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ns. Much of the writing of
Carman, Duvar, and others,
utifully familiar scenes we have
and known. The journals of
States are rife with the same.
'S' Companion has lately given a
old French Port Royal, and a
ory by Roberts, heard and told
the heaving bosom of Fundy in
press.

ble contrast. Must we never

Bound" in July, for the sake

inative shiver? The colors of er glow so bewitchingly as on dullness of November. Sweet er are June reminiscences. A

ird or bee were noticeable in bowers. . . . We had a mentally through us by the val. Yesterday it was russet; ake to see all white, from the nder slope to the river-margin, all the farther reaches. The es to the erst wet brushes, and so us gleam through silken willowy. The black-knotted plum-trees the path to our door show their bepearled. A few feathery immer in the air with wavering e. . . No more favorite musmer in the air with wavering e. . . No more favorite musmer than when the shades of evenings are falling. Then to the window, to tramp over or loiter by the riverpleasantest things to do. No ce the past stir my spirit; they neutral pages for fancy's paint. Roberts' sonnet on the 'Old gs one's youth back, and Lampes fall as softly on the ear as the es sings of, does upon the earth.

her thin, if all platonism. . . . read the verse of Richard Calf, The Poet's Death Song ? PASTOR FELIX.

v. Peter Swunn (rubbing his Well, my dear, I have made arts beat happily to-night; I ed five couples.

vunn.—Eleven? How can that puples? Mr. Swunn.—Oh, you unted me in: I rectived ten me each bridegroom.—Puck.

gravating to hear the solemn prating who are stating that old Horace was a

ow that with the ladies he was always Hades,

y not much harm in a large number of

mina, ople find alarm in a few records of his uelch the muse caloric, and to Students noric sent as metaphoric what old Horace for facts.

vays thought 'em lazy; now we adjudge azy! co was a det

sest of us know him as his Lydia verses him,— ut virile poem,—it is No. 25.

ery owl, sir, and starting out to prowl, made Rome howl ,sir, until he filled his ssic-laden ditty and a classic maiden

up the city, and Maccenas paid the

escapade his best productions

sher of PROGRESS.

"It think there is not a doubt of probably by 300 majority."

"It has been stated that the large Government vote in Shediac and Botsford was the promise of a railway from "Must there not necessarily have been stated that the large Government vote in Shediac and Botsford was ployee may be jeopardized."

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ernment vote in Shediac and Botsford was due to the promise of a railway from Shediac to Cape Tormentine. Have you anything to say on that subject?"

"That statement is not correct as I made no promise of a railway except in a very qualified way. What actually occurred was, that while I was in the county, some of our opponents in the parishes of Shediac and Botsford, started an agitation on the subject of this railway. They knew that the government had taken the positions are represented in the subject of the railway. They knew that the government had taken the positions are represented in the subject of the railway. They knew that the government had taken the positions are represented in the recommendation of the re Shediac and Botsford, started an agitation on the subject of this railway. They knew that the government had taken the position that the time was not opportune for embarking in any extensive scheme of railway subsidizing, and they thought to corner me and weaken the government cause in that section. They organized meetings to discount of the county afforded meetings throughout the county afforded meetings to discount the details to another than the county afforded meetings throughout the county afforded meetings to discount the details to another than the county afforded meetings throughout the county afforded meetings to discount the county afforded meetings throughout the county afforded meetings to discount the county afforded meetings throughout the county afforded meetings to discount the county afforded meetings t and weaken the government cause in that gentlings to discuss the railway question. And in protothat the movement did not emenate from the friends of the government, it may be mentioned that the announcement of the meetings was first made simultaneously in the Moneton Times and Saint John Sun. Our friends who were managing the Westmorland campaign thus learned for the first time, as I did, of the calling of the Shediac-Botsford meetings. At those meetings resolutions were passed, including one which does not proceed from the idea that I should give a written pledge that this animal way the subsidiered within three vears.

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give a written pledge that this railway
should be subsidized within three years.

