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*God is in His heaven,
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—BROWNING.

London, Friday, July 8.

THE CELEBRATION.

Domino Day was well observed throughout Canada. The maple leaf, the distinctive emblem of the new nationality, was generally exhibited in London and other centers of population. It typifies the growth of the national sentiment, and coupled with the protestations of the orators that Canadian interest ought at all times to be the first consideration of Canadians, betokens the strong growth of the feeling in favor of independent nationality.

There need be no misgivings as to the future of this land if the people are true to themselves. We are convinced that, despite temporary drawbacks, the Commonwealth of Canada, formed in the closest friendly alliance with Great Britain and the United States, will naturally and peacefully evolve from the present condition of affairs. Hon. Geo. Brown, the leader in the movement for the consideration of the Province, did not live in vain. The reforms that he inaugurated, or compelled others to inaugurate, will bear good fruit in the coming years, and not the least significant outcome of the life and labors of that great Liberal will be the firm establishment of the new Canadian Nation in this much-favored land.

THE MILITIA CAMP.

Three months ago the subsidized organ of the Dominion Government announced that the annual camp of the militia in the London district would be held in St. Thomas. A strange reason was given for the choice of that locality and for the ignoring of the permanent camping grounds, bought in London in 1886, as the Free Press has again and again assured us, for the purpose of "an annual camp." The explanation for the change, the Conservative organ has said, lies in the fact that in the coming election trial for East Elgin Mr. Ingram is likely to be unequaled and the camp will be taken to St. Thomas as a bribe to the electors to vote for him in the resulting bye-election. This explanation is given by the chief Conservative organ of the Province. It is a shameful confession. What think the Conservative London merchants about it? Surely no independent elector, either in this constituency or in East Elgin, can countenance this avowed attempt to turn the militia force into a political agency for the bolstering up of discredited Parliamentary weaklings.

DOMINION DAY IN PARLIAMENT.

The insane rush to the country on a false issue, in which the high tax leaders in the Dominion Parliament indulged last March, has brought no end of trouble and inconvenience to the new Parliament. Everybody now admits that the Conservative leaders had no grounds but their own fears of ripening public opinion to prematurely dissolve Parliament at the time of the year when a summer session of the House would be a necessary consequence. A summer session is always objectionable. It seriously interferes with the private business of members. It is expensive to the country because of the massing of holidays and the consequent multiplicity of adjournments. Church and other holidays have become so frequent, indeed, that when Dominion Day came, two days after a church holiday decreed by the rulers, there was an indisposition to loaf away the time in Ottawa, and the House decided to go on with business as usual. This is not as it should be, yet it seems to us that the members of the House, being deterred by the bungling of the Government from celebrating the national holiday with their friends, rightfully resolved to go on with business. It should be many a long day before the House is called at so late an hour as to necessitate a repetition of this year's Dominion Day experience at the capital.

BARCLAY, the defaulting Philadelphia treasurer, explains his conduct by the assertion that he only "commingled" his money with that of the public. Unfortunately for both parties to the transaction the money remained "commingled" until it was all dissipated.

THE ELECTION TRIALS.

The legal long vacation has begun, and no sitting of the Court of Appeal will be held till the 15th of September, unless the judges sit before then to fix the dates for the Dominion election trials. These trials must take place within six months from the date of the election, unless the court decides to postpone them.

STILL MENACING CANADIAN CREDIT.

"A Guinea pig," in the modern English acceptance of the expression, is the name applied to needy or greedy men of title or position who loan their names to new enterprises, often of the most questionable character, on condition that they are retained as directors and receive certain stated fees.

Sir Charles Tupper, Canadian High Commissioner in England, added the title of "Guinea pig" to his other handles. He did not profit by his exposure in the Three Rivers Direct scandal, in which he figured as the boomer of a company that has been strongly denounced both in and out of the law courts, and the other day his name appeared on "The Waterloo and Gascon Railway Corporation." On June 15, the London Financial Times called attention to the standing of this speculation in strong terms, asserting that there was but one of two courses to pursue—the directors, it said, must "either cancel the allotment or put the company at once into liquidation."

It will be noticed that the directors have not shown their faith in the concern by subscribing largely for the shares; the total of the nine directors amount to only 1,243 shares, while from the list supplied on May 12, 1891, Sir Charles Tupper does not appear to have acquired the necessary qualification. They are to be congratulated upon their discretion, at the same time the smallness of their holdings does not relieve them of their responsibilities to the genuine shareholders, even though it be at the expense of the gentlemen who masquerade under the title of New Founders' Shares.

