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A COMING INVESTIGATION.

The exact size of Sir Wilfrid Laurier's majority is not a matter of importance, considering the developments that are to come. Investigat tions into political crookedness made by committees and commissions appointed by the Laurier and Ross Governments have been the veriest fakes. The object in every case appears to have principally been to conceal the truth and shield the criminals. Whatever was done both the Provincial and Dominion Governments could count on partizan majorities seeing through.

But when the party undertook the sale of senatorships it struck dangerous ground. The Senate has a right to protect the inviolability of its own honor. If senatorships have been sold the Senate has the power to investigate in its own behalf, Sir Mackenzie Bowell declares that such an insestigation will take place. He has the majority behind him to make that investigation thorough and searching, and if it transpires that members of the Laurier Ministry have been trafficking in Senate franchises the only thing that will remain for Sir Wilfrid to do will to place the resignal tions of himself and his colleagues in the hands of the Governot General Who knows but what we may see another general election within a year.

M'KINLEY IS NO TAIL TWISTER.

The general run of Canadians are pleased because of the election of McKimley over Bryan, and the reason of it is not far to seek. As a rule Presidential candidates in the United States have vied with each other in trying to please the prejudices of the anti-British element in the Republic. In past campaigns the British lion's tail has been diligently twisted, and in this election Mr Bryan has spoken in bitter terms of British policy, especially in connection with the Transvaal war. Mr. Mc-Kinley not only refrains from making the customary appeals to the England-haters among his countrymen, but has actually ventured to speak in complimentary terms of Great Britain as the power which, in the last analysis, must always prove to be the natural ally and best friend of the

United States That he had the courage, with campaign approaching, to speak out his opinion and invite the disapproving clamor of the classes of people who are always seeking to embroit the two great English-speaking nations in strife, won for him the good-will of men throughout the world who think there should be cordiality instead of distrust between two nations so similar in character and aim.

As for Bryan, he has demon strated convincingly that he is one of the greatest men of his day. His letter accepting the nomination will probably go into history as the most important document ever drawn up by a candidate for the presidency. It is a declaration of faith that few of his countrymen will fail to admire when the heat of the campaign has cooled down.

It may be considered fortunate that Mr. Bryan is a man of serious charac ter and admitted honesty, or it might be feared that, supported by a great following that has been baffled in its purposes through the medium of the ballot box, he would become the leader in a movement that would resort to force. But he will probably find his way into the Senate, where his great gifts of thought and speech will make him an important

Ontario did nobly.

The people of Quebec are evidently the dominant race in this country.

The result in Ontario would have been even more disastrous to Laurier only a lot of old-time Liberals stood by their party for the purpose of giving them another chance to fulfil their promises.

Dear Tarte-Let me congratulate you. I only wish twisting the lion's tail was as popular in the United States, as your success shows it to be in Canada. Yours in hatred of everything British, W. J. Bryan.

If the people are willing to pay an increased taxation so that the whole Tarte family, connections by marriage and all, can feed at the public trough, it is their own look-out. The trouble is the penalty falls on the guilty and innocent alike

Now is the time to bury election animosities. It is unfortunate that such should arise, but as long as human nature is intolerant and excitable people will fall out politically during the heat of a contest. But it is foolish to keep up such fueds. There is nothing to be gained by it and it s better and pleasanter that we should all dwell together in harmony. Every dog has his day. This is not ours, but ours will come, and it is just as well to be cheerful, sociable and

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happy until that day arrives. Nobody can hurry up the change by persist ing in an election quarrel with his neighbor.

The lesson of the contest in Bothwell is that Wallaceburg isn't the whole riding.

TAX UN CELIBATES.

Bill Introduced in French Senate to Check Country's Depopulation.

Paris, Nov. 8 .- Parliament was reopened with no event worth recording. The Social sts started a preliminary skirm sh against the Government, but the interpellations which are expect-ed to involve stormy debates were not

In the Senate M. Piot introduced a bill aiming to arriest the depopulation of France. It provides for a tax on celibates of both sexes after they reach the age of 30, and upon childless couples who have been married for five years, the tax to be maintained unti a child is born to them.

HUFFMAN'S CORNERS.

On Tuesday, Oct. 30th, Mrs. Ruben Paimer, died after suffering a long affliction. She was buried on Thursday in Chatham Israel Tompkins has settled down to quiet

On Tuesday evening, Oct. 30th, Miss Sarah Whittington, of the 11th Con., was united in marriage to Lie First Sarah Whittington, of the Inter-united in marriage to John Finnie, of South Dakota Rev. W. R. Vance officiated. The newly married couple started next morning for their home in the west.

The league service was neid on the design of the day evening instead of Tuerday last week.

The pastor took the topic.

