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"I Thought I Would Never Be Well Again." One of the saddest things that can hapis a very concentrated food, or pen to a woman is to fall into such a depth of despondency through unsatural entitled to its name or has a food value equivalent to two dollars per pound." It was after this report

and disease as to imagine that she can and disease as to imagine that she can never recover. "For two years," says Mirs. W. G. Day, of Trussville, Jefferson Co., Ala. "I had suffered with weak-ness, headache, pain in my back and side, which would become so sore that I could hardly bear the weight of my hand on it. I had cold hands and feet and many other bad symptoms too numerous to mention. Home physicians' treatment did me no ent did me no d. I had become very despond-ent and thought I would never be well

with a faint heart I wrote to Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., and ribed my symp-s as best I could.

described my symptoms about the second secon

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hem in their examination, assisting in their deliberation, and in their plan of operation. He brought witnesses and showed how he wanted them examined. He was the most conspicuous person in the committee room until the afternoon of the last day of the enquiry. Then he sent in a note saying that he wanted to be called as a witness. It is evident that this was a deception, for the committee waited an hour and he did not come, though he was somewhere in the building The committee adjourned and met to hear him in the evening. In the

meantime Dr. Devlin had a consultation with Chairman Belcourt and Mr. Russell, and they reappeared at night with a message from him that he was suddenly called to New York and would be back on Friday. It had been already arranged, as Dr. Devlin knew, that the committee would finish its work and report before Friday. Dr. Devlin did not go to New York, but went straight to Montreal. After the the one which the minister held committee reported he had himself inback after the first papers were terviewed in the papers and wrote to

alvais, so that the contract was natterof routine.

The interference came later.

Mr

Blair cancelled all these contracts and gave the contract for each class of oil to the Galena Company, whose tender was in no case, with one doubtful exception, the lowest, and was in some instances more than double the lowest tender for the same class of goods. Speaking generally, the analyst at McGill gave an unfavorable report of the Galena oil in comparison with the others, while the price was higher. After the contract was cancelled there was no further call for tenders, and no competition of any kind. Mr. Blair by private arrangement gave the contract to the Galcna Oil Company at its own prices. This was in September, 1896. Mr. Lichteschien of Pennsylvania, the agent for that company, had in August appeared in Queens county; there Mr. Blair was campaigning on a by-election, in which the Pennsylvanian took an uncommon interest for a stranger.

The following table gives the prices paid by Mr. Blair and these of the contract which he cancelled : Galena Contract Co. Cancelled. Cents. Cents. .. ..... 63 30 Cylinder oil .. Engine oil (summer) ... 39 20 Engine oil (winter) .... 21 1-2 39 8 1-Car oil (summer) ..... 27 9 1-2 Car oil (winter) .. 27 Coach oil (winter) 22 1-2 ... ... 21 1-45 Coach oil (summer) . ... Signal and lamp oil .... 46 1-5 37 1-2 20 1-8 Petroleum .. .. .. .. .. 22 1-2 Spindle oil .. .. .. ..... 22 1-4 :0 Evnamo cil .. .. .. .....

Now Professor Ruttan's own analvsis distinctly pronounced the Galena Oil company's oils except in one case decidedly inferior and wanting in viscosity.

Yesterday Senator Ferguson took up this story and went on with an analysis of the results of the Galena oil contract on the cost of lubricating as shown by the papers brought down in the house by the minister himself. He showed that the contract for cylinder oil was taken from the Imperial Oil company, which had it at 30 cents, and was given to the Galena Oil company at 63 cents. The summer engine oil contract at 20 cents was taken from the same concern and given to the Galena company at 39 cents. The winter engine oil contract was taken from

It appears that the Galena Oil Co. the Eastern Oil company at 211-2 alone had received during the fiscal cents and from the Imperial Oil comyear ending in June, 1897, 1898, and pany at 20 cents for summer use 1899, the sum of \$99,426, as shown by and given to the Galena comreturns brought down in the senate. pany at 39 cents. The car oil contract was taken from the Imperial company,

