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BRITAIN AND EMIGRATION.

The London Morning Post a week or two ago expressed editorially the opinion that Canada is not justified in refusing to admit pauper emigrants and went on to state that the Dominion should in justice open its doors to the poor of the old country and care for a fair proportion of the unemployed or destitute. Something like the same view is taken by Harold Spender, writing in the London Daily Chronicle. After referring to the increase in emigration from Britain to Canada during the past few years he comes to the conclusion that the Canadian Government's immigration policy has succeeded only too well. Everybody was welcomed in this country, Mr. Spender says, and countless thousands of Englishmen poured into Canada attracted by the good news of employment and prosperity. Then three things happened. The first was a bad harvest, the second was the American financial crisis, and the third was a hard winter in Canada. Mr. Spender comes to the reasonable conclusion that the action taken by this country in making conditions stricter for emigrants was the only natural one under the circumstances, but like the writer in the Post he asks: "Where in heaven's name shall we go? Above all, where shall our children go? This is the closing of one more outlet to the British race. Australia is already closed to men without capital. South Africa no longer spells the open door to unendowed energy. The United States is struggling every nerve to make her wilderness a little straighter. No doubt Britain is anxious to get clear of many of her poor. Thousands of people have been sent out during the past few years out of public funds or by charitable organizations, and against this practice Bruce Walker, the Canadian superintendent in London, has very strongly reported. Canada has already a sufficient number of poor and it is not at all unreasonable to ask that men and women coming to this country shall be able at least to support themselves.

THEIR OPINION OF CANADA.

At a meeting held at the Mansion House, London, two weeks ago, Lord Crewe, moved, and Lord Roberts seconded, the resolution: "That this meeting express its hearty concurrence with the Canadian people in their desire to see the British Empire as a national park in memory of the great leaders who in the past have bravely supported the proposal of presenting a memorial to the people of Britain a memorial to Wolfe and Montcalm as a birthday gift to Canada." Lord Crewe, after some introductory observations, said: "There are many names of places all over the world the bare repetition of which thrills our minds with recollections of the great deeds of the past. But what are these names which are doubly sacred because they not only recall the memory of famous achievements, but also remind us of the passing away from this mortal scene of the spirits of those who planned and guided their execution. Such a name is Trafalgar, such is Lucknow, and such also is Quebec. The two nations are now fused together, and we do not speak at all of French Canadians, any more than we speak of English Canadians—we speak of them all as Canadians, pure and simple. And this association is pleasantly illustrated to our minds nearer home by the friendly understanding which now exists between the two Motherlands of the two races, a peace of which we hope and believe, to the benefit of the world."

Lord Roberts said: "It is a source of great pleasure to me to see so influential a gathering of statesmen and military leaders, and to see the public mind to a sense that which is being organized in memory of those gallant spirits, Wolfe and Montcalm. It is close on 150 years ago that these two, representing, indeed, conflicting interests, but actuated by the same single-minded virtue, love of country, met in deadly combat on the Plains of Abraham. Both gave up their lives that day for their country, as both were only too willing to do. Both were soldiers from their earliest days—Wolfe an ensign at 14, Montcalm at 15—both made for themselves brilliant military reputations, both were inspired by the same pure motives. Wolfe was recognized in those days of military corruption as being incorruptible—Montcalm was distrusted and thwarted by the Governor and other French Colonial authorities because he would have no part in the licensed robberies and extortion which was bringing ruin to the colony. Looked at from the purely military point of view, the Quebec campaign is of absorbing interest. It is almost unsurpassed as an example of a combined naval and military operation, though I doubt whether it is commonly realized what a vitally important part the fleet played and how nobly they played it. Think also of the moral courage with which Wolfe, whose force had known severe defeats at Montmorency barely six weeks before, trusted these same troops in one of the most daring forays for victory recorded in history. Then again, when Wolfe found himself at last with his small force, some 6,000 strong, on the Plains of Abraham, he did not hesitate to try an absolute innovation in military formations on the actual battlefield itself, for finding it necessary to occupy a certain extent of ground, so as to prevent any danger of an enveloping attack, he formed up his

fantry for the first time, so far as I know, in history only two deep. The prototype of "the thin red line" that was to become so famous in the Peninsula under Wellington. I shall never forget the loyalty affectionate way in which the Canadians responded to the message that I sent them soon after the beginning of the South African War, nor the magnificent spirit and the valuable services of the Canadian contingents in the field. Canada, with its huge area of fertile country and its rapidly increasing population, is bound to become one of the leading members of that family of nations which make up the British Empire. Given the true loyalty of each member of that family, to the sentiment of Empire, loyalty such as Wolfe gave to England and Montcalm to France, we need have no anxiety about the future."

