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Fears Canadian Competition.

"The worst of this Canadian competition," says the Grand Rapids Press, speaking of the wheat exports of this country, "is that it is certain to grow sharper and sharper. The development of the Canadian Northwest is going on rapidly, and thousands of our own people are adding it. Land is cheaper there than in the United States, and the virgin soil is very productive. At the present rate of increase in the harvest it would seem that Canada in the course of six or seven years at most will be able to furnish the whole 160 million bushels Great Britain yearly consumes, and then what will the American farmer do?"

The Press does not supply the answer to its own question, but consoles itself with the thought that equally serious problems in the history of American agriculture have been solved somehow. Why so sad? By the time Canada can fill John Bull's breadbasket, the United States may have no wheat to send him. The capacity of the United States for consuming wheat is growing much faster than its capacity for wheat production. The home demand will some day overtake the home supply, and perhaps the United States may even become a wheat importer. According to the Minneapolis Tribune this will be a good thing for the country, on the assumption that the most advanced nations buy their raw products by selling finished products abroad. This theory that a nation is better off if it cannot feed itself may be open to dispute, but the Press and the Tribune may fight it out between them. It isn't Canada's funeral.

A Pointer.

The business man as well as the author, the song writer and playwright is after a popular hit. Every now and then the manufacturer puts an article on the market, like the sewing machine or the bicycle, which immediately meets a public want, and then people wonder why the want was not recognized before. One of the latest popular hits in the mercantile line is health food. Everyone must be struck with the wonderful development of this industry within the past few years. Health food factories are springing up all over the United States, and the American manufacturers are establishing branches in Canada. One of these is located in this city, and is working overtime to fill orders. We learn that a large health food firm in Detroit is now looking for a site for an extensive plant in Canada. The manufacturers' committee of the City Council should lose no time in asserting London's claim. The industry is a very desirable one, and London can offer as many advantages as any other Canadian city.

Labor Internationalism.

At the recent Dominion Trades Congress a tendency to break away from internationalism in labor organization showed itself strongly. As the mechanical industries of this country develop, and the industrial population increases, the sense of dependence on the American brotherhood will disappear. The connection has been necessary in the past to the growth and strength of organized labor in Canada, which would have been too weak to stand alone, but it is only a matter of time when the unions in this country will be entirely Canadian, excepting, perhaps, those of railroad employes, the railroads being practically international concerns. We do not know that there has been any complaint from organized labor in this country that it has not received justice from the international bodies, but there is an obvious disadvantage in having the policy of Canadian unionism controlled from a foreign country, as it is now. The officers of these organizations cannot as thoroughly understand conditions in this country as if they lived on this side of the line. In addition to this, national sentiment is to some extent antagonized, although capital, which knows no international or political boundaries, has no right to protest.

A Boon to the Farmers.

The politicians and newspaper writers complain that Canada is buying too much from the United States seldom descend to particulars. When they do, they give their case away. The Farmers' Advocate must have had the Hamilton Spectator in its mind's eye when it penned the following: "A number of city newspapers are again urging the Canadian Government to restore the duty upon American corn. If the Government are well advised they will do nothing of the kind. About the best move the Government ever made in relation to agriculture was when the duty was taken off. Selling grain and fodder means selling fertility; but in feeding them a portion of this fertility is restored and soil impoverishment is stayed. Hence, feeding animals and selling their products, such as beef, bacon, cheese, butter, etc., not only enables the farmer to sell his superior skill in producing these more refined food products to good advantage, but it maintains the productivity of his soil. It is a better and safer system of farming. Corn and other coarse grains are the farmer's raw material which, through the animal economy, he manufactures into more finished products. A few misguided politicians, once raised the objection that free corn would depress the price of Canadian coarse grains, but it did not have that effect, and there has been little heard on that score lately. Coarse grains last year reached a figure that made beef purchasers groan. Given wellbred animals, the greatest ally the Canadian has is cheap feed of good quality. The pea crop cannot be relied upon to fill the feed bins, and the country would be vastly advantaged if more barley were fed on the farm, instead of being diverted into other channels. Canada is making a decided increase in corn-growing, but largely for the purpose of ensilage as a succulent food, rather than for the grain itself. In a very limited area, Ontario, Essex and Kent counties, corn-producing conditions prevail as in the great U. S. corn belt, so it is in that direction that the Canadian farmer looks for his supply of this rich feeding staple. Canadian cattle like the States cattle, need the corn-crib cross. Last year, when the Western corn crop failed, U. S. beef production at once fell off. Newspapers are now crying out that the Canadian beef industry is too slow, that it needs a boom, but some of them want to give it a stab under the fifth rib by taxing one of the chief elements that can contribute to its successful prosecution.

