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mers of Canada.
It will result in further inspiring the
confidence of British Investors in the
stability of the business of Canada.

FRIDAY, JULY 17, 1914.
MULTIPLICITY OF ELECTIONS.

Direct legislation, lauded by reformers
as the best and only means of
obtaining a full and fair expression of
public opinion on big issues that crop
up from time to time, is apparently
not meeting with the success that was
predicted for it in its cradle in the
United States, remarks the Ottawa
Journal. The New York Times is
authority for the information that in
Seattle the other day, only one-tenth
of the voters approved a city charter.
One-fourth voted against it, and three-
fourths did not vote. In the spring 40-
500 citizens voted for the drawing of
the charter. But in the summer only
20,000 of them were sufficiently inter-
ested to go to the polls and approve
or disapprove of it. The Times de-
duces from this that the citizens of
the Far West are becoming tired of
the constant attendance at the polls
which direct legislation demands. "In
theory," says the Times, "questions
will be submitted to the people only
when they are of importance; in practice
any body of small and noisy think-
ers can inflict some new proposition
upon the rest for decision, at any time
they feel like it. The result is that
our western fellow-citizens spend their
lives in galloping madly from primary
to primary, from election to election,
from referendum to referendum. They
have no time to breathe between pol-
itics." The Tacoma Ledger, speak-
ing with the authority of experience, is
hardly less critical than the Times.
"The people," says the Ledger, "are
worn out with repeated elections,
special and general. In truth there has
been too much changing of laws and
charters, and of the constitution of this
state. We are at it nearly all the time."

In the State of Oregon, the home of
direct legislation across the border,
there are increasing signs that a
multiplicity of elections are creating
a desire to get back to the old way of
deciding things. It is conceivable that
direct legislation would prove of in-
estimable greater benefit to the public
than the present method of law-mak-
ing, and of obtaining public opinion,
but it seems quite evident that it could
be used as a weapon in the hands of
political demagogues to keep the coun-
try or community in a constant state
of political turmoil and unrest. Elec-
tions are disturbers of business, and
the average man hasn't got the time
or inclination to be eternally trotting
to the polls. These factors at any rate
seem to be working to the disadvan-
tage of direct legislation where it has
been subjected to a practical test.

CARVELL AND BERRY.
The Attorney General lost no time
yesterday in giving the quietus to Mr.
Carvell's foolish pretensions that the
Government could compel W. H. Berry
to return to this province and give
evidence, by informing the Commis-
sion that Berry was no longer a gov-
ernment employee, having absented
himself from its service since the 4th
June, and that the government had
therefore no further control over him.
All the gallery play of Mr. Carvell and
the hysterical demands on the part of
his newspaper organs that Berry be

forcibly fetched back, are thus shown
up. Mr. Carvell, as a lawyer himself,
must have realized all along that there
are no means of compelling Berry to
return if he does not want to; the ut-
most the Government could do would
be to inform him that unless he re-
turned he would lose his position; but
as he had already voluntarily given it
up, even this resort was not available.
Any lawyer will readily appreciate that
the Attorney General's statement is a
correct presentation of the situation.

The notification that plans have
been prepared for the two new con-
crete wharves to be built in this city
and that tenders for the construction
of same will be called for immediately,
will be welcomed by residents and
business men, who realize the great
need there is for this addition to ship-
ping accommodation. Col. McLeod is
to be congratulated on having secured
these facilities for the city.

VANDAL FURY BREAKS OUT AGAIN

Militant Slashes Portrait of
Thomas Carlyle in National
Portrait Gallery.

London, July 17.—A militant suffra-
gette slashed today with a butcher's
cleaver the portraits of Thomas
Carlyle, painted by Sir John Millais,
and hanging in the National Portrait
Gallery. The woman was arrested
after a severe struggle with the at-
tendants, and at the police station
gave her name as Anne Hunt.
The attendants of the Gallery, who
since the occurrence of the recent
militant suffragette outrages in Na-
tional institutions have been keeping
close guard on the treasures under
their care, noticed a young woman
walking from picture to picture, ap-
parently admiring the work of vari-
ous artists. Eventually she came to
the portrait of Carlyle, and then
quickly taking a butcher's cleaver
from the folds of her dress, viciously
attacked the painting. The female van-
dal had succeeded in striking the pic-
ture several blows before the nearest
attendant could reach her, with the
result that it was seriously damaged.
The glass covering it was smashed
and a slit was made in the picture
from the top of Carlyle's head right
through the face to the chin.
The attendants had the greatest diffi-
culty in preventing Miss Hunt from
doing further damage. She struggled
desperately, but eventually was se-
cured and handed over to the police.
She was bleeding profusely from cuts
on her hands caused by the breakings
of the glass.

