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Six Thousand Five Hundred Cotton Opera-

tives Locked Out.

Providence, R. I., Feb. 3.-The lock-

out in the four large mills of the

American Woolen Company in Olney-

tem. More than 6,500 operatives in all departments are idle as a result. Plans

are being formed to carry the strike to

mills of the company in other cities. The Washington mills at Lawrence,

Mass., it is said, will be the first center of effort in tying the business of

Hamilton, Feb. 3.-The trouble on

the street railway system over the dis-

charge of two men named Lambert and Harper has been settled.

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EASTERN PROVINCE CENSUS

Ottawa, Feb. 13. - Bulletin No. 3,

issued today, contains the population of the Provinces of New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Prince Edward, and

Quebec, by census districts, as enum-

erated under date of March 31, 1901, classed as rural and urban and com-

pared with the census of April 5, 1891.

tion was 253,835, as against 272,362 in

1891; the urban population was 129,883, as compared with 76,993 in 1891. In Quebec the population was 1,648,898, as

against 1,488,535 in 1891. The rural population was 999,667, as against 988,-820 in 1891, and the urban population

656,231, compared with 499,715 in 1891.

MORE SMALLPOX.

Toronto, Feb. 4.-Eleven families in

Finch township, Stormont county, are

infected with smallpox, a number of

the cases being new. Dr. Bryce, the

provincial medical health officer has been notified to this effect. Three ad-

ditional families in North Plantage-

net have contracted the contagion, and

four new cases are announced from a

lumber camp in Beaverstone, in Parry

ed at Manitowaning, and two at Eagle

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Prices on Application.

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Sound. Two fresh cases have develop

and the urban population was

compared with 48,901 in 1891. In Nova Scotia the rural population was 330,191, compared with 373,403 in

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London, Tuesday, Feb. 4.

Mr. Whitney as Objector.

At the East Middlesex nomination meeting. Dr. McWilliam neatly countered on the Opposition leader with regard to the number of useful measures he had objected to. To some of these measures introduced and carried by the Ontario Government, he had since become converted. But had he possessed the necessary statesmanlike breadth, would not have opposed them at the first. Mr. Whitney opposed the creation of a Minister of Agriculture. He opposed the establishment of the Algoma Pioneer Farm, the Western Dairy School, and the fruit-spraying tion, clothe them with new functions experiments. He opposed many of the grants intended to make the Agricultural College more efficient. He opposed the grant to the Poultry Association. He opposed the appointment of a Provincial Road Commissioner. He opposed the appointment of a Clerk of Forestry. He opposed providing more accommodation for the insane by the erection of a new Asylum at Brockwille. He opposed a grant to the Viccorian Order of Nurses. He opposed the appointment of a Superintendent of Neglected Children. He opposed the appointment of a Municipal Auditor. He opposed a grant for the making of Township Surveyors in New Ontariothat New Ontario which Mowat preserved to the Province, and which is full of resources now in process of marvelous development. It will thus be seen that Mr. Whitney is a chronic kicker, against progress. It is one thing for an Opposition leader to subject to proper scrutiny all measures presented by the administration of the day; but a leader should be constructive as well as destructive. An Opposition leader who has so often kicked at measures for the development and upbuilding of Ontario, is not the man to replace the progressive Premier of the most progressive Province of the Empire.

It strikes us the smallpox bulletin for Ontario for January suggests to the wise the prudence of vaccination. Here are the particulars:

the same as are	Centers.	Cases
Algoma	6	2
Brant	1	
Bruce	3	1
Carleton	0	12
Grev		
Haldimand	0	200
Hastings	1	
Hurof	0	3
Kent	0	21
Lambton	1	1
Lanark	1	•
Leeds and Grenville	3	
Lincoln	2	
Middlesex	4	
Muskoka and Parry	Sound. 5	
Nipissing	1	
Norfolk	1	
Peel	1	*
Perth	1	
Peterboro	1	
Wentworth	1	
York	2	
Prescott and Russel	1 7	
Rainy River	2	
Renfrew	6	
Stormont and Gleng	garry 6	
Victoria	1	
Wellington	2	
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Premier Ross in Britain.