British Columbia Mining.

The Victoria Colonist resents the criticism of the Investors' Review (London, Eng.), which complained that all the profits derived from British Columbia mines had gone into the pockets of promoters, and not a single dividend had been earned in legitimate mining. The Colonist points out that several British Columbia mines have earned and are earning dividends which have found their way to the British shareholders. "If British investors have lost money in our mines," says the Colonist, "it has been largely due to their own carelessness in trusting their cash to promoters of the Whittaker Wright stamp, and swallowing the bait held out to them by unscrupulous stock manipulators. That is the primary cause of their misfortune, but another, equally fruitful of disaster, is the stupor-unbusinesslike system in vogue of attempting to manage the details of a British Columbia mine by a board of incompetent directors in London. A mining company is formed in the usual way, over-capitalized beyond all justification, a competent engineer and manager are engaged, and the work of mining is begun. The hopes of all concerned run high for a season, reports from the mine are encouraging, everything is working satisfactorily, when it suddenly strikes the 'guinea pigs' at home that the manager is granted altogether too much latitude, and that his powers must be curtailed. They have ideas about mining, have these 'guinea pigs,' and probably they have a disinterested mining engineer (disengaged for the time being) who volunteers them advice as to how affairs should be conducted. Result, the mine manager is brought up with a round turn, his recommendations and plans are ignored, new methods are ordered, the mine is turned topsy-turvy and all the work done up to date is condemned. It is a well-known fact that many mine managers have resigned rather than lose their reputations by being party to the ruin of a mine, but their places can always be filled by less scrupulous men who are willing to draw their salaries and indulge the directors in their follies. We know of one instance at least where a promising property was being wrecked by gross mismanagement dictated from London, and was only saved from ruin by the energy of the local manager, who, knowing the value of the property which he had never ceased to impress upon the company, bought out the concern and made it one of the best mines in the province."

The Colonist's reference to London directorates hits the nail on the head. The Grand Trunk used to be an example of this kind of long-distance management. It is recorded that an application to locate a barber shop in the station in this city had to be submitted to the board of directors for their solemn approval, which was given three months later. The whole system was clogged with red tape. Sir Charles Rivers-Wilson saw the folly of this way of doing business, and gave the new manager an absolutely free hand, with what results everyone knows. There is a lesson in this for British capitalists in general.

Natural.

[Washington Star.] "Do you think the color of that conspicuous girl's hair is natural?" "Yes," answered Miss Cayenne, after a moment's inspection, "to some people."

My French Lesson.

[Leslie's Weekly.] Down in the garden in the shade, Where Cupid placed an artful bench I linger with the little maid, Who'd sweet upon us smile the shades; But ah, my lips will learn no more; Than "Je vous aime, je vous adore."

"Oh! parlez vous Français!" she cries; The birds sing mating songs above, And all the world's a world of love, I can't be less so, and I die. Or "Je vous aime, je vous adore."

Ah! in her hair the sunbeams nest, And in her eyes the violets blow, While in the summer of her breast, About the heart the "PINK" is thro', Oh! he'er were words so blest before, As "Je vous aime, je vous adore."

The grammar flutters to the grass, And daisy nodding to the wind, And on my breast a little lass, Outbushes all the roses red, Ne'er lips a sweeter burden bore Than "Je vous aime, je vous adore."

Lost and Found.

[Chicago Tribune.] FOUND—BETWEEN FIFTY-NINTH and Sixty-first streets, on State, a chunk of coal weighing 100 ounces. Owner can have same by proving property and paying for this ad. C. R.

..Poems the World Has Read..

