

The Evening Times and Star

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PLEDGE AND PERFORMANCE

After the Borden government has been nearly two years and a half in power, pledged to put down bribery and inequity in election campaigns, two concrete wharves are offered on its behalf by a supporter in parliament as a sop to the electors of Fredericton, in a provincial by-election in which both of the candidates are Conservatives.

THE POLICY OF SILENCE

The attitude of the St. John Standard in relation to the York county by-election must be a source of some surprise to Mr. H. F. McLeod, M. P. The Standard has omitted entirely the small detail of printing something about the campaign in this morning's issue.

THE VICTIMS OF WAR

The tales of suffering on the part of those who were the hapless victims of the Balkan war should be a very strong argument in support of an international peace policy, promoted by the more powerful nations of Europe.

SOME STRIKING FACTS

To give the present population of the United States the same meat supply in proportion to population as they had in 1910 would call for 18,259,000 more cattle, sheep and swine than the estimates show to be in the country at the present time.

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BIRTHDAYS OF NOTABILITIES

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 16 Colonel W. D. Gordon, one of Canada's foremost military men, is sixty-two years of age today.

LIGHTER VEIN

Very Sensitive. "She's getting rather plump." "Yes, but don't you dare tell her so. She nearly sued her husband for a divorce on account of her plumpness."

Sweet Innocent

Mrs. Youngblood (to butcher)—I want two pounds of breakfast, and have it rare, please. Exactly. Doctor—you are all run down. You ought to quit business entirely.

Making a Distinction

"What is your idea of graft?" "Graft," replied the boss, "is any scheme for landing a big money that I ain't in on."—Washington Star.

Pa Did It

The train of cars that Santa brought is out of kilter now. While Pa was showing 'em how they went he used to run around a track, at least they did when he would let 'em take 'em in my hands an' wind 'em with a key.

I've got my blocks as good as new, my mitts are perfect yet.

Although the snow is on the ground I haven't got 'em wet. I've taken care of everything that Santa brought to me.

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Dated at Saint John, N. B., the 30 day of January, A.D. 1914. HERBERT E. WARDROPER, 1986-47, Common Clerk

An effort to organize a national amateur baseball championship series will be made in Chicago on February 20 and 21 at a meeting of delegates from Eastern and Middle Western cities. The project was launched by the Chicago Association of Amateur Baseball Clubs.