

BE AN OPTIMIST OR LEAVE THE COUNTRY

Such is Advice of Prominent Banker in Review of Present Conditions Throughout the Dominion

CROKERS IN THE EIGHTIES

There Were Many Then Who Saw Nothing But Ruin Before the Country—No Country Which Offers Better Returns to Capital and Labor—Local Business is Looking Up.

(By Professor W. W. Swanson.) The man who cannot be an optimist in Canada today should emigrate...

United States Experience. Count the number of times that the United States has been stopped to a standstill...

Croakers in the Eighties. In the early eighties there were those who lost faith in this country...

Can Get Capital. Capital may be had, up to our fullest needs, from the Old Country...

CLAFFIN ON BUSINESS. N. Y.—John Claffin says: "Business is not good. Perhaps it would be safe to say it is not so very bad..."

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News of World Told in Brief

Senator Root Holds Senate Spellbound in Five Hours Speech

WOULD REPEAL TOLLS

Speaker Loudly Applauded at Conclusion of Speech—Star Witness in Beckler Defense Accused of Murder Complicity.

Senator Root, Republican member of the Foreign Relations Committee, held the Senate in rapt attention for five hours yesterday, speaking in support of the Administration Bill to repeal the tolls exception clause of the Panama Canal Law...

Senator Root declared that the Democratic Party leader, led the applause from the floor, and spectators in the galleries joined.

An important meeting was held in the House of Commons last evening to discuss the Canadian magazine problem.

The City and Mayor Guerin failed on Wednesday to have two suits entered by a dismissed city official declared outlawed, though it was alleged by the defendants that no process had been taken in connection with the cases for a period exceeding two years.

The committee of the first and second bondholders of the Canada Iron Corporation have now completed the scheme of the proposed new corporation, which will be submitted at a meeting to be held in Montreal on July 2nd.

GERMAN EGGS COMING. Philadelphia, May 22.—A trial shipment of eggs for immediate consumption is due to reach Philadelphia...

Y. N. Y.—Jacob Abraham Reich, better known as Jack Sullivan, chief of the second unit of the defense of ex-Lieut. Charles Becker for murder, was denounced as a murderer by the District Attorney...

Jack Sullivan was indicted with Becker for the murder, and he is now at liberty on his own recognizance.

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Asquith Silence Starts a Riot

Opposition in Uproar When Premier Refuses Answer to Questions

BILL UP MONDAY

No Progress Could be Made With Home Rule Measure Yesterday, but Monday Will See It Up Again.

The House of Commons yesterday witnessed a riotous scene in the annals of the British House.

The bill had reached the third reading stage, and Premier Asquith announced that he would introduce the bill into the House of Lords.

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5,000,000 FOOT CUT

Lumbering Operations in Westmoreland County During Past Season Successful.

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Happenings in World of Sport

Indians' Pitcher Was Too Good for Local Batsmen Yesterday Afternoon

AMERICANS OUT OF IT

With Defeat of Evans and Weber Hopes of Invading Galfars Vanish—Racing Season in Montreal Opens Today.

Newark handed the Royals another defeat, Ensmann, who was on the mound for the Royals, held the local batsmen to three hits, but only in the first session were Lichtenheim's laborers able to cross the plate.

The Leafs won from Skeeters yesterday in a game in which both teams showed more ability on the offensive than defensive.

The Tigers drove Plank, Covalesko, and Welts off the mound in the first three innings of their game with the world's champions, whom they defeated by 6 to 4, before a record crowd.

Three more local golf clubs will play the first of their spring fixtures on Saturday and Victoria Day, they be contested at the Whitecourt, Country, and Beaufort courses.

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Depth of Oil Near "Discovery"

Eight Are Now Being Drilled in Locality Where Strike Was Made

GETTING CAPITAL

Enthusiasm Aroused Over Success of Calgary Petroleum Company Males Financing Very Easy For Other Ventures.

Calgary, May 22.—In addition to section 6, township 29, range 2, west of the fifth meridian, where the oil strike was made last Thursday night, there are no less than eight wells drilling in the same locality.

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