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FATHER SEEMS

posed holding of joint meetings for

Major Beattie, Conservative Candidate,

RECIPROCITY AND SAWMILL INDUSTRY

American Market a Good Thing for It-How London Will Be Affected.

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The London Free Press attempts to use a statement from Mr. George H. Belton, lumber merchant, to show that the workmen employed in the a result the workmen employed in the a result of reciprocity. The Advertises this morning Mr. The London Roberts from the hallway cutter to make the courtroom this morning, was eith in which there were many sawmills where lumber was prepared for the meg to may hasband, let me go to my husband, let me go to my husband h

MOTHER COUNTRY

Workers for Navy and Looks to Canada.

SOLD US AN "OLD SHOE"

Compares England to a Poor Farmer For Whom a Subscription Was Taken Up-Some Mean Words.

"Such a man then is Bourassa brilliant, cool, courageous, attacking evil wherever he sees it, a Nation allst standing for a strong and vig orous Canada."—London Free Press orous Canada." Aug. 30, 1911.

Mr. Bourassa spoke in the county of Nicolet on Tuesday of this week in support of the Nationalist-Conservaive candidate, Mr. Paul Lamarche, In the course of his attack on the nav he said (according to his own paper Le Devoir):

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"And more, remember that vessels do not last for ever. The Niobe, which has just sunk, and which costs us \$1,075,000, was built fifteen years ago. And let us observe, by the way, it is England who has sold us this old shoe. If England needs ships, how is it that she sells them to us? It is like the case of a poor farmer for whom his neighbors should make a collection in order to buy him a horse, and who, when the collection is made, should go to the collection and say: I have myself a horse to sell you. No, what England needs is men. ENGLISH WORKMEN WILL NO LONGER ENLIST AND ENGLAND IS OBLIGED TO TURN HER EYES TOWARDS THE COLONIES. If is true, and I have always said: so, that the navy law does not make service compulsory at present. But if we buy vessels, it is to fill them, is it not? Well, if today, to find the crew of two little vessels it is necessary to offer a premium for each sailor engaged, as for every wolf's head, what will be necessary, when we have ten, fifteen or twenty ships? It is today that we must reject the law."

DO THE TEACHERS **WORK IN CLIQUES?**

Inspector Edwards Made This Charge at Board of Education Meeting.

SIMCOE ST. SCHOOL CITED

nplaint About Boy Scouts Being M'EVOY ON SAME PLATFORM

At a meeting of the board of edu-Edwards told of the alleged dissen-Conservative Candidate Is Now on Record on the Matter—The slons amongst the teachers at Simco street school, which he claims results in great detriment to the teaching. He stated to the board that a clique of teachers had existed there and

that they pulled together. He also said that he had spoken to that conditions were now much im-

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The letter received from Major Beattie in reply is as follows:
London, Aug. 30, 1911.

Ajor Beattie,
Conservative Co Dr. Teasdall and Chairman Weekes claimed that they had heard of the matter, and Mr. Weekes suggested that if there are any teachers who still behave this way they be trans-ferred to other schools, and then if they do not mend their ways be sum-

Trustee Teasdall brought up the natter of the Boy Scouts being re-Continued on Page Ten.

Major Beattie. London, Aug. 30, 1911. Major Beattie, Conservative Candidate, London. Dear Sir.—I have seen your remarks in the press concerning joint meetings be be addressed by you and myself. In order to put the matter at rest I have always approved of the opposing candidates discussing the isuser size to face. Mr. J. M. McEvoy, City. Dear Sir.—Replying to your letter of yesterday, would say I have already my opinions are fully set forth in Hansers, of this city. I have not had the pleasure of hearing what you have to say upon the subject in reply to my remarks already made. Yours truly, THOMAS BEATTIE. marily dismissed. Thave always approved of the opposing candidates discussing the issues face to face. I propose that we hold at convenient points in the city, six meetings in this campaign to be addressed by yourself and myself. Let Mayor Beatile be chairman at three meetings and rx-Mayor Rumball be chairman at the other three. You may open the debate for one hour at the first meeting. I will reply for an hour and a quarter, and you close the debate for a quarter of an hour. At the next meeting, we will reverse the order, and I will open the debate in an address of one hour, and you will reply for an hour and a quarter, and I will open the debate in an address of one hour, and you will reply for an hour and a quarter, and I will have a quarter of an hour to close the debate. If this is agreeable to you, kindly have your secretary arrange the details with the secretary of the Liberal control of the conservative candidate, and I replied that I would do so gladly. Major Beattle was also interviewed by the reporter and declared that he was not in favor of an hour to close the debate. If this is agreeable to you, kindly have your secretary arrange the details with the secretary of the Liberal control of the conservative candidate. He is now on record as positively refusing to meet meeting with the secretary of the Liberal control of the conservative candidate. He ls now on record as positively refusing to meet meeting with the secretary of the Liberal control of the conservative candidate. He shade the conservative candidate. He shade the conservative candidate. He shade the conservative candidate the conservative candidate. He shade the conservative candidate. He shade the conservative candidate the conservative candidate the conservative candidate. He shade the conservative candidate the conservative candidate the conservative candidate. MUNICIPAL SOLONS

TALK UTILITIES Operate Them to Return Fair Interest, Says Alderman Richter.

