MONDAY, OCTOBER 3, 1898.

IS IT A SURBENDER?

The news from Quebec in regard to to see how the government can refuse to ought no longer to be.

control of one of the ports. One would known. think that the American commissioners must have been presented with cards bearing the legend, "If you don't see

what you want, ask for it." so complete a surrender of Canadian rights can be for one moment contem-

The absurdity of such a surrender for the sake of getting a recognized right to a port on Lynn Canal can be best un-

observe the despatch says that the Brit- next year. what the treaty says.

TO-DAY'S VOTE.

be upon the future of Canada, no one can foretell. An unfortunate feature of tion. But more revenue was collected son who came into collision with a team evident that the taxpayers do not feel held by ex-President Harrison.

the vote will give a very fair indication The people of Canada are not heavily of how the people feel on the subject of taxed. They pay a good deal of money to their columns the arguments and ap- a people do not feel their taxes to be a peals of both sides. Not many promin- burden, it is sound policy to go on deent papers have editorially taken sides. veloping the country at the public ex

ciple involved. The uncertainty attend- rectly applied to Canada as a whole. ing the effect of the vote ought not to tion contributed in many cases to a feel. ness of their hearts. Increased expendition contributed in many cases to a feeling of discontent with the law. The teming of discontent with the law with perance people in their enthusiasm seemed to think that all they had to do was the money comes out of the taxpayer. to bring the law into operation. If they recognized what its enforcement implied, they rarely felt called upon to inform the voters. The result was in many cases that, when the law came into effect, people shrank from assuming the ties which its strict enforcement required. In the present campaign the people have been instructed by the opponents of prohibition as to what they We have also observed a disposition on ing of journalism. What would anyone the same. the part of the prohibitionist speakers think if he read in the London Times an and writers to admit the serious nature of the problem to be dealt with. There of a personal criticism upon Mr. Astor, has been very much less of a mere appeal to sympathy and feeling than is not the conclusion be irresistible that peal in compaging of this character. The word has gone out all over the country that Victoria's schools will have to be closed for want of money. This will hurt the city very much. The schools must be kept open.

For Constitution take Karl's Clover Root will have the great Blood Purifier. Cures Headache, Nervousness, Eruptions on the face, and makes the head clear as a bell. Sold by Cyrus H. Bowes.

tion, by lumping the two and giving up not be a very easy matter to deal with. as much as the bookkeeper in the busito the United States everything exto the United States everythin Lynn Canal, is so extraordinary that Conservatives will not venture to oppose allowed to make his living quietly. He only the reliable character of our special as a party a prohibitory law; neither do may not always approve of what his these provinces the majority will be on correspondent made us feel warranted in we imagine for a moment that the Libpaper does, in which respect he is like a the side of prohibition. erals as a party will support one. There lawyer, who makes out the best case he By every principle of international law are probably as many prohibitionists on can for his client, without respect to is the indifference manifested by a very can for his client, without respect to the right of pelagic sealing is vested in one side of the house as on the other, what his own views may be as to the large majority of the voters. It would the people of Canada. By every prin- and in the constituencies the parties are abstract justice of the client's claim. not be fair to assume that all those perciple of international law and by the only divided much the same. If the vote re
Journalism is as much a profession as sons who abstained from voting are in
Journalism is as much a profession as sons who abstained from voting are inreasonable construction of the treaty of 1825, Canada already owns both ports at the head of Lynn Canal. Yet wilfrid can unquestionably count upon are told we must surrender much Conservative support. Many inwe are told we must surrender all these our undoubted rights and accept in lieu, through the gracious consent of in lieu, through the gracious to retain these our undoubted rights and accept in lieu, through the gracious consent of this subject, but it is better to defer make a personal attack upon a fellow in much Conservative support. the United States, permission to retain them until the result of the voting is

BRING ON YOUR PROOF.