On Friday night a very interesting address on mission work in China was given in the Bethel church by Mrs. White, late of

THE VIRTUES OF RHUBARB.

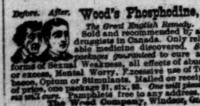
These are many and varied, and These are many and varied, and moreover, are not as well known as they ought to be, says an English exchange. It is very wholesome, and even those who do not like it should take it medicinally in the spring, for it purifies the blood, keeping it cool and healthy. One great virtue rhubarb possesses, and which is not generally known is that mixed with erally known, is that, mixed with other things it takes all flavors, while giving none in return, and is, there-fore of the greatest use in adding to a tart or pudding when the fruit us a tart or pudding when the truit user has run short or is expensive. For instance, if raspberry tart is required, and there, is not enough of the fruit to fill the dish, take some rhubarb, wash it well, mince it up, then stir in sugar, and bake till it is quite soft; when cold mix the raspberries in with it was the tart and place it in the oven just long enough to cook the paste; the presence of rhubarb will never be discovered, and the cost only half the price it would have done if made solely of fruit.



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AN ISLAND OF WIDOWS.

Every Husband Residing Upon It Was Drowned by the Sinking of a Boat.

Off the coast of Norway is a small sland called Aarlud which boasts the unique distinction of being peopled exclusively by widows. The circum stances under which this state of affairs was brought about are no less curious than distressing.

A short time since a man arrived

on the island from Haugesund, on the mainland, with his wife and family, to participate in the spring egg gathering. While testing his ropes on a cliff preparatory to commencing his search he happened to make a false step forward over the cliff. He was instantly killed. As there had not been a death on the island since 11 years before, when a boy was killed by a bowlder from the same cliff falling on him, the occur-rence naturally cast a gloom over the small community established there. This consisted of some 30 fishermen with their families. As a mark of sympathy and respect all the men de termined to attend the funeral of the unfortunate, which was to take place at the cemetery at Haugesund, on the mainland. But during the proceedings at the burial ground a tremendous gale arose. When the men returned to their smack the storm was at its

After carefully considering the situation the 30 fishermen determined to sail for Aarlud, and having taken advantage of the opportunity to replenish their household supplies the boat was rather heavily laden. Their progress through the angry sea was most anxiously watched by the people on the mainland, who, when the boat had gone the distance of about a mile and half from the coast, saw that the vessel was in great distress. Efforts were at once made to go to its assistance, but the heavy sea beat back every boat that was launched. A few moments afterward the unfortunate smack plunged forward into the trough of the foaming waves and forever disappeared from mortal view. Every one of it. 30 occupants was drowned, and on the

following morning their bodies were News of the disaster was as speedily as possible conveyed to the island. Every wife in the place had, by the dreadful event, been made a widow, and out of 30 as many as 28 were left without any means of support. These women are now receiving assistance from the Norwegian government, which is credited with the intention of settling a number of single men on the island as soon as arrangements can be made. Until that is done, however, all its wo-

The Philosophy of Perspiration. "There are many troubles which you cannot cure by the Bible and the hymnbook," said Henry Ward Beecher, "but which you can cure by a good perspiration and a breath of fresh

men must of necessity remain widows.

There is a large paradox in the philosophy of perspiration. The hotter the healthy human body becomes the more freely it perspires, and yet the more freely it perspires the cooler it grows.

Many persons try to keep cool by avoiding all unnecessary exercise and lounging in the shade. That is entirely unphilosophical. Perspiration, instead of being a symptom of suffering from the heat, is a sign of relief therefrom. And it may be accepted by all persons in normal health that moderate exercise, sufficient to induce a liberal moistening of the skin, is the best spe cific that can be prescribed for their daily use in hot weather. None suffer more torture on a sultry day than those who make it their special effort to avoid perspiring .-

London's New Drink.

Half a dozen London clubs of impor tance have complained bitterly that their bar receipts are falling off discouragingly since their members came to accept as the proper beverage for summer what is now the popular London drink. This is made of barley water, properly mixed with lemon, sugar and ice, and it originated in the guards' clubhouse. Its fame spread from that headquarters, and other clubs were not slow iz borrowing the recipe. The barley water combination gained favor wherever it was introduced, and this is not believed to be wholly due to the fact that it is distributed gratuitously. None of the clubs which offer their members this refreshment charges anything for it. The consequence is that Scotch and soda, brandy with the same combination and all similar heating alcoholic and more expensive drinks have cease to be called for .- Argonaut.

