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THE SEMI-WEEKLY SUN.

ST. JOHN, N. B., AUGUST 26, 1920.

LORD SALISBURY.

Great Britain has produced many statesmen and will have many more. It is only at the moment when a grand life closes, and before the country takes stock of its remaining and prospective resources, that one says "The last great Englishman is low." Salisbury is not the last great Englishman any more than Wellington, but he has been one of our greatest and our best. That hackneyed and oft-perverted term, "Grand Old Man," applies to him better than to any English leader of his generation. The best that the Anglo-Saxon race and that the British spirit and training can do in the making of a ruler has been exhibited in the noble career that has just closed.

More than a year ago Lord Salisbury gave up public office and responsibility and went home to rest and to die, but not until his life was ended could the people be made to believe that his clear mind and true judgment were not at their command in any time of need.

Exactly half a century ago Lord Robert Cecil entered public life as a member of the house of commons. It was not then expected that he would ever be the head of the historic family to which he belonged, but it was soon discovered that he had this full share of the intellectual power and the instinct for government which had been displayed by several of his ancestors. England has many families that are accounted noble, and no man in any of them can now hope to attain to national influence because of his birth. Whatever Lord Salisbury came to be he made himself. Especially he accomplished what no man can do for another, and what no ancestry can confer, when he made himself the most trusted public man in the empire. Some others have won more applause, partly because they were more for that, many others made more personal friends, for Lord Salisbury did not appear to cultivate personal comradeship. But no other political leader of this generation has so absolutely captured and retained the confidence of the British people.

It is only a question of which country has the man who can design the faster boat. So far the United States has contained him. Why that should be hard to say. There are equal opportunities on the other side. British marine architects have not been beaten in designing ships for other than racing purposes. One can see no reason why the laws governing the speed of boats should not be known as well to some man in Liverpool or Belfast or Glasgow as to a designer in New York or Boston. But the fact is that the designer on the western side of the ocean has succeeded better in producing this particular type of sailing craft. At least that has happened in other years, and by this time the public is ready to believe that record will continue for another year. There should be a surprise this week if it were an agreeable diversion to several millions of people. But if the defeat of Saturday should be repeated this week, and Sir Thomas Lipton should go home unsuccessful he or another will be on hand again until this generation or the next, or the one after that will see the cup go back to England.

A CONDEMNATION.

One of the resolutions unanimously adopted by the Imperial Trade Congress condemns the policy and practice of the home government in regard to the cattle quarantine. The administrative hypocrisy exhibited in these regulations cannot be defended by any honest and frank people. The embargo carries out a policy of protection, not against cattle disease, but against the competition of healthy imported cattle. That policy might be defended on its merits if it were honestly proclaimed. But it is a trade unworthy of a professed free nation under a disguise, especially when that pretence involves a slander on the live stock of its own colonies.

It seems to be the view of the British delegates to the colonies, for they allowed the following motion to pass without a dissenting vote: "That the present restrictions on the importation of Canadian cattle into Great Britain are unjust, so far as they are based on the dread of disease existing among such cattle, since any outbreak of disease is as rigidly guarded against in Canada as in the Mother Country, and no infectious disease exists in Canada, and such restrictions are therefore unnecessary, as they result in interference with the free development of trade and the supply of British consumers, and that in the opinion of this Congress the present restrictions of the Government of Great Britain, so far as they relate to the importation into the United Kingdom of Canadian cattle, under reasonable precautions, should be reconsidered."

AS A COLONIZATION ROAD.

Some of the government organs in this province regard the Sun and the Times as "running down" the province by depreciating the country through which the Edmonton to Moncton road will pass. As a matter of fact the Sun has not depreciated nor attempted to describe that part of the country. This paper and the government are alike ignorant as to the route of the proposed railway. Neither the premier nor the acting minister of railways has the slightest knowledge of the country to be crossed. The deputy minister and chief engineer of the railway department is equally in the dark. Mr. Blair has stated that no member of the Intercolonial staff has been consulted, and it does not appear that information was sought from the provincial crown lands department. According to Sir Wilfrid it would not wait. According to Mr. Blair, Senator Cox would not wait. Nobody waited long enough to find out what sort of a country he had to cross.

