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OTTAWA LETTER.

Mr. Blair is Very Seldom in the House.

Expenditure in and Around Rideau Hall Now Much Vastest Than Has Been.

How Sir Henri Joly Defends the Additional Tobacco Tax-One Voting Machine Louder Does Not Favor-Mr. Davin is a Very Inquisitive Member.

Table with columns: Fielding, Foster, Cartwright, Tupper, Peterson, Montague, Dobell, Roche, Heyd, Bergeron, Bell (E. E. Island), Moore, McMullen, Taylor, Clavert, Wilson, Campbell, Davin, Casgrain, Turcot, McLagan, Burnett, Holmes, Semple, Monk, McMullen, Sproule, Holmes, Bell (Addington), Bennett, Ratz, Craig, McDonald (Huron), Clancy, Cowan, Bell (Peterson), McHugh, Gagnon, Rogers, McLaughlin (C. Breton), McNeill, Bourassa, Marquette, Smetaniger, Caron, Logan, Beattie, Savard, Fielding, Totals, S. D. S.

OTTAWA, May 8.-Monday still belongs to the private members, who skirmished over the ground in a general sort of way, no one venturing to make a record.

Mr. Davin had a great day of it. He had no less than 11 bills and motions on the order paper, and by sticking closely to business he was found ready every time his name was called.

Mr. Blair rose indignantly and asked: "Does the hon. member suggest that I was aware of that fact?"

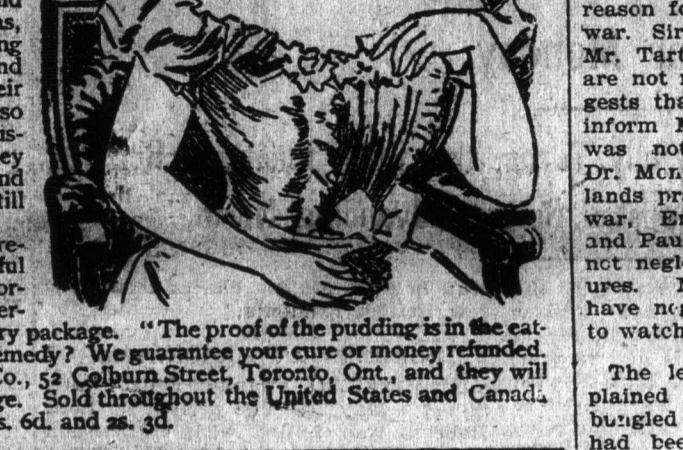
Mr. Gillies' resolution to reduce the duty on tobacco to what it was under the late government was once more adjourned.

Mr. Davin had also a bill which, if passed, would compel the government to fill all the offices in the north-west mounted police by a promotion from

Why do Some Women Grow Homely so Soon?

That's a question we ask ourselves every day as we watch the daily crowd in great cities, in villages and towns.

Wives and daughters, you do not take proper care of yourselves, that's why your good looks vanish.



Mr. Fisher pleads that last August the war and the war demand could not be foreseen.

The leader of the opposition explains that the government had bungled this matter very much as had been done with the fast line.

Mr. Wood of Hamilton, Mr. Frost of Leeds, were two members who congratulated the house on the failure of the fast line scheme.

Incidentally there was discussion over the fact that Canadian goods are still sold as English goods in the English market.

Mr. Oeler does not oppose the subsidies, but strongly condemns the government for moving so slowly in the matter.

Mr. Taylor has learned of a remarkable experiment lately carried through by the minister of agriculture.

TO CURE A COID IN A DAY. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box.

Advertisement for SURPRISE SOAP, featuring an illustration of a woman and the text 'is a pure hard soap'.

MR. TWEEDIE IS BORN AGAIN (Chatham World).

Mr. Tweedie, though antagonistic to Mr. Foster and other conservative leaders, stoutly maintained that he was a conservative and was not to be read out of the party by anyone.

At present, however, the local liberals have no use for Mr. Tweedie, look on him as an intruder in their ranks, and will bitterly resent his interference with the distribution of government patronage.

Mr. Tweedie, no doubt, is warmly welcomed by Mr. Blair, but the liberals of this county will not welcome him.

The conservative party in Northumberland has lost one vote by Mr. Tweedie's desertion, and that is all.

Children Cry for CASTORIA.

Below will be found a list of private recently granted by the Canadian and United States governments, through the agency of Messrs. Marion & Marston, New York Life Building, Montreal, who will send the Inventor's Help real, who will send the Inventor's Help

- 67,124-E Benjamin Eastman, Carleton Place, Ont., apparatus for forcing water from wells and cisterns.
67,131-Charles Houzel, Alma, Assiniboia, moving machine.
67,130-Richard Barnes, Laurier, Manitoba, harness.
United States.
648,434-Camille Richard, Montreal, P. Q., car brake.
648,463-Joseph Orson Hebert, Montreal, P. Q., toy.
648,650-Henry James Bickie, Gladstone, Man., buckle.