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Downing Street Must Act.

The Buffalo Express expresses the prevalent feeling in the United States of cool contempt toward the Newfoundland Legislature. Men like Archbishop Howley describes it as "hot heads," in urging that the local laws of 1905, "which the modus vivendi suspends for the time being and which are objectionable to American fishing interests, be strictly enforced." The Buffalo Express continues: "American fishing interest be strictly energetic in making Newfoundland accept the situation. So long as that document (the modus vivendi) exists, the United States has the right to protect its fishermen even to the sending of a warship to the Newfoundland coast. And the British Government would have no other course than to sustain the action of our Government."

Doubtless "Downing street," or the colonial office, where Under Secretary Churchill is viceroy over the secretary, Lord Elgin, has fully considered all that, Mr. Churchill has the claim to do more than teach the ancient colony a lesson by "a little wholesome neglect." He waves aside its legislative enactments with the sang froid of an Oriental despot, and his American friends expect him to "devote the energies of the office he holds to 'making Newfoundland accept the situation,' on penalty of force exercised by a warship sent from Gloucester. The English liberals have started in with a colonial policy more vigorous than wise.

Let the Stomach Alone.

You can't cure catarrh by dosing the stomach. The disease is in the throat, nose and bronchial tubes. Inhale Catarrhzone to the spot where the disease really is,—it clears away foul secretions, stops discharges at once, purifies and heals the passages, literally annihilates every trace of catarrh. Nothing else is so direct and certain as "Catarrhzone." Results guaranteed. Two sizes, 25c and \$1.00 at all dealers.

W. C. T. U.

Good Security.

"Mister, do you lend money here?" asked an earnest young voice at the office door.

The lawyer turned away from his desk confronted a clear-eyed, poorly dressed lad of twelve, and he studied keenly for a minute. "Sometimes we do—on good security," he said gravely. The little fellow said that he had a chance "to buy out a boy that's cryin' papers." He had half the money required, but he needed to borrow the other fifteen cents.

"What security can you offer?" asked the lawyer.

The boy's brown hand sought his pocket, and drew out a paper carefully folded in a bit of calico. It was a cheaply printed pledge against the use of intoxicating liquor and tobacco, as respectfully as if it had been the deed to a farm, the lawyer examined it, accepted it, and handed over the required sum. A friend who had watched the transaction with silent amusement laughed as the young borrower departed.

"You think I know nothing about him?" smiled the lawyer. "I know he came manfully in what he supposed to be a business way, and tried to negotiate a loan instead of begging the money. I know that he has been under good influences, or he would not have signed that pledge, and he does not hold it lightly, or he would not have cared for it so carefully. I agree with him that one who keeps himself from such things has a character to offer as security."—Exchange.

Sunlight Soap is better than other soaps, but is best when used in the Sunlight way. Buy Sunlight Soap and follow directions.

Interest Dwindling.

It is astonishing how a sensational prosecution can dwindle down to almost nothing at all, after it has been set aside and allowed to grow cold. A few months ago all Canada was concerned in the inquiry into the affairs of the New York loan, and the doings of that company's president, Joseph Phillips, the proceedings ending for the time being by the sending of Phillips for trial on a charge of conspiracy. It will be remembered that his business methods were amazing. During the past week the grand jury has been considering his case, and the charge has been amended to theft, the indictment reading that the defendant, on or about December 30, 1905, unlawfully did steal the sum of \$2,500. No specific case is set forth, however, nor will the action proceed just now. It will go over to the December sessions. A great many people must be interested in the affair, and if at last Phillips gets a long term, the fact will be noted in these columns.—Saturday Night.

Fraud Everywhere.

Never has the Bystander taken up his pen more reluctantly, and sorrowfully than now, when he is called upon to deplore the discovery of the milk fraud among the farmers. If honesty is exiled from the farm, where will it find a home! The spirit of gambling and fraudulent covetousness which is abroad, and the full effects of which are being every day brought to light, after polluting politics and commerce, has, it seems, at last worked down into social regions from which we fondly hoped it was still excluded. The only bright spot in the business is the frank confession of the offenders exonerating the dealers and taking the blame upon themselves. Official precautions will, no doubt be taken better to guard the buyers of milk for the future. But we shall look to having from the farm itself, through all its associations and organs, an emphatic denunciation of that which, though we may still hope is the offence of a few, brings dishonor on the whole order.—Farmers Sun.

Is Life Worth Living

That depends. If a man lives for himself only, if he lives for his own gratification, ease, pleasure and comfort, it is not. That may sound strange, because it looks as if that were what the most of us were after. But it is true. Suppose a man "enjoys" fifty, sixty, or seventy years of this kind of life, what does it all amount to in the end. He has lived his brief span in the world, and passed away. Perhaps he had a good time while he was here. But when the end comes he might as well never have been, for all the good time will do him. Whatever our views of this life or the next one, if there be one, and the most of us think there is, there is something within us, call it conscience or reason, if you like, that tells us that our life will be misspent if we do not use it for the betterment of others. Our better nature, our higher aspirations entice us away from self and create a desire within us to live more for others than ourselves. In short, to make the world better than we found it. Live this life, and there is no question as to its worth, and it will be a fitting preparation for any that may follow.—Herald.

