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ligence of his audience.

Such methods, however, do not suc-

eed. The idea that a ready-tongued

lawyer can be imported from Quebec

or any place else, for that matter

-to humbug and mislead the intelli-

gent French-Canadian farmers of this

county by attempts to introduce race

or creed cries into the arena of Pro-

vincial politics, where they have no

place, is altogether mistaken. It is

an insult to the intelligence of his

audience-an insult undeserved-and

one which will be emphatically aveng-

ed by the people themselves at the

BRAVE CANADIANS.

In another column will be found an

interesting letter from Trooper Ken-

dall, the brave Maple City youth who

was wounded in the Hart's river fight,

March 31st, which is reproduced

through the courtesy of his deservedly

now coming to hand, give a more

lucid account of the battle in which

the Canadians so greatly distinguish-

ed themselves, and, apart from the

feeling of pride and gratification that

our boys fought so splendidly and

died with never a thought of surren-

der, there is the additional satisfac-

tion of knowing that the most severe

losses were sustained in holding posi-

tions the relinquishment of which

would in all probability have meant

The two troops which were practically

guard and they heroically sacrificed

themselves to prevent the Boers clos-

ing in on the wagon train before it

been the bravest of the brave the

ruthers, held their ground until prac-

tically all were killed or wounded to

port and then the rest of the Cana-

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SATURDAY, MAY 10.

WHAT MR. PARDO SAID-AND DID NOT SAY.

Mr. Pardo has spoken-and refraired from speaking. His platform effort at Pain Court last night must have been a signal disappointment to his loyal friends who had throughout, with tenacious faithfulness, clung to the conviction that he could and would present a vigorous defense to the accusations that his eight years of parliamentary life as the representative for West Kent had been practically wasted, that he had no account of his stewardship to present to the people, that he could present no valid reasons for again seeking their suffrag-

Mr. Pardo's silence on these matters was as striking as it was strange. There was every opportunity and ercouragement for plain, honest speaking. In his own words, Mr. Pardo the destruction of the whole force. never felt better in his life, he was accorded a hearty reception by the aud- annihilated were on the extreme rear ience and given a very attentive hear-

But the man who has enjoyed the confidence and support of the people could reach the main body and laager. of this constituency for eight long Every man who died gave up his life years practically admitted that there to gain invaluable time which was was nothing in the record of them utilized in getting the transport into which entitled him to ask a renewal compact formation where the main of support and allegiance. He had body was able to resist the Boer atnothing to tell the people who elected him-"nothing accomplished, nothing It is plain that if our men had not

Mr. Pardo evidently felt his posi- Boers would undcubtedly have aded tion. His plaint showed it. "I must another disaster to the ghastly list of apologise to you all, but I want my similar incidents. The story of the friends to come out and vote for me fight in a few words is that the rear on the 29th," he said, "not for myself | guard troops, under Lieut. Bruce Carbut for the Ross Government, if for nothing else."

Here, again, Mr. Pardo showed the give the column time to concentrate weakness of his position. If he can- in a defensive position, with its transnot stand on his own merits, he only makes matters worse when he endeavors to bolster himself with the discredited and machine manipulated organization, of which Ross is the head. Although he takes refuge behind it

he does not attempt to justify one plank in its platform, does not advance a single argument to defend its course upon any one of the acts on which it is assailed and criticised by Mr. Whitney and the people, has no word to offer concerning the "policy" of a Government to which he has been giving an unquestioning and faithful mechanical support for the term of eight years.

Mr. Pardo has spoken. He has come before the electors of Kent and presented his plea for support. It is, briefly-"I want to get in again." No more, no less.

What do the electors think of the strength of his "argument," or the deserving character of the record that is, apparently, so unfortunate and damaging that he does not attempt to ask support thereon?

er's manly and straight-forward enunciation of vigorous and progressive principles ?

How does it compare with Mr. Fras-

Who is the better man to represent West Kent ?

MONSIEUR GAUTHIER AND THE RACE CRY.

Monsieur Gauthier, an eloquent and decidedly excitable French-Canadian lawyer from the Province of Quebec, has been imported, under the patronage of Messrs. Pardo and McKee, into the constituencies of West Kent and North Essex to conduct the Liberal election campaign among the sturdy French-Canadian farmers of

these constituencies. Monsieur Gauthier has been credited with the attempt to mislead and humbug the farmers of Essex by the introduction of the most aggravated form of the race cry. Speaking in French last night he assured his compatriots in West Kent that he had been misrepresented, at the same time admitting that race and creed matters had formed the basis of some of **** his remarks. Monsieur Gauthier is

entitled to his explanation, but it was | made the Boers draw off with heavyy

scarcely consistent with his address It is a fine thing to know that 'our last night. He is unquestionably an brave Canadian boys, mostly inexperexceptionally clever speaker, capable ienced and fresh from home, exhibited of strong oratorical effects, very excitable and vigorous. He is astute, an indomitable courage which we may and combines a delicacy of insinuation almost pride ourse'ves new is inseparwith his lawyer's glib tongue. His ably linked with the name of the Canstatements to the effect that the Lib- adian soldier, but it is a still finer eral-Conservative party was the thing to know and a consolation to feel that they displayed their courage enemy of their French-Canadian race, and sustained their losses in an that the party press sneered at them, and the acute insinuation that the in elligent and saccessful frustration question of creed would be unjustly of an attack by a superior Boer force biased in other hands than those of which, but for their cool daring and Laurier's provincial governmental ready adaptation to the exigencies of supporters, are not the utterances of the sudden onslaught, would undoubta man who has regard for the truth edly have scored a decisive victory. or is willing to recognize the intel-

POLITICAL POINTERS.

