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McDougall has returned to Calgary ors, who value news according to huafter a tripto the Doukhobor settle- man standards, fully appreciate the perhaps, he can be persuaded to become tional dangers. ments. This was the first winter absorbing interest of the Thaw mur- the Federal leader. ments. This was the first winter absorbing interest of the Thaw murtrip taken by the doctor, and it proved to be a very severe one. The party, consisting of the doctor's section of the doctor's sect of driving, and the weather at 25 to single issue, and several other pa- ably as Provincial Secretary.

people are of a very stubborn dispo-

All those who refuse to become mended to have their homestead en-The doctor recomnaturalization papers simultaneously steaders in the great West. The reentries have also to fulfill all residence and cultivation duties con-

nected with homesteading. All the Doukhobor people who object to this will be placed on a reserve, the reserve in every case to be around the village. The reserve will be in area fifteen acres to every head of the populace of the village which it surrounds, which, in the doctor's opinion, is sufficient for a livelihood for every man placed on the reserve. erable improvements are being cartal when sounded by the Graham entons burden. Krupp, of Essen, proposes

this winter—very cold weather, deep west Coal and Coke Co. here.

Snow, poor trails, and in some The work is being done by Mr. T. loyalty to Mr. Borden; but he recognises den. The longer I live the more I hold tractors. places no trails at all. The party F. S. McGregor, who comes from the that reorganisation of the party is the conviction that there are many peoplaces no trails at all. were vegetarians all through the trip anthracite coal fields of Pennsylva- necessary if it is to stand any show ple in England who want reminding as they had to get their meals at the nia. Mr. McGregor is a practical at all in next year's general elections; daily that the millennium has not yet different Doukhobor houses, and the man in all departments of this par- and he is willing to abide by the de- arrived. Doukhobors all do not believe in the ticular kind of work, and from all cision of the party. So far as he himham, on the C.N.R., to start again 10 feet high and 300 feet deep at an is content to serve as a subaltern, even be in such a position yet awhile, disrup-The colonies are in the northeast ped with an endlesss chain haulage Provincial leader. portion of Saskatchewan and cover a and will be able to handle from 3,000 large expanse of country. The Gov- to 5,000 tons of coal per day. ernment was very wise in appointexperience in connection with the planking for logging on top and sides. clusion that, as a party leader, Mr. Bor-Northwest. He finds the Doukhobors for ventilating purposes. This will an honest, peaceful people, pretty be 100 feet deep and is timbered with moral, though not as intelligent as 10 by 10 yellow pine with two-inch the Indian to deal with. He does not yellow pine planking for lagging, the think any of the Doukhobors will timber being three fee tapart. want to leave the country because of the enforcing of the homestead regulations, the majority of them being too well satisfied with the freedom o Canadian life after that of their home country.

describing the funeral of Junia in his ers have been using the naturally 000 per year. But Mr. Blair's tragically sius shone by their absence. Lord cohol as a means of producing heat, -if he will in England in 1859 by saying of except by permitting the manufactory of the naturally cheaper profing Mr. Graham and his supporters. It is conspicuous by its presence, another by its absence."

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HUGH GRAHAM HAS PLANNED THE REORGANISATION OF CONSERVATIVE PARTY.

Hon. F. W. G. Haultain, According to the Plans, Will Withdraw from the Saskatchewan House, and Become the Leader for the West.

TORONTO, Feb. 16 .- The announceent of the intention of the Conservative party to hold a Federal convention n Ottawa has revived interest in this Conservative centre as to the future of

Those who claim to be in the secrets of the party state that big changes are | RECTORS VIEW MATTER FROM impending. It is asserted that Mr. Hugh Graham, of the Montreal Star, who has for more than ten years been in charge of the destines of the Conservative party and who is by some people regarded as the evil genius of the party -has planned a reorganisation and that he has secured substantial support for his plans.

These are, in brief: The retirement of Mr. R. L. Borden from the Opposition leadership to accept a position as consulting counsel or the Canadian Pacific Railway Company. goes steadily, if not altogether, merrily The selection of Hon. J. P. Whitney, now Premier of Ontario, as Conservative leader in the House of Commons. The return of Mr. T. Chase Casgrain ex-M.P., to active politics as the leader of the party in Quebec.

