## **THE HAMILTON TIMES**

FRIDAY, JAN, 15, 1909.

### TEACHING SELF HELP.

"Industrial Canada," the organ of the Manufacturers' Association, has begun a much needed campaign of education to impress upon Canadian manufacturers the fact that they have more to do to attain success than merely to produce an excellent quality of goods. The goods must be sold, and, to sell them, the mak must bring them to the notice of the buyers. "If," says our contemporary, "a man had gold dollars to sell at fifty cents and did not let the people know anything about it, he would not sell any. You must tell the people what you have to sell, why they should purchase from you, and something of the value you offer them in return for their money

to appreciate the advantages of constant-ly keeping themselves before the public. Too many of us have got into the habit of thinking that because we have been long time in business everyone must of necessity know all about us and our wares, and it is only a waste of time and of money to go on repeating the story." They come to think that money expended in advertising publicity is so much lost profits, oblivious to the fact that this publicity is of even greater importance than a choice site with the best advantages for manufacturing and shipping. Content with what trade comes to them they settle down sleepily squeeze their advertising pennies, and lose pounds while doing so. Some enter prising rival, whose goods may not be any better than their own, but who ap preciate the importance of wooing the public, conducts a vigorous campaign o sublicity, and gets, not only the customers whom they might have had but gradually dispossesses them of thos upon whom they dreamed they had a permanent claim. "Industrial Canada s well advised in telling the manufac turers that there is gross neglect amon them of this valuable means of oiling the wheels of trade, and that, if they wish to hold their own, they must tell the people about their wares. "There is more than a protective tariff," it "to building up our national industries. There is. And we have not the slightest doubt that if the Canadian manufactur ers generally were as fully alive to the ortance of a vigorous and continu ous campaign of well-directed advertis ing, some foreign producers would make less serious inroads upon their home

### HUNGARY'S FRANCHISE.

Upon what principle should the right to vote be granted and to whom? In former days the franchise was a privilege reserved to comparatively few. In most countries it has been gradually extended, him to leaving this cruel world. but it can hardly be said that the process has been conducted on any general definite principle. For a long time the idea seemed to prevail that the right to vote was conferred by the possession of property. This may to some extent be ounted for by the fact that property bears the cost of Government, and that those entitled to vote naturally fix the burden placed upon it. Gradually, however, it has come to be felt that the possession of material goods is not the proper basis for the electoral franchise but a very large number of people, even in our own country, are inclined to consider that it is hardly fair to entrust the shaping of the country's destiny and the levying of the taxes to maintain our Government and public institutions in the hands of those who have no try. Even in countries where manhood suffrage prevails the question can hardly be said to be settled. A strong feeling ex- figure? ists in favor of giving franchise privileges to women. The question naturally arises, why, as a matter of principle a woman, however intelligent and capable, ronto mining broker on a charge of and however large her material interest in its Government while the most brainthe conditions of the act as to naturalization, residence and registration ma exercise the franchise and politically direct the management of her property and negative her reforming influen But aving out of consideration the disability placed upon the female sex, it can not be said that logic has frequently been served by the fixing of the conditions of the franchise. Every extension of the franchise has presented new difficulties and anomalies. Where it is the broadest students of political eco seem to meet with the greatest difficulty in its justification; and it can hardly be said that purity and efficiency have

lems which the world's democracy has vet to solve. Many are the efforts that have been made toward arriving at a sc lution. Even in these days the world moves slowly toward reform-and sometimes with many pauses and even reces sions. Just now Hungarian statesmen are struggling with the problem, and Count Audraisi has presented to the er of Deputies a somewhat recognizing certified efficiency?

