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God's in His heaven, All's right with the world.

London, Saturday, April 25.

Better Days for Canada.

Sir Charles Ross, Bart., of Balnagowan Castle, Scotland, is on a visit Canada. He has inspected the British Columbia mining district, and has made several investments, being satisfied that prosperity will dawn on this country in the near future. Sin Charles holds that our mineral wealth is not yet well known abroad, but he has faith that the time is not distant when the people of Great Britain will begin to know and appreciate the

The era of legitimate development has been delayed all too long. It will set in with the advent of a new Government. It will not be a gambling, couraged by the men now in power in the early eighties, which did this country infinite harm, and set back many an old trading center for a dozen years. Some places have not yet recovered from the Governmentstamulated financial debauch, while many a good man went down in the never to rise again. But the new era which we are satisfled will set in with the new Government in June, will be one of legitimate development, adding to the wealth of the country, and increasing its selling and buying powers in a manner that will benefit not only the new West but the people of Eastern Zanada as well. The decade of selfish aggrandizement, second edition family compactism, and class legislation will be succeeded by a brighter get what he earns, and the legitimate industries of the country will be stimulated, not by artificial wet-nursing, but by a fair-play system of revenue collection, which will give justice to all, and special favor to none, and by the honest development of necessary public improvements.

From a knowledge that a change is impending, there are seen exhibitions of hopefulness everywhere in Canada. We find men who were strong Conservatives while Macdonald and Thompson held sway, ready to give "the other side" an opportunity to serve them, so convinced are they that the divided and disorganized Administration now in power is ancapable of pulling itself out of the clough and of giving good and retiable service to the country. These old-time Conservatives agree with us that this country is all right-that Canada is a land with possibilities of advancement, of expansion, of prosperity, only limited by the capacity of her people to properly take hold of and to develop them. Indeed, we can all agree with the leading United States farmers' paper, the American Dairyman, which recently remarked of our position as a butter and cheese pro-

"We believe that in a few years a very large quantity of the finest quality of Canadia creamery butter will be placed on the market in addition to cheese, which will enrich the farmers; that means every industry in the country will be benefited. Canada is well adapted to the manufacture of fancy butter and cheese, having the best grass, water and climate that this world knows today. The animals are healthy, and the people are vigorous and healthy, we feel sure by putting skill into the operation they can make a

And everyone must admit that there better wheat, barley, oats, horses and hogs produced in any country than in this fair Do-Our climate is such that man and beast can live, thrive, and enjoy life as they can in but few other civilized lands. We have our warm summers, with their vegetation-promoting and crop-ripening stimulus, while on the other hand we have bracing winter temperatures, that for in good health supply the needed change to keep the system in repair for doing good work the year cound. In this country we have no scorohing hot waves such as recently passed over Australia, causing birds to drop dead from the branches of trees and cattle to perish by the thousand in the fields, and the honeycomb to melt in the beehives. Nor have we the disastrous tornadoes that sometimes sweep almost out of existence whole townships in Western American States. If one had the choice, he could not choose a better and in which to make a home than in this fair Canada. That every patriotic citisen of Canada must acknowl-

country but with its managers, and the remedy can be so easily applied that we can all look forward with cheerfuliness to the day for deciding

the issue at the polls. It is scarcely necessary to warn our readers against paying any attention to the foolish attempt of some high tax journals and paid advocates of the high tax system to create distrust and unsettlement in business meanwhile by raising the cry that "blue ruin" will ensue if the quarreling aggregation at Ottawa are deprived of their offices. The men who so write and talk know better, but they are in desperate straits, and so they conjure up bogeys, and hope to frighten their fellow-citizens by them. These same men know that the experienced merchants, manufacturers, farmers, mechanics, and professional men who will compose the majority of the new House of Commons, to be elected on June 23, and who will support Premier

Laurier, are just as patriotic, just as anxious to faithfully advance the interests of Canada, just as much interested in the prosperity of her manufacturers, her farmers, her workingmen, as any other body of citizens, whether they give their adherence to one wing of the Conservative party

or to the other. It is despicable in the extreme for any professedly patriotic Canadian to attempt to aggravate the existing far from satisfactory business conditions when new hope has been inspired by the knowledge that the general elections can no longer be put off, and change of Administration at Ottawa and of conditions tending to retard the legitimate progress of the country

