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A MELANCHOLY CRITIC

in no blue in the sky. To thi oly eye there is a blight upon the land, and no crop or venture puts th its green shoots but to meet with

Mr. Flemming trained heeded and most lived on igh the year that followed. Unless the government be held responsible for the sual fall of snow-and Mr. Flemming impunity. The rules, if obeyed pre-

ared no evi

are men effectively trained

without delay

Rockefeller? Why not, then, take direct from Mr. Rockefeller and say that

TAKING TOO MANY RISKS to the am

otives in giving may not greatly matter, need for a closer supervision of the road

division superintendents and their It is being pointed out in late Vladivostok, and even cut the railw last Friday. The public comes to know, inded of, the fact that

many railway employes take too much for St. Petersburg granted. If an operator who has an order The flood season o which the rules require a trainman's feet away, and accepts a motion of the

Linewitch but it is u ain in Harbin this of his name there may be no had retory for Russia short of redred. But when the exceptional case occurs and men are killed, the necessity for Manchuria. Russia cannot obeying the rules to the letter becomes Manchuria while the Japanese control the ten the following:-

suddenly apparent. Russia's resources, it is true, are by no The young man in trouble on the preshas much sympathy because he meant no harm and.

did only what many others, in one capa city and another, are believed to have one from week to week and month to in a long line of Russian month. But the rules of the company, ing the year and more the war has lasted prepared after long experience, are not carried to Manthe Siberian road has elastic and may never be violated with churia the best men, the best guns, the best generals Russia had within her vast ever difficulty may arise there. cisely, are generally sufficient to ies. They have not been suffi-

dence placed before the Transport but absolutely to destroy the billion more of wealth of which Mr. Rockefelle on by further statements bringing the situation up to date, and is the credited owner. And if this prois necessary as to the Rockef making definite proposals to ns, it is true as to many others; ment with respect to our harbor property to avoid further communal sin, a George D. Herron terms it, And St. John must be more than a port which the burning of

ther way. Suppose the state decided that of our doors and out at another in their right to his for journey westward. wear clothing.

If the London Standard estigating commissioner back to St. John five ten tifteen years hence, what re port will he make of us? Shall we still be raiting for our ship to come in?

TROUBLED DREAMS

campaign, in England, and ar to figure out what may happed when Japan asks Britain to keep som other European nation off her back, or when Britain, backed by 800,000 drilles Japanese, seeks to give the law to Europe success, and are talking ex

the proposition that to permit Japan to breasted Suits. hold Vladivostok would be to place th United States and Japan in control of th

you the

nent with which Europe would quarrel Another question raised is. To what England? The London Times' Tokio co much of Japan's ambitions, has just wri

"The Japanese foresee that it will be bankers, dis-ing the larger empire which will be the reverses Rus-tion of Sachalian their victory. With the acquisi-

rable in both regions. Japan is ready

England could command the services of the Japanese army of 800,000 men and supple-ment it by her own fleet, plus the squad-

But a writer in the Westminster Gazette

What, again, would be the retort of armed not.

to avert the interference of a third Power, to have been wound up.

Europe? Moreover, the Japanese them-

selves realize that the crucial test of the

Anglo-Japanese alliance is yet to come;

namely, when England may be called upon

say Germany, at the moment of discussing

German battleship fleet within a few hours

of the English coast. But will the Eastern

terms of peace."

We have for some seaso is past been issuing a sample book showing a few lines of clothing in stock. The number of orders received through this sample book is ever increasing. In addition to orders received for suits and overcoats we have had a large number of orders tection will not be limited to China ther campaign can result and Korea, but will be considerably exesses. Dur- tended. To keep this extension see and enquiries for Men's and Boys' Furnishing Goods, etc. The large number of these requests Japan is prepared to pay a great price. England has brought against herself a new grievance and a new danger in Tibet. has prompted us in going to the expense of issuing a general catalogue of all goods carried. This catalogue will be ready for mailing April first. Japan is willing to see her through whatstill has to make herself safe in Persia and Afghanistan. Her defensive England

NOTE AND COMMENT

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rolucing the new styles, a few days ago, and all We held ou ormal spi r seen in any St. John store. We they had e ing the bes inced the Pacific, since they who attended pro ured of so no one will be disappointed. are prepared for the large volu of business we are a

