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### Some Remarkable Bargains

### From Our Staple

### Department

It means a good deal to say that these are the most superlative bargains ever offered in our Staple Department, but it's the exact truth nevertheless, just as everything else is the truth that's printed in this space. We will mention Blankets, Linens and Gray Cotton. The Blankets are of fine quality and selling less than you can buy them for elsewhere. The Linen value is the result of shrewd buying in Belfast, before there was any raise in manufacturers' prices. While the Gray Cotton is sold at quite a little less than mill prices.

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y made and the best fitting custom-tailored ready-to-wear suits in the world, Don't confuse them with ordinary kind. They are garments that at all times show their merchant-tailor likeness, and at once reveal their virtues of style

# Sir Charles Tupper Believes There is no Doubt of it--Signs of 1878 Again Apparent.

Toronto, Oct. 22.—After three weeks strenuous campaigning in the Maritime provinces, Sir Charles Tupper arrived in Toronto Saturday. He is in the pink of health and laughingly declared he was fit for another three weeks' campaign. Asked as to the prospects in the East, Sir Charles declared his belief that the Conservatives would carry 15 out of the 20 seats in Nova Scotia. Prince Edward Island would return all Conservative members. New Brunswick would do better than in 1896. The keen fight in St. John between Mr. Foster and Mr. Blair, was going Mr. Foster's way, because of Mr. B'air's attitude towards the C. P. R. The Liberals in Quebec, Sir Charles declared, were

paralyzed with fear. Regarding Sir Wilfrid's charge that Sir Charles had one policy for Ontario, and another for Quebec, he said that it was false, as the fact that Messrs. Monk, Casgrain and Bergeron were being called traitors in Quebec

amply proved.

Sir Charles said he had no doubt
H. H. Cook's charge regarding the

senatorship sale was correct.
As to John Charlton's letter, As to John Charlton's letter, he considered it a straight slap in the face to the Laurier administration. Mr. Charlton's position as the leading independent Liberal in the party gave his utterance great weight, and showed that the party did not have confidence in the administration.

Speaking of Hugh John Macdonald's declaration regarding the duty on

declaration regarding the duty on agricultural implements, Sir Charles agricultural implements, Sir Charles said it was a personal matter with Hugh John, and had never been discussed by the party. Continuing, Sir Charles said: "I shall address several meetings in Ontario, at places where I promised to appear in the early part of the campaign, and have not had an opportunity to do so." I shall speak at Hamilton, London and Winder and at other towns and citr, and at other towns and cit-

ies to be announced later."
"Will the Conservative party win?" In Ontario, also the outlook is a Sir Charles' liking—it promises success to

the opposition.
"The Conservative party united, was never defeated," he declared. "It is united now. It will win. The signs which indicated the downfall of the Mackenzie government are present to-day. The story of 1878 will be re-peated. I have travelled from Prince Edward Island to the Pacific coast, I know the country. My meetings were greater than the meetings of Sir

Wilfrid Laurier and his colleagues. The revulsion of feeling against the Laurier government is everywhere

For Participating in a Scrap Arising Out of a Political Dispute.

"It may as well be understood right at the commencement of the election campaign that offenders against the peace, who answer for their conduct at this court, will be dealt with as harshly as the law allows. In the present case the defendant, Charles Bowers, undoubtedly did just what most ordinary people would do under the same circumstances and what might, at one time, have been considered honorable. However, his conduct was contrary to law and he must suffer the penalty of his actions."

With these words of warning Judge Houston at Police Court this morning delivered judgment in the assault case of R. H. Humphrey vs. Lyman and Charles Bowers, assessing the lat-ter defendant \$1 fine and \$2.25 costs, and dismissing the former and charg-ing the costs, \$2.25 against the complainant.

It appeared in the evidence that an political feud had been existing since last election, which arose from the swearing of the vote of the complaint ant by the elder defendant, who officiated as scrutineer. The old trouble bubbled up again the other day when election matters were under when election matters were under discussion. Someone remarked that he hadn't visited Wallaceburg and heard the orution of the Premier. Mr. Humphrey said that he hadn't missed much, and thereupon the elder Bowmuch, and thereupon the elder howers smiled a smile that was supposedly sarcastic. This irritated Humphrey and he said things and said them hard, waitzing toward the old gent teman meanwhile. The son, Charles, took up his case at this point. Charles is a football player and muscular politics are in his line. He interposed between his father and his antagonistic, and told the letter to be out the heart of the letter. old the latter to be quit and begon Humphrey isn't exactly of the quit-ting order and he invited the young man to make him quit. A second invitation was not needed and the melee followed, in which the complainant was badly bruised.

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Raleigh, Oct. 20th, 1900.

The President a Slave to Oatarrh.—D. T. Sample, president of Sample's Instalment Company, Washington, Pa., writes: "For years I was afflicted with Chronic Catarrh. Remedies and treatment by specialists only gave me temporary relief until I was induced to use Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder. It gave almost instant relief an cents. relief, 50 cents.-49

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London, Oct. 22.—The latest and most important project on foot in England is the construction of a canal from Southampton to London. No word of the new scheme has yet been mentioned in the papers, and few people know of its existence. Nevertheless, the route from Southampton to London has been carefully surveyed by competent engineers, who declare the canal is not only feasible, but that it could be competent engineers, who declare the canal is not only feasible, but that it could be built at a comparatively small expense. The whole matter has just been put in the hands of the same firm of contractors which is handling Charles T. Yerkes' new London railroad, though the Chicago millionaire himself is not known to be taking an active part in it at present. In leed the legal and other difficulties which it is necessary to overcome before the construction of the canal is assured are so great that some time must clapse before the financial part of the matter comes up prominently. The opposition encountered by the promoters of the Manchester and Liverpool Ship Canal in Parliament and elsewhere would probably be as nothing to the jealous efforts of other cities in the same direction in this case, for since the American line of steamers made Southampton its port of call, Southampton has so improved itself and has so affected the trade of other ports that it is already regarded with a jealous eye. What commercial revolutions will ensue from a ship canal enabling trans-Atlantic and other liners to land their passengers in the heart of London many hours earlier than by any other route can easily be judged by the grewing popularity of the smaller steamship lines now sailing direct to and from London by the slow and difficult way of the Thames.

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Bishop Fontosati Torn Limb from Limb by Chinese-Two Priests Covered With Oil and Burned to Death.

Victoria, B. C., Oct. 22.-According to a correspondent of tha Shanghai Mercury, Bishop Fontosati in South Honan, was tortured for 24 hours by Chinese. The members of his bod Chinese. The members of his body were removed singly. Two priests were covered with coal oil and placed in a pattern of sticks which were then set on fire. Bishop Fontosati and others were frightfully tortured. Three thousand converts, led by French priests, in defending their church were massed to the convert were the convert to the convert were the convert to the convert were massagred.

# AT THE THEATRE.

With reference to to-night's attraction at the Grand, "A Lion's Heart," Mr. Cairns says that his patrons will find it one of the best performances of the year. It has received nothing but the highest praise everywhere this season, and has played nothing but the best theatres, being in Montreal for a week, and in Ottawa for the same length of time. It is booked for seven solid weeks in different Chicago theatres, opening there Nov. 12. This play was the Thanksgiving Day attraction, in Hamilton, and had two packed houses. The Hamilton papers are loud in their praise of it. The company carries all its own scenic equipment, and is high class in every particular, With reference to to-night's attrac-

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