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A New Problem.

A new and vexing element has beer introduced into public discussion. In Commons the other day, Mr Barker, of Hamilton, accused young Mr. Lavergne of sneering at the phrase "British subject." Mr. Lavergne hotly denied the charge and retorted that the French-Canadians had done more for the defense of the Union Jack than the tin swords and cocked hats on the Speaker's left. The Hamilton Spectator comes to Mr. Barker's rescue with this definition from the Standard

Sneer-A grimace of contempt or derision made by slightly raising the upper lip and nostrils; any scornful or contemptuous expression of coun-

Webster's definition is similar: "A smile, grin or contortion of the face, indicative of contempt." Mr. Barker says the Spectator, saw Mr. Lavergne sneer. Questions of veracity between members of the House of Commons are usually settled by an appeal to Hansard, but there is no provision for recording a sneer or any inaudible contribution to the debates.

The Barker-Lavergne episode opens a painful prospect. We will suppose that an honorable member is making a patriotic speech. At the height of his fervor, in his most glowing periods, his eye in a fine frenzy rolling chances conclusions. The figures show that in to light for a moment on an honorable Great Britain the production of pig iron gentleman opposite. Suppose at that has kept pace with the population, but very moment, by some unhappy chance, in Germany and the United States the the honorable gentleman opposite is in increase has been much more rapid. The the act of furtively shifting a quid of steel industry in Great Britain is altobacco from his left to his right cheek. most stationary, and in the United The movement of the maxillaries would States and Germany is rapidly proof necessity create a slight facial con- gressing. At the end of the seventies tortion which might be interpreted as the amount of pig iron produced in a sneer by the excited mind of the Great Britain was 45 per cent of the orator. The honorable gentleman op. total production of the world, and as till he was black in the face, but he iron-producing countries next in imwould go down to his grave branded portance. Great Britain now occupies as a rebel and a traitor.

The possibilities are too serious to be Britain furnished one-third of the ignored by Seymour Gourley and Col. world's production of steel, and today furnishes less than one-seventh. The Sam Hughes. Since Hansard is unequal to the emergency some means commissioners draw the following conshould be found to circumvent covert clusions: treason. They should move to appoint an official photographer, or corps of photographers, whose duty would be to keep a sharp watch on suspects and snapshot them if they moved a facial muscle while a loyalist was spouting.

The War. Three months ago, when the Japan-

ese had fully occupied Korea, driven the

Russians from the banks of the Valu

and established themselves at Feng

Wang Cheng, the military critics de

scribed these operations as purely defensive. They thought the Mikado's generals would call a halt and brace themselves against the oncoming of the Russian steam roller. Kuropatkin, safe in the recesses of Northern Man curia, was to bide his time, accumulate his full strength and then move the Japanese like an aval-The idea that the Japanese Manchuria and grapple with the bear in his supposedly impregnable retreat. did not enter into the calculations of the arm-chair strategists. They little dreamed that the Japanese, not the Russians, would play the part of the steam roller, or the avalanche. But this war has been full of surprises, and the Japanese plan of campaign in Northern Manchuria is one of the most astory. The dispatches report that the Russians are amazed at the force which the Japanese have put in the field. But every Japanese before he is in his teens is liable to military service, so that the Mikado has not had to rely on the regulars alone, and if the wages higher in Great Britain than necessary can still throw into the war in any other country, except the hundreds of thousands of his subjects, United States. From the workingman's who, while not trained soldiers, are standpoint it is not a bad argument wonderful fighting material, animated for the present fiscal system. The comas they are by fanatical bravery, com- missioners, it is true, claim that as