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unt he gives, he makes restitu They have gone beyond the present Man salvation for a price. Even h

RUSSIA AND PEACE

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a year hence, when Mr. osition, as a matter of fact, has the defence of the St. John river against obstruction and of the province against risks. the diminution of its delegation in the House of Commons. If Mr. Flemming had MORE EXPLANATION NEEDED found the government working for the Maine lumbermen in one case and for the ration of our representation at Ottawa in the other, he would have had cause posals made in it would prevent the ant-though the country will doubt his right to complain at such These rafts, say citizens who have looked length; for if there is so much of into the question, are a menace to the startling import the kernel of it should not be concealed in a wilderness of words. to have them as usual.

TOO HOPEFUL

Many will wish they could believe, as peace and disarmament by the bloody year the Witness says in part:-

value of the products of human labor, skill and enterprise are carefully estimated,

 Contamplete war without being contineed that it might have to make a file scoil.
 GOOD MONEY AND BAD
 Should a church accept money from Mr, and it is coiled a bias to do and he is described as "imper of the scoile sco no government, however powerful, can contemplate war without being convinced

The armed peace, which for this long agreed in having a control main out, and peak will show with the province, dwelling insistent in out, and peak will show will show with the peak will show with the peak will show will show will show with the peak will show will show with the peak will show will moved or purified by the check from Japan. And what reason is there to be-lieve that Germany, seeing Russia's fate, will turn from the sword in fear or dis-gust? It seems more probable that the German emperor will see in Russia's defeat German emperor will see in Russia's dereat planter stole the stole

is the man, as cient. The Russian armies met last year, has fallen upon evil days. a rule, that fails. Therefore it may be that additional precautions are necessary, one sive battles, behind walls or in entrench. Forlard could command the suppose that of which might be a test applied to see ed positions of their own selection. Milijust who is and who is not obeying the tary writers agree that the improvement areople may remember the explosion, but they will not remember that there was any great occasion for or result from it. any great occasion for or result from it. orders are preserved. An examination of the odds were against the Japanese in them by competent men at intervals would these matters, the Japanese have won. agreed with the government in regard to show to what extent and in which quarter The conditions of transportation greatly cries "Halt!" The New York Post sum-

to favor them. There is, therefore, not much reason to believe Russia can do in a purely offen-

sive campaign that which she failed utter-A bill dealing with the Fredericton ly to do in a campaign of obstructionwater supply was held up because the prowear out the Japanese or beat them by superior weight. Russia, fighting in Manchorage of rafted logs above the city. churia, is crippled by distance. The

purity of the water used by the city if much haggling and delay there may be anchored alongshore where it is proposed over the terms. ST. JOHN'S FUTURE It would seem as if the public interest

demanded the finding of another place Of more interest to us here by the sea of anchorage rather than the holding up than the campaign in Manchuria or that the Montreal Witness does, that the great of the bill in question. The lumbermen over the Autonomy Bill is the future of St. military Powers have been inclined toward have rights, and they appear to have no John. On another page today is printed a end of influence; but it may be assumed London Standard correspondent's descripin Manchuria. In the course of an inter- that when all of the facts are known the tion of our city and province, some estiesting article dealing with the general people of Fredericton, if they have a good mate of our present place among the ports peace movement and the evidence that the case, are by no means without influence. of the Empire, and some kindly speculawar drama in the East is near its close, Moreover there is pressing need for pure tion as to the place this city is to occupy water at the capital and too many ob_ in the years to come, "when our ship "This being a business age, in which the stacles should not be placed in the way comes in." The Standard's commissioner

writes in part:-"St. John is one of the finest harbors in ability it will not. this region, and, as it is the only port north of Maine which is free from ice all

utterances. Commenting upon this information from

and Japan's terrific military organization new reasons for seeking to increase Ger-many's fighting power at sea and ashore. Neither France nor Germany willingly bears the vast and ever growing load of bears the vast and ever growing load of military expenditure; both may be willing to "shake hands," in diplomatic language; but neither trusts the other and each hopes the other will be the first to tire of

hopes the other will be the first to tire of the ruinous work of preparing for war in time of peace. For a time at least, until China's fate is determined, until a new balance of power is established, the outlook balance of power is established, the outlook For sale by teo. J Byron McLeod, Pe ob au ord Price, Lower

