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FOOTMARKS OF THE TRUST

Look at the footmarks of R. B. Bennett and the elevator trust.

On March 7, before the writs were issued. nats in Winnipeg closed at 35 cents a bushel. ' One month later, on April 9, after R. B. Bennett had become an issue in the election in Alberta and the elevator trust was endeavoring to break the force of the argument, oats closed in Winnipeg at 347-8, a reduction of 1-8 of a cent in one month. On March 7, the elevator price for oats in Alherta was 20 cents. One month later, when R. B. Bennett was backed up in the corner explaining himself and his trust the price of oats at elevators in Alberta, was 231/2 cents, an increase of 31/2 cents.

Every day the elevator trust is bidding up the price of oats.

And then who will say that the elevator trust not conducting the campaign against the govment The big issue in this election is the elevator

FORECASTS OF ELECTIONS

Election predictions by election prophets are not often of very great value when the prophets ppen to be election workers. Frequently the preictions are made for the effect they will have upon the elector. The wise party organizer believes that the voter always wants to be with the winner, and if he can induce him to believe that his party is the winner, why, it is very good business. Of course party men, keen at the work, also get strange ideas. There were people in the last

business of the province. Apparently, also, there is not complete harmony of opinion among Con-

THE MORNING ALBERTAN, CALGARY.



TTAWA, Apr.' 15 .- Caladian Conservative party is criticising the bill except chitects, in common with embers of the profession parts of the world. \w tive legislation because it depends entirely upon shortly be given an opportunity compete in the designing of the p the courts, yet that Mr. Bennett is opposing the cipal public buildings for Canberry bill and is declaring it vicious to the farmers he is the capital city of Australia, which was officially designed a few weeks

Really, it seems as if the central Conservative organization should call Mr. Bennett down for going about the country dividing their forces by

preaching a doctrine directly opposite to the posi-tion taken by all the rest of the party in the province, including its leader. A most presump-tuous thing, it would seem, for one man to set up a claim to greater wisdom than the rest of the parliament house, the capital having been determined. it is proposed that competitive de-signs shall be invited from all parts of the world. Instead of inviting designs for each separate building, it is the intention of the government to offer plans which are to embody the while official block -parliament house, the capital admina claim to greater wisdom than the fest of the are tembody the whole of the book of the partiament book of the partiament book of the partiament house, the copitol, administrative offices, public library, etc., as by this means it is boped a uniform scheme of architecture may be obtained. It is desired by the government that all the buildings re architectural-

servatives regarding the Farm Implement bill. It

is noteworthy that Harold Riley has sent letters

ing them he supported the measure and approves

it and that not a member of the opposition in the

last house has raised a voice against it, not, even

the Rev. S. Bacon Hillocks, who says it is nega-

the lawyer himself, that not a candidate of the

The circumstance clearly illustrates two things. One is, that R. B. Bennett, who is now trying to tell the farmers what is good for them, is a corporationist before anything else, so much so that he is willing to imperil the chances of his party by opposing a measure, which apparently everyone else in Alberta considers to be in the taw tawa, where they may be inspected by Canadian architects.

interest of the farmers, in order to be faithful to The other, is that the influences that are trying



THE VACUUM CLEANER

The vacuum cleaner is an agile de which has sounded the death knell of the corn broom, the carpel sweeper and the reversible back ache It is a greater boon to the housewife than the prepared soup, and can be used oftener without causing the fam-A good sign of the times is the fact that labor ily to remonstrate in an indignan

and the government of Alberta are beginning to For several hundred years women work together. It is one auguring of much good for the province. In each of the Lethbridge and Rocky Mountain constituencies, the laboring people and Liberals constituencies, the laboring people and Liberals are supporting the same candidates, which insures their election and which will for the first time give labor direct representation in the legislature.

give labor direct representation in the legislature. The province will realize direct benefit from the the floor without moving out of he Labor has become a very large part of the with all this. Nowadays all a woman social fabric in Alberta and is all the time, becoming a larger factor. There must be legislation in behalf of that branch of society the same as others. bught to come out, the cleaner will extract it and tuck it away in its hi It can be fashioned with greater sureness of meet- pocket. Some cleaners are more tho ing the needs of labor, if labor is represented in the law-making body by men who know exactly. what labor wants.

