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ALD. BUTLER'S QUALIFICATION.

We publish in another column
 the answer of Ald. Butler to the
 letter of "Voter" which appeared
 in last week's "Leader".

Apparently Mr. Butler's stand
 is correct as no protest has been
 filed. We hear however, that a
 certain faction of his enemies
 wished to make trouble; but were
 afraid of the job themselves; and
 could not find a "Cat's Paw".

MARK TWAIN

Samuel L. Clemens, better
 known throughout the world
 under his literary pseudonym of
 "Mark Twain," has passed to his
 long rest. He was born in
 Florida, Mo., November 30, 1835.
 Soon after his birth his parents
 moved to Hannibal, Mo., where
 Samuel and his brothers were
 brought up, and received a
 grammar school education. The
 town, situated on the banks of the
 Mississippi river, brought Samuel
 in close and constant touch with
 the great river and the varied and
 fascinating life upon it, and
 developed in him a great love for
 nature and adventure.

At the age of 13 Samuel learned
 typesetting, and for three years
 he followed that occupation,
 wandering about from place to
 place, as was the custom then
 among the printers. St. Louis,
 Cincinnati, Philadelphia and New
 York were among the cities he
 visited in his wanderings. In
 1851 his love of home and the
 river drew him westward again
 and he became a pilot on the
 Mississippi, although only sixteen
 years old at that time. He fol-
 lowed that vocation for ten years,
 during that time accumulating
 material which he was eventually
 to turn to literary account. The
 pen name which he selected at the
 beginning of his literary career is
 a reminder of his pilot days.
 Many a time, under the glaring
 sun and under the starry sky
 "mark twain" called by the man
 making the soundings, came to
 Samuel's ear, while he stood at
 his post in the little house. That
 call, often repeated in the course
 of his countless trips, meant that
 the sounding had shown a depth
 of twelve feet, a safe depth for the
 shallow river steamers.

The outbreak of the war in
 1861 destroyed the river business,
 and Samuel Clemens found him-
 self practically without occupa-
 tion. In the spring of that year
 the young pilot joined a Confed-
 erate volunteer squad, but he was
 not destined to win laurels upon
 the battlefield. In fact he never
 saw active service. As his occupa-
 tion was gone, he decided to go to
 Nevada, then a territory, of which
 his brother Orion was secretary,
 under appointment by President
 Lincoln. Samuel became a clerk
 of his brother, but he soon drifted
 into newspaper work. For a short
 time he was city editor of the

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Virginia City Enterprise, in which
 paper his first sketches appeared.
 Afterward he went to San
 Francisco, where he worked as a
 reporter on the "Morning Call."
 After a short time he tried placer
 mining for gold in Calaveras
 County, picking up a great deal
 of valuable experience, but little
 gold. Clemens returned to news-
 paper work and in the spring of
 1865 became interested with Bret
 Harle in the conduct of the Alta
 Californian. It was about that
 time that he wrote his first
 humorous sketches and became
 locally known as a humorist.
 Since that time he has been in the
 public mind almost continually.—
 Gleaner.

LABOR GAINING.

After the big strike of the Aus-
 tralian ship workers' union failed
 in 1890, the Labor leaders conclud-
 ed that such strikes were futile and
 wrong. They, more wisely, decid-
 ed to go into politics, with the re-
 sult that at the first election they
 elected several members, who gradu-
 ally increased to about one-third
 of the federal House of Representa-
 tives.

A few years ago the Labor party
 even obtained power, for a few
 months, being, although in the
 minority, the largest single party
 in the House. In 1908 they again
 assumed power, although they had
 only 26 in a house of 75. They
 were enabled to do so by an
 alliance with a section of the Lib-
 eral members. But when in May,
 1909, at the opening of Parliament,
 the Labor Party (which is recog-
 nized as a Socialist organization)
 began to unfold its real program,
 which included: A graduated land
 tax, Restriction of public borrow-
 ing, The regulation of wages by
 the State, The insurance of work-
 men against unemployment, and
 the nationalization of monopolies,
 the Liberal allies became alarmed
 and left it, and ex-premier Deakin
 became leader of a Liberal-Cons-
 ervative Fusion. The Labor minis-
 try was defeated, 39 to 30. The
 Governor General refused to dis-
 solve the House, and the Laborites
 had to wait until the House had
 lived out its full term. At disol-
 ution this spring the Labor Party
 had 26 members in the House of
 Representatives and 6 out of 36
 Senators. In the general election
 this month Labor won 44 seats out
 of 75 in the House and 15 more
 seats giving it now 21 out of 36 in
 the Senate, thus securing full con-
 trol of both houses. This is the
 first time a Socialist party has ever
 been elected to supreme power in
 any country, and Australia's ex-
 periment will be watched with in-
 terest. So will Milwaukee's, where
 in a city of over 300,000 people, a
 Socialist mayor and Council were
 elected this month, the first time,
 we believe, that Socialists have
 ever won out in a North American
 city. It is evident that the new
 party has come to stay and will
 have to be reckoned with in future
 political contests.

**Farmers should eat
 more oatmeal.**

Although the farmer of today is able
 to buy almost anything he wants to
 wear or to eat he isn't paying enough
 attention to food values when it comes
 to his own table.

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 over-feeding and selects the stock food
 that he believes will give the best re-
 turn in strength and general efficiency.

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Notice is hereby given to intending
 tenders that La Have River, Lunen-
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 places named in the advertisement
 of the 9th instant, for dredging in
 New Brunswick and Nova Scotia.
 The tenders for La Have River will be
 governed by the same terms and be
 received until WEDNESDAY, May
 4th, 1910, at 5 p. m.

Supplementary forms of tender
 giving the required information can
 be had by applying to the under-
 signed.

By order,
 NAPOLEON TESSIER, Secretary,
 Department of Public Works, Ottawa,
 April 23rd, 1910.

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The I.R.C. change of time table
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 17th, is as follows:

DEPARTURE—NORTH	
Night freight, No. 39,	4.20
Maritime, No. 33	24.10
Local express, No. 35,	14.15
Way freight, No. 37,	13.00

DEPARTURE—SOUTH	
Maritime, No. 34,	8.20
Way freight, No. 38,	14.10
Local express, No. 36,	11.05
Night freight, No. 40	2.20

INDIANTOWN BRANCH	
Blackville dep.	9.05
Indiantown dep.	9.34
Newcastle an.	10.55

Newcastle dep.	16.05
Indiantown dep.	17.20
Blackville an.	17.00

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