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BOER GOVERNMENT.

The following story, which we find in the Toronto Mail, will perhaps show what sort of a "republican" government Oom Paul's is, and what sort of a "monarchial" government at is that exists in Natal, a British colony. An Irishman who has lived in the Transvaal writes to the Providence Journal about the Boers. He says these "patriots" will give no Irishman justice. They forced his neighbor in Johannesburg to send his children to a Dutch school, and threshed one of of the children till it died because it did not learn Dutch fast enough. Thereupon the other children were withdrawn from the school, for which action the Irishman was arrested. He resisted arrest, and was shot in the presence of his wife. Complaint was sent to the English government at Cape Town. The men who complained were ordered out of the Transvaal, and their property was confiscated. The writer concludes: "I can tell you 20 cases similar to the above, but I think that will be enough to let you see what the Boers are. I don't love England, but I say, give me English laws as they are in Natal, where every man has equal rights. That is what England is fighting for. There are over 10,000 Irish volunteers in Natal alone and we will fight to the death to down the cruel Boers, and I appeal to all Irishmen to help the widows and orphans of the Irish soldiers who fell in battle."

A DANGEROUS DEMAGOGUE.

This is the Montreal Witness's view of the situation in British Columbia:-"Mr. Martin's policy is, of course, a demagogue one, appealing to the Provincial prejudices of the people of British Columbia as against the Dominion and Imperial interests to the interests of the miners as against the mine-owners, and to the prejudices of the Europeans against the Asiatics. His policy includes government ownership of railways, which is perhaps a good, but is as yet an impracticable, meas from the coast to Kootenay mining districts, a policy intended to catch the electors of Kootenay district and the coast; exclusion of all Mongolian labor, which is in contravention of of British treaties, and cannot, therefore, be enacted; resistence to encroachment on the provincial rights

"Why such a person as D. R. Farquinary for the position, of many of the others, whose names might be mentioned, should have been passed over, it is hard to understand, but the influences at work were too strong, and fitness for the office had to give way to the "pull." MR. HOLMES HAS NOT A SINGLE QUALure; construction of a new railway or oachment on the provincial rights of British Columbia by the Dominion would justify the government in selecting him."—Planet, April 30, 1900. government, a declaration of war against the Imperial, and Dominion governments for keeping British Col-James has done for the Liberal party, umbian legislation against the Japanese within the limits of thet reaty obligations, and an eight-hour labor day to catch the mining vote, There can be no doubt that this policy is popular with the unthinking classes, who are strong in numbers in British Columbia. And it is quite possible that with Mr Martin as Premier, serious trouble may be cause to all Canada by his rulership. It is one of the dangers of our system of appointing political partizans to governorships that now and then one of them occasionally, from political prejudices, uses the royal prerogative as the Queen herself or the Governor-General would

not think of using it." An interesting contribution to the motor question comes from G. A. Bobrick, a prominent engineer, connected with a liquid air concern. He claims that automobiles can be run with liquid air, and that a cubic foot will run wehicle 100 miles. He figures that the air will cost one and one-half cents a gallon, so that the 100 miles can be accomplished at a trifling expense. With proper provisions against accidents by explosion, the automobile run on this system will revolutionize travel.

But whose hath this world's goods, and seeth his brother have need, and and shutteth up his bowels of compassion from him, how dwelleth the love of God in him?—I. John iii., 17.

Péople in John's time seem to have been much the same as those of to-day. The really wealthy appear to cling to their hourd with a grip that seems to indicate a desire to take their money with them to whatever place the Lord intends to send the "near" crowd. Elsewhere, as here, the subscription lists show that it has been largely those who were not overly flush who were the first to rush to the aid of the Ottawa-Hull fire sufferers.

H. Lutz, of Freeport, who describes himself as an old-time Liberal free trader, writes a letter to the Toronto Weekly Sun (Patron) in which he says :- "When I cast my ballot in favor of such men as Laurier, Cartwright and some more of that ilk, little did I think that I was leaning on broken reeds such as they have proved themselves to be. These gentlemen will know it when I cast another ballot for any man, who says that if he is elected he intends to sustain the Laurier Government, When I am once deceived and humbugged that will do. Laurier does not get a chance to do it the second time if I can avoid it," [Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, etc.

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A city physician, speaking about the wounding of the commanding officer of the First Canadian Contingent, expresses the opinion that he Otter have been more careful of himself.

> JUST LIKE THE BOERS. Montreal Star.

The Liberals, like the Boers, are on the run. Some time ago they abandoned Principalfontein, and evacuated Economy Kop, near Retrenchment Dorp, which was once their stronghold, and trekked over Boodle Spruit to Dealvaal and Job-dal.

A MATTER OF OPINION.