The removal of Hon. F. W. G. Haul- companies operating in a relatively tain from the provincial field in Saskatchewan to be Western leader of the

hold himself in readiness to become a nember of the Federal Cabinet when the Conservatives come into power. Hugh Graham was able to give him as- published results seem to have been but usrance that his leadership would be very mildly tinctured by any other sencould rally the French Canadians under On the other hand the attention of the the old Conservative flag, and that he directors of the Great Eastern were enwould be given an absolutely free hand gaged to consider the matter of the proin determining the policy and the electoral programme of the party. If this with the continent of Europe as a be the case as is claimed by Mr. be the case, as is claimed by Mr.

retary and an interpreter, visited lish daily cabled stories of the trial, J. J. Foy, the Atorney General, but that have agreed to clauses which, if the each of which is apt to be consider—gentlemen is willing to accept a judgeably longer than any other article in ship, and it has been intimated that he law, will allow the Southeastern to one villages and populated by 9,000 the paper in which it appears. The can get one if he desires. Should that make arrangements and agreements with Doukhobors. Besides the railway Telegraph has published as much as happen, Mr. J. P. Downey, M.P.P., of French railway companies for running

The object of the trip was to de- erally are convinced that their read- can be assured that there shall be no in the end the shareholders, with three liver an ultimatum to these people ers desire full information of the resuscitation of the race and creed dissentients, approved the measure. who have not been fulfilling their progress of the great legal conflict agitation in the party. He is willing Lord Claud Hamilton presiding at the who have not been fulliling their homestead duties. The Doukhobor neonle are of a very stubborn dispodoubt the editors are responding tions of Baldwin and Lafontaine, as triotic side. His words in part were generously and adequately. They voiced in the speech which he made be- I should like to refer to one matter have not found it necessary in order fore a French Conservative club in which, although it does not affect your

religion. The ultimatum is given in not see why any American newspaper are favorable to the selection of Mr. of making a physical connection bea circular "To the Elders and Peo- should feel compelled to publish mat- Whitney. They assert that under his tween Great Britain and the continent ple," and is printed in English and ter not fit to print. They have not leadership they can capture at least by means of an underground passage their type, and at every village the seen any of those publications com- twenty seats east of Three Rivers. Time How any Britain with a grain of com doctor's interpreter read the letter to plained of by President Roosevelt, will show whether this is the case of mon sense or of patriotism can enterand probably would be unwilling to not. These people assert that the Lib- tain, much less support, such a scheme comment on them specifically, if they erals of the Quebec district are dis- I am at a loss to understand. We are naturalized citizens of the country, had seen them. They think they say satisfied; but as they have made the held by our continental neighbors to be and, besides, had not been fulfilling quite enough when they advocate the same assertions before the last two gen- void of logic, and I believe they are corpublication of the news of the Thaw eral elections their declarations must rect; but we are generally credited with

sible," said Thomas Marlowe, editor salt. mended the cancelling of 2,387 enmended the cance allow all those who will sign the trial or any other conceivable story the party now. In this he is supported insular position of being the centre in a manner consistent with his own by seven of the other eight members of the greatest empire in the world, Francis Kossuth is the head, and it with the signing of the re-entry self-respect and with due regard to papers to become once more homethe demands of his readers."

In a manner consistent with his own by seven of the other eight members of the greatest empire in the word, is alleged that they have fallen into who now represent Quebec constituing the great with the manuscript in the greatest empire in the word, is alleged that they have fallen into who now represent Quebec constituits occupy, we should deliberately throw the hands of a Deputy Herr Lengyel, encies in the Commons. Mr. Forget is occupy, we should deliberately throw the hands of a Deputy Herr Lengyel, out of the country and his views are un- away all these advantages, in order to whose allegations, combined with of a leader should be left to a party to our shipping and agricultural inconvention and in proof thereof point terests, and to throw away millions of or of Budapest, caused the resignato the wreck which one-man domina- pounds that had better be expended in tion of Herr Polonyi, who is one of

ing loyally by Mr. Borden. The doctor had a very hard trip ried out at the mine of the Canada tourage. He does not want to do any-shortly putting down at Kiel slips for thing which can be construed as dis- constructing ships of 25,000 tons bur-

a few days to rest and recuperate, to the emergency in every respect. himself impossible as a political leader. take in the fact that Satan is not really and will leave next week for Lang- The slope will measure 14 feet wide, But, loyal as always to the party, he bound, and that as he is not likely to inally made in the most friendly spirit ing closed with cheers on the side of rian coalition and the Throne toward Mr. R. L. Borden, It is asserted patriotism.

ing Dr. McDougall as commissioner yellow pine, three feet from centre to by those who are in the secrets of Mr. for this work, as he has had years of centre with three-inch yellow pine Graham that he has come to the con-The shaft is 10 by 10, to be used den is impossible. He has a very large amount of ability; but-and it is a most important but-he lacks the personal magnitude which is required by a Fed-

Mr. Graham is reported to have been working for soome months along the lines indicated above. The chief obstacle as to his plans was what should account of its cheapness. So far as the way. The greatest was Hon. A. G.