The News-Advertiser says that the We hope that some mistake has been Colonist referred to the papers support- eral way. The proprietor, who in nine made and that our correspondent has not ing the present government as "the cases out of ten, so far as the leading been as well informed in this matter as hireling press" and then proceeds to papers go, is a joint stock corporation he usually is. It seems incredible that read this paper a lesson for its alleged simply defines the general policy of the

Will the News-Advertiser kindly inplated. If developments prove that he is form us when and where the Colonist prietors to supervise the daily work of should be called is an excellent one, and correct, we submit that the strongest referred to the papers supporting the kind of a protest ought to be made by present government as the hireling press? the people of British Columbia. In com- As far as the recollection of the Colonist nalism than a proprietor and an editor. It is to be hoped that on the day fixed mon with most others, we have no wish goes, it never used such an expression There is the paper itself. Every paper there will be a large and representative to see anything done that will embarrass about any newspapers. It is a cheap and of standing has a character of its own. gathering present to discuss the many the British members of the conference, nasty expression. Nevertheless as ac- There are certain views on public ques- subjects which call for consideration. but this feeling must give way when it cidents happen in the best regulated tions which it holds, certain public interbecomes apparent that valuable rights families, so unexpected things find their ests which it represents, certain elements hold the place it now occupies and adare to be given up for no equivalent.

Way into the best edited papers. Yet of the community for which it has become apparent that the way into the best edited papers. Yet of the community for which it has become apparent that the way into the best edited papers. Yet of the community for which it has become the mouthpiece. The man may to the province, the property owners and sire to conceal anything from the public. head of Lynn Canal so badly that any- sion ever found a place in the columns some extent affect the character of the other taxpayers must be prepared to authing of value ought to be given up for of the Colonist. The News-Advertiser paper; but as a rule the character of thorize the expenditure of a good deal of

GIDDY MR. TARTE

Mr. Israel Tarte has been making a derstood after considering that the Do-speech. In it he made special reference minion has in the right of transit for to the exceptionally large expenditures goods across Canada en route to interior of the last fiscal year. Did he apologize Alaska much more than a quid pro quo for them? People who know Mr. Tarte for anything which the United States will be able to answer that question offcan surrender at Dyea or Skagway. hand. Mr. Tarte apologizes for nothing. We are more hopeful that some error On the contrary, he gives the people to in regard to the intentions of the confer-understand that, if they keep their eyes Political alliances may last for a day or ence has gained publicity, because we open, they will see a bigger expenditure

mers are prepared to con- The Colonist is not one of those papers cede that the United States has a right which object to large expenditures for to the territory within thirty miles from legitimate purposes when the country the coast where there are no mountain can afford it. Neither will it say that if summits nearer. The commissioners are the business of the country keeps on imbound to concede this, because this is proving, parliament cannot afford to vote what the treaty says.

If the news is verified, the people of some good substantial sums voted for ready and sums are Baron Herschell and Sir R. H. Col-Victoria ought to get together and for ward a protest to the government. Our correspondent wired last night that he had no further information on the subject to its the giddy way in which Mr. Tarte disposes of the matter. According to the apostles of the party which he now favors with his allegiance, their to be careful and "keep to the right," call for the outlay of a good deal of ard Webster is the leading counsel on

it is that no one knows what will follow last year than ever, and more money was that was being driven on the left side of sufficient confidence in the members of The question presents some difficulties expended. To this Mr. Tarte adds that the road. Unless it was a case of rear the government will make more money collision, the reason the bicyclist was probably extends even to the Premier's the government will make more money office. At least if Sir Wilfrid Laurier next year, and will spend more. Accordknows what he will ask parliament to ing to the theories of the Liberals when do in the event of prohibition carrying, in opposition, if the revenue increases he has not told any one. People are there ought to be a reduction in taxainto collision with a team that was also
therefore to some extent voting in the tion, because the country has already being kept to the left. We recommend been spending more than it ought to. the Journal man to get one of the "boys" As far as we have been able to ob- According to the Liberals when in to practise passing him in a narrow hall. serve, the campaign has been carried on power, if the revenue expands, the ex- Let the "boy" turn to the left and the all over the Dominion with a singular penditure ought to expand in the same Journal man turn to the right, and see degree of calmness. Yet we think very proportion. We repeat that we are not thorough work has been done, and that making amy objection to the latter idea. prohibition. Most of the newspapers in taxes, but they do not suffer much inhave done as the Colonist has, admitted convenience because of it. As long as

lead to indifference on either side. It is very desirable in the interests of the money spent by the government is taken of the money spent by the government is But there is one point which the people country that there should be a large out of the peckets of the people in taxes. vote. If the great body of the people We spent some forty odd millions last

is all right, but let no one forget that

THE PRESS We notice in several of our Eastern contemporaries articles in regard to attacks made by one newspaper upon another, and the opinion is expressed that,

