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WEDNESDAY, OCT. 9.

YOUR NEWSPAPERS.

Alluding th the demise of the Hamilton Post a contemporary pertinently asks-"When will people learn that the conduct of the newspaper is as much of a business undertaking as the change of France from a defender any other legitimate enterprise?"

Yes, when? No one recognizes the force of this query more than the newspaper publisher. Every day he pion to an opponent of the Papacy is called upon to donate dollars in advertising to individuals and organizations. Advertising is his principal stock in trade, yet those who would deem it preposterous to expect any past, and it is fitting that that enmity mercantile man to supply merchandise to to them free of charge, anticipate the gratis use of press columns and would be probably both incensed and offended were they declined.

Strange, isn't it? But, unfortunately, very true. And the Chatham press suffers fully as much as that of any other city in the Dominion. Here, as elsewhere, the newspaper offices are constantly besieged with items of commercial character for which free insertion is looked for and expected.

And - shall we whisper it ? - the churches are by long odds the worst offenders. Day by day, and more especially Saturday by Saturday, the columns of this great home journal and those of its esteemed contemporary are crowded with church notes and notices of various descriptions. Departments are every week set spespecially apart for them and the service is given altogether free of charge And yet it is a fact that no recipro city is extended. There is not a church in our city which carries a regular business announcement in the columns of either paper. And both are repeatedly called upon to extend

the use of their columns gratis. There is not, so far as we are aware any other city in Canada where all this is the case. Perhaps the action on the part of the local religious organizations has been thoughtless. We believe it has. And that is why we are casually calling attention to the

SMOOTHING OUT NATIONAL PRE-JUDICES.

A despatch from The Hague the first of the week stated that for the first time since the establishment of Belgian independence the Government of the Netherlands had invited Belgium to send military representatives to attend the autumnmanoeuvres in Holland.

The single line of comment, "This incident is of political importance, veils what may be the end of an historical feud of four centuries' dura-

In the wars of the fifteenth century the Low Countries were divided between partisans of Philip of Spain and of the Prince of Orange The sections out of which was later created the Kingdom of Belgium were for Spain, and those now included in Holland

fought for independence. \ Subsequent to the decline of Spanish power, France became the champion of the Papacy; and the independence of the Netherlands was in danger from France. Then the Kingdom of Belgium was set up by the powers as a buffer State to protect Holland,

pimples, and other cutaneous eruptions, sore ears, inflamed eyelids, rickets, dyspepsia, catarrh, readiness to catch cold and inability to get rid of it easily, paleness, nervousness, the consumptive tendency, and other ailments-

nently removed, no matter how young or old the sufferer.

of Silas Vernooy, Wawarsing, N. Y., who had broken out with scrofula sores all over her face and head. The first bottle helped her and when she had taken six the sores were all healed and her face was smooth. He writes that she has never shown any sign of the

and was the scene of diplomatic and military contest between the Protestant and Catholic powers until the

ment between Holland and Belgium should take place just at this time, when the passing of the Associations BM by the French Chambers marks of the Papacy to perhaps the most anti-Papal country in Europe. The change of France from Papal chamseems to be complete. The struggle, out of which grew the emnity between Holland and Belgium, later consecrated by the policy of Europe, is should die.

It is too early yet to prophesy the ultimate reunion of the two sections of the Low Countries. But stranger things have happened. The chief obstacle now is probably the permeation of Belgium with Gallic influence, while the Netherlands have become more Hollander than ever.

MR. ROOSEVELT'S BOY.

President Roosevelt is a devout and outspoken Christian. The fact is an life. As an author his books show exillustration of the democratic quality haustive research and patient thought. of Christianity. However much relig-

children growing nicely? Stronger each month? A trifle heavier? Or is one of them growing the other way? Growing weaker, growing thinner, growing paler? If so, you should try

Scotts Emulsion

YOU MUST SEE HIM

He is at MEYNELL'S CLOTHING STORE, "He is a living wonder."—London Daily Chronicle. We are fully prepared with a complete range of Fall and Winter Clothing, manufactured by the largest manufacturers in Canada, for which we are sole agents in Chatham. Our prices and qualities cannot be matched. You must see our qualities and learn our prices; we know the re-

VISIT OUR STORE WHEN IN TOWN The store with the big attraction, PHROSO, ONE PRICE; NO TROUBLE TO SHOW GOODS. At \$10.00 we have the best Overcoat In Canada.

Geo. Meynell, Three Boors West of Market, King Street, Chatham. . . .

Scrofula

This root of many evils-

Glandular tumors, abscesses

Can be completely and perma-

Hood's Sarsaparilla was given the daughter

Hood's Sarsaparilla Promises to cure and keeps the promise. Ask your druggist for it today and accept no substitute.

early part of the last century.