But Sir Wilfrid defends the contract on the ground that the road through New Brunswick will be a colonization railway. It is therefore the duty of the premier to show that the line crosses a district suitable for settlement. It is not doing a wrong to the province to say that a part of New Brunswick is not good farming land. Every traveller who reaches New Brunswick by way of Madaket can do for himself. Mr. LeBlanc will hardly contend that the whole line of the Intercolonial through his country is land that is crying out for settlers, or that it abounds in merchantable timber.

What is the character of that part of the province through which the proposed railway will run between the St. John river and the Canada Eastern railway? No information on that point can be obtained from the Land Office if the railway department can indicate the route with any approach to accuracy. If the land is not good for settlement, what local advantage is there in running a railway through it, and exposing its barrenness to public view? The river route has at least the advantage that it traverses a good country, where people live. It is still apparent that the railway project is not a valuable country, and that it is not to get proper grades the line must be made nearly as long as the Intercolonial, which will the country have for its money?

WHICH TELLS ITS OWN STORY.

Havelock, N. B., Aug. 20, 1920.

To the Sun Printing Co., St. John, N. B.

Gentlemen—I beg leave to acknowledge with thanks the receipt of the amount of the second prize, awarded to me as a result of the Dot Contest.

Yours truly,
JAS. E. THORNE.

WHO IS INCONSISTENT?

The country has spent fifteen millions to extend the Intercolonial to Montreal and to make it a through export route. This paper has said that the policy as proposed was unwise. We believed five years ago, and still believe, that an all-Canadian railway which will do business most reach the winter ports by a shorter route than that by the North Shore. But the government road is at Montreal or near it, and the money the railway and sacrifice the investment by constructing a short cut and giving it away to a company. That seems to be as near the height of folly as any government could possibly reach. Mr. Borden is obviously right when he says that if the government must build a short cut to take business from the Intercolonial the government should own and use the short line.

HOW WE PREFER BRITAIN.

The returns of the trade of the twelve months ending with last June show that our purchases from the United States continue to increase more rapidly than our imports from the Mother Country. Last year's imports for consumption were valued at \$233,787,000. Of this no less than \$137,605,000 came from the United States, or Great Britain shipping only \$58,863,000, not nearly half so much. In the same period Great Britain bought \$181,202,000 worth of Canadian goods and the United States \$71,743,000. We bought from Great Britain less than half as much as Britain bought from us, while we bought from the United States almost twice as much as that nation bought from us.

A SECOND REBUKE.

Her Majesty will always gladly receive the advice of the parliament of Canada on all matters relating to the dominion and the administration of its affairs; but, with respect to the questions referred to in the address, Her Majesty will, in accordance with the constitution of this country, have regard to the advice of the imperial parliament and ministers, to whom all matters relating to the affairs of the United Kingdom exclusively pertain."

A GREAT TIME IN THE NURSERY.

"Are you playing horse?" asked the benevolent gentleman who takes an interest in children.

"Certainly not," answered the little Boston boy. "We are amusing ourselves by the assumption that brother Waldo is an ichthyosaurus and that I am a prehistoric man in pursuit of him."—Boston paper.

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Some anxiety exists regarding the safety of brig Gabriel (of Boston), Capt. Maud which left Ponce Aug. 10 and was due to arrive at Falmouth Aug. 10. She was in ballast, and is feared that she may have been wrecked in the recent gales.

OLD HOME WEEK.

Believed the Local Government Will Approve

Of the Scheme—Result of Saturday's Meeting Very Encouraging—Rev. Dr. Stewart Very Active in the Matter.

OLD HOME WEEK.

There is every likelihood of local government support being accorded the New Brunswick Old Home Week favor which has been placed on foot in this province by Rev. W. J. Stewart, formerly a pastor in the Main street and Brussels street Baptist churches here, but now successfully engaged in the ministry in Boston.

