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#### LONDON, THURSDAY, OCT. 3. WILL MR. KING ENTER POLITICS?

The report that Mr. W. L. Mackenordinary interest.

the abili'y and integrity he has shown at but \$328,000,000. What this vast in a new field of public service.

is a monument to the statesmanship of their economic resources is mere Industrial problems, and had carried on sweating system in Canada and the United States. His work in this field attracted the attention of Sir William Mulock, and may have suggested to him the idea of the labor bureau.

department, Mr. King, in his role of industrial peacemaker, has shown himself a skilful negotiator, and has succeeded in settling or averting many and enterprise, that country will yet disputes which, if unchecked, would take a prominent place among the have created widespread disturbance nations of the world. and suffering. His most notable triumph-the adjustment of the difficulties in the western mining region-is still fresh in the public mind.

As Deputy Minister of Labor, Mr. King's position is permanent and nonsacrifice. If he should make the change Laurier's luck. the public life of Canada would gain a strong and wholesome influence. He would be an example of idealism in politics, combined with proved and practical capability.

## MR. BORDEN STULTIFIED.

Mr. Borden's present treatment of the Japanese difficulty shows that either he has a short memory or credits the public with the same failing. The Ottawa Free Press finds conclusive evidence of this in Hansard. The question of the Anglo-Japanese treaty was raised in the House of Commons on June 21, 1905, by Mr. Foster, who asked for information as to the trade negotiations carried on by Mr. Fisher in Japan. The Minister of Agriculture replied that the Dominion could safely enter into treaty relations with Japan, in view of the latter's policy of restricting emigration. Messrs. Borden, Hughes, Foster, Kemp and Osler-all Conservatives-participated in the debate which followed, and not one of them lifted his voice against the proposal that Canada should take advantage of the Anglo-Japanese convention. Mr. Foster condemned the Government for not having acted sooner, "because two years ago they were informed of the good disposition of Japan towards Canada." On May 10, 1906, nearly a year later, Mr. Borden complained of the delay in the negotiations with Japan, saying:

"We have not taken sufficient pains to promote and develop commercial relations between Canada and Japan."

Canada could secure commercial favors in Japan only by assenting to the Anglo-Japanese treaty. Mr. Borden knew this he supported the treaty; he denounced the Government for not taking advantage of it at an earlier day. That was little more than a year Today he censures the Government for having subscribed to the treaty, and talks loftily of trade with the Orient as a matter entirely secondary to other considerations. Mr. Borden's course is not courageous, and not honest. His political opponents Beat upon mine, little heart, beat, beat! who have been disposed to credit him with high-mindedness are beginning to tevise their estimate of him.

## CHINA'S NEW ERA.

From time to time the western world has of late been informed that important reforms are impending in China. Father and mother will watch you grow, Only recently it was announced that And gather the roses whenever they blow, an imperial edict had been issued au- And find the white heather wherever you thorizing the grand council and certain individual statesmen to frame regulations for the establishment of an advisory and deliberative chamber to serve as the foundation of representative government, no date being named mers, Alberta is able to take care of itfor the final change. The creation of a self. ministry for the discussion of state affairs, it was said, had been decided on, and certain political, financial, and administrative reforms were ordered, including compulsory education.

Yesterday came the report from Pekin, via London, that the Empress Dowager has issued a decree declaring the Government of China to be a con-

press, who until lately has been regarded as a reactionist, seems to have TWO EDITIONS DAILY - WEEKLY. definitely turned her face toward prog- everyone, but a very pleasant help in time ress and liberalism, and to have real-

It is the belief of the best authorities on China that if the Empress does not inaugurate a regime of improvement and reconstruction her successor quested to favor the management by on the throne certainly will, and it is reporting any irregularities in deliv- but natural that the astute old woman, ery. Communicate with the Circula- reading the signs of the times, should want to earn a share of the glory which will crown the first constitu-

