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TUESDAY, MARCH 19, 1901.

"LOYALTY TO THE EMPIRE."

Sir Wilfrid Laurier's address on the subject of "loyalty to the empire," as judged by our brief telegraphic synopsis must have been a most notable effort. It will be read with gladness in England where for months past the "Decadence of the empire" has furnished material for much newspaper talk and for many political speeches.

Ever since the outbreak of the Boer war and in fact since the time of the queen's jubilee a strong undercurrent of feeling has been manifesting itself in England, favorable to granting more concessions to the colonies, or "colonial empires," to express the idea more intelligently.

There is noticeable in the tone of the English press today a leaning toward the formation of an imperial parliament in which representation will be granted to the various British dependencies.

A high official in the treasury department has made the statement that the time is approaching when an imperial exchequer will become a necessity, and it is conceded as a point which does not require an argument that the colonies must be directly represented in parliament before they are asked to contribute to the imperial revenues. British statesmen are plainly desirous of closer and more intimate relations with the colonies. The assistance which was rendered by Canada and Australia during the late war has made a most profound impression throughout the United Kingdom, and the efficiency and bravery of the colonial troops have been subjects of widespread comment through the British press.

These are days when England appreciates demonstrations of loyalty from her colonies. She knows well the value of those colonies and realizes thoroughly the tower of strength which they will be to her if the day of adversity ever comes.

Britain will learn with pleasure therefore, that the one man who is entitled to speak for all Canada has stood up in parliament and assured the world of the unwavering and loyal devotion of Canada to the mother country.

An amount of money in the neighborhood of \$100,000 must be raised to carry on the affairs of Dawson for the next twelve months. It does not make much difference what plan of assessment is pursued the result will be about the same. There is so much money to be raised; so many people to raise it and so much property upon which taxes are to be levied. The main point at issue is to arrive at some conclusions by which the taxation will be distributed as equitably as possible to the end that no particular class will be unjustly burdened. Dawson has run along for four years without taxation and there should be no complaint at this time when it is proposed that the town contribute to an extent toward its own support. The earlier a conclusion is reached and taxes are paid the better it will be for all parties concerned.

Ex-President Harrison is dead. Eight years ago Gen. Harrison stepped from the highest position within the gift of

75,000,000 of people back in to the ranks of ordinary private citizenship. Since that time he has sought no political favors, but has contented himself with performing the simple duties of the American citizen. It is hard to say which side of his character we most admire—the qualities by which he became president or the qualities which made him a good citizen after being president.

There are few unemployed teams in Dawson today. Hundreds of tons of supplies and machinery are being hurried on to the creeks, where an enormous amount of work will be done during the coming summer. Freight rates are bound to advance after the first of April, which fact, it is apparent, is well understood among claim owners and operators. There is money to be saved by having supplies freighted to the creeks before soft weather begins.

Oom Paul refuses to recognize the negotiations now pending between Kitchener and Botha with a view to the surrender of the latter. Just what influence Oom's position will have on the outcome of the negotiations the dispatches do not state.

Our amateur contemporary discussed very learnedly in a recent issue the subject "are men worse than women." We suggest to our contemporary to take up the question: "Could anything be worse than the News."

Future of Democracy.

Montgomery, Ala., Feb. 23.—The legislature of Alabama, has received a letter from ex Senator David B. Hill of New York, tendering his thanks for its request for an address from him and expressing his regret at being unable to comply. In part he wrote:

"The reference to political matters contained in the resolution leads me to say that the Democratic party, as the conservative force of the country, is more than ever essential to the well being and safety of the republic. The nation is confronted at him by the malign of corruption and plutocracy, and it is threatened abroad by the machinations of the enemies of constitutional government and popular liberty."

"It becomes our duty as patriots and Democrats to strengthen our party organization, to unite all elements of opposition to radicalism, to organize for future contests upon right lines, so as to make national victories again possible, to avoid recrimination and to subordinate all selfish and personal considerations in the exhibition of widespread national and party patriotism."

"We should stand as a solid phalanx in favor of a strict construction of the federal constitution, for the preservation of the reserved rights of the states, for the maintenance of the constitutional currency of our fathers, for a system of public taxation imposed for public purposes only, for economy in all public expenditures and for the supremacy of the constitution with all its guarantees, over every portion of our national jurisdiction and we should resist by every honorable means in our power the Republican efforts to fasten upon our country the evils of militarism, the wrongs involved in the diversion of public moneys in the shape of congressional subsidies, the tendencies toward centralization of power and the substitution of imperialism for the plain and simple theories of Democratic government. Upon all these issues the Democratic party is right, and sooner or later the right will surely prevail."

Africana, Henry Clay, Vallens & Co. imported cigars 25c. Aurora No. 1.

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Round steak 50c at P. O. Market.

Fresh halibut at the Denver Market.

**Grass
Flower
Vegetable
SEEDS..**

J. P. McLENNAN.



"What's dat? Sharkey kin lik Slavin? If you make dat break again your Pa will be chasin' Hershberg for new togs for his fauntleroy—SEE!"