On Saturday afternoon Rev. Dr. Stewart, accompanied by G. H. Warren and Mrs. Rupert Olive of the New Brunswick Tourist Association, Premier L. J. Tweedie, Attorney General A. Dunn in the office of the attorney general, and the whole plan of the movement was laid before the legislators by the visiting clergyman, who has participated in Old Home gatherings in New Hampshire and other states.

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The scheme is a celebration as carried out in New Hampshire by the local government authorities expressed themselves as favoring the idea, promising the movers of it their staunch support. They said they were sincerely in favor of an annual income of for the month and there did not seem to be any obstacle preventing the government making a small grant to help the scheme along. While the matter is in the hands of the Legislature, it is not certain that a bill will be introduced into the House of Assembly. It is reported that 200 persons were killed.

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OLD HOME WEEK.

Holland says he returned late in the afternoon and finding the house locked, sat down to wait. It soon grew dark and as no one was in sight he crawled in through a window. He found the boy asleep in the cellar and the little fellow told him what had occurred.

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OLD HOME WEEK.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 22.—With love in their hearts and only eight cents in their pockets, Salvatore Matteo and Celia Mazzo, who are 16 and 15 years of age, eloped Saturday.

Both are sixteen years old. Celia lived with her parents at No. 823 South Ninth street, and Salvatore, who worked in a barber shop, boarded with his sister, at No. 949 South Eighth street. Ever since they crossed the sea from sunny Italy, when both were 15, the children have been hovering in the breasts of the two young Italians, but parental objection on account of their tender age has kept them long apart.

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But the constancy and southern ardor of the young lovers were not to be balked. Even as Romeo met Juliet, against all opposition, so did Salvatore meet his Celia.

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LEAVE FOR BRITISH COLUMBIA.

A party of eight or ten New Brunswickers left last week for Cranbrook, B. C., to engage in the lumber manufacturing industry, which in that locality has taken quite a boom of late years. One of the principal members of the party is T. B. Crothers of north end, late foreman in the warehouses of F. H. Eastbrook's, the Red Rose paper mill. Jack Stevenson, son of T. N. Stevenson of this city; Harry Dingle of Upper Gagetown; Arthur Weston of Upper Gagetown, and Weston Coy of the same place are others to go west, and Mr. Dingle will be accompanied by his wife. Three or more Fredericton people will be met at the Fredericton Junction. The new work for what is known as the Crothers Lumbering Company, and a party of eighty horse power portable mill is now on the way out to Waukika, B. C., where the operations will be carried on. Nearly all those leaving last evening are stockholders in the company. The Kilg lumbering interests in and about Cranbrook are very successful, and a great deal of help has been afforded the Crothers company by this organization.

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Thousands of Women and Children—Inhabitants of 22 Villages Massacred.

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SOFIA, Aug. 24.—The Turks are reported to have massacred all the women and children in twenty-two villages in the districts of Florina and Monastir and to have afterward burned the villages. They are alleged to have killed a number of prisoners. The streets of Kruşevo are said to be strewn with dead, and the survivors are afraid to bury the bodies, fearing to incur the suspicions of the Turks.

Following the proclamation of the revolution throughout the vilayet of Adrianople, the insurgents cut the telegraph lines connecting the city of Adrianople with the eastern parts of the vilayet. There are unconfirmed rumors here that fighting and massacres are proceeding in the streets of Adrianople.

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CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 24.—According to Turkish advices when the insurgents captured Vasiliko, in the eastern part of the vilayet of Adrianople, they killed the garrison consisting of fifty soldiers and about one hundred of the inhabitants. The insured houses of Constantinople on the Bosphorus are now threatening Midia, sixty miles from Constantinople, and Black Sea and are reported also to be attacking the important town of Kirmişli, thirty-two miles from Adrianople. Christian, Greek and Mussulman refugees have arrived at the mouth of the Bosphorus from the neighborhood of Midia, fearing a massacre there. They have been sheltered in the lazaretto at Anadolu-Kavali and are being fed by the authorities. The Italian embassy has notified the porte that it holds it responsible for any injury which may be done to the consulate of Italy at Monastir and demands the punishment of the editor who insulted the consul recently by calling him a "giaur" (infidel) recently.