Now Mr. Blair claims that he has which agreed to supply it for 81-2 in always kept back a sufficient sum in summer and 91-2 in winter, and was making payments to cover the guargiven to the Galena Oil company at 27 antee. The government was asked a cents all the year round, thus adidng few days age to give the amounts 200 per cent. to the price. In coach which had been deducted from the oils the analyst had found objections totals which would fall due to the to the Galena Oil company's sample, Galena Company under their schedule but the Galena oil was purchased by sorry that he was not heard. All of Mr. Blair at 45 cents when the Imcontract. In answer to this question the department stated that on the 8th perial and Eastern oil companies had of May, 1909, there had been a deducmer and winter use at 211-4 and 221-2 tion of \$23.067.13. Now, the contract was made for a year and apparently renewed year by year. The final deductions, according to the terms of So far this is a most extraordinary transaction and one which requires the contract, as brought down in the explanation. What explanation does house, were to have been made at the Mr. Blair offer? He says that it does | end of every year, yet two years and six months were allowed to pass withnot matter much about the price per out the deduction. 'The auditor gengallon, because he has a special coneral's report shows that a deduction tract that the total cost shall be 10 per of \$23,000 was made in the last fiscal cent. less than the total cost in 1896 for each thousand miles of use. To year. This rebate covered the period of two years before December, 1893. contractor, it is explained, says that much oil is wasted on the trains, and This was the first and only deduction, and apparently none has been made that by instructing the oilers and other since. At least there was no mention train hands he can make up the loss of any in the statement last brought occasioned by the higher prices and save 10 per cent. in addition. Now it down. seems obvious that if the railway employes can get along with less Galena Now Mr. Blair made a speech the oil by not wasting it they could be inother day in which he professed to structed to make the same saving in prove that he had cut down by some other oils. It would occur to anyone \$10,000 the annual cost of lubrication. that some firm which quoted a lower An examination of his speech, even as price might also be willing to guarrevised for his organ, goes to show antee a reduction by reducing the that he arrives at this result by taking quantity. This supposition would be the whole amount payable in the fiscal orrect, for there is in the possession year on the face of the contract, and of the department, and was brought deducting from that sum the \$23,000 of down last last year, an offer from anrebate under the guarantee. This other tenderer who proposed the same might be fair enough if it was fairly methods as the Galena Oil company in done, and the deduction had been all the way of guaranteeing a low expenmade on one year's business. But the diture for oil. It goes without saying minister seems to have taken the amthat after tenders have been called for ounts payable for one year, and suband contracts made on the basis of the tracted the rebates of two years. Itlowest tender those contracts should is certainly a fact that the \$23,000 denot have been cancelled except for ducted covered two years, of which good reasons. Certainly they should only five months belonged to the fiscal not have been cancelled in favor of a year under consideration. On the basis company whose tender had been the of 1897 and 1898 the abatement under highest and whose samples had been the guarantee would be \$11,500 for reported unfavorably upon. And if 1899, so that Mr. Blair seems to be new scheme for contracting at a guarclaiming a saving of \$10,000 by adding anteed price per thousand miles was in a bogus credit of \$11,500. It is only to be adopted why did not Mr. Blair by juggling with figures that Mr. Blair ask for competition on this basis. Incan swing out of his private contract. stead of doing that he made a private When he takes all the rehates into one contract without competition with the year he leaves the two previous years higher tenderer on a new basis, and on with still larger increases. If a correct special terms which for anything he statement is made, charging each year knew could have been made with one with its own outlay, and crediting each year with its own rebates, it will be of the lower tenderers. Suspicious seen that Senator Ferguson is right, elements in the case are the secrecy, and that the railway is now more exthe refusal to allow other firms to tenpensively lubricated than it was under der on the same terms, the selection of the highest tenderer under the old the competitive system. S D. S

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who has tested it.

year, and showed that until last year there had been a steady increase. Here is the statement of the amount paid each year for lubricating purposes. The figures are for years ending on October :

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The year 1897 showed an increase of 30 per cent over 1896, though train mileage, engine mileage, and plough mileage had fallen. Next year the increase was twenty per cent over 1996. The third year it was about 150 per cent increase. In the third year the train mileage had increased about 24 per cent, engine and plough mileage, 12 per cent, showing that the cost of lubricating per theusand miles has undoubtedly increased since the adoption of the contract with the Galena Co.