The adoption of constitutional Acting like a lot of chumps, methods cannot but prove of vast zie King, Deputy Minister of Labor, benefit to China. Hitherto she has will be tendered the Liberal nomina- lived within herself, trading as little tion in North Waterloo, is of more than as possible with other countries. Her total foreign trade is less than that of Voice in the Rear-You're wrong. The Mr. King is a young Canadian who Canada by about \$100,000,000 a year, last census shows that over half of them has become a national figure through her total imports for 1906 being valued are ladies. country and population will do if the The creation of the labor department | people really waken to an active use of Sir Wm. Mulock, but no little credit conjecture. Recently there has been for its success is due to Mr. King, a sudden and silent development of whom Sir William selected to aid him the iron and steel industry of the in-In the experiment. Prior to this, Mr. terior of China that is remarkable. King had distinguished himself as a According to a letter from Shanghai brilliant student. He had written on published a couple of weeks ago, the Chinese will soon be able to supply all a series of investigations into the the materials needed for the extensive railway systems which have been Commissioner Snow? planned for their country, and before western nations in the market for steel products afforded by Japan, the Philippines and other parts of the Far Pullman cars escape. To answer this we East. There can be no doubt if the go back to the Middle Ages, when gallant introduction of constitutional govern- that an axe couldn't bite through bravely ment in China is attended with the led the leather-jerkined peasants into

> There are some cities in Eastern by the census returns.

political. To relinquish it for a seat anything like disaster will be dein Parliament would be a personal scribed by his opponents as more of dian Manufacturers' Association

> The deputy minister of labor is the grandson of Wm. Lyon Mackenzie. This fact alone would insure Mr. King to R. L. Borden to go ahead of him on his cordial welcome in Canadian pub- stumping tours.

Trustee Strong's statements show looseness of management which should be remedied at once. It is On which he planned to hang a chap whose such things that make citizens despair of the capacity of a municipality to run its business on business prin- And when the hanging up was done 'twas

Hon. Mr. Lemieux is spoken of as Canada's envoy to Japan, to discuss the emigration problem. There could be no better choice than the gifted minister of labor. Like his chieftain, Sir Wilfiid, he combines the sauviter n modo with the fortiter in re

#### "A SHAMEFUL CONFESSION." [Halifax Recorder.]

Hon. Dr. Pugsley said in St. John the other day he was prepared to prove the Tory fund amounted to \$500,000 in the elec-

The Herald on Saturday used the above heading spread over two columns to tell Dr. Pugsley he should go ahead. We say it is also up to the Tory organ, which asserted that it knew the simple and damnable truth that Conservative heelers were armed with corrupting funds.

Who were those heelers? Where did they carry on their machina The Tory organ says of Mr. Pugsley's

charge: "He does not say that the fund was used corruptly.' If he does not, the Herald has supplied that link-for it said last May that these were corrupting funds the Tory heelers

Shall the Tory organ's charge and inuendoes stand without investigation? The people cannot suffer that.

The Tory organ says: 'Now, then, where do the people stand? 'The clean, honest men of the country? "They demand that corruption be stop-

"They demand that corruption in both political parties be exposed and banished.' The Halifax Herald makes that demand for the people.

And if the Tory organ is in earnest why in the name of the honesty and purity it professes to seek, does it not out with the evidence of the corruption it admits took place in the Tory ranks?

[Tennyson.] Beat upon mine, you are mine, my sweet! All from your pretty eyes to your feet,

Sleep, little blossom, my honey, my bliss! For I give you this, and I give you this! And I blind your pretty blue eyes with a

My sweet!

ALBERTA IS SAFE.

[Calgary Herald.] In spite of snowstorms, lumber combines, coal famines and persons with little ham-

> DEFINITION OF A LIE. [Lutheran Observer.]

The vicar was addressing the school on the subject of truth. He expounded at some length on the wickedness of lying, and before going on to the merits of speakthe children really understood him.

"Now," said he, "can anyone tell me

stitutional monarchy. The aged Em- shot up. The vicar selected a bright-look-

ing youngster. "Well, my little man?" "Please sir, a lie is an abomination unto of trouble."

ALL FOR LOVE. [Montreal Star.] Men have won undying fame All for love; Rogues have left the paths of shame All for love: Kingdoms have been rent in twain, Blood has flowed across the plain, Men have scoffed at death and pain, All for love.

Kings have righted grievous wrongs All for love; Poets have sung deathless songs All for love; Men are sitting in the dumps, Or, with throats containing lumps, All for love.

