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JOHN CAMERON, President and

Man. Mr.

God's in His heaven,

All's right with the world.

—Browning.

Hon. Edward Blake, M.P., at

Dublin.

Within the next few weeks, the

Imperial Parliament will reassemble

at Westminster, and there is considerable

speculation as to the attitude of

the members towards legislation likely

to be proposed. Leaders of the two

great political parties have been ad-

ressing their constituents, but the

speeches made have not given much

new light upon the questions at is-

ue. The Irish leaders, however, have

been talking out boldly, and if the

advice of our fellow-countryman, Hon.

Edward Blake, M.P. for South Long-

ford, is taken, there may be lively

times before the present Parliament

is much older. Mr. Blake delivered a

statesmanlike speech at a recent

meeting in Dublin. He holds the

great object, the capital object, of

patriotic Irishmen, the restoration

of an adequate measure of self-gov-

ernment to Irishmen. The Salisbury

Government has pronounced against

that aspiration, and cannot be ex-

pected to concede its justice. But Mr.

Blake very properly asserts that the

hostile attitude of the present Ad-

ministration to the cause of local

self-government in no way prevents

the Irish M. P.s from in the mean-

time uniting to consider what can be

accomplished to promote measures

that will be directly beneficial to the

people. There is the necessity for

further land legislation. The recent

Land Law, Mr. Blake, as a lawyer of

forty years' standing, characterizes

as obscure and as lending itself to

various interpretations by law au-

thorities, while at the same time it leaves

untouched the most pressing griev-

ances of the Irish tenantry. Then the

royal commissioners have just re-

ported that the Irish have been over-

taxed for imperial purposes for many

years, and the striking inequality and

injustice of this burden must be im-

pressed on Parliament and remedied

for the future, if, indeed, amends are

not also demanded for the past. This

reform, if effected, will be carried out

with great difficulty, for, as Mr. Blake

contends, "the only way that Ireland

can be properly governed is when she

is managing her own affairs, spending

her own money, with those guarantees

of economy which derive their power

from the principle of 'the who spends

must pay.'"

Parliament must also deal with the

question of amnesty. Mr. Blake holds

that the same country which would be

careful of the health of Dr. Jameson

and his fellow South African conspira-

tors, should willingly put Irish politi-

cians on an equality. Because Dr. Jameson

was suffering from a painful complaint,

from which recovery would have been difficult if he

had been longer kept in jail, he was

released. It can be proved, Mr. Blake

says, that imprisoned Irish political

prisoners have been suffering that

which is worse than death. Why

should these men, who have for many

years been under punishment, for

ance; but while the Salisbury Gov-

ernment lasts local self-government

is impossible. The Administration has

declared that Ireland shall for all

time to come be ruled from West-

minster. It therefore becomes the

duty of the Irish M. P.s to press for

the reforms by all parliamentary and

constitutional means—early and late,

morning, noon and night.

Mr. Blake urges that Mr. Parnell's

tactics be again adopted to force

Irish questions to the front. This can

be accomplished, he says, by inter-

vening in other than purely Irish

questions, and in every way possible

keeping Irish interests before Parlia-

ment and the country. All sections of

the Irish Nationalists, Mr. Blake be-

lieves, are united in this view. They

are also agreed upon the abstract

principle—not of the desirability, but

of the necessity for unity. Mr. Ted-

mond recently said that Irishmen

could best promote the interests of

their country by independence of all

political parties. With that sentiment

Mr. Blake is in perfect accord. He

affirms that the Irish M. P.s have al-

ways been an independent body of

men, and the great convention re-

cently held decided that they should

continue to be so, though they had

gladly co-operated with the late Li-

eral Administration in its attempts to

put into law a bill for providing local

self-government for the island. If

the present Conservative Government

sees fit to remedy any of the griev-

ances now existing, they will find co-

operation, and not obstruction, from

the Irish members. In conclusion,

Mr. Blake says it is his profound con-

vinction that there exists today no

question of principle, no question of

politics, no question of policy, no

question of tactics, which responsible

men agreeing in the objects he had

outlined could not settle if they want-

ed to in half an hour over the table.