The war is now in the very throes in competing countries. How can this of its crisis. The Japanese are draw. be squared with the theory advanced ing in the net, which they have been in the United States that American weaving around Kuropatkin with an workingmen need protection against inscrutable genius. On Sunday General the cheaper (?) labor of Great Britain? Oku, on the south, began to follow up The truth seems to be that the United his success of the previous week. The Kingdom, for reasons not related to her hard-pressed Russians made a stand at fiscal policy, is losing her supremacy in Simoucheng, about 15 miles southeast certain primary industries, which deof Hai Cheng, but were driven back pend upon the natural resources of the with a loss of 1,500 men and six guns, country. The United States has the after two days' fighting. Simultaneous. richest deposits of coal and iron in ly, Kuroki made a spring at the Rus- the world, while Great Britain's coal earth. They are strong mentally and sians in the rear, about 25 miles south- mines are approaching exhaustion, or physically, and yet practically they east of Liao Yang. In one of these en- can only be worked at a relatively gagements, at Ikhavuen, Count Keller, high cost, and her furnaces must be ables them to develop such hardy the Russian commander, was killed by feed by foreign ores. There is abun-frames and such well-balanced and the bursting of a shell. Kuroki failed in dant testimony—have not British sci- keen brains consists almost wholly of the first day's attack to dislodge the entists proclaimed it from the houseenemy from their central position. though defeating their wings. On Monday he succeeded in driving them out! and pursued them for four miles to the west. In the two days his losses were when Great Britain was the world's 6 officers killed, 16 officers wounded, workshop, but other nations are now and 950 men killed and wounded. Oku's manufacturing for themselves, and it

and perfect discipline.

On Tuesday, Aug. 2, came the sequel little island had maintained her relaof Oku's victory—the withdrawal of tive position. It is almost a miracle the Russians from Hai Cheng. This information was supplied by Kuropatkin himself. Even more significant is his Mr. Chamberlain's commissioners of in Europe or in America. report that the Japanese are disem-have been shrewd in choosing the iron barking troops at the port of New and steel trades as the first subject for hwang. This is coupled with the intheir dissecting table. When the come
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to examine the bron and steel main instrength, and this method is sedulous
to practiced until the couples.

glance at the war map in this issue; and the rolling mill at the lowest cost will show the importance of this move- they will have a more difficult proposi ment. It means that the Japanese are placing a fourth army in the field, so

as to complete the cordon around Kur-

opatkin, Kuroki is on the east, Nod

zu and Oku on the south and south-

east, and the New Chwang army is

Kuropatkin has withdrawn the south-

point, but reports of Japanese repulses

unless official, should be accepted with

warships, whose heavy guns are valu-

Mr. Chamberlain's Tariff

Commission.

The first report issued by Mr. Cham-

berlain's tariff commission has reached

ment of the report, and the clearness

with which the mass of statistics is

The commissioners summarize th

evidence and base upon it a number of

tabulated for ready reference.

to that of other countries.

this colonial trade

spective of cost.

of free imports.

to the colonies has increased.

3. That although our trade with

the colonies has increased, the col-

onial market is increasing much more

rapidly, and that foreign countries

are securing a growing proportion of

4. That the relative decline of the

British iron and steel industry is not

tages or want of skill and enterprise

the manufacturers of the United

States and Germany, having secured

control of their home markets by

means of high tariffs and an organ-

ized system for the regulation of

their export trade, are in a position

to dump their surplus products upor

the British and other markets, irre-

countries but for the British system

should be revised in such a manner

as to check this practice, to maintain,

so far as possible, our export trade

to foreign countries, and develop our

colonial market and increase the em-

tained by means of a system of tar-

(a) A general tariff, consisting of a

low scale of duties for foreign coun-

tries which admit British wares on

colonies which give adequate prefer-

framed with a view to securing freer

(c) A maximum tariff, consisting

of comparatively higher duties, but

subject to reduction by negotiation

It is not unlikely that the free trad-

ers will find some meat in the report.

that the hours of labor are shorter and

greater in the United Kingdom than

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bined with a high order of intelligence result the cost of labor per ton is

to the level of the general tariff.

ence to British manufactures

trade within the British Empire;

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ployment of the working classes.

iffs arranged as follows:

That the British fiscal system

That it is due to the fact that

due to any natural British disadvan-

on the part either of British manu

facturers or of British workmen.

able assets.

ter. The only setback this country can receive must come from Jack Frost.

assembling on the west. These forces are working in concert, and if neces-Premier Balfour's majority more than doubled yesterday. The Opposition sary, will strike the Russians at the same moment, as Oku and Kuroki have walked out of the House. been doing. As matters now stand,

The grand lama says the shock to ern extremity of his army to An Shan, his religious feelings might kill him if about midway between Hai Cheng and the British enter Lhassa. He should Liao Yang. It is reported that the have thought of that sooner. Japanese have been repulsed at this

porary charge of the Opposition, and the job has swelled his head. He re-Refugees from Port Arthur confirm the statement that the Japanese are on Monday, as agreed to by his leader. closely investing the fortress, and that The chance to hear himself talk is a the Russians are now fighting in the ways too much for the doctor. inner circle of defenses, aided by the

