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SIR WILFRID LAURIER AND THE ASIATIC PROBLEM.

Wilfrid Laurier's reply to Trades and Labor Congress' demand denunciation of the Anglo-Japanese treaty was the only one a Premier of the Dominion could make. sage would be weighed in Tokio and London. He had to be mindful of imperial interests and policy, and of the honor of his own country, which was pledged to the treaty by Parliament.

Canada for some years stood outside the Anglo-Japanese convention, depriving herself of certain trade advantages, but when she finally subscribed to it, there was no dissenting voice in the House of Commons, so that the present attempt of some Conservative newspapers to raise a party issue is absurdly belated. No one at the time seemed to think that the clause permitting the free entrance of Japanese into British territory contained the trouble as the Tokio Government at the time was under engagement to restrict the emigration of Japanese to Canada to one emigrant for each province of Japan, and had faithfully observed its pledge. The recent influx of Japanese coolies from caused by the depression of the sugar industry there, could not be foreseen. But for this movement there would have been no material for an anti-Japanese agitation in the coast province. Sir Wilfrid Laurier points out that the disturbances in Vancouver were not directed against the Japanese particularly, but against Asiatic immigration in general. The feeling is as strong against the Hindus as against the Japanese: in fact Hindu immigration is the most serious phase of the problem, because the Hindus are British subjects and are coming in even greater numbers than the Jans. Plainly it is a matter that cannot be dealt with precipitately by the Canadian Government, having regard for

are known to be in progress between Whitney's commissioners. It is not the most casual observer can hardly fail 8:20; Tloga, 9:30; Leland and barge, Odessa seven months ago. She says will be short on this fruit." case might have been prejudiced by an indiscreet utterance by the Canadian Government. Mr. Judd will be more Premier. The treaty in question covers a broad field, touching the interests of Great Britain and Japan at many do points. An attempt to rescind the objectionable clause would probably wreck the whole treaty, and imperil the Anglo-Japanese alliance, which bolsters British prestige and security in the East. The Canadian Government will exhaust the resources of diplomacy to secure from Japan a guarantee that Japanese emigration to Canada from any quarter will be brought within the former limits. which caused no grievance in British Columbia. The Canadian Parliament assented to the treaty on the understanding that the Japanese immigration problem had been settled, and while there has been no breach of good faith by Japan, seeing that immigration from the Hawaiian Islands was not contemplated at the time, the purport of the Canadian-Japanese agreement is being defeated, and Canada may with justice call upon the Mikado's Government to exercise control over the movements of its subjects in the Sandwich Islands. There is every likelihood that a reasonable spirit prevails at Tokio and that the difficulty will be adjusted satisfactorily to all parties. In the meantime Canadians should exercise patience and self-restraint. Public opinion is almost unanimously with the labor organizations in opposition to unrestricted immigration from Japan, India or any Asiatic country. A way must and will be found to oppose effective barriers to a deluge of Asiatics, but the situation calls for diplomatic treat-

INCREASE IN INSANITY.

The latest English asylum statistics are somewhat alarming, and alienists prease in insanity shown. At the pres-bott time one person in ever 282 in England and Wales is reported as insane; ten years ago the proportion was one in 314. For over 50 years there has been a tendency to increase, which has been much stronger than the inease in population; for while the rease in insanity is 237 per cent. that of the population has been only 37 per cent. The total number of insane at the present time is 122,988; in 1859 the total was 36,762. Senile dementia leads among the various types of insanity, it alone last year accounting for 38 per cent of the new cases

Some experts ascribe this increase to modern medical science keeping

died much more quickly. Other alien-London Advertiser Company, ists claim that the increase is more apparent than real. In the first place, they say, a wider definition of insanity is given than formerly, people who at one time would have been regarded as "not all there," "a little off," or sane. Then there is to be taken into consideration the improvement in asylums, asylum methods, and the nore humane treatment of the unfortunates, and the additional fact that many cases which in years gone by would have been privately cared for by relatives and friends, are, under improved conditions, placed in asylums. The increase in the asylum population, it is thought, may also be tween paupers and the insane, and the longer life of the insane and the

> do with it. It is clear, judging from recent experience in United States law courts. that even the ablest experts have much to learn regarding mental disease, and until the results of closer research are made known it will be tions of modern life are the cause of increasing insanity, whether the insane are better preserved and more completely enrolled on the records, and how far the two factors are operative. The problem is a most important one.

greater care taken in keeping public

records may also have something to

The proposal to annex Ungava to the Province of Quebec is of course another attack on Manitoba.

