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you can surmount every obstacle. Do  
not yield to restless anxiety. One  
must not always be asking what may  
happen to one in life, but one must  
advance fearlessly and bravely.  
—PRINCE BISMARCK.

London, Monday, Nov. 27.

### TO COMBAT PERSONATION.

The secondly attempt to personate 120  
absentee voters in the interests of the Con-  
servative candidate at Winnipeg, was only  
partially successful, thanks to the good  
detective work performed by friends of  
Hon. Joseph Martin the successful Liberal  
candidate. It is to be hoped that the  
ascal caught red-handed, while boasting  
about the number of "plugs" he had put in  
will have the full benefit of the law.

Personation of dead, absent or dilatory  
voters is a serious crime and cannot be too  
strongly condemned by honest men of  
every political rank.

Though there are far fewer opportuni-  
ties for personation in municipal elections  
than in Dominion contests, where the voting  
is almost invariably on antiquated lists, it  
is not surprising that persons have been  
successful in their dastardly work  
in more than one municipal contest  
in this city, as well as in Toronto.  
To combat the rascals and land them in  
jail, where they ought to be, arrangements  
have been made for the services of first-rate  
detectives in the ensuing municipal elec-  
tions in London, Toronto, and elsewhere  
that may be necessary. There should be  
no mercy for men who engage in a business  
so despicable.

—The Detroit Free Press asserts that  
when employment is wanted in that city it  
is provided by the tearing up of newly-laid  
streets. In London, we are not unused to  
similar eccentricities of resort.

### BANDS IN PROCESSIONS.

On Oct. 7 last, the Twenty-sixth Battalion  
Band was present at the demonstration in  
Glencoe, where Sir John Thompson was  
the principal talker. The bandmen were  
in uniform, and it was so chronicled at  
the time. But nobody regarded the fact,  
as of any particular significance. Still  
General Herbert has been instructed to  
investigate into the reason why the Sixty-  
second Fusiliers Band turned out to play  
for the procession that honored Editor  
John V. Ellis, when he returned from the  
prison at Fredericton, into which he had  
been cast for criticizing the unjust deed of  
a county judge. The camp grounds used  
to be turned into an agency to promote the  
political fortunes of the party in power at  
Ottawa. Surely the intention is not to have  
the militia bands confine their playing  
powers to Conservative demonstrations only.

—The Toronto World says the Winnipeg  
verdict was a "snap." What would it have  
been if the other fellow had won?

### GENERAL MANAGER SEARGEANT'S VIEWS.

At the recent non-political banquet to  
Sir John Thompson in Montreal, General  
Manager Seargeant, of the Grand Trunk  
Railway, made a strong plea for freedom of  
commercial intercourse. He pointed out  
that a great deal of the success of both the  
Grand Trunk and the Canadian Pacific  
Railways—Canada's two great trunk lines  
of communication—depends upon the atti-  
tude of the United States to Canada and of  
Canada to the United States. As a matter  
of trade the freer the relations between the  
two countries the more advantageous it  
would be. There was a feeling in the United  
States towards closing up the avenues  
there to Canadian railways and one of these  
days we might experience a good deal of  
trouble. A great deal depends, said  
Mr. Seargeant, upon the Govern-  
ment, in allaying this feeling against  
Canada. The G. T. R. general manager  
takes a common-sense, business-  
like view of the question. Whatever  
policy helps the railway companies to  
obtain free carriage to and from the United  
States and Canada helps the general public.  
It recognizes the managers to lower freight  
rates for Canadian traffic and it adds to the  
earning power of the lines and to the em-  
ployment that they afford to thousands of  
our citizens and their families.

### THE STREET RAILWAY LAW SUIT.

One of the solemn promises made by  
Mayor Essery when he became a candidate  
for the mayoralty last year was that, if he  
were elected mayor, in preference to the  
business man who was contesting the seat,  
there should be no legal expenses. "I am  
a lawyer," Mr. Essery was wont to say,  
"and I can save the city much money by  
keeping the corporation out of law suits."  
The citizens took Mr. Essery at his word.  
They left the business man at home and  
elected the lawyer mayor.

What has been the result?  
Simply this: We have had more law suits,  
and before the year is out the taxpayers  
will have to pay more money to the lawyers,  
than has ever been the case in any one  
year in our history.

Take the latest expensive lawsuit into  
which the city was landed by the advice of  
City Solicitor Meredith and with the co-  
operation of Mayor Essery, on whose judg-  
ment the aldermen placed their reliance.  
The street railway company began to lay  
what they asserted to be a switch on their  
western extension on Dundas street, from  
Richmond street to the river. The City  
Council were called together by Mayor  
Essery, and it was decided that the mayor  
and city solicitor should do what they be-  
lieved to be lawful and in the city's interest  
to prevent the street railway company from  
constructing the switch.