The vote therefore ought to be an unusu- temporary fit of insanity, or that the ally intelligent one, and if the affirmative Gazette and its proprietor had commitside does not receive the support of a ted some frightful outrage upon the substantial majority of the voters of community? In some parts of this canada, the conclusion will be irresist-country, the first answer that suggests described by the voter of community? In some parts of this seem to show that prohibition received a majority vote in the Dominion vester in question: "Has the Lieutenant-Government of the voters of community? In some parts of this seem to show that prohibition received a majority vote in the Dominion vester in question: "Has the Lieutenant-Government of the voters of community?" In some parts of this seem to show that prohibition received a majority vote in the Dominion vester in question: "Has the Lieutenant-Government of the voters of community of the voters of community." ible that the people are not yet prepared itself to some newspapers is to make a day, but that the vote was a small one. ernor any right to appoint a Royal Comfor prohibition. On the other hand if personal attack upon the editor or pro-

the proposed settlement of the Alaska- give effect to it by introducing prohibi- In the first place, the newspaper editor, Canada boundary and the sealing question by lumping the two and giving up to the control of some kind. This will as a rule, is simply a private individual, editor.

So, too, in regard to the proprietors of sponsible for the manner in which questions are treated, except in a very genpaper and permits the employees to carry it out. It would be impossible for pro- by Col. Prior that a public meeting ed with the elementary duties of the extheir papers.

But there is something more in jour- the lead in getting the matter into shape. thing of value ought to be given up for it, even if it belongs to the United says it did. We request that it will say the paper controls the man. The paper money. One only needs to go around the gets a recognized place in the community, city in a casual way to be impressed when and where. and if it had a new editor every three with the fact that the constant postponein journalism.

A paper is much more of a permanent entity than any set of politicians, and ther procrastination. every conscientious editor feels this. for a year; public men may drop into of the business streets, the maintenance private life, or may drop out of life altoof sidewalks, the bridges at James Bay gether; the keen issues of the moment and Rock Bay, and the extension of the and Venezuela are to meet very shortly may be lost sight of; but the paper goes sewerage system. There is no use in and venezuela are to meet very shortly in Paris. The evidence has all been colon just the same. Even changes of the citizens shutting their eyes to these lected, and nothing now remains except proprietors often do not affect it. The the citizens shutting then the citizens shutting the citize examples of sudden alteration in the tinue to exist as demands upon the pock-

advent to power was to be marked by and says that a failure to observe this killed was that he was doing just what the Journal recommends. If he had kept to the left, he would not have come their knowledge of what is needed and part of Guinna Cartesian contention is that what the result will be. The rule for

of maladministration in the Yukon. As the Colonist has been the most active paper in Canada in demanding such a proceeding, and has done more than any paper that the large expenditures which proceeding, and has done more than any paper that the large expenditures which proceeding. of maladministration in the Yukon. As ent papers have editorially taken sides.

In view of all that has been said, no one can claim not to be in a position to one can claim not to be in a position to this doctrine as applied to British Columbra we feel greatly pleased at this doctrine as applied to British Columbra we feel greatly pleased at the public expenditures which of industry, faithfulness and of industry, faithfulness and the possession of these national decimal as a natural elevation.

Alderman Bragg has an eye to the spenditures which this doctrine as applied to British Columbra would be an of industry, faithfulness and the possession of these nations are proceeding, and has done more than any other towards making the ascertainable this doctrine as applied to British Columbra would be an of industry, faithfulness and the possession of these nations are proceeding, and has done more than any other towards making the ascertainable this doctrine as applied to British Columbra would be an of industry, faithfulness and the possession of these nations are proceeding, and has done more than any other towards making the ascertainable this doctrine as applied to British Columbra would be an of industry, faithfulness and the possession of these nations are proceeding, and has done more than any other towards making the ascertainable this doctrine as applied to British Columbra would be an of industry. facts known, we feel greatly pleased at courage, Mayor Redfern would be an tions was never continuous at many ed on by the government of Guiana, there the attitude of the Globe, and all the comment we have to make is that it is a pity that such a conclusion was not to need something more in its chief

apart altogether from the merits of the last two years. Mr. Turner never thankless proceeding for all who are but the climate is such that white men

YESTERDAY'S VOTE.