It is significant that the rapproche

It has seldom . occurred in the hisory of the American presidency that the President has been, as in the case of Mr. Roosevelt, born with a silver spoon in his mouth. The English have sometimes ascribed their very much purer public life to the fact that England has never lacked men of great bruises at the least shock from high rank, great ability and inde- any pendent wealth to devote themselves Is that kindness? Indeed, it is not! to the service of the nation, while in the United States men in easy cir- that it is not only a popular but a imstances are simply outside of public life. Mr. Roosevelt is a contra- stitutions of his country. It is prob. diction of this generalization, having ably the most wholesome thing that entered life in the lap of wealth and can possibly be done for a rich man's culture, and, as far as the United son that he should meet on the dead States knows anything of family pre- level of the playground and of the cedence, an aristocrat. By cordially class-room floor with all and sundry, and strenuously and with the noblest and, on the other hand, it must prove motives, throwing himself into the life of the nation he has won the na- tem to have in the schools the children tion's heart. If he was rich it was his fault, and he has shown no uppishness about it. The people tell sident Roosevelt seems, as we have bewith great pride how he goes to a little out-of-the-way church in Wash- men who ever took possession of the

ington and how he sometimes, when the minister is absent, takes the pulpit. We should gather from this that good excuse for taking life easy ,he

It's both food and medicine. It corrects disease. It makes delicate children grow in the right way-taller, stronger, heavier, healthier. SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, Toronto.

TWIN EVILS. HAVE YOU SEEN Alexandria Glengarrian. Funny coincidence. The New York ers have unite i to stamp out Bossism and Ontario is getting ready to settle Ross-ism.

He will appear daily from 2:30 to 5:30 aftermoon; evening 8 to 9. He will make two rapid changes which causes a great sensation.

Too Long a Journey.

ious forms may be used 'to bolster tells the following story, which smacks of a well-known type of Old Country-man: earthly distinctions, Christianity as a force upsets them all: One is your Father and all ye are brethren. The Duke of Wellington was one of the most aristocratic of men, but, when once a servant man, finding himself

kneeling at the communion rail be-

side the Duke, was about to move

away, the Duke made him remain,

whispering, "We are all equal here."

Another thing in which Mr. Roose-

velt has given the American people

great satisfaction, and which they

think a circumstance worth boasting

of, is that his boy goes to the public

school from the White House on his

bicycle, just like any other boy. Why

this should be a noteworthy thing is

not very plain to those who have seen

all their princes sent to public schools,

No doubt there is a difference in the

schools. The English public schools

are schools of the gentry and the Am-

erican are schools of the people where

the most uncouth English is liable to

be acquired and the worst of manners

are prevalent. There are many par-

ents who naturally wish to shield

their boys from the moral contamina-

have the choice often do so from the

best of motives. There are, of course,

snobs also who care more for appear-

ance than morals, who do not want

their boys to mingle with the poor.

Mr. Roosevelt, no doubt, knows all

about the evils that are in the schools,

but he knows also that his boys have

to learn when they are boys to take

their place among men, that, as they

must get their mental and physical

training when young, so they must

get their moral gymnastics then if

they are to be men of virile morals.

Indeed a sermon or discourse of Mr.

Roosevelt's on the Bible has just been

put into our hands, which was spoken

last June in the Presbyterian church at

Oyster Bay, and which takes up this

subject. While boasting of the

public school system of the United

States he sets forth that the first

thing in education is verile morals.

He asked his people if they did mot

all know men and oftener women who

gave an unhealthy turn to the lives

of young people by trying to spare

them from the very things that

would train them to do strong work

Such conduct is not kindness. It is

often shortsightedness and selfishness.

... What is true affection for a boy. To bring him up so that nothing rough

ever touches him, and at twenty-on turn him into the world with a moral

nature that turns black and blue in

which he is bound to come in contact !

patriotic thing to fall in with the in

an elevating thing for the school sys

of those who demand the highest stan-

dard of manners and training. Pre-

fore said, to be one of the strongest

people. Born rich but not robust, with

no need to work for a living, and a

has led a most laborious and learnest

As a civil servant he was a model

of devotion to the duties of his office

In war he established a reputation

not only for bravery but for the cheer-

fulness with which he shared all dan-

gers and privations with his soldiers.

As a president, he is determined,

though the most masterful of men, to

IT HAS THE PULL.

A yacht windlass is better than

BUT THEY ARE SHAM-ROCK EYES

Hamilton Spectator.

Shamrock with the two I's ought to

THE FAMILY SILVER.

Toronto Mail.

America's cup remains in the posses

sion of our American cousins. Thus It

TO SUBSTITUTE HEAD WOODMEN

FOR WOODENHEAD MEN.

Bobcaygeon Independent.

If Kitchener would bundle home et

ery officer he has, and take on a few

a better sea boat than Shamrock I

race windless.

is still in the family.

St. John Telegraph.

be a leader rather than a master.

one of the forces of evil with

in the future.

pot at Jersey City, all the passenger in the day coach knew the elderly gen boxes and packages that completely He seemed as happy as a schoolboy when he spoke of meeting his boy in old dad to join him in the Western metropolis.

or more the old gentleman became anxious, peering out of the window and changing from one seat to another. Finally the conductor came through for tickets, and the Chicago passenger inquired of him if they were near his tion of a public school, and those who, station yet. The conductor smiled and shook his head. The train stopped at a small town in Western New Jersey and the man's face brightened up as he asked a young woman seated close by if it was Chicago. He became more and more nervous as the train started up again. Passengers who had been antics of the old man. Whenever the his seat to know if they had finally reached the big town where his son was waiting for him.