Last year, Sir Adolphe Caron, Dominion Postmaster-General, boasted that he had reduced the estimate for salaries by \$17,000. The boast was

The Postoffice in Evidence.

ncounter Parliament before another general election. In the House, beadjourning, Sir Adolphe anbesides \$136,000 to complete salaries for "inspectors" and \$14,000 "for others." Hon. James McShane regarded this management as scanda lous, and, in opposing the vote, told the House, without a word of contradiction from any one, that the Montreal postoffice was full of relatives of the men in power, and that one-half of the staff could be dis-

pensed with in the public interest. The Government could not get the money, because it could not show that it had been honestly earned. There may be some legitimate claims, of course, but it was impossible for the House rushing at an eleventh hour liable grounds for handing over the cash, and the entire amount had to

be refused. The Postoffice Department, like every other section of the Government, needs a change.

The Royal Reason "Why?"

A recent cablegram says that Sir Wilfrid Lawson will on Tuesday, May 5. move that an address be presented to her Majesty Queen Victoria, praying that whenever she confers any honor or title on any of her subjects she will state her reasons why the granting of titles to colonial politicians of the Caron and Langevin type, while passing over hundreds of more estimable men. But the cause is easily explained. Almost without exception, a man in the colonies is made "Sir" on the nomination of the Premier of the day, and he picks out his favorite often with little regard for the standing of the recipient. If Sir Wilfrid's view had prevailed in Canada in bygone days, some such explanations as these might have been drawn from the British Government of the day, acting, of course on the nomination of the men in power at Ottawa: "John Smith, Canada, opened wide his bar'l at last general election"; "John Jones, seat in Cabinet needed for Premier's son, recommended for knighthood to pacify him"; "John Robideux, no Senatorship vacant, has much influence among a section needed to carry next election, must have something, make him a Sir," and so on.

TWO LEADERS.

One of these leaders, at his peril, displays a moral heroism, and revive the country's hope; the other, tossing acy of a privileged correspondence and mutilates the message.-Rev. Dr. Carman on Mr. Laurier and Sir Charles

FARMING BY ELECTRICITY.

Boston Globe. Wonders multiply rapidly in these days, not only as theories, but as real-

ized facts. For the first time in history vegetables raised by electricity are to be placed in the New York markets this

The agricultural colleges have been long experimenting with raising fruits and vegetables by means of electric lights and currents. The method has been tried with success in the neigh-

boring town of Arlington. Now electric farms have been established in New Jersey. The electricity is generated on the farms, and not only lights the buildings, but supplies the otive power for farming and teaming pesides wonderfully stimulating vege table growth by means of underground

plants.
Upon one of the New Jersey farms \$25,000 has been expended for electrical

appliances, the farm yielding from 40 to 60 per cent better returns than do the best farms worked under the old sys-

ory that the world's food supply will ultimately fail to keep pace with the multiplication of mouths to be filled?

Latest Happenings in this Section of the Province.

Geo. Pike, sen., manager of Harvey's lime kiln died suddenly at Rockwood Thursday.

Mr. Wm. Campbell, reeve of Tara has been appointed lighthouse keeper at Cabot's Head, Bruce Peninsula. Peter Clark, of Shavertown, near Tilbury had the second and third fingers of his right hand severed by a stave knife in Shaver's mill Wednesday.

The Tara Leader says: On one concession in Arran, within a distance of two miles, live five men whose names are Gray, Black, White, Blue and Brown.