From The Ridgetown Dominion. The Kents are going Whitney's

The big political up-heaval in this province is due to arrive three weeks

The Liberal candidate in East Lambton will feel smaller than his name on the night of the 29th.

will oust Mr. McKee in North Essex. Hamilton Conservatives have done themselves proud in nominating two such candidates as Carscallen and

The campaign may be moving along without much noise, but Candidate John Davidson is confident that it is

A little bird has whispered in The Dominion's ear that a surprise of a disagreeable kind awaits Premier Ross in West Middlesex.

The Liberals who believe that a change at Toronto will be a good thing for the province are found on every concession and side-line in Kent,

A gentleman whose business has taken him all over Elgin county within the past month says that McDiarmid and Brower will be re-elected by handsome majorities.

moving his way.

Fraser for the West. A solid Kent for Whitney and Good Government.

The Grit Chatham paper lays away over our Times. The former prints its "You're-a- liar" articles in big type, with red ink .- Hamilton Spectatack and repulse it with heavy losses.

DRESDEN

May 10.—An assembly was given in the Grand Opera-House on Thursday Italian harpers discoursed sweet

music on the business streets last Thursday afternoon.

The Conservative meeting held in dians with the British troops who Hicks Opera House was well attended and very successful.

John Lee, M. P. P., was in town

yesterday.

Work on the canning factory walls has been suspended owing to lack of

bricks. Carrier boys are not authorized to collect subscriptions. Our collector calls in each town one a month; if a subscriber wishes to pay his account before the collectors calls he must remit direct to The Planet office, Chatham, as we will not be responsible for monies paid to carriers.

GLENWOOD.

Miss Alice Estabrook spent Saturday and Sunday at her home here. While drilling for water at Isaac Coffel's on Wednesday, Thomas Tucker struck a strong flow of gas. The gas, however, blew out and Mr. Coffel has a fine well.

Herbert Brown has been visiting in

Detroit, the last few days.
P. J. McGee has purchased a house and lot from Lemuel Edwards. Maud and Beatrice Shepley were the guests of their sister, Mrs. A. Newham of Coatsworth last week.

H, S. Lloyd purchased a horse from Dr. J. C. Bell, Merlin, this week. A. Dawson, our butcher, is on the road again with his fine team and new

Carr & Healy, of Port Alma, have started shipping fish to Detroit from Six boxes went out on Wednes

swallowing Abilities of Snakes,

The jaws of the chicken snake, says Texan, are hung on binges that can be taken apart or displaced for the time being, as the case may be, and an entire Texas contontail rabbit can be persuaded to enter, head and all, with little effort, and the body, being made of india rubberlike material and very stretchable, the kicking little animal soon finds a lodgment in the stomach. His snakeship then carefully resets his jaws so that his mouth assumes its normal size and blissfully reposes for the succeeding six hours. The powerful gastric juice does the bal-ance, and no Texan can testify that he ever heard a chicken snake suffering from indigestion or chronic dyspepsia. The capture and digestion of chickens, song birds, turkey eggs and rats constitute simple pastime to the chicken snake and do not call for a six hour

layoff in feeding time.

THE BLOOM OF HEALTH.

Every mother knows that little they do not need strong drugs. When baby is peevish, cross or unwell, it is an unfortunate fact that too many mothers dose them with so-called 'soothing' medicines which stupefy natural sleep, but do not remove the cause of the trouble. What is want-ed to make the little one bright, cheerful and well, is Baby's Own Tablets which will promptly cure colic, sour stomach, indigestion,

constipation, diarrhoea, simple fevers and teething troubles. They give children sound, refreshing sleep, because they remove the cause of the trouble. These tablets are guarantible. teed to contain no opiate or other harmful drug. Mrs. James Found, Valentia, Ont., says:—"Before I got Baby's Own Tablets, my baby was very pale and delicate, and so peevish that I had to walk the floor with him december of the first tablet. him day and night. The first tablet I gave him helped him, and that night he slept soundly. Since then the tablets have made him perfectly

well, and he is now a fine, healthy looking baby, and is getting quite fat. I would not be without the tablets if they cost a dollar a box."

Baby's Own Tablets are good for children of all ages and are taken as readily as ca ndy. Crushed to a powder, they can be given with ab Judging from the tone of the Windsolute safety to the youngest, weak-est baby. Sold by all druggists or sent post paid at 25 cents a box, by sor Record it fears that Dr. Reaume addressing the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

> A Remarkable Sentence. The Latin sentence, "Sator arepo ten-et opera rotas," which is, it must be

admitted, pretty bad Latin, is a curios ity nevertheless. It can be freely translated as "I cease from my work; the sower will wear away his wheels." Its fine oddities are these: It spells the same backward as for

ward. The first letter of each word spells the first word. The same may be said of the second

third, fourth and fifth letters. The last letters, read backward, spell the first word, the next to the last the second word, and so on throughout. There are just as many letters in each word as there are words in the

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But there comes a time when they

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How many invalids can trace the commencement of their physical breakdown to the appearance of these

It is strange that people will still continue to neglect these early symp-toms of Dyspepsia despite the wide-spread knowledge of their fearful re-In the light of the unfortunate experience of the tens of thousands who are to-day suffering the pains

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