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of international commerce, the Domin-

ion has a direct and important responsibility; but as a problem for the

utilization of a product of nature for

the development of Canadian com-

merce it is a problem fundamentally

for the people of Ontario. The de-

velopment of power is the paramount

thing, subject to the wise preservation of an unrivaled scenic splendor.

There was introduced to the house

of commons yesterday a private bill to

confirm all the privileges obtained from

the Ontario government by the Ran-

kine Company, which is, so to say,

the senior exploiter of power at the

falls. Mr. Hyman announced directly

that the Dominion government would

take charge of everything relating to the export of power from Canada to the

United States, electricity, of course, be-

ng a commodity just as amenable to

tariff laws as hay or turnips. There

Three months One month

the empire are not going to wait upor the mother country to lead the way, Relephone-private exchange connecting all but will proceed independently to es-departments-Main 252. tablish more intimate commercial relations among themselves. If they succeed in that, the United Kingdom cannot refuse to consider whether she will continue to stand aloof. Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, notwithstanding the attitude of his party when in opposition, has perforce admitted that the

British Empire, which is coming so

rapidly to the front. The new states of

These rates include postage all over Can-ada, United States or Great Britain. next imperial conference will be free They also include free delivery in any art of Toronto or suburbs. Local agents a almost every town and village of On-trio will include free delivery at the above ites. to discuss all questions affecting the welfare of the empire. The adoption a common line of action on the part of Canada, Australia, Africa and New rates to newsdealers on application. Ad-Zealand would necessarily carry grates Special terms to agents and wholesale weight and the intervening perio

THE WORLD, Toronto, Canada. Bumilton Office, Royal Corner, James treet North. Telephone No. 965. would be well spent by these govern

#### LABOR IS ITS OWN POLITICS.

There is a queer combination of th pathetic, the ridiculous and the pray tical in the situation which has be developed between the labor forces an the congress of the United States. The American Federation of Labo went down to Washington the other da to see President Roosevelt, the commit tee of labor of the house of representation tives, and the acting president of th senate, to represent the need for legis lation in the interests of an almost in servants

It is pretty difficult to size up the were not in the game of politics. They is liable for the obligation undertaken as well as of pence, and it is not easy Dominion government's attitude to the Niagara Falls problem. In so far as swered their rulers in these words: it is an affair of national frontier, and

We reaffirm, as one of the cardinal principles of the trade union move-ment, that the working people must unite and organize, irrespective of creed, color, sex, nationality or poli-

That the American Federation of Labor most firmly and unequivocally favors the independent use of the ballot by the trade unionists and workingmen, united regardless of party, that we may elect men from our own ranks to make new laws and administer them along the lines laid down in the legislative demands of the American Federation of La-bor, and at the same time secure an impartial judiciary that will not govern us by arbitrary injunctions of the courts nor act as the pliant tools of corporate wealth.

That as our efforts are centred against all forms of industrial slavery and economic wrong, we must also direct our utmost energies to remove all forms of political servitude and party slavery, to the end,

this late date enunciated. \*

The labor politician is bound to come.

There seems to be an idea among must be an export duty. Less directly many eminent people that those who

### **CANADIAN POLICYHOLDERS' ASSOCIATION** WHAT POLICYHOLDERS ARE SAYING

## Get the Form Below Signed and Forward it to the Association.

To Dr. Moorehouse, chairman, and C. Goode, Secretary Treasurer, Canadian Policyholders' Association, Gooderham Building, Toronto :

We, the undersigned, hereby agree to become members of the Canadian Policyholders' Association for the protection of life policy-holders, and to subscribe the membership fee opposite our respective names.

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numerable body of voters to their own lowed up the Hamilton Street Railway, question will object just as strongly as the Radial Electric Railway, the Ham-The delegates were not delighted with iton & Dundas and the Hamilton, ing treated exactly the same as he their reception. They felt rather as one Grimsby & Beamsville railways. It is who enters a ward absolutely on the their reception. They felt rather as one Grimsby & Beamsville ratiways. It is who enters a ward absolutely on the to cover cost of carrying the risk. Surely the current revelations of the proffered a stone. They felt that they franchises held by these companies, and Paperization is a matter of principle, government insurance investigating

put on their considering cap, and an- by them, and receives the benefit secur. to get the idea of hardship out of the D." and others like him to the futility

that the working people may act as a unit at the polls at every election.

Mr. Hyman hinted that the Ottawa live by the sweat of their brow on this

DEFENCE OF ASSESSMENT PLAN.