The city of Toronto is advised to filter its water. This is no reflection upon lake water, as Toronto pours its sewage into the bay, and the lake must be polluted for miles around. There is nothing in the situation there on which to found an argument in favor of river filtration in Lendon.

"It is the simple and domnable fact," says the Conservative Halifax Herald, "that as late as the Dominion elections of 1904 Conservative heelers the shaggy, unkempt locks straggling all were armed with corrupting funds." Dr. Pugsley has offered to prove the same charge, if he is given a chance. If the party has turned over a new leaf it must be very new.

The principals of the provincial inceive another job from the Whitney than ever in favor at headquarters. He of the case. always does what he is expected to

Mr. J. Walter Curry, the agressive gregations. ex-crown attorney of Toronto, is a Liberal candidate in one of the Yorks and has been making a capital speech in which he pleaded for the application of the golden rule in politics. By the way, after Mr. Curry resigned, the crown attorneyship nothing was heard of the anti-combine prosecutions which he set on foot. The attorney-general's department owes the public an explanation.

HER FAVORITE. [Chicago Tribune.]

He was just lighting his eigar before forth into the darkness of the

"Do you like wax matches?" he asked. she replied. "I prefer the oldfashioned parlor match." And a week later he had squandered

half his savings on an engagement ring. BEWARE OF SMOOTH GUYS.

[Comber Herald.] the kind of man who has the habit of slapping everybody on the back and putting his arm around one's shoulder that it is well not to let come near you. The man who calls everybody his friend s either a knave or a fool. There are man who will put one arm around you and stick a knife in your back at the same time. Be friendly with all men, but keep at a distance the man who wants to slobber over you and for talk you into thinking he is a fine fellow. He will work me on you before he is through

THREE VOICES.

[Harold Begbie, in London Chronicle.] The gentle, reflective and sentimental neys across the intolerable distances of Canada, becomes gradually conscious of three separate voices. There is the voice of the people, the voice of the politicians and the voice of the land itself. This trinity of tongues makes a new and thoughtful music in his soul. It sets the tide of ful music in his soul. It sets the tide of his soliloquies, and governs the labyrin-thine wanderings of his dreams. It is a

ent convention of famous physi-At a recent convention of famous physicians in London, the bigwigs urged upon rich and poor the advisability of a simple diet. It it useless, it was held, to know how to make 214 kinds of soup or how to dress a chicken 530 ways. A plain, sensible way of preparing food is best, and plain food is best. The poor, it was urged, too often get improper food at extravagant prices, paying 15 cents for what cash be had in better form for 10 cents. travagant prices, paying 15 cents for what can be had in better form for 10 cents. They do not make wise selections, taking innutritious instead of nutritious articles. Sir James Crichton-Brown, an authority on hygiene, deplored the disuse of catmeal in England, asserting that a small plate of purridge was equal in proteid value to two thick clices of a four-pound loaf. The use of fancy cakes, candies, bon-bons, etc., was condemned, and as for hot sauces—they are a danger to be avoided. On the

TO CANADA.

(From one of a party of British journalists, after a tour through the Dominion, July 26 to Aug. 30, 1907.)

Holding captive stranger eyes Garden kingdoms, golden plains, Flow ring under urbane skies. Virgin forests, fruitful kine, Clustered homesteads, homesteads lone Lusty towns of scattered line, Where men call their souls their own Verdant deeps, majestic heights, Flank your rails in vistas dim; Tumbling falls in endless flights, Boar and crash and endless hymn.