SLAVIN vs. SHARKEY

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Table Manners.

It is at the table that the lower animal in man is revealed.

Comparatively few of the total population are observed to have discarded the beast and to have achieved the ideal table manners.

Neither clothes nor wealth nor social position can excuse the offenses, revolting to every sense of delicacy, witnessed even in the most exclusive dining-rooms; offenses by men and women often who in other affairs seem to possess the sense of shame.

It is by no means the men and women with the largest circumference of waist, neck and face who comprise the public eyesore and nuisances.

Slim people, thin people, little people and all types of people make up the army of gourmands who growl and tear and crunch like the carnivora.

I do not feel called upon to pose as an instructor of etiquette. It is no part of my mission to prepare a work on how to eat. But as a mere citizen I do protest against the table beast. What I have to say will neither interest him nor apply to him or her.

I have, however, a few suggestions to make to cultivated eaters, suggestions which I have found assist me to reduce considerably the remaining barbarities of the table and advance a little our ideals which tend to make eating a cultivated, refined and pleasurable necessity.

The napkin is the first thing handed to us; let us begin with that. Usually it is four times too large. If so, cut in four pieces and serve the pieces separately with the courses.

The man or woman who tucks a napkin in the collar confesses publicly to being a hog. We observe them in every diningroom.

It is manifestly bad taste to place a napkin across the lap. It is a confession that one is unable to eat without scattering food on the person. When the lap napkin man arises from the table his clothes are covered with white lint, which is harder to remove than crumbs.

The mouth is the only proper receptacle for food, and there is no necessity to scatter so much as a crumb outside the plate.

Take the napkin, a small one preferred, and crumple it in the left hand into a small lump. Use it only and frequently wipe the lips. When eating soup, hold it close under the mouth. When taking food into the mouth, bend low over the plate and look down.

If any drops it drops on the plate unseen. When eating meat which must be cut, using both knife and fork, place the napkin at the left side of the plate. Pause occasionally. Take the knife and fork in the right hand or place them on the plate and wipe the lips.

There are few higher ideals in life than to make eating a delicate art, pleasing to refined senses and in no way displeasing others. I repeat that the sole mission of the napkin is to wipe the lips and fingers.

The second offense of the waiter consists in his distributing the silverware around the plate. All the silverware, knives, forks and spoons should be placed on the right hand side of the plate. There really should be an elongated tray for them.

No epicure now uses the fork with the left hand. The spoons and forks, then, being almost solely used with the right hand, should be placed with the knives at the right of the plate. This setting leaves the space at the left clear for the napkin, when not in use, or the newspaper, or book. Take the food with the fork in the right hand and the napkin in the left hand.

There should be no serving on the table outside of the home, and I wouldn't allow it in a house of my own. The carving should be done away from the table by the waiter, and by him the potatoes peeled, if baked or boiled, and even the corn cut from the cob. Have each portion served to yourself and your guests separately, solely and exclusively by the waiter. Have

all the work possible done away from the table, so that the efforts not directed to conversation may be confined to getting the food into the interior noiselessly and as invisibly as possible.

Your valuable adjunct at the table is the side dish which you can hold under your lips with the left hand while transferring its contents with a fork with the right hand. All viands baked in shells or small pans and served hot should be transferred to the plate. It is vulgar to eat from shell or pan.

The only preventive against fish ptomaines is to use French dressing, oil, vinegar, pepper and salt plentifully. French dressing may be applied to the fish, which it improves, or to the salad which accompanies it.

Egg eating is the horror of the breakfast-room, disagreeable to accomplish, impossible to witness. In public eat eggs hard boiled, with French dressing or scrambled, or stuffed, or in any one of a hundred ways that dispense with soft eggs. If you will eat soft boiled eggs improve them 500 per cent with a few drops of Tobasco sauce, and get behind the napkin while eating.

The man with a mustache should eat soup only with a dessert spoon, and take

the spoon wholly and deftly in his mouth.—William Hosea Ballo: in S. F. Examiner.

In Court This Week.

A very busy week is mapped out for the justices of the territorial court as will be seen by the following peremptory list as posted yesterday.

Hon. Mr. Justice Dugas' court—Lynch vs. Orcutt and Banach vs. Matheson, Tuesday; Cameron vs. Bonner and Paxton vs. Morford, Wednesday; Burns vs. Adair, Adair vs. Peterson and Patton vs. Peterson, Thursday; Griffith vs. Craig, Turner vs. Craig and Taylor vs. Lippy Friday.

The following cases will be heard before the Hon. Mr. Justice Craig—Morrison vs. Hebb and Burns vs. Sichegger, Tuesday; Soucie vs. Richardson and Postal vs. Can. Lumber Co., Wednesday; Moneley vs. Timmins and Allan vs. Broberg, Thursday; Thomas vs. James, Thomas vs. James and Thomas vs. March, Friday.

At the present rate of consumption, the white fish the Pacific Cold Storage Co. brought in for the lenten season will all be gone long before Easter.

Best assortment of Klondike views at Goetzman's the photographer.

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