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PROVINCIAL CONSERVATIVE CONVENTION.

It has been practically decided, says The Mail, that a convention of the Conservatives of Ontario will shortly be called together by Mir. Whitney, leader of the party in Ontario, for the provincial campaign of 1902. On Mr. Whitney's recent visit to Toronto, the matter was fully discussed, and he will return to that city this week, when the date of the convention will pro bably be fixed it is it

The convention will be on the lines of the Ottawa convention of Liberals, which met in 1893, and laid down a platform for Dominion affairs. The coming Conservative convention, however, with be of a purely, provincial char , and no Federal issues will be touched upon. The question of the Federal leadership will be in no way broached. Conservative members of the Legislature and defeated Conservative candidates in the elections of 1898, together with representatives chosen by the various Conservative or ganizations of the province, will constitute the convention. A plan of campaign to drive the Ross Administration out of existence will be dis-

cussed and drawn up.

The fight for Conservative rule in Ontario in 1902 or previously is going to be the hottest in the history of the province. Several bye-elections will take place before the general elections, and these will be hotly contested. The first of these will be that in Welland, to fill the seat vacated by Mr. Ger man. The election will take place on December 13th, with nominations on December 6th. The full fighting strength of both parties will be thrown into the contest and there is every chance of the Conservatives redeeming the riding.

MORE ABOUT CONSUMPTION.

It is well that the white plague, consumption is euphoniously termed, should receive the most careful attention of medical experts and that information respecting the cause and cure of this disease should be as widely spread as possible. It has been popularly believed that much depended upon climatic conditions; that a dry, grare air is unfavorable to the propagation of the consumptive germs. At the late meeting of the American Electro-Therapeutic Association, New York, Dr. M. J. Brooks, of Connecticut, disputed this view and asserted that climate has nothing to do with consumption, and cited the fact that even in the Adirondacks, the consump tives' resort, the disease is increasing. This conclusion is a non sequitur. The spread of the disease there would go rather to show that the retreat of consumptives to that section has brought along the fatal germs and that the contagion is spreading even under conditions most adverse for the bacilli. The germ is in the sputa, and when that is dried it floats in the atmosphere and, when inhaled, lodges and is propagated in the lungs of erstwhile healthy parties.

But that the disease can be controlled, if not stamped out, would appear to be abundantly established. In England and Wales the death rate from this disease has been reduced from 38 per 10,000 of the population in 1838 to about 13 per 10,000 in 1900.

In an article dealing with this subject, the Philadelphia Record, summarizing the conclusions of German and English congresses on the question, says: "Both German and English medical congresses have agreed that the disease is contagious; that the contagion is in the form of a living germ; that this germ can grow and propagate only in the body of man or of some of the lower animals; that the main sources of infection are the inhalation of particles of dried sputa from the lungs of persons already suffering from the disorder and the eating of the flesh and the drinking of the milk of tuberculosis cattle; that the disease is never inherited from birth, and that in order to avoid the malady it is only necessary to avoid the infection. It is evident from these findings that if all tuberculous cattle should be killed (it being practicable to detect the disease in cattle by the use of tuberculin) and all tuberculous patients could be induced to take the necessary sanitary precautions the weerms would be destroyed and this most fatal of all diseases would be stamped out. In about twenty States of the Union there are bovine regulation s, but only in New, York and Massacht wetts are such laws rigidly enforced. In those two States many thousand head of tuberculous cattle have been killed and paid for at the rate of \$ 6 each by the State, and the result has been a steady decrease in the numbe, tof human consumptives. It is necessar Y, however, that Congress should adopt a measure to prevent the shipment of diseased cattle from one State to a nother. Also, there should be a law to require every dairy to be inspected by a competent veter-inarian. Consumpt, ives should be in-duced to burn the w sputa, though those who are ignor. headless of all crowded tenements are heedless of all advice and must be placed under the authority of health office.

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PECULIAR LIBEL CASE. By a recent decision of the Court of

Appeal in England the proprietors of a circulating library were held liable in an action for a libel unknown to them contained in one of the volumes. The plaintiff, one Vizetelly, had been employed by Gordon Bennett, of The New York Herald, to proceed at the head of an expedition to Africa to search for Sir Henry Stanley, who was then engaged in an expedition for the rescue of Emin Pasha, and subsequenty sent off letters to Gordon Bennett. An English publishing house issued a book, called "Emin Pasha: His Life and Work," purporting to be compiled from journals, letters and scientific notes of Emin Pasha, and from official documents. It contained the following passage purporting to be an extract from Emin Pasha's diary:-Vizetelly sent off three messengers to-day to the coast, each with a bulky letter. However, as he is not yet sober he cannot surely have written them himself, and the solution of the problem is, as Dr. Parke tells us, simply that Stanley had the correspondence ready and knocked it down to the about the inside workings of the lihighest bidder, Vizetelly, that is, Gordon Bennett, and quite right, too.' This was the alleged libel, and it was not suggested at the trial that the statements contained were true. The plaintiff had first brought action tled by their paying him £100 damages, apologizing and undertaking to or both; it gives the court power in two well-known publishers' journals, but the defendants, although they were subscribers for and received the journals, had not seen the notice. The jury gave the plaintiff in this case a like sum of £100 damages, and the Court of Appeal held that the jury were justified in the verdict.

