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PLAIN TALK.

Hon. David Mills has written at ter dealing with matters in the United States. He says American farming resembles that of Ontario sixty years ago, that our southern neighbors dislike farming, that their women equally dislike child-bearing and that were it not for the influx of foreigners, who are alive to parental and national duties, their country would relapse into the primeval wilderness Detroit school for the deaf. and become depopulated.

"LIBERAL UNITY."

Tilbury has finally been made an outport of customs, and W.A. Hutton, ate Institute is causing a great deal teacher, insurance agent, editor and of discussion in that new city, points quondam Conservative has been retirtics and business by being appointed ers were dismissed because they were sub-collector at \$400 salary. After not in harmony with the principal; the position was understood to have been promised by Mr. Stephens to H. Richardson, a life-long Liberal, Mr. Hutton, with three or four members of the Liberal executive for the riding, he resigned because he found that in got Mr. Stephens' consent to leave the appointment to a secret meeting of the executive, when he got it unanimously. This raised such a proing was held, when Mr. Hutton was jority of 15 to 12. In spite of the ed by upwards of 70 Liberals out of only 84 polled here last election, Mr. Stephens cheerfully gave the position to Mr. Hutton, to whom we extend our heartiest congratulations, but fear there will bo some wigs on the green here at the coming provincial election. It is to be regretted there is such a prejudice in Canada against our government officials interfering in politics, else Mr. Hutton's newspaper views on the government of the day and his benefactors, Messrs. Stephens and Pardo, would possess especial interest-Tilbury Times.

EDUCATIONAL MEETING.

An important educational congress is in session in Detroit, which is of much interest to Canadians, since the teaching problems overleap internanational boundaries and their solusolution in the United States is governed by conditions of race and lang-

guage akin to our own. The discussions are conducted with much freedom and breadth of view. The definiteness of the projects, rightly or wrongly broached, is also commendable since, as Lord Bacon puts it truth will emerge sooner from error than from confusion. (A very wide range of topics is presented for com-

The unduly fostering of fads wa vigorously denounced, among which was the riding to death of the mannal training hobby. Some practical views were broached re Indian schools Professor Angell paid warm tribute to the Roman Catholic and Presbyterian clergy, who had aided in founding the Indian university, and to the Indians themselves, who had contributed Another speaker said that an Indian mother would rather have an un-educated live child than an educated dead one, here alluding to the crowding of tuberculosis children with unclean clothing in some Indian school.

Bishop Spaulding emphasized th neglect of parents who neglected to place high ideals before their offspring, thus making the subsequent work of the teacher difficult and almost impossible. President Cyrus Northrup, of the University of Minnenesota, held that universities wholly are mainly endowed by private benefactions, had more liberty of action than those under state control and liable to interference of political med-

dling. President Harper, of the University of Chicago, pelieved that within the next 25 years there would be a number of universities in the States with 50 million endowments, the main efforts to form a national university were described. Miss Helen Greenlaw, of California, opposed the system of free text books as a degrading bestowal of bharity and destructive of self-reliance.

A Chicago educational society from which superintendents and trustees are excluded from membership so as to leave teachers discussions unfet

tered, also held session. The policy of introducing Bible stories into school readers was debated. It will be remembered that trustee J. A. Wilson, of Chatham, at the Toronto Educational Conference advocated the reading of the Bible in the schools, as a model of pure and terse English. An amusing episode of the convention was the straying by mistake of two dainty young school "marms" into the embalmers meeting where they listened to an argument on parasetic and saprophytic germs.

An interesting exhibit was given of

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HISTORY AND WAR.

The dismissal of two teachers from the staff of the Woodstock Collegiout the Toronto Star. Officially the ed from further interference in poliunofficially it is stated that one of the teachers lost his position because he was a pro-Boer. The statement is attributed to one of the teachers that teaching history in these days he was expected to inculcate in the breasts of

The dismissal of the Woodstock test in the village that another meet- teachers, whether it was an indirect result of the Boer war or not, may again gratified by the narrow ma- well serve to direct our minds to wars' far-reaching effects. Whether opposition of nine-tenths of the village just or unjust, war is calamitous, not Liberals, and the receipt of a peti-only because of the misery it entails tion in favor of Mr. Richardson sign- on individuals and the drain it causes upon the nation's resources, but be-cause of its after effects. England owes her commercial supremacy over her Continental rivals in part to the fact that they take the pick of their population for their huge standing armies, and so force the most virile portion of their population at its most virile period into unproductive inactivity. And England's commercial supremacy is not strengthened by taking the cream of her productive population and shipping them to South Africa to be shot or maimed, or killed by disease or weakened by

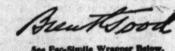
exposure. While this national loss must be ounted as one of the most serious effects of war, there are other effects equally disastrous, though less noticeable. One of these is the impression left upon the minds of the rising generation. They read of battles fought, of victories won. Their hearts thrill at the stories of triumph. Warlike ideals take root and develop, and will influence future politics, to the which come the hopes of civilization and the race. Men's minds are best employed when they are directed to the production of happiness and human comforts. To turn them to the destruction of happiness and the production of human misery never did result in anything but loss. It has been a slow process, the weaning of

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men's ambitions from military glory. and it is not the least regrettable that it blurs our vision so that the hope of a time when the world shall beat all swords into ploughshares ooks mean and poor spirited. The evil effects of war go deep and last ong, guard as we may against them.

They do not pass away, as the thoughtless think, with the echoes of the cannon. But let us keen this fice and courage, which there are reaped grew elsewhere.

Sermons will be judged by their length, not breadth or depth, to-mor-

The imprisonment of Japanese by British Columbian fishermen may lead to international complications.

Walkerville in many ways is model town-for absence of loafers, and cleanliness of streets, and high valuation of property per capita. The rate struck for this year, 8 8-10 mills, s the lowest in Ontario.

A Dunkirk burglar, carrying a can of nitro-glycerine in his pocket, fell down a stairway and was blown to kingdom come. It was a case of the ing up ngainst his own game.

Conservative conventions have been called: North Oxford convention, Woodstock, Saturday, July 13; East Lambton, Watford, Tuesday, July 16; South Norfolk, at Simcoe Wednesday, July 25.

For a man who has appealed to the courts and is party to a case subjudice Mr. Morang, of Toronto, carries a very loose jaw. Good taste ought to prevent him from arguing his case in the Mail while it is is pending in the high court.—Hamilton

Yes, Morang, you keep still and le the Toronto Globe and the Hamilton Times tell the public all about it.

According to the Detroit News-Tribune, the committee in charge of the civic mourning in honor of the late Mr. Pingree, of that city, refused to use purple streamers because they might be accused of imitating the mourning streamers used for Queen Victoria, and ordered by King Edward VII. How it must aggravate such civic idiots to have to talk the English language.

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Hamilton Herald. Admiral Dan McGillicuddy is again showing a restive independence in his paper, which fact is accepted as evidence that his Government dredging ontract is completed,

THEIR GREAT DAY.

Baltimore Americana "Who," shouted the impassionate orator, "who among us has any cause to be happier than his neighbor on this glorious day of the nation's birth ?" A man, with his head band aged and both arms in a sling, arose in the rear of the hall, and exclaimed ;

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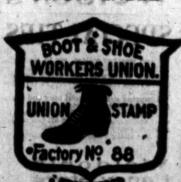
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