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A Letter From Congressman White, of North Carolina.

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HON. GEORGE H. WHITE, Congressman George Henry White, of Tarboro, N. C., writes the following letter to Dr. Hartman in regard to the merits of the great cathartic cure, Peruna:

"Gentlemen—I am more than satisfied with Peruna, and find it to be an excellent remedy for the grip and catarrh. I have used it in my family and they all join me in recommending it as an excellent remedy."

Very respectfully,
George H. White.

PE-RU-NA NECESSARY TO THE HOME.

Mrs. Nannie Wallace, Tarboro, Cal., President of the Western Baptist Missionary Society, writes:

"I consider Peruna an indispensable article in my medicine chest. It is twenty medicines in one, and has so far cured every sickness that has been in my home for five years, I consider it of special value to weakly women, as it builds up the general health, drives out disease and keeps you in the best of health."—Mrs. Nannie Wallace.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will pleasure to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

PE-RU-NA NECESSARY TO THE HOME.

WOLFVILLE AND ACADIA.

WOLFVILLE, Aug. 24.—Mr. and Mrs. M. Leaman of Moncton are spending a few days at the home of their uncle, Prof. L. E. Workman.

PE-RU-NA NECESSARY TO THE HOME.

Miss Minetta Crandall, Acadia, '93, daughter of the Rev. D. M. Crandall, formerly of Wolfville, has been appointed principal of the school at Chester Basin for the coming year.

PE-RU-NA NECESSARY TO THE HOME.

Rev. Arthur Archibald, who has been placed at Port Williams, is visiting in St. John, in his visit for a short visit.

PE-RU-NA NECESSARY TO THE HOME.

Rev. H. T. DeWolfe and family have returned to Wolfville, where Mr. DeWolfe, the old home of Mrs. DeWolfe, Principal DeWolfe left on Monday. He is to attend the educational meeting on the evening of the 27th.

PE-RU-NA NECESSARY TO THE HOME.

Rev. H. H. Saunders, pastor of the Baptist Church of Elgin, N. B., was in Wolfville this week, where Mr. Saunders has been some months at the home of his father, Freeman Caldwell. Mr. Saunders has received a call to the pastorate in the Baptist Church of St. John's, and will leave for St. John's on the 28th.

PE-RU-NA NECESSARY TO THE HOME.

Miss Pauley, who has been staying in the county for some weeks, has returned to her home in St. John.

PE-RU-NA NECESSARY TO THE HOME.

Prof. G. A. Chase of Toronto, who is visiting his brother, Bedford Chase at Port Williams and W. H. Chase of this town, has gone to St. John for a short visit, after which he will return to his upper province.

PE-RU-NA NECESSARY TO THE HOME.

Major De Witt, who has been in Wolfville for some weeks, is visiting friends in St. John.

PE-RU-NA NECESSARY TO THE HOME.

The following delegation have gone to Ottawa to interview the Government in reference to having the C. P. R. boats call at Halifax during the fruit season: Messrs. J. H. Kenyon, W. M. Christie, Windsor; Peter Innis and Capt. C. O. Allen of Bedford.

PE-RU-NA NECESSARY TO THE HOME.

Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Jarding, who have been staying at Mrs. Hagson's, Kentville, have returned to Montserrat, after a visit to St. John.

PE-RU-NA NECESSARY TO THE HOME.

Mr. H. C. Cole of St. John, who has been visiting friends in Kentville, N. B., is visiting his mother, Mrs. George Woodworth.

PE-RU-NA NECESSARY TO THE HOME.

Mr. and Mrs. Allison Dodge of St. John are visiting friends in Kentville. Rev. L. Corbett of the "Canning" Church, is spending a short vacation in Boston and St. John.

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