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CUBA AND THE UNITED STATES.

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gives a very interesting account of the very considerable. To increase the free will be able to find fault with them on Cubans and their attitude towards the list was a very direct way of reducing that account. The great evil in China Americans. He lays great emphasis on taxation, as every fair minded man will is the weakness of the central authority; the fact that the Cubans hate the Amer- be ready to admit. It meant a difference the empire is too unwieldy; the governors icans, and are very intolerant of the of \$21,000,000 in one year in the volume of the various provinces are too powerful, idea of being under the American fiag. of imports, although it is impossible to and there is too little of national feeling They think that they are quite as capable recken precisely what it meant in money in China to make it possible for it to beof governing them elves as the Ameri-saved to the people. this view is not correct. One singular feature of the situation is the fact that the Cubans do not appear to be in the least degree grateful to their American friends for their assistance in throwing as a matter of course. They are even In each case a profit is added, and as the path of progress. unwilling to admit that the Americans duty is a direct factor in the cest of an have done anything good for them since article, it is clear that two or more profits they began to govern Cuba, and the correspondent says that he has found scarce of the new road, and it has invoived in operating in the American that there was anything in the American that the matter of the saccessful raising of the new road, and it has invoived in operating it a deficit of \$367,000.

We have had a full year's experience of the new road, and it has invoived in operating it a deficit of \$367,000.

Or Chinese should embark on a career of conquest. As the Chinese have not dissolved in operating it a deficit of \$367,000.

Drummond county line. government of Cuba which was not a Having this in mind, and remembering schools of this province were intended failure. These are not the views of the large additions to the free list, by their charter to be Church of Eng. undertaking." failure. These are not the views of the ignorant, but of men of all classes, representations, but of men of all classes, representations are not the views of the ignorant, but of men of all classes, representations of the importations of live stock of \$367,600 last year is quite on a par with it is a reasonable proposition that if the ignorant, but of men of all classes, representations of live stock of \$367,600 last year is quite on a par with it is no use in mineing words over a state. ignorant, but of men of all classes, represent the best educated and most intelligence. Foster tariff had been in force in 1899 the proportion what preceded. As we have said the story opinion, is hardly worth discussing, believe the force in 1899 the proportion what preceded. As we have said the story opinion, is hardly worth discussing, believe the force in 1899 the proportion what preceded. As we have said the story opinion, is hardly worth discussing, believe the force in 1899 the proportion what preceded. As we have said the story opinion, is hardly worth discussing, believe the force in 1899 the proportion what preceded and most intelligence to the force in 1899 the proportion when the propor ligent of the Cubans, educated men, published asset of the legislature, passed ment like the foregoing. With the exlicists, lawyers and men of similar type. have been at least \$5,000,000 more than at its last session, the Madras school ception of the allusion to the Grand licists, lawyers and men of similar type. have been at least \$5,000,000 more than at its last session, the manner very that they have followed for many centruth is that a surplus of \$120,000 was that the English market but the En The feeling is almost unanimous that the Americans are not to be trusted and the good work of lessening the burden of tax-box to be trusted and the good work of lessening the burden of the multiple lie. one platform which seems to unite all ation, the government has this year clipped about nine-tenths of the endowment beparties is immediate independence with a further 81-3 per cent. off the duty on ing given to the synod of the church for Anyone who has read the swern testi-We quote a paragraph from this letter: asked?

cisms, and has made allowance for the natural exaggerations of partizanshi for the spirit of opposition that is in the blood of this people, there must remain

THE SEMI-WEEKLY TELEGRAPH. | al an administrator as is the general who now commands over Cuba. But his government is a military one, and, to a cerwill of a foreign officer."

president made to the Cubans may be

CONCERNING TAXATION.

