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God's in His Heaven,

And right with the world.
 —[BROWNING.]

London, Friday, Feb. 18.

THE DISHONESTY OF IT.

Maledictions are now poured on the head
 of Mr. Hellmuth, the legal gentleman who
 has instructed to defend the bogus voters' list.

The trade restriction conspirators are
 not very magnanimous in the attack on the
 lawyer. Did they not put up hundreds of
 dollars of money to promote the attack?

The counsel acted under the instructions of
 the "inner circle," as it is called, and he
 did his work well, but he would be a brilliant
 lawyer indeed who, in the courts of
 Ontario, could succeed in a case where both
 law and justice were against him.

Let the blame rest on the right shoulders.
 The men who went chucking around the
 city rejoicing at the partial success of
 their dastardly expedient, and who tried by
 every possible means to have an unfair
 voters' list foisted upon the city are alone
 responsible.

No wonder they hung their heads when the
 news of their discomfiture came from the
 High Court of Justice yesterday.

No wonder that many honest Conservatives
 have no sympathy with the rascally
 attempt to steal the seat, and are quietly
 coming to Mr. Hyman and telling him that
 they mean to support him as a protest
 against such doings.

We have faith in the fair-mindedness of
 the people of London. They must reach the
 conclusion, as we do, that the men who try
 to profit by dishonesty, and to steal the
 votes of the genuine electorate by putting
 on bogus voters to fill legitimate votes,
 cannot have a case worthy of indignation.

To the polls, freemen, and resent the in-
 sult to the manhood of London!

Hon. David Mills takes the very sensible
 course of addressing his constituents at
 leading points before he resumes his Parlia-
 mentary duties. He speaks at Chatham
 Center this (Friday) evening.

THE DELUSIVE RECIPROCITY

MISSION.
 Nothing could be more creditable than
 the turning and twisting of the Ottawa Ad-
 ministration in connection with the ques-
 tion of reciprocity with the United States.

On the eve of the last general election,
 Ottawa Ministers went to the country with
 a deliberate falsehood in their mouths, to
 the effect that the Government of the
 United States had invited them to Wash-
 ington to negotiate a treaty.

That falsehood was soon exposed. The
 Washington authorities had done nothing
 of the kind.

The Ottawa Ministers had invited them-
 selves; their object being to befoul certain
 men of the rural constituencies who were
 clamoring for less restricted trade relations.

Within a fortnight the same trick has
 been repeated by Ottawa Ministers, and
 with the same intention, namely that of
 deception.

It is stated on what appears to be good
 authority that the Government of the
 United States is by no means pleased at
 having twice been used as a cat's paw. Sir
 Julian Pauncefote, the British Minister,
 at Washington, is credited with similar
 feelings.

The net results achieved by the Ottawa
 Ministers by their duplicity is to all ap-
 pearance that they have closed the gate of
 negotiation with the American Government
 against themselves finally and forever.

MR. CARLING HAS A SEAT IN PAR-

LIAMENT ALREADY.
 Mr. Carling's present determination to
 appropriate Mr. Hyman's seat for the
 House of Commons (for Mr. Hyman was
 fairly elected by a majority of 183 votes) sug-
 gests a noted Scripture incident, where one
 who had much already was filled with mean
 discontent that another should have any-
 thing whatever. In the end the jealous
 man was hoisted with his own petard.

Here is Mr. Carling with a seat in the
 Senate, carrying \$1,000 a year for life, and
 nothing to do, who insists on throwing up
 that Parliamentary position in order to
 prevent Mr. Hyman from sitting in the
 other branch of Parliament, to which he
 was elected. A vote for Mr. Hyman will
 send him to Ottawa to complete his term of
 service, and yet that vote will not keep
 Mr. Carling out of Parliament, as he will
 immediately be reappointed to the Senate
 by the Government when the election on the
 29th is over.

MR. HYMAN IS A SPEAKER.

Both in matter and manner Mr. Hyman
 is proving to be one of the best speakers in
 Canada, which is a good deal to be able
 honestly to say of a young native town-
 sman. In his speech last night, in which he
 spoke of the unfair treatment to which he
 had been subjected, there was a manliness
 and self-restraint in his indignation which
 commanded the respect of the audience.

St. Thomas Journal: "One of the fun-
 nist sights of the campaign in London is the
 organ of the brewers when it is attack-
 ing Hyman on his temperance record."
 Yes, it is a fascinating spectacle.

AT SIXES AND SEVENS.

Mr. Carling has been sick, but he surely
 has been able to read the newspapers
 recently. Yet he has issued an address in
 which he says that the policy of his party
 is to have the "protective," or high tax
 policy continued, both with regard to
 manufactures and farm products.

But Mr. Carling's friends went to Wash-
 ington last week, and it was trumpeted
 abroad that they went to promote reci-
 procity. Mr. Carling's own newspaper
 organ said so.

If Mr. Carling understands his party's
 policy, the mission of his associates to
 Washington was one of false pretences,
 and they are not to be trusted.

