

The Hamilton Times.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 1900.

DEBATE ON THE WAR POLICY.

Sir Charles Tupper has shot off his gun, and while the recoil makes his shoulder ache, the bullet did no harm to the party at which it was aimed.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier replied that he felt it his duty to act with deliberation when Parliament was not in session, and there was no appropriation for the expenditure on the contingent.

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THE GHOST OF THE P. P. A.

The Times having expressed its belief that those who seek to disrupt our school system by substituting denominational schools are in bad business, and having advocated the increasing rather than the diminishing of the unifying influence of the Public Schools, the stupid old Spectator says:

Nothing is the matter with the Times; the trouble is that the Spec. is too obtuse to see—or too dishonest to speak candidly of it—that the Times' course in the schools question is consistent and logical.

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Paul Kruger, of the Transvaal. There, the Outlanders were openly refused the privilege of voting. Though they paid most of the Government revenue, they were allowed no voice in the expenditure.

If Adam Beck said any such thing his progress down grade must have been very rapid of late. But as evil associations corrupt good morals, his association with the Tupperites would seem to have had a most deleterious effect on Adam.

What an Irishman Thinks About the Tories in Canada.

Dear Minister Editor,—I just thought I'd write you a piece in a letter, an' which a hope for the education of the Conservatives in Hamilton on the subject of doings of the Conservative party, and the unscholarlyness of the news men that follow it.

Dear Sir,—We, the members and adherents of the Erskine Presbyterian Church, desire to express a word of farewell on your departure from us in order to enter upon a new and important field of work.

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New Year's Clearing Sale. Our great annual New Year's clearing sale of Ladies', Misses' and Children's High Class Footwear is now in full swing.

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