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Ontario Politics.

There is no pretense that the Ross Government has not serious difficulties to contend with. Its majority has been small and has disappeared for the time being. The Liberal party has been in power in Ontario for over 30 years, and while length of service is always favors a change merely for the sake of change. The temperance question is a thorny one, which the Opposition may shirk, but which the Govcannot. The discreditable methods employed in a few bye-elections on behalf of Liberal candidates without their knowledge, or the knowledge of the Government, have been turned to unscrupulous account by the Opposition. The honest, impartial enforcement of the crown lands regulations, for the preservation of the timber wealth in the newer parts of the all first-class stocks, and had-only Province, has alienated many settlers, temporarily, the speaker hoped-damwho look to the Government as a special providence. These are some of the troubles that

Premier's right hand man. The decapitated Federal Opposition is a which direct fourteen or fifteen differout of it, above the level of a stump undertakings, as well as his own busipossible owing to his temperance re- other, such as, "How are the departcord, Mr. Whitney was called upon. ment stores run with such amazing fortable place their home is. He had been in Legislature since success?" has had every chance to show his mettle since then, but he has failed to develop. The Opposition is where it was six years ago. It has had no recruits of cabinet rank. Had it had strong leadership it would not be dominated as it is by Nesbitt and Gamey. Nesbitt practically took the reins out of Whitnev's hands at the last session of the House. The clean elements of the Conservative party, in Toronto, headed by A. J. Russell Snow, are trying to oust him from control in that city, but Whitney meekly submits to be elbowed aside by him. Nesbitt, be it remembered, is the person who tried to buy a Dominion nomination in Cardwell in 1895 by promising the party nominee, W. B. Willoughby, a judgeship, a sum of money, and other favors if he (Willoughby), would retire in his (Nesbitt's) favor. And Nesbitt is the ruling power of the Ontario Opposition, which pretends to be the custodian of political purity. Second to him in influence is Gamey, a self-convicted thief and perjurer, who is taken to the bosom of this highly moral combination.

If Mr. Whitney were to take office tomorrow, he could not construct a cabinet from the material around him. If Mr. Ross were to lose all his present ministers he could form a strong cabinet without going outside the Legislature. Such is the difference between the caliber of the two parties in the House. The Conservative party cannot reasonably expect a lease of power unless it produces men who are competent to rule the Province.

The Ballot Boxes.

The public may be assured that the ballot box scandal in West Hastings will be probed to the bottom. The Government acted with praiseworthy promptitude by sending the commissioner of Dominion police, Lieut.-Col. Sherwood, and other officers to the riding for this purpose Colonel Sherwood has laid informations against Byron O. Lott, the Liberal candidate, and others whose names have been mentioned in evidence. Warrants have been sworn out for these persons, and some have been placed under arrest. The crown authorities are leaving no stone un-

If a plot existed to defraud the electorate by means of these trick ballot boxes, it must have been the work of a few hare-brained and unscrupulous individuals. The story that the conspiracy was hatched by the central Liberal organization, and that the Ontario Government paid \$50,000 for the patent of the boxes, is a stupid invention which will deceive nobody. Phillip Lott pretends that he got the story from his brother, the Liberal candidate, but this hearsay evidence would be ruled out in any ordinary court of justice. It has been given an emphatic denial and will be disproved in the witness box. It is so characteristic of the methods employed by the enemies of the Provincial Government that suspicion falls upon them. This is a point that may be cleared up.

on this nefarlous business, no matter rustlers who lynched the wrong man, who is exposed, and punishment be A committee was appointed to wait on meted out no matter upon whom it These bogus ballot boxes were brought into the riding for a criminal Who suggested the crime? Who aided in perpetrating it? These are questions that must be answered.

Municipal Ownership In Great

ownership sentiment in this country. some remarks by Mr. J. Spencer Philof Bankers, will not be amiss. In his annual address he pointed out that the municipal debt of the United Kingdom now amounted to half the whole naional debt, and that almost all of the chief cities and boroughs were waiting for a favorable moment to make fresh flotations. In England and Wales alone the municipal debt has increased from £92,000,000 (\$460,000,000) in 1875, to over £350,000,000 (\$1,650,000,000) now. While the return of ratable property has only risen from £115,000,000 to £174,-000,000, the annual burden for debt purposes has increased from £19,000,000 to £48,000,000. It was not only the war, said Mr. Phillips, which had caused the creation of a large amount of new securities, but the municipal borrowings coterminous with the war securities which had to be raised. Together, these had caused the depreciation of aged the credit of the country.