It is not about time that Sir Charles Tupper should resolve to turn over a new leaf? The taxpayers of Canada pay him a large sum of money annually to look after their interests in Great Britain, and they expect that if his best energies are not devoted to the duties of his office, he should at least abstain from bringing the good name of Canada into disrepute by giving his countenance, as representative of the Dominion, to enterprises of the description so strongly criticised by the metropolitan financial journal. It is not anybody's business what Sir Charles Tupper does with his own money, but everybody must recognize the impropriety of his conduct in aiding shady speculations by loaning his name for a monetary consideration. The High Commissioner has cut a sorry figure as a decoy duck for unwary investors. His conduct is a distinct menace to legitimate Canadian enterprise. Do his employers endorse it?

WHAT THE "ADVERTISER" THINKS ABOUT IT.

THE Toronto Empire assails the Liberals who voted that the House of Commons should sit on Dominion Day. The organ has a fine sense of fair play. By consulting the division list it will find that four members of the Cabinet and such stalwart Conservatives as Messrs. Duffin, Dawson, Desjardins, Mara, Montague and O'Brien voted with the Liberals. Their action, of course, was unexceptional.

THE Montreal Gazette is overjoyed because it has discovered that "the latest trade returns show that Canada's exports are increasing and her imports falling off." We fail to see that there is anything to rejoice in. If it were possible for the exports to keep increasing and the imports to keep falling off for any length of time we would soon be beggared. Fortunately sooner or later, the exports and imports balance themselves.

"KNOXONIAN" thinks the Presbyterian General Assembly needs something to enable it to get satisfactorily through its great amount of business. Try the time-limiter for speakers. The best discussion of the last Assembly was that respecting the Summer College proposal, and it was distinctly improved by the ten and five minute rule, enforced by bell. But let the time-limit be enforced from the Assembly's opening day. P. S.—The time-limit should be adopted in all gatherings where a considerable number of speakers have to be heard.

IT came out in Parliament yesterday that the Dominion Government is paying two eminent lawyers, (Messrs. Oler and Henry) to defend Sir Hector Langevin and his department in the McGreevy-Langevin scandal investigation. The retention of these noted criminal counsel scarcely goes on all fours with the explanation of the Conservative newspapers which have been protesting that there is really nothing in the charges made. The propriety of paying Sir Hector's lawyers' fees may well be questioned.

OF A TRUTH.
(Hamilton Herald.)
The more revenue Mr. Foster raises from the excise duties the longer it will be before prohibition comes. The country is depending more and more on the excise duties for its hard cash.

THEY ARE SLANDERED.
(Toronto Telegram.)
The loyalty of Liberals has been attested by their suffering and their sacrifices on every one of the few battlefields in Canadian history. They have never failed Canada in the hour of her country's need, and with their record standing as a proof of their loyalty, Liberals cannot fairly be denounced as traitors by their political opponents.

THE WORKING WORLD.

Six hundred and fifty employees of the Union and Lake Erie Mills Company, Chicago, struck yesterday.

This (Thursday) morning 3,500 additional Clyde ironmen struck against the proposed reduction of 5 per cent. in wages.

The Swansea Tinplate Union has decided against striking for an advance of wages in August, on the ground that it is advisable that tin plates be cheap in order to face the American competition.

In spite of the orders of the Shipbuilders' Union several thousand Clyde iron men struck on Wednesday against the proposed reduction of wages.

The Supreme Council of the Federation of Railway Employees that met at Terre Haute, Ind., adjourned Wednesday evening. Grand Master Sergeant, of the firm, was elected president, and John A. Hall, secretary of the Switchmen's Mutual Aid Association, was elected secretary.

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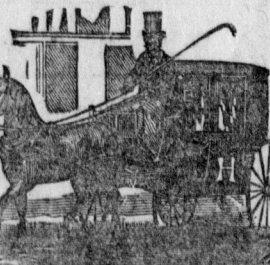
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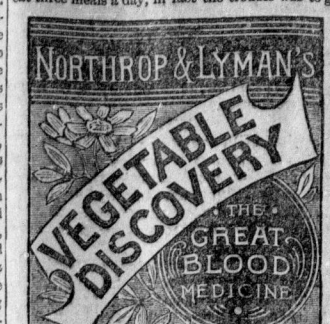
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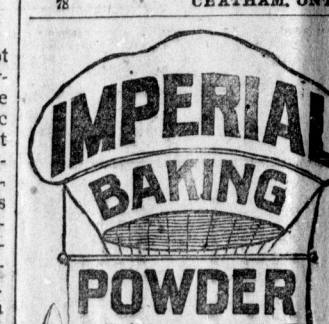
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