The chief officer in the United States
 Government has given it to be understood,
 in no uncertain manner, that reciprocity
 which does not include both manufactures
 and farm products will not be thought of.

Taking Mr. Carling's view of the situa-
 tion, it would be disloyal to buy or sell
 freely from or to our neighbors even such
 articles as potatoes, turnips or barley. His
 associates at Ottawa are not so extreme;

they say that disloyalty could not be
 charged if there were free trade in farm
 articles; but they are quite certain that
 the men who want to trade freely in coal,
 or in furniture, engines or spades, are
 traitors of the deepest dye, intent on a
 diabolical scheme of a-n-n-e-x-a-t-i-o-n.

Perfurious and wonderful is the logic of Mr.
 Carling and his associates.

Is there an honest Conservative in Lon-
 don who is not prepared to resent the
 attempt of Mr. Carling's confidential friends
 to stuff the voters' lists with bogus voters?

STRONGLY RESENTED.

Many of the men whose names F. A.
 Fitzgerald and his associates attempted to
 have kept on the city voters' lists, even
 after Revising Officer Fraser had decreed
 that they should be struck off, resent the
 outrage. They have told Mr. Hyman and
 his friends that they never approved of the
 dishonest expedient to steal the seat, and
 they were ready to vote for him if the
 trick had succeeded. Even one of the
 three men whose names were made to do
 duty in the appeal to the courts, asserts
 that the liberty was taken without his
 knowledge. He has nothing but condemna-
 tion of the step. The reaction of such
 outspoken denunciation is felt all along
 the line. Men who could win honestly
 would never resort to means that could not
 be defended in law, justice, or equity.

"If Mr. Carling does not win with 230
 bad votes on the lists," said a prominent
 supporter the other day, "he cannot win at
 all." The courts have decreed that the
 lists shall not be stuffed, and the conspira-
 tors against the people must go to the
 polls without them. Therefore, as has
 been confessed with so much candor by his
 friends, Mr. Carling will be defeated.

A DEPLORABLE OCCURRENCE.

The extraordinary story from Chatham
 of the sudden departure of a hitherto
 trusted and popular clergyman, after hav-
 ing made definite arrangements to marry
 each of three different ladies, raises doubts
 at the outset as to the complete sanity of
 the principal actor.

Such episodes are deplorable from many
 points of view, but their worst feature is
 the pretext they allow a certain type of
 persons to cast an undesired slur upon
 religion.

That a clergyman now and then turns
 out disappointingly, is but another way of
 saying that after all ministers are but
 human, like other people, and were never
 intended to be worshipped blindly.

At the same time, right now, with the
 Chatham incident freshly before us, is the
 proper occasion to point out how rare such
 occurrences are, and how very generally
 worthy of respect the clergymen of every
 denomination are deservedly held.

The London rascal and the West Huron
 rascal are both on the list of those to be
 turned out.—[Hamilton Spectator (Conser-
 vative).]

It is mean of the Hamilton trade re-
 strictionist organ to place Mr. Carling and
 Mr. Patterson on its black list a week in
 advance of their mutual discomfiture.

THE COMING VICTORY.

There is no truth in the statement that
 Mr. Carling's friends expected to win with-
 out the aid of a fraudulent voters' list. Now
 that the bogus names have been ordered off
 the lists by the highest court in Ontario,
 these manipulators are hopelessly in the
 minority. They would not have spent
 many hundreds of dollars in trying to stuff
 the lists with the 230 bogus names if they
 had an assured majority without them.
 They know better.

Mr. Hyman adds to his majority daily.
 The great mass of the people are on his
 side.

Because he was fairly elected less than a
 year ago.

Because he proved an able representative.

Because his record cannot be assailed by
 his opponents in a single instance.

And because he is a manly, straight-
 forward citizen, who has done much, and will
 continue to do, for the advancement of
 London and of his native land.

CRUELTY TO READERS.

We inserted a letter from Mr. Charles
 Hutchinson, criticising scantly-reported
 utterances of certain clergymen respecting
 the debarring matter.

We next inserted a reply from the Rev.
 W. J. Clark. It is doubtful if anybody
 needed Mr. Clark's assurance that Rev.
 Messrs. Murray, Talling and Clark were
 not advocates of cruelty to animals.

Now Mr. Hutchinson sends a rejoinder.
 We must for the present decline to give
 further space to the discussion. The
 official investigation of the subject to be
 ordered by the Ontario Government will no
 doubt duly set forth the pros and cons, and
 it is a question upon which there are evi-
 dently two sides.

Mr. Hutchinson is an uncomfortably
 voluminous and persistent correspondent.
 There is such a thing as cruelty to animals,
 doubtless; but there is such a thing also as
 cruelty to readers.

WHY THE YOUNG MEN DO NOT

SUPPORT MR. CARLING.
 Some of the friends of Mr. Carling pro-
 pose to wonder why the young men of the
 city do not flock to his standard.

The cause is not far to seek, nor is it
 necessary to look for the reason why the
 younger wing of the Conservatives, among
 whom are many active and clever young
 men, called a meeting after Mr. Carling
 was first thrust upon them, to protest
 against it.