It will be said, in fact, is said, that the gov-

Dominion election who really believed that I. S. G. Van Wart would be elected and were willing to produce their proofs. A Calgary Conservative newspaper has taken an interesting view of the situation. Last Satur-day it produced its proof to show that the Con-

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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 16, 1913.

THERE are a dozen and one uses for which women will want these pretty ribbons on sale today at a fraction of their usual worth. We can't guarantee how long quantities will last, but we advise morning shopping. if you would share.

400 Yards Rich Silk and Satin Ribbons-Particularly adapted for Millinery trimmings; in light, medium, and dark shades; 6 1-2 inches wide Regular standard qualities at 30c and 35c a yard. Today 17 1-2¢

Linen Table Napkins

Housekeepers, hotel and boarding house proprietors will look long and far before they will get a more generous offer than this sale extends to them today. For no other reason than the mere fact that stocks are a little too heavy for the amount of room here, have they been reduced to such proportions. And at their regular price they represent splendid value. We don't expect the quantity to last long after the

doors open. Pure Irish Linen Damask Table Napkins-Sixe 22x22, in a very neat Ivy design; nicely hemmed and ready for use. Our leader value at \$2.25 dozen. Today \$1.90

Again Today, Verandah Mat Samples at Half Price

rOU'LL remember the remarkable values this store offered some weeks ago in richly colored Japanese Rugs and how they were "snapped-up" by eager buyers. These Verandah mats were included in that consignment, which came to us direct from our own representative in Japan. And now we bring them forward for quick clearance at the very time they are most needed, and at prices we can never hope to better. You see, we bought them as samples, and as such bought them at a great advantage in price. Furthermore, as samples, they passed the customs. Hence our position to offer them at such ridiculously low figures. Though quantities in each size are limited, there is generous choice, size and prices, a few of which we quote below:

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A Special Shipment Just In and Specially Priced for Wednesday

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UDGING from the many inquiries of late for low priced and fashionable coats for ladies we look to an enthusiastic selling response and hearty appreciation of such news as this. They represent a very special lot we bought direct from the makers and at a considerable price advantage. 'Strikingly handsome garments' women are bound to fall in love with at first sight. Carefully made in every detail, assuring lasting satisfaction.

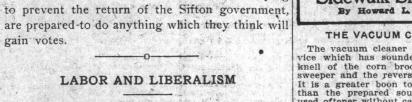
Don't look for better values, for it would be well nigh impossible.

AT \$7.50 A shipment just opened out, consisting of won-derfully attractive tweed. Coats, in lengths of 50 and 52 inches and made with an inserted belt at back, finished with two large buttons; has regulation collar and revers, with three-button fastening; new set-in cleeves with cuffs. Collar, cuffs, button holes and button centres are finished with a contrasting shade in broadcloth to blend effectively with the material in coat. The colors shown are fawn and tan, mixed tweeds, grey, green, and brown. Both Misses' and Ladies'. You have often green, and brown. Both misses and paid \$12.50 for a coat and not got one as good as this \$7.50

AT \$10.00 Here we have on sale some excellent values in **JULUU** more than a dozen different styles to select from. One particularly attractive coat is a strictly Norfolk style, in 48 and 50 inch lengths, made in a beautiful quality of heavy wool serge, in colors of French grey, light fawn and tan. This is a very smart coat for Misses' wear, and would be good buying at \$15.00 each. Special value \$10,00

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servatives would get fifteen to eighteen seats, and perchance they might reach as high as twenty or twenty-five. But that seemed to cause some consternation among the faithful and later on the aper says that the chances of the party are a little etter. But though it produces its figures to the satisfaction of the party workers on one page, it defies them on the other by a statement like this: "As has been said, no sane person familiar with the political situation in the province can believe therwise than that the government will be reurned to power by a large majority."

And that last sentence is the truth and about all that is definitely known about it. It is difficult to go further into details. It is unreasonable to suppose that a party without very much of a leader and without anything of a policy can go up successfully against a government which has given good administration, excellent legislation, and has

been clean and free from graft. It is likely that some opposition candidates through their own personality, or superior organization may capture some seats or hold some they have, but the idea of anything like a general upheaval, under the circumstances, is too unreason-

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oppose it."

upon the issues. However, there are happened.

recognizes that much more will have to be passed as in the sordid attire of the \$2.48 kimona. and that much assistance could be had from members who are workers themselves and it welcomes R. B. B.-The Great Illusion.

