more than a little surprising to find that he has been "plunging" to the full as recklessly as the less phlegmatic Anglo-Saxon and Anglo-Celt on both sides of the Atlantic. He chose principally for his "flutter" American rails and steel, and, with the decline in value of these, the inevitable crash has come. A number of banks have failed, principally in Haarlem and Delft, but also in the south of Holland, and last week the well-known Hollandsche Bank at The Hague suspended payment. The more than a little surprising to find the province demonstrates its ability to expected in a country showing rapid

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quated pattern of the town pump.

"Whatever is, is bad," appeared to be his motto in dealing with all things British, both great and small. But, as Mr. late the government on being ready Labouchere would himself say, being with such important legislation at the practical and beneficial legislation would be passed without obstructive or faction. something of a dabbler in the classics, opening of the session. When we con- al opposition. "Tempora mutantur, et nos mutamur in illis." And certainly in the changing times Henry Labouchere has changed. In last week's London "Truth," he sounds a note the astonishing novelty of which must have made his readers blink. He asks plaintively why London smart society runs after American and smart society runs after American and sounds and the sound of the session. When we consider the leugth of time the government has been in power, and the fact that its administrative functions have been interfered with by a campaign in the country and a general election, there would have been excuse for longer delay in bringing down legislation involving such monumental and intricate constructive labor in its preparation. The government has been in power, and the fact that its administrative functions have been interfered with by a campaign in the capture for they have not made that its administrative functions have been interfered with by a campaign in the capture for the province, without distinction of party, the maintenance of political equilibrium at the present time this readers would have been excuse for longer delay in bringing down legislation involving such monumental and intricate constructive labor in its preparation. The government has been in power, and the fact that its administrative functions have to the people of the province, without distinction of party, the maintenance of political equilibrium at the present time the view in the cively necessary.

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the Liberal party regards our present tariff as a concession to ideas in which it does not believe, but which are too deeply embedded in the minds of the people of Canada for it to eradicate. That position might be all right so long as the country did not require a revision of the tariff. But it is not a position which can be occupied with position which can be occupied with any success when a revision of the tariff universally demanded and impera-

THE MINSTREL BOY

The minstrel boy to the war has gone, In the ranks of the dead you'll find him, His father's sword he has girded on, And his wild harp slung behind him. "Land of song!" said the warrior bard, "Though all the world betrays thee, One sword, at least, thy rights shall guard, One faithful harp, shall praise thee!"

The minstrel fell!-but the foeman's chain

record every happening, as well as the trade accounts and employment of the men—J. S.H) kept at this place, showed rain or snow for nine months out of the twelve. We opened trade with the natives, a wild, turbulent race, so we only admitted a few of them at a time to enter the fort gate to trade. A few years before this, an American vessel from Boston came to trade in the neighborhood, had a quarrel with the natives, in which a large number of samuel Morrow, Sooke road.

easured off each way. When the fort was built the natives for some time kept aloof, and would not come near. Afterwards some of these came round gradually, and finding them inclined to steal anything they

could get, a watch was kept night and day, whilst we lived in tents before houses were built. The natives, however, soon got rid of their styness, began to remove from Cadboro Bay village and erect houses for themselves along the banks of the harbor as far as the present site of John-

on street. In the autumn Mr. Douglas left us, taking the Beaver and Cadboro away. After the fort was built, consisting of cedar pickets 18 feet high round a space of 150 yards square, with houses and stores within, and two large brick houses, bastion at two angles with nine pounder cannonade blunderbusses, cutlasses at centre, taken from the dismantled forts heretofore clearing the ground to raise vegetables and

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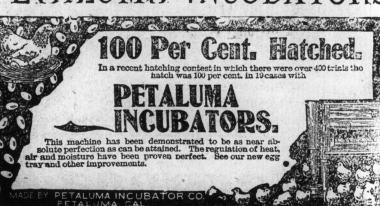
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