Within an hour after the aldermen ad-  
journed, City Solicitor Meredith and the  
mayor had a band of men engaged in con-  
flict with the street railway workmen, the  
mayor having first empowered them to tear  
up the rails by force, and having set over  
them as many of the members of the city  
police force as could be got together on  
short notice.

At the time that this vandalism was  
undertaken, the ADVERTISER, though mak-  
ing no pretense to legal acumen, took the  
ground that there were grave doubts as to  
the legality of the course, in view of the  
express provisions of the bylaw, granting  
the company the right to put down  
switches where necessary for the traffic.  
This view was sustained by the expert  
engineers who were summoned, at much  
expense to the city, to support the decision  
of the mayor and city solicitor, and it is  
fully maintained by Judge Falconbridge,  
who tried the action.

We believe that we voice the opinion of  
the large majority of citizens when we say  
that expensive law suits like this should  
not be jumped into without considering the  
consequences. In the conduct of public  
affairs it is better to be safe than sorry—to  
act cautiously rather than to "fly off the  
handle." Even if the switch which the  
street railway company started to put  
down had been unwarranted, there was a  
legal way to go about its removal and if  
the mayor had right on his side that  
method could have been adopted at a tithe  
of the expense and trouble incident to tak-  
ing the law into his own hands, even by  
the advice of the city solicitor, which had  
proved to be poor in a former law suit with  
the company. The people of London do  
not desire to tie the hands of their repre-  
sentatives, when public interests may be  
menaced, but the putting down of the  
Dundas street west switch was peti-  
tioned for by nearly every merchant on the  
line of extension, and would have injured  
no one, even if it were not warranted by  
the charter. But we have always held  
that it was warranted, while there was no  
necessity for taking the most expensive  
possible method of obtaining a judicial ex-  
planation of the rights of parties.

We trust that the City Council will con-  
sider well any advice that may be given to  
indulge in further litigation on this sub-  
ject, which would add to the enormous  
costs already piled up, to say nothing of  
the damages which the city may have to  
pay after the master in chancery has as-  
sessed them. The better plan is to get out  
of the embroglio into which the corporation  
has been drawn as best can be done by  
common sense methods, while pursuing no  
more will-o'-the-wisp methods, no matter  
who may counsel it.

—Some men take their religion into poli-  
tics because it is so well concealed in their  
private lives that nobody ever knows that  
they have any.—Toronto Telegram.

Yes, we know of men who profess to be  
ardent supporters of Protestantism on one or  
two occasions in a year, and who profess to  
believe that they advance the Protestant  
faith by circulating untruths about their  
neighbors between times, while they never  
go near a public place of worship.

### PAY AS YOU GO.

Prices of farm produce in Manitoba are  
the lowest on record this year, but though  
the farmers have been asked to hold their  
wheat in the expectation that the price  
would increase, a large part of the crop of  
1893 has already been marketed. Farmers  
both in Manitoba and in Ontario had to sell  
to meet their indebtedness. That was  
wise, even if the result should be a small  
rise in the price of wheat later in the  
season. Year in and year out, the farmer  
who sells when he has his product ready  
for the market makes the most of his crops.  
It is at all times a mistaken policy to  
adopt the plan of buying on credit if it can  
be avoided. Yet we know of country  
merchants who sell on credit, charging  
their customers 5 or 6 per cent. extra for  
the goods that they purchase on six months'

time. This is a fine investment for the  
merchant, but it is a losing policy for the  
farmer. We have even known of a farmer  
with money in the bank bringing him only  
4 per cent. interest, accepting credit on the  
terms above recited, thus losing 6 per cent.  
on the joint transactions. He fallaciously  
believed that he was getting ahead of the  
merchant by making him wait for his  
money, whereas the storekeeper took good  
care that he should be at no loss! Pay as  
you go!

—Hon. Joseph Martin's official majority  
in Winnipeg is 425. Mr. Daly, one of the  
Ministers at Ottawa, says the victory is  
"emotional." The emotion is not spas-  
modic.

### INFLUENCE OF MILITARISM.

Peaceful Rather than Warlike Instru-  
tion Advised.