Charles Hibbard Tupper, and of Hon. Hugh John Macdonald in their desire to secure J. Piny Whitney as leader, if is can be done without financial loss to Mr. Borden

Should this deal go through it would have important results upon the political situation in Ontario. Mr. Hanna is a clever man-but he has the faculty of making enemies . His appointment as Premier of Ontario would make things much easier for Hon. G. P. Graham, and if the Ontario Liberals defer their nvention until after the Conservative rally in Ottawa in September they should be in a position to benefit very largely by the coming shiftng of the Conservative kaleidoscope.

BUSINESS STANDPOINT

Lord Claud Hamilton, of Great Eastern Railway Denounces Scheme as Entirely Unpatriotic - French Roads Will Grant Running Rights.

LONDON, Feb. 16.—Dscusson for and aganst the Channel tunnel scheme

The annual shareholders' meetings rerecetnly took place of two of the most important English railroad companies, the Southeastern and the Great Eastern speaking similar district. These meetings through the persons of their pre-And, if it be impossible, an alliance siding directors voiced views which with Hon. Richard McBride, by which make rather interesting reading. the Premier of British Columbia shall

On the one hand the gentlemen of the board of the Southeastern (the company likely to benefit the most from the Mr. Whitney has on several occasions scheme) were asked to consider the stated that he would under no circum- matter from a purely business point of ship. But it is now asserted that Mr. view, and their cogitations from the favorably viewed in Quebec, that he timent than the sentiment of dollars. LONDON, Feb. 16.—London edit- Graham's friends here, then Mr. Whit- scheme remarkable for its "anti-patriot

Baron Emile d'Erianger, it seems, the journey there was some 600 miles four columns of Thaw matter in a Guelph, would enter the ministry probrailways, and thus secure to that company a vast increase of business. There of driving, and the weather at 25 to pers have had three-column stories Now as to Quebec, Mr. Casgrain is pany a vast increase of business. There day after day. London editors gen-quite ready to re-enter politics if he were some voices raised in protest, but

coming naturalized citizens of Canada is objectionable to them, as it
lish anything of an obscene or indeto keep their readers informed to publish anything of an obscene or indethe Provincial Premiership.

Which, atthough the World, atthough the model of the model of the provincial premiership. smites their consciences, and the cent nature, and several of them smiting of conscience combats their with whom I have talked say they do servative leaders in the Quebec district public. I allude to the insane project trial fully, but decently. "It is pos- be taken with a good many grains of a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowltion of the party created in 1900 and he improvement and enlargement of our the leaders of the Kossuth party, as 1901. Whether they can be brought in- harbors and the increase of our shipto line depends upon circumstances, ping. And what did we learn yesterday?

The stolen documents referred to meat diet. He will be in Calgary for indications shows himself to be equal self is concerned he realises that he is ability of certain classes of mind to explanation of certain items in the on the trip through the settlements. angle of 30 degrees. It will be equipunder the colonies are in the northeast ned with an endlesse chain beginning.

WHISKY PIPE LINE.

Distillers' Clever Scheme to Evade Revenues Discovered in England

LONDON, Feb 18.-A gigantic scheme on the part of a firm of dis- erican expedition has just left for the start it was contemplated that he tillers to defraud the revenue is re- Fayoum on exploration work. Pro-Wood alcohol has been used for should be provided with a soft corpor- ported to have been unearthed by inchemical and industrial purposes on ation job; but there were difficulties in land revenue officers. The latter, it um of Natural History, who recently is ascertained, discovered a system of arived from the United States, is at Tacitus, the great Roman histor- much more costly than alcohol from that gentleman had the promise of the underground pipes through which the its head. He has started for the underground pipes through which the ian, was the originator of the phrase grain, but the tax on grain product position of chief consulting counsel for whisky was conveyed from the dis-"Conspicuous by his absence," when makes it vastly dearer. The consumwhence it was distributed to the rar, of the government geological her famous kinsmen Brutus and Cas-ficially dear. But the full use of allow Mr. Borden can have the position trade, thus escaping the tax of \$2.75 survey, and Mr. Granger and Mr. a gallon. The revenue authorities Olsen, of his own staff. are said to have demanded the pay- The object of the party is to furth-

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HUNGARIAN DOCUMENTS MISS-ING FROM COMMERCE OFFICE.