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A pamphlet has been recently compiled, containing addresses delivered by the Hon. George W. Ross during his visit to England. The first address is a reply to the toast of "The British Empire League," at a banquet at which Lord Avebury was chairman. Premier Ross dealt with a matter apropos of the subject of the toast, and at the same time tending to promote the interests of Canada in the minds of Britishers. He dwelt upon the growth of Candaa during the last 30 years. "Our population," said Mr. Ross, "has increased from 3,300,000 she was in the time of Elizabeth. Be-England has seen since that time, nobody here can say how large we shall

The revenue of Canada has been increased from \$13,000,000 to \$51,000,000, and our expenditure from \$13,000,000 to \$42,000,000. The imports of Canada have been increased over 250 per cent, of the Transvaal." King Edward was and the exports over 300 per cent. This represented now as a monkey, and shows that Canada has steadily pros- again as praying in a closet-a monpered. Her history has been one of strous parody of the well-known scene vitality. She has consumed from out- in Hamlet. One comic paper containside sources, and her home produce has ed a picture of the King dancing on increased at such a rate as to cause the mutilated bodies of Boer women diminution in her imports.

Premier Ross complimented the British Government on the fact that Canada has been furnished with such an

Mr. Ross concluded his speech in the patriotism, which makes every Brit- is unfortunate that this power has ish subject feel a personal and indi- been abused.

vidual interest in the strength of the Empire. We are scions of that noble, that Saxon stock, which has spread itself over the world and whose flag has never yet been lowered in the face poem, and we cannot help thinking that of an enemy. As one of your poets

For the sires live in their sons, And they pay their father's debt, And the lion has left a whelp Wherever his claw is set."

The Ideal of Education.

In the January issue of The Nineteenth Century and After, Sir Joshua Fitch writes on "The Education Problem in England." He thinks that a better solution of this problem has been gained in Scotland than in England and says: "If we in England follow the precedent established so successfully in that one portion of the United Kingdom in which the general estimate of the value of education is highest, we should take the existing school boards rather than the county councils as the basis of our future local organization, enlarge them with some new elements, increase in the rural districts the area of their administraand cause them either in counties or county boroughs to have cognizance of the whole field of educational work, subject only to the authority of the central government and to their own constituents." The writer gives several reasons, among them this, that ladies cannot be members of county councils and the universal experience is that lady members of the school boards have rendered priceless services. In reply to the statement that school board elections bring "faddists" to the front, he says: "The fact is, that 'faddist' is a convenient word by which we are wont to designate anyone who is more in earnest or who has stronger convictions than ourselves." Speaking about the present political

situation, he remarks: "It would be a lamentable result of present political exigencies, if, in the future, it should be found that the principles of Mr. Forster's act had in 1902 been too hastily abandoned, that a new hindrance had been placed in the way of educational progress, and that we had introduced into our municipal and popular schools religious divisions from which these schools had been for many years happily free." Yes, it would certainly be a peculiar price to pay for fighting for freedom in Africa to have the cause of freedom put back in England itself. Sir Joshua Fitch wishes to see "full opportunity for the recognition and encouragement of merit in the case of scholars in all ranks in life; such a method of public administration as may recognize the best forces the nation possesses-imperial, municipal, religious and philanthropic-and co-ordinate them in the great task of social progress; and above all, loftier national ideals and stronger convictions on the part of the public respecting the value of intellectual power as a national asset, and as the chief factor in the future honor and prosperity of the race." This is surely a worthy ideal for Canada as well as England; it demands the efforts of intelligent, patriotic men.

German Anglophobia-by Pencil

The London Times of recent date contains an article on the literature of German Anglophobia, of which it states the pencil has unquestionably been the favorite and most effective weapon. From the beginning of the war, all the German comic papers vied with one another in holding the British army in South Africa up to ridicule. During the earlier part of the war, so long as the British reverses continued, these fournals were marked by a dominant note of jubilation and contempt for British arms. British soldiers were caricatured as poltroons, and the officers as drunkards and long-eared fools. Not content with this, the subtle cartoonist next set himself to work to falsify the minds of the German people in regard to the position of the royal family, and especially that embodiment of womanly virtue the late lamented Queen.

