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LONDON, FRIDAY, DEC. 6. AN UN-CANADIAN AND UN-BRIT-ISH POLICY.

The Borden Government's naval polbased on no rational or national principle. It is repugnant to genuine Canadian sentiment, to the whole trend of MOVEMENT BEGUN TO Canadian development, and to British ideas of freedom. It gives no effective it throws the burden of maintaining A Joint Meeting Held on Thursday aid to the mother country, upon whom three unnecessary ships of the cost-

British naval program would provide Thursday night, after a short session an ample margin of security. Parlia- of the council had taken place. Commons on July 24:

"We are really masters of the situation. There is no cause for panic or alarm. It will be our own fault if, at different fixed periods, we are not capable of maintaining the margin necessary to our security. If the House accepts our recommendations and gives us the large sub-sidies we demand, we believe we shall have the necessary margin of security in 1914, and that in 1915 our situation will be as favorable as in 1914. In 1916 the proportion of our vessels will slightly increase. There is no possible development that can affect the situation in 1914, and as to any development that may arise 1915 or 1916 we shall be able to face it when we know what it is,"

No doubt Mr. Churchill and the other members of the British Government will profess to welcome the Canadian Government's gift-it would be impolitic not to make a show of gratitude; but Mr. Churchill cannot, unless he confesses that he deceived the Imperial Parliament five months ago, pretend that three new Dreadnoughts are anything but superfluous at the present time. Nothing has happened in the interval to call for an increase in the program laid down. The German "men-British Prime Minister says the relations between Great Britain and Germany are "excellent." The German Chancellor, only three days ago, declared that the two nations were working together in the Balkan situation with "mutual trust" and "most gratifying intimacy." As a matter of fact, the very memorandum of the admiralty read by Mr. Borden destroys the legend of a emergency or a crisis. The admiralty declares that "WITHOUT COURT-ING DANGER AT HOME, GREAT BRITAIN IS STILL ABLE TO SEND AN EFFECTIVE FLEET OF BAT-TLESHIPS AND CRUISERS TO THE PROTUCTION OF THE DOMIN-

Supporters of the Canadian Government who reply that the new Dreadneughts will be available for a Canadian navy, merely emphasize the insincere, illogical, makeshift nature of the arrangement. The creation of a Canadian navy would fall within the Government's definition of a "permanent policy," which it is pledged to submit to the people. If it contemplates such a policy it is evading its pledge by spending \$35,000,000 for this object without asking the country's consent. In order to avoid an appeal to the people it throws honor to the winds-or the waves. It trumps up an "emergency" on the other side of the Atlantic as a pretext for its cowardly refusal to do its duty at home. The Prime Minister who now sends Dreadnoughts, built with Canadian money, to the North Sea, is the man who three years ago at a Dominion Day dinner in old London

uttered these words: "Some feeling was created in the British Isles owing to the fact that Canada did not, by resolutio nr by speech from the Prime Minister, vouchsafe the offer of one, two or three Dreadnoughts. The resolution, in the form in which it was passed, while its terms might not upon the surface seem as significant at the moment as the offer of one or two Dreadnoughts would have been, laid down a permanent policy for the Dominion of Canada which would serve a more practical purpose than any such offer of Dreadnoughts."

Mr. Borden cannot reconcile that statement with his position today. The contrast between his utterance in 1909 and his action today is the measure of his perfidy in the interval. He boxed the compass and frimmed his sails to the gale of Nationalism, which swept over Quebec. Now he has driven on the shoals and rocks.

Take another illustration of Mr. Borden's utter abandonment of the position he took under his short-lived impulse of patriotism in 1909. Today he

"Is there really any need that we should undertake the hazardous and costly experiment of building up a naval organization, especially restricted to Canada, when upon just and self-respecting terms we can take such part as we desire in naval defence through the existing naval organizations of the Empire, and in that way can fully and effectively avail ourselves of the men and resources at the command of Canada?" And on Oct. 14, 1909, speaking at

Halifax, on his return from Great Brit-

"One governing principle at least should control, namely, that out of our own materials, by our own labor, and by the instructed skill of our own people, any necessary provision for our naval defence should be made so far as may be reasonably possible. In this connection may we not hope that there shall be given a stimulus and encouragement to the shipbuilding industry of Canada which has long been lacking?"

