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OUR POINT OF VIEW

IMPERIAL YEAR BOOK

TTE have received from the publishers a copy of a vol ume entitled "The Imperial Year Book of Canada." It is crammed full of information regarding the Dominion of Canada in particular but has quite a number of pages devoted to affairs of the United King dom and of the British Empire generally. In fact, it contains a great deal of useful information gotten up in handy form.

Four pages of the Imperial Year Book are devoted to the affairs of Newfoundland, its physical features history, population, religion and general administration.

A rather broad error has crept inour electoral districts and the Assembly representatives therefor.

Burgeo and Lapoile becomes Bergeo and LaPorte; Placentia and St Mary's is given as Placentia and St. Mark's; and Port de Grave as Point de Grave, while Trinity District has dropped from the list altogether.

Lloyd. Stone and Targett, elected last fall as representatives for Trinity are put down as representing Twillingate, while Clift and Jennings do not figure at all as members of the House

These are rather grave mistakes for a book of reference and the editor evidently did not have the proofs of the Newfoundland section revised by any local authority.

OUR OBJECTION

\(\Omega\) UR only objection to the editoria this morning's News, headed "A Possible Explanation," is that the editor did not make his remarks strong enough or pointed

We understand that the newspaper reporters who went to Waterford Hall last night to report proceedings at the dinner to the Dominions Royal Trade Commission received the scantiest of courtesy, being as The News | WE SHOULD WORRY! remarks, "relegated to positions as far remote from the speakers as possible," and being compelled "to report speeches to the music of dishwashing."

We are not disposed to believe that this treatment was deliberately hand-

hope it was due to thoughtlessness on the part of those responsible for the management of the affair,

And yet the function was not so elaborate or so numerously attended that so well-known a person as a local journalist could very well be overlooked. In fact, we are informed that while the dinner was on a note was sent to one of the prominent men present, and yet no move was made to relieve the newspaper man from his embarassing position.

As far as The Mail and Advocate is particularly concerned, the dinner was of no particular interest. We were not represented there because we received neither notification of it nor invitation to it.

The same thing happened at the time of the dinner to Dr. J. R. Mott. We had no representative present because those in charge of the arrangements knew so little about their business that they ignored the newspapers-whether deliberately or not we are not prepared to say.

We register an emphatic objection to this cavalier treatment of press, not on personal, but on public grounds. We are publishing newspapers and our readers expect us to supply them with contemporary news. If, however, our representatives have to invite themselves to functions, or have to sit in sculleries or peep through keyholes to arrive at knowledge of proceedings, then these affairs can go unreported for us.

on the other hand, need they feel at loyal members. all aggrieved if the newspapers re-The Weekly issue to any part of New- after-dinner speeches. It is only fair out of the water. to draw the line at gratuitous ad- Proceeded to Pilley's Island Har-

Letters for publication should be to inside information and from the be included. experienced reporter, not from some amateur pencil pusher.

last night a secret and exclusive af- about the old mine after service. fair may chime in harmoniously with The publication of any letter does not the antiquated ideas of those who engineered the affair, but it was a gross insult to the newspapers of this city and one which, for our part,

> The Cadet is now on sale at Byrne's and Atlantic Bookstore, and at Gus Wadden's. Price 10. cents.

&&&&&&&&&&& POEMS OLD and NEW

INSECTOLOGY

Of work the bee is not afraid, And hard times can't expel it, For when it gets its honey made It knows just where to sell it.

Consider, too, the little gnat, He's fortunate in that he, Whate'er the styles are-thin or fat-Can manage to look gnatty. -Chicago Inter Ocean

And then we know there is the ant Who works to beat the band, And really does a pile of work Because its got the sand, -Yonkers Statesman

Do not forget mosquitos, Those little beasts, so rum, Who stick around each evening, For they always stay to hum. -Daily Advertiser

Still yet there is the spider. With its legs so long and thin, The life it leads is childish.

AT NEVER COMES AGAIN

There are gains for all our losses, There are balms for our pain; But when youth, the dream, departs, It takes something from our hearts. Andl it never comes again.

We are stronger, and are better, Under manhood's sterner reign: Still we feel that something sweet Followed youth, with flying feet, And will never come again.

Something beautiful is vanished. And we sigh for it in vain, We behold it everywhere, On the earth, and in the air, But it never comes again. -Richard Henry Stoddard.

the city and outports.

