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HISSED IT DOWN.

Pro-Boer Resolution Met With Lively Reception at a Republican Convention.

Peoria, Ills., May 11.—At the Republican State convention held here yesterday, after the platform was read endorsing President McKinley, and calling attention to the prosperous condition of the country "under the wise, businesslike and patriotic administration of President McKinley," Miles Kehoe, Chicago, presented an attendment expressing sympathy for the South African Republics, but it was lost to a storm of hisses and shouts of disapproval, and the platform was adopted as read.

Against the Opening of the Canadian Exhibit on Sunday

At the Parls Exhibition-The Government Urged to Withdraw it Altogether.

Ottawa, May II.—In the House yesterday Mr. Charlton brought up the opening of the Canadian exhibit in Paris on Sundays, protesting against it. He quoted a despatch sent out from Ottawa to the Government organs, saying Mr. Tarte had not been able to secure the closing of the Canadian exhibit on Sunday, Mr. Charlton said that the United States buildings, therefore, were to be the only ones closed on Sunday, and he would like to know the character of the protests made by the Government, and why made by the Government, and why they had been ineffectual, while those of the United States had succeeded. As a Canadian he felt annoyed that the United States should enjoy the distinction of pre-eminence in Subbath observance. He wondered if it were possible for Canada to range herself alongside the United States in this

Mr. Fisher explained that the reply to the Government protest was that the imperial commissioners had de-cided that the British exhibit should be open on Sunday, and it was not possible to make an exception of the exhibit of any one of the British colonies. Mr. Fisher then cabled to Lord Strathcona to move in the matter with the commissioners, but only re-ceived a letter in reply that he would try and have it done. Then Mr. Tarte was communicated with, and urged to have the Canadian exhibit closed on Sundays. Mr. Tarte wrote back that he had failed, after discussing the question with the commissioners, all the other national exhibits being open Sunday. No reference was made to the United States being an exception, and he was of the opinion that all the exhibits would be open on Sun-

days.

Mr. Charlton—That's a mistake.

Mr. McMullen added his grotest. He
did not believe the people of Canada
would endorse the keeping open of
the exhibition on Sunday. He thought
the people would a long way prefer
to withdraw our aid to the Paris exhibition altogether, rather than be a
party to the open desecration of the party to the open descoration of the Lord's day in that country. If the people of England chose to keep their exhibition open all Sunday that was their own affair, but if we had either to follow their course or withdraw to follow their course or withdraw from the exhibition, the Government would be assuming a grave respon-sibility, under any circumstances, in consenting to the desecration of the

Lord's day.
"I should be prepared," said the member for North Wellington, "to support a resolution to withdraw member for North support a resolution to withdrawour exhibit altogether rather than be a party to keeping open the exhibition on the Lord's day. He could tell the Minister of Agriculture that the professing Christian people of this country will expect him to make everyspossible effort to have our exhibit closed on Sanday. And," he added, "if Mr. Tarte is in Paris as the representative of the Government and this country, he had better at once set about seeing that the re-ligious convictions of our people are

respected."
The Government made no response o this, and the discussion ended.

FELL FROM A LOFT.

As the result of a fall from a loft James Tinline, a well known farmer, died at his residence, lot 3, Con. 12, Orford. He was aged 67.

ALL SORTS

Descendants of the missionaries in the Hawaiian Islands constitute about one-twentieth of the white population exclusive of the Portuguese.

In Russia it is not considered good form for a girl to dance a whole walts or polka with one partner. Three or four men dance a round or two each with the same lady, returning her to her original partner at the end of the

had on, viz., stockings, shirts, underclothes, outside clothes and cap, were store. spun, woven and made by his mother.

Kansas is to have a cucumber farm on a large scale. The project is to plays, secure 1,100 acres near Lawrence, on the line of the proposed electric rallroad. The cucumber crop matures just as the school term, ends, when

pickers can be easily secured. An interesting subject of discussio in the mining press of Europe is as to the location of the oldest coal mine in Europe. According to Herr Frantz Buetigenbach, coal was mined before 1113, and it has been thought that coal

was first found in the Liege District. A large icicle fell from the roof of a mill in Winooski, Vt., to a roof un-derneath, and went through to the floor, smashing everything in its path. It took several hours to clear away the debris and repair the roof. The icicle was about seven feet long and very large in proportion.

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Her Head a Fright.

"Large sores covered the head and face of our child," writes C. D. Isbill, her original partner at the end of the dance.