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OTTAWA, July S .- Yesterday's sit- | Russell's guidance. They are no doubt ting of the house was one which the a very clever quartette, but they enministers, and particularly the minis- tirely overestimated the capacity of ter of militia, will not soon forget. their party for swallowing their pre-tere is a government claiming a ma-Here is a government claiming a majority of 60 in the house. After rally- framed a report that would still have ing its forces to the utmost, and laboring day after day with the more independent members of his party, Sir Wilfrid finds on a vote of direct their duty to their masters to vindicondemnation, the majority cut down cate them wholly and to condemn Mr. to 14. Of this 14 eight are ministers and one is the deputy speaker, leav- Monk. Now they have their reward. Perhaps they know how near they ing a clear majority of five among came to wrecking the government, for the unofficial members of the house. it was only by the most strenuous ef-If the members who are to be made fort that the ministers were able to get judges, before the next election had so large a vote, and ten or a dozen remained outside, the government mamembers who could not be induced to jority would have been less than the swallow the Russell ration were with number of ministers in the chamber. lifficulty persuaded to dodge the vote altogether.

OTTAWA LETTER.

to Step Out.

Emergency Food Scandal is But a Type of Other

Jobs that May Yet Be Unearthed.

the Party Whip Vigorously to Scare up Even

Fourteen Majority.

It is true that of the ten members who refused to support Dr. Russell's whitewashing report three were French Canadians who opposed the purchase of rations at all. But it must not be understood that they had no other charge against the department of militia. Mr. Monet, who has been credited throughout with an honesty of purpose, and whose earnestness is in marked contrast to the ostentatious posing of Mr. Bourassa, stated his poition clearly enough. He was opposed to the purchase of food, as he was to the purchase of equipment and the offer of troops. But he pointed out that his views had Mr been shared by the minister. Borden, when offered genuine em ergency rations by Mr. Hatch, refused to buy, stating that the British government would attend to that. He suddenly changed and bought the bogus rations from Dr. Devlin. Mr. Monet declared his opinion that this change of attitude was not from patriotic motives, but for the sake of assisting Dr. Devlin, who Mr. Monet believed to be guilty of the grossest fraud. No member of the opposition took stronger ground against the min-

ister than this, and One of the str

having examined the food which a contractor was furnishing to the Claiming a Mejority of Sixty, the Government Had to Apply government for the soldiers in Africa, and finding that it was not fit for the purpose intended and not what it professed to be, and not worth the price, he warned the government of the fact. Mr. Russell disapproves of this. He thinks that Mr. Macfarlane himseslf and allowed the swindle should have kept his knowledge, remain a secret. Mr. Clarke has another idea of the duty of a government officer. He thinks that an an-

The crime of Mr. Macfarlane is that

and in spite of it that Dr. Devlin was

paid for the goods. Notwithstand-

ing this report no word was ever

sent to Africa to warn the troops

alyst, or any other man in public service, who sees a swindle going on and furnished some way of escape for the thinks the government does not know minister. But they were not content it, ought not to conceal the fact, eswith the apology and excuses which pecially when that offence brings might be offered. They considered it danger and suffering to Canadian soldiers serving their country in dis-

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gross impertinence.

Dr. Russell has found three criminals in this case. The minister is not one of them, neither are the of ficers of his department, nor the contractor, nor those who shared the plunder. The criminals are three.

