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INSPECTION OF THE TEETH OF CHOOL CHILDREN.

A meeting was held at the Dr. Adams Dental Institute in Toronto the other night to discuss the public school dental problem. The princial of one of the public schools presided and a number of leading dentists were present. The unanimous opinion of those present was that the teeth of children should be regularly examined in school. Dr. J. B. Willmott showed that owing to the neglect of children's teeth they became B. Willmott showed that owing to the neglect of children's teeth they became chronic dyspeptics in after life and in thousands of cases early mortality was the direct result of dental neglect in childhood. Dr. Wilkinson described harrowing cases in his experience where frightful ulcerations and disease had been consequent upon neglected teeth. He said that a very sad feature which came before the medsad feature which came before the med-ical men at the Hospital for Sick Chil-dren was the terrible suffering of children was the terrible suffering of children, particularly girls, whose pain from other illness was aggravated by excruciating toothache, for the relief of which in their debilitated condition it was unsafe to resort to extraction. All this suffering might have been avoided if the teeth of the children had been regularly examined and sired for at school.

All the returns in South Ontario are in and Hon. John Dryden's net majority is exactly 100.

The Whig canno tendorse the doctrine enunciated by Mr. Tarte, that because the government is realizing a large revenue it should spend more money.— Kingston Whig, Liberal.

To prevent any differences of opinion over the matter, Mr. Tarte should see that the Whig gets a dredging con

The movement in favor of having-the teeth of school children regularly inspected is a most commendable one, and we trust the idea will be carried out. Haif the dentists would have to go out of business in a few years if, children's teeth were properly cared for—Toronto World.

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And it speaks well for the dentists to say that it is members of their profession who are advocating the official inspection of school children's teeth.

The tobacco growers of Essex county are getting alarmed about their pros-pect for a market this year, and are organizing to maintain prices. At a largely attended meeting in Kingsville a motion was passed binding those present not to sell their White Burley tobacco for less than 12 cents and to hold cigar leaf at 18 cents at least. Meetings will be held throughout the county, and every effort made to get all

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Woman's right to get off a street car backward has been vindicated. The New York, Court of Appeal has upheld a verdict giving a female plaintaff damages for an accident, which the company defendant held and fairly groved, was due to her trying to alight with her face to the rear of a car when said car was still in motion. The court said car was still in motion. The court however, has not undertaken to solve the problem why all women get off care in this way.

Wm. Lawson, another returned Klon Wm. Lawson, another returned Klondiker, who has just arrived in Hamilton, says that all charges are "true
enough," and that it is high time for
the government to clear out the "crooked officials." It is not likely the officials will care much if they are cleared
out as long and they have made their
pile. The mere removal of its crooked officials by the Laurier government,
will neither satisfy outraged justice or
repair Canada's injured reputation.
They should go to the penitentiary.

The firemen must not imagine King street is a race course. It is no place to gallop horses at any time for testing purposes much less on a crowded after-noon. It was only a dog that was run over yesterday. Next a slaughtered woman or a maimed child as well as a few runaway horses may frescoe the breakneck career of the fire hall team along Chatham's main thoroughfare. Surely, in dry weather, quieter streets could be found for testing horses.

The efforts to get the Liberal party together are meeting many obstruc-tions. At a meeting in Vancouver, called to create "a strong and united" organization for effective work, a Mr. McLagan was proposed as a member of the executive committee, whereupor the reports say, Hon. Joseph Martin jumped up and objected to have any-thing to do with an organization in which there was a gentleman who had called him a common thief. The chairman had some difficulty in suppressing the two gentlemen, but the end of th cutcome was the election of Mr. Mc-Lagan. Now the question is, what is Joseph going to do about it.

> THE PROGRESS OF COURTING. Exchange

Courting a girl is like starting a newspaper. It starts out a weekly, then becomes a tri-weekly, then merges into a daily.

A VICTORY FOR THE MACHINE.

The Mail.

Mr. Calder put up a spendid fight in South Ontario, and the Province owes him a debt of gratitude. He is defeated for a time, but with honor. Before long we shall know more of Mr. Dryden's campaign, and its multifarious details. Nobody is so weak as to sup-pose that there is a change of public opinion favorable to the machine.

CARRIED BY CROOKEDNESS

Toronto World. The weakness of the Hardy outfit has een somewhat overestimated. With ctual dissolution in sight, the government yesterday made a superhuman effort—and caught its breath again. It was a terrible wrench, however. united resources of two governments centered at the same time in a single constituency, it would have been surprising indeed if Mr. Hardy didn't carry the day. The Dominion govern-ment was almost as much concerned in the result of yesterday's election as was the Ontario cabinet. Sir Wilfrid courier would dread making an appeal to the country while a Conservative covernment was in possession of On-ario. He could no more afford to

the old hulk through the murky sea. It is just possible the Hardy government may retain its grip on the treasury benches until the two parties engage

Instine Man Wounds Nine Fellow Employes.

know just when your lungs become affected, so gradual has been the change, but sooner or later you awaken to the awful truth that you have consumption, for which there is no cure.