A man went into a store in Fairfield, Me., the other day and remarked that everything, excepting boots, that he had on, viz., stockings, shirts, under-

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George Gordon Martin Advocates County Councillor Jonas Gos

plicants for this fat position may well ponder on the old adage-"Great men's promises, courtier's oaths, and dead men's shoes, a man may look for but men's shoes, a man may look for out not trust to." It is said that in lawish promises Messrs. Ferguson and Pardo have advanced so far that, either to proceed further or retreat means political destruction. They are now at the Kroonstadt of the position, and like Shakespeare's musical colts have made "a mutual stand." They are now not only counting the numerous noises of the aspiring panumenous noses of the aspiring patriots, but the prospective votes, as the result of their decision. It is not a case of a high office looking around a case of a high office looking around for come good man; but that of a howling army of piruetting, dancing dervishes racing after the office. The struggle has long ago degenerated into a veritable dog fight, where the canine that has the greatest death dealing bow-owing lung power is likely to get the bone of contention. It is a trite saying that, "Sir John Barley-Corn is the strongest knight." The Mowat and Hardy governments always armed this warlike knight capape during election times, and great pie during election times, and great was the slaughter of the Conservative Philistines. The dogma of the Grit party was and is—"Be wise this side of heaven." While the Planet and other great leading journals were for years exposing the concord be-tween the Mowat and Hardy govern-ments and the liquor traffic, the Globe and little parasite press were HOWLING IN HOLY HORROR

at the imputation, and pouring Te Deums into the ears of the good, docile temperance paople, and ramming down their throats the proud cry.—'Is not this the great temperance Babylon that we have built?' But the Grit party found it difficult,' if not impossible to long hide an odoriferous political skunk. The prophet was apt to enquire as to the ominous meaning of the lowing of the cattle and the bleating of the stolen mutton; and besides, same iniquities have an exas-peratingly strong effluvia that "winna ding," as Burns would say. The liquor ostrich managed to conceal its ugly hulk fairly well here, by skilful poli-tical management until the death of Mr. Campbell caused it to emerge holus bolus out of the sand bank. The stake was too great for any cere-monial nonsense and here is just where the assumed power and genius of Sir Irish Jack-Falstaff burst upon a dreamy sea of glory. Mr. Holmes, as license commissioner, was supposed to have the whiskey snake well in hand, and his heel in close juxtaposition to the reptile's head. But alas and alack! the serpent liquor traffic was warmly cuddled in his patriotic bosom and a laughing comedy upon Eden again enacted, with this difference, that neither of the high contracting parties was deceiving the other. It was a case of mutual admiration.

The result of the appointment to this office will exactly show whether the Government and the liquor traffic are in close partnership to debauch the electorate of Ontario, as the Con-servative press long ago fully proved and exposed, Mr. Pardo will have to come squarely out from behind the chicken coop and put in his little nay, nay, or yea, yea, and amen, without nay, or yea, yea, and amen, without any hunkerslooking. The whole pro-vince is waiting for the decision, and a great deal depends upon it. The temperance people have had so far not only faith in God, but also in Mr Pardo.

THE OBJECTION

is not to Mr. Holmes personally — al-though he is the least qualified of all the applicants—but, like Banquo's ghost, he "comes in such questionable shape" that he must be spoken to and challenged. There is surely a better way of getting to this high office than by riding the liquor influence to it, with Irish Jack as groom in waiting. You can say from me that Mr Ferguson is no party to such an un-holy alliance, and as he is the senior M. P. P., and it is East Kent's turn, anyway, what Mr. Ferguson says will have to go in the ultimate analysis.
I understand that a lawyer is not going to receive the position for political reasons, otherwise Walter Mills was scheduled for the position, and it is just possible he may get it after all. In the selection of a capable lay-man there is no necessity invoking the assistance of the liquor traffic as represented by Irish Jack, or otherwise. There is a candidate in the field who perhaps made less bluster and noise but bucked more wood than any of them. I mean Jonas Gosnell, of High-gate, a member of our local parlia-ment at Harrison Hall. No man in Kent has stronger claims on the party than Mr. Gosnell, and no layman in the county is better qualified to fill the position. Whig and Tory would all agree to dance the reel of Tullochgorm on the appointment of Mr. Gos-nell, He is now the firm nominee of Mr. Ferguson, and Mr. Pardo will show good, sound judgment in second-ing Mr. Ferguson's choice. Ferguson & Pardo may rest assured that the Government have been kept fully in touch as to the consequences: that would result by making an appointment that would ratify and prove close fellowship with the liquor inclose fellowship with the liquor interests. The opposition is praying all the political gods that their nominee may succeed. It would be a club that would be handled with murderous effect next election. The unsophisticated Moubite temperance people installed the present Government to curse the liquor traffic, and behold! they have blessed it altogether. The temperance leaders here say, that all of them cannot be fooled all of the time.

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Enormous Increase in Planting This Year.