LIVELY DISCUSSION

Debaters Go So Far Afield Mayor Beattie Was Obliged to Change Subject.

[Canadian Press.]

Toronto, Sept. 1.-At the meeting of he Ontario Municipal Association this morning there was a lively dis cussion on the question of whether utilities when operated by the municipality should be run at a profit for the benefit of the ratepayers, or whether any profits should be applied so as to reduce the charges to the consumers There was a sharp difference of opin-

of the case being thus largely altered, it was proceeded with.

Murray, who was charged with setting his house at London Junction on fire on Aug. 10, and also with assaulting his wife, and was remanded until Sept. 6, when his case will be disposed of. The charge of arson abould he wiffully set his own of some other man's house on fire.

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Murray pleaded guilty to the charge of assaulting his wife, and was remanded until Sept. 6, when his case will be disposed of. The charge of arson against the defendant was disministent by the charge of arson abould he wiffully set his own of some other man's house on fire.

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The Workingmen of London

By Representing That the Reciprocity Agreement Means Free Trade in Manufactured Products --- The London Free Press' Brazen Misrepresentations---Falsifying the Lumber Schedules.

> 'A double line of humbugging is persistently kept up by a section of the anti-reciprocity press.
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> The workingmen of the cities are told in effect that the agreement provides for free trade in manufactures as well as in natural products; the farmers on the other hand are told that they will be ruined by foreign competition in natural products. There is an organized attempt to endeavor to make the pact out to be what it is

> One of the worst offenders in these tactics is the London Free Press. The other day it pubished an article on farm implement industries, claiming that they would be practically unpro-tected and consequently ruined to the advantage of American trusts and American workmen. But the facts of the case are that (1) the reduction of duties is slight; (2) the Conservative party itself in the House of Commons has been clamoring for a heavy reduction of those duties, some of them asking for a reduction of 50 per cent, on the present tariff; (3) the Liberal Government has been all along the defender of the implement industry against rude, sudden and ill-considered attacks; (4) the industry is not at all alarmed at the action contemplated in the agreement, but is expanding, setting up new plants and even branching into the United States.

> Only last Friday came another unscrupulous misrepresentation on the part of the Free Press. It gave its readers to understand that the American lumber was imported "ready for use" in St. Martin's Church, South London, thus depriving London woodworkers of employment.

To begin with, the lumber was really rough lumber, and was planed in a mill in this city. Rough lumber is duty-free, has always been free, and will continue to be so under the pact; Georgia pine is one of the raw materials of Canada's wood-working industries, and no party would dare tax it.

Our contemporary went further and declared that the pact would put dressed lumber on the free list, which is entirely false, while it also failed to mention that the Americans make an average 60 per cent reduction from their duties on Canadian dressed lumber entering the United States. This will, of course, stimulate our manufacture and export of dressed lumber. The reduction, it will be remembered, was bitterly fought by the American lumber trust. Here is the Free Press's false statement of last Friday, a statement not yet withdrawn in full. It says under the heading "Mills of the United States Outbid Mills of

"WHEN RECIPROCITY COMES INTO EFFECT, THE DUTY OF 22½ PER CENT ON DRESSED LUMBER COMES OFF. "RECIPROCITY MAKES DRESSED LUMBER FROM THE UNITED STATES

"RECIPROCITY STRIKES AT THE LONDON WORKINGMEN'S EMPLOY-

After two or three days' hammering, the Free Press confessed that dressed lumber would remain dutiable, at from 50 cents to \$1 50 per thousand feet, according to the amount of labor expended upon it. But instead of acknowledging its error, it went on to say that this scale of duties was "equivalent" to putting dressed lumber on the free list. It proceeded to publish an utterly misleading and incorrect table of the tv duties on lumber For a moment The Advertiser, which had its information from Hansard, was disposed to give the Free Press the benefit of any doubt, but a closer examination confirms our first reading of the schedules. Following is a transcript of the reciprocity lumber schedules (Schedule "C") as printed in Hansard,

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ished on four sides...... 25 p.c. \$2 75 \$1 50 \$1 25 There is not a word here about reducing the duties on American dressed lumber entering Canada. In his speech in the House of Commons on Jan. 26th last, explaining the provisions of the agreement, Hon, Mr. Fielding divided them into four schedules. The first (a) contains the list of articles which are to be free in both countries. the second (b) contains the list of those on which both countries agree on an equal and reduced tariff. "C" IS A SMALL LIST OF ARTICLES ON WHICH THE UNITED STATES, BUT NOT CANADA MAKES REDUCTIONS, which are balanced by another short list, (d), of articles on which Canada, but not the United States, comes down a little.