COULD BARNEY TO THE BOY.

Arrah! Barney ma bouchal, 'tis courtin' ye are.
An' you but just out o' your dressin'!
'Tis the light in your eye, like a new-risen star,
That this news to your father confesses.
Now ye're off to the town,
For the sun has gone down.
An' the spell o' the gloamin' is o'er ye.
Faith, ye've started like me,
But it's lucky ye'll be
If ye end like yer father before ye.

Oh, the glamour o' night—
Breeds a passion too light
For a decent long life-time's adornin'.
But the blazin' that cheers
All the slow-wheelin' years
Is the love that blooms warm in the mornin'.
Arrah! Barney ma bouchal, when I was
A lad in the army, the American
I courted one lass an' another,
But the sorta h't comfort from anny
I had
Till I came on the heart o' your mother.
Oh, her charms they were rare
In the dusk, at the fair,
At the dance, in the house she was born in,
But her heart, it was found
When I happened around
Where she sang at her work in the mornin'.

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Why say?
Andy McTavish was, 'no feelin' him' west,
So he went to the doctor, and stated his complaints.
'What do you drink?' demanded the medico.
'Whiskey.'
'How much?'
'Maybe a bottle a day.'
'Do you smoke?'
'Yes.'
'How much?'
'Two ounces a day.'
'Well, you must give up whiskey and tobacco altogether.'
Andy took up his cap, and, in three steps, reached the door.
'Andy,' called the doctor, 'you have not paid for my advice.'
'Ah, no takkin' it,' snarled Andy, as he shut the door behind him.

"I am told that your husband plays billiards every night at the club—too," said the anxious mother to her newly-married daughter.
"That's all right, mother," cheerfully responded the young wife. "He gives me all his winnings."
"What? Do you?"
"And he always plays with Mr. Next-door."
"What difference can that make?"
"Mrs. Next-door makes her husband give her his winnings, too, and then she gives the money to me, and I hand her what my husband won from her, and so we both have about twice as much money as we could get out of them otherwise."

SHIPWRECKED PASSENGERS
PICKED UP AT SEA

SAVANNAH, Ga., June 1.—The Savannah wireless station tonight, in communication with the steamship City of Savannah, learned that that vessel had spoken the steamship Merminac, of Cape Romano and that the Merminac reported that she had picked up two ship's boats loaded with persons who made their escape from a shipwrecked vessel.
The wireless failed to give the name of the vessel that had been wrecked, the number of the rescued, or whether there had been any lives lost in the disaster.

FASHION AND FAT.

Isn't it fortunate that when fashion demands slender gracefulness of women who have to break correct lace to make themselves even presentable that case steps in and makes their task easy?
For dieting and exercising it has substituted a pleasant wholesome mixture that can be obtained at least from any drugist, viz.: 1/4 ounce Marmola, 3/4 ounce Fluid Extract Cascara, Aromatic, and 4 ounces Syrup Simplex. One teaspoonful of this mixture after meals and at bedtime will take off four to seven pounds of fat a week without causing wrinkles, interfering with the diet, or distressing the stomach in the slightest.

KILLS AS TARGETS.

Admiral Lambert at a certain highland society dinner told the following society dinner told the following tale: When the Gordon Highlanders were in the front line of the order came that officers were not to wear their swords. This order was soon supplemented by another, by which all highland gregg of the kilt was up," he said. "The enemy will never see his other side."—London Opinion.

DECLARES FOR FREE
TRADE WITH CANADA

Now is the Time to Strike,
Says Former Congressman

Believes U. S. Should Undertake Complete Revision of Its Tariff Laws
Next Year.