HE WAS WRONG. [New York Tribune.] The Orator-I believe that the great

#### THE IDEALIST.

[Buffalo News.] A man with ideals Once married. He had Strong visions of being A bread-winner; egad, Alas and alack! His mission's to button Her waist down the back!

A QUERY. [Hamilton Times.]

#### thinks he could have done better than WHY IT IS SAFER.

Wonder if Mayor Judd, of London,

[Toronto Star.] A contemporary asks why people in the day coaches are killed, and those in the knights encased in armor of proof steel

#### THE DIFFERENCE.

[Hamilton Times.] Mr. Borden's effort to win the political favor of the British Columbians at the expense of the Dominion Government does Canada which make more noise than not tend to strengthen him in this part of the country. The British Columbian London, but saw less wood, judging problem is a national, not a party affair, and Mr. Borden would have done well to have approached it in a proper spirit Note the difference between his political harangue at Vancouver and Sir Wilfrid's statesmanlike utterances before the Cana-

#### A GENEROUS SUGGESTION. [Toronto Star.]

If the Government is going to have an-

#### [Toronto Star.]

Old Haman built a gallows once full fifty cubits high,

name was Mordecai. But something busted up the scheme, the King played fast and loose,

Haman in the noose.

These facts we merely mention here for Mr. Gurney's aid. He wants a tariff just as high as Haman's gallows made history repeats itself, say, wouldn't it

Should Mr Gurney get what put poor Haman to the bad?

#### GOING TOO FAR. [Punch.]

Heckling Thomas-D'yer mean ter say if yer 'ad two 'osses yer'd give me one? Socialist-Certainly. H. T .- And if yer 'ad two cows yer'd give me one? S .- 'Course I would

H. T .- An' if yer 'ad two pigs! S.-Wot yer talkin' about? I've got two

IN THE OLD APPLE TREE. [Illustrated Bits.] The Farmer-What are you getting up

n that there apple tree? The Boy-Stummick ache, sir.

#### BETTER THAN IT SOUNDED. [Charlestown News.]

A few days ago a clergyman in New York was accosted by a motherly member of the devout sex, who asked if he had heard from the Rev. J. D. Budds. "Yes," answered the priest; "Father Budds has gone to Rouen in France."

And she commented thus between gasps: "God help him, and he seemed so good n America.' To the intense relief of the distressed old ady, the priest explained that Father Budds' destination referred to was geo-graphical, not ethical.

#### BABBINGTON IN AND BABBING-TON OUT.

S. E. Kiser. When Babbington's in office he has little time to spare In conversing with the people

in to see him there; If I meet him he looks at me stranger might, And returns my greeting treasuring some spite

But when his term is ended and he's running you should see How cordial and how careful to be pleas ant he can be.

When Babbington's in office he is very dignified To the people who are toiling for a livelihood outside. With a grunt he greets the humble citi-

if he rather thought that to disturb him was a sin; But when once more he's running as an anxious candidate.

zen who wanders in.

His smile is like the sunshine, and his handshake simply great. GRAND OLD MEN.

[Pall Mall Gazette.] one, Sir Theodore Martin, a nonogenarian. Next to him come Mr. W. P. Frith, R.A., 88; Mr. Alfred Russell Wallace, 84; Lord Kelvin, 83; Mr. Holman Hunt, R.A., 80, and Mr. George Meredith, 79. The peerage has a singularly hardy veteran in ing the truth he thought he would see if the Earl of Wemyss, 89; colonial statesmanship a remarkably active worker in Lord Strathcona, 87, and medicine is specially distinguished in this category by Lord Lister, 80.



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Against.	Date	Score	Result.
Washington		9-2	Won
Cleveland	May 31	2-1	Won
Boston		5-3	
New York		10-2	Won
Philadelphia.		6-2	Won
Philadelphia.		5-2	Won
Cleveland		4-1	Lost
St. Louis		8-5	Won
Philadelphia.		9-5	Won
		9_4	Won
New York		7-3	Won
New York		6-1	Won
Philadelphia.		4-3	Lost
Boston	July 24	4-3	Won
New York		5-2	Won
Washington.			
Philadelphia		1-6	Lost
Philadelphia		9-2	Won
New York		13-6	Won
Boston		8-7	Won
St. Louis		4-3	Won
Chicago		4-2	Lost
Cleveland		7-4	Won
Chicago		63	Won
Cleveland	.Sept. 12	3-2	Won
Cleveland	.Sept. 13	10-0	Won
Chicago	.Sept. 16	7-0	Won
New York	.Sept. 20	1-0	
Philadelphia		5-4	
Philadelphia	.Sept. 30	9-9	Draw

