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**A LOSS TO LITERARY WORLD**  
Literature has lost a gifted and penetrating writer in the death this week of Mrs. Humphries Ward. Her name has become a household word in homes all over the civilized world.  
Though having published other work previously it was not until "Robert Elsmere" made its appearance that the real foundation for her literary reputation was laid. This novel dealt in a gripping way with current religious problems and attracted the notice of a far reaching public.  
The late Mrs. Ward was a prolific writer and wrote rapidly from her pen, so that she left to posterity a legacy of many books covering a variety of themes. It is worthy of note that her husband, Thomas Humphry Ward, was also a writer of attainment.

**QUESTION OF TARIFFS**  
With the discount rate so heavily against Canada it is not easy to imagine how Hon. Mr. Cregar, as leader of the United Farmers in the Dominion can make a pronounced success in a low tariff campaign. Leaders of thought who ordinarily would be in sympathy with such a policy will hesitate to advance what apparently at the present time would have a detrimental effect on the Dominion.  
What is obviously in the best interests of Canada at the present time is stability and a greater sentiment in favor of the promotion and success of Canadian business. The Dominion is carrying a tremendous heavy debt consequent of its participation in the war and the interest on the money as well as the principal when due must be met in one way and another.  
While not ordinarily an advocate of tariffs, The Journal can scarcely reconcile this situation with any policy which detrimentally affects the industrial and commercial activity of the country.  
There may be reasons advanced by the Farmers party which are strong enough to convince the public that the removal of tariffs on many articles would be a good thing for Canada but as yet they are not advanced with sufficient weight to appeal to students of economics and every day affairs.  
What might well be done, would be the appointment of a permanent Tariff Commission, although there are almost too many such bodies now, that would be constantly studying and regulating tariffs just as the Railway Commission of the Dominion handles railway questions. The result would be that where there were reductions or increases they would be more scientifically adjusted. It is not improbable that some such plan may be brought forward by the Government, and if the body appointed carried the same public confidence as the Dominion Railway Commission its work would be valuable and appreciated.

**WHAT EXCHANGES SAY**  
**A PROBLEM NEEDING SOLUTION**  
(Buffalo Courier)  
Landlords admittedly must charge more than they previously charged for their costs, as those of everyone else have advanced, but when landlords as they did in a recent meeting, in New York City, declare that 20 per cent profit is not enough and that they must get all the business will

**DOES NOT MEET THE CHARGE**  
(Woodstock Sentinel Review)  
The general public is not interested in any question of court etiquette or court procedure that may be in dispute between Attorney-General Raney and Mr. O'Connor of the Board of Commerce. The general public is interested in knowing what the Board of Commerce is doing to protect it from profiteering and unreasonable prices. Mr. O'Connor's recent answers to Mr. Raney is clever enough as one might expect an answer from Mr. O'Connor to be, but it does not meet the charge that the effect of some of the recent acts of the Board of Commerce has been to discourage investigations by discouraging complaints on which investigations can be based.

**ASQUITH IS RIGHT**  
(New York Evening Sun)  
It was interesting to note how easily the old statesman reasserted his command over the attention of his colleagues, how even his opponents were forced to applaud his words. On all sides it was conceded that he remains the same great parliamentarian, the same leader of men that he has always been.  
And it is well for England that his voice is once more heard in the halls of Parliament. With his clear vision

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Mothers—the surest way of keeping your little ones well and happy, whether it is the new-born babe or the growing child is to keep their bowels regular and their stomach sweet. Nine tenths of all childhood ailments are the result of clogged bowels and sore stomach. The most necessary and the best medicine for little ones is a gentle laxative—something that will relieve constipation; sweeten the stomach and promote rest and natural sleep. Such a medicine is Baby's Own Tablets. They are a gentle but efficient laxative; are absolutely guaranteed free from opiates or other injurious drugs and may be given to the youngest infant with perfect safety. They banish constipation and indigestion; break up colds and simple fevers and give the baby that health and happiness which all children should have. They are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

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