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PERSONAL LEGISLATION.

Mr. Foster takes a sound position on the matter of the pension to Judge Killam. There is no particular reason why Mr. Killam should be treated differently from other appointees to the position which he is taking. The bill before the house is a mate to one brought forward by the government a few years ago. This measure provided that when a judge who had been made a lieutenant governor retired from the latter position he should under certain circumstances be entitled to a pension. The purpose of the bill was personal and it was generally known for whom it was intended to provide. But before it was too late some friend of the late Mr. Mercier discovered that the act would call for a pension to Mr. Angers, the governor by whom Mr. Mercier was dismissed and who afterwards became a Conservative minister. When this awful discovery was made the bill was withdrawn by the minister in charge.

A TROUBLED GOVERNMENT.

Premier Parent, of Quebec, has taken into his ministry Mr. D. Monet, of Naperville, the only Nationalist comrade of Mr. Bourassa in the last house of commons. Mr. Monet, who is a clever lawyer, refused to be a candidate for Ottawa, saying that he could not afford to pay his own election bills, and could not use the general campaign fund without the loss of his independence. But when Mr. Parent appealed to the province Mr. Monet ran in Naperville against the Parent candidate. In spite of the premier Mr. Monet was elected. And now on the eve of the session Mr. Parent has called Mr. Monet to his cabinet.

But this conciliatory proceeding has made a new trouble. Mr. Parent's colleagues do not like it. It was said yesterday that three of them had resigned on account of the new deal. There is no doubt that the majority in Quebec provincial politics are at each other's throats in the most sanguinary way. This seems to show the wisdom of Mr. Flynn's refusal to make a party fight in the last election.

UNHAPPY MR. ROBERTSON.

It would be interesting to have the candid opinion of Mr. George Robertson on the provincial government reconstruction. One would also like to have the views of the St. John supporters of the Tweedie government on the matter. There is something pointed in the way that Mr. Robertson has been set aside on this occasion. The government may have thought that he could not be elected, but that is a situation for which the government is itself responsible. Undoubtedly the ministry greatly weakened itself by long postponement of the elections. If the shuffle of offices was intended to disqualify Mr. Robertson by leaving the vacant place a legal one the device adds insult to injury. But Mr. Robertson has a dock enterprise on his hands and doubtless Mr. Tweedie and Dr. Pugsley consider this sufficient to gag him.

RUSSIA AS SHE IS.

On Monday the Star will begin the publication of a series of papers on life in Russia. They are from the pen of Rabbi Robinson, of this city, who was born in Russia and spent his youth and early manhood there. These sketches, which were written for the Sun and the Star, will appear twice a week, probably on Wednesdays and Saturdays, after the first paper. They deal with all phases of Russian life and manners, especially with the military organization, civil government and official methods. The papers are simply what they profess to be, leaves from a note book, and are crowded with illustrations and anecdotes which are exact reports of things that happened within the observation of the writer.

According to Broughton Bradenburg, author of a series of articles in Collier's on "Our Imported Criminals," the number of Chinese in the United States is decreasing very rapidly. Thirty years ago there were nearly 200,000 Chinese in America. In 1890 there were 126,778 and in 1900 only 119,000, including 26,767 in Hawaii and 3,116 in Alaska. Mr. Bradenburg believes that forty years more of the closed door ought practically to eliminate the Chinese element in the United States.

The way to expose the Blair-Russell conspiracy is to expose it. What is the use of Mr. Logan and men of his class making all this talk of crimes and criminals? Mr. Blair is in plain sight. Why do they not punish him if he has committed a crime? The rude expression "put up or shut up" might be used to Mr. Logan.

Mr. Ross is at present engaged in cursing the day that Lord Aberdeen came to Canada. If he had not established the rule that defeated governments should not make appointments, Mr. Ross might now provide for many hungry friends.

The country people are not impressed with the new highway act in its application to road breaking. Nothing useful seems to have been done except by those places which paid no attention to the new law.

And now Aid. Christie has come out against trained nurses. The world will have to move backward with remarkable speed to get in line with the reactionary representative of Lansdowne ward.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier is nerving himself to the loss of his right arm. The operation occurs today.

Not even a forecastle member for St. John. What is the matter with Mr. Purdy?

REV. JOHN DE SOYRES.

The sad announcement of the death of Rev. John de Soyres will come as a painful shock to our readers in the city and province. There were few ministers in the Anglican communion, or in any branch of the Christian church in Canada, of more conspicuous ability as a preacher, or of greater distinction as a scholar than the pastor of the Stone church. But in this community, where for seventeen years Mr. de Soyres has been known as a most eloquent and popular preacher and lecturer, where he has taken his full share of the duties of citizenship, and has devoted his fine talents with splendid enthusiasm to the advancement of the people about him, his death will make a great gap. Others will speak of the services of Mr. de Soyres to the Church of England in Canada, and to his own parish and congregation. It may be said here that during his residence in this place he was one of the strongest intellectual forces in the city and that he exercised an important influence on the side of culture. A city like ours, which does not abound in men of letters, could ill afford to lose such a man, even if it did not at the same time lose one of its foremost clergy men, and one of the kindest-hearted of its people.—Sun.