When the tide of victory began to to 5,400,000-all loyal Canadians, all flow favorably to British arms, the prepared to bear their share in the Anglophobe spirit of Germany took on budrens, in the battles and in the such a form that contempt gave way struggle for imperial unity. Five mil- to invective. Nor is this virulency conlions of people represent England, as fined to the low-class German comic papers. One of the worst offenders is fore we have seen as many years as the Berlin Kladderadotsch, a comic paper which holds the same position and enjoys the same popularity in Germany as Punch does in England, or Life in the United States. In Kladderadotsch, during the past few months, have appeared cartoons denouncing Lord Roberts as "the hyena ar increase of exports and pro rata and children, containing the letterpress description, "The blood spurts

so, it may stain my crown." The power of the pencil is seen in the fact that the pictorial calumny in able representation of the crown. Our the majority of cases precedes, and governor-generals have, from Lord seems to have inspired the written Dufferin to Lord Minto, been men of calumny. The Times states that, "The 'artist' manures the soil, and the 'writer,' as soon as it has been made following sentences, relative to Can- sufficiently receptive no very difficult adian patriotic sentiment: "We never task, unfortunately-scatters over it beat the big drum, nor flaunt the with a generous hand his ever-ready jingo flag, nor call attention to our seed stock of lies." The power of the movements in the public highways, cartoon can hardly be better exemplibut steadily and persistently, we seek fied than in its effects in Germany durto cultivate that better and purer ing the past two or three years. It

"The Islanders" and Their Critic

We have noted the comments in the London Times on Kipling's recent it is highly creditable to the good sense and temper of the English people. On the whole, the reception of the poem was reasonable and discriminating; objection was taken to particular phrases, but it was admitted that the portpreacher was in the main right. There is, we think, great hope for a people who can stand and take sharp critieism in a good spirit, and say, Well, what next? What is to be done about it? How can we put this thing right? Several gentlemen, who are by no means fanatics, have written, pointing out that the interest in military affairs and in politics is small, compared with the tremendous enthusiasm displayed in sport. Now, if there is to be a real imperialism, the great body of the people must take an intelligent interest in public affairs. Our boys and young men must feel that there is real, lively interest and much enjoyment in discharging the duties of citizenship. We have plenty of the patriotism that shouts, "We don't want to fight, but, by jingo, if we do." We need more national and imperial enthusiasm of the educated kind.

In ancient Rome, the common citizens were a mean lot of people, fed out of the spoils of weaker nations. Today the ordinary citizen must be a man of noble spirit who knows that to rule means to serve. Neither Britain nor America can discharge their evergrowing duties to the outside world unless the standard of citizenship, within their own borders, is raised. A populace given up largely to sporting and pleasure-seeking will not be able to preserve its own liberty, not to speak of ruling and guiding others. Hence we are glad that the poet receives from so many a fair hearing.

Labor.

[Elihu Burritt.] "Labor-thought-honored labor-may be the only potentate that shall be crowned on this continent.

The Tickets of Leave.

[Hamilton Times.] Mr. Mills' scheme of tickets of leave appears to have worked out fairly well. The revocations of licenses issued have amounted to only 2.01 per cent of the number issued. Evidently great care has been used in administering the act to attain such results. It is of the kind that may be discredited very quickly by a careless administration. Few men are better fitted to make such a measure a success than the present minister of justice.

Words. [Ella Wheeler Wilcox, in Chicago American.

Words are great forces in the realm of Of poverty, of sickness, but sets rife These very elements to mar his fate. When love, health, happiness and plenty

hear
Their names repeated over day by day,
They wing their way like answering
fairies near,
Then nestle down within our homes

Who talks of evil conjures into shape The formless thing and gives it life and scope.

This is the law; then let no word escape
That does not breathe of everlasting hope.

A Good Idea.

[Youths' Companion.] A Massachusetts business firm prints this paragraph at the top of its letterheads: "Errors-we make them; so does every one. We will cheerfully correct them if you write to us. Try to write good-naturedly, if you can, but write to us, anyway. Do not complain to some one else first, or let the matter pass. We want the first opportunity to make right any injustice that we may do." The little sermon deserves a wide audience. Few people have not had occasion at some time of their lives to regret the sending of a may be necessary to assert one's rights n subsequent letters, but there is no better rule of correspondence than to make the first one good-natured.

A LITTLE SUNSHINE.

Those Awful Girls.-Bess-I'll tell you a secret if you'll promise not to repeat it. Nell-All right. What is it? Bess-I'm engaged to be married. Nell —Oh, there'll be no harm in my telling that. No one would believe it.—Chi-

A Bad Break.-Doctor-I can tell by just looking at you that you need to take more exercise. You lead a sedentary life. What is your occupa-Patient-For ten hours a day I give a window exhibition of one of home-exercising machines.-Judge.

What's in a Name.-Tess-I've written Mame Woodby an invitation to my tea. I suppose I must. Jess-Yes, but you've spelled her name "M-a-m-e." Tess-That's so. She spells it "M-a-ym-e," doesn't she. Jess-Oh, no. She did three months ago; but it's M-a-i-gh-m-e" now.-Philadelphia Press.

