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Looks forward with hope to Canada's future as that of an Independent Canadian Republic, in equally friendly alliance with the United States and with Great Britain, believing that such a status would be best for Canada, best for Great Britain, and promotive of the best attainable relations with the United States. Meantime, everything is to be gained by cultivating cordial relations between all English speaking peoples. Those who take an opposite course should be regarded as enemies of mankind.

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Advocates Prohibition of the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquor; the sooner the better.

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Is an advocate of Equal Rights for women, whether as regards the franchise, or equal wages for equal work. Municipal suffrage in the hands of women has been a splendid success in this city; and the parliamentary franchise should now be granted without delay.

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Is a believer in Christian Union, and considers the time has come when the various Christian denominations should come closer together. Those bodies which are now nearest should unite first. Under the present system there is an unjustifiable waste of men, means and effort. The differences between most of the existing denominations are no greater than the differences, natural to thinking men and women, to be found in every congregation. Even those Christian bodies supposed to be the farthest apart, the Protestant and the Roman Catholic, have more of belief in common than of belief that is antagonistic. To the laity the differences between the various Protestant denominations are microscopic. For various reasons the clergy, even when, as is true of the best of them, they favor Christian Union, are not in a position to be as outspoken as the laity. There ought to be at least a federal union; right off, for large common purposes; with denominational home rule, if necessary, meantime.

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Advocates the more general use of the Plebiscite, the Initiative and Referendum, etc., believing that the interest of the people in public questions, apart from persons, would thereby be done that something would be done to promote independence of political thought, not less democracy in government, but more democracy in government, is the remedy. Everybody is wiser than anybody. Get closer to the people.

God's in His heaven,  
All's right with the world.

—(BROWNING.)

London, Saturday, March 23.

Le Monde, a Quebec Conservative journal, pitches into Minister Foster, acting Government leader in the Commons. It says he is a lizard!

ONE of the best articles in the Methodist Magazine for April is written by Mrs. J. H. McMechan of this city. The subject is Anna Hasselstine Judson and her heroic missionary career in Burmah, and it is well written and beautifully illustrated.

The two bills governing the London and Port Stanley Railway have passed the Dominion Senate, and now only await the formality of the royal assent to give them force of law. By the arrangements recently arrived at, the city will have the L. and P. S. as an independent road, and the Michigan Central, both using the same station grounds. From the syndicate the city will obtain \$23,500 a year and a percentage on earnings when these reach \$100,000 a year, and the Michigan Central will

continue to pay \$3,000 a year to the city. It is hoped and believed that the arrangement will be satisfactory and profitable all round.

D'ALTON McCarthy asserts that he has just as much aversion to the Dominion Gerrymander Act as he has to the high tax policy of the present Government. A knowledge of these facts moves combine organs to suggest that he should be drummed out of their party as unworthy of all confidence!

SAYS the Monetary Times of Toronto: "Preferential trade within the empire has once more been negatived by the Associated Chambers of Commerce of the United Kingdom, at its annual meeting. The few who accept it chase a will-o'-the-wisp. It becomes a practical people to apply themselves to something that is attainable; the indulgence of fancies brings not profit but disappointment."

"THE necessity for revenue to support government furnishes the only justification for taxing the people." So says President Cleveland, of the United States. It is an unassailable declaration. Why should any Government tax one man that it may benefit another? No self-respecting freeman will consent to laws so passed and manipulated. A "protective" tariff is so arranged as to take money from the many and give it to the few.

THE Legislature which has just adjourned passed a bill unique in legislation, the effect of which is awaited with much interest by the newspapers of California. It reads: "An act to add a new section of the Penal Code, to be numbered 538, relating to the misrepresentation as to circulation, by proprietors of newspapers and periodicals, for the purpose of obtaining patronage."

The People of the State of California, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:  
Section 1. A new section is hereby added to the Penal Code, to be known as section 538, to read as follows:  
Section 538. Every proprietor or publisher of any newspaper or periodical, who shall wilfully and knowingly misrepresent the circulation of such newspaper or periodical, for the purpose of securing advertising or other patronage, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor.  
Section 2. This act shall take effect and be in force immediately from and after its passage.