Finally, as the train pulled into the beautiful Broad Street Station at Philadelphia, a majority of those in the coach prepared to leave the train, and with them the man from Limerick. The conductor, who saw him get off, walked up to him and said: "This isn't your station. Your ticket calls for Chicago. You have a long ride ahead of you yet." "Ain't this Chicago?" "No. You must travel all the rest of the afternoon, all night to-night, and nearly all day to-morrow before you read Chicago." The face of the man from the Green Isle was a study. He looked at the man in uniform for fully a minute, apparently trying to grasp the meaning of the words he had just heard. Then he said: "I-must-travel
- all - the - rest-of - the-day, all night — to-night — and — all—day—to-morrow — before—I—reach—Chicago?" "Of course you must," said the conductor. "Well," said he, "I'll be dommed if I go." And he didn't. Nothing the conductor could say to him would make him get aboard the train again. The last seen of him when the cars rounded the curve outside the station, he was making his way toward the

A Man's Way of Bathing a Baby.

waiting-room.

Mr. Roosevelt, no doubt, realizes 1 it is always well to start with a small

til thoroughly proficient, Have the water in the tub at a temchill so dangerous to childhood, besides one thing:

cheap soap! pining away with a bunch of shrunken children about her that could have teen brought to full size by the expenditure

do you'll regret it. Have all the articles to be used in the bath placed near the tub so that they can be reached without rising:

A pony currycomb. One sheet of finest sandpaper.

or benzine to remove any stain that will not readily yield to the ordinary Place the child to be washed face

him to remain there about an hour.

sandpaper in the right, rub him briskly, beginning at the neck and working down towards the feet, finishing with the currycomb.

The New York "Sun" says that kissing among relatives goes by families "great kissers." The members, men, women and children, kiss each other the first thing in the morning and the last thing at night, and on any other occasion that they consider sufficiently

emotional. return the wife said:

Jack? Did you kiss him?"
"N-no," faltered the husband and father, "of course I didn't kiss him."

Before the train for the West had fairly pulled out of the detleman in the front seat was bound for Chicago. Also that he had left his home in Limerick two weeks before to join his son "Tommy," whom he had not seen in twenty years. Sundry bags, filled the aisle around his seat proved he was well prepared for the journey. Chicago, As the first movement of the train denoted that the long ride had begun he was bubbling over with the delightful anticipation of the pleasure in store for him. Again and again he told how "Tommy" had left home for "Americky" when sixteen years old. settled in Chicago, earned lots of money and finally sent transportation to his

When the train was out a half-hour interested in their newspapers and magazines laid them aside to watch the train slowed up he would start from

In learning to properly bathe a baby one, and gradually increase the size un-

perature of about 212 degrees. This will preclude all possibility of the sudden insuring absolute cleanliness. Before going further I cannot impress too strongly in the minds of young mothers

Never, under any circumstances, use Cheap soaps tend to shrink babies. Many an otherwise happy woman is of a few extra pence.

Don't economize in this way. If you

Also have handy a bottle of naphtha

downwards on the knees and remove, first his stockings then his shoes then his trousers, and finally his coat and vest, leaving these until the last, as help to protect his little lungs. Toss the child into the tub and allow

This is the first step.

Now soap him thoroughly and, taking the file in the left hand and the

Dry with an old square of carpet.

Kissing and Non-kissing Families.

and it is quite true that certain house-holds are known to all their friends as

Still one may go too far the other way. A woman who came of a kissing family married a man who came of non-kissing stock. At one time her husband went to the railway station to meet a son who had been absent from home for two years, and on his

"What did you do when you first saw "I'll tell you what he said to me," volunteered the son. "He said: 'Well, Jack, was your train on time?'"

Just The Same.

Bobby-Mamma, if God is as good as score of our Canadian shanty foremen the festive Boers would be boomed around, tailed up, and run through a "Well, I prayed that I might not steal sorting jack so allfired suddenly that they wouldn't know what had hap"Life."

The Northway Co , Limited

The Busy Cash Store

The Northway Co., Limited

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an extra heavy rich pure black silk, double faced, soft finish, "Bonnets' make, stamped guaranteed on every yard, worth \$1.25 a yard, our special

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Black Taffeta Silks, rich pure quality, best French dye, rustle finish, will not cut, 21 inches wide; two special lines, at per yard 65c and

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At \$5.00-Three pretty styles, rich taffeta silk, guaranteed quality, made with cluster tucks and hemstitching, Pure Black Taffeta, rich heavy latest style sleeve, collar and cuff bands, crochet silk buttons in black cardinal and pearl grey, perfect fit-ting, all lined.

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A special purchase enables us to of-er such remarkable values as this:

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A. E. ROBINSON, Clerk

12 1-2c, and

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