For this self-respecting policy, based upon Canadian interests, political and uation School, as no rate had been economic, he substitutes the doctrine of vassalage and tribute. It is a throw-back to the days when Canada was in the trammels of administration from Downing Street. Nor is any true service rendered the mother country or the Empire. Influential British journals are already complaining that Canada has thrown a new and unnecessary weight on the shoulders of the British taxpayers. The building up of a new centre of strength in the British Empire, which was the aim of the icy is a \$35,000,000 subterfuge. It is Laurier policy, has been abandoned or indefinitely retarded.

ADVERTISE COUNTY

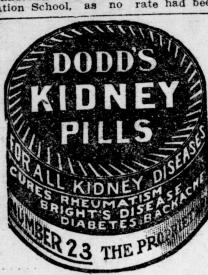
A meeting of the county councillors, members of the different agricultural The First Lord of the Admiralty said societies of the county, and also repno later than July that if the Imperial resentatives from several of the boards Parliament granted his demands, the of trade of towns in Middlesex, was

ment gave him all he asked for. We quote from his speech in the House of Commons on July 24. ciation; J. Sherman and S. Dawson, of the Fruit Growers' Association; C. W. Baker, Bycraft and N. Bilyea, of the Vegetable Growers' Association; N. C. Vegetable Growers' Association; N. C. Campbell, of the Glencoe Board of Trade; J. H. Lawton, of Parkhill Board of Trade; S. Frank Glass, Wm. Riggs, J. Ramsay, Capt. T. Robson, Warden Buttrey and I. B. Whale. Mr. J. N. Currie stated that he in-

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ternoon a resolution making. Messrs. was referred to the educational com-Jackson, Ulens and Hodgins a com-mittee from the country of the solution of the solution. mittee from the county council to

Dawson (secretary). County Solicitor Elliott was of the opinion that the county council had the power to pass a repealing bylaw in connection with the Nissouri Contin- table at his request until this after-



tended to move in the council this af- levied. The opinion of the solicitor

The account of the Township meet with other representatives, and commence a publicity campaign. The smallpox in that municipality, amountfollowing were appointed to represent ing to \$130, was referred to the finance the various organizations throughout committee, as was the request of Mrs. the county on the temporary commit-tee: J. H. Lawton, N. Bilyea, J. Sher-man, D. Anguish, S. F. Glass and S. D. dinner of the inmates of the House of

The motion of Councillor Hodgins, Refuge. that the fees of auctioneers, peddlers, and hawkers, be raised, was laid on the

THE COUNTY COURT

Judgment Rendered in Law Cases en Thursday.

In the case of Thompson vs. Mc-Ewan, in which the plaintiff was suing for \$127.50, arrears in wages, the jury returned a verdict in favor of the plaintiff and awarded him \$117 with costs at the county court yesterday. The defendant, who entered a counter claim for loss of his cattle on account of alleged carelessness on the part of plaintiff, was also given judgment for

In the action of Welfe & Co. vs. the Canadian Druggists' Syndicate for breach of contract on the part of the defendants, the plaintiffs were awarded the yerdict Damages to the extent of \$58 was given, each farty paying their own costs. The case was non-jury.

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Our big stocks of Dressed and Undressed Dolls are receiving great attention from Christmas buyers.

Dressed Dolls, 25c to \$7.00 Undressed, 25c to \$3.00

Remember, there are only 16 more shopping days to Christmas, and we are getting busier every day. Come as early in the day as rossible.