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marizes his warning in these words: "Fred-erick Greenwood, the well-known English publicist, begs English statesmen to pro-ceed with the utmost caution. Why, he asks, should not Russia withdraw the re-mains of her army to the Baikal region or where the Japanese are least likely to follow, and then prepare for a new cam-paign when they have another fleet in command? Moreover, what would he know anow to what extent and in which quarter ine conditions of transportation greatly marizes his warning in these words: "Fred-there is disobedience involving unnecessary favored the Japanese-and will continue marizes his warning in these words: "Fred-

tonow, and then prepare for a new cant which he is using the constituencies, how long can doubt that it is possible. It is possible to the constituencies, how long can doubt that it is possible. It is possible to the constituencies, how long can doubt that it is possible. It is possible to the constituencies, how long can doubt that it is possible. It is possible to the constituencies, how long can doubt that it is possible. It is possible to the constituencies, how long can doubt that it is possible. It is possible to the constituencies, how long can doubt the const the constituencies, how long Mr. Chamberlain no doubt can precipi-

cause the new world policy broke down? What again would be the retort of armed

The police department is costly, it is The Winding Ledges business appears

The town is now in the temper for a few public meetings for the discussion of later it will have to be adopted. of Germany. Only yesterday a British civic matters. They would be well at-

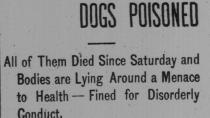
of Germany. Only yesterday a British tended because they would be interesting. The New York Post reminds Americans not yet been found as he skipped out. . . . President Castro is making grimaces in that President Roosevelt set aside the de- Saturday and several of the dead canines the direction of President's Roosevelt, but cision of a United States court there would are lying on the road in the vicinity of

> by an ungrateful, not to say irreverent talk. Yet that is what Castro has been been dumped in the creek. Such a mode Senate, declines the challenge. It was not asked to do and he is described as "impu-always thus. dent." "Impudent" he is, but it is not stopped by the authorities.

what has delayed it so long? The time has come when these matters must receive attention, when the waiting the time has come when these matters must receive attention, when the waiting the time has come when these matters must receive attention, when the waiting the time has come when these matters the time has come when the waiting the time has come when the time has the time

is going around in connection with the new warehouse. Well—the boards meet this week. The Charlottetown Guardian which has made a great fight for better winter com-munication with the Island, and which succeeded in having a delegation appointed to me to Otfawa and urge the construction

It is the fence that has stord the test of time-stands the her set strain-never sage-the standard the world over. In future Page Fonces will be painted WHITL, which is an added protoction against rest in addition to the galvanizing. Order through our local agent or direct from us. THE PAGE VUE FENCE CO. LUCITED. Walkerville, Toronto. Montroal. St. John, Winnipeg. 235



HAMPTON

Hampton, March 27 .-- Ruben Bailey, who true; but the chief has not enough men was arrested on a warrant for being and the safety board might as well have drunk, fighting and swearing on the I. provided for an addition of ten. Four C. R. station platform on Wednesday last, more are half a loaf, and better than no was brought before Miles Fowler and Jas. bread; but the grand jury recommendation W. Smith, two justices of the peace, this contained the sound policy and sooner or afternoon and was fined \$5 or thirty days, and costs of \$4 or twenty days. Travis Mitchell, who was also in the fight, has

that if some other nation were to demand Fifteen dogs have been poisoned since frightful cost of meddling? In all prob-

begins to han.
When the log that your a-choppin' snaps so swift ye slice the wind.
Or yer axe gets wrested from you and goes whizzin' out o' sight
As the logs take life beneath ye and get workin' up behind
There is a log a-rollin' downwards and up-on it ye must ride.
There's a log a-comin' end-wise like a ball.
And ye needs must tread them lightly to

all Tho' ther're spewin' thro' the Black Jaws wift as tho' down hell's mill-tail (If ye want to draw yer wages), when the jam begins to haul. -W. Mathison.



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