Expected That They will Figure in Impending Libel Suit-Interesting Developments May Follow.

BUDAPEST, Feb. 18 .- Important locuments mave been stolen from the Mnister of Justice. The documents, Just now they are believed to be stand- That Germany will shortly have in it is understood, have been photo-Just now they are believed to be standing loyally by Mr. Borden.

That Germany will shortly have in graphed and will be used in the graphed and will be used in the graphed and building battleships of 18,000 able of building battleships of 18,000 forthcoming libel suit brought by the standing battleships of 18,000 able of building battleships of 18,000 able of buildin Herr Polonyi against Herr Lengyel, Herr Halmos and others of his de-

correspondence between the Minister of Commerce and the State Audit Ofbudget. It is said that one of the items questioned is the payment of a The Graham plan of campaign is nom- sallies usually call forth, and the meet- cent compromise between the Hunga- Special to The Leader.

AMERICANS TO EXPLORE.

Desert of Fayoum-Great Search for Extinct Mammalia.

ALEXANDRIA, Feb. 18-The Am- Johnson



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fice, in which th elatter asked for an OTTAWA HOCKEY PLAYER GETS OFF CHARGE OF ASSAULTING

> MONTREAL, Feb. 18-Harry Smith, of the Ottawa hockey team, was acquitted at the police cour feloniously assaulted Johnson, one of Tenby, formerly from High Bluff. this morning on a charge of having the Wanderers, during a match between those two clubs on Jan. 12. a bachelor, living about a mile west Neither Johnson or Blatchford, of of his place, to come and help him the Wanderers, were prepared to draw hay. swear that Smith deliberately struck | Man., went over to get Wilson Lyl

'To die in the last ditch," was made er. by William of Orange, the stadholder lived all alone, had often worked for of the Dutch Republic While he was carrying on his apparently hopeless struggle against tragedy . Louis XIV., Buckingham, who was urging him to yield, asked him whether he did not see the utter ruin

of his country that was impending.

W. M. LOGAN, Manage

MANITOBA FARM THE SCENE OF TERRIBLE TRAGEDY-P0 LICE INVESTIGATE.

Special to The Leader. this morning James Alexander, of

Man., went over to get Wilson Pyle. Nothing is known as to what hap shot Alexander dead with a shotgun carried the corpse into the hous laid it on the bed and then notified the deceased man's sister, Miss Alex

ander, who kept house for her broth Lyle is supposed to be insane. and was intimate with Alexander Constable Barr, from Gladstone, on his way north to investigate the

Not in Saskatchewan. Willie (who has never been in the LONGING

YOU'LL W.J.Boy

FIFTEEN THOUSAN OF ROME SHOW T PATHY WITH E

Republicans and Socia out the Country M Red Flag and Denot of the Vatican.

ROME, Feb. 17.sand persons, among shirted Garibalidians, and 20 bands of mu today in an anti-cle tion in favor of France ment of Gioradino B philosopher, who wa stake by order of the deposited thirty wrea erwards the marcher Capitol, and despite hibited, entered the chael Angelo, planted lican flag and ami cheers Republican deputies delivered ical speeches. The Government measures to avoid tro garrison was under an streets leading to the barred by troops.

Similar manifestati in all the leading Ita

QUEEN MEIE'S

Jewelry and Much Go

Tomb of Mother of LONDON, Feb. 16 Davis, who discovered the parents of the l mummy of the Quee her tomb lay in the course, the mummy ticles have suffered Meie was the mother the famous "Heretic her tomb the priests erased every King's name, leavin tewelry and gold. Water had reduce the sheets of gold in my was wrapped. cled the arms, then necklace around the

> Unctuous Rectitue Hyster

head was still the in

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(Toronto Evenir Where was the Gl when its favorite w 'The Doctor,' was Are not certain pas Doctor" almost as aloud in mixed socie sages in the telegra the Thaw trial pu ship of facts in th Fiction that forces lems into the sight ought to be no mor the facts which rel that is being worked

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