## THE TURF.

At Hamilton-Edgeby even, Caper Sauce 2 to 5. Steve Lane 1 to 2, Hawkanna 7 to 10, Oberon 4 to 3, Sudeman 1 to 2, Paul Clifford 3 to 5. At Brighton Beach-Berwick 7 to 1, Thistledale 1 to 4, Good Luck 7 to 10, Sewell 3 to/1, The Squire 6 to 5 D'Arkle 2 to 1.

## DOES NOT LIKE SPIT BALL

According to Manager Chance, of the Chicago National League team, the time is not far distant when the pitchers who are known as skilled we ball artists will be scarce. The reason is, says Chance, that the batsmen are hitting that kind of pitch- fight Nelson went to Butte and called gin to gauge the pitchers, then some- and requested to have O'Neil extrathing new has to be evolved. Then dited and to compel him to refund the again few pitchers can stand the \$350. old style of work.

## LATEST LOCAL SPORTING GOSSIP

and junior teams in the O. R. F. U. thing to do with the scales falling from will probably take place tonight in To- his eyes regarding the wily Willie.

In the junior series London will likely be grouped with Petrolea, Sarnia, Parkhill and possibly Stratford. An attempt is being made to organize a team in the latter place, and at present it looks as though the movement would

be successful. It is practically understood that London will have but a junior team this year. All of last year's regular intermediats have been whitewashed and will be allowe dto play junior if they

care to do so. The postponed baseball game between the Britannias of Hamilton, and Davy Johnson, called in the most notthe McClarys of this city, will be ed veterinary surgeon around New played off next Saturday at Tecumseh York to look after the champion, and Park. The battle should prove highly the latest reports are that he will

interesting. man can see nothing but a McClary up under training or to be disabled

## THE RING

Reports from Butte, Montana, state that Battling Nelson has discharged his wily manager, Billy Nolan, because Billy was working harder for Billy than he was for Battling. Nelson recently went to Butte to collect a debt from Harry C. O'Neil, who, at present, is located at El Paso, Texas. Nelson, so the story goes, gave Literature, the fine arts and the sciences O'Neil \$350 to bet on him when he give us several grand old men, but only fought Aurelia Herrera at Butte, and when "Bat" went to collect his winnings he learned that O'Neil had skipped out with the money. A few days before the Gans-Britt fight the "Battler," en route from Hegeswich to San Francisco, stopped off at El Paso, strolled into a saloon and saw O'Neil behind the bar. The recognition was mutual but Nelson did not betray that he knew O'Neil. After the Gans-Britt "The Best at the Price, No Matter What the Price."

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# ALL OVER THE STORE SPECIAL **VALUES FOR FRIDAY**

For Friday special leaders in every department will reward your coming. Even a trifling reduction from our regular prices is a matter of interest-great interest-for our regular prices are as low at all times as consistent with the quality of goods offered. "The best at the price, no matter what the price," is the motto of this store.

## A Clearing of Dress Goods Remnants, the Savings on Which Average About 1-2 For Friday

Our dress goods selling has been so heavy that already so early in the season we find a great lot of remnants accumulating. For Friday we put on sale remnants of Venetians, Broadcloths, Sedan Cloths, Serges, Vicunas, Raincloths, Covert Coatings, Beavers, Meltons, Cashmeres, Voiles, Lusters, Panamas, etc., ranging in length from I to 6 yards, particularly suitable for skirts, waists, suits and coats. In the lot are also remnant ends suitable for school girls' needs, where good, hard wear and service is desired.

Friday and Saturday to Clear at About Half Price.