In many cases Mr. Phillips was glad to acknowledge that the money had beset the administration; but it has been wisely spent, but in many more, an immense good fortune in its op- he said, it had been frittered away on ponents. Its strongest ally is the Op- objects which certainly should not position, and Mr. Whitney is the come under the municipal ken. There are, for instance, some corporations melancholy spectacle, but it is not so ent industrial undertakings. Yarmouth hopelessly bankrupt in intellect as its is running a music hall, Huddersfield a Ontario namesake-certainly not in corporation bank, and the London counmorals. A Conservative newspaper, the ty council is running steamboats on the Toronto Telegram, once remarked that Thames. Mr. Phillips does not believe "one could throw a brick through the in municipal ownership to such an exwindow of a country law office any day tent. He reminded his hearers that in the week and hit a J. P. Whitney." most of them found that one business This is a little severe on the country |-- and that business one in which they lawyers. Mr. Whitney is a political had had special training-took up all barnstormer, with a talent for product their time. How, then, he wanted to ing noise and nothing else. He never know, could a man direct and check delivered an address, in Parliament or some half-dozen or a dozen different speech. He has never given the Prov- ness, in most of which he had a bareince a serious idea. Upon Mr. Mere- ly superficial knowledge? No doubt dith's retirement he was second choice many of the advocates of extensive and for the leadership, the first being Mr. varied municipal ownership would re-Marter. When Mr. Marter became im- ply to his question by asking him an-

1888 without distinguishing himself and The point of view of a great banker Perhaps this is why he had such a such a question; but the headlong admeasure of success in the general vocates of municipal ownership need election of 1898. The reduction of the to be reminded that there are two sides Government's majority to five was a to it. The theory is sound in the case surprise to both parties. Mr. Whitney of public services which are monopowas given an excellent start and listic in their character; but a sound theory will not make a sound administration. If there is one country where the principle should work out beneficially in practice it is Great Britain, which has the best municipal government in the world. If Canadians could imitate British municipal government they could more safely imitate British municipal enterprise.

> The Globe says the Liberal convention will not be a party love feast. More like a revival meeting, perhaps.

The papers are full of the coming Liberal convention, but what has become of Mr. Whitney's little side-

Another split is impending in the Irish Natonalist party. These periodical ruptures seem to occur at the very time when the party is doing its most

Sir Wilfrid Laurier was 63 years of age yesterday. In the ordinary course of nature he will be Premier for at least ten years more.

It is not creditable to Quebec that it should have remained for a private citizen, Sir William Macdonald, to found an agricultural college. The value of the Guelph college to this Province has been beyond calculation.

Ontario has enjoyed clean, thrifty, progressive government for 32 years. Why give her into the hands of the aggregation of incompetents styling themselves the Opposition?

Great Britain has not made a good showing at the St. Louis Exhibition. The merchant who has grown wealthy makes a big mistake if he thinks he can afford to stop advertising.

Turn About.

[Detroit Free Press.] Van X .- My wife has taken a fancy of overrunning her allowance and having the bills sent to my office. I wish knew how to break her of it. De Q.-Do as I did; buy a lot of things for yourself and have them you're out. By the time she's paid the bills a few times she'll be willing to stop and call it even.

No Judge at All.

[Chicago Journal.] that young man fond of music?" exclaimed the young woman, "I don't know," answered Miss Cay-enne. "Judging by the way he will stand up and listen to himself sing by the hour, I should say he isn't."

How It Annoyed Him. [Philadelphia Press.] "My memory annoys me greatly,"

"Oh. John, is it failing?" asked his "No, indeed. That's just the trouble. I can't help remembering all my anteelection promises."

awkward bow and scrape, delivered himself as follows: "Madam, the joke ownin' up. Just you put your own mo

figger on him, and we've got the dus here to settle up right away. We don't want no hard feelin's about a thing of this kind." Russia seems willing to admit that the joke is on her, and money damages for the families of the dead fishermen will be forthcoming. But she halts at the suggestion of punishing the men who mistook the trawlers for Japanese torpedo boats, and virtually lynched the

Has a Distinct Advantage. [Chicago Tribune.]

Addipus-Don't you hate to be as ean as you are? Skinnicus—No; sometimes I find it's decided help. I can cross my legs in a crowded car without taking up any more room than I did before.

In Jungle Society. [Philadelphia Press.] "You should have seen the lion at sniffed the monkey, with a superior air, "he actually ate his pie "That's nothing," replied the tiger;

"didn't you notice the ostrich? He ate

A Pointed Consideration.

a knife with his pie."

[Hamilton Spectator.] Municipal ownership of municipal franchises is all right. But there may be reasonable differences of opinion as to aldermen being heaven-born operators of all public services.

The Telephone Ear.

[Washington Post.] peculiar development of the sense of hearing has been discovered as result of the use of the being the telephone. Most people when using the instrument hold the received to the left ear because it comes more natural to adjust the mouthpiece with the right hand. So it happens that from an extensive use of the telephone the hearing of the left ear is sharpened at the expense of the right. In the majority of cases the difference tween the two is not very great, but in some persons it is alarmingly so. The sensitive nerves are so irritated by the sound coming directly on them, and in a tone which is strange, that is sets up a reaction which has a cumu lative effect and upsets them.