First, there is Collector White of Montreal, who accepted the statement of the government contractor that the goods were military stores,

in the house during the evening. If entitled to free entry, and that the he had he would have heard some department certificate to that effect things not very pleasing to his ear. was arranged for and would be forth This would offset the praise bestowed coming. It was a crime for Mr. White on him by Dr. Russell, who argued to accept this assurance from the that this emergency food deal was a men whom the ministers were ensmall matter, since it cost less than trusting with the responsibility of \$5,000, whereas the government had providing emergency rations for our spent more than a million in buying troops in the field. supplies. Dr. Russell said he would

not be surprised if so small a propor-The second criminal is Analyst Maction out of so large an expenditure farlane, one of our most loyal and should be wasted. But the incident devoted public servants, an ardent represents the only purchase which imperialist and a true man, and a has been investigated. There are gentleman. This man's crime conrumors about the purchase of horses; sists in his desire to prevent a mistake there are suspicions connected with in the purchase of soldiers' food. To the buying of hay and grain, and of this end he took a little trouble that food for use of the soldiers at Halifax. he might have escaped by setting the It is not a question of one bad harfacts before his superiors. Mr. Macgain out of many, whereof the rest are farlane did nothing more, leaving the known to be honest and prudent. It responsibility with the minister or is a case of one swindle investigated his deputy, since they had the inforand proved, and many large transacmation in their hands. He is now tions yet to be investigated. Dr. Rusacross the water, and his report was sell chooses to regard this as an exceptional transaction. It may yet

brought down, and which Mr. McNeill the chairman stating that he was and others were rebuked for demand which throws some light upon Dr. ing over and over again before they got it. Mr. Macfarlane is the second criminal.

The Minister of Militia Will Soon Have against placing dependence upon the food. While the government ignored the report it remained for Dr. Russell to attack Mr. Macfarlane for making it. The member for Halifax says that Mr. Macfarlane was only asked to say whether the goods were equal to the sample and that in going outside of his instructions he exceeded his duties and was guilty of a

far as to say that Dr. Borden made debate was that of Mr. Clarke of Tothis purchase for the sake of assistronto, who spoke too late to be as fully ing a friend engaged in swindling the reported as the others. Mr. Clarke has government. Mr. Bourassa expresstaken a high position in this parliaed his agreement with Mr. Monet. Mr. Ethier said nothing and we are left to assume or not assume that he agrees with his two comrades. If hc. does we have nine members usually the voting with the government who believe that a swindle has been committed, and that the minister was a party to it, either of deliberate purpose or by criminal negligence. A tenth member who did not speak, and who voted against the minority refused to endorse Mr. Russell's deliverance.

nig. It is proved by testimony commended by the government that eight There was a difference between the scene in the small hours of this cans of the Devlin food would be required for an honest day's ration morning and that of a few weeks ago. Then Dr. Borden, Mr. Fitzpatrick, Sir while the one can is represented to be Louis Davies and other ministers sufficient.

prove to be typical.

The minister of militia did not stay

were shouting defiance and trying Mr. Clarke scornfully refers to the their best to brow-beat Mr. Monk. The government claim at this stage that quiet and courteous member for Hatch is a fakir and to Dr. Russell's Jacques Cartier is better understood now than he was then. The solicitor contemptuous reference to him as a Galician Jew. It was this same Hatch general and Sir Louis Davies and the who received the highest testimonials minister himself underestimated his from the minister himself and his offireserve power and determination cers after the Kingston test. It was Never was there such an attempt to he with whom the minister conferred bully and intimidate a member. They at the Windsor Hotel in Montreal and shouted at him until they nearly raised the roof. They swung their in Ottawa, and with whom he had the midnight conversation on the way fists half way across the arena until from New York. It was Hatch's food Sir John Bourinot shrunk within his that the minister still says he thought gown. They shouted their defiance at Mr. Monk. They accused him of he was buying. It is Hatch's food cowardice. They taunted him. They that is used in the hospitals, and he is today the only manufacturer of this challenged him to make a specific. class of article in Canada. Why the charge against the minister, and held minister, after refusing to buy from out the hope of the direst punishment Hatch because the imperial governin case he ventured into the arena. ment was going to supply the food,