The late Alexander Lumsden, of Otawa, was an admirable type of the self-made man. He became verv wealthy in the lumber business, but gave his time ungrudgingly to the public as a member of the Legislature. He established experimental farms in the Temiscaming district and had a The Advertiser. It deals exclusively lively faith in the future of that re- ed the superintendent. gion. He was defeated at the last election by a paltry sectional cry because he supported the construction of the Temiscaming Railway by the iron and steel production. Too much North Bay route, instead of by the vote against the claims of his own ate willingness to think it over. The district in the higher interests of the whole Province.

Pointed Paragraphs. [Chicago News.]

Few men would care to be done by is they try to do others. difficult for the talkative man to find willing listeners. Floating capital is a when attached to a solid anchor. After a man leaves the marriage altar it's a case of boss or be bossed. One-half the world doesn't seem to

care whether the other half lives or Many a man who is supposed to be posite might deny the impeachment much as the total production of the five making money has to borrow car fare After coming into his heirship young man is apt to find it pretty third place. In the period 1876-80 Great Girls, don't marry a handsome man inless you are well up in the art of

For Next Year's Reaping

chasing soiled linen up and down a

1. That the iron and steel industry of this country has declined relatively [Montreal Star.] It is during these moonlight nights that the June Bride crop of next year 2. That our export trade to foreign is being sowed. countries has diminished, while that

> Friendly Interest. [London Punch.] Visitor-I have just been to make my first call on Mrs. Johnson.
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> Lady of the house—So glad, dear.

> Poor thing, she's glad to know any-

Hope Ahead.

[Puck.] He-So your father and mother both bject to me. She-Yes, but don't worry, papa and mamma never agree very long about

What Canada Has Escaped.

Hooray for the Conservative boom. 6. That the practice of dumping Down with Laurier and Prosperity. could not be carried on by foreign Give us back the days of Cobwebs, stagnant trade, and 3 cent postage stamps. Those were the good old days when Canada got down to business at

10 o'clock every morning.

In No Position to Interfere. [Washington Star.1 "Your daughter plays a great deal of classical music in a rather original way," remarked the man with gold

"Yes." answered Mr. Cumrox, regret fully. "She bought the piano and the (b) A preferential tariff, lower than and I suppose she feels that she has the general tariff, for those of our right to do what she pleases with

One Exception.

[Exchange.1 First Nurse-I won't be able to the picnic tomorrow. Second Nurse-Why not? First Nurse-To tell the truth, I'm fraid to leave the baby with its mo-

As It Is Now, [New York Sun.]

Knicker-Yes, Johnny, there is only one way to learn, and that is to be-Johnny-How about swimming?

One Who Knows.

[Philadelphia Ledger.] "Don't be too anxious to get a husgo around hunting for one." "Think I should just sit down and vait for one, ah?" replied the maiden. "Yes, for you'll sit up and wait for one often enough after you've go

Source of Japanese Vigor.

[Medical Record.] The Japanese are allowed to be eat no meat at all. The diet which enter-to-do add to this Spartan fare fish, eggs, vegetables and fruit. For cans have attained a higher technical beverages they use weak tea, without perfection, and that the British must sugar or milk, and pure water, alco-improve their educational methods or holic stimulants being but rarely inimprove their educational methods or dulged in. Water is imbibed in what fall out of the race. There was a time we should consider prodigious quantidrinking of so much water would be regarded as madness. The average Japlosses were 860 killed and wounded. would be a miracle indeed if the tight lon daily in divided doses.



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Who Supported Atlas?

[Brooklyn Citizen.] Not long ago the genial superintendne of his vouthful friends to listen to the latter's rehearsal of a lesson in "Do you know who Atlas was?" ask-

ported the world. "Ah. Supported the world, did he?" went on the superinte

tell me who supported Atlas." The little fellow looked as though he Ottawa Valley. He had the courage to ticular attention, but showed immedisuperintendent stood looking on, try-ing hard to keep back a smile, but the youngster finally brightened up and answered: "Well, I think he must have married

A Clever Salesman.

[Chicago Tribune.] Customer-I'd like to get something i the shape of a Panama hat. Salesman-Well, Panama hats have not any shape, you know-but we've got the hats, all right.

