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Advocates Free Trade—British free trade, Continental free trade, free trade with the whole world.

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Looks forward with hope to Canada's future as that of an Independent Canadian Republic, in equally friendly alliance with the United States and with Great Britain, believing that such a status would be best for Canada, best for Great Britain, and promotive of the best attainable relations with the United States. Meantime, everything is to be gained by cultivating cordial relations between all English speaking peoples. Those who take an opposite course should be regarded as enemies of mankind.

## THE ADVERTISER

Advocates Prohibition of the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquor; and all expedient general legislation and persuasion in the meantime.

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Is an advocate of Equal Rights for women, whether as regards the franchise, or equal wages for equal work.

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Is a believer in Christian Union, and considers the time has come when the various Christian denominations should come closer together. Those bodies which are now near should unite first. Under the present system there is an unjustifiable waste of men, means and effort. The differences between most of the existing denominations are no greater than the differences, natural to thinking men and women, to be found in every congregation. Even those Christian bodies supposed to be the farthest apart, the Protestant and the Roman Catholic, have more of belief that is common than of belief that is antagonistic. To the laity the differences between the various Protestant denominations are microscopic. For various reasons the clergy, even when, as is true of the best of them, they favor Christian Union, are not in a position to be as outspoken as the laity.

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Advocates Obligatory Voting. Most of the electoral corruption centers around "getting out the vote." Let the duty be laid on every elector of getting out his own vote.

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Advocates the more general use of the Plebiscite, the Initiative and Referendum, etc., believing that the interest of the people in public questions, apart from persons, would be increased, and that something would thereby be done to promote independence of political thought, as opposed to excessive party spirit.

God's in His heaven,

All's right with the world.

—[BROWNING.]

London, Saturday, March 18.

TORONTO school trustees are a highly complimentary set. At the last meeting one member said he would rather address a herd of cattle than speak to his fellow-members.

THE Toronto News points out that in compiling the census grave injustice has been done one of Canada's most thriving industries. Not a buckaw artist is chronicled in the St. Marys and Milverton list!

THE secret of Gladstone's long life lies in the fact that he knows when he is sick, and keeps to his bed till he finds himself better. It is said that he has been taught the lesson that rests is the cure-all by his wife. It matters not; the principle is correct.

They need a revision of their humanitarian laws in Scotland. In Glasgow there is a home for lost cats and dogs, which accommodated 265 stray dogs and 225 stray cats last year. Seventy-four dogs and 40 cats were taken in as temporary boarders. At the same time, the Court of Session has decided that cockfighting—a most brutal "sport"—is not illegal, and battles to the death are recorded in various sections of both cities.

ARNOLD, convicted of fraud at Ottawa, and sent to jail for six months, was permitted to go to his cell in state. His carriage, driven by his own coachman, conveyed him

to the place of punishment. If he had been a common thief instead of an associate till recently of Ministers and their deputies, he would have been taken down in the patrol wagon. It is such discrimination as this that makes many people believe that there is one law for the rich and another for the poor.

R. J. K. GORE, who confessed to having foully libeled M. C. Cameron, Q.C., was permitted to go on suspended sentence by Justice Rose at Goderich Assizes. The judge took a decidedly merciful view of his case. He told the prisoner that he had been guilty of a malicious and vile crime, but he recognized, what was well known to be the truth, that Gore was but the agent of Mr. Cameron's political opponents, who used the prisoner as a tool to circulate the dastardly libel that they were too cowardly to go on the platform and charge against him. Judge Rose condemned in the strongest possible terms the conduct of these men, who, he said, were equally vile or worse than the accused. He did not believe in making a scapegoat of Gore while the others escaped. What Gore should now do is to make a thorough exposure of the men who got him into the scrape. To effect the ruin of a political opponent and find a seat for an outsider, they induced this man to become a criminal, to be guilty of deeds that kept him in jail for six months, and that have brought his wife and family to want. Gore has been exposed and punished. Why should not the political sandbaggers, whose tool he was, be also exposed and punished with exemplary severity?

## ONTARIO AND MICHIGAN.

The Ottawa Journal recently found fault with some returns of population published in these columns, showing that under restricted trade Ontario and other Provinces in Canada had made less progress than neighboring States of similar resources. As the criticisms were accompanied by admissions that largely combated our contemporary's own arguments, we thought little of them, but a high tax paper nearer home, with characteristic dishonesty, suppresses the statement to suit its own purpose, and it may be worth while carrying the inquiry a little further.

Our Ottawa contemporary points out, and its copyist emulates the statement, that while the population of the United States increased 25 per cent. in the last ten years, that of Canada increased but 12 per cent.

Says the Journal:

"This is not a matter for exaggeration for partisan purposes. It is a fair matter for fair statement as possibly due to a mistaken or too extreme trade policy."

Just what the ADVERTISER has all along said. We believe it can be demonstrated beyond cavil that the difference in relative prosperity and the greater portion of the exodus of Canadians to the United States is traceable to our restricted trade policy.