The dressed lumber items, as above cited, come in Schedule "C," CANADA MAKES NO REDUCTION ON ANY OF THESE ITEMS. Will the Free Press be honest enough to make a correction?

BOURASSA ATTACKS Unscrupulous Attempts to Humbug MOROCCAN CRISIS LOOKS UGLY ANGLOPHOBIA IN GERMAN CAPITAL

Visit of British Officers to French Fortresses Arouses Resentment of Teutons-Germany Expected to Back Down.

(Canada Press)

London, Sept. 1. — A fair amount of war insurance was offered yesterday, and with the market becoming restricted the rates advanced further on the risk of war breaking out between certain European powers within two months. Some risks were accepted at 8 per cent was quoted.

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A Morocco mass meeting was held in Berlin last night, and all accounts indicate that the gathering resolved itself into a violent demonstration against England. There has been no similar public outburst of Anglophobia in Germany bince the days of the Boer war.

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The Ultimatum.

New York, Ept. 1.—A London cable to the Times this morning says:

"Uultimatum" is the term used in London to describe the character of the written instructions which the French ambassador at Berlin, Jules Cambon, carried from Paris, on his return to his post yesterday, to resume the negotiations on the Morocan question.

The word has an ugly sound, and its use is avoided by the newspapers this morning, but throughout yesterday, ever since the Echo de Paris published an article summarizing the draft of the instructions for M. Cambon, drawn up by the French cabinet, no hesitation was shown here in so interpreting them. One paper, indeed, goes the length of speaking of "the ultimatum concessions that France can offer to Germany in ex-

DASTARDLY ATTEMPT MADE TO POISON POPE'S CHAPLAIN

Prominent Italian Prelate Falls to Floor in Convulsions After Partaking of Sacred Wine, and Incident Causes Panic.

[Canadian Press.]

New York, Sept. 1.—A cable from Rome to the world says: Reports reached the Vatican today of an attempt made yesterday to murder Mgr. Catania, Sicily, while he was celebrating mass in the cathedral at Agira. Poiron had been placed in the sacred wine.

The attempt recalls the days of the Rorgias. The chalice and a part of the wine have been sent to an analyst. A canon of the cathedral has been delived in the sum of the cathedral has been delived in the sum of the cathedral has been delived in the sum of the cathedral has been delived in the sum of the cathedral has been delived in the sum of the cathedral has been delived in the sum of the cathedral has been delived in the sum of the cathedral has been delived in the sum of the cathedral has been delived in the sum of the cathedral has been delived in the sum of the cathedral has been delived in the sum of the cathedral has been delived in the sum of the cathedral has been delived in the sum of the cathedral has been delived in the sum of the cathedral has been delived in the sum of the sum of

CONTRACTOR DODD SPEAKS OF GEORGIA PINE INCIDENT

Absurd to Try to Make Political Capital Out of Fact That Lumber Is Being Us d in St. Martin's Church-Comes In Free of Duty Now.

"In almost every house there is some to me that it was an absurd thing to try to make anti-reciprocity capital out of he fact that Georgia pine was being sed in the new St. Martin's Church in South London," said J. G. Dodd, the contractor to an Advertiser reporter this norming.

"I do not see that they made any ioint by publishing the article," confined Mr. Dodd. "The fact is, as any contracts out in the Canada for twenty tears free of duty. It is specified in many contracts such as the John Garty warehouse, and when it is ordered it is because it is known to be a tronger pine than our Canadian pine. In all these twenty years I have never heard a man in the lumber business, compiain that it had any harmful influence on the business, and as it still comes in free, the man who wants to have it in his house cannot be said to suffer.

THE WEATHER

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THE WEATHER.

TOMORROW-WARMER

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FORECASTS.
Toronto, Sept. 1-8 a.m.
Today—Moderate southerly and southwesterly winds: fine and warm today and on Saturday.

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Following are the highest temperatures yesterday and the lowest this morning: Stations.
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MAYOR BEATTIE MADE FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

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Lower St. Lawrence and Gulf—Moderate to fresh easterly winds; loculdy and cool, with showers.

Maritime Provinces — Fresh to strong easterly winds; cool and cloudy, with rain, Superior—Fine, much the same temperature.

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CHARGE OF ARSON DISMISSED MURRAY GUILTY OF ASSAULT

MAJ. BEATTIE REFUSES TO MEET

Correspondence Between Mr. McEvoy

and Mr. Beattie

The following correspondence will Association, Dr. George Fraser, Yours, speak for itself. Relative to the pro-

London Junction Man Was Not Found Guilty of Burning His Home Some Weeks Ago-Wife Asked That He Be Well Punished.

question raised by Judge Macbeth n the county court this morning, in connection with the case of Thomas

/ "Can a man not set his own house on fire, if he so desires, without be hastily referred to.

Attention was called to the fact that Murray did not own the house Beattle of London, who was presiding. he was living in, and the complexion of the case being thus largely altered,