The Toronto Telegram looks forward to a time not many years distant when the municipalities in the Hydro-Electric scheme "will enjoy a monopoly of the last general election to have put the scheme "will enjoy a monopoly of the last general election to have put the scheme "will enjoy a monopoly of the last general election to have put the scal of his condemnation on the hands of the Niagara power supply," and it demands that Hamilton and Brantford be shut out as "there would have been no Hydro-Electric scheme if Hamilton and Brantford be shut out as "there would have been no Hydro-Ilectric scheme if Hamilton and Brantford be shut out as "there would have been no Hydro-Ilectric scheme if Hamilton and Brantford be shut out as "there would have been no Hydro-Ilectric scheme if Hamilton and Brantford be shut out as "there would have been no Hydro-Ilectric scheme if Hamilton and Brantford be shut out as "there would have been no Hydro-Ilectric scheme if Hamilton and Brantford be shut out as "there would have been no Hydro-Ilectric scheme if Hamilton and Brantford be shut out as "there would have been no Hydro-Ilectric scheme if Hamilton and Brantford be shut out as "there would have been no Hydro-Ilectric scheme if Hamilton and Brantford be shut out as "there would have been no Hydro-Ilectric scheme if Hamilton and Brantford be shut out as "there would have been no Hydro-Ilectric scheme if Hamilton and Brantford be shut out as "there would have been no Hydro-Ilectric scheme if Hamilton and Brantford be shut out as "there would have been no Hydro-Ilectric scheme if Hamilton and Brantford be shut out as "there would have been no Hydro-Ilectric scheme if Hamilton and Brantford be shut out as "there would have been no Hydro-Ilectric scheme if Hamilton and Brantford be shut out as "there would have been no Hydro-Ilectric scheme if Hamilton and Brantford be shut to retain it in the domestic legislation, actual or potential, of the party in power, rather than a deliberate verdict on the las markable measure, the object of which is to place intelligence at an advantage as against ignorance in the voting population-to "prevent the political pow er from falling wholly into the hands of illiterates or those not in a position try, but to retain it in the hands of the

to one vote. This, however, pre-supposes certain degree of education. Illiterates on the contrary, however, are entitled o only one-tenth of a vote; that is, each group of ten illiterates will choose one elector. That is a great preponderance in favor of the literates as against the illiterates. But the advantage does not end there. It is proposed to additionally endow the intelligent and progressive of he country by introducing a system of plural voting. An elector who is over 32 years of age, who has fulfilled his military duty and has three children, will have two votes. A workman who has worked five years at one trade or has been graduated from certain classes of the secondary schools has two votes. Electors who have taken the full course of the secondary schools, or those who contribute \$20 in annual taxes, may vote three times.

This will probably not prove a final olution of the question how to regulate the franchise; but it shows that Hun-It is just here that many Canadian the franchise; but it shows that Hun-manufacturers are lacking. They fail garian statesmen are dissatisfied with the systems, or lack of systems, heretofore in vogue, and that they are de termined to seek for something better. It also indicates that they feel that the right to vote should not be altogether dependent upon property, and that for the Government of the country the claim that "one man is as good as another" cannot be defended unless important exceptions are provided for. If some me could be discovered whereby only intelligence and honesty could be enfranchised we should have the key to the difficult problem which confronts political

## EDITORIAL NOTES.

Railway Commission, and will follow the example of the Dominion Government in placing telegraph and telephone lines under its supervision

Moir being irresponsible, will be con fined for life in the asylum for the i sane. What a pity these irresponsible people cannot be put under restraint be fore they become homicides!

In the matter of inserting that super fluous "u" to muddle the public school pupils, the Spectator is inclined to think that while the voice is "Jacob" Pyne's the hands are the hands of "Esau"

Oh, yes! Hamilton will miss Zimmer man at Ottawa. It is bad enough to have one nonentity as a city representative, but two aggravates the case. wonder the Board of Trade wishes Zimmerman there again.

Poor old Roiestvensky is again re ported dead, this time with every apearance of truth. Perhaps the reading f his own obituary notices in the Rus ian press last July somewhat reconciled

When the medal for editorial idiocy s awarded, Mr. John Ross Robertson's champion who writes on the international waterways treaty may shove out his chest, assured that he will be with out a competitor. What "dope" do they

Why should the Ontario Attorney eneral's Department require an injured party to bear in addition a large portion of the expense of convicting and punishng a criminal? Does such an arrange ment contribute to the discouragement

In discussing the fool "u" order, a ocal Tory contemporary asks: "Who is running the Education Department of Ontario-Dr. Seath or the Minister of Education?" Why should Hon. Dr. Pyne be so much as suspected of having a say in affairs in which Seath and Goggin

Some interesting disclosures are being made in the course of the trial of a Toin the country, should be denied a share of transactions in mining stocks. They go to show the wisdom of looking into less, worthless lout who has fulfilled mining propositions before one invest-

> Perhaps the most confirmed pessimis should not be denied the luxury of worrying about the future. But when Prof. Griffith, of Scranton, Pa., sets out to send cold chills down the public spine by dilating on the difficulties of the race when the earth's coal gives out it seems to be carrying pessimism to an

The Wentworth Grand Jury again rges that the county make some pro This is a matter which comes up every iew months, but the County Counci kept pace with the multiplication of hears and heeds not. The Grand Jury now advises that steps be taken to force This is one of the larger basic probaction. Then, we presume, the fun wil begin.