UNITED TWINS WERE CUT APART

Very Delicate Surgical Opera-
tion Successfully Performed
at Paris.

Paris, July 16.—The two sisters who
were born March 22, joined together
back to back, being united in the lum-
bar region, were cut apart yesterday.
This difficult operation was performed
by Dr. Mignot, assisted by Dr. C. W.
Dubouché. The most delicate part
of the operation was the dissection of
the intestines, which at one point
were united for a space of an inch
and a quarter.

MORGANS LOOK INTO OIL SHALES

Representative in Province with
Eye to Acquisition of Albert
County Properties.

St. John, July 17.—The Pierpont
Morgan interests of New York have
a representative in New Brunswick
now looking into the possibilities of
the oil shale deposits of Albert
county. One of the Morgans recently
reached the province from New York,
but nothing has been given out as to
the subject of his visit. The Gleaner
correspondent learned from the most
reliable sources today that the Mor-
gans are likely to soon pass into com-
plete control of the Albert County
oil shales.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Wilson Webber.
Newcastle, July 17.—The death of
Mrs. Wilson Webber occurred at the
home of her niece, Mrs. Perley Rus-
sell, Thomas street, at an early hour
yesterday morning. About six weeks
ago the deceased was spending an
evening with Mrs. Russell and was
about to leave when she was stricken
with paralysis and on Saturday even-
ing suffered a second stroke, from
which she never rallied. The late
Mrs. Webber was 64 years of age and
was a daughter of the late John Gif-
ford, of Newcastle, but had resided
for some years in Blaine, Maine, and
only recently returned to Newcastle.
She is survived by her husband, one
brother, William H. Gifford, of New-
castle, and five sisters—Mrs. William
Cottier, Dorchester, Mass.; Mrs. W. T.
Boultonhouse, Danville, Que.; Mrs.
Margaret Carruthers, Apponaque, R.
I., and Mrs. James McBride and Mrs.
Anne Sweeney, of Newcastle. The
funeral will take place on Saturday
afternoon at 3 o'clock to St. James'
Presbyterian cemetery.

A little learning is almost as dan-
gerous as a little widow.

The Lighter Side of Life

Teddy's River of Doubt.
(Gov. Elias of Colorado, in
the Farmers' Life and Fruit Journal).
He scoffs at the college professor;
Declares that his strength's on the
office.

Denounces the grape juice of Bryan;
Insists that it's not even sane;
He dreams all his friends back in
office.

And all of his enemies out—
As he dines on a morsel of monkey,
And sails up the River of Doubt.

He revises the Ten Commandments,
And brings them all quite up to date,
Bewails the mistakes of old Moses,
And sighs at poor Lincoln's slow
gait.

While Washington's blundering tactics
Produce a most terrible rout,
As he swallows a wad of monkey,
And sails up the River of Doubt.

In dreams he's enraptured the people,
And all of creation subdued;
To the furthest side of this planet
There's against him not even a feud;
While the world's population will hon-
or.

The angels will bow round about,
As he dines on a diet of monkey
And sails up the River of Doubt.

If ever the Colonel awakens
From delight of his beautiful dream;
If ever in strenuous fashion
His pledges he tries to redeem,
Perhaps he'll discover his error;
And, surely, he'll not take the goat,
If he sticks to a diet of monkey
And sails up the River of Doubt.

Method in it.
He—Why did you say no the first
three times I asked you to be mine?
She—Come I would not, I guard
against marrying a man with no grit
or perseverance.

If She'd Said Yes.
Casey—Did you know Pat Ryan
who's just died?
O'Brien—Oh did! Sure, he was a
beast hearted old man; he wance pro-
posed to me sister Kate.

Belligerent.
Betty—Papa informed me that he
was very much opposed to Jack.
Alice—And what did you say?
Betty—I notified papa that interven-
tion would mean war.

Misled.
The customer in the grocery store
having ruined his clothes, was hop-
ing mad.
"Didn't you see that sign, 'Fresh
Paint'?" asked the grocer.

"Of course I did," snapped the
customer, "but I've seen so many signs
hung here announcing something
fresh that wasn't that I didn't believe
it."

Finding the Leak.
Mistress—Why have you put two
hot water bottles in my bed, Bridget?
Bridget—Sure, mem, wan of them
was leaking, and I didn't know which
so I put both in to make sure.