Reflection of a Bachelor.

[New York Press.] A woman has a passion for all niversaries except birthdays. A woman hates not to rent a house she knows some other woman wants. Generally it's the girl who can look the most innocent who knows the most Some men have such will power they can go walking with a girl without getting engaged to her. It takes an awfully stormy day to nake some men realize what a com-

Burden of War Pensions.

Provision is being made in the forthcoming French budget for the extincthe pensions conferred by Napoleon on his generals and marshals a century ago. Berthier, Massena, Grouchy, Lannes and Oudinot are among the historic figures of the Napoleonic epoch whose descendants have drawn pensions for hundred years and are now to be bought out at fifteen years purchase. The reform will mean a saving of about 1,000,000 francs a year.

A similar step in England would deprive the descendants of Lord Rodney. Earl Nelson and the Duke of Schomberg of their perpetual pensions amounting to £7,700 per annum. Those conferred on Lords Napier, Hardinge, Gough, Seaton and Keane cease at the death of the present peers, and will relieve the exchequer of an annual sum of £11,000. The Iron Duke's £4,-000 a year ended at the demise of the late Duke of Wellington. But the biggest pension in the world is the £19,000 settled by Charles II. on his natural son the Duke of Richmond, and still punctually paid to his heirs, as it has been these 200 years.

The Guarantee. [New York Sun.]

Her Father-Can you keep her in the style to which she has been accusnough to have appendicitis.

Restricted Applause at Glasgow. [London Globe.]

Music hall audiences are very much restricted in Glasgow. In one of them notice on the walls says that Whistling or cheering with the feet is strictly prohibited.

Fashionable Loncon Dressmaking Company. [London Truth.]

There was an instructive trial the other day over a debt. An action was brought by Paquin Limited, fashionable dressmakers, to recover £246 from a lady, and the jury was discharged without agreeing on a verdict. The books of the firm seem to have been in the hands of the prosecuting counsel, who asked some questions in regard to the modes of payment by some clients, which appeared have taken the form of checks signed by divers persons. Paquin, Limited, is a company. It

therefore has to present its accounts annually to its shareholders. The accounts at the last meeting for 1903 showed that the "profit" was £70,141, and that the outstanding book debts were £220,545. These, the directors declared, were good assets.

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[Washington Star.]

Russia's attitude in the Doggerbank Russia's attitude in the Doggerbank who have western fair received their invitations will eall on Geo.

A. Mitchell, superintendent of deputies, London House, who will be pleased to see that you receive one.

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DARING COUP How Former Irish M. P. Took &

Destroyer From Thames

to the Baltic.

London, Nov. 20.-Russia intends to produce an interesting piece of evidence n support of her contention that there were strange warships in the North Sea at the time of the outrage there. Six days before the Baltic fleet sailed Russia, by means of an agent, smuggled a estroyer from the Thames through the North Sea to a Baltic port without de

The Yarrows, a few months ago built two very fast turbine destroyed. Russia has been using her utmost endeavors to acquire these boats, but failed to devise a scheme for their delivery until Burke Roche, a former: Irish member of Parliament, undertook to do so. He bought one of the vessels with the ostensible purpose of having it converted into a yacht for a prominent Tam-Hall politician, who is a of the Knickerbocker Club. Roche took the boat to the mouth o the Thames on Oct, 6 to test her compasses. A launch came out with the

news that a police inspector from the home office had arrived with orders to prevent the destroyer leaving her Roche at once decided to make the sun to the Baltic He bluffed his way un to the Baltic. He bluffed his way through the Kiel Canal without papers The German authorities at the eastern end of the canal became suspicious and ordered the boat to anchor. Instead of doing so Roche cut her cable and made dash forward with his speedy boat

guardship fired at the destroyer, but When Roche decided to make the dash ne had no food aboard except a few ins of crackers. He encountered heavy storm but reached Libau on Oct 5. He was met sixty miles outside by two Russian cruisers, who escorted the lestroyer to port. She was delivered to Admiral Rojestvensky five days before he latter sailed.

