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THE SEMI-WEEKLY TELEGRAPH, ST. JOHN, N. B., APRIL, 7 1900.

MEN'S SPRING OVERCOATS.

An Overcoat is more easily fitted than any other garment. Understanding this, many men will buy an overcoat ready-made, even when they have an unreasoning prejudice against ready-made clothes in general. The fabric, an act indicating great independence, rather than the most slavish partisanship. dice against ready-made clothes in general. The fabric, er than the most slavish partisanship. The joy of these journals is wholly due to the fact that the Tory senators are yet to be depended upon to make minority rule in this country possible.

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purpose. I never could get it into more readily cultivated than in Ire-was not included, and in other cases lead where he was to get the freight land. The Oueen is beginning late to do no freight appeared as having been paid, a. What railway was going to hand over the necessary freight for the purof filling up that elevator which he ong to build on the north shore of the land. The Queen is beginning late to do her duty to Ireland, but we hope that she may live to pay several annual visits to may live to pay several annual visits to the Emerald Isles. And when the Prince t line to the port of St. John? It is at useless expenditure, and by a party was no necessity. But now they se to go further and to expend a

r. Haggart has a good deal more to ers the points he made in the course is remarks. It is easy to see that if Tories get into power the terminal ks at the Intercolonial will be stopped that even if they should be completed se would be made of them.

HE QUEEN'S VISIT TO IRELAND.

ler Majesty, Queen Victoria will land acquaintance with a land which she not visited before for about half a tury. Yet Ireland at one point is nearthe Island of Great Britain than St. to the coast of Ireland may be travesting portion of the United King-

tch and there is no part of the em- built by that company the statement ition. Mr. Emmerson has no control over of the graduates or of both?

ow the minister of railways intends pre where a feeling in favor shows that no lumber was charged. In of Scotland and England.

A BIG CRY-BABY.

It is really too bad that Mr. Hazen, of his charges, should "cry-baby." His yesterday which contained nearly as many Kingstown, Ireland, today and renew falsehoods as it did lines, and all through in is to the shores of Nova Scotia and the production of witnesses the latter distance from Port Patrick in Scot- might have been able to have made out a held by every person having anything to then has it happened that the Sun says that reports published by news- the prosecution have actually been supn's visits to Ireland have been so innt and that France and Italy have ticularly The Telegraph, distorted the evicotland has long enjoyed the royal It cannot give any proof, and while it proor and the palace she built at Balmoral fesses to believe that its statement with been the Queen's favorite residence respect to papers supporting the governmany years. Why has not Ireland had ment are true, it has not been honest enoyal palace also in which the Queen ough up to the present moment to admit er shrunk from the performance of the mittee had never examined the accounts their statements were founded on facts donations that go to McGill University s of her station as she understood in connection with the permanent bridges, or not. The New Brunswick bridge m or as they were pointed out to her when as a matter of fact the accounts builders gave the committee every inforwe presume that she has not gone to had all been before the committee and mation with respect to their profits, and \$200,000 more for the purpose of enlarging we presume that she has not gone to land all been before the committee and thoroughly examined. Without taking up thoroughly examined. Without taking up each point of the Sun's article, we may each point of r way she would have gone and her instead of receiving only \$3.86 per hunto Ireland would have been frequent. tainly if their advice had been the say that the Hamilton Bridge Company, portant industry in this province, be alto Ireland would have been frequent. dred pounds for the bridges built by them people? a great pity that this advice was not as stated in the Sun, actually received The Sun seems to be very much exerfor it would have smoothed over more than \$6.00 per hundred pounds. The cised because Premier Emmerson did not