should suddenly change his mind and Mr. Monk did not reply in the same buy an untested and unproved article tone. He was deceptfully quiet about from Dr. Devlin, Mr. Clarke did not it, but managed to assure the yelling understand. If he did he kept it to and defiant solicitor general, and the himself. But as will be seen above, bullying minister of marine, that he Mr. Monet was more outspoken, and did intend to do the very thing they Mr. Monk, who was prevented from dared him to do. And then the solicicarrying through a financial investitor general took on a new attitude and gation, states that he expected to dared Mr. Monk to go outside and show who the partners with Dr. Devlin make his charges where Dr. Devlin were. No one supposes that Dr. Devcould get at him. In those days Dr. lin had the rake off all to himself. If Devlin was held up as a man to be afraid of. He had not then skulked Dr. Borden and his friends had allowed the enquiry to be more thorough away from the committee under pretense of a journey to New York which it would have been perhaps better for the minister, for it might have shown he never took. Mr. Monk was not that Dr. Borden had no knowledge of afraid of him, but he knew his duty. the division of profits. He did not go outside. He stayed

where he was and made direct charges, One remark of Dr. Russell's called devoting one particular charge to the for indignant criticism at the hands of minister himself. Then he had the Mr. Clarke, and in this matter the satisfaction of seeing the whole group member for Halifax will find few symof ministers voting and calling upon pathizers. It will be remembered that their friends to vote the exclusion of after the bogus proteid goods went to this charge from among those to be in-Halifax Mr. Benoit took samples of vestigated. It was then Mr. Monk's them. Dr. Russell mentioned this as turn to show where the cowards were. one of the precautions taken by the

minister. But the minister had noth-Last night there was none of this ing to do with it and knew nothing of bullying. The ministers were solemn it until long afterward. Neither had and quiet enough. They had done all that was possible by appealing to the his deputy. Neither had the director of stores. Benoit swears that he was loyalty of the party, by personal apat Halifax for another purpose, and peals to individual members, by persuasion, promise and threat. Now that without instructions from anythey waited nervously to see how body he brought away samples. But many members would still publicly for his vigilance that examination would never have taken place. Havaffirm their disapproval of the swindle ing brought them and delivered them and their belief that the minister was to the department Mr. Benoit may be in one way or another responsible for it. It was not a surprise to any of them to find so strong an expression

against the department, unless perhars it was to the four unfortunate members who composed the majority of the committee and acted under Dr.

The third is Mr. Monk, M. P. for vestigation. ment and speaks with great force and Jacques Cartier, whose crime was earnestness. He does not make so strongly emphasized by Chairman much of the loss of a few thousand Belcourt and Dr. Russell, as it had the whitewashing report. dollars, but places great emphasis on dishonorable character c. the been by the solicitor general and transaction and ou the peril in which it placed our soldiers in the field. If they had been sent without these rations they would at least have known ment.' He is charged with slander, with a disposition to make mischief, where they stood. But to send them cut with a supply guaranteed to conwith recklessness and maliciousness. The last clause of the report prepared tain a certain amount of nutriment while it only contained one-eighth as much was a most treacherous proceedthe committee, says "that the said to prove his charges against the minister of militia and that the said tion of the facts and upon authority which a slight investigation would have shown to be wholly unreliable."

It is the real crime of Mr. Monk that he brought the iniquity to light.

The investigation has not been as full as it ought to be, but it has shown that Mr. Monk was right in all that of Dr. Borden. But the position his statements but two. He was wrong of Dr. Borden is more awkward and in stating that the goods were paid inconvenient. Dr. Borden will have for before delivery and that they were admitted free of duty by order of the department. They were paid for after the government had received them and knew they were spurious and useless. Though the department had not authorized the free entry of the goods, the duty had not been paid when the charge was made and the customs authorities had been assured that the order for free entry was forthcoming. Everything else, the negligence of the minister, the spurious character of the goods, the insufficiency of the ration, the misrepresentation and fraud, the payment of six times the value of the article, the disregard of warning from the manufacturer of the genuine protose, are proved to the satisfaction of all reasonable people and the house would have so determined by a large majority if the members had been free to vote as they thought.