At a meeting of the Farmers' Association in Toronto, the president, in his annual address, outlined the policy of the organization which can be endorsed by every member of the great producing class. His remarks summed up are:—"The farmers favor a lower tariff, economy in public expenditure, public ownership of telegraphs and telephones, strict public regulation or railways and express companies, taxation of railways on the same basis as farms and other private property, and the enforcement of a passenger rate of two cents a mile on railways. They are opposed to subsidizing railways and other private corporations with land or money; they are emphatically opposed to the increase of expenditure for military purposes, as being both unnecessary and demoralizing, as diverting our national resources into unprofitable channels, and as tending to lower those ideals which inspire the rising generation."

Apples Wasted.

Writing about the reckless waste of fruit a correspondent states: "It is a subject which has appealed to me very strongly for a number of years, and in an humble way I have referred to it

frequently in the newspapers. I spent five years (1890-95) in the County of Grey, which, as no doubt you know, is a very fine apple country. What I saw there in the way of wasted apples astonished me. Tons and tons of orchard culls were left to rot when they might have been evaporated or made into cider with great financial profit to Canada. The day will certainly come when all these low-grade apples will be utilized, and the sooner the better. Canada does not really know what thrift means; we live in fatted peace, but of all our extravagances I don't believe there is a greater one than the way in which we treat our apple crop. Go ahead with your apple campaign."

Doubled Up With Cramps.

Stomach feels like an infernal machine and you want relief mighty quick. Nothing does the work half as soon as Polson's Nerviline. Why it kills the pain instantly. If your bottle is empty get another today. Nerviline keeps the doctor bill small because it cures little ills before they grow big. Nothing for indigestion, heartburn and cramps like Polson's Nerviline. Large bottles for 25c.

Threshing in the West.

The bulk of the Manitoba grain will be threshed this month, I believe," said Mr. James Hartney, Manitoba Government Immigration Agent at Toronto, to The News yesterday. This is cause for congratulation, and is due to the earliness of the harvest and the exceptionally fine weather that has prevailed throughout.

Is After Them.

The Sarnia council is after the ferry company and will notice them that the Grace Dormer and James Beard will act be granted licenses another year.

This action was inspired by the accident to the Ferry Hawatha several days ago. The councilmen of that city believe the Beard and Dormer are not large enough for the crowds and should be replaced by two boats as large as the Conger.

The town of Sarnia control the ferry business and it is unlike any other port along the lakes in that particular.—Port Huron Herald.

How They Kill.

An Irishman, who had been in New York a couple of years, said to his newly-landed friend: "Now, Jim, you ought to settle down here; it is a mighty great country. Why, man, they don't hang you for murder here." "And in faith, what do they do with you?" asked Jim. "They kill you with elocution," said his kind adviser.

The Irishman and the Mule.

General Phil Sheridan was at one time asked what incident in his life caused him the most amusement.

"Well," he said, "I always laugh when I think of the Irishman and the army mule. I was riding down the line one day when I saw an Irishman mounted on a mule which was kicking rather freely. The mule finally got his foot caught in the stirrup, when, in the excitement, Pat remarked: "'Well, begorra, if you're goin' to get on I'll be gettin' off!'"

Feeding and Dairy Saved Them.

An old farmer, white with honest years of toil, recently in from Barrie, told an interesting story over the evening meal last night.

"In the early seventies," said he, "I went up Yonge street and saw how the land was being impoverished by the farmers for selling the hay and straw, because of the big prices. They were actually afraid to turn their colts on some fields for fear they would break their legs in some of the cracks in the soil. Barrenness became evident and the farmers started dairying and hog raising. This year I returned over the same land, and the crops of hay I saw cut around Richmond Hill and Aurora were the rankest I ever saw grow in Canada.

Petrol's tax rate for 1906 will be 29 mills.

Lake Valley Grove is closed for the season.

Geo. Gaffield, formerly of Bosanquet, died in Loretto, Man., last week.

We Trust Doctors

If you are suffering from impure blood, thin blood, debility, nervousness, exhaustion, you should begin at once with Ayer's Sarsaparilla, the Sarsaparilla you have known all your life. Your doctor knows it, too. Ask him about it.

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Wash oilcloths and linoleums with warm water and Sunlight Soap, rinse clean and wipe dry. The colors will be preserved and the surface unharmed.

Common soaps fade the colors and injure the surface. Sunlight Soap cleans, freshens and preserves oilcloths and linoleums.

Sunlight Soap washes clothes white without injury to the most delicate fabrics, or to the hands, for it contains nothing that can injure either clothes or hands.

Sunlight Soap is better than other soaps, but is best when used in the Sunlight way (follow directions).

5c. Buy it and follow directions 5c.



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Light and pliable, because no wear-destroying adulterants are mixed with the finest Para gum.

Conform to the shape of the shoe—give a glove-like, accurate, stylish fit. Stay in shape. Wear long.

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Port Huron Bigamist.

Port Huron, Mich., Oct. 4.—A charge of bigamy may be brought against Charles Shearman, a tailor for a number of years in the employ of Apple Bros., of this city.

It is charged that Sherman has a wife and several children living in Boston, Mass. who are in financial straits, and who will prosecute him.

Sherman came to this city about six years ago, and shortly after his arrival married a Miss Anna Schnude.

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