REFERRING to the great victory for tariff reform in South Middlesex, on Wednesday last, the Strathroy Age says that "the result is secured in the face of a voters' list plugged with Indian votes, and scandalously imperfect as far as the Liberal vote of the community is concerned. In one concession of Canada—the ninth—the names of no less than ten Liberals were left off the list and accounts for the falling off in the vote at No. 5 polling sub-division, where most of these are polled. At No. 6 polling sub-division, that in the northwest corner of the township, where there were equally grave errors to prejudice the Reform cause, the party, nevertheless, made substantial gains. So well-known and long-resident a freeholder as Mr. James E. Northcott was among those left off the lists in this sub-division." This exposure corroborates the pre-election boasting of the men who were responsible for the candidature of Mr. Gray.

THERE is an act of Parliament which prevents any member of the House of Commons, outside of the Ministry, from holding their seats while accepting offices of emolument in the gift of the Government. Mr. Foster, acting leader in the House, last night tried to get Parliament committed to a breach of this law in the case of the commissioners to be appointed to the Chicago Exhibition. Mr. Foster desired to have it understood that while these commissioners would be "honorary" they should draw salaries. The Liberals, however, pointed out the law, and Mr. Foster had to be contented with a declaration in favor of the commissioners receiving their simple expenses. By the way, are supporters of the Government so scarce in the country that no one but members of Parliament can be got to act as commissioners? This grabbing tendency on the part of the present Administration and its adherents in the House was well demonstrated by Mr. Macdonald during the sitting. While the discussion proceeded, the member for North York made the startling statement that he had compiled a list of 25 members of the House sitting on the Government side, while carrying around applications to have themselves appointed to positions in the gift of the Administration. This number, with the Speaker, Deputy Speaker and members of the Government, make altogether 40 men who are voting day after day to keep the Government in power. Mr. Macdonald advocated the adoption of legislation to prevent the filling of the House with members who had offices in their pockets. If such a law were passed and honestly enforced there would be far less servility than is now the case.

### CO-OPERATIVE BENEVOLENCE.

The movement for the co-operation of all the charity distributing organizations of the city is a step in the right direction. A federation of the municipal dispensers of charity, if managed as it is in other cities, cannot fail to have beneficial results. The two cardinal points in view are (1) to prevent imposition by unworthy persons, which always decreases the resources required to aid those who are deserving; and (2) to help the poor and needy to help themselves and thus aid in making them self-sustaining. To effect these results, it will not be necessary for any of the organizations to give up their individuality, or to expose to publicity the wants of deserving yet keenly feeling citizens. The aim will be simply to systematize charitable effort and by the very proper means aid in reducing the number of dependents upon benevolence. The ADVERTISER will give an organization with aims so worthy every assistance within its power.

### BRITISH M. P. S TO BE PAID.

The British House of Commons last night voted that in future members of Parliament must be paid for their services.

Hereafter mere wealth will not be a passport to representative positions in the gift of the people, and the rich man will not be able to practically monopolize the seats in the popular chamber.

This is but another illustration of the democratizing tendencies at work in the motherland. For ages the workers have been kept in the background because wealth was made an imperative condition to preferment, and the consequence was that laws were framed with far less regard for the welfare of the masses than there would have been had there been a greater representation of the leaders of the democracy in Parliament. The workers in some departments—notably the miners—have at their own expense sent representatives to Parliament, but it has been conceded that they should not be compelled to do so.

The principle that the laborer is worthy of his hire—that is, that work done should be paid for—is now conceded to be applicable to Parliament as well as to the workshop, and the Liberal majority in the British House of Commons are determined that it shall be crystallized into law.

This is the day of the common people, and governments and aristocrats must bend to the popular will which, in the main, is more apt to lead to correct conclusions than are small classes who in the past have too often aimed to monopolize office and representative positions to secure advantages for the few at the expense of the toiling many.

