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THE STORY OF I

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He was the guest on the night of his a the place of honor (right. The colonel sigh of relief w the guest was hande rtained by us.
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But we had to g plot, and we grew at him sitting night a us seldom speaking and slipping off to mess was over.

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Done I said Private Loxton.grimly, bringing the rifle-butt thudding to the ground

Mineral's Uniment Cures Colds, etc.

—a man.

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—his destination was a quiet country vicarage, and his master a quiet counting the master a quiet country.

ROBERT ROSS. | Duniop 1116 --

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EDITORIAL NOTES

We understand that the innitiati fee of \$10,000 for entrance into the Dominion senate is now likely to be re duced. No one by the name of Cook need apply however.

The night of March 31st has passed and the census enumerator did not count what date we will be summed up and if we happen to be in the back parlor be counted in the wrong family.

and bachelors in Canada appears to be fairly even. Now we are told that the laws of free trade are to be administer ed in Canada to a certain extent ar exported from the old country where they appear to be a drug on the market they appear to be a drug on the market open disappointed. The memoers of and placed in Canada. What a pity the government vary amongst the ment we had not a preferential tariff at present, so that the Mother Country could not unload their shelf worn goods on and so it is impossible to say whether digital the distribution of the distribution of the ministerial party is a free trade. Continued the debate on Thursday. the matrimonial bargain counter in equal competition with our kome spinster. Canada produces its own spinsters excellent in quality and superior in mo respects to the imported article.

THE CENSUS

Monday was the day that the taking of the Census was to have been com-menced. As far as we know the enunerators for Kings have not started. It will not be long however before they ng at your door and he seems to be coming at your door and he seems to be a little inquisitive you can make up your mind that he is the Census taker. Ever since the Garden of Eden incident the unfortunate rubber necking episode that got Lot's wife salted, men and women have enjoyed a reputation for inquisitivness. These wen are not inquisitive for their own benefit but the questions asked are compulsory and of a private nature. All enumerators are bound by their oath to keep the secrets inviolate.

The following are the ouestions:

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The name of each person in the house, the sex, the color, the relationship to the head of the family or household.

Are you married? Are you single? Are you widowed? Are you divorced? Your age last birthday? The year of birth? The month and date of birth? He will also want to know the country in which you were born, when you came to Canada, what tribe you belong to, what race, and what your religion is. Then he will get more personal. He will want to know what your profession is, whether you are an employer or employee, if you are working on yourown account, if you are working on yourown account, if you are working at a trade, if yeu are working that the control of the control, or at home. He will want to know how long you are employed in the factory and how long you are employed in the factory and how long you are employed in the factory and how long you are employed at home. He will want to know if you have any side lines, or any other occupations.

Then the man with the pencil will touch the purse, he will sak.

Then the man with the pencil will touch the purse, he will ask. How much do you make?
Do you earn any extras?
But this is not all. The enumerator will want to know how many months you have attended school, if you can read, if you can write, if you can speak English, or if you can "parlezvous Francais?"

The idea seems to have prevailed throughout the county that one of the Greeks in Kentville had the small pox. This idea has been strengthened by the report in the Halifax Herald on Monday that the disease was brought here by a peddler, and also by the editorial in the Orchardist of Tuesday. This is an incorrect supposition and while our article of Tuesday did not mention anything more than the liability of peddlers to carry disease, we have been shown that it gave impetas to a wrong impression and so seek to make it clear before the public. Mr. Korey a Greek who has been doing business in town for some time has a communication in yesterday's Herald stating that peddlers had been wrong-fully blamed for bringing the small pox to the town and that his business had been ruined thereby.

NOTHING FOR THE FARMER

FROM OTTAWA

The Budget debate which has clos ed brought out in a striking manner the weather cock character of the he against it? Sir Richard knew. government and the blotched and Preston's evidence was something party. Nobody knows what it means, and it is very doubtful if the Cabinet wanted to buy it, and he begged Cook knows. Here was Sir Wilfred Laurier to do nothing so naughty. It would declaring for a revenue tariff, forgett-ing what the tariff is, forgetting ment if he were to offer money. The wife of Aguinaldo was captured by the Americans some time ago. Now that Agui him-elf has been roped in, it says, so that the voice was the voice that Agui him-elf has been roped in, it says, so that the voice was the voice blieated, and if Sk Wilfrid Laurier's would be natural for her to claim her or Jacob and the hands the hands of skirts are clean in the matter, and he

> before the election of 1896 by these Liberal statesmen, foremost above all was that they would do something special for the farmer, but on Monday night of this week, one of the Quebec is a man, of fine presence supporters of the government from tall, dark hair, florid complexion, blue the west got up and said he was disceye, a refined nusical voice. He is satisfied with the tariff because it was not merely a gentlemen in manner, far too high, and Mr. Richardson but a man with a high sense of honour, said that the farmers of the west had and he and his leader Mr. Border been led to expect that the duty made a strong team. Mr. Paterson would be taken off agricultural implements and coal oil, but that they had strained to acknowledge what Mr. been disappointed. The members or Borden had done in the short time h and so it is impossible to say whether the ministerial party is a free trace party, or a protectionist party, or whether it is free trade-revenue tariff-protectionist party. By taking the duty off corn, a breeder like the Minister of Agriculture gets some advantage of the duty of t ister of Agriculture gets some advan-tage, but the market of the Ontario farmer and the Northwest tarmer for

their coarse grains is injured. COAL OIL.

Can there be any excuse for their For keeping up the duty on coal oil, when Against it has ceased to be a Canadian industry, in consequence of the action of these men new in power?

POLITICAL DEGRADATION. Sir Richard Cartwright's revela tion of himself has shed a horrible light on the morality of the government. So horrible that the Montreal Witness, an independent Liberal paper, gibbets him for his falsebood and a majority against them in this house tergiversation, and the Huntington of six. Gleaner, a Liberal paper, after describing his speech says: "The in famy of deceiving not Liberals alone but the country at large, rests with a special force on the head of this old man, who has exchanged the high nonour awarded to those who are true to their word for general con

H. H. Cook charged that the offers from any party who would Government was ready to make him like to purchase our stock of Senator, but wanted \$10,000 for it. All parties concerned had to be very cautious, because to traffic in office is a criminal offence. M. C. Camero was the go between.—Cook swears that M. C. Cameron offered him the Senatorship for \$10,000, and showed him a letter from Sir Richard Cartwright saying "surely Cook would do something." He also swore, that Preston-that saint of crookedness offered him the Senatorship for \$10,-000. Cooks' evidence was unshaken -the Hon. Mr. Briggs confirmed it.

Sir Richard Cartwright's evide showed there had been negotiations He wanted Cook to get the Senator Sutherland was against it. That speaks volumes. Sutherland mottled condition of the Liberal awful. He said he had not offered dare act, his duty to His Majesty and the country and public life and him-If there was one thing promised self, is to have the names of Cart wright and Paterson erased from th

The leader of the opposition for

a revenue tariff and reduce taxation.

The division took place on Friday

Mr. Calvin, the member for Fron-tenac, voted against Mr. Borden's a mendment, so that the figures stood 118

Majority 54
On the main motion of the Government, on which Mr. Calvin voted with the opposition: For Against

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