A friend of ours, who studies the columns of this great ramily journal with a persistency that is commendable, sends us the following which he no doubt intends for publication. As it makes good reading, we cheerfully

THE PLANET ON MR. HOLMES, ts Opinion of April 31st, Contrasted

With that of a Former Date.—The Continuity of the Organ's Consistency Exemplified by the Scissors—Two Extracts. Why such a person as D. R. Far-

"It is now our good friend, James after furnishing kindling, hardwood, gas lights, and advice, in unlimited to the local party managers for quarter of a century without getting so much as thank you, he has been igominionsly turned down the first time nominiously turned down the first time he had the audacity to turn his eyes towards a paltry \$3,000 or \$4,000 a year job, which the party had in its gift. MR. HOLMES MET MANY OF THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE PO-SITION, but he was told he was not a lawyer, and that no one but a lawyer could fill the office."-Planet of a

former date, editorially, We cannot see anything contradictory in the above statements. As a political worker, a deserving partizan and a popular citizen, Mr. Holmes meets many of the requirements. He passes the governmental test, as it were. As far as professional knowledge is concerned for the technical work of the office, we do not believe he has a single qualification. Now, is there anything contradictory in holding such views? We cannot see it. Our friend will have to try again. He has made a good attempt, but has not succeeded in trapping this leading advertising medium, this time. And advertising medium, this time. And, incidentally, we might remind him that some people, even critics, contradict themselves in the same article, let alone at different periods. For instance, he mixes his dates. There is no April 31st.

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patch there once lived a busy little horned toad, who, by industry and strict attention to his own affairs, got along very well and with little trouble to his peace of mind, until upon one occasion, casting his eyes upward, he beheld a vision of loveliness by which he was completely dazzled. A beautiful dove, as dainty and trim as only a dove knows how to be, was pecking away in the sand at not more than a foot distance, and the poor horned toad at once fell a victim to her enthralling influence. It was, in fact, a case of love at first sight, with all the usual symptoms. The dove did not remain more than a few minutes, but spread her graceful wings and flew off before the horned toad had time to realize what was amiss with him. For the remainder of that day he experienced an unusual condition of restlessness. He was neither able to enjoy his usual midday bask in the sun, nor did any flies come within reach that served to stimulate his appetite. At sundown, too, he sat on, gazing at nothing in particular, instead of burrowing in the sand and going quietly to sleep, like any peaceful minded little reptile. So the morning came and found him considerably the worse for a night spent in harrowing reflections. Two or three times that day the dove came and

toad, and left him each time more despondent and lovesick than ever. This went on for a week, and all the toad's companions began to remark upon his careworn and altered appearance without guessing at the real cause of his condition, and goodness only knows how it might have ended had not the dove herself at last noticed it also and brought the affair to an explanation.

hopped about near the poor horned

"Why, Toady," said she, "how sick you look. What have you been doing with yourself the last few days to become so miserable?"

"Divine lady," replied the poor horned toad in a voice of the deepest melancholy, "vision of all earthly loveliness, could you but deign to spare me a passing thought occasionally, then all would indeed be well."

"Be well, Toady, for I have given you a good many passing thoughts during the last day or two." "Is that within the bounds of pos-

sibility, sweet bird! Oh, what supreme happiness!".

"Why, yes," answerd the dove, in matter of fact sort of way. been thinking what a wretched little beast you look, and how different from the active fellow that I used to see about here."

This was not exactly the sort of reply that the horned toad expected, so he sighed and looked unutterably mis-

"Come, wake up!" said the dove. "Shake off whatever foolish fit is troubling you." "Never!" exclaimed the horned toad

so fiercely that it made the dove hop back a few paces. "Never, unless you tell me that you will be my bride." "Pooh! Pshaw!" replied the bird.
"Toady, what nonsense! Such a thing is utterly impossible. Why, you would be tired of me in a week at the utmost."

"Never!" ejaculated the toad phatically.

"Oh, yes, you would," retorted the "And even if you didn't get dove. tired of me in that time, I should get awfully sick of you, Toady." "Cruellest charmer of Paradise," uttered the poor horned toad. "Is your heart of granite, that no appeal will

make an impression upon it?" "Not at all, Toady. Neither is it made of clay. You see, I could not live in the earth with you, because I have not been brought up to that mode of life, and I do not think that you would like to cling to the branch of a tree all night, would you?"

"Ah! I never thought of that," said the toad. "I am not at all sure that I would care about it." "And how would you like to eat grain

instead of nice, juicy flies?" asked the bird. "Not at all," replied the toad. "It would stick in my throat and choke

"And I should dislike your way of life equally," said the dove in a philosophical manner. "Therefore, Toady, pull yourself together; for, as you cannot obtain my love, go to work again and earn my respect as a trave little fellow."

"You are right, I believe," answered the toad, as he plucked up heart once more. "I see it all now. No, it wouldn't do, Birdy. But, while I still maintain my opinion as to your beauty, I can now add many words as to your wisdom."

Fortunate are those who realize the ncompatibility of their temperaments before marriage, instead of after.

A Pet Tead

The little granddaughter of Colonel Ellethorpe, the well known Illinois scientist, has as her most beloved pet a common forest toad. It follows her about, hops into her lap and remains there most contentealy while she feeds it with crumbs.

The "Weeping Tree" The "weeping tree" owned by the Duke of Devonshire is made of copper and is so dexterously contrived and cunningly painted that at a careless glance one does not distinguish it from a real tree. It drips water on ourists who wander 'neath its shade.

Papa-I hear you were a bad girl today and had to be spanked. Small Daughter-Mamma is awful strict. If I'd known she used to be a school teacher, I'd 'a' told you not to marry her.-Harlem Life.

daughters who are going to school. If they are weak, if they feel tired, if they have no ambition to study look out for them. It is only a matter of time until you have to take them out of school.

Your own experience should teach you what we tor young ladies, they are good for old ladies refer to. You should not leave your daughters and married women as well. They are not to their own ignorance, for they will surely die intended for any bad purpose and married on your hands or be invalids for years and a women can take them under any conditions.

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