In the year 1896 the volume of dutiable lotte County. Subscribers are asked goods imported for consumption amounted to \$67,239,759, on which \$20,219,037 was collected in customs duties. A simple calculation which the rabble have got England has been deprived of anything lation shows this to have been equivalent the upper hand and the wiser heads have to which it was entitled by the recent the upper hand and the wiser heads have to 30 per cent. In 1899 the value of dutiable goods imported was \$89,433,172, on If there is really a party at Pekin endeav which the amount of duty paid was \$25, oring to restore order there is a strong oring to restore order there is really a strong oring to restore order there is really a strong oring to restore order there is really a strong oring to restore order there is really a strong oring to restore order there is really a strong oring to restore order there is really a strong original to restore order there is really a strong original to restore order there is a strong original to restore or really a strong original to restore order there is a strong original to restore or really a strong original to restore or really a strong original to restore or really a strong original to restore order there is a strong original to restore or really a strong original to restore order the real to really a strong original to restore or so that on dutiable goods there is no pos-sible means of escaping from the fact that a reduction of 1.3 per cent, took place in a reduction of 1.3 per cent, took place in the rate of duty—which was the only thing ers. The Japanese have 22,000 men ready sition journals in Ontario are just now the government could control. It does not to march to Pekin, but their presence waging against the government. The purthe United States will have to face is the affect the case on its merits that a larger would not be required if peace were re-

people of the United States.

The correspondent of the New York but when applied to a business of \$54,
their power, and if it can be shown that but when applied to a business of \$54,
this was their sole object in accumulating Evening Post, writing from Havana, 618,421, it will be seen that the saving was warlike weapons at their arsenals, no one

doubtedly something unpleasant for a people like the Cubaus, proud as they the Cubans, proud as they are of the intelligence and ability they were in power they totally neglected that exist among them, anxious as they are to be their own masters, in the thought that they are subjected to the arbitrary and are subjected to the arbitrary that they are subjected to the arbitrary and are subjected to the arbitrary that they are subjected to the arbitrary and they are subjected to the arbitrary and are subjected to the arbitrary and they are subjected to the arbitrary and the president of the Eastern and bising the business the looked upon as a proof of the close results and are subjected to the arbitrary and the president of the arbitrary and are subjected to th that they are subjected to the arbitrary rule of a military government, and are, some savage tribe recently conquered. The military government, it is true, is not very tyrannical, and one might wish not very tyrannical, and one might wish not very tyrannical, and one might wish that many a requibit could have as wise, as intelligent, as self-controlled, as liber. as intelligent, as self-controlled, as 'iber' they would have gone on building up Port-

of the winter business of Canada. On terian church, who certainly would not ment does not intend to build up a foreign content until every dollar's worth of Canadian freight was carried through the ports of Canada, and it has been the ann

THE CHINESE SITUATION.

every day. A few days ago it was believed that all the Europeans in Pek'n had sibly be sustained. The allegation as put later reports that they were safe three ucational matters. The system consists ed. This statement they base princes, who had a body of regulars at his to teach the younger pupils, by that year a larger sum of money was collected them. We were also told a short time would be needed and that economy would in the way of customs duties than in 1896; since that the Downger Empress had been be the result. The system was never fact that the rate of taxation has been been an error. The Empress s still alive schools in their time did a useful work reduced by the present administration. and is endeavoring to take charge of mat- in this province. When the common school We made it clear in our previous observa- ters. Certainly if she succeeds in getting system was established they ceased to be tions on this subject that the rate had control of affairs at Pekin, the Filograms useful, and fell into a condition of de been reduced, and we now desire to pur-in that city will be proceeded, for the is cay, and then their endowments ought sue that view one or two steps farther. In that city will be protected to have been given either to the Univer-MR. T. W. RAINSFORD, Trav- The matter is sufficiently important to is to be gained for China by the assarches sity or to the common school fund. How

come a great state. Yet it may be that

THE MADRAS SCHOOLS.

there is something humiliting to men who have lived for years in a post active political atmosphere to be subjected to the possibly wise but, after all, arbitrary will of a foreign officer."

Monday evening the Conservatives attacked that been one of the managers of the edthe government because of the alleged slowness of the Canadian steamship service, although they knew well that this Moreover, the charter nominates certain was caused by the taking of so many persons and their successors to be a body Baptist, the recorder of St. John Baptist, the mayor of this city is a Meth-England. These facts prove that it could

> representatives of the great ever, the matter has been settled other wise, and there is no use discussing the It would seem as if this Chinese diffi- question further, except for the purpose

GLARING MISREPRESENTATION.

