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WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 18.

WELCOME TO THE DUKE.

To the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall, who have set foot upon Canadian soil, all Canadians give hearty and loyal welcome, and hope and trust that their stay in Canada will be long remembered as one of the most pleasant wisits of their lives. It goes without saying that the loyal people of Britain's foremost colony will do all in their power to make the visit of their iroyal highnesses as pleasant as possible.

Welcome ito Canada!

ANARCHY IN MONTANA.

sorry he had not been the man to kill President McKinley. He was lynched by the people in the community whose feelings his brutal statement had outraged. The facts are sent over the country, and are received with expressions of satisfaction. The lynching appears to be justified by public opin-

the midst of the nation's grief of the words were drowned by the plaudits of a few hands; now they run in limits bereavement? It is deeds such as pid fire across the horizon of all the that in Montana, and the public ap- nations. proval of them, that make the teach- The King stops and sees written ngs of anarchists dangerous. It is not among the imagery of his, palace: by the isolated actions of a crazed or brutalized man, tragical though its consequences may be, that law and order are menaced. The real danger to society rises from the public approval of lawlessness and the avenging of wrongs by other processes than the law. It will be an ominous thing if no protest or punishment follows that lynching in Montana, coming as it does at this time, when the temper of the United States people, keenly sensitive to affronts against their grief, should also be no less watchfull for the seeds of those crimes which shock humanity and social order.

END OF A GREAT STRIKE.

As was expected, the great steel strike has been settled on the steel corporation's iterms, says the Hamilton Herald. The men who have been employed to fill the place of strikers will not be discharged, because the mill managers have, in most cases, made long-term contracts with them. Thus a good many of the strikers will be unable to get employment promptly. (This is hard; and yet the corporation cannot justly be blamed. The contracts entered into with strike-dealers should not be regarded as less sacred than contracts with city hall when Queen Victoria died. union men, and it would not be right to break the contracts with the former in order to make room for the latter. At is the fortune of war that some must suffer more than others

for the cause fought for. The outcome of the strike is undoubtedly a severe blow to unionism in the steel industry. But it is not necessarily a fatal blow. It would be strange indeed if the Amalgamated Association of Steel Workers were to admit that it represents a lost cause. More likely there will be renewed efforts, more vigorous than ever but mills and prepare for a struggle in tinues intact.

Salt Rheum

But no matter what you call it, this skin disease which comes in patches that burn, itch, discharge a watery matter. dry and scale, owes its existence to the presence of humors in the system.

It will continue to exist, annoy, and perhaps agonize, as long as these humors

It is always radically and permanently

Hood's Sarsaparilla which expels all humors, and is posit

the future when there will be better

prospects of success. One fact in connection with the strike-a fact which is of lasting credit to the strikers-should be strongly emphasized. Although some sixty or seventy thousand men have been engaged in an industrial war for many weeks, there has been practically no violence against life or property, and not a life has been sacrificed. From this fact the character of the strikers may be judged.

THY WILL BE DONE.

comforted, walking through the Valarms reversed.

A nation with a father gone-the hands across the breast, the eyes sightless, the ears stopped. They call, there is no answer; but he is not dead, just graduated. Before he was but a mere President. In his graduation he was glorious, and the world listened as he said "Thy will be done." Kings stood still; great men looked from across the sea; the nations rose and bared their heads while God and he were better made acquainted.

Dead? No, not dead; just had added greatness thrust upon him by a A man in Montana declared he was bullet. Is Lincoln dead? or Garfield? Not a mere President now, but a martyr. Martyr means much; that little bullet added a name to the im-

Great in life, but truly great in

passing. Dead!

Is Lincoln dead ? or Garfield? Those mute lips burn with the add-Is there not here swift evidence in ed eloquence of Heaven. Before his

dollars:

"Thy will be done." chase for the dime and pauses as he grain too, presents a brighter apreads across it;

"Thy wili be done." The man with the giant mind sees nothing more gigantic, and leaves his learned tomes to ponder on those words:

"Thy will be done." The man with the brain of a mite can grasp the full glory of those

words: "Thy will be done."

That whisper speaks louder than proclamations. It sounds clear and distinct, over the roar of the world. Orations pale beside it. Just a whisper that floated out from that sick room, limitless, boundless, in its influence. The world is better to-day because he said: "Thy will be done." -Charlie Churner, in the Toronto

The half-masted flag over our city hall reminds us that the mayor of New York refused to permit the flag to be hung at half mast over the New York

"God reigns and the government at Washington still lives.' So spoke Gen. Garfield in a public speech in New York just after the assassination of President Lincoln. Little did he think that the next presidential victim to the assassin's bullet would be himself. Now the country is in gloom because another of its great executors has lost his life at the hands of an assassin they still can say, "God reigns and the they still can say, "God reigns and the government at Washington still lives." The striking down of President McKinley does not help the murderous anarchist, for already his successor has taken the oath of office, and the carried on quietly, to organize the the power of the government still con

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GOLD FIELDS OF THE WEST

J. W. Young Writes Another In teresting Letter on the Manitoba Harvest.

anet Correspondent Meets Many More Chathamites on his West ern Tour.

