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AFTER TEN YEARS

Premier Robinson has been ten years in the legislature. He is therefore conversant with the whole story of the Central Railway, which has swallowed up \$1,200,000 of the money of the people.

MR. BARNES' LITTLE JOB

The creation of the new Bureau of Colonization and Industries, at the head of which Hon. James Barnes has been placed, is an act of constructive administration.

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What the people do know of the efforts of the government during the past twenty years to develop an immigration policy is the subject of combined ridicule and denunciation. There is no ground for confidence that Premier Robinson will be any more successful. He sat in the house and supported former premiers and eagerly condoned their offences.

AUTOCRATIC MINISTERS

Referring to the refusal of the federal government to grant the opposition access to certain public documents, the Montreal Star remarks that in this country have allowed cabinets to get an exaggerated notion of their importance.

feel that this is quite a sufficient reason. In fact, no reader is the fullest information regarding public business. At any time when a member of parliament is willing to spend his time plodding through public documents, he ought to find both documents and the staff in charge of them at his disposal.

BANKS AND STOCKS

The following summary of the Canadian bank statement, by the Montreal Witness, is worthy of attention. "The feature of the statement for December, recently issued, is the further decrease in deposits, the continued contraction in current loans and discounts, and the contraction in note circulation.

The world at large is disposed to smile at the exaggerated veneration and solitude of which Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy is the object. That it should be necessary to have a pilot engine and a teacher on the line when Mrs. Eddy desired to proceed from Concord to a \$200,000 home in Boston is likely to suggest comparisons with a certain entry into Jerusalem of which the world has heard much.

The amusing assertion is made in the government press that Sunbury county, which steadfastly supported Mr. Hazen in the darker days of his party will now desert him on the eve of a great victory. Sunbury will speak in due time, and with abundant emphasis, in support of the coming premier.

As stated in the Times last week, there is great delay in the adjustment of claims against the I. O. R. There is no excuse for such a state of affairs, and the minister of railways should give the matter his attention. Appeals to Moncton appear to be useless.

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However the world may judge the works of Ouida, whose novels had so wonderful a popularity some years ago, there is something extremely pitiful in her lonely death, amid surroundings of the deepest poverty.

In view of the fact that the politicians are warning up, it is perhaps opportune that some one in authority should utter a word of counsel and of warning on the subject of eternal torment.

Three Sensible Meals

There is no ideal diet; and if there was, it would not fit the very unideal men and women in the world today. The object of feeding is to give the body materials out of which to build and sustain itself. This it will do on vegetarian diet, on raw diet, or any diet, if that diet—and here's the point—if that diet be simple in selection, moderate in quantity and taken under proper conditions.

A breakfast of fruit cereal with cream, brown bread and butter, and a glass of milk will fulfill any requirement. Or a morning meal of two raw eggs beaten up with milk, together with fruit and one or two slices of brown bread—such a meal is equally nutritious and palatable.

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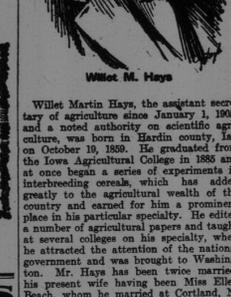
THE PLOW I am a worker. Sleep on and take your rest. The my sharp gouger shows white in the dawn. Beating through wind and rain, Furrowing hill and plain. Till twilight dims the west. And I stand darkly against the night sky, I am a worker, I the plow.

IN LIGHTER VEIN JUST A QUERY. A promising youth recently surprised his father by asking: "Father, do you like mother?" "Why, yes, of course," answered the father. "And she likes you?" "Of course she does."

SHOULD HAVE KNOWN BETTER. An Irishman named Hickey, who was killed by a blow on the head recently, was found, on surgical examination, to have had a skull no thicker in some places than blotting-paper.



PEOPLE OF NOTE Willet Martin Hays, the assistant secretary of agriculture since January 1, 1905, and a noted authority on scientific agriculture, was born in Hardin county, Ia., on October 19, 1859.



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