"The Drummond had been offered to the like \$8,000.000. The lowest estimate

"There is a loss of \$1,600 a day on this deptation."

the watchword, "Cuba for the Cubans." all imports from England. Could more be the purpose of establishing schools under mony taken before the committee of par-THEY FAVOR CANADIAN PORTS. poses of education. Any member of the late government for \$500,000 and refused. synod who objects to such an arrange. There is at least one reason why no such The discussion which took place in the ment as this and who thinks that the offer could have been made. The railway blood of this people, there must remain something to justify, or at least explain, their state of mind. This is what I over the Trans-Atlantic steamship service been constructed, and if that part was shooting, and are likely to distinguish Japan, and that the same nation is like- heretofore in New Brunswick, we have no

BEST BOYS' CLOTHING.

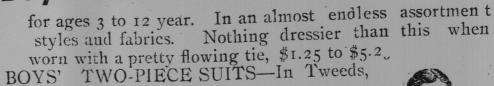
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YOUR MONEY BACK IF DISSATISFIED.

King Street, Corner Germain. ST. JOHN, N. B.

affect the case on its merits that a larger sum was collected in duties; the relevant stored at the Chinese capital. The only the facts and to substitute statements made to him. Supposing an offer had just as much a part of the facts and to substitute statements at the present time is under the Amerifact remains that there was an actual releval that are shockingly untrue and mislead been made, under the terms of purchase Empire as are the militia and volunteers and the present time is under the terms of purchase Empire as are the militia and volunteers been made, under the terms of purchase Empire as are the militia and volunteers been made, under the terms of purchase Empire as are the militia and volunteers would be ing. The other day Mr. Blair amounteed the owners were obliged to expend \$169, of the British Island. It may be doubtcan mag, annough with a distinct prome that the Cubans are to have their inise that the cubans are to have their inis the cubans are to have the cubans are to have their inis the cubans are to have their inis the cubans are to have their inis the cubans are to have the cubans are dependance at an early day. The people of the business of 1899 in dutiable be at the seat of the Chinese govern- cal year just closed. The Mail and Err part, some forty-four miles in length, was is the best that can be adopted or the one have looked into the subject think favorday is being too long postpened and are better that is only half the story, and the best results. A great ably of the prospects of this province in the best results. A great ably of the prospects of this province in the best results. A great ably of the prospects of this province in the best results. A great ably of the prospects of this province in the best results. A great ably of the prospects of this province in the best results. A great ably of the prospects of this province in the best results. A great ably of the prospects of this province in the best results. becoming somewhat apprehensive of the best marksmen cannot go the present government at a cost of \$900.

But that is only half the story, and the matter of cattle raising. When it is the present government at a cost of \$900.

The present government half. The present government half. The present government at a cost of \$900. the present government at a cost of \$300,603 is accounted for on intentions of the great republic towards intentions of the great republic towards to Bisley under any circumstances, becominded that every part of New Brunsment struck the duty entirely off many them. Although the annexation of Cuba articles and classes of goods and this fact the United States has always been a few forms and the preparations for the United States has always been a few forms are the falsehood it in the struck the duty entirely off many importing modern weapons of war in such them. Although the annexation of Cuba articles and classes of goods and this fact there are some who could go to Bisley which cattle may be sent to the British them. The story about the offer to sell the story about the offer to sell the story about the offer to sell the story about the falsehood it is the content country of the story about the old part for 350 50 0 is a sheet over the story about the old part for 350 50 0 is a shee

