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The man with the unbalanced balance,  
whether he resides in Canada or the United  
States, has only a few hours in which to  
see to place of safety. On and after to-  
morrow, the new extradition treaty  
between Great Britain and the United  
States will be in force, and embezzlers will  
be brought back with as great ease as the  
vulgar forger. It is a blue look-out for the  
dishonesty inclined.

In a presentment laid before the judge  
at the Waterloo County Assizes, satisfaction  
is expressed that the Ontario Govern-  
ment will in future aid in the erection of  
houses of refuge in all counties not now  
possessing them. Waterloo county has a  
house of refuge, but like other progressive  
counties which have provided in a similar  
manner for the economical sustenance of  
their indigents, the Waterloo people have  
discovered that the poverty-stricken of  
other counties have from time to time taken  
up residence within their bounds, in order  
that they may be able to take advantage  
of the comforts supplied by these industrial  
establishments. The more of these houses  
there are, therefore, the fairer will be the  
distribution of those who are com-  
pelled to seek their shelter.

CANADA is not the only country to which  
sharper have allured young Englishmen,  
under pretence that they could learn farm-  
ing and make a big pile in a short time—  
in exchange for a substantial premium paid  
in advance. It is now asserted that in the  
neighborhood of Minneapolis alone there  
can be found hundreds of young Britons in-  
veigled over by the swindlers, who pocketed  
from \$300 to \$500 from each innocent.  
It is represented to the applicant that he  
will be thoroughly drilled in the American  
methods of farming, and that he will be  
able to become a well-to-do country gen-  
tleman in a short time after he has mastered  
the intricacies of Western agriculture. The  
fee is paid, the young man crosses the  
ocean, and begins the laborious life of an  
American agriculturist, ignorant even of the  
first principles of farming. The poor  
dupe soon finds that he has lost his money  
and gained no knowledge.

A REMARKABLE resolution has been  
brought into the United States House  
of Representatives by a member from New  
York State. Its intention is to afford bet-  
ter protection for human life on the At-  
lantic Ocean. The preamble recites the  
great increase in the number of steamers  
plying between the United States and  
Europe; calls attention to the recent ac-  
cident to the steamer City of Paris, which  
jeopardized the lives of over 1,000 persons,  
says the rivalry between competing steam-  
ships is so keen that considerations of  
safety and even of humanity are often lost  
sight of in the effort to reduce the time oc-  
cupied in crossing the Atlantic; says the  
laws of certain foreign countries compel  
vessels carrying mails to make all possible  
speed, having regard solely to land-  
ing the mails at the earliest possible  
moment, and the temptation to the  
commanders of such vessels are very great  
to sacrifice all the considerations of con-  
venience safety and even of humanity to  
that of speed and holds that better pro-  
tection to human life and property can be  
afforded by a system of ocean patrol than  
any other means. The conclusion is as  
follows:  
Whereas, the nations chiefly interested in  
trans-Atlantic travel are the United States,  
England, France, Italy and Norway, and  
therefore, he it resolved by the  
Senate and House of Representatives in Con-  
gress assembled, that the President be, and  
he is hereby, requested to communicate  
with the Secretary of State or other proper  
channel, with the foreign powers so inter-  
ested in trans-Atlantic travel, with a view to se-  
cure their co-operation in the establishment  
of an efficient system of ocean patrol, which  
shall include the employment for the said service  
of war vessels, or such other suitable vessels  
as may be available for the purpose.  
It is doubtful whether the resolution, if  
passed, will have the desired effect. There  
are few ocean travelers who are not will-  
ing to take all the risks incident to a swift  
passage across the ocean. Any one who  
has traveled on a steamship, and listened to  
the grumbling indulged in by the average  
passenger when, through rough weather,  
fog, or apprehended presence of icebergs,  
the vessel fails to keep up a good average  
daily run, must be well aware of the diffi-  
culty which the companies have to contend  
with. If the traveling public prefer slow  
boats, the companies would very soon  
provide them.