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## HE TALKS SENSE.

Hon. Nr. Foster on the Prohibi tion Question.

He Thinks the Temperance People Were Only Allowed to Fire

Montreal, Nov. 3.—George E. Fos ter, ex-Minister of Finance, who is strong prohibitionist, in an interview published in the Witness, strongly ortiticises the Government for its action n the prohibition question. In reply to, the question whether, with a clear majority given by seven provinces, any Government would be justified in permitting an adverse vote in a single province to prevent the will of the seven provinces being carried out, Mr. Foster said:— 'Well, in order to do so, the constitution of the country would have to be radically altered. There would be one of two alternatives—either the Government must claim to regard the majority as 'neufficient, or it must take the position that the attitude of one province shall prevent legislation for the whole country—a position which, of course, from the constitutional point of view, is quite untenable."

"If you were a Minister of the Crown, Mr. Foster, would you feel justified in introducing a prohibitory law in riew of the vote just polled?"

"That would depend upon the antecedant circumstances. It would devent upon the conditions laid down be fore the vote was taken. In this case there were no conditions laid down be fore the vote was taken. In this case there were no conditions laid down be fore the vote was taken. I fully understand that it is idle to pass a prohibitory measure unless you have a preponderating public opinion in its favour. The question is a grave one. I should have thought out conditions which the vote should reach, and the realization of which would have justified a prohibitory measure.

"Clearly the temperance people of the country have been put in a hole by the action of the Government. They have not reached the splendid showing which they were able to make in the provincial plebiscites. They are given something which they did not ask for, and it was never meant that anything should happen. The temperance people were made to fire blank cartridge." criticises the Government for its action n the prohibition question. In reply

consumption. Two-thirds of all lose fouth Ontario than Mr. Hardy could A defeat yesterday, meant actual estruction for the one and the probable defeat of the other at the next general election. It would have been a figure out what change you have escaping the consumptive's grave. It is so easy to neglect catarrh and low it to run on and on, increasing the every fresh cold, until it insidially works its way into the lungs and lower ones consumption. It is so that the next general election is the probable defeat of the other at the next general election. It would have been a kindly act if destiny had decided in the I gave myself up to my salvent ones above. We have been a kindly act if destiny had decided to the probable defeat of the other at the next general election. It would have been a kindly act if destiny had decided to the probable defeat of the other at the next general election. It would have been a kindly act if destiny had decided to the probable defeat of the other at the next general election. It would have been a kindly act if destiny had decided to the probable defeat of the other at the next general election. It would have been a kindly act if destiny had decided to the probable defeat of the other at the next general election. It would have been a kindly act if destiny had decided to the probable defeat of the other at the next general election. It would have been a kindly act if destiny had decided to the probable defeat of the other at the next general election. It would have been a kindly act if destiny had decided to the probable defeat of the other at the next general election. It would have been a kindly act if the probable defeat of the other at the next general election. It would have been a kindly act if the probable defeat of the other at the next general election. It would have been a kindly act if the probable defeat of the other at the next general election. It would have been a some probable defeat of the other at the next general election. It would have been a some probable defeat band was advised to get Dr. King's New Discover for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I gave it a trial, took in all eight bottles. It has cured me, and thank God, I am saved and now a well and healthy woman." Sold by all druggists. 50c. and \$1.00. Guaran-teed or price refunded.

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UP THE CREEK.

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Flora Douglas, Dundas, is the guest of Mrs. Jim. McCormick.

Will. Merriam has leased G. L'ane's place and will move next week.

Geo. Smith is crippled with a big carbuncie on the knee.

Bridge End Patrons are arranging for their annual oyster suppor.

The Tilbury riflemen failed to arrive at the Harwich butts Tuesday.

High prices ruled for live stock at M. Arnold's sale, Wednesday.

Francis Stewart, Wailaceburg, is riends on the creek.

West is being damaged by a small-white grub.

Very slow progress is being made with the building of the new iron bridge.

Though "Rifels" will engage the Har-

oridge.
Tilbury "Rifels" will engage the Har-wich Rangers at the butts here next The H. R. C. are arranging for a natch with the Howard Rifles next

match with the Howard Ritles next Thursday. Thackeray, Havre, Mont., who has been visiting here, 'left for home Monday.'

W. Ferguson fell off a fence while hunting the other day and broke the stock off his \$75 shot gup.

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