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MONDAY—A great two-part release from the pen of Mrs. Otis Skinner, a powerful drama of the day: "THE NE'ER TO RETURN ROAD."

LOG OF THE "F.P.U."

We left Nipper's Harbor at 7 p.m.,

(To be continued)

OR OTHERWISE?

About List of Guests

At Recent Func-

tions.

(Editor Mail and Advocate)

Had For Asking.

At the Garden Party invitations

were to be had for the asking, and if

not to be wondered at that the Hon.

sion and perhaps was entitled to an

the law partner of the Rt. Hon. the

Also Absent.

was remarked, also, and his friends

cold and to get only the crumbs that

the affable Editor of The Telegram,

might have been invited too. The

Doctor's fondness for attending such

fetes, and the earnestness and jovi-

ality of his speeches would delight

Some Distinctions.

but it is very strange that the Hon.

Mr. Piccott ignored, and that the

Editor of The Herald should be wel-

comed at the feast, and the Editor of

People will talk, and it is a diffi-

-NEMESIS.

The News not inside the gate.

cult matter to stop their tongues.

I hope I am not wronging anyone

the distinguished visitors.

fall from the table.

magnificent haven.

Pres. Coaker's Story Of His Trip To The North

(Continued

Sunday, July 26.—Spent the morn- ating principles, or a serious situa-Of course, in the case of a private ing at Triton, and attended service tion will confront the whole colony. entertainment or a dinner the parties at the Methodist Church. Took dinin charge have a perfect right to be ner with Friend Sims. My first visit amidst a thundering fusilade of musas exclusive as they please; no one to Triton and was pleased to find the ketry and cheering. The wind blew strong to the North and we arrived can blame them at all if they decide Council with a very nice Union Hall at Little Bay Island at dusk, where that a reporter does not measure up fully completed. The Council numto the proper social standard; nor, ber about 100, and they are strong we remained safely harbored in that

Fishery here poorest ever known. fuse to publish lists of those present, Traps from 1 to 7 qtls. Hook and descriptions of gowns or synopses of line about 1 qtl. Many traps taken INTENTIONAL

bor, via Brighton-or Dark Tickle, In the case, though, of the functions Passed Card's Harbor, a very tidy What a Correspondent Says would like to talk to them on Union All correspondence for publication in which such a public body as the little settlement. Dark Tickle and Dominions Royal Trade Commission Card's Harbor are not ports of call is concerned, the people have a right for the Bay steamer, but they should

There being no Church of England service we attended service at the The attempt to make the dinner Methodist Church, and took a stroll

Good Property.

a deep water pier capable of accom- the Governor has the right to ask We are always glad to see the perturbed over trial of George Le-been there. about forty per cent. of a grant of Herald has been responsible for the ry as when a man sets out to de \$350.00 made last year for a public arrangements here and if that be so right and work for the public good h wharf, which expenditure caused a it is easy to understand why some need not worry, for right fears no big fuss amongst the residents last Department heads were present and ones smile or frown. year. The money spent was used to others ignored. add a wharf to the premises of Manu e l-Crosbie's brother-in-law-a n d the people protested, and apparently were fully justified, as the steamers do not use it. But Manuel got splendid wharf erected at the public Mr. McGrath occupied a front seat -Cincinnati Enquirer expense. He is the "office boy" of the Commis

How Discovered.

LeDrew's misdoings were dis- invite; but why should the office boy covered by the F.P.U. Council from be there and not the stenographer? returns secured last session of the House and Magistrate Wells, of Little no one else qualified to take down Bay, is trying the case, which will the speech but Mr. Brian Dunfield finish to-day.

Arrived at Nipper's Harbor at 3 Premier, Sir E. P. Morris? Surely p.m., unexpected. Soon the people this is too menial a position for such gathered at the Union premises. a bright legal luminary? Spent a couple of hours in conversation with friends. Store here is in charge of C. Rideout, who recently succeeded W. J. Stratton. well pleased over possession of Union store.

Fishery here no better than at other ports in Green Bay. Traps average 5 qtls. Hook and line

Fishery on the Cape Shore—the primest fishing grounds of the district-just as bad at at Nipper's Hr. On the whole it is the worst fishery in the memory of the old fishermen. Some will get through by utilizing their savings, while fully one-third of the fishermen must be assisted by

Are Much Needed.