Scenic splendors of our earth, Lost in cloud-veiled distan Shed their glory o'er your girth, Royal in their radiances. Earth's abundance fills your laps, n your veins Earth's richest san Fits you for the nations' rate Fits you tenfold by the tale Told by prairie, forest, glen, Canyon, rugged mount—the trail Trodden by your hardy men.

Yes! Unmeasured gifts of God Mark you chosen of his call: But the men who turn your sod Are the greatest gift of all. Wanderers, they sought your shore; Open-armed you took them in; Smiles off Mother Earth to wind. Largess from her boundless hoards Freely poured she in their hands-Poor no more are they, but lords Of themselves, lords of their lands.

This the thought we carry home,

Far finne under heaven's dome You a builder are of men. From their eyes a new world's dawn Glows on each newcomer's heart; Sinew, bone and brain are drawn Steadfastly to do their part. Thus our tribute to your land, For your distant brethren, runs-Crowning all your glories stand Foremost your adopted sons.

THE MARRIED MAN.

[Chicago News.] the wilderness the married man ceases to care about his personal ap-Australian explorer, who has spent twelve months examining the unknown country stretching from the western Australian goldfields to the Kimberley district in the far north. When among the blacks he could always tell the bachelor by the careful style in which the hair was gathered up, chignon fashion, and tied behind with strings made of rat fur. The married aboriginal was no less distinguished by over his shoulders

TURNING TO RELIGION. [Montreal Herald.]

Rev. Osborne Troop reports that the of interest in ordinary religious work among our own painfully busy eastern population. But this is not the only side Religion is also turning to The progress of practical mon sense among the clergy in the last few years is nearly as remarkable as the excellent effect it has had on their con-

DOPE FIENDS CURED. [New York Post.]

is pleasant reading in a chatty article on the British Museum, of how the English people use the reading room to read novels. This is in the September Cornhill Mazagine. Of the two obnoxious classes who frequent public libraries, readers who sleep and readers who read fiction, the latter were dealt with by the museum authorities in the

It is still, it seems, to some extent a tibel. Once upon a time, it is true, the room was the resort of the novel-reader. A comfortable room, a luxurious chair, a was wanting to his happiness; and he was tolerated too long. Of course, probably every reader read a novel now and again in the room; and such an occasional relaxation from hard study may have done no particular harm to anyone. But when it came to a small but assiduous body of ome score persons who sat reading fiction from morn to noon, from noon to dewy eve, monopolizing as many seats, which might have served for five times as many genuine students who would want the use course of the day, the matter became serious but efficient edict was promulgated. reditable score was made by each of the offenders; though, of course, the numbers of novels devoured per man varied. The best man, or worst, won easily with thirty novels a week, or five per diem. A humor-The use of works of fiction less than five years old was forbidden; and the novelreader fled in disgust.

THE LUSITANIA. [Pittsburg Dispatch.]

The failure of that floating palace of the Sunard Line, the Lusitania, to distance all ecords on her maiden voyage has excited new the argument between champions of the turbine and of the reciprocating enine respectively. The public can properly part in the dispute so far as to say that the single voyage of the Lusitania is not a fair test in any sense of the word of the powers of this wonderful creation. The Lusitania fell short only about three hours of the great record of the Deutschland, but the latter had been churning the waves of old ocean for practically a whole year before a combination of waves, winds and weather enabled her to grasp the laurel. The Lusitania is nearly twice the size of the Deutschland. Her crew is more than a half larger. The officers of this vessel had only about forty-eight hours in which to try her out before undertaking was new to them. The crew was not homogeneous. The weather was decidedly unfavorable. Fogs beset much of the voyage, and all who have gone down to the sea even once in a fog, which enwraps all things, know that such conditions nean slow time.

the new craft could make the amazing record she did. The antagonists of the turbines may wisely wait till the Lusitania gets well warmed to her work, and for conditions which somewhat nearly approach those which enabled the Deutsch-

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prescription pharmacy and all that is necessary is to shake them well in a Here it is: Fluid extract dandelion, one-half ounce; compound Kargon,

one ounce; compound syrup of sarsa-

parilla, three ounces. Take a teaspoonful after each meal and at bedtime. A few dozes is said to relieve almost any case of bladder trouble, frequent urination, pain and scalding, weakness and backache, pain above the kidneys, etc. It is now claimed to be the method of curing chronic rheumatism, because of its direct and positive action upon the eliminative tissues of the kidneys. It cleanses these sponge-like organs and gives them life and power to sift and strain the poisonous waste matter and uric acid from the blood relieving the worst forms of rheumatism and kidney and bladder troubles. The extract dandelion acts upon the stomach. and liver and is used also extensively for relieving constipation and indiges-Compound sarsaparilla cleans and enriches the blood.