In a recent address at Toronto Rev. A.  
M. Phillips spoke on the advent of peace  
on earth. He pointed out that the angels  
sang of glory to God in the highest and on  
earth peace and good-will toward men is  
no utopian dream, but a realizable hope  
already partly realized in some Christian  
countries. Continuing, Mr. Phillips said:  
"The most stable nations of the world  
have been built, not with the sword, but  
with the plowshare, and the diplomacy of  
our own mother-country is one of the  
most beautiful instances which illustrate  
this fact. The Alabama claim and the  
Bering Sea matter are notable  
instances, the former costing \$15,-  
000,000, which is less than one-fifth of  
England's annual expenditure for military  
purposes. Canada, Australia and South  
Africa are all of peaceful origin, and this is  
one of the greatest reasons for thanking  
by us today. "Peace hath her victories no  
less renowned than war," and yet we find  
in most instances that the heroes whose  
praises are sung to-day are the heroes of  
the sword, and not the greater benefactors  
whose thought and self-sacrifice and re-  
forms in social and political fields have  
done a thousand times more for humanity  
than all the boasted glory of the battle field.  
Among the greatest men of whom Canada  
boasts among her mighty dead are some  
warriors, it is true, but were those whose  
axes cleared the forests and whose stout  
arms built up homes in this new land, were  
those who made this land free and estab-  
lished it on its present foundations of peace  
and unity and prospective power less  
worthy of our gratitude, less worthy the  
day as this? In the first four centuries the  
profession of arms was deemed inconsistent  
with Christianity, and since feudal times,  
when one baron fought against another, a  
change has again come over us, and dis-  
putes to-day are settled by peaceful meth-  
ods, such as juries and high courts and  
arbitration commissions. Ontario and Que-  
bec do not go to war about a disputed  
point, neither will any two Christian na-  
tions. Does the present use of Thanksgiving  
Day in a peaceful land, as a day for  
display of military parade, accord with our  
progress in civilization? Does the spirit of  
military emulation so assiduously im-  
planted in our school children do credit to  
our knowledge of Christ as the Prince of  
Peace as taught in our Sunday schools?  
The preacher closed his very strong and in-  
teresting discourse by a positive assertion  
that this militarism should come from  
which will if persisted in destroy our in-  
fluence as a people who wish to Christian-  
ize the world, and expressed the hope that  
our schools might be purged of the spirit of  
military ambition.

### THE CRONIN MURDER.

Another Arrest in the Case Probable—  
A Suspect.

CHICAGO, Nov. 25.—It is probable that  
another arrest in connection with the  
Cronin murder may be made very soon,  
according to a story published by a Chicago  
paper. Officers under the direction of the  
State attorney, are investigating certain  
facts concerning Andrew Foy, who was a  
member of Camp 20, and one of the most  
violent denunciators of the "British spy,"  
and who was alleged to be in Chicago about  
the time that Cronin was killed. Foy has  
been under suspicion of knowing more or  
less about the murder ever since the part  
played by Camp 20 came to light.

The Way They Do.  
(From the Detroit Free Press.)  
"Papa won't you me a how-wow!" cried  
the little daughter of a very rich man.  
"Don't cry, dear," said the mother,  
soothingly: "when you are grown he will  
buy you a puppy with a title."

A Grasping Youth.  
Roy—Mamma, I was going down street  
eating an apple and I met Arthur coming  
up street eating an apple, and what do you  
think he said?  
Mamma (after thinking)—I can't guess.  
Roy: you will have to tell me.  
Roy—Why, mamma, he said, "Gimme a  
bite."

The Law's Inconsistency.  
"The law is an inconsistent and unjust  
thing."  
"What's the matter new?"  
"Why, it allows these dudes to wear  
long split-tail overcoats in the streets, and  
then prohibits the rest of us from com-  
mitting suicide."

Out of Sight  
—out of mind.  
That's the way  
with things in  
the laundry and  
the kitchen. Per-  
haps you think  
they're  
using  
Pearline  
there. And  
your linen is going to pieces,  
and you're dissatisfied with  
the work, and you're blaming  
Pearline for all the trouble.  
If this is the case, you can  
make up your mind either  
that Pearline isn't used, or  
that something else is used  
with it, which does the dam-  
age. Possibly you'll find that  
they're trying to wash with  
some of the imitations that  
peddlers, prize-givers and un-  
scrupulous grocers are offer-  
ing to those who do not real-  
ize the danger. 347 JAMES FYLE.

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to healthy action the various organs, the  
natural conditions of which are so neces-  
sary for health, grapple with and neu-  
tralize the impurities, driving them com-  
pletely out of the system.

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LIVER, another will rouse up the  
BOWELS, another will attack the SKIN,  
and still another hurry up the KIDNEYS.  
This is the beauty of their effective opera-  
tion; whilst they have a specific action on  
the Liver, they have a reflex or reflective  
action on this same organ by their other  
specific effects on the other organs of the  
system; whilst they force with the one  
hand, they persuade with the other, till  
all the organs are brought to harmonious  
action, and perform their required func-  
tions.

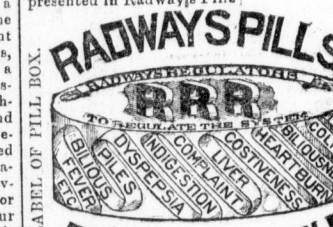
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