Waiter World: In a recent issue I no-tice a letter signed "P.D.," concerning my defence of A.O.U.W. I desire as briefly as possible to point out the in-correct conclusions he has drawn from my letter. First, \$20 per year is ap-proximately the amount paid by a member only 21 years of age for \$2000 certificate, the average annual ;ay-ment of those who died during Febru-ary is something like \$42 for \$2000 for age 40, that being the averag eage at entry of those who died. The A.O. U.W. does not pay into or out of any invested fund except the small reserve that is accumulated for the increasing age of the membership. It is not the dead but the living membership that pays the death claims in fraternal or-ganizations, and herein lies the fundamental difference between them and the line companies.

and the line companies. As to the mathematical certainty of As to the insthematical certainty of failure for the fraternal orders. The one in question has been doing its work of humanity since October, 1868. near-ly 38 years, and is, if anything, strong-er and larger now than any time since it commenced business.

it commenced business. "P. D.'s" comments and advice to Workmen bears the stamp of igno-rarce, or worse, as it is well known that all line companies charge pre-cisely the same rates for the same kind of protection. Moreover, a non-partici-pating policy, such as he describes, has no surrender value to the policyholder. Another mistake is his statement of "No return" for money paid in to fra-"No return" for money paid in to fra-ternal organizations. Is not the pro-tection worth every dollar it has cost If it is not, then one of the very

less, viz., that their rates are too low

committee should open the eyes of "P.

ed to them by their charters and agree-ments. The Cataract Power, Light & Traction Co., however, is thoroly imbued with taken to the hospital and who would hate to see her handed over to a an outrageous cost to the insured the microscopic profit and bonus additions to policies are secured he would rather to be the policies are secured her handed over to a to policies are secured her handed over to be policies are secured her handed be policies are secured her her handed be policies are secured her handed be polici the doctrine dear to the corporation hate to see her hanged over to a stranger, while the doctor in whom he may have confided for years would be obliged to stay outside the hospital, simply because he himself cannot find the difference between \$3.50 and \$7. into its street lighting contract, under Dr. Sheard suggests that the day is

into its street lighting contract, under-took as a bonus to pay \$85 a year a lamp to the company when it could ortablish that the fraternal societies will took as a bonus to pay \$85 a year a coming when the fraternal societies will further savings into those dependant lamp to the company when it could establish their own hospital, and will own for the benefit of those dependant W. S. B. Lawrie cost of only \$55. This is equivalent to \$200,000. Well, if the city population

A Brantford cheaper in it is in-Hamilton. On the other hand, the city had the anusually good fortune to make a more profitable arrangement in connection with its street railway franchise, the company having agreed to pay over 8 per cent, of its gross receipts. This he company professes it cannot afford pay, and it proposes that the agree-to nly 4 per cent, will 4-In order \*



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occupied, first, in authority in connection with the exsweating, and then in collecting the pecuniary fruits thereof, that they ought ploitation of Niagara water

The Ontario government may be unpleasantly brought . up against this turally be devoted to rest in meddling question of jurisdiction at any moment. with politics. The politicians at Ottawa are no friends of the administrators at Toronto. The corporation interests which

cating them. The only interests which have laid their tentacled hands on the should predominate in the senate and provincial heritage at Niagara know by experience that while Ottawa is house of representatives are such as complaisant to their aspirations. Tocan employ a Senator Depew to represent them in the most plausibly brilronto regards their interests as only, liant style. But, after all, the republic and a long way secondary to the inis a land in which all men are said to terests of the public at large. Whatbe born equal, and there is not yet a ever the motives of the Ottawa govunanimity of opinion that the council ernment, it is as clear as noonday that of the nation exists primarily for dethe corporation interests would have stroying equality whenever it may in' a better show thru the elimination of terfere with the liberty of exploiting the the Whitney factor from the whole

problem. The Ontario government must not be

content with merely standing on guard. If it is to do its duty to the province it must take the aggressive line, and in concert with the municipalities, and with every organization which stands to gain by a great policy, secure once and for all the control of the natural wealth which is at our disposal for the \* public advantage, by the public coununions of the country, whose program cils, for this generation, and for all the generations that are to come. which the American Federation has at It is the only way possible to save

for Ontario her pre-eminence among the provinces of the Dominion.