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VESSEL PASSAGES

Detroit, Sept. 24. - Up: Vance, 11 Monday night; Peck, 12:30 Tuesday morning; Ly. C. Smith. 1: Cormorant and barge, 1:30: Peter White, 2: North Wave, Richardson, 2:40; Minneapolis, 4; Raleigh, Tokio, 4:30; Sylvania, 5:20; Mitchell, Chickamauga, 3; Maunaloa, 9; Leonard, Hanna, 9:20; Clarke, 10:20; Maricopa, noon; Toltec, Mataafa, 1 p. m.; Paine, 2:50; Garrettson, 3:15; Susquehanna, 5:20. Down: Duluth, Hayward, 9 Monday

night; J. Gilchrist, Stephenson, Thomas, 9:30; Laughlin, 10; Miller, Major, Wiehe and barges, 11; Veronica and barges, 12:30 Tuesday morning; D. G. Kerr. 12:40: Pueblo. 2: Columbia, phenomenon is probably not confined to Smith and barges, 3; M. Boyce, 3:15; is now at the home of her moth the English people. Rev. Mr. Inkster, the Wilkesbarre, 4; Sellwood, 5; New No. 249 Osborn street, Brooklyn. and barge, Case, Oades, Hand, 3; Gilchrist, Pollux, Russell, 4; Haskell, Hopkins, 4:30; as. Davidson, Edenborn, North Wind, 7:40; Widener, Butler, 8. Sault Ste. Marie, Sept. 24. - Up: Coulby, 9:30 Monday night; Fairbairn, Carrington, W. W. Brown, 10; Harper, Magnetic, Ward Ames, 11; Ball Brothers, midnight; Wawatam, 2:30 Tuesday morning; Sahara, 1; Hart, 1:30; Hill, 2:20: Uranus, 3:30: Frick, 5: Fulton, Nasmyth, 6:30; Shenandoah, Paisley, Montezuma, James Wallace, 1 p. m.; Ottawa, 3; Mullen, 3:30; Cole, 4:30; Saturn, 5:30; Riddle, 8; Jay Morse,

Down: Colborn, 9:30 Monday night; Henry Smith, 10; Cowle, Marina, Venus, midnight; Sherwin, 3 Tuesday morning; Poe, 2:30; Mahoning, 3; popular idea that people frequent the Black Rock, 3:30; Perkins, 4:30; Cofreading room to read novels. This is a finberry, 5:20; Angeline, 5:40; Cornell, Juniata, 7; Castalia, Paris, noon; Ream, 2; Bessemer, Manila, 8; Holmes,

> Phoenix, 10 Monday night; Uranus, 10:30; Caledonia, 12:15 Tuesday morning; Parks Foster, 2:20; Whitney, Widener, 3:30; McVittie, 6:40; Wissahickon, 2:50 p.m.; Black Rock, 3:30; Mauch Chunk, 4:40; Albright, 6:20. Down: Colonial, 9 Monday night; Amasa Stone, 11; Clement, midnight; Arthur Orr, 12:40 Tuesday morning; Saxon, 1:30; Mariska, 2; Ogdensburg 6; Wade, 9; Riddle, 9:40; Charles Eddy, 11:30; Nicholas, 4:30 p.m.; Binghamton, 6; J. D. Marshall, 6:30; Nor-

Wind northwest, 43 miles; cloudy. Sheltered: Alcona and consort, Meosta, Black Rock, Hurlbut.