The Dominion has now reciprocity in  
rascals with the United States. We believe  
the majority of the people would welcome  
reciprocity in trade also; but we desire no  
reciprocity in doctors if the samples which  
has just been passed by the Senate of New  
York State. The bill provides for the re-  
newal of the measure passed last year mak-  
ing it necessary for students before enter-  
ing a medical college to obtain a certificate  
of reasonable proficiency in arithmetic,  
geography, grammar, orthography, Eng-  
lish composition, American history and the  
elements of natural philosophy—subjects in

which the 12-year-old graduate of the  
public schools could pass an examination.  
A man who has not the mental training  
necessary to pass an examination in these  
subjects is not fitted to be entrusted with  
the care of the health of his fellow-men.  
In Canada—in Ontario, at any rate—a candi-  
date for the degree of M.D. has to be well  
grounded in all the subjects above set forth  
before he is admitted to a medical college,  
and his after study is of the most thorough  
character. The consequence is that our  
medical men have the confidence of the peo-  
ple here, and are respected in any quarter  
of the globe to which they may bend their  
steps. They are, in fact, thoroughly trained  
for their life work, and find no difficulty in  
taking a front rank in any civilized com-  
munity. The retrograde New York legisla-  
ture should be killed at once. Not less  
but more education is what the doctors  
need.

A NOTABLE DECLARATION.  
A rumor is current that Secretary Blaine  
will advise Congress, on behalf of the  
United States Cabinet, to establish unre-  
stricted reciprocal trade treaties with the  
countries participating in the recent Pan-  
American Congress. The Republicans are  
in power over the border, and in view of  
this fact the following declaration of the  
Brooklyn Times—a leading newspaper  
exponent of that side of politics—is  
significant: "We believe that a majority  
of the thinking Republicans of the country  
would go with him heart and soul to the ex-  
treme of establishing virtual free trade in  
American products among all the free na-  
tions on the American continent. What a  
magnificent celebration of the quadren-  
tennial of the discovery of America the ne-  
gotiations of such treaties would be! It  
would beat any possible world's fair."

Canada was not invited to participate in  
the recent congress, because the Dominion  
is not an independent nation, but a por-  
tion of Great Britain. But we do not  
not see why she should be left out of  
this reciprocity arrangement. Judging  
by the international trade already trans-  
acted, in spite of vexatious hindrances at  
both sides of the border, it is really more  
profitable for our neighbors to trade with  
the Dominion than with half-a-dozen of the  
South American Republics. To pass by  
Canada, therefore, and the Government now in  
power at Ottawa tells our United States  
neighbors that they want no reciprocity  
with the United States, or if it does, it  
will only consent to a one-sided one, for  
which the United States authorities could  
not obtain popular support. Is it not  
about time that the eyes of the people of  
Canada be opened to the deplorable  
anti-reciprocity position assumed by Sir  
John Macdonald and his associates? The  
people desire reciprocity. Why should  
their representatives deny that such a de-  
sire exists, and lead the United States Con-  
gress to believe that, under no reasonable  
circumstances, can negotiations be opened?

HOW THE MONEY GOES.  
The Free Press regards Mr. Metcalfe,  
M. P. P. for Kingston, as a martyr  
Liberal malvolence, simply because the  
Liberals in the Dominion have objected  
to his obtaining a large sum of  
public money unless it was shown he had  
earned it. As his case is a specimen of  
many recorded in the Government blue  
books, it is but right that we should state  
what was proved before the House when  
Mr. Metcalfe's salary was under discussion.  
Mr. Carling last year saw fit to give  
employment to Mr. Metcalfe, at Winni-  
peg, in a specially-made position  
of guide for immigrants. The Minister  
made the appointment in spite of the fact  
that there were already eight permanent  
officials at Winnipeg. In one speech he  
said that Mr. Metcalfe was paid \$150 a  
month for eight months in the year; in  
another, that his job was for nine months.  
We do not know in which of these admis-  
sions Mr. Carling stuck by the facts, but it  
is evident that he was away off in one or  
other of his statements. Of course, it would  
be quite easy for the Government to get a  
man to do the work that Mr. Metcalfe  
had been paid to do; but that would not  
satisfy either Mr. Metcalfe or the men  
who deem it necessary to give him a fat job  
at the expense of the Canadian taxpayers.  
Mr. Carling was not contented with  
subsidizing Mr. Metcalfe in this manner.  
He permitted this special traveling ex-  
penses to draw his traveling expenses to  
the body politic to draw his traveling ex-  
penses to and from Winnipeg—to attend  
his legislative duties at Toronto—out of  
the funds voted for immigration. And we  
are asked by the Carling organ in this city  
to believe that the Liberals in Parliament  
had no legitimate right to object to an ex-  
penditure of that description. The Auditor-  
General is not over-fastidious in dealing  
with traveling expenses by public ser-  
vants, but he rightly looked upon this  
charge as an imposition, and in November  
last wrote to Mr. Carling's deputy:  
"Would you please explain why J. H. Met-  
calfe, intelligence officer at Winnipeg, was paid  
his traveling expenses from Winnipeg to  
Kingston in January, 1899, and return from  
Kingston in May, 1899? Unless this trip was  
on official business it is not a proper charge  
against any vote, and the amount, \$104.90,  
should be refunded."