dollars for of the throne could have been seven or eight bridges the cost of erection land. The Queen is beginning late to do no freight appeared as having been paid, of Wales becomes king, as he will in the the information that one of the course of time, it is probable that he will largest bridges in the whole statement was take up his abode in Ireland for a part composed entirely of old iron; and from of every year. The Irish are a generous the difference of cost of shopwork in people, easily soured by neglect, but re- bridges of the same class there must have sponsive in the highest degree to kindness been similar circumstances in other inand attention. The presence of royalty in stances. Then in addition to this, more Ireland would draw absentee landlords than three-fourths of all the bridges in the back to their estates, and remove one list furnished by Mr. Roy were riveted of the greatest evils of the old system, bridges which, according to Mr. Roy's and it would cause the Irish people to feel own statement, are bridges which that they were not being overlooked, but should cost one and a half on the same subject, but the above stood on an equal footing with the people cents per pound less than pin bridges, which were the class of bridges erected by the Record Foundry. With respect to the Sun's dishonest wail that Mr. Murphy, the government engineer of Nova Scotia, had not been summoned, it is a fact known finding that the bottom has dropped out to every member of the investigating committee that a summons for that gentle-St. John organ, the Sun, had an editorial man was issued by Chairman Carvell and delivered to Mr. Hazen the first day the committee met. Mr. Hazen afterwards informed the committee that he had sent the article there is a tone of supplication the summons to Mr. Murphy and had which suggests that if the government had considerable correspondence on the subbeen willing to have assisted Mr. Hazen in ject. It is also a fact that the chairman expressly agreed to allow evidence as to stronger case against the government. The do with the bridges, and the counsel for

cerned in getting all witnesses subpoenaed to testify, why did he not call Mr. Archi bald, who is believed to be the father of these bridge charges on whose evidence Mr. Hazen is known to have counted much? Mr. Hazen has been driven into the last ditch, and it would be more man ly on his part to acknowledge that there was no earthly foundation for his charges, than to treat the public to the exhibition that he is giving them of "crying baby."

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

It is very amusing to read in Tory papers an act indicating great independence, rath- strength and song.

that ever before would seem to indicate that the immigration movement is keeping up. Settlers are coming in large numbers from the United States, and there is also a considerable inflow from Europe. This is something over which we may all

Liberals oppose a policy of mutual preference between Great Britain and Canada.

duty amounting to \$2,000 against him, while the American or Belgian or French manufacturer has to pay \$3,000. There isn't anything"make-believe" about a clean

"The fight by the Liberal party against

would hurt England.

Newspapers opposed to the government rouse your soul to infinite rejoicing, are trying to make it appear that Liberals and that word is "Jesus!" are disputing the proposition that a preference to Canadian products would benefit this country. Liberals are not contending anything of the kind. They believe it would be a benefit. The issue between

of the United States encourage high art. Jesus! Recently a Holy Family by Rubens was imported into the United States at a valuation of 132,000 franes or about \$26,000. The valuation was held to be too low and Cangeral Appraisar Howell has reised it. for undervaluation, making a total import of \$23,000 on a picture originally valued

that company. Mr. Phelps Johnston was and Empire discovers that the premier gives no proof in support of that assertion. company would not allow him to bring in it a sure means of binding England and out consulting his company or anybody earthed we cannot see why there should but perhaps they may not. Sir W. C. McDonald, who has already given so much money to that great institution of learning, is about to add some share it. Our own provincial university, for instance, is in great need of money, gland and Ireland. The Irish people are obliged to hand over to the committee monarchy than either the English or the rally more attached to the principle shows an average cost of more than \$4.00 visit New Brunswick in order to help are wealthy, have done little or nothing for it. Is this the fault of the college or

MELODIOUS HARMONY

INTRODUCED BY CHRIST INTO EVERY LIFE THAT HE ENTERS.

INFLUENCE OF INFANT SONGS.

Saviour the Theme of Myriads of Tuneful Tengues-Natures' Sublime

Washington, April 1. — In this discourse Dr. Talmage shows how Christ brings harmony and melody into every life that he enters; text, Psalm exviii, 14, "The Lord is my

The most fascinating theme for a ever is grand, bright and beautiful would seem to indicate if you only listen to it will speak his praise. So when in the summer

sin of the world."

Over the old fashioned pulpits there was a sounding board. The voice of the minister rose to the sounding board and then was struck back again upon the ears of the people. And so the 10,000 voices of the people. The property of the heavens a struck to the sounding board and the heavens a sounding board and the heavens a earth rising up find the heavens a sounding board which strikes back to ing the British market would probably be the ear of all nations the praises of helpful to us; but what we are able to Christ. The heavens tell his glory, do without disturbance, England could not do without a revolution, involving serious risks to her industrial status.

Some journals opposed to the government refer to the new preferential tariff as a "make-believe" affair. It may so to the Tory who finds his political expections. It put infinite pathos into the speech of un-

and your fortunes smile and your pathway blossoms and the overarching heavens drop upon you their ben-ediction, speak the praises of Jesus. "The fight by the Liberal party against a British preference for us is waxing fierce. By the St. John Telegraph it is declared that a return preference would be an 'economic crime.'"—[Mail and Empire.

