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THE REVOLT IN ONTARIO.

Even more significant of the Liberal revolt against the anti-Liberal policy of the present government with reference to the school question in the new provinces than is Sifton's resignation, is the attitude of the Toronto Globe. The Globe is a power in Ontario and no great newspaper in the country has given Laurier more steady support, through good and evil policy, than it has. If anything has weakened its influence of late it is the idea that it has been too subservient, that it stood ready to swallow without a grumble any dose the machine at Ottawa chose to connect. But even the Globe has been unable to stomach a dose which Laurier himself, only eight or nine years ago, labelled as poison. It refuses point blank to accept the doctrine that the coercion which Liberals resisted on behalf of Manitoba shall be imposed by Liberals upon Alberta and Saskatchewan. Every day since the autonomy bill was brought down it has argued forcefully against the separate school clause of the autonomy bill, and in so doing it undoubtedly reflects the opinion of the great majority of those in Ontario who voted for Laurier only four months ago.

Last Monday the Globe published an interview with Premier Haultain of the Northwest Territories, strongly protesting against federal interference with the rights of the new provinces to choose their own school systems. Tuesday's leading article was an emphatic endorsement of this protest. In the course of the article it says:

"There is difference of opinion among both Protestants and Roman Catholics on that question. But were separate schools immensurably superior to public schools the argument would still hold against the proposal to make the establishment of separate schools a permanent constitutional obligation on the new provinces. Premier Haultain declares that he would favor the continuance of the present system, and that he would be 'averse to imposing any system upon a large body of citizens against which they entertain conscientious objections.' Why not leave the question of education to him and his colleagues in the new provincial governments? It belongs there by the terms of the Confederation Act. If it is dealt with at Ottawa there may develop opposition from the provincial governments, not because they would abolish separate schools, but because they would resent federal dictation in matters of provincial rights. If the people of Saskatchewan and Alberta want separate schools let them have them on their own motion and in the way provided by the constitution. If they do not want them any attempt at constitutional compulsion, even if it succeeds, would awaken antagonisms which would embitter local politics and be disastrous to the separate schools themselves. And for that proposition we can ask the support of Catholics and Protestants alike: It is not a question of religion or racial controversy. It involves the principle of provincial rights. On that ground all classes and creeds can stand together."

QUEBEC AND CANADA.

Mr. Sifton's resignation is a fact. Representing the Canadian west he has withdrawn from the government as a protest against the compulsory establishment by the government of separate schools in the new provinces. And rather than recede from his position Laurier has let him go. Indeed, Mr. Foster asserted in the house yesterday that Mr. Sifton's departure was accelerated, that he has been the victim of a freeze-out conspiracy similar to that which was worked against Mr. Blair.

If this be true—and certainly the circumstances attending the hurried preparation and introduction of the autonomy bill in Mr. Sifton's absence lend credence to the theory—it simply means that Quebec, and all that word stands for, is in absolute control of the government and has again dared to defy the rest of Canada. From no other province than Quebec did there come any demand for such interference with provincial rights in defence of the spirit of our constitution. No other province except Quebec is pleased with the government's declaration that there will be such interference. Ontario is in revolt against it and is ignored. The west is alive with angry protest as an expression of which Mr. Sifton has resigned and the west is also ignored.

Where is Laurier's cant about Canadian unity? In the last week he has sown more discord than he can allay if he speaks eloquently in two languages without intermission for the rest of his life. Had he followed the course laid down by the constitution and left the question of education for settlement by the provinces, the result of the election of '96 shows that he would have satisfied all Canada save the hierarchy. Whatever Mr. Sifton's political career may have been none can deny that this action of his is consistent and manly. And, if the signs fail not, this bolt of his is but the beginning of an avalanche which will test the strength of this Quebec autocracy to the utmost.

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The welcome given to Gen. Stoesel in St. Petersburg is characteristic of the gratitude of nations. Of all the Russian commanders he did the best work, fighting for months a hopeless battle, holding by sheer force of will a starving fortress against overwhelming attacks and surrendering only when the further resistance would have been inexcusable murder of his wasted troops. Yet he came home to coldness, criticism, forgetfulness—all that he did do obliterated in the popular mind because he did not accomplish the impossible. Well, if it is any consolation to Gen. Stoesel he has the knowledge that many other and even greater soldiers have had the same experience.

Now that Sir Mackenzie Bowell has flatly contradicted the explanation of the "nest of traitors" affair given by Mr. Haggart, who asserted that Bowell had agreed to resign in Sir Charles Tupper's favor and afterward refused to carry out the agreement, it is up to Sir Charles to explain his connection with that coup d'etat and settle the unpleasant business once and for all.