Protecting New England Beaches The protection of beaches along the New England coast is being successfully accomplished by the "groyne system." These "groyurs consist of a series of posts planted truly in the sand, with close planks extending from post to post. The "groyne" is constructed at right angles to the beach, and its ition prevents the waves acting on it injuriously. Sand is intercepted by the planking, rapidly forming a new beach and preventing erosion.

sagacity has utilized rats to lay the telephone cables through the con-duits. Several rats were turned loose in the conduit with a ferret after them, to which was attached a cord. Through o feet of the conduit the merry chase was carried, and the rats emerged into daylight at the other end just a few feet ahead of the ferret, which was probably impeded somewhat by the cord.—Des Moines Leader.

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BOTH FIGURED CLOSELY.

Police Magistrate Gosnell, of Blenheim, was in the city yesterday. He stated that Blenheim had done just about what both parties had anticipated. The Conservatives expected a majority of 30, while the Liberals conceded 2 The Liberals would have been right had not one of their voters broken his leg and two others refused to en his leg and two others refused to vote because of a variance with the party on the prohibition question. The last Dominion election the Conserva-tive majority was the smallest in the history of Blenheim. Both pairties were surprised. They had figured up and knew almost exactly the majority. What was the amazement of the Liberals, on the votes being counted, for them to find that they had comfor them to find that they had computed a majority about 18 too high for the Conservatives. Going over the names they couldn't possibly make the majority the ballot box showed. The explanation cama later. A number of Conservatives, dissatisfied with the Remedial bill head not said a the Remedial bill, had not said a word but had gone to the polls and voted against their party.

Like Tearing the Heart Strings.—" It is not within the coacep-tion of man to measure my great sufferings from heart disease. For years I endured almost constant cutting and tearing pains about my heart, and many a time would have welcomed death. Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart has worked a veritable mir-"-Thos. Hicks, Perth. Ont -50 Sold by J. W. McLaren, Chatham.

TO GAIN A PLUMP ARM.

Thin, scrawny women will have hard time next summer unless they be gin at once to make themselves ready for warm weather frocks. We are not only promised collarless gowns, but elbow sleeves as well, and she of the thin arm is looking aghast.

Here is an exercise to make the arms plump: Stand erect and carry the straight out at the sides par-with the shoulder. Clinch the hands and make the muscles tenseth entire length of the arm. Now twist the arms very slowly from the shoulder to the hand as far forward and backward as far as possible.

This will strengthen and develop the

muscles the entire length of the arm, but it must be practised very slowly. If repeated regularly three times a day, giving fifty twists each time, it will increase the arm preceptibly in

Children Gry for CASTORIA Y FIRE ALARM.

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No. 13.-Corner William and Wel-Ington streets.
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No. 24-Corner Colborne and Prince streets. No. 25--Corner of Stanley Ave., and No. 26-Corner King and Princes

No. 31.—Corner of Prince and Park Mr. 32-Corner of Grey and Queen No. 35-Corner of Harvey and West reets. No. 36-Corner Lacroix and King

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No. 5.—Corner of Duke and Park treets, store of Henry Weaver. No. 6.—Central Telephone office. No. 7.—O. P. R. Station. No. 8. — Residence of C. R. Atkin-

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The cattle are all well bred, and are

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Notice is hereby given pursuant to the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1897, chapter 129, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said Isabella Garner, who died on or about the fifth day of October, 1900, are required on or before the 30th day of November, 1900, to send by cost prepaid or delivered to Thomas Sculport prepaid or delivered to Thomas Scullard, room 26, Victoria block, Chatham, solicitor for W. S. Ireland and A. F. Falls, the executors for the last will and testa of the said deceased, their Christian and sur-names, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, the statement of their accounts and the nature of the securi-

their accounts and the nature of the securities, if any held by them.

And further take notice that after such last mentioned date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice, and that the said executors will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims notice shall not have been received by them at the time of such distribution. meh distribution.

Dated at Chatham this 30th day

October, 1900.
THOMAS SCULLARD. Solicitor for the Executors do 30-6-13-20 4t.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Surregate Court of the County ot Kent. in the matter of the Estate of Susan Adelaide Warren, late of the City of Chatham, in the County of Kent, widow, deceased.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to the revised statutes of Ontario, 1897, chepter 129, that all persons having claims against the estate of the said Susan Adelaide Warren, who died on or about the fifth day of eptember A. D. 1900, are required to send post prepaid or to deliver to J. B. O'Flynn, Esq., King street, Chatham, Ont., solicitor for Edward Duncan Warren, and Agnes Yule Warren, the executors of the last will and testiment of the said deceased, on or before the sixth day of December, A. D., 1900, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, and a full statement of particulars of their claims, and the nature of the security (if any) held by them duly

And further take notice that after such last mentioned date, the said execut-ors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties ensets of the deceased among the parties en-titled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice, and that the said executors will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims notice has not have been received by them at the time of such distribution. time of such distribution. Dated at Chatham this 6th day of Novem-

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