REAL PHILANTHROPIST.

He never built a library—
He didn't have the cash;
He didn't seek to turn the world
From follies vain and rash;
And yet he loved his fellowmen
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He scattered alms on the walk
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"There's nothing like a good cup of Tea," said the sick soldier in the Crimean war. Was it Tiger Tea they had in those days? That little blue and white labeled packet, called TIGER TEA, is pretty well known now.

DEATHS.

GILMOUR—Suddenly, in this city, on Thursday, Feb. 2nd inst., Robert Gilmour, in the 62nd year of his age. Funeral services at late residence, corner Union and Patrick streets, commencing at 1:45 p.m. on Sunday.

LINGLEY—At her home, Charlotte street, West End, Feb. 2, 1905, Jessie, beloved wife of Arthur Lingley, aged 47 years and six months, leaving a husband, two sons and two daughters to mourn their loss.
Notice of funeral hereafter.
—Boston and New York papers please copy.

WETMORE—At Clifton, on the 2nd inst., Howard B. Wetmore, in the 64th year of his age, leaving a wife and six children to mourn their loss. Funeral on Sunday at 1:30.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Thomas Trahey of Parraboro has received the contract from A. and R. Loggie of Loggieville, N. B., to build for them a schooner of about sixty tons register, to be used in their fish business. He is now at work getting out the frame, and the keel will be laid at Riverside shipyard and the work proceeded with as soon as the weather conditions will permit.
Assessment Commissioners Slavert and Estabrooks met last evening and discussed information which had been received from other places. J. B. M. Baxter, secretary, was also present.
Baird & Peters yesterday received word from Barbados to the effect that another increase of one cent per gallon had been made in molasses.
Col. Alpersen, the copper magnate, who has been spending a few months in New York and other American cities, arrived in the city yesterday. The colonel says that while in New York last week a blizzard of such magnitude raged that he could not reach his hotel, although it was only a few blocks away. New Brunswick and New York apparently were visited by the same storm.

Y. M. C. A. WILL POST REPORT OF RACES.

In a letter received from Jimmy Price, the skater, today, it is said that the North End flyer is going very fast and expects to do some winning at Montreal this afternoon. On the other hand the condition of Hagen and Daley, the other St. John men, is not considered very "fine." Merritt is now at Montserrat after his racing at Lake Saranac, as is also Logan, who won a second in a three-mile event. Merritt was third in the half-mile, with Wood and Bellefleur as first and second. It will doubtless be of interest to all Price's friends to learn that a full report of the races in Montreal this afternoon will be posted in the Y. M. C. A. rooms this evening. Price has promised to wire the results.

A FEW TESTIMONIALS FOR

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Mirrors, with elegant gilt frames, 25 per cent discount.
Best Silver Plated Nut Bowls, regular price \$7.50; sale price \$5.65. Regular price \$7.00; sale price \$5.25. Regular price \$5.00; sale price \$3.75.
Best Plate Bead Pattern Entree Dishes at \$15.00 and \$17.00, less 25 per cent.
Hot Water Kettles in best Quadruple Silver Plate. Regular price \$20.00; sale price \$15.00. Regular price \$15.00; sale price \$11.25.
Silver Tea Pots, best quality plate, Ebony handles, at \$6.00, \$7.50, \$11.00 and \$12.00, subject to 25 per cent discount.
Table and Banquet Lamps at 33 1/2 per cent. discount.
Soaps, Perfumes and Playing Cards at special prices.
Silver Candelabra, best plate, in French grey finish; 5 lights. Regular price \$12.00; sale price \$9.00.
Silver Candelabra, 5 lights, bead patterns. Regular price \$9.00; sale price \$6.00.

Silver Candelabra 3 lights, bead patterns. Regular price \$7.50; sale price \$5.00.
Exquisite Pierced Silver Nut Bowls, gold lined. Regular price \$12.00; sale price \$9.00.
Cream and Sugars in the French Grey finish, Rose pattern, gold lined. Regular price \$6.50; sale price \$4.65.
Others at \$6.00, in best plate, bead pattern. Sale price \$4.50.

**Special for Today in
Ladies' Pocket Books**

Ladies' Combination Pocket Books and Card Case in tan and grey. Regular price \$1.00; sale price 69c.
Ladies' Morocco Pocket Books with clasp, in tan and green. Regular price \$1.25; sale price 98c.
Ladies' Black Seal Pocket Book and Card Case Combined. Regular price 75c.; sale price 50c.
Ladies' Brown Imitation Alligator Pocket Book and Card Case Combined. Regular price 50c.; sale price 33c.
Ladies' Black Seal Pocket Book and Card Case Combined. Regular price 50c.; sale price 38c.

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