Honorable Tom Greenway, once premier of Manitoba and now a Liberal member of parliament is mentioned as Sifton's successor. In 1896 Mr. Greenway was as vigorous as Sifton in his defence of provincial rights; but he is either less particular than the late minister concerning sudden changes of policy or perhaps he needs the money more.

Perhaps the recent sun spots which have been blamed for the wretched weather we have been suffering are also responsible for the recent apparent ineffectiveness of certain sunny ways.

Tarte, Blair, Sifton. Next!

MY OWN FOUR WALLS.

The storm and night is on the waste, Wild through the wind the herdsman calls.

As fast on willing nag I haste Home to my own four walls.

Black, tossing clouds, with scarce a glimmer, Envelop earth with sevenfold palls; But wifely watches, coffee-pot doth

Home is my own four walls.

A home and wife I, too, have got, A hearth to blaze, what'er befalls; What needs a man that I have not Within my own four walls?

King George has palaces of pride, And arm-ed grooms must ward those halls; With one stout bolt I safe abide Within my own four walls.

Not all his men may sever this; It yields to friends' and monarchs' calls; My whinstone house my castle is, I have my own four walls.

When fools or knaves do make a rout With gignen, dinners, balls, cauls, I turn my back and shut them out—These are my own four walls.

The moorland house, though rude it be, May stand the brunt when prouder falls; 'Twixt screen my wife, my books and me, All my own four walls.

—Thomas Carlyle.

MEDICINE FOR HUNTERS.

(Forest and Stream.)
Did you ever notice how awkward one is with his hands the first two or three days on a trip in the woods? Fingers seem to get in the way of every axe, knife, fire splitter or thorn encountered, and the result is a pair of hands more or less damaged.

Adhesive plaster is found useful, but I have found a compound made as follows most useful and comforting: Equal parts by weight of Japan wax, mutton tallow and vaseline melted together. While warm add half as much glycerine. Fill a metal primer box with this and at night rub it well into the hands. It is neither sticky nor unpleasant, and will cure damaged hands or chapped lips very quickly. I have never tried to do so, but if raw lined oil will mix readily with this compound it will be found advantageous. Rubbing it alone on the hands is a good plan; but while it heals quickly all surplus must be rubbed off or it will ruin any fabric with which it comes in contact, and can never be removed in any ordinary way.

Tincture of iodine should never be omitted, as it is a rapid and certain cure for ivy poison, and will alleviate the suffering induced by the bites of chiggers, sand flies and mosquitoes. I consider it the most valuable item in one's ditty box for summer trips.

A three ounce bottle of equal parts linseed oil and lime water is worth its weight in gold for sunburn and for ordinary burns as well.

An ounce bottle of chloroform with sundy drive chiggers and ticks away. Lacking this use grain or wood alcohol. Either one must be applied locally, for these pests are not removed by ordinary means.

A tiny tin box of meucal ointment will prevent rust in firearm barrels in which nitro powders are shot if the barrel is cleaned thoroughly before applying the ointment on a cloth patch.

In places where sand flies and ticks are bad, it will prove the right thing for the occasion, though not pleasant to apply to one's person.

Shells or spar varnish will keep a cut closed if covered with a bit of muslin. A reserve supply of matches, the leads of which have been dipped in shellac and dried, should be kept handy in a vaseline bottle. These are "good" medicine when everything is wet.

THE COMING MUSICAL EVENT.

Leeds, the great musical centre of England, described by these words the entertainment of Frederic Dale's English Opera Singers—"A delightful evening of song."

Messrs. Baring Bros., who recently toured the famous band of the Grenadier Guards through the principal cities of Canada and the States, is directing their tour and that is a guarantee of the best available talent. In their selection of the Opera Singers they have certain claim to originality, as these entertainers possess a unique entertainment, with variety and lightness as its characteristics. To get real artists to perform light operatic music is to get a real and novel evening of amusement. The English Opera Singers boast of some excellent artists, each as good as can be obtained in their own particular line, yet it is collectively where they produce the effect that allows them to claim the title of "the renowned exponents of English light opera."

A perfect blend of voices, the daintiest of trifles from the pens of Sullivan, German, and writers of like kind, with picturesque costumes framing their evenings, such as "Jap" night and military, Arcadian and nautical programmes. Each a complete idea, presents a musical evening in the form of picture as well as in music.

Frederic Dale, in addition to forming one of the vocal quartette, provides an entertainment of his own entirely. He gives a humorous musical recital in the middle of the programme, consisting of original musical sketches. He is a fellow of infinite jest.