FERENCE.

for its gold mines, has been favored in the bounds of reason and justice. It the cheap power which it promised, and the premier of the Australian Common- corporationists are the most powerful constant disregard of public rights by wealth. Mr. Deakin took occasion to influence in politics to-day. declare that the prospects of more inhe did not despair that an imperial other fellow. preferential policy would yet be The worst of it is that, under the plea parted with are infringed. They ought

certainly a possibility of the not re- of competition, restrain the develop to the public. mote future. Some of the st o gest ment which they are supposed to assist. opponents of a preferential tariff for Britain have indicated that if they were The statesman is wise who is not scared confronted with a proposal involving of him. the future of the empire their position

might have to be modified. Mr. Deakin's remarks, therefore, may be the beginning of a movement on the part of the Britains beyond the seas carry- it has assisted to create. In ten years ing momentous results. Whatever may the Cataract Power Company, originbe thought of the practicability of for- ally formed to supply electric power to doctors. mulating a scheme providing for our the city from Decew's Falls, has swalimperial preference, an attempt should

made to arrive at a common undernding on the subject. If it succeeds path will be cleared for lay ng the problem before the people of the United Kingdom in a form which scarcely be ignored.

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not to waste the time which should napaid. In order to compel this arbitrary modification the company deliberately violated other of the contract condi-The labor man, they insinuate, is beviolated other of the contract condicoming a great deal too insistent upon tions, dragged the city into the courts, Temporary Clerk J. W. Bears. his rights, and too eloquent in vindiand was soundly beaten. What it failed to do by coercive measures, the Cataract Power Company is

indefensible and again reveals how nemany which has come to be regarded as cessary it is that the people everywhere

the peculiar heritage of the few. should be protected against underhand The deliverance of the American dealings with the public franchises. The Federation of Labor seems a sort of whole situation as it is disclosed at reflection upon Yankee smartness, when Hamilton is full of warning to municiyou remember that in the British House palities everywhere, and the citizens of

of Commons this very day there is a Hamilton ought not to stand idly by if strong body of able men who are there they have reason to fear their rights because there was formed in England, are to be sacrificed without their knowthree or four years ago, a labor repre- ledge or consent. sentation committee, from all the trades Surely it is only a matter of right and

equity that if the Cataract Power Comwas, in substance, exactly the program pany can secure modification of its railway franchise contract because its terms are objectionable to it, the City, The demands of trade unions are not of Hamilton should also be able to se-

always wise. That is no reason why the cure modification of its lighting agree- solutions will be presented for em AUSTRALIA AND IMPERIAL PRE- trade unions should not become a pow- ment for similar reason. Indeed, the erful factor in politics. The demands claim of the city is much the stronger England, the secretary of state for In-

by an important speech delivered by is possibly for that very reason that the is well able to give. It is high time this LEAVES GUELPH FOR ROCHESTER franchise-holding corporations should be

The workman gets the blame for checked. It can be checked by granttimate commercial relations with South troubles of which he is not the primary ing in every case power of expropria-Africa, Canada and New Zealand were cause: He remains outside the legis- tion, Municipalities thruout the Dominbright. All, he said, desired closer re- lature. The corporationist is inside the ion should unite in demanding this powlations with the mother country, and legislature dealing out blame to the er whenever and wherever the conditions on which their franchises were

of development of the country, things also to see that no modifications of This anticipation on the part of the are done over and over again in poli- these contracts are permitted, except Australian premier suggests what is tics which, by restricting the freedom on terms conferring equivalent benefits

> HOSPITAL COMPROMISE. There will be some dissatisfaction

with the compromise arrived at last night between the city council and the HAMILTON AND ITS FRANCHISES. hospital board. The council has agreed Hamilton is still in the throes of its to stand by its contribution of \$200.000 struggle with the corporation octopus to the new hospital on the understanding that patients who pay \$7 per week will be permitted to have their own

This is a concession to popular opin on by the hospital board which need not provoke much comment upon the apparently immovable attitude assumed lately by Mr. Flavelle and the board Compromises are proverbially danger ous, and it would not be surprising if this one does not produce the content which is hoped for.

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Towards this amount 106 companies now attempting to do by secret and contributed fees for inspection aggre-more persuasive means. Conferences gating \$15,728.97, in various amounts, more persuasive means. Conferences Batting \$10,120.51, in various amounts, with the aldermen have been held be ing lowest with 55 cents, and the Can-hind closed doors, and the citizens, who ada Life topping the account with are the parties directly and vitally in-<sup>\$1,000.50</sup>. Last year, therefore, the interested, are being kept in the dark in blue books, cost the Dominion \$1.854 regard to the nature and effect of the This is probably offset by the work a second se deputy finance minister...

TO STOP OPIUM TRAFFIC.

