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A FEASIBLE PLAN OF CHURCH UNETY.

Writing on "Church unity," the Christian Work proposes the following simple and, it is believed, entirely feasible plan. We quote in part as fol-

"If, instead of seeking unity in outward form, churches would unite in agreement upon a very few fundamental doctrines concerning the life and teachings of Christ, not upon the phile osophies of religion; if, too, as in apostolic times, they would allow the churches to govern themselves in their own way, as in apostolic times some were Episcopal, some Presbyterian and The men in the first place demanded that some Congregational, and would all the company employ none but union men. unite in sending delegates to one council, as the apostolic churches held their struck. The net result has been the loss of council at Antioch and Jerusalem. common to them all, it might be possible to have a united church; at least we might see a union of the Protesteach denomination to give full credit of regularity and concede divine authority to every other denomination. That such a union might be blessed of the Spirit and give greater efficiency to the Christian churches we may well believe. But that the denominations are ready at the present time for such a union, while it would seem to be the only possible one, is a question. But there is no saying what the work of the Spirit in the hearts of

SIR WILFRID DEFENDS MR. TARTE

Sir Wilfrid Laurier still stands by the master of the administration. Although the official report of Mr. Tarte's speech was sufficient to draw upon him the reprobation of to staunch a party journal as the Montreal Herald, the Premier affects to see nothing in it but legitimate pride of race. In the house last week Mr Foster again drew attention to the Francophile speeches of the minister of public works made on the other side. He said that since he had first brought up the matter further and better reports of these speeches had been received, and the government certainly ought to inform the house whether it approved of the utterances or not. Mr. Tarte could not but be regarded in the matter as a member of the government representing Canada as a whole, a British country. Mr Foster quoted the Montreal Herald's adverse criticism of Mr. Tarte and held that the matter was serious enough to call for a peremptory order to Mr. Tarte to return home.

The Premier replied at some length. He reminded Mr. Foster that Mr. Tarte had complained of being unfairly reported in France. Every public man knew how liable he was to such misrepresentations. Mr. Tarte was well known to be a loyal British subject. His message to the Queen on St. Jean Baptiste day was a recent proof of it. When Mr. Tarte said the French-Canadians were more French this year than last, etc., he said something respecting which the Premier was not prepared to express an opinion without the facts before him. Mr. Tarte, it was to be remembered, was French by birth,-a fact which was not to his discredit; nor was it discreditable to him that he was proud of his origin without being disloyal to the British crown, under which French-Canadians were secure in their lives and liberties. (Hear, hear) Until he had the official reports of Mr. Tarte's speeches, which were now on the way, he said he for one would not feel disposed to form a final opinion. Mr. Tarte seemed to have been imbued with pride in his race, and with strong hopes in its becoming numerically much stronger than it is at present in Canada-s laudable ambition, he thought, and one which he had no hesitation in declaring he had the temerity to share. For himself he also hoped to see the French-Canadians continuing to add to the population in the future in the same degree as in the past, and not only to the population, but to the material prosperity of the country. (Hear, hear.) As for the newspaper reports, he had seen nothing in them that justified any different construction being placed upon them than that which he had just outlined. He was not prepared to admit that Mr. Tarte meant anything else than pride -than pride of race-or that anything he had said as a French-Canadian conflicted with his loyalty to the British crown, Until the contrary was proved he was prepared to stand by him. (Liberal cheers).

Mr. Foster replied that while making all allowances for what might be a very jaudable feeling on the part of Mr. Tarte as a French-Canadian, he thought the Premier had not quite appreciated the more serious aspect of the matter, and had not treated it as he should. He was not willing to Hie public men down too closely to newspaper reports, but these reports bore evidence of being accurate, and he, thought Mr. Tarte's were not

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END OF THE ST. LOUIS STRIKE.

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> MONTREAL GAZETTE'S INTEREST ING QUERIES.