Can't Be Advised. [New Yorker.]

Mrs. Winks-How much better off man would be if he would take his wife's advice Mrs. Binks-Yes. I've advised Charlie time and again not to bet on horses that don't win, but he will do it.

Quite Impossible. [Louisville Herald.]

A woman of newly acquired wealth went into an art gallery the other day certain size. "I have just what you want," the dealer assured her, as he showed her genuine Troyon of the size desired, beautiful animal painting.

The woman looked at it for a few minutes and shook her head. "It won't do," she said. "I want this picture for my drawing-room. "Well?" questioned the dealer, who saw no reason for the rejection so far as the drawing-room was concerned. "You couldn't have a cow in the drawing-room, you know." And that ended it.

Compliment? [Boston Transcript.]

Widow Wixen-Yes; Henry died quite econciled. I was at his bedside until he last moment. Dumley (meaning to be complimentery)-Ah, that accounts for it.

JOTTINGS FROM NEAR-BY PLACES

Furnished by the Special and Occasional Correspondents of the Advertiser.

KILWORTH BRIDGE.

Kilworth Bridge, Aug. 6.-Mrs. Lee Mrs. Marks.

has returned home after a two months' visit in London, the guest of her niece, another cow that was in the field Miss Victoria Kilbourne is holiday-

ing with friends in Cleveland. The Kilworth choir and Epworth infuriated. The cow charged at him League are planning for a picnic to head down and snorting wildly. Port Stanley on the 10th. An enjoyable time is anticipated. Mr. Crosier, of Mount Brydges, who The animal endeavored to get the vichas been visiting her sister, Mrs. A.

Comfort, of this place, for several weeks, has returned home. Miss Julia Kilbourne and niece, Miss Marjorie Reynolds, both of London, are cow to gore him. Finally, in the awful visiting the former's parents here. Mrs. Johnson, wife of Inspector John-

son, Strathroy, was the guest of Miss down on his chest. The animal drop-Fonger for a few days last week. Mr. and Mrs. James Bourne spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Bourne's exhausted with the unequal struggle brother, Mr. Alonzo Kilbourne, Park-

of their uncle, Mr. Ben Kilbourne. CLANDEBOYE. Clandeboye, Aug. 6. - Mr. John Cun-

The friends will take her to the hos- and knees part of the

Point, is spending his holidays here. Miss Marie McIlhargey, of Hamilton, visiting her parents in this place. Mr. McMaster, of St. Marys, attend-

Williams were shocked to hear of his death. ed, who was 84 years old, was in his people before. usual good health, and started out for a weak spell and sat down to rest on a seat in the church shed, as he was Coal Company, Limited, of Montreal, Clandeboye for the past fifteen years, clandeboye for the past fifteen years, and made many friends by his kind Gas Company, Limited, of Montreal, and charitable manner. He leaves to also has been incorporated with \$1,mourn his loss a wife, five sons and
000,000 capital. three daughters, who have the sympathy of the community. The funeral took place on Thursday morning to Birr Cemetery and was largely attended.

Which is kight?

Ottawa, Ont., Aug. 6. — The Citizen says editorially this morning that now that Lord Dundonald has left Canada



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and said she wanted a painting of a See Our Window Display, West Window, certain size.

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FIERCE FIGHT WITH MAD COW

William Ayres, of Woodstock, Has Life and Death Struggle With Enraged Beast.

Woodstock, Aug. 6. - William Ayres lies at his home on Dundas street, east,

suffering severe injuries which he re- entitled to ceived Thursday in a desperate encounted with an infuriated cow. He has many bruises and is black and blue all over as the result of his terrible experience. He is under the doctor's care and so far no internal complications Mr. Ayres was taking his cow over to a field south of his place. Just

as he had passed through the gate ran at him. What actuated brute is not known, but the fierceness of its charge left no doubt in the mind of Mr. Ayres that the animal was Ayres was thrown down by the force of the onrushing animal, which imme diately proceeded to paw him viciously. tim on its horns, but Mr. Ayres suc ceeded in getting his hand in the animal's nostrils, and with his other grabbed one of the horns. In this way I was able to defeat the efforts of the struggle for his life, Mr. Ayres got be neath the animal's neck, when he was almost strangled by the beast coming ped on its knees and pinned his victim by the chest. Ayres was fast becoming No one heard his cries for help, and he had almost given up when ne managed Rev. Hugh Saunders and wife, of to free his chest from the cow's weight Brantford, spent a few days the guests and to work his way to the fence. Watching his chance he freed himself and then crawled through a hole, utterly exhausted.

ningham, of London, spent a few days in the village recently.