The Deputy Minister replies:  
As respects the item of traveling expenses to  
Mr. J. H. Metcalfe, intelligence officer at Win-  
nipeg, at the date stated in your letter, in Janu-  
ary and May, 1899, I have to say that such  
traveling was directed and authorized by the  
Minister of Agriculture. Mr. Metcalfe lives at  
Kingston, being employed during a certain  
portion of the year at Winnipeg. I hope you  
will permit me to observe that we do not  
recognize your right to inquire into the pro-  
priety of any authorization to his agents to  
travel on official business. The Minister of Agri-  
culture, he being alone responsible for matters  
of this nature.  
The reply is scarcely as courteous as it  
might be, and it shows conclusively how  
funds voted for the legitimate promotion of  
immigration are frittered away with the  
sanction of Mr. Carling. But this is the  
all. It was proved in the House, that Mr.  
Metcalfe, at the rate of \$150 a month,  
drew pay at the rate of \$150 a month,  
leaving Kingston for his job till 16th May,  
and returning to Kingston on 16th May. The  
members of the Government said the  
payment was warranted, but could give no  
ground for saying so. Why should a  
man because he happens to be a henchman  
in Kingston to Sir John Macdonald and Mr.

Meredith be subsidized in this manner?  
The Liberals criticised the expenditure be-  
cause he was a public servant; not because  
he held the dual role here set forth. But  
the manner in which Mr. Carling defended  
the indefensible must convince most people  
that this man would have been treated  
differently had he been less closely associ-  
ated with the Tory leaders.

There is one point in connection with  
this appointment which is noteworthy.  
Though Mr. Metcalfe did not go to Winni-  
peg till May 16, he was paid from April 1.  
He was sent up, Mr. Carling says, to give  
necessary help to the Winnipeg immigra-  
tion office in securing the settlement of im-  
migrants. If that was his job, and he was  
really needed, why was he not sent by  
March 1? The Ministers allege that his  
services were not required in March, but  
the official returns of immigrants arriving  
at Port Arthur, en route for Manitoba, and  
the Northwest Territories, tell a different  
story. Here they are:  
January.....659 July.....2,422  
February.....709 August.....1,222  
March.....1,041 September.....1,341  
April.....1,497 October.....1,157  
May.....1,465 November.....1,925  
June.....3,329 December.....659

There are not more than one-third in the  
other months over April and May, and Mr.  
Metcalfe was not there then. In March  
there were 6,800 and in April 4,900, and he  
was not there. We are inclined to be-  
lieve that Mr. Metcalfe's services were  
really not required at all, and that his em-  
ployment was throughout a "job" of the  
most execrable character. It is chiefly  
for the maintenance of such men that the  
major portion of the vote for immigration  
is devoted, and yet the public wonder why  
the large expenditure is not productive of  
better results.

A STRANGE FUTURE.  
Science Looks Forward Two Thousand  
Years, and Makes a Terrible Predic-  
tion about the Human Race.

Some people delight in making others  
miserable. A few years ago a Boston man,  
after taking a census of the bald heads in  
churches and theaters, wrote a labored arti-  
cle to prove that by 3226 the human race  
would be entirely devoid of hair. Then  
Dr. William A. Hammond, after deep sci-  
entific research, predicted that about 5327 man  
would go through life without teeth.  
Imagine a hairless, toothless race of men  
and women. Horrible, certainly, but it is as  
terrible as things we see to-day? Our coun-  
try is full of nervous wrecks, the natural  
outcome of overwork. And Canadians are  
not badly off as the people of the United  
States.