Mr. J. M. Yates, in the Inland Revenue Office, Galt, formerly of Petrolea, night at the Western Hotel, where he boarded. His condition is considered serious, and he will be removed to the General Hospital as soon as advisable

An interesting wedding was celebrated at St. Peter's Cathedral, Petrolea on Tuesday, when Rev. Father Fitzpatrick united in wedlock Mr. Francis Stamelin, master mechanic of the Erie and Huron Railway, of Chatham, and Miss Cella McDonald, sister of Mr. Alfred McDonald, Pe-

James Coveny, an employe of the Mero House, Aylmer, dropped dead Wednesday night while sitting in a chair in the hotel. The deceased was unmarried, about 35 years of age, and resided in Aylmer for two years. He was a marble cutter by trade, but had been engaged in the hotel as bartender for the past eighteen months. Rev. Mrs. Cunningham, wife of the Baptist minister of Burgessville, who died the other day, lived without food liquid or solid, for 47 days and 6 hours, without any craving for it, and without much pain, and still retained perfect consciousness until within a few hours of her death. She

ander and Jimmie. Sarah Ann Stewart, the 14-year-old girl who was brutally outraged by half a dozen negroes some weeks ago. was brought into court at Windsor Thursday, and again remanded for a week in the hope that her assailants may be arrested by that time. Officers Masters, Jackson and Giles spent all night at Marshfield looking for them but failed. The negroes heard of their coming and cleared out.

leaves a husband and two sons, Alex-

The remains of George A. Scott were found on the roadside near Baker Ore., three weeks ago. He had been traveling through the State with a horse and rig selling books, and his to hide their murderers, in order bloody work, burnt his horse and vehicle, and when discovered his body was partly burned. Mr. Scott used to keep a drygoods store in the Union block Dresden, Ont., some fourteen pell-mell speed, in an extra sitting of years ago. He was an elder in the member of the I. O. O. F., Dresden He had been missed since November last. Deceased has two brothers living near Kent Bridge, Ont.

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A Boy's Life Saved

"One day my little boy, aged 7, got a fall and hurt his knee. Inflammation of the knee joint set in and the decay of the bone of the leg rapidly followed. Doctors removed over a hundred pieces of decayed bone, but the process of decomposition continued. All attempts to stop it failed. The boy had but a few days' life before him according to all human expectations. Mr. Denham, druggist, Petrolia, advised me to try Scott's Sarsaparilla, I did so, and not only saved but completely cured my boy."-JOSEPH DUN-CAN, farmer, Lambton County, Ont.

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Saturday Night 25c HOSE-Ladies' Fast Black Cotton Hose, Hermsdorf Dye, double heels, and toes, worth 20c. Saturday Night 150 HOSE—Children's Fast Black Ribbed Cotton Hose, double heel and toe.

Saturday Night 15c HOSE-Ladies' All-Wool Cashmere Hose, spliced soles, heels and toes, worth 85c.

Saturday Night 25c GLOVES-Ladies' Black and Colored All-Silk Gloves, worth 35c. Saturday Night 25c HANDKERCHIEFS-White Cambrio Handkerchiefs, worth 5c. Saturday Night 8 for 25c

SHIRT WAISTS-Ladies' Cambrid Shirt Waists, regular price \$1 25. Saturday Night 50c PARASOLS-Ladies' Black Silk Gloria Parasols, fancy horn handle, worth

Saturday Night \$1 VESTS-Ladies' Cotton Ribbed Vests, Saturday Night 11c

NIGHT GOWNS-Ladies' White Cambric Night Gowns, trimmed with embroidery, worth 85c. Saturday Night 65c SKIRTS-Ladies' White Cambric

Skirts, trimmed with embroidery 9 inches wide, worth \$1. Saturday Night 75c SHIRTS-Men's Fine English Oxford Shirts, separate collars, worth 75c. Saturday Night 50c

SHIRTS-Men's Fine Cambric Shirts, all sizes, worth 75c. Saturday Night 48c OVERALLS-Men's Blue Overalls and Smocks, worth 75c. Saturday Night 65c

OVERALLS-Men's Heavy Cottonade Overalls, worth \$1. Saturday Night 75c SHIRTS-Men's Grey Flannel Shirts,

Saturday Night 20c SOCKS-Men's Seamless Cotton Socks ribbed top, worth 10c. Saturday Night 4 for 25c

SHIRTS-Men's Black Sateen Shirts, fast dye, worth 50c. Saturday Night 39c TIES-Men's Silk Ties, in four-inhand and knots, worth 25c. Saturday Night 10c BRACES-Special Line Men's Braces,

worth 15c. Saturday Night 100 SUITS-Men's Good to Wear Blue Serge Suits, worth \$5. Saturday Night \$2 85 SUITS-Men's Odd Lines Tweed and