Mrs. Dunn. of this place, is very ill. arrival home a doctor from the city Mr. Art Parsons, of London, who has was immediately sent for. The Mr. Art Parsons, of London, who has been visiting friends here for the past month, returned home on Wednesday, Mr. Arthur Oullette of Stoney Arthur Oullette, of Stoney ed where the animal had pinned him down, and other bruises and abrasions Mrs Baine, of Toronto, is spending indicated the terrible nature of the conflict. Under careful treatment, however, Mr. Ayres is expected says himself that he never expected ed the funeral of the late Mr. McWil- to get out of the encounter alive, and is indeed the greatest wonder The many friends of Mr. Andrew Mc- the world that he was not gored to

sudden death on Monday last. Deceas- The cow is said to have attacked

Ottawa, Aug. 6.-The St. Lawrence

SAN JUAN GOLD BRICK

Army Officer Says Roosevelt Never Saw a Spanlard. New York, Aug. 5. - Col. Alexander

Bacon, former Republican member of Assembly from Kings, West Point graduate, lawyer and military writer, attacks President Roosevelt under the title: "Do the American People Love a Woolly Horse?' in a special issue of the Army and Navy Critic. The colonel, who until recently has iniformly supported Republican candidates for office, declares the battle of San Juan to have been a "gold

brick," the purpose being to show that Roosevelt "worked" that battle more glory than Bacon believes he is Referring to the battle of San Juan

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Mrs. Burges writes Feb. 28, 1903: "My baby, who had Eczema very badly on her head, as I told you before, after using the Cuticura Remedies was cured. She is now six years old and has thick hair and a clean scalp.

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one hundred participants in the Sar Juan engagement, and having in my the stenographer's transcript of their testimony, I am prepared to say that Col. Roosevelt was not in a position to see the Spaniards on

July 1, 1898." This is in direct contradiction of Col. Roosevelt's claim, made in his book, "The Rough Riders" (pages 138-139). that he killed a Spaniard at a distance of 30 feet by shooting him in the back

as he was running away. This recording of the killing, Col. Ba con asserts, is unique in military biography. All the other soldiers, from the days of Caesar down, have been glad to forget that they killed a fellowman, but Col. Roosevelt, says Col. Bacon, is glad to remember, and for fear the act will be forgotten, embalms it is

cold type. The charge of the Rough Riders up Kettle Hill, Col. Bacon maintains, was piece of mock heroics, as there never nad been a Spanish soldier on Kettle Hill during the battle.

Col. Bacon makes an extract from he report of Inspector-General Reade. J. S. A., in endeavoring to prove that Col. Roosevelt was willing to throw up campaign and accept any terms that the Spaniards might make while the American forces were lying before Santiago.

The Reade report says that Col. Roosevelt made this statement to the nspector-general: "Twenty-five per cent of my Rough Riders can't carry a pail of water from the creek to the trenches. No man can decry me or my regiment, but we must

accede to the next proposition from the "This amazing demand," says Col. Bacon, "shows that Col. Roosevelt was ready to let the Spaniards off easily because he was tired and wanted to

"The Seventy-first Regiment, which did not escape the unsparing criticism of Col. Roosevelt after the war, had at the same time that Col. Roosevelt made his I-want-to-go-home plea, more than 50 per cent of its men in the hospital, yet its celonel did not ask to be taken home, nor suggest any terms for the enemy, Col. Roosevelt was the only officially recorded quitter at Santiago." The capture of Aguinaldo by Gen.

Funston comes in for much of Col. Bacon's invective. He quotes from many books on military law in an effort to prove that Gen. Funston violated the laws of warfare in dressing his men in the enemy's uniform. After expending thousands of words on this phase of the case, Col. Bacon denies that the capture was bona fide, and insists that Funston's expedition was pre-arranged by Aguinaldo. Col. Bacon cites one of his clients who had been in the Government employ in the Philippines as saying that natives who had accompanied Funston had told him that Aguinaldo had arranged for the expedition

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