Let us contrast the progress of Ontario and Michigan, neighboring territories. Our Ottawa contemporary will surely not contend that it is unfair to make the comparison, in order that our people may work for the establishment of that order of things which shall give the Province fair play. Ontario and Michigan more nearly resemble one another than do any other Province and State in the respective countries.

In point of natural advantages, however, Ontario is really more richly endowed than Michigan. Our farms yield better results, and our products are fully as widely diversified. Michigan may have large lumber interests, but so has Ontario. Michigan has developed her mining resources enormously in the last 30 years; Ontario has not done much in that direction, but it cannot be denied that we have very rich mineral deposits in a wide extent of territory.

Michigan has good water power in various localities. Ontario has many millions of horse power running to waste on the Welland Canal, at Niagara, at Rat Portage, at Ottawa and elsewhere.

This is a fair outline of the natural advantages of both Ontario and Michigan. How have the two territories progressed in the last ten years? The census of 1890 in the State and the census of 1891 in the Province shall be our guide:

ONTARIO.	
Population in 1881.....	1,223,222
Population in 1891.....	2,112,269
Increase in ten years.....	789,047
Percentage of increase.....	64.5
Previous ten years.....	18.88

MICHIGAN.	
Population in 1880.....	1,636,937
Population in 1890.....	2,089,792
Increase in ten years.....	452,855
Percentage of increase.....	27.66

In the ten years Michigan, with a smaller population than Ontario by 300,000, increased in population to the extent of 266,788 more than this banner Province of the Dominion. Why? Can our critic explain the phenomena to us, on any other assumption than that Ontario was kept back because the near market for her natural product was restricted to 5,000,000 persons, whereas Michigan had the run of a market of 62,000,000 persons? Assuredly it is time for Canadians to cease closing their eyes to facts that militate against their progress and face the issue. Office-holders and office-seekers may try to make believe that this course is unpatriotic, and that the telling of the truth will hurt us, but no patriotic Canadian will be so foolish as to so argue. An intelligent knowledge of the malady and its bad effects must be obtained before a cure can be effected by the physician. Political quacks have run Canada long enough.

## ONE HUNDRED PER CENT. DUTY.

Sewer pipes are an absolute necessity in every civilized community. They are required to drain the ground on which every city, town and village stands. If they can be bought at a moderate price, cleanliness will be encouraged, and a city or town will be less liable to have outbreaks of filth diseases. It is not generally known that the duty on sewer pipes is over 100 per cent. A London merchant asserts that on the twelve inch pipe which costs 16-6-10 cents per foot the duty collected is 23 55-100 cents! There are only two sewer pipe establishments in Canada—one

in Ontario and one in Quebec—and it is to enable the rich men who own these factories to collect more than market value for their products that every one who has to use sewer pipes is made to pay this enormous duty, or buy the products of the Hamilton and St. Johns factories at a price beyond that which is reasonable.

## A LIVE COMPANY.

The annual statement of the Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada, published in another column of to-day's ADVERTISER, should be carefully studied by everyone interested in life insurance, and who is not? It is highly creditable to this energetically and carefully managed company that it was able last year to place upon its books new policies to the number of 4,304, insuring \$7,991,196—a gain over the previous successful year of over \$2,500,000. Directors and policy holders must also be congratulated on the fact that the death claims were exceedingly light, being \$16,000 less than the moderate amount called for in 1891. Since it was incorporated in 1876, this company showed steady growth down to 1898. In the last five years it has more than doubled its income and its assets, and has paid greatly increased profits to its policy holders. The company seems to be managed with the greatest care, both at headquarters and by its district agents, and we shall expect to hear of its continued progress. It is pre-eminently a Canadian company, bent on conducting a safe business, hence doubtless its enormously increased popularity in recent years. The management is justly proud of its achievements.

## A CONTRAST.

(Toronto Telegram.)

John R. Arnold in jail and Sir Hector Langevin in Parliament.

Great is Canadian law as revealed in its discriminating treatment of offenders. The immunity which Sir Hector and Sir Adolphe enjoy is the law's sin of omission. The law is only defective in its lack of machinery for grinding the great as well as the small sinners to powder.

The undeserved exemption from punishment enjoyed by those whom the laws does not catch is no reason why those who are caught should go free. Canadian law is a strong arm for smiting those who fall into its clutches, but if law had eyes for the sins of the high as well as the lowly the Canadian would have more reason to be proud of the administration of justice in this country.

## HOW TO GET RID OF IT.

What St. Thomas Will Do With That \$38,000—A Little Goes a Long Way.

St. Thomas is experiencing the delight of a small boy who unexpectedly finds a quarter and commences immediately to devise methods of "blowing it in."

"Within a few days," joyously exclaims the Journal, "the city will be in possession of \$38,276, the proceeds of the sale of its bonds of the L. and P. S. R. What shall be done with the money?"

It calls upon the citizens, one and all, to contribute their ideas as to the best means of getting rid of the spare cash, and suggests the following schemes.

Invest the \$30,000 in frontage tax debentures of the city, and devote the balance—\$8,276—to the

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