What One Man Made by Holding on

During Dull Times. Toronto Weekly Sun

The county of Kent is the principa factor in bean production in Ontario. In '98 out of a little over 45,000 acres in beans in the whole province, nearly 29,000 acres were located in Kent county. Chatham is the local market for the beans produced in Kent, and J. B, Stringer & Co., of Chatham, are the principal dealers in that line in Western Ontario. John B. Waddell, of the Stringer Co., has furnished The Sun with this interview on the bean situation:

"There will be a considerably increased acreage of beans in the Ontario bean district this year over last, owing to the higher values which prevail for the carrent crop. It is expected that something like 30,000 or 35,000 bushels will be planted in Kent and Elgin, mostly in the former, which is the banner bean producing district of Canada. The yield under ordinary conditions ought to be about 750,000 bushels. This production, if realized, will give a splendid surplus for export.

"In the United States beans are produced principally in Michigan, Wiscon-"There will be a considerably in

"In the United States beans are produced principally in Michlgan, Wisconsin and New York States. Our advices show that for the same reasons which prevail here, viz., high prices, the acreage of beans will in those States also be away in excess of last year. A good crop or an average crop, will, therefore, naturally mean lower values than now prevail. "However, you cannot always depend on a full yield. Last season, for instance, there was a good acreage of beans planted. But the heavy rains in the early part of the season k ed off many of the blossoms , while the drought which followed materially helped to lessen the crop, which in many cases was a partial failure The good prices obtained for what were produced, however, hav encouraged the raisers, as I said be fore, to determine to plant more ex tensively this season than ever."
Outside of Kent the principal producers are Elgin, with 3,185 acres in '98; Lambton, 1,173; Welland, 905; Middlesex, 857; Norfolk, 747; Simcee, 614;

Hastings, 484; Prince Edward, 463; York, 427; and Ontario, 424. FROM A BEAN-GROWER. William Simpson, of C. Farm, Ridge town, is one of the biggest bean-grow-ers in Kent county. When beans were selling at 75 to 90c in Toronto two years ago, Mr. Simpson had about 2,000 bushels of his own growing in his barn. He believed they were worth \$1, and held on. He kept on holding until he got up to 2,500 bushels, and then sold, when prices went up, at \$1.20. Mr. Simpson has just re-turned from spending the winter in California, and is much improved in health by his 5,000 mile trip, and long vacation. In a letter to The Sun, he says he finds, since his return, that nearly all the fall wheat about Ridgetown has been plowed up, and that the plowed-up ground will be planted in beans. Owing to the plowing up of the wheat, and an increase of over 100 per cent in bean prices in two years he expects the area of the beam crop in Kent this year to be treble what it

BEAR LINE.

The Ladies' Aid have their autograph quilt nearly finished, which they are going to sell at their picnic on the 24th of May. The picnic is to be held in McFarlane'c grove on the 7th Con., Dover, near Hind's Church.

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HOOLEY AGAIN ON TOP

Alleged to Have Been Granted by the Czar Right to Work Siberian Gold Fields

London, May 11.—The Daily Mail asserts that the concessionaire to thom Emperor Nicholas has granted the right to work gold fields, 8,000 the right to work gold fields, 8,000 square miles in area, in the Nertschinsk region of Siberia—fields which are the Czar's private property, and have been hitherto worked under the direction of his private cabinet—is Mr. Ernest Torah Hooley, the London financial company promoter and speculator, and who narrowly escaped prosecution on the charge of fraud. Mr. Hooley, who is described by the Daily Mail as apparently again in the greatest affluence, says, in the course of an interview, published by the Daily Mail:—'By a single move I have won everything back, and I am again on top. A company has been formed, and capital to the amount of \$5,000,000 has been secured. Every member of the Czar's cabinet is interested, and two of his strongest terested, and two of his strongest councillors are on the board of directors. The other directors are business men. There are no titled names. I have had enough of earls and lords as

She Decided to Remain. "I will," she exclaimed, "I will not live with you another day!" "You leave me, will you?" he calm

ly asked. "Yes, I will." "When?" "Now-right off-this minute." "You'll go away?"

"Yes, sir. "I wouldn't if I were you." "But I will, and I defy you to prevent me. I have suffered at your hands as long as I can put up with it."

"Oh, I shan't try to stop you," he quietly replied. "I'll simply report to the voice that my wife has myster-lously disappeared. They'll want your description and I will give it. You wear No. 7 shoes; you have an extra large mouth; you walk stiff in your knees; your nose turns up at the end; eyes rather on the squint; voice like

"W: etch, you woul int da e do that, she screamed.

"I certainly will and the description will go in all the papers." They glared at each other a mo-ment in silence. Ther it was plain to be seen he had the dead wood on

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