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## "THE TARIFF ISSUE."

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prung as much from a desire to in in sarcastic references to thi spaper, as from any hope to throw ght on Sir Wilfrid Laurier's remarkment at Hamilton, Ontarlo, the Telegraph quotes with approval the New York Journal of Comerce. The Journal of Commerce is a excellent newspaper, but not the wants to know just how much sind reputable journal in New York tribune was one of the journals that ion speech any more effectively than ded Sir Wilfrid when he was in the it did his St. Hyacinthe utterance nidst of his endeavors for the Taft "make Canada only an ad- machine, in unct of the United States," but it is Canterbury street editorial opinions

line of goods the Liberal leader is present carrying. The Tribune nks but little of Sir Wilfrid's "free food" cry, and is not convinced that the people of Canada should take it ously. has to say of the policy:

"The high cost of living contin-ues its disturbing advance in Can-ada as well as here, and Sir Wil-frid Laurier, having no trusts-meat, cold storage or other-to at-tack there, has fastened upon the poor old tariff as his scapegoat. In his fight for 'free food before Dreadnoughts' he is not to be deterred, apparently, by the case of the tariff reformers at Wash-ington, whose inability to stem the tide of high prices by this method they themselves freely admit.

of Sir Wilfrid's attitude. The Pugsley organ seizes upon two typographical organ seizes upon two typographican errors in a Standard editorial as ex-cuses for the delivery of the following gem: "The Standard cannot even spell some of the words which in its excitement it applies to the situation growthe Hamilton meeting."

Aside from the fact that such a meth-od of attack illustrates to what utter obeanness the newspaper because of adverse criti-cism of his acting. If he wins his suit and others follow his example

sage of Liberalism. It is design-ed to regain power, not to reform Is the editorial writer of the Tel graph prepared to squirm away fr ne Ottawa Citizen's arraignment with the assistance of two typog Such a course will hardly errors? for" fulminations of the Telegraph

putable journal in New York are was benind the eloquence of the opinions are entitled to consid-For instance, the New York unable to defend Sir Wilfrid's Hamilwould almost appear that the Liberal machine, in its latest purchase of much more dispassionate critic of THE TUNISIAN'S MAILS

continued in that position until his death. On this date in 1775 Gen. Richard. Montgomery, having joined his army with that of Benedict Arnold before the walls of Quebec, demanded the surrender of the city, the last spot in the Province where waved the British fag. Gen. Sir Guy Carleton, despite the seeming hopelessness of his posi-tions with men he considered rebels. With only 1,600 men-at-arms under his command, Carleton calmly awaited the assault, and when it came the wisdom of his course was fully justified. The nature of the telegrams ex and is not convinced that of Canada should take it This is what the Tribune department in Ottawa still further indicates that the order routing the Tu

nisian's mails from St. John to Mont real via the I. C. R. was made without orrect understanding of the existing onditions, and with no intention of discrimination against this port. THE PASSING DAY

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cond of attack illustrates to what utter obeapness the newspaper once edited by an Elder and a Hannay has now descended, the Telegraph's comment is not worth consideration. It is, how ever, typical of the present "bought and paid for" utterances of the Pugs pers. Perhaps the newspapers will be driven to cease reporting the do-tings of the stage folks, a thing they would hardly relish. Western newspapers allege that the milkdealers of Winnipeg, and vicinity, have formed a combine with the object of keeping up the price of the lacteal fair to assume that much of the stort is will a different the dimention of what eloquence can accomplish without ideas. It recalls the time withen a negro orator came to the town of Mitchell to deliver a lec-ture. In his address there was no protence at sense or continuity in the expression of ideas. One sentence will give an illustra-

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