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PROVINCIAL POLITICS
The Liberals of Restigouche have nominated Hon. C. H. LaBillica and Mr. A. E. G. McKenzie as their candidates for the provincial elections.

The lumber operators on the St. John river have had an exceptionally favorable log-driving season. Practically all of the logs are said to be in safe water.

These Germans are a fierce lot. They are trying to break up the alliance between France and Russia, threatening England, and making plans of the fortifications at St. John. Where's the old musket?

Many older Canadians will learn with regret of the death of Lieut.-General Laurie. He had a distinguished career in Canada, both as a military commander and as a man in public life.

Richeson, the murderer, went quietly and firmly to his death this morning. It is probable that much that was written about him in his last days was not true.

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Mr. John T. Hawke became the owner of the Moncton Transcript twenty-five years ago. He has not only prospered as a journalist, but has exerted a strong influence as a champion of the Liberal party.

Of the visit to Canada by the touring party of British manufacturers and financiers, the Financial News of London says: "On the last day of the present month the famous Canadian Pacific liner 'Empress of Ireland' will leave for Canada with a distinguished party of British manufacturers and financiers."

There can be no doubt that the commander of the Bremen has accurate plans of Fort Howe, Fort Dufferin, the Martello Tower, D'Arceville battery, Red Head battery and the cannon on Queen Square.

Therefore the citizens need not trouble themselves about this uninvited visit by a German cruiser. The Kaiser may show his teeth, but Mr. Borden and the flag-shoppers are on the ramparts, with a naval policy, and Canada is safe.

There is a tory revolt in Halifax. Some four hundred representatives of the party have met and denounced the patronage committee, and called upon Mr. Borden to cut off his head.

Mr. Balfour, in a speech in London yesterday, said he was a profound believer in the truth that local patriotism, properly understood, was no obstacle to a larger patriotism.

The Moncton Liberals will meet tomorrow to nominate a candidate, and the Liberal convention for Westmorland county will be held in Sackville next Monday.

It is a curious fact that the countries of the tallest and the shortest people of Europe—the Norwegians and the Lapps—adjoin each other.

KING COLE TEA
You'll like the flavor

THE ENGLISHMAN
Born in the flesh, and bred in the bone,
Some of us harbour still
A New World pride, and we flaunt our
hide.

For under the front that seems so cold,
And the voice that is wont to storm,
We are certain to find a big broad mind
And a heart that is soft and warm.

He slams his door in the face of the world,
He will even cry; but he opens his
purse
To the poor, and the sick, and the old.

IN LIGHTER VEIN
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IN USE
Wife: Garoing, bring me—aportier
not, some of that (points to menu).
Walter: Sorry, madam, but so hand eye
playin' sat just now!

THE PROMOTER
The promoter is a pleasant chap,
With over smiling lips;
He'll furnish all the cocon,
If you'll supply the ships!

GONE ALOFT
Lieutenant—Where's the new recruit
gone to?
Private—Don't know, sir. I heard him
asking for some gunnition to sew a but-
ton on his tunic with, and I haven't seen
him since!

PROBABLY LAST
"Title—Hardup bought his wife a new
machine.
Title—Touring, talking, sewing or
washing?
"Title—Take two letters from 'money
and one will be left.
"Title—Is that a joke?"

"Well, I know of a fellow who took
money from two letters and it was no
joke. He got twice months in jail.
"Title—What is the difference
between a close friend and a dear friend?"
Pa—"A close friend, my son, is one
who will lend you any money, while a
dear friend is one who borrows all you
will stand for."

"Statistics show that a marriage takes
place in this country every half-second,"
said the learned-looking gent.
"Dear, dear me," sighed the elderly
maiden. "And Timothy has been coming
to see me for thirteen years!"

Joe—"And you mean to say that Jack
has not married Miss Brown? Why, the
girl was absolutely throwing herself at
him the last time I saw them!"
James—"My dear fellow, did you ever
know a girl who could throw straight?"

Go back, O hat of other days,
To shelter where we found you,
Safe from our coldly modern gaze,
Your spiky scents around you,
For with some gallant, ardent swain,
When midnight chimes emphatic,
Your sweet old ghost may come again
To walk the attic.

A CHANGE OF MIND
"Boo! woo! how! woo-woo!"
"Hang that dog!" exclaimed Scribber,
closing the window with a bang. "If there
is anything I do detest, it's a yelping
cur!"
"Boo! woo! how! woo-woo-woo!"
"Boo! woo! how! woo-woo-woo!"
"Boo! woo! how! woo-woo-woo!"
"Boo! woo! how! woo-woo-woo!"
"Great Scott!" yelled Scribber, throw-
ing up the window, with a shout of gloe.
"Is it a fight? Go it, little dog! Go it, lit-
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And he leant out of the window for an
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" 14 Tuesday - - - 11,682
" 15 Wednesday - - - 11,613
" 16 Thursday - - - 11,510
" 17 Friday - - - 11,542
" 18 Saturday - - - 11,589
Week's Total - - - 69,558
Average Daily - - - 11,592
Mr. Advertiser:—If your Ad. isn't in the
Times to-day, hadn't you better call, write,
or telephone? Think it over.

MIGHT HAVE BEEN WISER
"What a boy" are to ask questions. I never used to ask so many ques-
tions when I was a boy."
"Perhaps if you had, dad, you might be able to answer some of mine!"
London Opinion.

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