The reason lies in Mr. Carling's monop-
 olizing spirit.

He not only does not want our talented
 young townsmen, Mr. Hyman, to have a
 fair share of the honors London has to be-
 stow, but he has been equally jealous of the
 younger men of his own party.

It certainly does not look off-hand or
 generous that a man who has monopolized
 the representation of London for 20 or 40
 years—and who, sooner than allow any one
 else even on his own side a chance, actually
 at one period occupied two seats at one time
 until the law against dual representation
 was passed, a man now in possession of a
 life seat in the Senate with \$1,000 a year
 and nothing to do—should manifest so
 grasping a spirit.

AMENDMENTS TO THE FACTORY

ACT.
 The ADVERTISER, as an independent
 journal, has more interest in questions
 dealing with the social well-being of the
 people than it has with any of the ordinary
 political divergences which more or less
 separate parties and individuals. We are
 glad to observe the Women's Christian
 Temperance Union of Ontario urging upon
 the Provincial Legislature certain amend-
 ments to the Factory Act. In giving
 publicity to the petition, the ADVERTISER
 can only say that it is in hearty accord
 with the burden of its prayer, and com-
 mends it to the early and favorable
 consideration of members of the Legisla-
 ture.

Late Canadian News

A Woman's Death Accelerated by a
 Dental Operation.

The Dominion Printing Bureau Behind
 With Its Work—Horrible Story
 of Cremation.

Ab. Tadhope, the victim of the shooting
 at Oshawa on Wednesday, is still alive, and
 the hope of his recovery grows every hour.

At Montreal on Thursday a woman
 named Giroux died suddenly of heart
 disease, accelerated by her having a tooth
 pulled out.

Owing to a block of work at the Govern-
 ment Printing Bureau it is expected that
 all the departmental blue books will be
 very late in issue.

Capt. Archie Kerr, died Thursday of
 pneumonia. For 40 years he sailed the
 lakes and was well known in every port
 from Kingston to Midland.

Traffic earnings of the Canadian Pacific
 Railway from Feb. 7 to Feb. 14, 1892,
 \$355,000; same week in 1891, \$354,000; in-
 crease for 1892, \$1,000.

Dr. McEachern, Government Inspector,
 is authority for the statement that there is
 no pleuro-pneumonia existing among the
 cattle in Peace River, as cable to England.

A horrible story of private cremating
 comes to light in St. Conogone, a suburb
 of Montreal. A spikemaker, Adolphe
 Lowe, recently lost three children, and
 turned their bodies in a cooking stove to
 save funeral expenses. The magistrate
 who have been applied to holds that he
 acted within his rights.

Another cold wave is approaching from
 the west.

Mrs. Mullin, widow of the late William
 Mullin, of South Dumfries, died Thursday,
 aged 83.

David Cutten, of Orwell, died Thursday,
 aged 77. He had lived in the neighborhood
 since 1836.

Joshua Wood, M.P., is dangerously ill of
 congestion of the lungs at his residence in
 Sackville, N. B.

George Sleeman has been elected by ac-
 clamation to succeed the late Thos. Goldie
 as mayor of Guelph.

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CATASTROPHES IN CHINA.

Sixty Houses Destroyed by an
 Earthquake.

A Steamer with a Crew of Forty Missing
 —42 Lives Lost in a Wreck—24
 Killed in an Explosion—
 Other Calamities.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 19.—Advices from
 China and Japan state that 60 houses have
 been destroyed by earthquake shocks at
 Nanetzg, Japan.

The Oriental steamer Someditch Phra-
 Nang, Captain Jones, is missing. She
 carried a crew of 40.

The total loss of life by the wreck of the
 steamer Nanchow, of Hong Kong, was 424.
 The Government powder factory at Foo-
 Chow blew up recently. Twenty men were
 killed and five men injured.

Five were killed and eleven wounded by
 the explosion of gas in the Heron coal
 mine in Japan a few weeks ago.

A fire, which originated by the dripping
 of a lamp into a quantity of paraffine in the
 house of a merchant at Sendai, Japan,
 caused the death of the merchant, his wife
 and three children, the injury of eleven
 employees and eight firemen and the
 destruction of 33 houses.

Smallpox is still raging at Yokohama
 and Tokio.

The Whaleback Steamer Wetmore
 Sailed.

VICTORIA, B.C., Feb. 19.—The sheriff has
 seized the whaleback steamer Wetmore,
 which collided with and sunk a scow on
 scow on Saturday last, the owner of the
 scow having commenced suit for damages.

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B. W. Baldwin, Carnesville, Tenn.,
 writes: I have used your German
 Syrup in my family, and find it the
 best medicine I ever tried for coughs
 and colds. I recommend it to every-
 one for these troubles.

R. Schmalhausen, Druggist, of
 Charleston, Ill., writes: After trying
 scores of prescriptions and prepara-
 tions I had on my files and shelves,
 without relief for a very severe cold,
 which had settled on my lungs, I
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