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EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Windsor Hotel in New York was burned to the ground on the 17th inst. A short time after the first alarm was given the whole building was enveloped in flames and many lives have been lost. Sixteen deaths are reported and forty-four are missing. Many hairbreadth rescues and escapes were made, and much praise was due to the heroic efforts of the firemen in saving precious

The House of Commons opened on the 16th inst. The address was a very short one. Congratulations on the general prosperity of the country as evidenced by the expansion of trade and commerce, and the cessation of the exodus to the United States. The progress, or want of progress in the negotiations with the United States for a treaty was mentioned but no information was given as to what had been agreed on. The hitch that caused adjournment was the contention about the Alaskan boundry. The Imperial penny postage rate was mentioned as also the two cent postage in the domestic letter rate and other subjects for congratulation. The development of the Yukon country was so satisfactory the the revenue had met the expenditure up to date. A telegraph line will shortly be constructed into that district. A measure will be introduced for the better arrangement of electoral districts. The address in reply was moved by Mi Bell, the new member for West Prince P. E. I., in a very able speech setting forth the benefits resulting from wise iberal rule and predicting a long con-Sinuance of wise and prudent states nanship under the leadership of Sir Wilfrid Laurier Sir Charles Tupper in an address of four and a half hours showed the other side of the shield and claimed that the prosperity of the country was due to the old Nationa Policy adopted by the Liberals.

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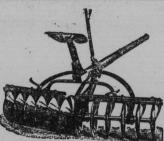
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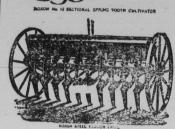
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