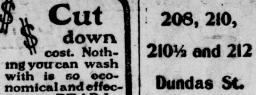
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February Clearing Sale.

Now that stock-taking is over our energies will be given to clearing out balance of winter goods. Therefore, for the next few days

Price Reductions

ville, took effect today, to meet the acunequaled in the history of Drygoods may be expected in every department at the "Big tion of about 150 weavers, who were endeavoring to precipitate a general Store." It's not a question of cost or worth, but simply of clearing out stock. strike against the double loom sys-

BOOTS AND

We are closing out our Boot and Shoe Department to give the space to other lines. The whole stock selling at cost and under.

February Sale Staple Department.

White Wool Blankets, size 60 x 80, worth \$3, sale price

Blankets, size

White Wool | Gray All-Wool | Gray Flannel, | Gray Flannel, | Wrapperettes, Blankets, size twilled & plain, twilled & plain, assorted colors 72 x 90, worth 64 x 84, worth regular price regular price regular 10c and \$4.25, sale price | \$2.75, sale price | 20c, sale price | 15c, sale price | 121/2c, sale price

7 only, Ladies' Jackets, in fawn Frieze.

Feb. Sale Price \$1.50.

8c

Clearance Sale of Mantles.

15c

17 only, Ladies' Mantles in Beaver Cloth, black, brown and fawn. Regular price was \$6, Feb. Sale Price 99c.

15 only, Ladies' Mantles in brown and green Frieze. Regular prices were from \$4.75 to \$5.50,

Feb. Sale Price \$1.

10 only, Black Curl Cloth Jackets. Regu-

Regular price was \$6.25,

lar \$5.50 to \$8.50, Feb. Sale Price \$3.50 to \$5.

Clearance Sale of Furs.

only, Electric Seal Jacket, regular \$36, for\$29 00 6 only. Astrachan Jackets, regular \$25, for\$19 00 only, Astrachan Jackets, regular \$36, for\$29 50 only, Astrachan Jacket, regular

\$40, for\$31 00 only, Lamb and Electric Seal Cape-

rine, regular \$18, for \$13 00 2 only, Sable Ruffs, \$12, for.. \$8 90 | 2 Black Opossum Ruffs, \$7, 2 only, Sable Ruffs, \$10, for . . \$6 90

r only, Sable and Seal Caperine, regular \$62.50, for\$47 00 I only, Electric Seal Caperine, regular \$30, for \$22 00 1 only, Sable Caperine, regular \$30,

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I pair only, Ladies' Seal Gauntfor......\$5 50 lets, \$18, for\$13 00 1 only Sable Ruff, \$6.90, for .. \$4 90 1 Mink Ruff, \$9, for \$6 50 2 only Thibet Muffs, \$6.75, Silver Fox Ruff, \$12, for....\$7 90 | 1 only Sable Muff, \$9, for....\$6 90 | for......\$4 90

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16 only Handsomely Trimmed Hats, from \$2 00 to \$12 00, at DISCOUNT OF 50 PER CENT. Colored and Black Dress Hat Shapes, worth from 75c to \$2 25, February sale price 50c Wings, Birds and Breasts, worth double the money, February sale price15c, 25c and 50c

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price \$8, February sale price \$6.00

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Boys' Heavy Tweed Suits, \$5, for \$3 50 Boys' Heavy Tweed Suits, \$2 75 and \$3, for.....\$2 25 Boys' Vestee Suits, \$4 to \$5, for...\$2 95 Men's Heavy Tweed Pants, \$1 25 and \$1 35, for...... 95c

Men's Furnishings.

Men's Heavy Fleece-Lined Underwear, Men's Heavy Scotch Wool Underwear, regular \$1 50 per suit, for.....\$1 10 Men's Heavy Lambswool Underwear, regular \$4 per suit, for.....\$2 95

Men's Furnishings. Men's Fine Mocha Gloves, wool lined, \$1,

Men's Fine Kid Gloves, flannel lined, regular 50c, for...... 39c Men's Heavy Wool Socks, regular 15c,

Crockery Bargains.

50 dozen Printed Cups, and Saucers, regular price \$1 10 per dozen, February sale price800

Soup and Tea Plates, February sale price, each... 60

50 only Glass Footed Fruit Bowls, February sale price, each......70

9 dozen Odd Printed Dinner