Port Huron, Sept. 24.-Down: Vall nd consorts, 12:20 Tuesday morning; Harvard, 1:20; Naples, 1:30; Schuck, 1:50; Monahansett and consort, 2:40; Ishpeming, 5:30; Linn, 5:40; Sill, 7; Frank Peavey, 8:30; Sultana, 8:40; Hand, Case, 9:10; Gilchrist, 9:50; Russell, Hopkins, 9:10; James Davidson 11:20; Omaha, noon; Edenborn, 12:10 p.m.; Gladstone, Grover, 12:30; Corey, 12:50; Widener, 2; Butler, 2:10; Holden, 3:20; Wells, 3:40; Glasgow, 3:50; Moore, 4:50; W. H. Mack, 5; Keefe, 5:20; Oregon and consort, 5:30.

TEN YEARS FOR BANK ROBBERY. Montreal, Que., Sept. 25.-Robert Hazelton, the notorious criminal, who was recently convicted of being concerned in the robbery of the St. Croix branch of the Provincial Bank, has been sentenced by Judge Trenholme to en years in penitentiary.

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Odessa Refugee Tells Her Sad Story-Witnessed Killing of Her Loved Ones.

New York, Sept. 25.-Bearing yet massacre still in her eyes, Judias Kra-2:15; De Graff, 2:40; Senator, Ed ess, has arrived here from Odessa and tween Toronto and Trenton the pear Smith and barges, 3; M. Boyce, 3:15; is now at the home of her mother, at and plum crop has been a very fair

11; Linn, 11:30; Sill, 12:30 p. m.; F. that Jews are still being killed in num-Peavey, 2:30; Sultana, Monahansette bers daily there and that the whole will yet be all right if the frost keeps

"The day of the great massacre was North Light, 6; Omaha, Corey, 6:40; the most terrible I have ever seen even in Russia," said the refugee last night. "All day long my husband and I crouched in our home in Sredney Goasse, for early in the morning, a policeman had dropped a bomb in the Jewish section to inflame the Cossacks, and we knew that the soldiers would accept any pretext for a massacre. Finally they came, in hordes. My

husband was shot while standing in front to protect me. Our seven-monthsold Rachel was torn from my arms and pierced with an officer's sword. I fought for little Byril, and they stabbed me here in the neck and forehead before they snatched him away, too, and cut off his head with a knife. "They would have killed me, too, but

I ran to the cellar, hiding there until the massacre was ended. Then they found me unconscious and carried me to a hospital, where I lay until three weeks ago. Then from my window I saw five Jews killed in the streets, and that night I crept from the hospital and, with the aid of friends, stole over the Russian frontier."

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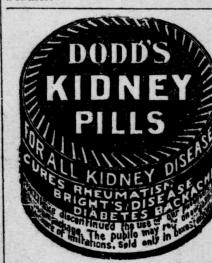
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CANNERIES ON HALF TIME

industry, with the possible exception of tomatoes," said Mr. David Marshall, M.P., of Aylmer, to a reporter, "will not be able to put out one-half their usual pack." All over the province it is the same story of scarcity of fruits and short runs at the can

province is upon the verge of revolu- off for a fortnight and we get good



Toronto, Sept. 25 .- "The canning

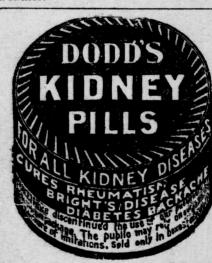
"The acreage of fruits and tomatoe

in Ontario is not at fault, as the usual amount of land was planted But the the scars of wounds dealt by Cossack crop has been light as a rule. Small bayonets and with the terror of the fruits have not been a half crop in any section. Pears on the whole are mer Chaymmowitz, a heautiful Jew- less than half a crop, although beone, I understand. Peaches are hold-Imperial exigencies.

The principals of the provincial inSir Wilfrid Laurier has promised inquiry and consideration. Negotiations

The principals of the provincial institutions at Belleville and Brantford that the demand for religious services in have been vindicated by one of Mr.

The principals of the provincial institutions at Belleville and Brantford that the demand for religious services in Naples, Harvard, 7: Troy, 7:20; and two children murdered in their shape during the massacre of Jews at Housekeepers as well as the cannerles



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