The Ontario architects will not seek get a bill to form the profession into a close corporation, and have rejected the scheme to have compulsory examinations. That is well. Why not conduct of efficiency in the voluntary organization, and then depend upon the public recognizing certified efficiency?

The Telegram is almost excruciatingly funny. Perhaps it will allow the rest of Canada to look at the water tum bling over the Falls.

If the hero of that cock-and-bull story that the power monopoly organ published last night is really so disgusted at the city not entering the Hydro scheme in a 30-year monopoly that he is willing to sacrifice his property here and get out, the publication of his name (if he exists!) would have been a great ad. for him. Perhaps he has already sought his hole, and pulled it in after him

The Cataract Company guarantees Brantford power at 10 per cent. below the Hydro-Electric lowest price. The law forbids the Hydro-Electric power to be sold below cost. The Toronto World says a company has been formed to buy power from the Hydro-Electric Comm sion and meet the Cataract figures-10 per cent. less than this company has to pay for it! Who are the benevolent

A year ago the business men of St Paul began a \$50,000 advertising campaign on behalf of the city. It was regarded by some as a wasteful venture. It proved to be so satisfactory in tangible results, however, that this year the municipality will appropriate \$25,000 to supplement the work of the business men. Most of the fund is to be devoted to advertising the city throughout the United States. There is a hint here for Hamilton.

And now the Toronto Telegram dethe safety of the beneficiary institution of the Province and the need for a thor ough inquiry into the status of their in arance funds. It concludes that "it is the duty of the Provincial Government to act promptly, and make a strict enquiry into the condition of these organizations, and insist upon having them pur upon a proper basis financially." Whitney allow things to drift along?

With all its natural advantages the city has been doing little better than marking time. It is many months since an important new industry has been established. tablished here, while our neighbor wer-land has had several within the last three or four months.—Hamilton Herald

How could anything else be looked for, with internal enemies and their newspa per organ co-operating with rival pla in defaming and misrepresenting 'the city and striving to injure her le on the work the aldermen have neglect ed to push Hamilton's claims to reco for the Hydro fad:

Our Tory contemporary, the Kingstor Standard, seems to think that it effect ruption on the part of the Tories in the Times seriously declared some tir there was great dissension in the rank the hope was a forlorn one of electing eyen one Conservative there. As a matwishes its readers to believe that had the Tories spent money corruptly i make it harder for their candidates!

An English firm is said to have adopted a new method of preserving eggs which retains their freshness for fully six months. The method is thus de

Acting on the theory that an egg Acting on the theory that an egg de-composes owing to the entrance of bac-teria through the shell, the eggs by the new process of preservation are first dis-infected and then immersed in a vessel of hot paraffin wax in a vacquim. The air in the shell is extracted by the vacuum, and atmospheric pressure is then allowed to enter the vessel, when the hot wax is pressed into the pores of the shell, which thus hermetically seals it. Evaporation of the contents of the by prevented, and the egg is practically sterile. The yoke of pickled eggs and others artificially preserved will frequently break on being po

# **OUR EXCHANGES**

Rubber! (Toronto Star.)

on is to have a branch of the Royal Astronomical Society. As most of the people there have hinges their necks from looking up at from looking up mountain they will to observe the stars

The Wife Beater.

(Toronto Mail and Empire.) Mercy to the wife-beater plied. A very prominent legal practitioner has written to us to suggest the s written to us to suggest the criminal Code be amended so ake flogging a penalty for wifes. There is need for the change.

Quite Correct. (Toronto News.)

(Toronto News.)

The Empire is not the English but the British Empire; the Parliament is not the English but the British Parliament; the Army and Navy are not English but British; the Union flag is not the English but the British flag; the Sovereign is not an English but the British monarch."

British Political Conditions

(N. Y. Journal of Commerce.)

