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EXECUTIVE RESPONSIBILITY.

Under the heading "The Functions of Parliament," the Toronto Globe, discussing the introduction of a measure pro widing for a number of rail way subsidies

Those who say that railway subsidies

any member of the house of commons. to show his independence, votes against those grants which the government deems necessary, he will be likely to pay dearly for his rashness at the next election. After all the government is in a better position to judge of the m: of a railway grant than a majorit : the members of the house of commen and while it may be true that the in .. tions of that house as a deliberat body seem to be in a state of susper. it must be remembered that the functions have been deliberately . rendered by the choice of an executa-Just as the functions of the electors surrendered to the members they ale-If a government does not perform burned cut, but it would be absurd for should be done as follows:its creators and supporters after entrust. ing it with power to raise difficulties over

svery small item of expenditure.

agant and needless expenditures were the result. The present system may not be perfect, but it is a great improvency but in economy.

AN UNPATRIOTIC PARTY,

exported from the ports of Canada." not, of course, suit the "haul-down-theould do the winter business of Canada, to think that this great love of Portland, Me., which the Tories so frequently express and which they really seem to feel will need some explaining when another eneral election takes place.

THE CURE OF CONSUMPTION.

These was well at rall way substition.

The way had rall way substition from the control of the seriously criticized by the members of memory of deceased relativer. One was one that can never be assimilated. But Its own party in the legislature, and if given by a Toronto gentleman, who has the strongest reason against Cuban an-Branswick has a similar institution.

THE ANNEXATION OF CUBA.

States and devotes a long article to that nate Spain. subjec . It vary properly condemns the longer maintenance of the system of THE SOUTH AMERICAN ALLIANCE. military rule which now prevails on that island, but it does not suggest that Cuba

It strikes us, in view of the facts above noted, that the iron is now hot to strike for Cuban sunexation. There Before a railway subsidy can reach the stage of heing placed in the estimates it has to pass through a very severe ordeal, not only in the government but in the press. Every new railway project is freely discussed and military occapation after order is established and true is always imminent. made the subject of many articles long lished, and rivers is always imminent Cleveland's famous Venezuela message list of the London Graphic who is in the before its promoters are ready to ask the government for aid, and that aid is not likely to be granted unless good leasons and especially for that of Cuba, that the Cleveland's famous Venezuela message list of the London Graphic who is in the Philippine Islands has penned the most secretary of state. Olney. In the latter severe indictment of the generalship of Otis that has yet been seen. He says:

island and Spain, and engaged in a war which might very well have been avoid-

ed. Well, Cuba is free from the yoke of Spain, but it is still subject to the miliment on the old plan, not only in efficiis no talk of restoring it to the freedom which the people of Cuba demand, the right to govern themselves. In this case the pretence cannot be set up, as it has The Sun is engaged in booming Port-been with regard to the Philippines, that and, Me., as a port for the export of the Cubans are not capable of self-gov-Canadian freight and as a summer resort. We presume that this love for a foreign port is in accordance with the settled policy of the Conservative party. blood, while the other third are At all events, it is the very opposite of negroes who formerly were slaves or the Liberal policy which was enunciat- mulattoer. As the Spaniards enjoy of the St. John exhibition, when he said, as the United States there is no reason "I will never be content until every dol- to doubt that the Spaniards of Cuba are lar's worth of the products of Canada is quite capable of setting up and maintaining a government of their own, Such That is a policy for a party to be proud a government may not be the same as of, and one which will commend itself to the United States would give them, but all the loyal people of Canada. It will they have clearly a right to such a gov-British-flag" Toronto Mail, the chief if it is not quite perfect, according to the organ of the Tory party, or these senators American standard. No one will pretend who defeated the Yukon Railway bill to say that Cubs is not likely to be quite whose hopes are at Washington, or the leaders of a party which continued to any of the South American republics make Portland the winter port of Canada of Spanish origin. The Cubans have not for six year, after the short line was yet descended to that level of savagery opened. It was this same party that rethat is shown by the Southern mobs of used to equip the Intercolonial so that the United States who burn unfortunate negroes at the stake. Perhaps when the and which opposed the taking of that Cubans become citizens of the great rerail way to Montreal where it could ob- public they may change their character tain through freight. We are inclined sufficiently to be able to claim kinship