Feminine Economy.
"Is your wife so very economical
then?"
"Oh, yes, very. Why my wife can
take an old, worn out \$10 hat, spend
\$15 on it, and make it look almost as
good as new."

A Nature Faker.
Tommy—Why do ducks dive?
Harry—Guess they must want to li-
quidate their bills.

CARPENTIER THE BEST WHITE BOXER

British Expert Does Not Think
That He Will Ever Equal
Fitzsimmons.

London, July 17.—A majority of the
papers, commenting on the Carpenter
fight last night, agree that
Smith's foul was wholly uninten-
tional. Several of them say that Re-
feree Corri for some time was of a
mind to continue.

The Daily Telegraph's expert says:
"Descamps by breaking into the ring
violated the rules and the verdict must
have gone to Smith if Corri had not
decided that the American had already
forfeited the fight."

The Daily Mail says that the entire
unintentional blow has left not the
slightest stain on Smith's honor as a
boxer.

The Daily Chronicle says: "Never
was a foul less intentional or more
surprising to the man who dealt it."
Observations to the same effect are
made in virtually all the morning
papers, and although it is generally
agreed that the fight appeared to be
Carpentier's, much sympathy is ex-
pressed for Smith and regret at the
unfortunate ending.

The Morning Post considers that
the combat lasted scarcely long
enough to measure the men's merits
adequately.

Lord Lansdale, seen after the fight,
expressed the opinion that the blow
which resulted in Smith's disqualifi-
cation was due to the fact that Car-
pentier fights low.

Carpentier was greeted with an ova-
tion on returning to his hotel. He
was smiling and apparently not much
the worse for the fight. He had to
bow his thanks from an upper window
before the admiring crowd was will-
ing to disperse.

The Times expert, in describing Car-
pentier's acquisition of a punch and
his round improvement, says:
"He will never become a Fitzsim-
mons, but is perhaps the equal of
Corbett and is now, he should say, the
best white boxer in the world. He
has the pace, intelligence and lissom
compact necessary, that all American
big men lack, and is perhaps destined
to expose the inadequacy of the cur-
rent American idea as to the best type

A Great Saving.
She—What would you do if I were
to die?
The Brute—Open a banking ac-
count.

Reason Enough.
The Young Bride—I didn't accept
him the first time he proposed.
Miss Ryval (slightly envious)—I
know you didn't, dear.

The Young Bride—How do you
know?
Miss Ryval—You weren't there.

Next, Please.
Shop Forewoman (to great mus-
tician, practising on the French horn)
—The factory over the way sends
their compliments, and will you switch
off on to another note 'cos a lot of the
'ands 'ave mistook it for the dinner
hour.

Two Sad Thoughts.
"What could be more sad than a
man without a country," feelingly asked
her high school literature teacher
of her class.
"A country without a man," respond-
ed a pretty girl just as feelingly.

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KILLS WIFE, SHOTS SELF

Dying Watchmaker Leaves Eleven
Children—Police Believe He
Was Jealous.

Utica, N. Y., July 16.—Mr. and Mrs.
Charles R. Edgett were found in bed
today dying from wounds inflicted, the
police believe, by Edgett in a jealous
rage. Mrs. Edgett died in the hos-
pital, and her husband, who has a
bullet in his brain, cannot live.

The scene of the tragedy was their
home at Yorkville, a suburb. Edgett,
a watchmaker, 55 years old, had suf-
fered long from cancer and was about
to undergo a fourth operation. They
had 13 children, 11 of whom are
living.

SUCCUMBS TO INJURIES.

Schwerin, Germany, July 17.—Lieut.
Von Der Luehe, of the Mecklenburg
Grenadiers, died today from injuries
sustained on July 14th, when his
aeroplane collided with another pil-
oted by Karl Geligant, whose death also
followed the accident.

A fool and his money are soon
spotted.

Many a man who tries to live right
gets left.

of glove fighter in the heavier divi-
sions—the idea that a Jeffries can be
improved out of every gigantic per-
son able to take a punch and give one
if the other man will only stay still to
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London, July 16.—Sir Ernest
 Shackleton, the celebrated Arctic ex-
plorer, has been sued by Miss Jose-
phine Brown for \$5,000. The case is
down for hearing on July 25, shortly
after which date Sir Ernest makes
his departure on his Antarctic ex-
pedition.
Francis R. Shackleton, a brother of
the explorer, was imprisoned some
time ago on a charge of obtaining
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