SATURDAY

January 16th, 1909

**SKIRTS** 

Made to Measure \$1.25

NEVER WILL you get a better chance to buy winter goods than during this sale. No place can possibly give you better values than the Shea store at regular prices, the sale savings are easily figured, and rest assured that every statement made in our advertisements is amply backed up by the goods offered. Don't miss this store's Saturday offerings—8.30 not a minute too soon to be here.

## Early Morning Sale of Underskirts \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50 values for 59c

100 only Women's Underskirts, worth \$1.00 to \$1.50, made of moreens, sateens, taffetines, etc., black and light and dark colors. Sharp at 8.30 they go on sale for each . . .

ONLY ONE TO A CUSTOMER. NO MAIL OR TELEPHONE ORDERS OR NONE SENT C. O. D.

Women's Golf Waists at \$1.65
Navy, white, cardinal and black Pure Wool Golf Waists, beautifully knit, and a great range of styles, \$2.25 to \$2.50, all one price
Women's Cardigan Jackets \$1.19
Women's Black Wool Cardigan Jackets, long sleeves, very fine qualities, worth \$1.75, for each
Women's Underwear at 871/2c
Penman's No. 95 and Turnbull's best flat knit Vests and Drawers. No description necessary, for they are the best of their kind in the world. Worth \$1.25, on sale for per garment, \$77/\$\epsilon\$: per suit \$1.75

## Clearance of Women's, Misses' and Children's Coats ch good offers have never been made by this or any other store in the city of Hamilton. Every one a dependable garment in which we have con-fidence, both in material and workmanship; styles are absolutely correct. These prices show the savings.

Children's, Misses' and Women's Coats, in a great variety of cloths; worth from \$3.50 to \$6.50; to be cleared at each \$1.95 sees' Coats, made of good warm tweeds and plain cloths; black and colors worth \$4.50 to \$7.50; to be cleared at each \$2.95 

Women's Fur Lined Coats at \$27.50 lendid black and colore \$50 value; to clear at 27.50 German Mantles \$15 Richly trimmed German Mantles; all sizes up to 48 bust, made of b black cloths; \$20 and \$25 values to clear at, each . . . . . . . .. \$15.00 

## Women's Near Seal Coats; worth \$40 and \$45; on sale for ... **Dress Goods and Silk Clearance** Our entire Dress Goods stock will have to be cleared out during t Every yard of Dress Goods and Silks has been reduced to clear. 50e Silks for 29e 81.50 Dress Goods for \$1.00 65e Silks for 39e 75e Dress Goods for 50e 75e Silks for 50e 75e Dress Goods for 39e \$1.00 and \$1.25 Dress Goods for 75e 50e Dress Goods for 29e Velveteens on Sale

A Sweeping Clearance in NECK FURS No Furs sold in the trade are more dependable than those offered the shear store. A large portion of them are sold under a broad guarantee holds just as good under the cut prices as though you paid full value.

Storm Collars of Coney and Astrachan; worth \$6, for ..... \$4.50 Marmot and Musquash Stoles, \$10, for 85.75 Marmot and Astrachan Stoles, 85, for \$2.95 Possum Stoles, Isabella; blended and natural; \$12, for . 87.50

Rich Mink Furs at the Following Sweeping Reductions 

 Stoles worth \$50, for
 \$35.00
 Stoles worth \$60, for
 \$37.50

 Muffs worth \$25, for
 \$15.00
 Muffs worth \$35, for
 \$20.00

 Muffs worth \$40, for
 \$25.00

A Startling Blouse Clearance

A Starting Blouse Clearance

Silk Waists, black and colors; all good styles and perfect fitting; \$3 and \$3.50 values; to be cleared at, each \$1.95

Silk Net and Lace Waists, black, white and cream; 34 to 42 sizes; beautifully stylish goods; \$4.50 to \$5.00 value; to clear at, each \$2.95

Silk and Lace Waists, finished with appliques; blacks, creams and colors; up to \$6; on sale to clear for, each \$3.95

Women's Waists, made of lawns, lustres and sateens; cream, white, black and colors, full \$1.00 values; to clear at, each \$50

Women's Waists, made of plain lustres and cashmeres, embroidered lustres, cashmeres and lawns; white, cream, black and colors; worth \$1.00 \$2 and \$2.50; all good and dependable garments; to clear at, each \$55c