The Mail and Empire may put it in that way if it likes; but what we did say was way if it likes; but what we did say was the propers.

The Mail and Empire may put it in that way if it likes; but what we did say was the propers of their orations they would stop and cry out "Marathon!" and the people's enthusiasm would be unthe people woul that a heavy tax on the operatives of Eng-gland, which would destroy the industrial bounded. My hearers, though you status of the mother country, would be may have been borne down with sin, an economic crime. And so it would. It an economic crime. And so it would. It temptation may have come upon you, would hurt Canada just as much as it and you feel to-day hardly like looking up, methinks there is one grand, royal, imperial word that ought to

anything of the kind. They believe it song. What our mothers sang to us when they put us to sleep is singing would be a benefit. The issue between would be a benefit. The issue between parties is not on that view of the matter. The government is giving Great Britain of our soul and will forever be a a preference in our market irrespective part of it. It is not so much what of what the latter may do in return. The Conservative declaration of policy is that Canada should do nothing until the mother country gives us an equivalent concession in her market. The division is over the pound of flesh which the Tories are bound to have.

The duty on the paintings of the old masters entering the United States is 20 per the pound of flesh which the Tories are bound your name on the tombstone your great grandchildren will be singing the song which last night you sang to your little ones gathered about your knee. There is a place in Switzerland where, if you distinctly cent. This duty is imposed to protect the modern American painter against the "pauper labor" of such men as Michael, so Angelo, Titian Rubens and Raphael, so OOO echoes coming back from all the car of her child shall have 10,that any rich American who wants a work gates of heaven. Oh. if mothers of art may be compelled to buy it from the native "dauber" rather than purchase an old master. Thus does the congress

General Appraiser Howell has raised it to 198,000 francs and imposed a penalty for undervaluation. keep your boys and girls in the house expressly agreed to allow evidence as to the stock of the Record Foundry Company held by every person having anything to the stock of the Record Foundry Company held by every person having anything to the stock of the Record Foundry Company held by every person having anything to the stock of the Record Foundry Company held by every person having anything to the stock of the Record Foundry Company held by every person having anything to the stock of the Record Foundry Company held by every person having anything to the stock of the Record Foundry Company held by every person having anything to the stock of the Record Foundry Company held by every person having anything to the stock of the Record Foundry Company held by every person having anything to the stock of the Record Foundry Company held by every person having anything to the stock of the Record Foundry Company held by every person having anything to the stock of the Record Foundry Company held by every person having anything to the stock of the Record Foundry Company held by every person having anything to the stock of the Record Foundry Company held by every person having anything to the stock of the Record Foundry Company held by every person having anything to the stock of the Record Foundry Company held by every person having anything to the stock of the Record Foundry Company held by every person having anything to the stock of the stock of the Record Foundry Company held by every person having anything to the stock of the st scathing, blasting, damning influence Sir Wilfrid Laurier has been detected in another anti-British scheme. The Mail the another anti-British scheme. The Mail the remarks of the street! I know of no counteracting influence but the power of Christian culture and example. Hold before your little ones the pure life Let that name be the preferred as places of resort to this dence taken at the investigation, but it and it now seems foolish to say that the Atlantic steamship service because he saw word that shall exercise evil from their hearts. Give to your instruc-tion all the fascinations of music any additional evidence when according to his own testimony he picked out some to his own testimony he picked out some the believed there were other causes; but leave believed the cause of the to his own testimony he picked out some fifteen plans at Mr. Hazen's request, with now that the real reason has been unportant if your children grow up, now that the real reason has been upportant if your children grow up, now that the real reason has been upportant if your children grow up, out consulting his company or anybody else.

earthed we cannot see why there should be any delay in sending S:r Wilfrid to be wanting that child. Then there will be a soundless step in the dweloyal palace also in which the Queen that its own reports slandered several that its own reports slandered several witnesses, particularly Mr. Winslow, putting into that gentleman's mouth state
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The Queen has witnesses, particularly Mr. Winslow, put these witnesses on the stand to tell a one-sided steamship service and failed. The murder is out on both of them. They can employ their time in learning Dutch from Cronje.