DETROIT, Mich., June 1.—"Now is the time to strike for freer trade, now or never in the history of this generation," declared former Congressman Alfred Lucking, in an address before the Wholesalers' Association. Mr. Lucking's subject was "Wider and freer markets in Canada—Now is the time to strike."
"Surely it is not necessary to prove to a Detroit audience, especially of wholesalers," said Mr. Lucking, "that free trade with Canada would be a godsend to the northern border states of the United States, and in fact, to the whole country."
"I said free-trade, and I mean absolute free trade. There is some sort of ground of argument for protection against the duties levied on the highly specialized industries of Europe and Japan, but none against Canada. It is possible to tear down every custom house on this border, it would be a blessing—but the Government must have revenues—and so we must have tariffs; but they should be cut down to the lowest levels, so as to encourage commerce to the greatest degree possible, and they should be alike on both sides of the line."
"There is to be a general revision of the tariff next spring. They wholly reject of tariff is to be overhauled. All the presidential candidates have pledged themselves to a revision next year. Even the prince of stand-patters, Uncle Joe, has yielded at last. Both parties will declare in their platform for revision, and this offers the best opportunity in forty years."
"If the northern border states from ocean to ocean will form a solid, determined front for this thing, they can get it. The border states should go into Congress with solid ranks, and demand that sanity shall be exercised even in the matters of protection."
"Our present course is the wildest folly on our part. For the next fifty years the greatest development will be on our northern border. The tariff in place at that great future. As well might the past have built a protective tariff wall between the West and the Mississippi River fifty years ago. There would have been just as much sense in it, precisely."
"Detroit loses nearly half her 'natural markets by this criminal foolishness. Why should not our wholesalers lead the charge against entrenched foolishness?"

LEATHER EXHIBITION

U. S. Consul Willich has received the following circular from the Third Annual National Shoe and Leather Market Fair to be held in Chicago from September 2 to September 10, 1908, under the management of the Jacobson Publishing Company, proprietors of Hide and Leather and Shoe Trade Journal, 134 Lake street, Chicago, for the purpose of exhibiting samples of American leather, shoes, and leather goods, and accessories, where buyers and sellers from the United States and other parts of the world may meet and interview representatives of leading houses and examine their make.
Exhibitors are not allowed to erect booths or pavilions or to do anything beyond installing their own samples, and decorations, etc., and prevent competitive display.
You are instructed to bring this Third Annual National Shoe and Leather Market Fair to the attention of firms and manufacturers in your district who are interested in leather goods that they may attend and submit samples if they desire to do so.

BIG LOSS TO FISHERMEN.

NEWPORT, R. I., June 1.—That the damage to fishing interests by last Saturday's gale was very heavy was revealed today when fishermen, upon visiting their ponds, where fish are left for the market, discovered that many of them had been broken and the fish lost. It is estimated that a total of 4,000 barrels of sea, worth about \$8 for barrel, were lost. In addition to this, many fishermen suffered the loss of small boats and damage to other gear.

Not much use in talking business in weather like this, but some lines of goods talk for themselves all the time. That is the way with the stock carried by Walter H. Irving the Jeweler, 55 King St. You can almost hear his watches, rings and gift goods tell how great bargains they are.

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SAYS HE KILLED
IN SELF DEFENSE

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 1.—The principal witness today in the trial of Gaston H. Philip, civil engineer and clubman, charged with the murder of Frank MacAbby, a cab driver in this city about a year ago, was the defendant, who occupied the witness stand in his own behalf all of the afternoon. The witness in a graphic manner gave his version of the shooting of MacAbby and of the events leading up to it and declared that he shot the cabman in self-defense.
A number of cabmen and policemen testified to the effect that MacAbby was regarded as a fighter, and that he would take unfair advantage of his antagonist.

Peter Taylor, manager of the Arlington Hotel, testified that MacAbby told him he did not want Philip prosecuted.

STUDENT HYPNOTIZES HIMSELF; CAN'T WAKE.

Traveller Becomes Unconscious After Making a Series of Experiments.

RICHMOND, June 1.—Sylvan A. Lee, a student of the occult sciences, became unconscious this afternoon as a result of experiments made upon himself in his investigation of auto hypnosis. Mrs. Lee says her husband has recently devoted much of his time to the study of auto hypnosis, persisting in experimenting upon himself in spite of her protests.

Several years ago, she says, he became blind for two weeks as the result of exposure, privation and suffering endured in a long march through the heart of Tibet, being a member of the famous military expedition led by Colonel Younghusband. He asserts that he is the only white man ever permitted to enter the forbidden city of Lhasa.

WIFE INHERITS 1/2 TRUSTEES GUARDS IT.

Favorite Children Get Six Cents Each—Others a Nickel.