It is to be hoped that the movement

already made a gift to the sanatorium of nexatisn is the fact that the Cubans do \$5,000 in cash. It was stated by some of not want to be annexed and that many the speakers at the ceremony referred to of them are prepared to fight against it that this Gravenhurst sanatorium has Unless the United States government no rival in Europe or the world. We gives some indication of its intention to gives some indication of its intention to withdraw from Cuba it wish not be many months before there will be another Cuban rebellion or insurrection, and such a rising would be hard to deal with. Indeed, we cannot see that the hope it will not be long before New withdraw from Cuba it wis not be many The Boston Herald comes cut squarely United States are better prepared to cope lion of Mexicans with 20,000 troops, they for the annexation of Cubs to the United | with such a rebellion than was unfortu-

A Fouth American alliance against the shoud be given its independence. On United States would be a new develop- curate description of the situation in the duties wisely and honestly it can be the contray, it sums up what it thinks meat in the political game, and while Philippines; at least no one has underthe present rumors in regard to the taken to contradict it. It is in accordformation of such a compact may be pre- ance with previous letters from the same majure it is quite likely that the most quarter and with the reports of returned prominent men in the South American soldiers, all of whom express disgust republic have such a scheme in view. with the management of the Philippine Indeed an arrangement of this kind for campaign by General Otis. This coma grasping neighbor who practically pears to be a bungler, who does not even authority over them has been among know enough to keep his lines of comthe probabilities ever since President munication in good condition. The art-Cleveland's famous Venezuela message ist of the London Graphic who is in the insulting terms that the United States "If this campaign were conducted by ment is anxious to grant money in any ment is anxious to grant money in any chaps unless there are good reason for doing so, and probably no railway sub-sidy nos ever been granted in Canada and especially for that of Canada and especially for that the United States in aulting terms that the United States in aul

taken now. According to the despatches, which come by way of London, Brazil and the Argentine Republic, have already arranged the preliminaries of an alliance against the arrogant assumptions of the United States, and the representatives of Chili and Uruguay are to meet with the representatives of Brazil and Argen tine for the purpose of giving their adhesion to the new arrangement. These four states are the most powerful in South America and they are steadily growing in wealth and influence since revolutions as a means of electing a president have been given up. If they have agreed to combine against the United States, Chili, Paraguay and the other South American states will certainly join them, for any local jeslousies that they may have would disappear in danger is annexation to the United States or the exercise of such authority on the part of the latter as will reduce their importance and power as independent nations. The South American republics desire neither of these things, and therefore they will be wise to guard against them by a combination. This will prevent the usual policy of divide and conquer from being carried out, for cated an attack on one would be an at-

cause of this new awakening on the part of the South American republics, but with the lynchers of Alabama and Tenmessee.

When the president and congress declared that it was not their intention to
annex Cuba we ventured to state that
this declaration or promise would be
wholly disregarded when the Ameritans obtained possession of that island.
And now we find one of the most
respectable newspapers uphlished in the

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more recently they have been threatened
with attempts to control them politically.
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Was there has never been any reason to

months after arrival here, and then begin to succumb to the various ailments of tropical weather. This is exemplified in the cases of the volunteers and those regulars who have been in the Philippines since lest summer. The most of them are saturated with malaria. Many have rheumatism, and all are greatly debilitated. They are unfit for further duty and recuperation seems slow and unsatisfactory. As it is with them, so it is likely to be with their successors.

will have a duplicate picture at close range of the situation in the Philippines, with the exception that the climate of the Philippines is from ten to tifteen degrees more tropical than that of Mexico.

This statement appears to be an ac mutual protection by these states agains | mander of the United States forces ap-

that was not fully justified by the circumstances of the case.

In the old days before executive responsibility, when any private member could imitate a money vote there was much discussion in p riliament over the same granted, but for less care of the public money than there is at present. A system of "log rolling" was introduced by which members voted for the grants promoted by others in consideration of that island was not to be making Cuba free that the promoted by others in consideration of their support for the grants which they were promoting themselves, and extrav
To the old days before executive responsibility, when any private member could imitate a money vote there was much discussion in p riliament over the fourte of Cuba that the president of the United States and both houses less than a year and a half ago solismly declared that the annexation of that island was not to be public money than there is at present.

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Mr. S. D. Scott has been giving the readers of the Sun and the Halifax Herald some valuable opinions in regard to number of ministers there cught to be in the government of Canada. Mr. Scott in the government of Canads. Mr. Scott seems to be greatly worried because the farewell sermon tonight as pastor of the Free Baptist Church and goes to Bates Callege next fall to pursue studies. Several Monctonians left last night for lighted by a Conservative premier only a few years ago. Mr. Scott, however, expresses a great deal of sympathy for Sir Richard Cartwright "whose practical effacement is a mournful spectacle to these who remember him in other days. The Well Known Resident of Gibremember the vile and venomous abuse that the Tories have been hesping on Sir Richard for the past thirty years and which has been extended even to his father and grandfather, the latter of a well known resident of Gibson, died at whom was the object of a scurrilous at his home there yesterday after a lengthy tack by S'r C. H. Tupper only four or five years ago. Mr. Scott will perhaps, dry his eyes and cease an ffling when he learns that Sir Richard is not effaced, but is among the most influenc al members of the cabinet.

Business has been unusually brisk on the Canada Eastern railway during the past few weeks. The results trains

Railway Wreck in France.

Paris, Aug. 6—The official investiga-tion into the collision last evening at Juvisy, a suburb of Paris, on the south-Juvisy, a subarb of Paris, on the south-ern side, between the Orl-ans liners Paris and Nantes train and the Paris and Lyons Mediterranean train, shows that seventeen persons were killed and seventy three injured.

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a foot caught in a wheel. When the

BEVERLEY JEWETT DEAD.

son Succumbs to Cancer-Corpor ation Drive Proceeding Slowly.

Fredericton, Aug. 7-Beverley Jewett.

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The Sun says that Sir Wilfrid Laurier "adroitly shelved prohibition for a year."

For how many years did the Conservative party "shelve prohibition?" The only thing that the present and the conservative party "shelve prohibition?" The corporation drive in charge of

with an alliance such as has been indicated an attack on one would be an attack on all.

The recent imperialistic policy of the United States has been the immediate tive party "shelve prohibition?" The corporation drive in charge of Herbert Aitken was at Coale last evening and was making rather slow protein the people in such a way that they could say whether they will be into the boom limits before the end of this week or the grat of next.

Canada's Bisley Team.

the way of ent-rtaining, and remarked that the Canadian camp had this year been noted for its lavish hospitality.

Dewey Banquetted.

NAPLES. Aug. 6-Mr. Lew's M. Idd. ings, secretary of the United States embassy, and Mrs. Iddings, who arrived here yesterday from Rome for the purpose of welcoming Admiral Dewey, gave a nanquet tonight in his honor at the

a hanquet tonight in his honor at the Hotel Roya!. The room was richly decorated with flowers and hung with American and Italian flags.

The gueets included Lieutenant-General Boylino, of the 20th Military Division; Vice-Admiral Gonzoles, commandant-in-chief of the Naples Maritime Department; the prefect of police, Capf. Benjamin P. Lambton and four officers of the Olympia, Mr. R. C. Parsons, second secretary of the embasey; Mr. H. de Castro. U. S. consul at Rome; Mr. A. Byngton, U. S. consul at Naples; Mr. Byngton, U. S. consul at Naples; Mr. Charles M. Caughy, U. S. consul at Messina, and Dr. Harale.
Mr. Iddirgs torsted King Humbert President McKinley and Admiral Dewey

To Build the Gaspe Railway.

Toronto, Azg. 6—A special to the world from Montreal says: "It now appears the long deferred extension of the Aflantic and Lake Sups for Railway to Gaspe Basin is to be entered upon immediately. Berryman, the E., has just completed the exploratory survey from Bart David Company at the tops of 90. Port Danil to Gaspe, a distance of 90 miles. The inland route to be taken and the section from Gazps westward are to