Prospect. [Robert Browning.] Fear death—to feel the fog in my throat, And the snows begin, and the blasts denote, I am nearing the place, The power of the night, the press of the storm, The post of the foe; Where a matter's to fight ere the guerdon be gain'd, Yet the strong man must go; For the journey is done and the summit attain'd, And the barriers fall, Though a matter's to fight ere the guerdon be gain'd, The reward of it all, I was ever a fighter, so— one fight more, The best and the last! I would hate that death bandaged my

Hope On. This world, it is a pleasant place, No matter what the state Of present ill, we know 'twill change If we will only wait. When humid summer days distress And nights are 'rest of ease, We know that when the winter comes We all may gaily freeze.

Unnecessary. [Chicago Tribune.] Notice—They tell me a man can't go into politics and remain honest. Old Stager—Yes, he can. But it isn't necessary.

The Methodist Conference. [St. Thomas Journal.] It should be the aim of the church to develop the spiritual life of its members to such a degree that pleasure will be found in good works and not in the theater. Until that spiritual condition is reached, profligations are ignored, and when it is reached they are unnecessary.

The Difference. The statesman talks unto the world And shows us how to rule; The politician takes his share, And takes his money too.

Shakespeare Illustrated.



[Punch.] "But thou art fair, and at thy birth, dear boy, Nature and fortune joined to make thee great."

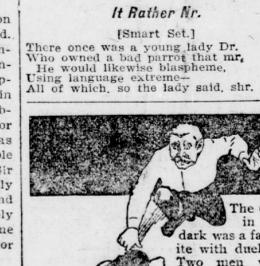
—King John, Act 3, Scene 1.

A Sure Thing. [Philadelphia Record.] "This new meter seems rather small," remarked the householder. "Oh, it fills the bill," was the unguarded response of the gas company employe.

Small Holdings. [The Commoner.] He thought the earth was given him To hold against all others, And straightway did he then proceed To boldly rob his brothers, But when he settled up accounts, Then he was patting to see what The earth he owned was but a plot Just seven feet by three.

He's Thankful. [Hamilton Herald.] Well, whether he found the Pole or not, Peary's expedition was to some extent successful. He got back.

It Rather Nr. [Smart Set.] There once was a young lady Dr. Who owned a bad pig named Mr. He would likewise blaspheme, Using language extreme— In all of which, so the lady said, shr.



The duel in the dark with the pistols, Two men were locked in a dark room and crawled stealthily from corner to corner, until some false step made one of them the target for bullet or blade.

Life is a duel in the dark with disease. One false step, one mistake, and the attack comes swift and sudden. The mistake which commonly opens the way for an attack by disease is neglect of the symptoms of stomach trouble. When eating is followed by undue fullness, belching, sour or bitter risings, etc., disease is attacking the stomach. The best way to frustrate such an attack is to use Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It cures diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition, and makes the body strong and healthy.

"I was suffering very much with my head and stomach," writes Mrs. W. C. Gill, of Wehion, Shelby Co., Ala. "head was so dizzy when I would raise up in bed would fall right back. Could eat but very little, in fact scarcely any thing, there seemed to be a heavy weight in my stomach so I could not rest, I had to belch every time I would vomit up nearly everything I ate. I was in a bad condition. I took four bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and now feel like a new woman and give Dr. Pierce's medicine credit for all I had taken medicine from physicians without any benefit as I could see."

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ON THE SAME GALLOWS

White Man and Negro Hanged for Murder at Oxford, Miss.

Oxford, Miss., Sept. 25.—Will Mathis (white) and Orlando Lester (colored) were hanged here yesterday for the murder of the Montgomery brothers. The murder of Deputy United States Marshals John A. and Hugh H. Montgomery, for which Mathis and Lester were hanged, was committed last November near Oxford, at Mathis' home, whether the officers had gone to arrest him for illicit distilling. The mutilated and charred bodies of the deputies were found in the ruins of the Mathis home the day after the intended raid. Mathis escaped to the swamps of the Voconia River, where for three days he successfully eluded a large posse with bloodhounds. He was finally forced to surrender. Lester was a negro working for Mathis at the time the murder occurred. Mathis and Lester made confessions, which they later repudiated, but they were found guilty of murder and then sentenced to death.

ROY CONVICTED OF MURDER.