The Biggest Underskirt Sale Yet Women's Underskirts—made moreens, Taffetines, Sateens, Heatherbloom-beautifully frilled and ruffled; black and colors; worth \$3.00 to \$3.50; o

Women's Underskirts at 98c, worth \$2.00 Women's Underskirts at \$1.50, worth \$2.50 and \$3

Silk Underskirts at \$2.95 taffeta, silks and silk moirettes, of splendid quality; worth \$5 ar

increase the force of the opposition, to which industrial distress and the large proportion of unemployed labor lend in-evitable vitality. In a democracy, which Great Britain essentially is, the tendency to visit on the Government in power the blame for conditions which it has had no share in producing is con-

stant and impossible of escape. To that extent, at least, it is quite possible to make too much of the Unionists' gains and the Liberal losses in the elections

(London Free Press).

When a defendant who to the lay mind commits an offence surrounded as was that of Moir with so much appearance of set purpose to kill any one who might interfere with him may evade responsibility upon the ground that during his lifetime he has had epilepsy, then it follows that other enileptics may kill

ing his lifetime he has had epilepsy, then it follows that other epileptics may kill and also escape. And if this be true, it

is due to the public that epileptics placed where they may not do harm.

The New Island. A new island, whose existence

been unsuspected, has just been discovered north of the Russian portion of Saghalin by the Japanese explorer, Madsushima. The island is regarded as an important acuquisition to Japanese fish-

members of Parliament which have

has had no share in producing, is

taken place during the past year.

Silk Underskirts at \$3.95 Made of beautiful high grade taffeta, in black and a good range beautifully pleated and ruffled; 86 to \$7.50 values; on sale for

Millinery to be Cleared \$2.95 Trimmed Hats, fresh and new and in the very best styles; to be cleared at each 

 Felt Shapes to be cleared as follows:
 81.00 value for
 75e

 81.00 value for
 15e

 Wings and Ornaments and Buckles, up to 75e, for
 15e

 Children's Bearskin and Plush Hats and Bonnets, 75e and \$1.000, for
 25e

\$15 to \$20 Coats for \$10

Hundreds of Women's Coats, made of Venetians, Kerseys, Beavers and Broad cloths, well lined and elegantly trimmed; full range of sizes; \$15 to \$2 values, to clear at ... Women's Suits at a Sacrifice

About 50 Women's Suits go into this sale to be cleared; all beautifully made garments; perfect in fit, material and workmanship; these are the cut prices: \$15 to \$18 Suits \$8.95, \$20 and \$22 Suits \$10, \$25 Suits \$12.50

Women's Caracul Coats \$15 

Women's Skirts---A Slaughter Good dependable Tweed Skirts, well made, worth \$3, on sale for Skirts made of plain cloths and good fancy worsteds, women's, misses children's lengths: \$3.50 value, to be cleared at, each \$1.95 Women's Skirts, made of Panamas, Broadcloths and Venetians, black colors; worth \$4.50 to \$5.00, on sale to clear for ..\$2.85 \$6.00 Venetian Skirts at . . ... ... ... ... ... ... \$7.50 Black and Colored Panama Skirts for .

Voile Skirts and Silk Skirts at equal cuts.

Bargains in Bedding Blankets, every thread pure wool and first class in every way; e; worth \$4.50; on sale to clear for, per pair ......... 82.95 8 lbs. Pure Wool White Blankets; worth 86 and 86,50; to be cleared White Quilts, ouble bed size and beautiful texture; clean, firm th Batting Comforters, covered with silkoline of good quality; worth \$1.7 \$1.95; 60 x 72 sizes; to clear at, each

**Bleached and Unbleached Table Damasks** No better Linens than the Shea Damasks can be found in Canada. Ever a bargain at regular prices. The savings are easily figured: 
 33c Linen for
 25e
 65e Linen for

 45e Linen for
 35e
 75e Linen for

 50e Linen for
 39e
 85e Linen for

 81.00 Linen for
 75e
 81.50 Linen for

 81.00 Linen for
 75e
 81.50 Linen for
 \$1.50 Linen for \$1.65 Linen for \$1.25 Linen for 99c

**Clearing Bargains in Towels** 

 
 15c for
 12/2c
 25c for
 26

 20c, for
 15c
 46c for
 30

 A quantity of Cotton Towels, slightly imperfect, on sale at about half regulations.
 30
 300 Big Bargains in Sheetings 72-inch Unbleached Sheeting— 29c, for

Big Clearance in Table Napkins Beautiful Napkins, of splendid quality. Some of these hest grade goods imported into Canada.