Ladies' Tailored Suits at Clearing Prices

Clearing a rack of twentyfour Ladies' Tailored Suits, and Blue Serge Suits, also a tweeds and serge material; the left-overs of several \$10 and \$12 lines. Sale price,

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Twenty-five pairs White Wool Blankets go on sale this morning at \$2.59 a pair. The best value in standard Canadian-made Blankets yet offered. We will only sell this quantity (25 pairs) at the price, so don't overlook the opportunity. Double-ked size, 60x80 inches, a pair\$2.59

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Mothers should always keep Syrup audience at the Grand. The Irish and friends of the Irish, of whom there are liver and bowel cleanser and regulator many in London, greeted Mr. Daly needed. A little given today will save in the same manner as on his previous a sick child tomorrow.

Full directions for children of all is assured for his second performance

ed on the package. Ask your druggist for the full name, Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna," orepared by the California Fig Syrup Company. This is the delicious tastng, genuine old reliable. Refuse any hing else offered.

SPECIAL TRAIN FROM TORONTO FOR SAILING S.S. SCANDINAVIAN FROM PORTLAND, MAINE, DEC. 12TH.

In connection with Christmas sailing from Portland, Maine, to Glasgow, on Cars will leave Toronto at 1:30 p.m., Wednesday, Dec. 11th, and will run direct to the dock at Portland, ar-riving there at 9:15 a.m., Dec. 12th. Berth reservations, tickets and full particulars may be obtained from nearest Grand Trunk Agent, or write here last season to a and good business.

Toronto, Ont. R. E. Ruse, City Passenger and Ticket Agent, Phone 80.

KNIGHT---GILBERT

London Policeman, [Special to The Advertiser.]

Sarnia, Dec. 5 .- A very pretty wed-Park, yesterday, when their second eldest daughter, Elsie Matilda, became the bride of Edward Gilbert, of London. Rev. J. E. Hawkings, of Central Baptist Church, performed the ceremony. Amid the strains of Lohengrin's Wedding March, played by Miss Lottie Rhodes, the bride entered the parlor on the aim of her father. When your child is listless, drooping, carrying a bouquet of white roses. She doesn't sleep soundly or eat was attended by her sister, Florence, who wore a dress of white marquisette

AMUSEMENTS

Bernard Daly returned to London again last night with his Irish drama, "Dion O'Dare," and was given an enthusiastic reception by a fair-sized audience at the Grand. The Irish and

appearances here, and a large audience ages and for grown-ups plainly print-ed on the package. Mary Kyle, Grace Norman as Little Gillie, Mrs. Mort Emerson as the mother of Dion O'Dare, Lucile Loring as Helen Croker, Warren Townsend as one—or a harmful one—your stomach Capt. Kennedy Morgan, and Herbert is too valuable; you musn't injure it White as Algernon Goldingay, were all with drastic drugs.

> Comedy on Saturday. "The Fortune Hunter" is a play full

deserving of special praise.

of humor, much wit, and not a little beautiful sentiment of the homely Allan Line steamship Scandinavian sort. Nat Duncan, the unsuccessful in everything he has undertaken, who Thursday, Dec. 12, a special Grand goes into the small city far from the Trunk train, consisting of Vestibuled metropolis to seek his fortune by mar-Coaches and Pullman Tourist Sleeping rying an heiress, ultimately finds happiness, learns how to make money, and wins a wife, but it is by ways that are not of his own or his friends' devising. It will be presented at the Grand on Saturday, matinee and night, at spe-cial prices. This attraction played here last season to a delighted audience sin comes in contact with the stomac

goers in this city to know that May A. Bell Marks will play a return engagement here at the head of the Marks Bros.' No. 1 Dramatic Company for a stay of three nights-Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week. ding was solemnized at the home of Mr. May A. Bell Marks will appear in the and Mrs. Thomas Knight, Bayview following repertoire: Monday, "A Daughter's Sacrifice;" Tuesday, "In the Bishop's Carriage;" Wednesday night,
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