 ing back now Mr. Mackenzie might...
 be wrong?

SEND
 Dr. Montague, Mr. McMillen says he...
 was right. Well, Mr. McMillen has...
 always been a power behind the scenes...
 Then Mr. Davies in 1880 had condemned...
 the Canadian Pacific Railway contract...
 said that there would be no escape...
 from the heavy obligations it involved...
 except by annihilation. He proceed-
 ed to quote from the observations of...
 Messrs. Charlton, M. C. Cameron and...
 other Liberal leaders with regard to...
 the C. P. R. and again asked the ques-
 tion which party was right and which...
 was wrong?