In all the districts urgent public improvements are necessary in shape of public wharves, and grant will have to be made for such purposes to be expended where possible in November and December, or money will have to be wasted in ablebodied relief during the coming

is no better than it is in Green Bay, News that the Hon. John Alex praises ing us for the Regatta perhaps the Treaty Shore.

sells The Mail and Advocate, as local employment. The situation fac- are not in love with the reporting of take a hand in the game. well as a large number of shop ing the Government is far from speeches to the music of dish washagents, in different sections of pleasing; the exercise of sound judg- ing." ment and making advance prepara- Consistency, thou art a jewel .- N. READ THE MAIL AND ADVOCATE

PRES. COAKER VISITS TILTING.

And Gets a Right Royal Reception From the People—Held tions will have to be their predomin-

Meeting.

(Editor Mail and Advocate) Dear Sir,-Mr. Coaker visited us in the F.P.U. on the 22nd and all were delighted to see him. He received a great welcome. The harbor was decorated with bunting and the firing of guns was wonderful as the schooners in port did not spare their pow-

We wanted a public meeting but President Coaker decided it would b best to hold a Union meeting as so many Union men were in port he

Union Meeting.

He gave us a half hour to get ready

and at 2.30 p.m. the meeting opened in the Union Hall and it was packed with men. The advice and counsel Mr. Editor,—In reading your popu- he gave us will long be remembered. lar paper this evening of those who He spoke for about 90 minutes. At dined with the Governor in honor of the close he was warmly cheered and July 27.—Inspected the store at the Trade Commissioners. I was sur- so was Mr. Halfyard whom the Presi-Pilley's Island, which is operated by prised to see that the Minister of dent spoke of with praise and high N. Hicks, of Catalina. The store and Marine and Fisheries was not includ- regard and acclaimed him to be as wharf are Union property and possess ed in the list. Of course, I presume, good a man as ever represented Fogo. modating the Prospero. Arranged whom he likes, but as our principal President and the more we see of for the erection of an additional industry is the fisheries, I think the him the greater mystery he seems. building to store fish. Public much head of that Department should have He is looking remarkably well and everyone who sees him says he looks Drew, charged with misappropriating It is said that the Editor of The like a happy man and knows no wor-

> Our best wishes go with him every where and we ask God's blessing t

Expert Busy.

Charlie the motor engine expert such were the case last night, it is was busy here attending to engine troubles and he was not long in making them work properly.

Union feeling here is stronger than ever and many who did not approve of Coaker's ideas last fall are with And that leads me to ask was there him strongly now and admire the work he did in the House the pass winter. Our Union Store will reopen about the middle of August. I closed in the spring as our clerk had his own work to attend to when the fishery opened, and as business is not brisk in the summer months was closed until the fish was dry.

The absence of Hon. John Alexan-The Can't Lose is expected here der Robinson, Editor of The News, with coal in August when we will be enabled to get coal three or four dol say it is a great insult to his camp lars per ton cheaper than it cost us in followers, for one Government editor

to be in the thickest of the gay crowd We wish the President could have and the other to be left out in the remained longer, but as he is a rusher we are glad to have him even for an hour or two.

For my part, I say that Dr. Lloyd, The fishery here so far has been very poor but we are hoping for few days good trapping before the

> -UNIONIST. Tilting, July 23, 1914.

SUGGESTS RACE OF OUR VISITORS Mr. Cashin was asked and the Hon.

New York vs. Boston to Row In the Forthcoming Regatta.

(Editor Mail and Advocate) Dear Sir.—Seeing that we have s The fishery along the Treaty Shore P.S.—This morning I see by The many of our fellow countrymen visitand following a bad fishery last year the arrangements and congratulates race could be gotten up between considerable assistance will have to his brother Editor Hon. P. T. Mc- them. Say, for instance a crew could be forthcoming in many harbors on Grath, who was responsible for the be found to defend the "Hub" against arrangements, while in following New York. Many of the returned The employment of the younger item he sandbags those in charge and countrymen are good oarsmen, and men at railway construction would says "Australia is not the only Do- maybe they would relish a race on Hardly, but advertisers should greatly aid a large number, but hun- minion where the reporter is treated Kitty Vitty just for old time sake. It worry, and that's a sure thing dreds who are unable to leave their as an interloper (meaning, of course, would add considerable interest to Almost every newsboy in town homes would have to be aided by Newfoundland) and that the scribes the Derby to see some of our visitors

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