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POVERTY AND TRUANCY

A group of children were before the

measure, sooner or later, for its disre-

The British delegates are being ac

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It is a wise decision on the part of

the Foster government to make an ag-

The long casualty lists tell of thinning

HOW'S THIS?

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by catarrh sufferers for the past thirty-

THE BATTLE OF ARRAS The battle now in progress on the voked, and the whitewashers of Flem-

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dians are driving with tremendous of course the possibility of still another force against the German lines, is de- outburst of pity and magnanimity, which scribed as one of the flercest of the whole would leave Mr. Foster and his friends war. It may be doubted, however, if it in power for a still longer period. Inis as deadly as some of the struggles at deed it is quite possible that the memined this p. Verdun. Nevertheless the Germans are bers of the old government party may said to have made great preparations for be so busy hunting cover when the house it, and to have rushed up reserves and meets that they will be very glad to At all dealers or sent postpaid by Fruit more guns, and to have been especially let Mr. Foster or anybody else continued. Ottawa. energetic in placing machine guns in duct the affairs of the province. every conceivable place to dispute the British and Canadian advance. But in spite of all this the superiority of the British artillery fire is beyond question, and this will reduce the number of casThe plea of some mothers in such cases
The plea of some mothers in such cases and this will reduce the number of case ualties. It is said that when the British infantry rushes forward in the track of the terrific barrage fire from their big guns they find the Germans dazed and of the Children's Aid Society says from guns they find the Germans dazed and of the Children's Aid Society says from much less able to give a good account his observation there is ground for this of themselves than when the artillery complaint. Is not this the most conof the enemy is breaking down is proved by the surrender of the 141st Pomer- is fatal to independence, but a trained boys, had an argument with the teacher anians after a very brief resistance.

snians after a very brief resistance. community worker would be able to go
The Canadians are in the thick of into the household budget in any such
the fight, and the casualty lists are daily the fight, and the casualty lists are daily case, set right what was wrong about bringing home to us the deadly nature it, and get the necessary assistance of the war. Last night's list contains without pauperizing the family or enthe names of many young men from couraging the spirit of shiftlessness. New Brunswick, and we must expect to There are in this city today large famore and many more from day to day. It is lies who do not have sufficient money gins. "It's always getting me into trouble one way or another," replied Mr. Chuig gins. "When it runs, I get arrested at least comforting that the number coming in to enable them to feed and killed is not large, and that of those clothe the children as it should be done, wounded the great majority are likely but there are also mothers who know so little about domestic economy that

fact that the battle is going in favor of the British, and that while ground is evade responsibility for the care of the steadily being gained the enemy's counter children, however little they may reattacks are everywhere repulsed with spect the parents. Society pays in full

THE NEW GOVERNMENT.

poor. Let us have a school census, an The Faster government has taken a enforcement of the compulsory attendwise step in securing the services of a ance law, and such organized communfirm of chartered accountants of nation- ity work as will help the very poor to al reputation to do in New Brunswick solve their problems, and compel the what they have done in Manitoba and shiftless to mend their ways for the sake are doing in British Columbia. This of their little ones. It means so much government must not be held responsible to the community as a whole that on for the sins of its predecessors, and the wonders why the subject is treated with only way to avoid that is to have at such general indifference in a Christian the outset an authoritative statement of city. the financial position of the province. That it will not be a pleasant showing everybody knows, but we must face the facts and by the acore. If the people had turned the correment out five years to they ould have saved the very honor in Washington. The United States has not entered the war in any half-hearted way. A new era in Anglo-American relations has dawned, province a great deal of money. The and the visit of Mr. Balfour will do new government must now do the best much to cement the new bond of unity it can to introduce busines methods and reform the whole administration of prov-

The government began well by its ap- ricultural expert instead of a narrow pointment of a provincial inspector un-political partisan the deputy minister der the prohibitory law. It does well in of agriculture. Business principles are the matter of an examination of provincial finances. Lieut, Gov. Wood and his new advisers would also do well to apply the probe to Valley Railway affairs, and some others which need to along in the most unsatisfactory manhave the light of day turned upon them. ner. Canada needs leadership.

The opposition were wise in not contesting the by-elections. To have done so would hav brought further discredit as well as defeat upon them. They ward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. staid in office too long after their defeat in the general elections, and thus delayed public business. The new gov-ernment could not feel free until today to devote their whole time to depart-mental affairs. That they will now act with vigor and in the public interest may to devote their whole time to departfairly be expected.

SELF-ABNEGATION

John Standard, that its friends are still the rulers of this province. It assures its readers that the uncontested by-elections are no evidence that the government candidates could not have been de-

the Conservative opposition did not oppose the choice through fear of fighting losing battles. In at least two of the seats there was a good chance of victory had candidates been placed in the field and a vigorous campaign waged. But it was felt that as the Foster party had been entrusted with the reins of power through the votes of the constituencies where the Acadian vote predominated, the best way to expose the weakness of the outfit so chosen was by allowing it to Premier. Foster and his associates will not want for employment in the days and weeks to come. Go to it, merry gentlemen. Your tenure of office is bu brief, so make the most of it."

The magnanimity of the Standard's friends is wonderful. At first, when the them to be in a minority, they decided to retain office and meet the house. Out of sheer pity for Mr. Foster and his party, however, they changed their minds, but resolved to contest the by elections and there to bury the Foster candidates and the Foster hopes out of sight. But more reflection developed Mr. Foster and his weaklings to have a least one brief day of unalloyed satis-

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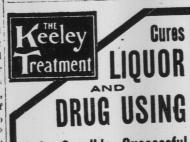
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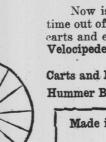
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the government.

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officials, Admiral Dechain and his naval aides called on Secretary Daniels, Admiral Benson and other navy department officials; Lord Cunliffe, governor of the Bank of England, called on Secretary McAdoo at the treasury department.

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