At the present writing, the returns seem to show that prohibition received No analysis of the voting can be accu-

The most striking feature of the voting

tion, and, therefore, that the governlegislation.

MUNICIPAL POLITICS.

We print a letter from the Hon. Col. Gladstone. municipal politics. The suggestion made It is very clear that if Victoria is to

months, each succeeding man would endeavor to shape his course so as to keep putting off the evil day when the meney the paper in that place. Outside of the must be raised and expended, and not fore him and take their testimony that profession itself, this effect of the paper helping the case any from a financial any newspaper reporter would have, and upon the men who make it is not very point of view. It is only too evident that his appointment as commissioner well understood. It is the realest thing though we may go on as we are for is a usurpation by the government of a little while, the time is near at hand the prerogatives of the legislature. The when it will be useless to talk about fur-evidence which he takes ought to be

Among the subjects which must have mitted to that body. attention are the following: The water supply, the fire department, the paving

money and the exercise of more than the side of Great Britain, the similar ordinary executive skill. It is equally position on the part of Venezuela being is no suggestion that the aldermen are eastern shore of the mouth of the Orinnot honest enough. The doubt is as to oco for several miles from the sea is a large sums of money. What the city the territory of that republic extends as needs is the presence in office of men far as east as the Essiquibo river. We known of their past history. One travel-

The Toronto Telegram complains that Hon. Joseph Martin is an enemy of labor because he signalized his entry into office by lengthening the hours of the government officials. Mr. Martin is innocent of this offence. The hours are nocent of this offence. The hours are not to own personal political ampromote his own personal political ampromote his own personal political ampromote his own personal political ampromate in the movement, some little reference may be ought not to be very much difficulty in determining the proper starting point, but there will be considerable difference of opinion as to where the line ought to be drawn from the interior.

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that Associated Press telegrams, where the climate is such that white men that Associated Press telegrams, where the climate is such that white men that Associated Press telegrams, where the climate is such that white men that Associated Press telegrams, where the climate is such that white men that Associated Press telegrams, where the climate is such that white men that Associated Press telegrams, where the climate is such that white men that Associated Press telegrams, where the climate is such that white men that Associated Press telegrams, where the climate is such that white men that Associated Press telegrams, where the climate is such that the climate is such that white men that Associated Press telegrams, where the climate is such that the climate is such that

AN UNCONSTITUTIONAL COM-

A correspondent propounds the follow mission to sit in judgment upon his minit does receive such a vote, it is difficult prietor of the paper replied to. This rately made until corrected totals have istry or their predecessors?" He adds: been received, but it appears that the "What the legislature allowed after ex-Maritime provinces gave a very substan- amination is settled and determined." the acts of a ministry is certainly a

> terms. A Royal Commission is an expedient whereby the Crown informs itself of something which it does not already know. But the Crown already knows what the ministry does, for the reason that what the ministry does the Crown does. Alpheus Todd says that Regarding the significance of the vote, be unconstitutional to refer to a Royal we feel that the only conclusion to be Commission subjects which are connectdrawn from it is that the people of the ed with the elementary duties of the Dominion are not yet ready for prohibi- executive government and with its relations to parliament or to do the work of newspapers; they, as a rule, are not rement cannot be said to have received an existing departments of state, who posinstruction to bring down prohibitory sess all needful facilities for obtaining information upon questions of detail and who are directly responsible to parliament." For this view Dr. Todd cites Mr.