that assistance. On the other hand, the labor forces recognize An Impression By a Man in the Street

that the government has given labor much useful and beneficial legislation, so much that the area of the government to deal fairly by labor has been demonstrated, and realizing that the interests of labor can better be served by working with the government than by opposing it, labor has decided to isin with the government (it's a favorite

government than by opposing it, labor has decided to join with the government in its efforts to ad-equately serve the interests of working people. That is what is behind the joint support of labor candidates. It is the thing any government ought to do but it is the first instance in Canada of the ideal relationship between labor and government having been arrived at. **RECKLESS STATEMENTS** The Albertan refers to the leading editorial in The Albertan refers to the leading editorial in

The Albertan refers to the leading editorial in The Calgary Herald of last night just as an ex-ample of the reckless statements that are being destiny of Alberta was to be settled that night for all time to come. used in this election.

heaval, under the circumstances, is too unreasonable to consider. DPPOSING THE MACHINERY BILL It appears evident that R. B. Bennett does not place a very high estimate on the abilities of six of the seven Conservative members of the last speech at Olds Monday evening. Mr. Bennett was dealing with the Farm Im-plement bill which he is opposing very strenuous-by. He told his audience the bill is all that is vicious and dangerous. When a farmer in the audience inquired why all the Conservative members of the source supported the bill if that was true. Mr. Bennett replied: They did not all support the bill, though six did. The lawyer among the opposition was not oppose it."

And The Herald forgets to tell its readers that fortunate of their fellow men.

Obviously, Mr. Bennett has a poor opinion of six-sevenths of the Conservative members of the last house which includes the man he is asking the people of Alberta to place in charge of all the equal to its present majority. It should win by even more if the electors vote win by even more if the electors vote win by even more if the electors vote happened. And The Herald forgets to fell its readers that the opposition has not objected to a single item of expenditure authorized by the government, but complains that the expenditure should be greater still. So far, good: But scenes and sub-jects change. November, 1912, Sher-man's rink. "Speech on Grand Trunk Pacific and Morning Albertan." Was it great? Uudoubtedly! It was Grand, more Grand Trunk than Pacific. Some-how it made me dubious. The gilt seemed to look tawdry on the Golden in gene the lesues. However, there are happened.

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"What in the world shall we cover the bedroom floors with?" "Rugs are nice, but I can't quite af-ford them just now, and linoleums are rather cold looking." You often hear such remarks by house-keepers who are in doubt. Now, let us suggest the new and very appropriate "Colorfast". Floor Covering. for we believe it will fill the bill admirably. This wonderful material comes in artistic shades of bluc, brown and green, and is fully guaranteed to hold its original color, even should it be nailed on the roof and left for months. It can be

left for months. It can be scrubbed like linoleum, yet has the appearance of car-pet. And you'll worder, at the prices, for such de-sirable floor coverings; 36 inches wide Per vard

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Pretty Dresses for Children, \$1.75 Here is a gathering of the prettiest little dresses we've shown for the new season, being a "Special

Mothers!

Purchase" by our own representative while in New York recently. They represent wonderful value and come in the most becoming styles for girls from ages 4 to 14. Beautifully made of fine percale and ginghams,

in a variety of styles, some stripe effects and others perfectly plain, nicely piped with plain and self materials. Bring the little one down this morning for one of them. Today \$1.75



A Noteworthy Display of Home Furnishings

Which Will Provide for the Furnishing and Refurnishing of H omes as They Should Be Furnished.

TO THOSE who have planned, or perhaps are planning right now, on furnishing a new home or refurnishing the old one, an hour or so spent in this new Carpet section will provide almost endless suggestion to the newest and best ideas, and will probably impress most forcibly the fact that prices, too, are a little lower here than in most stores. There's scarcely a day passes that does not bring to this big Carpet Section so ne new and beautiful production in handsome floor covering. One of the new arrivals, unpacked as late as last Thursday, an 1 worthy of special mention is a product of one of the most wonderful carpet looms yet invented. This clever machine weaves a rug, the like of which would defy an expert to tell it from a genuine hand-tufted rug. The artistic and bewitching blending of color is to be found only in rare Oriental rugs costing about ten times the price. These wonderful rugs, produced on a more wonderful machine, come in small but desirable sizes only, of a very rich, long pile and decidedly distinctive in appe rance. And best of all, these new rugs cannot be judged by their prices, as they have been marked to the level of much more commonplace productions; sizes 27x54 inches, selling as low as \$7.50, with other sizes priced in like proportion.

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