Fort Saskatchewan, Alberta, Aug. 29, 1901. The West is certainly a gloriou country-God's country it has rightly been named and it will prove to be the promised land of this fair Dominion. Here, 192 miles north of Calgary, the land is just as fertile and productive, if not more so, than it is in the fertile districts further south. It is a revelation to the easterner, to see how this great west country is being settled and the wonderful crops that are being raised. There is fertile land enough out here to support a whole nation. The

A nation mourning, refusing to be possibilities of this country are enormous, and its future cannot be comley of the Shadow, grieving over her prehended. The land will more than distinguished dead. A nation of crepe, provide a good living for millions of with flags half-masted, waving to a people. Those who are unable to wailing wind, of drums muffled, of make even a living in the east, and in the old world, are fast realizing this, and the county is being fast settled up. Homesteads are getting scarce. These are the lands that belong to the Government and which can be secured on the payment of \$10 settlers' dues. The C. P. R. also own a lot of land throughout the West, and they sell to settlers at very reasonable prices, from \$3 to \$7 an acre, according to location, and the company offer easy terms of payment, but W. H. Harper knows more about these matters than I do, so I will leave to him the task of filling in any details for those who desire to

become settlers.
I left Winnipeg, Saturday, August 1 tert winnipeg, Saturday, August 10th, and the picture the country presents from there to west of Bran-don, is beyond description, and so wonderful, that it leaves an indelible

stamp upon the memory.

Even here, where the country is wooded, and the farmers practice mixed farming, visions of the Manitoban fields of golden grain will crop I saw Manitoba at her best, when

the fields of wheat were just ripen-ing. The expression fields of grain seems out of place. It is a limited expression, while the wheat fields of Manitoba are unlimited. On either side you see nothing but the golden grain, showing bright in the sunlight as far as the eyes can reach. Perhaps, here and there, you see a house, bu they appear only a little matter of detail in a landscape all gold. You hear of the golden harvest, but you

The rich man stops from counting his gold, and sees across the face of his is no county like Kent County, but I never saw any wheat there that could compare with that of Manitoba in straw or cereal. The growing

From Winnipeg west, the prairie really commences and the major part as seen from the car windows is covered with grain. Occasionally you see the virgin prairie, rich in wild flowers. These cover the prairie flowers. These cover the prairie where it has not been broken and no more beautiful sight can be imagined. It was a bright sunny afternoon when I first saw these wild flowers. At this season, their color is nearly all golden, with a few blue and pur ple flowers, and a small white-colored weed that shone and glistened in the sun like burnished silver. Had we these flower gardens of nature in the east, the people would rave over them—that is the people who do such things-and the poets would make poetry at the expense of the poor little flowers. But we haven't got the flowers and we are spared me inflictions.

There are no fences here to mar the landscape, and the sloughs oc-casionally met with in the prairie, are full of wild ducks which are not afraid of the train, and the express raced by within a stone's throw but the ducks paid no attention.

A crow had built lits nest in one of

the telegraph poles, and how the bird had managed to secure its home in that place, we didn't stop to see.

Even the birds adapt themselves to
the advance of eastern civilization.

Portage la Prairie was my first stopping place in the west. It is a town
of about five themselved. of about five thousand inhabitants, built right on the prairie about two miles from the Assinibolne River. It receives its name from the fact that here, the voyagers had to make a portage of some 18 miles to Lake Manitoba and in consequence the settlement is very old. In 1861 the Hudson flay Co. established a post about two miles west of the present site of the town, on the banks of the Assiniboine River. Here the old block house, and the residence of the factor, still stand. The house is oc-

factor, still stand. The house is occupied by Johnathan Lee as a residence. He is a farmer, and purchased the property from the Hudson Bay
Co., shortly after they removed to
Portage ta Prainie. When he purchased the property, the oak palisade
was still standing. During the time
of the Fenian Raid scare, the fort
was garrisoned by the settlers.

I spent two weeks at the Portage,
with my father's cousin, J. P. Young,
who left Chatham 22 years ago for
the west and he has prospered. Portwho left Chatham 22 years ago for the west and he has prospered. Portage is a Prairie is a thriving town and one of the chief grain buying points in Manttoba. There are a number of large elevators, a large flour mill operated by the Lake of the Woods Company, and three chartered banks. The tountry round about is thickly settled and fine crops are raised. There are many settlers from all over Ontario. Amongst their number is Robert Richardson, who thirty-two years ago left Dover Township with his parents for the west. Mr. Rich-(Continued on Seventh Page.)

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