> > We print a letter from the Hos.
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> > The inquiry now being prosecuted by Prior and several interviews dealing with Chief Justice McColl is clearly "connect-The inquiry now being prosecuted by we are glad to know that he has taken parliament," and therefore is unconstitutional, if Mr. Gladstone is any authority upon constitutional usage. It is one more illustration of how the constitution is being subverted in British Columbia. We did not think it expedient to raise this question at the time the commission was appointed, because it sire to conceal anything from the public but now that our correspondent brings

thrown out of the house, if it is ever sub-

THE VENEZUELAN BOUNDARY.

The arbitrators who are to settle the which is now at an acute stage and must be so disposed of that there will will be represented by Chief Justice Fulhereafter be no difficulty in regard to ler and Justice Brewer of the supreme them. A very little thought will con- court of the United States, and the fifth vince any man that the proper disposal arbitrator, or umpire, is a famous Rus-The Ottawa Journal implores bicyclists of the several subjects above named will sian jurist named Maertens. Sir Rich-

The present is an excellent time for suppose that the latter contention will spent a great deal of time among the questions, which he endeavored to dis-

officials, against whom the charges were made, were all in the Yukon country, would seem to fill the bill. There are the coast and up the Essiquibo and its of the coast and up the Essiquibo and up the Essiquibo and up the Essiquibo and up t worde. If the great body of the people are not prepared to give prohibition an active support, no greater mistake could be made than to try an experiment in such legislation. From the standpoint of the most extreme prohibitionists it is of the great body of the people are not prepared to give prohibition and before winter was about to interrupt such men in the city but we do not at present think of the name of one whose services can be considered available. The truth of the matter is that some of the most extreme prohibitionists it is much more taxes. Of course, Mr.

We spent some forty odd millions last would seem to fill the bill. There are year, and the money came out of the coast and up the Essiquibo and its present think of the name of one whose services can be considered available. The truth of the matter is that some of the most extreme prohibitionists it is much more taxes. Of course, Mr.

Two steamers on the turbine principle of Venezuela. The Schomburck line, so much talked about when the dispute was active support, no greater mistake could be regular channels of communication.

Two steamers on the turbine principle of Venezuela. The Schomburck line, so much talked about when the dispute was and up the Essiquibo and its present think of the name of one whose services can be considered available. The truth of the matter is taken to fill the bill. There are well and before winter was about to interrupt the cayuni, a patches, giving as her reason that they colonist are doubtless made up in New York or Boston. In this she is questions the reliability of our news desting the coast and up the Essiquibo and its present think of the name of one whose services can be considered available. The coast and up the Essiquibo and its prome the coast and up the Essiquibo and its present think of the name of one whose services or the coast and up the Ess of the most extreme prohibitionists it is a good thing that the opponents of such a good thing that the opponents of such a measure have placed before the people the facts upon which they rely. Persons who have had experience with Scott act who have had experience with Scott act service. What is true of the aldermen. New who have had experience with Scott act campaigns will bear us out in saying that the discovery, after the act was brought into force, of things that ought to have been pointed out before the election contributed in many cases to a feel.

It is expected that a speed of from 35 to 50 miles an hour will be attained. It is possible that he claimed more for the aldermen. New blood, and blood of a different strain, is directly to the propeller shaft, which is the cabinet are making a lot of money by some unknown process, and are spend-tion contributed in many cases to a feel.

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been in existence and been in force just be reform, and more than one person duces all manner of tropical vegetation must, expect to sacrifice something and be misunderstood before the good work is accomplished.

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An Ottawa despatch says that Col. The unconscious humorist has been part of the disputed region is unoccupied by any except Indian population.

The native Indians of this part of thing of a tornado in government circles by his persistent demands that the ading trim and one by one the ment is now in the clerical force in the various ments are being dismissed from s distinct from each other as almost to so distinct from each other as almost to

be different races. Not very much is when Mr. Sifton returned to the Capital who have a grasp of large matters. do not think there is the least reason to ler, who visited the country in 1780 and colleagues inclined to ask him many The present is an excellent time for suppose that the latter contention will some broad-minded and progressive citibe sustained. As to the British contention will aborigines, thought he discovered traces pose of in the fashion with which we zen to come to the front and give the tion to regard to the starting point, it is what the result will be. The rule for bicyclists in Canada is "Keep to the left."