Thousands of people feel dizzy when they  
get out of bed in the morning. Many a  
person has a bad taste in the mouth, no  
appetite, a dull aching of the back, slow  
and faulty memory and a distressing feeling  
of being "fired out." Is there anything  
worse than this? Yes. When you can't  
sleep nights, and toss restlessly from one  
side of the bed to the other, longing for  
morning to come. Then there is a danger  
of insanity, of which sleeplessness is the  
forerunner.  
When you feel like this, use nature's true  
restorative, Paine's Celery Compound. This  
wonderful discovery is the only reliable  
medicine for nervous diseases. Try it, and  
see how quickly it gives new life. It is a  
food for the famished nervous system. It  
makes the muscles strong and brain vigorous. The rosy  
blush of health will soon come to the user,  
and his step will take on new elasticity.  
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there is nothing like it.

When a railroad locomotive goes off on a  
trot the engineer is usually carried home in a  
cab.  
Jacob H. Bloomer, of Virgilio, N. Y.,  
writes: "Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil cured  
a badly swollen neck and sore throat on my  
son in 48 hours; one application also removed  
the pain from a very sore toe; my wife's  
foot was also much inflamed—so much so  
that she could not walk about the house;  
she applied the oil, and in 24 hours was en-  
tirely cured."

Mrs. Bull—"Are you asleep dear?" Mr.  
Bull—"No; but I would 'a' been by this time  
if you hadn't waked me up."

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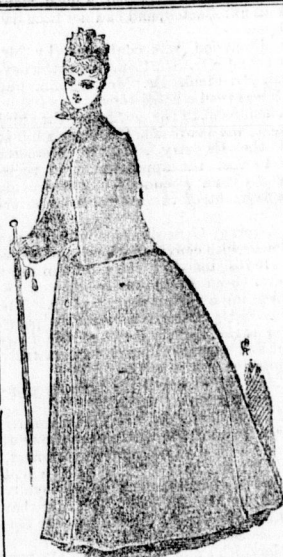
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THE PLAYERS' LEAGUE.  
New York, April 3.—The  
League meeting yesterday was  
harmonious. The opening  
changed, so that the season  
National League and the P  
will open on the same day.  
The question of taking  
seaters from the Brotherhood  
without much argument. It  
that Buckley, Mulvey and Du  
instated under a resolution  
unanimous vote of the Board  
for such a purpose. In the c  
Pickett, the star of the P  
the Brotherhood. More t  
land convention in allowing  
percent of all the tickets in  
mentaries was reserved to  
crated to 3 percent. Durin  
each club will be known b  
by a uniform. Each club  
vided with eight dollars, w  
game its own flag will fly  
with that of the visitin  
league also adopted resolutio  
the clubs to give exhibiti  
themselves prior to the  
championship season. Th  
only for the present season.  
games will be allowed.

JACK SHEA, the Ottawa pi  
London to-day to negotiat  
Hobbs. He is the catch  
gentleman, and will ad  
team in the Internati  
Globe.  
"THREE STRIKES"  
"M" (sic) dea said M  
stood on the steps, "will  
door?" "Did you hear t  
the question which came  
window. "Yes," m' dea  
"Well, three strikes is  
slammed the shutters, w  
down on the doorstep  
Post.

FLY.  
A Columbus dispatch sa  
Von der Ahe, Lazarus,  
Parsons own a large block  
Rochester club.  
THE TUR  
LONDON, April 3.—Dur  
Fowey, Cornwall, yester  
stand collapsed. More t  
were thrown to the groun  
feet, and many were inju  
feared, fatally.

THE WRE  
Just at present the V  
are entertaining two v  
Harry Goering, of Hamil  
Gordon, of Trenton.  
cyclist with a track rec  
Victoria his home this see  
the coast flyers work before  
over.—(Victoria Colonist.)  
LACROS  
The Toronto L. T. Cen  
holding two tournaments  
ginning of July and the  
the latter for the champ  
minion. A Dominion L  
lian is projected.

CHECKE  
Mr. Robert Martine, o  
is well-known in foot  
clubs, is on his way to  
with his former good hea  
SPRINT  
It is reported that C  
cyclist is on his way to  
tation as a sprinter, w  
Harry Hutchens said of  
no faster runner ever liv  
CHECKE  
There are over 50 club  
in the Canadian Lacros  
this number will be met  
the date of the annua  
week.

At a meeting of the  
the W. A. A. A., at W  
cited that the club sho  
the district champions  
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