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—Browning.

London, Wednesday, September 18.

KINGSTON'S OPPORTUNITY.

Another election has been decreed in Kingston, the Ontario Minister of Public Works having been unseated. As Hon. Mr. Hart's majority was away up in the hundreds at a time when his opponents were arguing that the Ontario Legislature could not stand, and were making all kinds of rash promises on behalf of the Government which the Opposition was alleged to be about to form, it is not likely that the opposition to the Minister of Public Works will in the altered circumstances be serious.

Hon. Mr. Hart has made a good administrative officer, and should be returned by acclamation to serve out his term of four years for which the Sir Oliver Mowat Government has been retained by the people of Ontario.

GOVERNMENT AID TO FAIRS.

A good deal of talk has taken place over the efforts of the Toronto fair directors to obtain financial and other aid from the Dominion Government. It is the ambition of Toronto men to get something more than a local indorsement of their show, and they have persistently endeavored to influence the politicians at Ottawa to come to their aid. As the Ministers have come to Toronto, each recurring year, the directors have made strong efforts to wring from them a promise of Government recognition. And Ministers have made indefinite promises to extend favoritism to the Toronto show.

We do not blame the Toronto men for trying to get Government aid for their exhibition. That is natural. Toronto is very modest, no doubt; but when it comes to schemes to promote the aggrandisement of Torontonians, there is generally unity of aim. If, however, the general taxpayer, as represented by the Government of the day, is to be called upon to put up money to aid the Toronto directors, because they admittedly provide a good show, the subsidizing will not be allowed to end there. All first-class exhibitions throughout Canada must be similarly treated. This view is recognized by several wide-awake journals, among others, by the Toronto News, of the views entertained by which another representative journal, the Montreal Herald, has this to say:

"The Toronto News opposes the idea of a Dominion exhibition in that city. It is not probable that the idea was seriously entertained except by a few directly interested in the result. Toronto is a very nice place, but it resembles heaven, in that every one is not anxious to hurry there. The local fairs and the big exhibitions scattered about the country are of much greater value to the agricultural and manufacturing interests of Canada than one fixed fair at Toronto could ever be."

This is a reasonable view, which will no doubt be generally indorsed. Why, it may well be asked, should the Dominion Government meditate giving special aid to the Toronto fair, and none to the Western Fair—a show equal in all essential points to the exhibition in the rival city? If it were deemed advisable for the Dominion Government to officially recognize the merits of any show, the Western Fair should have its first care. Years before the Toronto people could organize an independent agricultural and arts exhibition, the Western Fair was established, and it has ever since provided a first-class annual exhibition for the instruction and amusement of the best agricultural section in Canada.

The proposal to officially help the Toronto show, and ignore the Western Fair and all other great exhibitions, will not meet with approval outside of the neighborhood of Toronto. This species of discrimination would be as unjust as it is unnecessary.

"Recreation," the new sporting magazine, has made a distinct strike. It is not much over a year old, yet already the American News Company alone handles over 5,000 copies a month of it. The number for September is finely illustrated, and is full of breezy information about all kinds of manly sport. Editor Shields knows how to make an attractive sporting monthly without an objectionable feature. \$1 a year. Published at 124 West Twenty-fourth street, New York City.

POINTS.

Great Britain is now buying eggs from Russia, from Turkey and from Egypt. Sometimes the consignments arrive in anything but fresh condition. According to a correspondent, a week or two ago a steamer arrived in the Mersey, which had as part of her cargo a lot of eggs from Alexandria. It is said, however, that the eggs originally came from Syria. When the steamer was docked, the crates were placed on the quay, and it was discovered that they were in a horrible condition. A great quantity of them had been broken, and, owing to the heat and long voyage, the whole was absolutely rotten. A terrible stench was emitted, and so offensive was the odor that no one could approach the quay where the rotten eggs were lying. We mention the incident to explain the fact that the mother country buys products from every country that is prepared to take British goods in exchange. The wheat fields of the Argentine Republic have been developed chiefly by British purchases, made possible by the freedom with which the people of that new land take British goods in payment.

Canadian cheese has once more been vindicated. Let us keep up the standard of our products and we have nothing to fear. Is anyone tempted to "scamp" apples barreled for the British market this year? If so let him think of how much harm a dishonestly packed apple barrel is calculated to do.

China is defiant because her rulers believe that the powers cannot reach an agreement to unitedly compel her to make amends for past rascalities.

Western Fair visitors who do not come down to the business portion of the city and examine the wares of the enterprising merchants who, through our advertising columns, invite them to do so, stand in their own light. The advantages possessed by our merchants in this trade and manufacturing center are such as to give them unrivaled opportunities to serve the public.

We understand that Hon. Edward Blake, M.P., will pay a visit to London prior to undertaking his trans-Pacific journey.

Why is it that so many people pay for doctors' advice only to disregard it, and then to express surprise that their medical men can do so little for them?

No word yet of the bye-election in West Huron. In Westmoreland, the contest was rushed on in a few days; but in this representative Ontario constituency it has even been argued that no election should take place till the general election, which, according to the Conservative leader, cannot come off till after a sixth session of Parliament has been held. So fearful are the men in power of public opinion in this Province!

It is now said that Mr. Foster wishes he had not promised that another session of Parliament will be held. Perhaps in another "moment of weakness" he will be prevailed upon to cancel the pledge.

It is really wonderful how many persons interest themselves in the continued story, printed this week and entitled "Western Fair Prize List."

MISSING LINK DISCOVERED.

Prof. Wortman Claims to Have the Remains of the First Man.