Worsted Suits, worth \$10. Saturday Night \$5 SUITS-Men's Genuine Tailor-Made Scotch Tweed Suits, worth \$15. Saturday Night \$10

SUITS-Men's Fine All-Wool Tweed Saturday Night \$6 75 SUITS-Men's Fine Fawn, Grey and Brown Worsted Suits, worth \$10. Saturday Night \$8 50

OVERCOATS-Men's Fawn and Brown Silk-Lined Spring Overcoats, worth Saturday Night \$7 50 PANTS-Men's Good and Heavy Working Pants, hair lined, worth \$1 75. Saturday Night \$1 25 PANTS-Men's Good to Wear Tweed

Saturday Night 90c SUITS-Boys' Two-Piece Tweed Suits. Saturday Night 99c SUITS-Boys' Reefer Suits, fancy-Saturday Night \$2 95

Pants, worth \$1 25.

Fine Tweed Suits, worth \$5. Saturday Night \$3 65

SUITS-Boys' Fancy Blue Serge and Fawn Tweed Blouse Suits, worth \$2. Saturday Night \$1 25 SUITS-Boys' Fancy Blouse Washing

Saturday Night 99c PANTS-Great Special Boys' Knicker

Pants, worth 50c. Saturday Night 25c CHALLIES-11 Pieces Union Challies. in navy and black grounds, with spots, stripes and sprigs, worth 20c.

Saturday Night 12 1-2c DRESS GOODS—One Table Dress Goods, assorted colors and qualities, fine range of goods, worth from 35c

Saturday Night 25c TRIMMINGS—One Table Trimmings, worth from 15c to 25c yard. Saturday Night 10c

WASH GOODS-Fancy Silk and Cotton Wash Goods, novelties, regular price, 35c, 40c, and 45c. Saturday Night 25c

CREPON-Mohair Crepon, in black, just the thing for light summer skirts, worth \$1. Saturday Night 65c

LUSTRE-Black Lustres, a great special, 31 inches wide, worth 65c, Saturday Night 40c SILK-Two Pieces Black Peau de Soie Silk, worth \$1 25.

Saturday Night 87 1-2c MUSLINS-Coin Spot Muslins, for worth 12 1-2c yard. Saturday Night 10c QUILTS-Colored Grecian Quilts, worth

Saturday Night \$1 50 QUILTS-White Quilts, very large size, toilet patterns, without fringe,

Saturday Night \$1 39 SERGE-Navy Serge, strong and ser-

viceable, just the thing for boys' wear, worth 28c. Saturday Night 22c TABLE COVERS-Fine Chenille Table Covers, large size, heavy fringe,

Saturday Night \$1 90 TOWELS-Pure Linen Towels, large size, worth 15c.

Saturday Night 12 1-2c SHEETING-Fine Bleached Sheeting, two yards wide, worth 28c. Saturday Night 23c

SHEETING-Bleached Sheeting, Plain, 2 1-4 yards wide, worth 30c. Saturday Night 23c TWEED-Heavy Wool Tweed, for

boys' wear, worth 25c. Saturday Night 20c PRINT-Fine French Sateen Print, fine and choice patterns, worth 15c. Saturday Night 10c

FLANNELETTES-Cream Flannelette,

with colored spots, worth 15c.

Saturday Night 10c CLOTHS-Colored Border Table Cloths, 6x4 size, very nice goods, Saturday Night 35c

SHIRTING—Oxford Shirting, fast colors, neat patterns, worth 10c. Saturday Night 8 1-2c GLASSWARE-Great Snaps in Glassware; tumblers, worth 5c for 3c; fruit

dishes, worth 5c for 3c; sugar bowls, wonth 10e for 5c. Saturday Night WRAPPERS-Ladies' Wrappers, made

of heavy, fast-colored print, worth Saturday Night 85c WRAPPERS-Ladies' Perfect-fitting Wrappers, made of best prints and warranted to wash, worth \$1 75.

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