PITY AND BEAUTY

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In his poem on Bobs, Kipling wrote: 'If it bucks or bolts or rears

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With a smile round both 'is ears;
Can't yer, Bobs!" Then Lord Roberts went off to South Africa and got thrown from his

In a report soon to be made by U. S. Surgeon-General Sternberg it will be stated that the mosquitoes are argely responsible for the spread of ellow fever in Cuba, and that a physician, said to be Dr. Jesse Lazear, who experimented on himself, died from yellow fever the germs of which had been injected by a mosquito.

Sheriff Middleton, who has been sheriff of Hamilton less than three years and is one of the kindesthearted men in the city, will be called upon to superintend the execution on Friday, Dec. 7, of young Pearson, convicted of the murder of Annie Griffith, making the second execution within his short term in office. The first was Ben Parrott, convicted of the murder of his mother.

The superintendent of the industrial school at Mimico says 75 per cent of the boys admitted were addicted to cigarettes and that their physical development has been stunted by the practice. James Massie, formerly warden of the Central Prison, declares it will soon be necessary for business men to follow the example of the large manufacturers of New York, who recently adopted a resolution, pledging themselves not to employ boys who used cigarettes. The Government will be asked to enforce the anti-cigarette jaw to better effect.

Word comes from Toronto that the government intends to behead a number of license inspectors with the view of appointing new men to more vigorously enforce the law. This, of course, is all humbug, but whatever the object of the announcement the scheme has not developted sufficiently yet for the public to guess what the bluff means, But this we may be tolerably sure of, there is not a license inspector in the Province that the Ontario government dare dismiss without his consent. They all know too much cense machine.

In England there came into force the other day the New Money Lenders' Act, which makes money lenders who fraudulently induce their clients against the publishers, which was set- to borrow hable to two years' imprisonment or a fine not exceeding £500, withdraw the libel from circulation. to reopen any transaction which may the person sued, and it renders any money lender who does not register imself under his own name liable to penalty not exceeding £100, and, in he event of a subsequent conviction, to imprisonment for a term not exceeding three months.

A FAULT IT HAD NOT.

Toronto Telegram. Yes, the Bogus Globe had its faults, out it never standered Ontario by attributing to race or creed prejudice the uprising of old Liberals at the

RETIRED FOR A SPELL.

Bobcaygeon Independent. The commercial traveller who had been all over the Dominion and knew the political pulse as he did his prayers appears to be attending strictly to business at present.

CANADIAN COINCIDENCES.

Alexandria Glengarrian. On the 7th of November, 1867, the first parliament of federated Canada met under the premiership of Sir John

On the 7th of November, 1873, the Mackenzie administration was form-

On the 7th of November, 1885, was driven the last spike of the C. P. R. On the 7th of November, 1900, the Laurier Government was returned to

WHICH NEEDS THE GRANT MOST Highgate Monitor.

Speaking of fairs we would like to call attention to the misplacements of the government appropriations for agricultural societies. At present the county societies get the lion's share of the grant, thoough in many cases they do not deserve as much support as other societies in the same district. For instance, Thamesville this year received \$380 while Highgate received \$87. A glance at the reports of the two societies will show which is doing the greater work and hence merits the more support.

Thamesville, Highgate. Entries on Poultry..... 4.62

Total receipts\$445.47 \$548.90 Why under these circumstances the arger grant is given to the county society and smaller sumt to the other societies which are doing more for the good of agriculture would puzzle even the comprehension of the world's two wisest men, Solomon and another man whom modesty prevents us naming.

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Ottawa Citizen. negro, bearing the euphonious name of Snowball, and a former mascot of a C. W. A. meet, has been arrested at Chatham on a charge of burglary. Present indications are that the Snowball won't be in the game for some time to come.

ONE OF THE CAUSES.

Ottawa Journal, Independent. Some Liberals are inclined to believe that they lost Ontario largely through ack of organization. Well, we do still of Ontario voters are pretty honest people who do not like broken promses, extravagance and machine corruption, and that therefore a considerable number of Ontario Liberals did not vote in the recent election as they used to.

LDIERARY NOTES.

DR. NORTH AND HIS FRIENDS. The Copp Clarke Co., limited, 64 and 66 Front street, West Toronto, have just placed on sale an exceedingly well written and interesting book entitled, "Dr. North and his friends." Dr. North and his friends are charming people to know. From a quiet corner in the shadowy background, you listen intently to their brilliant converse, fearful of losing a word, or of missing verse, fearful of losing a word, or of missing one changeful expression of countenance. Here are no stiff portraits, no cold statuary, but warm living people with whom you want to talk—to agree or argue as fancy tempts, only the thought of being uninvited guests making you silent, checking speech that fain would come.

McCLURE'S FOR DECEMBER. Rudyard Kipling's new novel "Kim," will begin in the December issue of McClure's Magazine. This is a tale in India, and in it the literary genius gives a profound study of Oriental life. This is the author's mastof Oriental life. This is the author's masse erpiece, and it fulfils in its larger scope all the promise of his earlier and shorter works. One of the most extraordinary, yet perman-ent successes of contemporary literature was ent successes of contemporary that made by Anthony Hope in the "Dolly Dialogues." America and England alike re-joiced in the refined and subtle humor, the clear insight, the pervasive human interest of these conversations. McClure's Magazine of these conversations. See the first in a ser-ies of "More Dolly Dialogues" in which al the charm of the earlier work is continued.

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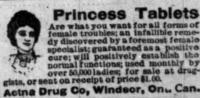
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