SATIN STRIPE ALL WOOL | DELAINES, floral designs, with a combination of satin stripes: beautiful French design, fast colors, suitable for blouses, dressing sacks and dresses. A yard .. 750

WOOL DELAINE FOR WAIST-INGS, dark grounds, with polka dot and sprays in colors. Special value at a yard ...... 45c 

TWO PIECES WOOL DE-LAINES, splendid for waists, 32 inches wide, stripe, floral and dot Worth 45c a yard, selling Friday

Silk Waists

Waists, in ivory, navy, green and

old rose. These odd lines will be

sold tomorrow at half-price. Were

\$5, \$6, \$7 50, for \$2 50, \$3, \$3 75

Children's Rubber Raincoats for

## Now is the time

## Friday's Marked Specials in Ladies' Garment Section

Examine and compare our Furs

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Right at the beginning of the season we offer you

cconomical judgment, and at the same time satisfy your critical taste for a stylish, well-tailored coat. Two such values are here mentioned, at \$8.00 and \$10.00 for tomorrow's selling.

Ladies' Long, Full-Cut Winter Coats, made of fine box cloth, in blue and black; the correct cut for the season; strappings in the back, finished with buttons; full sleeves and turned cuffs. To-

#### effect and strappings, three-quarter length. A coat anyone would admire. Tomorrow .... \$10 00 Children's Coats

Fall Suits Little Girls' Paletot School Ladies' Tailormade Suits, 27-Coats and Short Blue Reefers inch fitting coat and full-pleated good range of sizes. On sale toskirts, choice of black cheviot and morrow at ..... ..... ..\$1 50 fancy tweeds. Two lines reduced Children's Imperial Showerproof tomorrow. \$12 50 to \$16 00 suit Cloth Raincoats, fawn, gray, 33 values, tomorrow ..... ..\$7 85 to 39 inches long, Worth \$4 and \$10 50 to \$12 50 suit values, to-

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Ladies' and Misses' Ribbed Fleeced Underwear, long sleeved, full shaped vests, and ankle-length drawers. Bought before the advance in price, thus we are enabled to offer unmatchable value. At, per

Ladies' Underwear

# garment .. ... 371/20

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#### ings; tailored correctly; the equal of any \$10 60 suit today. Special tomorrow ... ... \$8 50 **Busy in Carpets**

check, overcheck and plain worsted; French fac-

Let us interest you in Carpets before our "Underpricing Sale" is over. Sterling values are offered, and you'll make no mistake in buying now. 4-Frame English Brussels, a yard ....\$1 07 \$1 35 Wilton Velvets at, a yard .... \$1 11 \$1 00, Balmoral Tapestries at, a yard ...... 75c

75c English Tapestries at, a yard ...... 65c

gored hip-a fine corset. All sizes ...... 50c These are all made and laid prices. J. H Chapman & Co., 126, 128, 128, Dundas St

ing this year. When the batters be- on the county attorney, Mr. Murray,

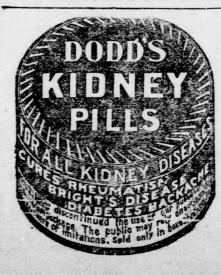
strain for more than two or three | Murray then informed Bat that Noseasons, and when they are "all in" lan had skipped out of Butte with from using the wet ball their arms \$1,300 of Emil Hansen's money, \$800 of are not usually able to return to the which was recovered in the poolrooms, and that the other \$500 is still due, and also told Bat that if he would nav Nolan's old debt he would bring O'Neil back from Texas. Nelson, presumably learned other things about Nolan, and that, with the manner in which he treated him when he trained for his last fight with Britt, overcharging him for board and compelling him to pay The grouping of the intermediate the cook's salary, may have had some-

# FAST HORSES IN BAD LUCK

Great Thoroughbreds Meet With Acci dents While Selling Platers Race All Season Unharmed:

New York, Oct. 2.-A big scare was ccasioned last week when it became known that the great sprinter Roseben was suffering from blood poisoning. The owner of the horse. recover. The eastern turf has been The result of the affair is rather particularly unfortunate in not havproblematical, although local fans to a ing the most noted race horses stand

> by some injury or disease. First it was the mighty Sysonby then Peter Pan, and now Roseben. Al these horses were leaders in their class and their many victories endeared them in the hearts of the race-



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goers to such an extent, that their re- the other without an accident or illa sort of a calamity to racing.

noval from the turf was regarded as ness of any kind. With a good horse in your barn you have to sit up nights "It seems strange," said a well- worrying about whether or not he is known horse owner last night, "that going to live. This racing game is a you can race a no-account selling tough sport, no matter how you take plater from one end of the season to it."