A complete and breezy little company who have produced their entertainment and have crowded success upon success for some years now, are setting out to tour the world with a confidence that betokens a genuine value of their ability. As a motto, Mr. Dale quotes, "Let's have fun with the music, but both must be good." Truly a happy combination. The company commenced a season of three nights at the York Theatre on Monday, March 13th.

HINTS TO PIPE SMOKERS.

Don't refill a heated pipe. Lay it away to cool; take another pipe and fill up with Rainbow Cut Plug Smoking Tobacco.

The effort to raise a fund of \$150,000 to establish a chair of political science in Western Reserve university as a memorial to the late Senator M. A. Hanna is meeting with gratifying success.

DEATHS.

STEELE—March 1st, Joseph W., the infant son of Elizabeth and Leslie D. Steele, aged 3 months.

Fernald, 230, Friday, at his father's home, 37 Spring street.

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LOCAL NEWS.

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The Allan Line str. Scyllian, from Liverpool, arrived yesterday afternoon and docked at six in the evening. She brought to this port four first cabin passengers, seventeen second, and twenty third. She landed \$84 at Halifax.

During a very enjoyable entertainment at the Seamen's Mission last night the following programme was carried out: Song, Miss Louise Nasse; recitation, Miss Low; banjo solo, Miss Carrie Baillie; recitation, Miss DeCue; song, Miss Gertrude Sturges; song, Miss Olga Smith. James Mayhew of the str. Manchester Commerce rendered some very choice selections.

The treasurer of the King's Daughters Guild acknowledges with thanks \$50 from Joseph Allison, \$25 from Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thomson, \$10 from Mrs. Franklin Stetson, \$1 each from Mrs. Sherman Peters (Gagetown), Mrs. W. H. Purdy, Mrs. J. Lawrence, Miss Blanch Thomas, Miss Helen Barker, Miss Alice Hox, Miss Jennie McLaughlin, Mrs. G. M. Campbell.

SCIENTISTS AND SMOKERS.
Scientists say that the rainbow shows what constitutes a perfect ray of light. Smokers say that Rainbow Cut Plug shows what constitutes a perfect smoking tobacco.

Justice David J. Brewer, of the United States supreme court for over half a century has been connected with Sunday schools as scholar or teacher. Ever since going to Washington twelve years ago he has had a class of adults. The justice says he frequently has been indebted to the Bible for sentences which have given emphasis to the thought and vigor to the argument of his legal opinions.

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BUSY MEXICAN MATADOR.
(Mexican Herald.)
Parrao was forced to kill five bulls out of the seven slain in yesterday's corrida, because Antonio Montes and "Falco" matadores alternativa, were each wounded in the sword hand in killing their first bull. Montes received the more severe wound, the flesh between the thumb and forefinger being split by the sword hand when he made his first thrust. "Falco" escaped with a sprain, but neither of the matadors was able after that to handle the espada.

The fight was exceptionally good from every view point, and Parrao covered himself with glory by despatching every one of the bulls, with one exception by a single neat stroke. Six bulls had been advertised, but seven were killed, the last being a present from Montes, whose benefit performance it was.

Of the bulls, the first three led into the ring were easily the best. Two of these probably were the fiercest animals seen since the opening of the ring this season. Skilful work on the part of the banderillos enraged them to a point where they made things extremely lively. The first animal killed five horses as fast as they could be brought into the ring and was despatching the sixth when the bugle was blown.

After the banderillos had been placed, "Falco" took the sword, but his aim in the first two strokes was not true and they caused wounds only. At the third the bull dropped. Parrao killed the second bull with one stroke and received an ovation from both sol and sombra sides. Montes, in slaying the third, made a good stroke, but his hand was wounded and he left the ring to receive attention for it just as the animal tottered and fell. "Falco" received his wound while stabbing the fourth and Parrao relieved him or the sword, finishing the bull and killing the following three animals. The fifth, sixth and seventh bulls were not equal to the first three in fighting qualities, and only by exceedingly clever work could some of them be made to attack. One had to be returned to the corral because he refused to fight at all, but when the oxen were turned in he refused to follow them, and subsequently had to be roped and dragged out.

Wu Ting-fang, formerly China's representative in this country, was regarded by other diplomats as a wonder on account of the way he could get through business. His successor, Sir Chentung Liang-cheng, has established a reputation outdoing that of the general Wu. He always gets his information for himself, never sending any of his attaches to the departments. He always wears the costume of his native land, his gorgeous robes being a familiar sight in almost every department in Washington.