Cubans, who feel that they would be of countries and the states of the s very small account as one of the states with a price and account as one of the states of the price and account as one of the states about the price and the price and the price and the price and the price account as one of the states about the price and the price account as one of the states about the price account as one of the states are also difference to the price and the price account as one of the states are also difference to the price and the price account as one of the states are also difference to the price and the price account as one of the states are also difference to the price and the price account as one of the states are also difference to the price and the price and the price account as one of the states are also difference to the price and the price account as one of the states are also difference to the price and the price account as one of the states are also difference to the price account as one of the states are also difference to the price account as one of the states are also difference to the price account as one of the states are also difference to the price account as one of the states are also difference to the price account as one of the states are also difference to the price account as one of the states are also difference to the price account as one of the states are also difference to the price account as one of the states are also difference to the price account as one of the states are also difference to the price account as one of the states are also difference to the price account as one of the states are also difference to the price account as one of the states are also difference to the price account as one of the states are also difference to the price account as one of the states are also difference to the price account as one of the states are also difference to the price account as one of the states are also difference to the price account as one of the states are also difference to the price account as a state are also difference to the price account as a state are a very small account as one of the union, and who have nothing in the union, and who have nothing in the union, with the vast majority of the union, with the vast majority of the union, and who have nothing in the union, and the man and the union Rifle Association matches. The union of free goods ran up to \$64,618,421, or equal to the union, and the union, and who have nothing in the union, and the union of the union, and the union, and the union, and the union of the un The chief Tory organ has also returned to the question of the Drummond county bridge over the St. Lawrence could be constructed. The statement is hardly to be to take the qualification score from to be to take the qualification score from cattle, the only unfavorable feature being railway, over which it has always shown a disposition to be hysterical. Here is a statement of the case from the fory standpoint:

constructed. The statement is hardly worth contradicting. There is no man outside an asylum who believes the Drummond county line could be built for \$1, standpoint:

constructed. The statement is hardly to be to take the quantication score from the result of the provincial matches, or from both together. This arrangement would give a wider range of selection for the give a wider range of selection for the share with nearly every other portion of Canada, and yet Canada has always been a great cattle raising country. The pas-"One of the reasons why the Laurier St. Lawrence could be bridged for less Bisley team and would undoubted y regovernment should go is the extravagance, and, worse, of the Drummond railway bargain.

than \$2,000,000. The Victoria bridge represents a capital outlay of scraething Atlantic than now go there-AN EASTERN BOGEY.

previous government for \$50,000, and had been declined. Messrs. Tarte and blair, cost of carrying the Intercolonial into friends made a big haul in the transaction of \$125,000 per mile. That branch atone would arise if the four hundred millions having a length of barely fourteen miles would arise if the four hundred millions of the successful raising of tion.

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"We have had a full year's experience and entirely in a rural district, cost the contract As the Chipese have not district.

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Intercolonial extension involved a deficit to be any ground for raising an alarm is an impudent falsehood. If the Inter- past, they will, if allowed to do so concolonial as a whole is referred to the tinue in their old way, the same path

THE BISLEY TEAM.

much mere moisture, and we believe that the soil is equally favorable to the production of food for cattle. In the marshes however, agreed to pay for it \$64,600 a Montreal as a government enterprise, exar for ninety-nine years, or \$2,049.192. Applicant as a government enterprise, ex"To complete the connection a part of ceeds \$39,000.000, and as to building raile Grand Trunk line bad to be learned." the Grand Trunk line had to be leased, ways in Quebec, the Mail and Empire bogey, which has been produced from of great fertility on which hay grows and the price fixed was \$146,000 annually. ought to remember that the St. Charles them from the retail dealer, who had purchased them from the wholesale importer. In each case a profit is added, and as the duty is a direct factor in the cest of an duty is a direct factor in the c one line of railway as much money as would build two and a bridge over the river at Montreal as well. Mr. Tarte's friends made a big ball in the transactory of \$125,000 per mile. That branch alone

Drummond county line.

The statement that the operation of the an aggressive nation, there does not seem benefits which have resulted and will result from the importations of live stock pose, is not the kind of animal that is we cannot guess, but they cannot surely 4t fears that if Japan is allowed to inthe purpose of establishing schools under its jurisdiction, and the other tenth going to the university for the general purposes of education. Any member of the article is a plea for Russia as opposed winter, and a proper system of feeding