The Queen has be lifted for help. You cannot help. And a great agony will pinch at your heart, and the cradle will be empty, and the nursery will be empty, and the world will be empty, and the world will be empty. And a great agony will pinch at your heart, and the cradle will be your soul will be empty. No strange and wondering questions soms on the top of it and bitter des olation and sighing at nightfall with no one to put to bed. The heavenly Shenherd will take that

> There are minds that naturally reconcile oppositions, to whom contradictions are

Easier to love than hate. No friction like

lamb safely anyhow, whether you have been faithful or unfaithful, but anything more beautiful than this about a child's departure. The account said, "She folded her hands, kissed her mother goodby, sang her hymn, turned her face to the wall, said her little prayer and then died"

Of, if I could would it not have been pleasanter if from one of heaven's great doxologies! In my parish in Philadelphia a little child was departing. She had been sick all her days and a cripple. was noonday when she went, and, as the shadow of death gathered on her eyelid she thought it was evening and time to go to bed, and so she and time to go to bed, and so she said, "Good night, papa! Good night, mamma!" And then she was gone! It was "good night" to pain and "good night" to death and "good night" to earth, but it was "good morning" to Jesus—it was "good morning" to Jesus—it was "good morning" to Jesus—it was "good morning" to heaven. I can think of no cradle song more beautiful than

I next speak of Christ as the old man's song. Quick music loses its charm for the aged ear. The school-girl asks for a schottish or a glee, but her grandmother asks for "Balerma" or the "Portuguese Hymn.". Fifty years of trouble have tamed the spirit, and the keys of the music board must have a solemn tread. Though the voice may be tremulous, so that grandfather will not trust it in church, still he has the psalm book open before him, and he sings with his soul. He hums his grandchild asleep with the same tune he sang 40 years ago in the old country meeting house. Some day the choir sings a tune so old that the young people do not know it, but it starts the tears down the cheek of the aged man, for it reminds him of the revival scene in which he partici-pated and of the radiant faces that long since went to dust and of the gray-haired minister leaning over the pulpit and sounding the good tidings of great joy.

I was one Thanksglving day in my pulpit in Syracuse, and Rev. Daniel

waldo, at 98 years of age, stood beside me. The choir sang a tune. It said, "I am sorry they sang that new tune; nobody seems to know it."
"Bless you, my son," said the old man, "I heard that 70 years ago."
There was a song to-day that touched the life of the aged with holy fire and kindled a glory on their vision that your younger eyesight vision that your younger eyesight with the song of saland the overarch- vision that your younger eyesight cannot see. It was the song of sal-vation—Jesus, who fed them all their was dying, his mind already having gone out. He said, "No." And the son said, "Father, do you know me?" He said, "No." The daughter said, "Father, do you know me?"
He said, "No." The minister of the gospel standing by said, "Do you know Jesus?" "Oh, yes," he said, know Jesus?" "Oh, yes," he said,
"I know him, 'chief among 10,000, the one altogether lovely!" Blessed the Bible in which spectacled old age reads the promise, "I will never leave you, never forsake you!" Blessed the staff on which the wornout pil-grim totters on toward the welcome

of his Redeemer!
I speak to you again of Jesus as the night song. Job speaks of him who giveth songs in the night. John Welch, the old Scotch minister, used to put a plaid across his bed on cold nights, and some one asked him why he put that there. He said, "Oh, sometimes in the night I want to sing the praise of Jesus and to get down and pray. Then I take that plaid and wrap it around me to keep myself from the cold." Songs in the night! Night of trouble has come down upon many of you. Com-mercial losses put out one star, slanderous abuse puts out another star, domestic bereavement has put out 1,000 lights, and gloom has been added to gloom and chill to chill and sting to sting, and one midnight has seemed to borrow the fold from another midnight to wrap itself in more unbearable darkness, but Christ has spoken peace to your heart, and you

Jesus, lover of my soul,
Let me to thy bosom fly,
While the billows near me roll,
While the tempest still is high.
Hide me, O my Saviour! Hide
Till the storm of life is past,
Safe into the haven guide:
Oh, receive my soul at last.