81.25 Xapkins for 81.50 Xapkins for 81.75 Xapkins for 82.50 Xapkins for 75e 83.00 Napkins for \$1.00 84.00 Napkins for \$1.25 85.00 Napkins for \$1.69 88.00 Napkins for \$2.00 **Table Cloths to be Cleared** 

Beautiful Damask Cloths, some of them samples, a little soiled, but wise perfect. Also a quantity of fresh new cloths, slightly imperfect. 72x72 to 84x108. At these cut prices— \$1.50 \$3.50 for \$1.65 \$4.00 for \$1.95 \$4.75 for

Women's and Boys' Hose A quantity of Women's and Children's Hose, in finest qualities of cash-mere and worsted, to be cleared at these cut prices; all put in three lots for

25e 50c Hose for .... Misses' and Children's Dresses Every Misses' and Child's Dress in stock goes on sale at clearing-e sizes are not complete in all lines, but you can get your size in

2 years to 14 years. \$7.00 Dresses for .... \$3.95 \$5.00 Dresses for \$3.95 \$2.00 Dresses for . 49e

ed after a prolonged illness, on Tues ay of this week.

visited at T. Lanc's recently, members of the local court of the of that church, 26th inst. O. T. are treating themselves to an

STRANGE HOSPITAL WORK. Treating Cases Which Need More Than Pills and Petiens.

Twenty-one- thousand new patients Sager and Mrs. 1988. Sager and Mrs. 1989. All the masses of Baptist Settlement. All the masses of Baptist Settlement. All the masses of Arabinav. Of Brantford, Smifering humanity as it passes. It has and Mrs. Kelly, with Master Albert, Ira and Geeil Bradshaw, were Sunday at O. L. Bradshaws. Speed. Sunday at O. L. Bradshaws. Speed. Sunday at O. L. Bradshaws. Speed. the Massachusetts General Hospital las-year. Wherever among the stream of suffering humanity as it passes before the doctors there is a case having a

"She is working too hard; needs advice as regards hygiene and diet."
"An undernourished child who needs better and more food, which his parents cannot afford."

cannot afford."

"Patient says she must return to work on account of finances. She really is not in condition to do so yet. Can you do anything for her?"

"Patient is completely run down, over-worked and played out. Cares for a large family. Needs rest."

"Patient needs spring back brace, \$8. Cannot pay for it."

Curious complaints in a hospital, are

Curious complaints in a hospital, are ley not? Poverty, misfortune, over-ork, large families, human tragedies. work, large tallines, And yet they have an intimate bearing upon health. If the patient improves be must have changed conditions.

## Electric Exhibition at Brescia.

Arrangements are being made for as application of electricity, to be escia this year. The Provin eia is one particularly rich in power, and it is hoped that the power, and it is hoped that the exhibi-tion will give an impetus to electrical power developments therefrom. The ex-shibition will be also under the patronage of the raunicipality of Milan. The 1t groups into which it is proposed to di-vide the exhibits cover a wide range of tengineering and other applications of electricity, and historical and statistical information relating thereto.

ALBERTON

The attendance at the meeting of the Ancaster Sunday school, held in the Presbyterian Church, was one of the largest in the history gramme was given. Among the speakers were Rev. Aitkins, of Baptist Settlement, and Rev. Smith, of Onondaga, while the musical part of the programme was given by John and Mrs. Lyons, Hamilton Road; Miss Edna M. Sager and Mrs. Dennis Vansickle, both of Baptist Settlement. All the latter were Alberton old and

at O. L. Bradshaw's.

James Horning is home, after spending the New Year holiday very pleasant ly with friends in Chatham.

R. Horning, jun., visited last week with friends at Woodstock.

Mrs. G. Smith, of Southcote, spent a day recently the guest of Mrs. R. M. Bradshaw. Miss Vera, who has been holidaying here, accompanied her home. C. Hammill, of Fergus, is spending the week at J. Mammill's.

Her many friends in the village will advice, so much human helpfulness: