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GETTING IN TOUCH.

Government during the recess. The

spending some weeks in the country west of the lakes. The Minister of Agriculture is to visit the western experimental farms during the present come West soon, though his age will probably prevent any lengthy itinerary. The Minister of the Interior is staances and have been buying large-West after returning from his trip to ly on the strength of their improved American ports. If any such thing as Britain. The Premier may visit Edmonton next month. This is a satisfactory indication of the desire of the Government members to get personally and intimately in touch with conditions here and to secure first hand knowledge of what is needed from their various departments. It is significant of the tremendous change in buying at home and from them. They his business for him. Whether the the Western country by the Government of the Dominion. It is not so long since the visits of Federal Ministers to the West were like some other visits, "few and far between." Then "Canada" meant the eastern provinces. But the West of today is not the West of even ten years ago. Increase of population is winning for us a steadily increasing representation many, whose object is to make strong only guarantee of quality demanded Principal Bryan's successor at the in Parliament and a more audible ically, too, the West has made good. Canadian products. The expectation ship-builders may establish such repuis not therefore the latitude for skepticism regarding our future that existed a few years ago. The question is not now whether the West will ficiently both why the German people continue to buy their boats in Brimoney on Government enterprises and why Canada, ought to want to trade public services, but which of the with them. Germany has now upworks should be undertaken first. The wards of seventy millions of people country has passed the problematical and cannot produce a half of the farm stage when eastern members and per. products needed by them. Her imhaps Ministers too, wondered whether ports last year included animal prothis country was after all pretty much ducts, \$76,000,000; butter, \$20,000,00; ly as it now is, in the hands of the payers. of a false alarm, and considered the cheese, \$7,000,000; eggs, \$37,0000,000; firms on the Clyde. In which event, reservation of judgment and post- apples, \$7,500,000; breadstuffs, \$189,of wisdom. There is now on the part skins and furs, \$78,000,000; leather, of Ministers and of leading members \$13,500,000; oil cake, \$23,500,000; seeds, of the House's clear and enthusiastic \$11,250,000; wood, \$64,600,000. These recognition that the West is and will are the dimensions of an enormous dements. Seeing is believing when the been a great mistake. West is the object of vision. The Ministers are seeing the West and themselves testify to the belief their

THE "WHY" OF IT.

a reality instead of a sham by uni-

offshoot of the Old Land.

THE GROWING REVENUE.

customs return is about the last ba-Secretary of State took a leisurely feeling themselves in better circumconditions and prospects. That the of the buying has been done abroadto the disgust no doubt of the parties the ship-building trades that he i to their chariot wheels. These gentlemen are unctuous enough in urging conditions, and has to call upon the the consumer to display his loyalty by corresponding and cimplimentary lov alty by rejoicing when the consumer

A MARKET WE NEED.

representations to the Government to by the prospective purchaser anytheir surplus products to supply their recently published figures shows sufferent, of course, the yacht buyers will ponement of action to be the course 500,000; fish, \$16,000,000; hides and more duty against the terrible Briton. be all that it has been claimed for mand for exactly the kind of products it, and that its equipment with the Canada is growing in larger quantities tion by a letter requesting that the public works and services which it is than she needs and for which we are new market square be paved. It is the business of the Federal Govern- looking for customers abroad. The to be hoped the proposal will receive ment to supply should proceed as commercial aspect of the case aside, favorable consideration and that i rapidly as possible. The question of too, the opening up of trade should will be construed as a suitable occathe hour is where to begin and what make mightily for the preservation sion to take up the whole matter of to do first. The probabilities are that of the peace. If the German people the markets and settle it finally and Western Canada will make large in- were dependant on us for a large part in accord with business prudence. At roads on the Dominion treasury in of their national food supply that present we are in the position of havthe next few years for the erection of country would not be very likely to ing spent many thousands of dollars public buildings, the construction of provoke hostilities with us. Trade for sites which are robbed of their public works and services which it is makes friendship and Canada could usefulness for lack of being put in tal and customs systems, and other not discharge a more signal service condition. The old square has been agencies of civilized life which are to both powers and to the race at an object of something other than supplied therefrom. We shall certain- large than to add the ties of self-in- beauty or utility for wany years. ly have to do so if these things are to therest to the forces that make for Without a shelter of any kind busi

observations induce. There is every on foreign-built yachts. That they thing of horror to the house-wife, who reason to hope and expect their faith should have to do so, or think they would like to go there to buy her farm will be attested by the appropriate have to do so, should be amazing and produce direct from the producer. In At a recent banquet tendered him is a tribute to that gentleman which ever the weather proves stormy. Now by the Eighty Club Mr. Asquith turn any man ought to be proud of. The that we have two squares we will have ed aside from the stormy controversy United States has the largest steel double the unseemliness and unsaniover the budget and the Government's producing concern in the world, mak- tariness if we handle the two as we social reform program to indicate the ing steel more cheaply than it was have handled the one. It has been essential principles on which Liberal ever made before, and claiming to sell demonstrated to conclusiveness that ism rests and for which it exists. it for less money than the consumer without payement we cannot properly With characteristic force and grace was ever asked to pay for it before. I drain a market square, and that with-"As regards the Empire, to secure of the finest ship building timber in kept fit for people to use. The sense

"As regards religion, to remove from barrel" to put into private yachts for of some sort should if at all possible the odium of an alliance with po-their amusement, should go across the be erected before cold weather sets in "As regards trade, to make it world- water for them, violating every canon A bar to action in this direction has ride by opening our own markets here of their professed fiscal doctrine and been a lingering notion that we may home to everybody; leaving undeveloped one line of insome day want to plant a fine city "And, finally, as regards the liberty dustry in which by all the conditions hall on the central square and that leaving undeveloped one line of in- some day want to plant a fine city of the individual citizen, to make it of nature they should today be pre- we would then have to remove the standard of humane conditions both in the factory and in the home."

The standard of humane conditions both in the factory and in the home."

It is they have done, and market building or have the aesthetic laste wounded by the proximity of a bring his favorite project to a head These trite axioms are not the small industry. Why it is small, or Well, it will be some years before Edground work and basis of Liberalism one of the reasons of it, was suggest- monton has a quarter or half a mil- it was voted down by a majority One year U. S. Post Office address. 2.00 in Britain alone. They convey the ed some years ago, when Mr. Hill, of lion to put into doric columns and the council.

All subscriptions are payable in spirit and purpose of Liberalism where the Great Northern railway, after gothic windows and swelling domes ever and h ever it is found. Through allegiance building two tremendous ships in a that we do not need and are getting to these cardinal principles Libera: New England yard declared flathy along very nicely without. At present suit. The voting shows that ism has won its triumphs in Canada, that he would never do it again. The we need a market building very much and while the party remains faithful new tax reinforces the fact of the more than we need a city hall. When to them it will continue to shape the supremacy of the British ship-builder, the time for the latter comes it will city would likely have been up known facts of the case that gentle- for both without doing serious violence gade, as a number of the firemen man has been importing fir from Brit- to the law of appearances.

future and mould the destiny of this According to this tax and to the wellish Columbia, teak from Australia Everybody who does not want the mahogany from Panama and Africa, public forced to buy his goods regard- steel from Germany and the United less of their cost and quality will be States, has been working these up into satisfied with the steady and large yachts and selling them to the milgrowth of the national revenue. The lionaires of New York and Boston cheaper than these gentlemen could cona schools for the fall term is now rometer to record the return of good get them built at the doors of the completed. On Saturday afternoon jaunt through these provinces during times; after a period of depression Steel Trust or on the margins of their people do not and can not resume own illimitable forests. His competi- accept the principalship of Grandin large buying until they are out of tors in the United States could pay school, made vacant by the appoint the woods, and the revenue does not no higher tribute to his industrial ef- ment of E. L. Luck to the Col grow until the goods have been actu- ficiency than by declaring, as they ally brought into the country. That do declare, their own inability to work where he has been vice principal of shall & Gabb. Mr. Carey took posthe revenue is working rapidly back up their own steel and timber into the public school. to its normal place is evidence that ships of as good quality at as low a Canadians have been for some time price as he demands for transporting had received a more lucrative offer in the materials across the ocean, build- Kingston, Ontario, he would not acing the boats and returning them to pride in their work exists among them of Neepawa, Manitoba. In the High lumber yard for excursion and freight disturbance. The merchants of the revenue is increased by their purchit ought to be a matter of humiliation school the same staff as last year will purposes, was launched on Saturday town are greatly depressed concerning the context of the ling the line and line in the line and line an ases means of course that a large part to every American ship-building firm and to every mechanic employed in

who would have the purchasers tied forced to admit his inability to meet competition under so advantageous do not, however, usually display a force will get for the United States ship-builders what they admit they cannot get for themselves remains to be seen, but it does not seem likely Strathcona Board of Trade, informs the does not seem likely Strathcona Board of Trade, informs the Bulletin that he has received a British ship-builders have made for themselves a reputation of building past few weeks. A league has been formed in Ger- the name of the maker is about the

set aside the prohibitive duties against where in the world. The United States chosen by the Department of Educa-It has gone through the experimental is of course that if this were done the tation for themselves, but they are vice-principal of the school and a about ABSORBINE as a cure for Short It has gone through the experimental stage and demonstrated that it is the biggest half of Canadian surtax on German goods and the people of the biggest half of Canadian in resources and promise as well as in area. There their surplus products to supply the surplus products to supply their surplus products to supply their surplus products to supply their surplus products to supply the surplus products over to them regardless of what qual respective wants. A glance at some ity they put into the work. In this justify the expenditure of public want freer trade with this country and tain, for they are not men to stickle Large Majority in Favor of the Conover a few dollars' duty when superiority of construction is at issue. The probabilities are that the United States builders will build poorer boat and demand more for them, and that

THE MARKET QUESTION

of course there will be prayers for

The local secretary of the Farmers' Association has brought the market question again to the council's attenbe kept abreast of our advancement. peace between the British and Ger- ness cannot "3" carried on there in It is satisfactory, therefore, to find the man Empires. We should overlook very sid or very warm weather. With-Ministers touring the country, giving no oler irom Germany to reonen the out pavement and efficient drainage in personal attention to its conditions channels of commerce which she saw cannot be carried on in wet weather. and "sizing up" the requirements in fit to close some years ago but which At the time when early vegetables connection with their several depart- some of her people now see to have are or should be on the market, the square is a quag-mire, resembling nothing so much as a wretchedly kept barn yard—a thing of terror to the The United States is to put a duty farmer with a loaded wagon and a is essentially funny. The blow, or winter when certain classes of prosupposed blow, of course is to be duce are usually at the highest point struck at the British ship-builder. It the market is out of business when The United States has, or had, forests out drainage it cannot be made of secure by divesting it of injustice; ing business it was the New England make the expenditure of some use. "As regards political authority, to States. With these resources it is The squares should be paved, if not make it stable by resting it upon the an anomaly that the men of New York this fall, at least before the wet broadest possible basis of popular reand Boston who have money "by the months of next summer. A building

STRATHCONA NEWS

TEACHING STAFF IS COMPLETE The teaching staffs of the Strathing, of Saskatoon, that he would Institute staff. Mr. Fleming has Prince of Wales Hotel at Wetaskiwin. taught at Saskatoon for some time, The former owners were Messrs. Mar-Strathcona was first offered to Hump-

The new principal of Duggan school dition for modern languages in the course of the next two weeks.

The marriage took place at the lines as the "City of Strathcona," C. Bowen, in the presence of a few river for a number of years. friends of the contracting parties.
E. T. Baines, secretary of the na Board of Trade, informs

large number of inquiries about business openings in the city during the which opens at Rockliffe August 30. Mr. Bains is of the Lieut. Col. Brown, Ottawa, has been 'honest' vessels, so much so that opinion that the fall months will see appointed chief executive officer with a great improvement in local condi- Major R. O. Montgomery, Toronto,

tion in the person of W. H. Thompson, B.A., who for some time has been recent letter stated: "There is no doubt

NEW FIRE HALL BY LAW ENDORSED BY RATEPAYERS

struction of the New Building
This Season—Result of the Vote of the Ratepayers Monday.

The by-law calling for an issue of the remedy and draw out the inflamma-The by-law calling for an issue of the remedy and draw out the minimum of the balloon in an opposite direction, pacity enough to cut a full swath at a \$15,000 debentures for the building of tion. ABSORBINE at druggists \$2.00 over Mer de Glace, where it disapt ime. The Massey-Harris Fleating a new fire hall in Strathcona this year her bottle or sent express prepaid upon peared in the mist. Captain Speiter Elevator Binder is without a doubt the

is practically now an assured fact is largely due to the energy of Alderman submit a debenture for the fire hall Alderman Richards persevered how

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ever, and had the matter brought up the ratepayers.

be possible to find room on the block against th proposition of a paid timated that they would not live insanitary, for another winter The Dominion Securities Co. urchased the recent issue of deben-

ures, have intimated that they will take the fire hall debenture at the same price as their recnt purchase the new hall, so the work will likely be proceeded with without further de-

C. W. Carey, proprietor of the Strathcona Hotel, has purchased the The position in session last Monday and will conduct the hotel in connection with the ne Strathcona.

NEW BOAT LAUNCHED.

teach and there will also be an ad- and will be ready for use in the new boat, of which an extended des business on a cash basis only, during cription appeared recently in The Bulletin, while built along the same Baptist parsonage on Saturday after- much larger accommodation and will Waren McRae, of carry between five and six hundred ton of coal ever taken out of the nation to use tariff coercion to keep Strathcona, and Miss Effie May people. She is a stern wheeler and his business for him. Whether the Moore, of Lanell, Minnesota. The will be considerably faster than the ceremony was performed by Rev. J. Strathcona, which has plied on th

Ottawa, Aug. 9-The entire Bisley

J. L. Dexter, East Orange, N.J., in a stify to its value for the cure of She the ABSORBINE full strength two three times a day, and at night after pplying the ABSORBINE, spread on a cating of soft wet clay made in the form of paste, 'Inis will dry and crumble off before morning, but for the new hours it remains meist, it will sweat in

ESTIMATED DAMA'GE TO SPRINGHILL MINERS CROPS, ONE PER CENT.

Winnipeg Expert Figures Out Loss This Year so Far is 1,000,000 Bushels-Entire Yield Expected to be 130,000,000 Bushels.

Winnipeg, Aug. 8-Thomas Acheson. eneral grain agent of the Canadian Pacific railway, states that reports of strike is ordered, by which the miners any damage to the grain owing to the of the Cumberland Railway & Coal but he does not anticipate anything out by order of the United Mine

From the beginning of the season Mr. Acheson has kept a faithful re- the miners, when 1,200 were assemb ord of all damage to growing grain, and the amount covering the three nd Alberta, will not reach more than .000,000 bushels. .

CUMBERLAND MINES CLOSED ,200 Men on Strike-Miners at Two

Other Mines to Quit. Springhill, N.S., Aug. 10.-Mines the Cumberland Railway and Coal comany here are completely tied up to work today in accordance with the and remain idle until the Cumberare about 1.200 men out. It is report-River Herbert will also go out. The miners at Joggins are all United Herbert are non-union men. Mr. J

R. Cowans' general manager of th the men did not return they would be permanently out of the company' would close down the mines for an ining the outlook and now it is con sidered they intend to conduct their has An official is claimed to have stated North Slope. It is alleged that it has percentage of dusk of slack produced, but it has been worked to furnish men with employment.

Vincent Brennen, of Detroit, Got In Windsor, Ont., Aug. 9.-For speed and nearly running down the chief police. Vincent Brennan of Detroif, take them back except at a reduction as arrested here. As a peculiar mark, of ten per cent. f his objection of Canadian laws and attempted to tear it into shreds. The streets were crowded at the time badly had not a cordon of police Peterson was in her twenty-fourth year: mickly surrounded him and his ma-

BALLOON DISAPPEARS

eived of the balloon Sirious, which never did the farmers r tempt to cross Mont Blanc. After it ing capacity enough for heavy crops. the balloon in an opposite direction, pacity enough to cut a full swath at a the business will continue to be largethe business prepare the butter of receipt of price. Write today for free
the business prepare the business

ON GENERAL STRIKE Management Failed to Adjust Griev.

ances and at a Mass Meeting Miners Decided to Quit Work-Colleries Will be Closed for In-

Springhill, N.S., Aug. 9 .- Another orm will not reach him until today, Company at Springhill will be called Workers. The decision to strike was

ed. The resolution declaring a strike provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan unanimously. The resolution adopt d was as follows: "Whereas, the miners of Springhill have various grievances which we have endeavored to have had adjusted

and through the method of concili 'Whereas, the various boards of onciliation have failed to give us

the desired relief. the Mine Workers of Springhill, ceas ted Mine Workers who refused to go work on Tuesday, August 10th, 1909, cision arrived at last night. There land Railway &Coal Company gran the following demands:

> cided by the Patterson board; th. the price per ton pe based on this andard and the miners henceforth be paid by the ton. 3rd. The establishment of a scho rulations as are necessary for the roper government of mutual inter-

Everybody is Called Out. The decision to strike calls ou

cept 100 men belonging to the Broth t will soon affect them because the fact that the mines are tightly tied been paying for years owing to a large up, and it leaves nothing for the railway men to do, and they will be idle whether willing or not. pany are none the less determined General Manager J. R. Cowans will stating that if the men desire to re old wages and terms, but if they do not return to work and he has

McDougall Ave. from tuberculosis. Mrs The funeral will be held tomorrow after chine. Yesterday he was fined \$25 in noon at 2 o'clock from the residence on

Paris, August 10.-Up to 2.15 6'clock Never in the history of Alberta were eft Chamouni on Sunday in an at with a floating elevator that has elevatad risen 200 yards the wind carried Do not buy a machine that has not ca-

qually violent fever i results of a di the air will th England's sight navy scare, di

UNIONISTS FIGHTING

This Week Promises Fierce of Struggle - T. P. O'C Cable on Events in Brita

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speech, while narter of a

flict over the budge ceedings suddenly Trish members of the land bill eral days, Asqui with the Czar an while Lloyd-George Except for some dian deportations The agitation then of parliamentary

their speeches. The Tories boast that city and length. On the the ministry now is n all recall to push the and will certainly succ ed, are much discourage excited in the masses, an vitalizing effect upon the at all the recent elections some slight signs of a ing temper among the probably the time for su still far off. All the sa George, strengthened ard party, possibly, wil hands are greatly streng the bestowal of additional greatest hustler ever in chair since the days of the speaker, Reed.

KING GUSTAVE INTERV Sweden's Monarch Essays

Great Striks, But Fails Stockholm, Aug. 8.-The the business of the country sult of the general strike ous that King Gustave has i in an effort to secure a co Today he sent a message ties in conflict, exhorting come to an agreement at possible moment and ration of the disputed que was after King Gustave's 1 been read and approved meeting Saturday that the moned to the place the

Sydeow of the employers a Lindquiest, president of

not yet appeared, but appar King's efforts for a peaceful of the trouble was without tonight it was announced the National Labor Union proclamation that beginn driver is not wearing a un exception, it is stated, would for owners driving their o The union further attempt rate the attempt or the street car company to star tomorrow on the important the aid of the company's graph and telephone emp strike on Wednesday.

The Employees' Associa ing out \$400,000 daily to a weaker men. The cash in ation's treasury is suffic up this support for three when the funds in the t exhausted the ass serve fund of \$4,500,000, to be used. The strikers da mark, Norway, Finland, Ge Belgium.

Vaudeville War in Los London, Aug. 8.-A high deville war is to begin h merly the home of cheap open up as a variety hor been leased by the Willi Inc. and will be in compe Shea's vaudeville house.

Returns Via Canada

London, August 9.-Sir premier of New Zealand. Canada, en route for hor ust 21st.

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"OLD CHUM"

CIGARETTES

Equal in Quality to the well-known pipe=tobacco and specially blended for cigarette smok= ing

"As regards the Empire, to secure of the finest ship building timber in kept fit for people to use. The sense of the world of almost untold extent and versity and the fullest liberty of self-development in all its members; value. If any country ever had the squares and get our money back or put in the other money necessary to secure by divesting it of injustice; ing business it was the New England make the expenditure of some use.