One word as to the contractor himself. It is not known who shared the disclose it, and the committee would of the minister in Queens county, it profits with Dr. Devlin. He did not not allow it to be learned from other witnesses. But Dr. Devlin himself appears as the principal party in the negotiation. He exercised some astonishing influence over the minister, which suggests the intervention of a silent but influential partner. He offered a food which he had no right to sell or to make; he furnished it, with the assumed name of a manufacturing company which had no existence, and which he located at a place where such a company was never heard of He professed to manufacture food

which he imported in finished form from the United States. He brought in this goods as baggage in Saratoga trunks, one half of which escaped the customs house. For the other half he secured free entry by the promise of a certificate from Ottawa which he never produced. After the enquiry began, when he was confronted by the collector, he paid the duty with checks

Devlin's character and upon the fine judicial manner in which the majority of the committee carried on the in-

Mr. Sifton cast his vote in favor of He has been away a long time, and this is his other members of the government in first vote since his return. But Mr. the house. Mr. Monk is accused of a Sifton probably has his own opinion "morbid desire to injure the govern- of the performance and of Dr. Borden. Mr. Sifton also defied opposition members to bring charges against him. He and Mr. Sutherland, the acting minister, have uttered many by Dr. Russell and moved by him in challenges. But whenever they were accepted and the charges were made. Frederick D. Monk has failed entirely Mr. Sifton called on his party to vote down the enquiry. He can now show Dr. Borden how much wiser the Sifcharges were based on a misconcep- ; ton programme is. It prevents exposure in the courts or the committees. It saves the government the trouble of persuading members to vote approval after the charges have been established on oath. It prevents such an unfortunate break in the parity as occurred last night. Mr. Sifton's position is really more discreditable than

> to go, and go soon, but Mr. Sifton may stay until the rest of them go S. D. S. out\_together. OTTAWA, July 7.-There is a mystery about Mr. Blair's lubricating oil contract which the minister himself and several other members have been struggling to clear up. It is more a mystery since Mr. Blair spoke than it was before, for his speech cannot in any way be reconciled with the papers brought down by his depart-Mr. Blair claims that he has ment. reduced the cost of lubrication by 10 per cent, and lately by 15 per cent, taking into consideration the additional car and engine mileage. But his accountants do not give any such testimony, and if we compare the mileage set down in the railway report with that in previous years, and then make the comparison of the total payments, we find that, however successfully the Galena Company may have lubricated the political pathway has not saved anything to the country.

The Galena Oil Company is now understood to be the lubricating oil branch of the Standard Oil Company. Since the Standard Oil Company has gathered in most of the Canadian oil nterests, there is less competition and higher prices in burning oil than formerly. But at the time the contract was made the competition was real and the Galena Company was one of eight which tendered to supply the Intercolonial. The call for tenders was made by the late government in May, 1996, and the contract for each class of oil, some 12 classes in all, was given in every case to the lowest tenderer, provided the sample was approved by Prof. Ruttan, the analyst of McGill College, who is regarded as the best Canadian authority on these matters. The contracts were awarded by the department shortly after

the contract to supply them for sumrespectively.

system and the one least favored by the analysis, with the extraordinary interest which the agent of the favored

empany took in Mr. Blair's Queen's county election. Senator Ferguson dwelt on these matters and then passed on to consider Mr. Blair's claim as to the results.

Supposing it were true that Mr. Blair under this new arrangement had reduced the cost of lubricating by 16 per cent or 15 per cent, the defence would still be bad unless he could show that no other concern among those excluded from competition would have given him still better terms. But it does not appear, according to Senator Ferguson, that the cost of lubrication has decreased either 15 per cent or 10 per cent, or any per cent; on the contrary, it is higher than it was before.

The mileage of cars and engines is given in the annual report. The cost of lubricating is given in the returns Mr. Macfarlane reported "It does not appear that this proteid powder of the committee, prompting the lowest tender on satisfactory anbrought down. Mr. Ferguson showed

IN MEMORY OF CRUNJE.

A lady residing in Charlottetown has received, enclosed in a letter, a silver leaf, dated Bloemfontein, June 2nd. On the leaf is an inscription neatly executed. Enclosed also is a memoriam card on which is the following epitaph:

> In remembrance of CRONJE.

Who succumbed to an attack of "Bobs" on Majuba Day, Feb. 27th, 1900.

"Not lost but gone before"-To St. Helena. Tho' taken away from a world of strife, He leaves a "Steyn" behind him.

No more will Cronje roam the veldt, In exile he doth yearn; For justice unto him is dealt, As many more will learn.

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