LANCASTER, Pa., June 1.—Judge Smith, in Orphans' Court, handed down an adjudication in the estate of Tobias Brubaker, late of Providence township, and the amount for distribution is 50 cents, one-third of which, or 17 cents, he left to his wife, Fanny Brubaker. In order to restrain her from blowing it all at once, a trustee will be appointed for her, according to the provisions of the will.

MR. A. MUNROE JOER MAKES A GREAT HIT.

At the Princess Theatre last night Mr. A. Munroe Joer was repeatedly encoiled in his song, Vacation Days. Mr. Joer is acknowledged to be the best illustrated singer in the business, and the management are to be congratulated in securing such excellent talent for their theatre. He will only be here for a short time and all should take advantage of this opportunity to hear him.

A well pleased crowd of people saw the pictures last night from the opening hour until the commencement of the last show and it is safe to say that a crowded house will be the rule this afternoon and evening.

The long film, An Extraordinary Overcoat is without doubt one of the best comedies ever seen in this city. Running for Office is an experience of a man who is running an election and tries to please all with whom he comes in contact. Views of Rome and Views of Scotland are the best of their kind and very interesting.

Miss Evelyn Ellis, late of the Princess Theatre, Manchester, England, was well received by the audience.

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STOLE THE PIGS' FOOD.

Terrible Distention of Families at Newcastle.

NEWCASTLE, Eng., June 1.—The distress is pitiful in the districts affected by the shipbuilding dispute. Hundreds of men are walking the streets idle. The Newcastle District Council has resolved to apply to the Estate and Property Committee for further relief work, and that application be made to the local government board for further financial assistance.

Councillor Adams, a well-known local social reformer, told a shocking story of destitution. An owner of pigs at Walker, he said, was suspicious that the food of the animals was being interfered with, and secured himself one night to see if anyone went to the sty. He saw a man and a boy go to the pigs' trough, take out the huxes that the swine were to have eaten, and go away.

He followed them to a house, and afterwards went inside, and there saw the man, his wife and children devouring the pigs' food. There were stories also of children born under circumstances of great destitution.

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DEATHS

FARRIS.—In this city on May 31st, J. E. Farris, in the 62nd year of his age, leaving one daughter to mourn her loss.

Funeral from the residence of his son-in-law, P. A. Armour, 46 Adelaide street, Wednesday, June 3rd, 1908, at 2.30 p. m.

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OXFORDS!

The general impression has been that men don't take kindly to low shoes. It is a mistake. The men are all right. The trouble has been with the shoes. For summer wear we have a good kind—a kind so good every man will want a pair as soon as he sees them. This is going to be a great Low Shoe season. Come first and get first pick. New styles—new prices—that you will say are low enough.

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MADE THREATS AGAINST

YOUNG SON NOW DEAD

GORHAM, N. H., June 1.—On a charge of murdering his son, Elmer, aged three and a half years, Edward Wilson, a farmer of Shelburne, was held without bail for the September term of the superior court by the municipal court here today. The child was found dead in bed Saturday morning at the home of Mrs. Alden Wilson, the defendant's sister, three miles from Shelburne, where Wilson and his son had been staying for two weeks. Wilson told his sister and her husband that the baby was accidentally smothered while asleep.

In court today, Mr. and Mrs. Alden Wilson and Mrs. Edward Wilson testified to the effect that the defendant and his wife had separated some time ago and that Edward Wilson had made threats against his wife and young son. It developed that Wilson had agreed to return the child to his mother, who resides in Bethel, Maine, the day following the death.

The defendant pleaded not guilty of murder.

UNUSUAL CASE; JEW

CLAIMS HE WAS CHEATED

DETROIT, Mich., June 1.—Jacob P. Adler, the Jewish tragedian, was arrested on a capias here today in a \$10,000 damage suit brought by Sidney Frank, a local saloon-keeper. Frank alleges that Adler slandered him in making a speech before the curtain at

the Detroit Opera House last night. The trouble arose over the division of the Yiddish performance here last night. The tragedian charged that he was cheated and when, on the 29th, the curtain made a speech in which he told the audience he had been treated unfairly by somebody named Frank.

Frank, in his affidavit, says he had nothing to do with the performance except to sell some tickets for which he accounted. Mrs. Frank fainting in the opera house during the actor's speech criticizing her husband, Adler was released on \$1000 bonds.

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