Delegates were appointed to wait upon me
at Port Elgin and present the ultimatum.
Mr. Melanson accompanied the delegates,
and we had a pleasant interview. I pointed
out to these gentlemen how impossible it
was for me to give any pledge whatever,
much less a written pledge that the governmuch but that I felt free to say that in the event of another general railway scheme being entered upon by the government, we would be disposed to listen as favorably as possilinterest, while in addition to home talent, thing." from the mbers with whom the government could advise on such a subject. Of course Powell and Russell, the opposition had the opponents of the government and they made what capital they could out of it.

"On the whole, then, you hard But the Shediac-Botsford vote was not such a sweeping vote by any means as would have been taken if I had been able to give them more satisfactory and definite rances as to this railway project."

"Have you anything to say as to Mr, Melanson's course in the election?" "I regretted very much that Mr. Melanwhich culminated on nomination day. I assume that his course was due to the influence of a very eminent and influential person in the county not now in political life. The most strenuous effort was made to convince Mr. Melanson, as I am given to understand, that not only were the Westmorland involved in his ceasing to maintain an attitude of neutrality, but that in some way the national interests of his race were involved. I know a most

Monday, and when interviewed by Progress, stated his views freely and frankly.

"I do indeed," said Mr. Blair. "Up to the time that the dissolution of the Demnino Parliament took place, I felt every complete and every man went in defence that both of the Government candidates would be returned by a large majority. Just what the effect of the dissolution magnetic objects are controlled. The dominion government of object will not contest was I could not say with any degree of accuracy, though I amaginfied it must have weakened our position. We could not hope to take any number of the straight conservatives in Monday and when interviewed by Prof. Grees, stated his views freely and frankly.

was very hotly contested, old campaigners will bob up serenely from this out. This is written and being printed while they are talking but the prophecy may be hazarded that they will go "the whole hog." That is the understanding. They will get off the pickets and come down on solid earth and there won't be any hole in the come of the Straight conservatives in more than usual to look after on this occasion.

Monoton, and Hus rose greatly in the esteem of his former opponents.

There was a breezy fight in the committee room between the two factions as to do but managers are getting in the fine work. Orators have a certain part to do but managers are getting in the fine work. Orators have a certain part to do but managers are getting in the fine work. Orators have a certain part to do but managers are getting in the end there was anity, and hands which a few short months ago were look at the more of the New Yorker; also that the more original motion on which the sun never sets without hatchin' has nomination paper, though he subsequently lide so, and thus rose greatly in the committee room between the two factions as to do do there won't be any hole in the colors sh

paign at all. Mr. Wilson, who spoke once at Moncton, and Mr. LeBlanc, were the consisting of Messrs. Hanington, Wells, Melanson, Robideau, Richard, Stevens, oratorical aid of Messrs. Stockton, Alward.

"On the whole, then, you hardly expect to hand over the reins of power to your opposition friends at present?"

A smile that was benignant and full of

meaning wreathed the countenance of the premier, as he shook hands with Progress and closed the interview."

twilight, by the printers' cordial greeting to the incandescent light. If there are two things the printer loves they are plain, "fat" copy and good light. No more kerosene lamps for Progress. The incandescent lights the composing room, as it soon will every other part of the office, and a beautiful light it is. Perfectly steady, and a beautiful light it is particism in the Country and on the river. The boilers is and subsides.)

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The m and his company, the New Brunswick Electric Light Co., have certainly good reason to be congratulated.

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with any degree of accuracy, though I am satisfied it must have weakened our position. We could not hope to take any number of the straight conservatives in support of our candidates and the party organization, of course, I knew would then be complete."

"Then you think it probable that but for the impending Dominion contest you would have carried both seats?"

"It would not be correct to say that the impending Dominion contest you would have carried both seats?"

"It is well that the large Govern the county are worked upon through fears that the position of the county are worked upon through fears that the posit

had they been invited. But the candidates

ment would subsidize this road within the time limited, or within any period named, but that I felt free to say that in the event tinctly that his vote was not for sale, but

his "influence ought to be worth somekind of a basis in the Conservative wig- Teanot. wam. Nothing is got without an order,

and the order must be properly signed and countersigned, and attached te the account clothes on, was inducted to the chair by clothes on, was inducted to the chair by the unanimous silence of the audience. He said it was four years since we had seen or heard of the honorble gentleman before and we orter be grateful, sinners that we are well as the control of the chair of the control of the control of the chair of the control of the chair of the case of reciprocity are making fun of the sign outside the door of Foster's building, which says, "Liberal Conservative's Head-quarters." The apostrophe being before the chair of the chair was, for the privilege of gazin' free gratis have my speeches at Ottaway. You shall mr. Thompson's nomination.