### Local Clergy Will Petition the British Authorities,

With Chancellor Burwash as chairman, a committee composed of Rev. J. D. Freeman and Henry Moyle (Baptist); Rev. Dr. E. N. Baker and Rev. L. W. Hill (Methodist); Rev. James Wilson and Rev. Mr. Hamilton (Pres-

byterian), met yesterday in Victoria College to formulate a plan of bringing pressure to bear on the British government in having the treaty which forces opium on the Chinese abrogated. It was decided to call a large public

meeting in about two weeks, when reclergymen to discuss, after which they will be forwarded to the premier of Ballarat, famous half a century ago of the corporationists are seldom with- since the company has failed to deliver dia and the secretary of state for the

Guelph, March 26 .- (Special.)-Samuel J. Laughlin, general superintendent of the Bell Piano & Organ Co., severs his connection with the firm to-morrow, after thirty years. He goes to Rochester, with the Foster-Armstrong Piano Company. Mr. Laughlin has won considerable repute as an inventor.

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dently predicted that it would prove justifiable. It was regarded as a case of friendship and personal loyalty re-warded—a sort of David and Jonathan FROM

affair-and even those who doubted the propriety of the selection were in-clined to be lenient, **TEN CENTS** It was not expected, however., that to Ten Dollars is a far the exceptional circumstances tending to make this appointment excusable cry, yet that is the range

would be turned into a pretext for disqualifying every member of the teaching profession. Mr. Colquhoun's aptitude for the position is a lucky ac-cident, rather in spite of than owing to of our stock of wall-papers. The lowest priced have the advantage of his lack of expert experience.

Mr. Whitney was fortunate in hav-ing in his personal entourage one whom he could reward by such a position, but the blunder is great, indeed, of defending this piece of good fortune by de-ducing from it a rule to belittle und antagonize a body of technically quali-fied professionals from whom it would not have been difficult to pick out a good taste. score who would have done Mr. Whit-

ney credit, and one or two, perhaps, who, to technical qualification, added ental claims of a more or less sentim strong nature.

It is questionable taste and poor policy to brand a whole class of ex-

perts as unfit for a responsible and lucrative position at the head of their department, but when one of Mr. Whitney's following, in the exuberance of youthful and fervid partisanship, preand sumes to go his leader one better, by branding men as "dangerous" and fit the subjects for jesting in company with criminals of the "Minnie M." variety, it is time for self-respecting Conservaives to call a halt.

Toronto March 25. Pro-Expert.

OSGOODE HALL

Judgments handed out yesterday, March 26:

Trial court (Ottawa): Ottawa Electric Railway v. Ottawa-Teetzel, J.

Announcements for To-Day. Master's chambers: Cartwright, master, at 11 a.m.

Judge's chambers: The Hon. Chief Justice Meredith, at 11 a.m. Divisional court: Peremptory list

for hearing, at 11 a.m.-Jordan v. Mc-Carthy (to be continued), Federal Life v. Stinson, Kennedy<sup>\*</sup>v. Toronto Rail-way, Cobean v. Elliott, re Church, Armstrong v. Euphem Toronto jury sittings: Peremptory list for hearing before Hon. Mr. Jus-

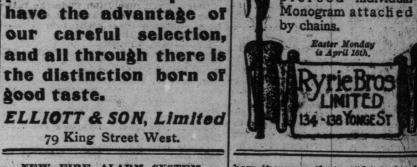
tice Anglin at 10 a.m.-Keiper v. Miles, Hurley v. Weiser, Haverstick Emory.

Toronto non-jury sittings: No sittings of this court until Tuesday, April

The benchers elections began yesterday and will continue daily until April The ballots began to arrive by mail yesterday at Osgoode Hall. The scrutineers counting them are C. H. Ritchie, K.C.; H. W. M. Murray, K.C., and J. E. Robertson. The results will not be announced until April 5. Some confusion arises from the fact that no instructions have been sent out as to ow many one can vote for, nor is a list of those running sent out even.

**Building** Permits.

Last week 78 building permits were ssued, to a value of 222,200. The Standard Bank will put up a two-storey branch at Yonge and Charles-streets, to cost \$3000, and the Telfer Manufacturing Co. a three-storey factory on Pearl-street, to cost \$18,000



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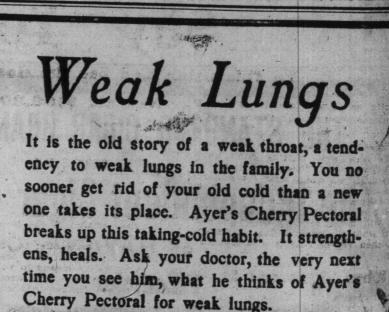
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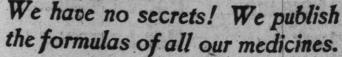
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solid brass ; some

SURVEYING FOR NEW BRIDGE.

Niagara Falls, March 26.-E are to-day taking levels, preparing the site for the new double track trans-Niagara trolley line bridge. The intention is to get as near the falls as possible and it will not be over a hundred yards north of the present steel arch carriage and trolley bridge of the International Electric Railway. York. When it goes into operation





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