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ties and that a victory is a victory whether it is gained by fair means or foul, may feel satisfied and secure, but a very large part of the electorate who are not contaminated by political vice believe that a victory gained by dishonest means is not in any proper sense a victory at all, and that it is not right that the victors should profit by their unfair won triumphs.

THE TRUE MOTIVE. The Grits are continually saying that the object of the Government is to force separate schools on Manitoba. This is not true. The object of the Government in the Manitoba business is to have the terms of Confederation carried out in the strictest good faith.

A BEARLY BOUGHT VICTORY. Sir Charles Tupper has, we see, given up as hopeless his attempt to pass the remedial bill. Obstruction has been too much for him.

THE JINGO CONGRESS. Harper's Weekly is utterly disgusted with Congress. Its members are continually talking about war and shaking their fists in the faces of foreign nations, but they are too stupid and too stingy to provide proper dock accommodation for their ships of war.

A CHEERING PROSPECT. We are not among those who look upon the rapid growth of the bicycle movement with disapproval. This is not because we are fond of bicycling or that we admire bicyclers as such.

PROVINCIAL LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Second Session of the Seventh. FIFTY-FOURth DAY. THURSDAY, APRIL 16, 1896.

The Speaker took the chair at 11 a.m. Prayers by Rev. Dr. Wilson. SALE OF CROWN LANDS. The house went into committee on the bill to amend the Land Act, 1895, which was read a second time with amendments.

THE GREATEST OF ALL. No One Can Even Estimate the Value of the Trail Creek Mines. All Properties Developing Well and Their Work Steadily Increasing.

GERMANY AND AUSTRIA. BRELIN, April 20.—has had an outbreak of cholera since the outbreak in the Moravia, which is the cause of the trouble in Germany.

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ing the bill respecting the grant of land in aid of the Columbia & Western railway, for the purpose of inserting a clause reserving to the crown a royalty of five cents per ton on any coal raised from the lands granted to the company.

sums of money for the public service of the Province of British Columbia, which also was assented to. THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR then delivered the following speech: Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly.

INSURGENT MOVEMENTS. HAVANA, April 16.—The village of Corral Nuevo, in the Matanzas district, has been burned by the insurgents. Sixteen houses and part of the local church were destroyed.

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