City the benefit of his knowledge, expossible that it may not be fully admitted. Upwards of a century ago there was a disagreement among the authorities as that he had to be content with superficial inquiries. Perhaps the most interesting the made such a demonstration that Mr.

We observe that the Toronto Globe entious and excellent routine officer. It weight of evidence then seemed to be a large pyramidal elevation, which the cesses of his soul. It was an evil day is no disparagement to him to say that against the extreme contention now made Indians claim was built by some previ-

and returns are in the form of regular

But we can assure our correspondent the intellect of one Joseph Martin, and

Citizens of Opinio thing Will Hav Immedi

Hon. Col. Prior De tention of Call ing This

Victorians, or a very them, are strongly of time has come for a ch affairs. Many are change is necessary municipal government, that with good men i the adoption of the l system, the city could attractive and healthy sequently increase in population. Such in Colonist representative day in conversation wi ually on the streets, w and property interests i were all asked whether necessary or advisable zen's convention to tak municipal improvement tion, and almost to a r in the affirmative. I prompted to obtain the of the following letter

Hon. Col Prior: To the Editor:—I had much pleasure that bo and the Times in leading correspondents' letters it doing their utmost to a of Victoria from their apal matters. On all sid marks such as "Why do do so and so?" "Why better streets?" "Why ple put experienced but better streets?"

ple put experienced busing ple put experienced busing ple put armen," etc. run for aldermen," etc., after the question is as swer more or less to the that is the end of it. forward and tries to do a edy the many evils we from, and so it goes on month and year to year. body's business is nobod suppose, and so the who by the board.

A a businessman of this

A a businessman of this els a good deal and not cities are conducted; as a holder who does not wish perty continue to deprece as a firm believer in the as a firm believer in the of Victoria if the citizen son for her advancement; lie man enjoying, I hope, of a large number of my men, I feel it is my du bring together the best m profession trade and call profession, trade and cal for the purpose of discumeans of placing our fair dition that will make it po dition that will make it po great travelling public and foreign capital will be et This can undoubtedly be d jealousies are laid aside at with the one end in view fare of Victoria.

It may be urged by so a politician and therefore party purposes. When Do are concerned I am as a man as any in Canada, time or place for politics

man as any in Canada, time or place for politics gins at hime, and unless o prosperous it matters lit prosperous the Dominion may be. In this matter toria business man and ponly, and on this question come Senator Templement come Senator Templeman Riley, Colonel Gregory or my respected political opp co-workers as heartily as litical friends. This quest Victoria is to hold her or Victoria is to hold her or other growing cities on whether she is to be all into the condition of a is a question of the grea vital importance to all homes are here. It is a that cannot be put off but with vigorously and at on the business now but can We have all that nature do for a place; but unless selves, and our brainiest m personal sacrifices by selves, and our brainlest m personal sacrifices by shoulders to the municing the citizens of Winnipeg a are doing, we shall be hop the race. This being the cas soon as the New Westr over, to call a meeting of owners and business men subject, and shall ask His Mayor to loan us the City purpose. By business men Mayor to loan us the City purpose. By business men only Wharf street mercha yers but every man who mi by any business in the blacksmith, grocer, hotel ance agent, or anything el by all interested combinic good results can be obtain that Victoria business men off and have too comfort come out at night to att but on this occasion let me the rich men to cut short the club men their cigars lodge members their weel just for one evening—an hand to hand at this me full determination to worth. hand to hand at this me full determination to wor that Victoria shall soon that gracious Queen whose the honor to bear. If I fagood meeting I shall at le to do something, and any than deadly apathy.

Mr. G. A. Hartnable.
Driard, said that he had the matter very thorough in favor of local improver manent water and gas m phone and electric light put in. It was useless to if it was to be torn up in diately. As to the callingtion, he thought that was Hon. Robert Beaven could be done by the cal vention and thought proba would come of the discuss pal affairs at such a gathe certainly in favor of the ment system, in his opinio per system. When the fact had been introduced hored to have that system of act had been introduced here to have that system of the majority. It was here due now, since improvem made in certain portions of the general revenue, because in the possible. The present system of favoritism, being made only where the lected. It was also imposed the many improvements usent system, for property of the property of th