## Late Canadian News

A Girl of 14 Sent to Jail for Being Drunk.

W. R. Gillett, formerly of Port Hope and Toronto, died suddenly at Winnipeg on Wednesday.

John P. McMillan, wholesale fruit dealer, Toronto, has assigned. Liabilities, \$2,400; assets, \$1,500.

Thursday afternoon Chief Justice Galt granted a writ of habeas corpus on behalf of John R. Arnold, of Ottawa.

The Government has agreed to pay the expenses in connection with the 90 days' settlers' quarantine of all cattle entering the Northwest.

The report that William Mumford, the alleged embezzling Toronto bookkeeper, had been arrested proves to have been untrue. He is still at liberty.

Weather in Winnipeg has taken a mild turn and the snow is fast disappearing. The Winnipeg snowshoe and skating clubs have wound up their seasons.

The 4-months-old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stuart, of Sandwich, was found dead in its cradle Wednesday morning. Death resulted from suffocation.

A letter from Ireland says that Rev. J. C. Feehan, O.C.C., formerly pastor at Niagara Falls, Ont., lies in a very low condition at the Carmelite Monastery in Dublin.

The annual closing exercises of the Ontario Veterinary College took place Friday morning at Toronto. There was a large gathering of students and prominent men.

Mrs. Isabella Mutch, of Fergus, Ont., died intestate in California, in March, 1892, leaving property in Ontario worth \$10,000. Her son, Perry, petitions for administration.

Derward Reid, the 4-year-old son of J. S. Reid, of the firm of Robertson, Munro & Reid, Hamilton, was instantly killed by being run over by a wagon loaded with hay on Friday.

Jas. Conmee, M.P.P., of Port Arthur, states that another new railway, to be called the Ontario and Rainy River Railway, is projected to run from Port Arthur to Sturgeon Falls.

At St. John, N. B., a girl aged 14 years named Minnie Campbell occupied a seat on the prisoners' bench at the Police Court Friday morning for being drunk. She was sent to jail for two months.

Rev. James Spencer (Baptist), who went to Cape Breton, died there at midnight Thursday. He was 75 years of age and leaves a wife and five children.

A large and enthusiastic congregation assembled in the Presbyterian Church in St. John's Friday night to hear the farewell address of Rev. James Thompson, of Newmarket, who has been holding temperance services there during the past week.

George S. Michie, Toronto, left an estate worth \$40,000, which he bequeathed for life to his brother, John Forbes Michie, who is to provide a home for the mother and sisters who may remain unmarried. After John's death the property goes to the other brother and sisters in equal shares.

Lieut. Andrew Robertson Gordon, R.N., died at his late residence, Chapel street, Ottawa, on Friday, of heart consumption.

He held the position of commander of the Fisheries Protection Service until that office was abolished, and was also connected with the meteorological department in Toronto.

A census of children under 14 years of age who frequent Toronto theaters unattended was submitted by Chief Grassett at the monthly meeting of the Children's Aid Society, showing that for three nights the attendance at the Toronto Opera House, Grand Opera House, Academy of Music and the Music numbered 450.

The Toronto police have received a communication from Mrs. T. E. Tynan, of Modesto, Cal., offering a reward of \$1,000 to any one giving information as to the whereabouts of her husband, Dr. Thomas E. Tynan, who mysteriously disappeared from San Francisco on Oct. 16, 1892. He had written to Modesto on Oct. 15 that he would be at home the following day, since which time nothing definite is known of him. He is 75 years of age; hair and beard white, light-blue eyes, complexion ruddy, height about 5 feet 4 inches, weight about 200 pounds, heavy built, right arm broken above elbow, and arm swings rather aimlessly, uses left hand almost altogether.

An electrical expert says that it would be dangerous for a woman wearing crinolines to cross electric car tracks.

The liabilities of Sir George Richard Dillie, Premier of New South Wales, are estimated at £180,000; his assets, mostly land, at £35,000.

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