On his returning to London, Mr Roche attempted to acquire the other lestroyer in the same way, but the British authorities placed an official aboard her and she is still at the dock-

will argue at the North Sea Russia nearing that if she were able to get a warship under the nose of the authorities of London there is excellent reason for suspecting that Japan could do and had done the same thing.

reservoir at Manchester, A large England, is slowly sinking into the ground, and it is thought that it will soon fall into a coal mine which is be-

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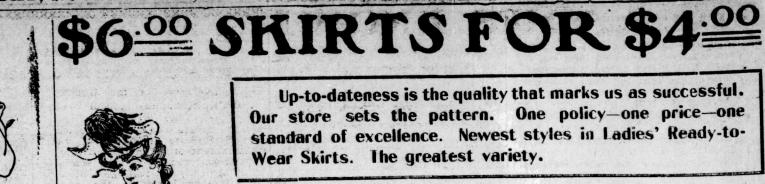
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CAUSES APOPLEXY

Chicago Doctor Presents an

Unusual Aspect of Cases

of Sudden Death.

Chicago, Nov. 21 .- Dr. Chalmers Pren-

Optical Society, at the annual meeting

"Men move from the farm to the city

and break down, because of the strain

"In the country their eyes are accus-

neart disease and appropriate of their own shortsightedness. It is not treated their eyes properties have not treated their eyes properties too severe. The eyes

respond by undermining the integrity of the brain. A breakdown accompanied by

Dr. Prentice advocated an innovation the practice of the optician.

by the man who comes to you for relief," he said. "Of course, it is necessary that

you question him closely about his hours

RISKED HIS LIFE

aborer Had Hazardous Climb to

Cornice of Belfry of Pitts-

burg School.

Pittsburg, Pa., Nov. 21.—The "meow" of a kitten which had wandered away

from the parental roof, and reached a

point from which it could not descend,

leveloped a hero the other evening.

Like many others in whose veins he-roic blood flows the man refused to

It was about 5 o'clock. Half a dozen

persons were passing the corner of

Mulford and Brushton avenues, when

there came a "m-e-o-w." It was not

the sound which generally awakens the

leeper at dead of night and invites a

pootjack or a brick, but a wail of dis-

still more plaintive and a little louder

It came from somewhere in the air.

tress. Again it came -- "m-e-o-w"

tell anything about himself.

than the first.

fatal stroke of apoplexy is the penalty

which was held recently, that many men

died of apoplexy and heart failure be-

upon their eyes," said the optician.

cause they abused their eyes.

tice told the members of the Illinois

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low, with a dinner-basket on his arm and a payday look on his face. The attention of all was attracted by omed to long distances. They go on until middle age without comining themselves to an office. Then suddenly they come to a city. After that their eyes must be used in work that is confining. The result is that they break down prematurely. People wonder what caused it. They are right when they attribute.

it. They are right when they attribute to public school it to the sudden change in the mode of life. But it is the unusual test upon He of the muscular form and contented look gazed aloft and there outhe eyes that causes the snap.
"Men who break down and die of lined against the gray stone of the heart disease and apoplexy are often the cornice was a black speck. "Is it a cat" he asked in a tongu which showed the Celtic origin.

"Sure," was the reply. "She's been up there all day." 'Well it's evident she can't get down and if she stavs there she hunger or freeze," was the respective workingman. He walked to the He walked to the front "Do not be content with the story told door and rattled it until the building echoed, but only the vibrations of the stepped back in the yard and gazed up d. The little group outside had sto and one advanced into the yard. ped, and one advanced into the ma". "Hold me bucket," remarked the ma place of business and study his desk, the light that strikes it, and then you will be in a position to prescribe for him into the one who stood beside him. Walking to the side of the building, the fellow pulled himself to the edge of the lower window. He felt around for Those details make all the difference moment and started upward. in the world. Then study the occupation of your client. Do not prescribe for a farmer as you would for a musical director, even though they suffer from the same allment. Every case must be treated separately." trained hands and feet each jutting piece and crevice of the rough stone afforde seconds he was scaling the front of the building as if it was a ladder. The little group outside increased, and as he went higher and higher they held their breath, excepting every moment to see the climber lose his hold and fall. Five

minutes passed and he reached the cor nice of the roof.

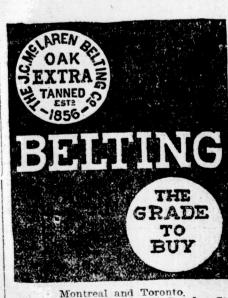
A steep slate roof still separated him from the belfry, on the roof of which the cat was lying. Carefully he made his way over this and reached the coping at the bottom of the belfry. Then he reached upward. Although he had grown about nine feet in the estimation of the crowd which watched him, he was not tall enough to reach the cornice of the crowd which watched him, he was not tall enough to reach the cornice of the belfry, and, going to the post which was nearest to the point at which the cat was lying, he scrambled up it.

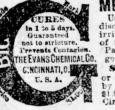
Then he put his hand out and grasped the feline. There was another "Meow," this time soft and purring. Then the kitten was placed in the pocket of its rescuer and the descent was begun. It was made in safety and when the young

quadruped out and, brushing its remarked, "Now, run home." Hutch, a Body Builder

was made in safety, and when the young man reached the ground he took the

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