Songs in the night! Songs in the one to turn the hot pillow, no one to put the taper on the stand, no one to put ice on the temples or pour out the soothing anodyne or utter one cheerful word. Yet songs in the night! For the poor, who freeze in the winter's cold and swelter in the summer's heat and munch the hard crusts that bleed the sore gums and shiver under blankets that cannot any longer be patched and tremble because rent day is come and they may be set out on the sidewalk and look-ing into the starved face of the child and seeing famine there and death there, coming home from the bakery and saying in the presence of the little famished one, "Oh, my God, flour has gone up!" Yet songs in the night! Songs in the night! Songs in the night! For the widow who goes to get the back pay of her husband, slain by the sharpshooters, and knows it is the last help she will have, moving out of a comfortable home in desolation, death turning back from the exhausting cough and the pale cheek and the and seeing famine there and death ing cough and the pale cheek and the lusterless eye and refusing all reaway the flies from the fresh wound, no one to take the loving farewell, the groaning of others poured into his own groan, the blasphemy of

In the family of Dr. Redman in Corinna from the measles and now five of his other children are suffering from them and the hired girl is also ill with them .-

I say once more Christ is the everlasting song. The very best singers sometimes get tired, the strongest throats sometimes get weary, an these Christian circles, and I could picture the calm looks and the folded hands and sweet departure, methinks it would be grand and beautiful as my parish in Dail of the calm looks are departured in the praces of the praces o ially appropriate for the home cir-cle. They stir the soul, they start the tears, they turn the heart in on itself and keep sounding after tune has stopped, like some cathedral bell which, long after the tap of the brazen tongue has ceased, keefs throbbing on the air. Well, it will he a nome song in heaven, all us in the domestic circle on earth shall join that great harmony.

wheat came into the barn and when they get the crops in, and so in heaven it will be a harvest song, on the part of those who on earth sowed in tears and reaped in joy. Lift up your heads, ye everlasting gates, and let the sheaves come in! Angels shout all through the heavens, and multitudes come down the hills crying: "Harvest home! Harvest

There is nothing more bewitching to one's ear than the song of sailors far out at sea, whether in day or night, as they pull away at the ropes—not much sense often in the words they utter, but the music is So the song in heaven sailer's song. They were will be a sailer's song. voyagers once and thought could never get to shore, and before they could get things snug and trim the cyclone struck them. But now they are safe. Once they went with damaged rigging, guns of distress booming through the storm, but the pilot came aboard, and he brought them into the harbor. Now they

sand millions of the little ones are standing before God. When they sing, the millions and the millions of the little ones-ah, that will be music for you! These played in the streets of Babylon and Thebes; these plucked lilies from the foot of Olivet while Christ was preaching about them; these waded in Siloam; these these were thrown to crocodiles or into the fire; these came up from dlings on the city commons-children in the towers, children on the seas of glass, children on the battlein vast majority. And what a song when they lift it around about the

of all ages will be there to join in that song. Thomas Hastings will be there. Lowell Mason will be there. Reethoven and Mozart will be there. the trumpets in the ancient temples that stood at the ancient dedication will be there. The 200 singers that assisted on that day will Patriarchs who lived amid thrashing floors, shepherds who watched amid Chaldean hills, prophets who walkparel, pronouncing woe against ancient abominations, will meet the more recent martyrs who went up with leaping cohorts of fire; and some will speak of the Jesus of the Jesus for whom they died. Oh, what a song! It came to John upon prison, it dropped to Ridley in fire, and sometimes that song has come to your ear, perhaps, for I

over the battlements of heaven.

A Christain woman, the wife of a minister, was dying in the par-sonage near the old church, where on Saturday night the choir used to assemble and rehearse for the following Sabbath, and she said: "How strange-ly sweet the choir rehearses to-night about her. "the choir is not rehearsing to-night." "Yes," she said, "I know they are. I hear them singing. How very sweetly they sing!" Now, it was not a choir of earth that she heard, but the choir of heaven. I think that Jesus sometimes sets ajar that rapture greets our ears. tremendous strain the walls of jasper cannot hold it.

I was reading of the battle of Agin-

court, in which Henry V. figured, and story of the Saviour's love and the Saviour's deliverance shall we not lief. Yet songs in the night! Songs in the night! For the soldier in the field hospital, no surgeon to bind up thy name be the glory!" "Until the day break and the shadows flee away turn our beloved and be thou like a roe or a young hart upon the mountains of Bether."

> broke into a house with Ragged Carl and we stole 200 marks, and the scoundrel has run away with my half! There ain't and honest people any more!"-[Der Dorfbar-