Denver, Sept. 18.—Prof. J. L. Wortman, of Columbia College, has one of the most marvelous discoveries of the age. He claims to have the remains of the first man, the origin of the human race, with facts sufficient to establish the authenticity of the Darwin theory of evolution. The mummy incased in the bag is what is commonly known as the white-faced capuchin, about two and a half feet long. Scientists have never been able to establish the presence of the monkey on the American continent, and in the opinion of Prof. Wortman the chain extending from mollusk to man is no longer missing. In the professor's room there is another package said to be the original of the domestic horse.

GOOD FORTUNE KILLED HIM. St. Joseph, Mich., Sept. 18.—Frank Meyers, a veteran of the late war, was notified yesterday that he had been granted a pension of \$10 a month. When he heard the news he fell over in his bed dead.

BIG RAILWAY DEAL RESISTED. St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 18.—Attorney-General Childs has drawn up and will file in the Ramsey County District Court, an application for an injunction against the consummation of the so-called great Northern-Pacific deal, by the terms of which the former road would practically manage the latter. The ground for the application is essentially the same as in the Peersall suit, recently decided in the United States Circuit Court, that such consolidation of parallel lines is positively prohibited by the State constitution. The amount involved in the proposed deal is up in the hundreds of millions.

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Exciting Experience of a Michigan Woman and Child.

Carried Off in a Buggy by a Man Crazy Through Loss of Wife and Child.

Greenville, Mich., Sept. 18.—E. Kaft, who lives about six miles west of Lincoln Lake, recently lost his wife and child from fever, and grief has unbalanced his mind. His relatives have kept a close watch of him, as they did not want to send him to an asylum. A few days ago he escaped to the nearest neighbor's house, unhitched a horse that stood in front, got into the buggy and drove away at a rapid gallop.

Kaft had not gone far when he met a woman and a little girl coming up the road. He jumped out and said to the woman, in a commanding tone: "Get in." She refused, badly frightened. His eyes flashed as he repeated the order, then taking hold of her arm, he forced her into the buggy. He had no sooner got the woman and child in the buggy than he grasped her around the waist, and began yelling, "My wife and baby."

The lady screamed for help, and the child cried, and altogether they were such a pandemonium that everyone rushed out of their houses to learn the cause. No one came to their rescue, as the farmers were all in the lots at work.

The horse was as badly frightened as the rest, and flew down the country road for nearly three miles, while Kaft was constantly screaming, "My wife and baby," and drawing the lady to his side as hard as it was possible for him to do with one hand.

They soon came to a turn in the road, where a gang of farmers were repairing the road, who stopped the horse, released the woman and child, who were almost in hysterics, tied Kaft's hands behind him and drove with him back to his friends. He will be taken to the asylum now.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE.

Valuable Business Premises Burned Down in Indianapolis.

Dodge, Neb., Sept. 18.—This town has been almost wiped out by fire. Forty business houses were burned with their contents and as many residences. The damage is over \$100,000. Fremont, Scribner and other towns sent special trains with fire apparatus which arrived too late to be of service. A fierce wind was blowing at the time. The property was well insured.

Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 18.—(Via long distance telephone).—A great fire is raging here. It is the greatest in the history of the city. All telegraphic communication has been cut off. The loss thus far is estimated at nearly a million dollars. No particulars as to individual losses are yet obtainable.

Later—At 6 o'clock this morning a fire broke out in the five-story building on Washington street, between Meridian and Pennsylvania, occupied by Eastman, Schleicher & Lee. It spread immediately to the stone building east occupied by the Indianapolis National Bank, thence to the United States and American Express building. The fire then communicated to the five-story Western Union building, fronting on South Meridian street. The building is now burning. Eastman, Schleicher & Lee, the Indianapolis Bank and the Express Company's offices have been entirely destroyed.

New York State Republican convention has indorsed a "protective" tariff and generally denounced the Democrats and their policy.

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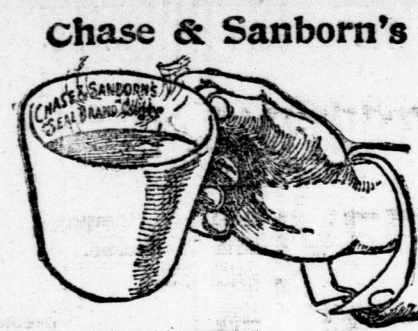
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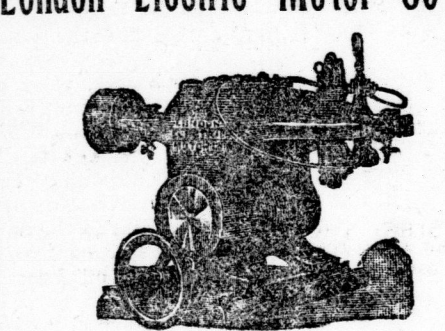
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FACULTY OF ARTS—Including the Special Course for Women, Tuesday, Sept. 17th at 9 a.m.

FACULTY OF APPLIED SCIENCE—Wednesday, Sept. 18th, at 9 a.m.
The fee of \$5 (see Calendar) must be paid to the secretary before admission to the examination.

The Lectures will begin as follows—Faculty of Medicine, for 1st and 2nd year students, Sept. 24th; Faculty of Arts and Applied Science, Sept. 23rd.

Intending students can obtain all necessary information on application to the undersigned. Special Course for Women in the Faculty of Arts (Donalda Endowment).

The following Lectures are open to partial Students on and after Sept. 23rd, 1895, viz.:—Chemistry, Botany, Zoology, Geology, Experimental Physics, Psychology and Logic, Mental Philosophy, Moral Philosophy, Rhetoric, English History, Latin, Greek, French, German, Mathematics and Mathematical Physics.

The Calendar stating details of each Course, day and hour of Lectures, Fees, etc., may be obtained on application to the undersigned, J. W. BRAKENRIDGE, B. C. L., August 30th, 1895. Acting Secretary.

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