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Was, for the privilege of gazin free grains are my species at Otaway. I du shari upon his beamin' countenance once more. Life was mighty oncertain and probably the heft of us would be wafted up before and the refreshing dew will fall and the

freely as in this month of February, his methods would no doubt have been changed. This, however, is not the opinion of a certain host on the Loch Lomond road where the county conservative candidates where the county conservative candidates stopped a few days ago, for a warming up. The day was cold and the candidates departed from their usual habit and took something warm. The onlookers looked pleasant and would have moved forward had they been invited. But the candidates

Mr. Thompson. As against the transfer of the Gibson interest to Mr. Temple must be set the important fact that Premier Blair the Cibson interest to Mr. Temple must be set the important fact that Premier Blair proud to call myself the brother of the white man, the red man, and the black. While to outsiders the success of Mr. Temple would seem probable in view of york in favor of unrestricted trade is running very strong.

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ORATORY IN GUMVILLE.

Sir, I am a believer in the equality of men. I believe every man is as good as this neighbor, and sometimes better. I am will throw all his elequence and powerful influence into the scale for his relative.

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All I say about the niggro is that when he was put together there was a mistake in the prescripshun. I am of the opinion that the prescripshun. I am of the opinion that the tore constable at the front door of the rear entrance of the Institute, where the cleverest part of it was in view of the rear entrance of the Institute, where the cleverest part of it was in view of the rear entrance of the Institute, where the cleverest part of it was in view of the rear entrance of the Institute, where the cumulative in the equality of the theorem and scampering to a sleigh in waiting, which carried him to collaborate.

For an hour or two before the every man is as good as the rear entrance of the Institute, where the cumulative in the ciphoche.

For an hour or it was i the night-time. I am aware, sir, that in this I differ from many able minds who hold that Jonah was the first niggro, which

ever. The frames are all ready, the picture is what is wanted. A prominent representative of the race told Progress distribution in the presentative of the race told Progress distribution in the properties of the race told Progress distribution in the properties of the progress of the instinks was Freewill. And when he called on Father Slavin he raised his hat and give Look at the Fredericton tannery. Look Reform' banner in the North End refused three cheers for bleedin' Ireland. We at the Saint Marys furniture factory. Look three cheers for bleedin' Ireland. We have seldom seen a man in which brotherly Everything is being run on a systematic love was so indigenous as the Honorble Love was so indigenous was the Honorble was the Ceapot.

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PREMIER BLAIR TALKS

ABOUT THE WESTMORLAND BLECK
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bad they been invited. But the candidates were not treating; to put it in the words of one present "they never asked them if they had a mouth on them." Mine host could not change the crisp new ten dollar note handed him, but rather than hand it back he hunted up the exact change and handed it over.

This is a new way to canyass the peane.

Speech of Hon. Teapot Tempest to the Electors.

Without exception the greatest political event that ever transpired in Gunwille came off in the District school-house on Wednesday evening last. The Honorble Teapot Tempest was the orator and orated to reform.

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At a wedgeste originate theorem.

election, and many of them are having a hard battle with the weather. A good Gentlemen, I want you all to vote for of red and blue. The more cynical advocates of reciprocity are making fun of the sign outside the door of Foster's building,

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Liberals.

The usual quiet of Progress composing room was broken Monday afternood, at twilight, by the printers' cordial greeting to the incandescent light. If there are two things the printer loves they are plain, "fat" copy and good light. No more

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Fredericton Feb. 20—York is a County where there is sure to be music at election touchin' allusion to our mortal frames produced a solemn groan from Deacon Hartise, in Amount of the incandescent light. If there are two things the printer loves they are plain, "fat" copy and good light. No more captial city last week. Mr. Gregory, the selfcaptial city last week. Mr. Gregory, the selfnotice at the head of the Editorial column.
Then look at the Dictionary Inducement on
officiated in his fatherly fashion. The