St. John, N. B., Sept. 25.—The trial of the boy, HIGGINS, charged with the murder of Willie Doherty, was closed yesterday afternoon, and the jury, after three hours' deliberation, returned a verdict of guilty, with a strong recommendation that Judge Landry charge very strongly against the prisoner. Goodspeed will come before the court today on indictment as an accessory after the fact.

Land for Veterans.

Toronto, Ont., Sept. 25.—The commissioner of crown lands has announced that the certificates for the land to be granted to veterans of 1866 and of other wars would be issued on Nov. 1. Twelve new townships in the Temiscaming district, in addition to those formerly surveyed, are open for selection. It is estimated that almost a million acres of land will be required to satisfy the veterans' claim.

Rough Passage Through Rapids.

Ogdensburg, N. Y., Sept. 25.—The private yacht Ezra Cornell, of Ithaca, called here yesterday to report to the American customs necessary repairs to the motor in Canada. The owner, E. J. Wyckoff, is on board, returning from a pleasure trip to the Lower St. Lawrence, and is accompanied by his family. The yacht's passage through the rapids was most exciting, the swells washing over the pilot house, and it became necessary to weight down the hatches to the cot, pillow and down cushions, furniture and stoves at the Feather Bed and Mattress Cleaning Factory, 632 Richmond street north. Telephone, 997. J. F. Hunt & Sons.

Buy your Trunks and Bags at Tackaberry's, and get your old ones repaired.

All work done by hand and guaranteed. Phone 326. 234 Richmond street.

Here's Another Opportunity Offered by the Great Northern Railway.

Daily during September and October one way second class tickets will be on sale from all stations in Ontario at greatly reduced rates, to all points on the line of the Great Northern Railway, in Montana, Idaho, Washington and British Columbia.

Election Would Cost \$100,000.

Ottawa, Sept. 25.—If the view of the Yukon authorities were followed, it would cost Canada \$100,000 to elect a representative to the parliament at Ottawa. The enumeration of voters alone would run up a bill of more than \$50,000. The cost of the state is in telegraphic communication with the returning officer, Sheriff Ellbeck, and with Judge Dugas, and has given strict and final orders that the expense must be kept down to the lowest possible point. He insists that the enumeration must be made by 40 men and within 30 days. The enumerators are to receive \$10 a day for wages and living expenses.

Coronation Medals.

Ottawa, Sept. 25.—The minister of militia received yesterday, from the high commissioner's office, London, Eng., to the effect that the colonial office had promised to give medals to all the Canadians who would have participated in the coronation ceremonies had these taken place as originally planned. The necessary lists are now being prepared, and the medals will be sent to Canada as soon as possible. The colonial office did not intend to withhold medals from the Canadians sent to England to take part in the coronation ceremonies planned for June 22.

DO NOT DELAY.—When, through debilitated organs, poison finds its way into the blood, the prime consideration is to get the poison out as rapidly and as thoroughly as possible. Delay may mean disaster. Farmelee's Vegetable Pills will be found a most valuable and effective medicine to assail the intruder with. They never fail, and act at once to the seat of the trouble and work a permanent cure.

H. M. S. Indefatigable sailed from Halifax on Wednesday, presumably for the Port of Spain, Trinidad.

TO MAKE MONEY it is necessary to have a clear, bright brain, a cool head and a sturdy nerve. Milburn Heart and Nerve Pills invigorate and brighten the brain, strengthen the nerves, and remove all heart, nerve and brain troubles.

The work on the Windsor Carnegie library has been brought to a standstill. A crowd of 2,148 bricks for the building has never been sent.

DR. J. D. KELLOGG'S Dysentery Cordial is a speedy cure for dysentery, diarrhoea, cholera, summer complaints, sickness and complaints incidental to children. It gives immediate relief to those suffering from the effects of indigestion in eating unripe fruits, cucumbers, etc. It acts with wonderful rapidity and never fails to remove the disease. No one need fear cholera if they have a bottle of Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial.

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As the Ebb and Flow of the Tides-- So Are the Great Crowds Attending

THE GREAT SALE OF THE BANKRUPT STOCK

So Recently RUNIANS, CARSON, McKEE CO.'S

Only a short time in business, and yet the stock, amounting to

\$67,460.00

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The variety is immense. You can get almost anything that you require for your family for the winter, at marvelously low prices. Remember that nowhere else can you possibly get so much for your money.

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