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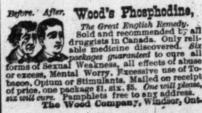
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Did you approve of giving dredging ontracts without tender, or are you family connection of Mr. Tarte's?
Do you think that nothing is too good for the soldiers, or had you a friend selling them cheap cracker rations at \$2 a pound?

Do you believe that elections should e elections, or do you approve of 'the machine" stealing in the govrnment's man?

Do you think a public servant should serve the public or would you have him a Yukoner?

Do you intend to vote for Laurier and Tarte, and Sifton, and Blair, and Borden, or do you think it time for a

Pretty nearly anybody can scorch these days without breaking the bylaw anent fast bicycle riding. The Essex Review designates M. K.

Cowan, M. P., as "the double-turreted Demosthenes from South Essex." Is he run by gas?

That Canadian in South Africa who got 56 days for stealing a chicken was probably equipped with Dr. Borden's emergency rations and had to steal to save himself from starvation.

A Hamilton girl has married a man named Sock. It is to be hoped she'll ever have any occasion to darn him. Before there was only one sock, now there's a pair.

Two years in succession now Chatham's Dominion day celebration has proved a great success. What is the matter with establishing the celebration as a permanent affair and letting the world know at once that this city henceforth reserves to itself for demonstration purposes the first of each

Manitoba's new prohibition bill contains a clause requiring physicians to state the nature of the disease suffered by the patient for whom he is prescribing. Against this clause the Manitoba Free Press waxes indignant as being inquisitorial, and a breach of the trust put by the patient in his nedical adviser. Such a clause in this or any other act does not amount to anything The object of applying to a physician is to allow a man a drink if he thinks he needs it and at the same time provide a sufficient check so that he will not feel that way too often. Any physican, if he so desires, can "latinize" the description of the thirty in dividual's complaint to such an extent that not even a board of experts will be able to find out from the certificate what he is suf-fering from. The Free Press man may rest easy. The law can be complied with without any breach of trust between him

SCHOOLGIRL WITH MILLIONS

Moreover This Young Kentuckian's Fortun

Has a History of Its Own. "There is a school girl in Louisville, said a Kentucky man of political prominence, "pretty well along in her teens who is one of the richest persons of her age in the United States, and there is a gold mine, romance goes with her fortune. Her grandfather was John B. Williams, born in Somerset, Kentucky, who as a young lawyer, went to San Francisco. There in the course of his practice he undertook to float a gold mine in Nevada, and he earned a fee of \$1,500 for his labor. However, the mine didn't pan out right and the company went to pieces without paying Mr. Williams his fee-I may say that he was then or afterwards Attorney-General of the State—and it was agreed that he should foreclose on the mine and buy it in for his fee. This he did, and a couple of years or so later, a representative of the Flood, Mackey and O'Brien interests, just then coming into prominence came into his office one day and offered him \$50,000 for his mine, which adjoined their Nevada property. He declined to sell, although nearly paralyzed by the proposition and the figures were rapidly advanced to \$200,000, which Mr. Willlams also declined, because he was sure now that he had a good thing, though he had not suspected it before, but he agreed to put the mine in with the other interest and take his share of the

"On this basis the F. M. O. people took over the mine that had cost Williams \$1,500 and he began to get dividends. Not a great while afterward a representative of the majerity holders told Mr. Williams that somebody was bearing the stock in the market and he did not know what the result would be, but if he wanted to sell out he could do so. Mr. Williams was willing to sell if he could get his price, and after several days' dickering he sold his interest, receiving for it a check for \$3,000,000, the largest check, by the way ever drawn by any one on the Pacific Coast. After that Mr. Williams was on Easy street, but money does not prolong life indefinitely and in time he died, leaving married sons and daughters who did not long survive him. The young girl I speak of is the daughter of one of Mr. Williams's daughters, and she is now the sole heir of the property of her grandfather which I am reliably informed has increased in value unfil it is worth somewhere between ten and twelve millions of dollars.

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