Someone interrupted with the state-

ment that "it is a question of per-

sons," and Mr. Blake aptly retorted

that the question for the Irish people

is whether they will allow questions

or persons to dominate questions of

principle. In any case, Mr. Blake

counsels unity of action and a deter-

mination to secure whatever legisla-

tion is necessary for the welfare

of Ireland.

Our fellow-countryman's speech was

loudly cheered by those who listened

to it. Mr. Blake is a power in the

land of his forefathers, and he is

bound to take a prominent part in

the future work of the Imperial Par-

liament. Irish newspapers to hand

contain full reports of his recent

speeches, and highly commendatory

references to them and to his unself-

ish work for the cause of the Irish

people.

The Oil Outlook.

At the opening of 1895 the price of

crude oil in the United States was

\$1 43 a barrel. As a consequence there

was a boom in the development of

oil territory, and for months past the

receipts from wells have exceeded the

shipments. Small wells, abandoned

during the era of low prices, have

been reopened, cleaned out and drawn

upon. The Oil, Paint and Drug Re-

porter says that while considerable

old territory is still operated, the

work will have to be suspended if the

market remains below the dollar

mark, as small wells are unprofit-

able. The opening of new territory

will be postponed for the same rea-

son, and it is only a question of time

when increasing consumptive require-

ments for refined petroleum from

abroad will exceed production and

cause a higher level of prices. There

is no danger of the earth's supply be-

ing exhausted for many years. In

addition to Southern and Pacific coast

Western Ontario.

Prisoner Escaped While En Route
to Jail to Serve a Term.

Another Bad Case of "Didn't Know It
Was Loaded."

Mr. P. D. McCallum, M. P. P. for
East Lambton, has made an assign-

Gilkinson's bus and dray barns and
Hart's saddlery at Kingsville were de-

stroyed by fire Monday. The horses

were saved, but everything else will

be a total loss.

D. W. Crow, late treasurer of Dover,

and who recently, under protest, set-

ted an alleged deficit of \$1,500 in his

books, threatens an action of \$10,000

for alleged slander in connection with

the matter.

Carl, a 10-year-old son of W. J.

McPherson, of Tarbert, was accident-

ally shot on Sunday by an older bro-

ther, who "didn't know it was load-

ed." The bullet entered the right

cheek, and the case is considered

hopeless.

O. A. Chapin, for many years a

carriage manufacturer and under-

taker in Colborne, died very suddenly

Sunday. He apparently was in good

health Saturday. Deceased was in his

70th year. Mrs. Chapin was absent

from home attending the funeral of

her father at Ingersoll.

George Messner and Alex. Schwen

were badly scalded by a big vat

they were coaling with kerosene at

Sleeman's brewery, Guelph, on Sat-

urday. The explosion of gas, limit-

ed by a candle used in the work. Both

men were taken to the hospital, and

are doing fairly well.

On the morning of Dec. 23, at 5:25

o'clock, Mr. Michael McCarthy, M.C.R.

engineer, took his engine from the

round house, St. Thomas, and hauled a

train to Windsor. Arriving at Wind-

sor he found that a little book he car-

ried in which was \$25 cash and a note

for \$70, made in his favor, were miss-

ing.

Richard Lepler was convicted of lar-

ceny before C. V. Parke, J. P. of Wil-

son, and sentenced to jail. Between

Hanover and Walkerton, on Wilson's

hill, the rig which he was being

conveyed broke down, and when the

constable was engaged in fixing it, the

prisoner escaped. He was not hand-

cuffed.

Combet's store at Mount Elgin was

broken into on Saturday morning

shortly after 12 o'clock. The back

door was cut through in two places,

the safe blown open, and \$100 in sil-

ver and \$5 in coppers stolen. The

thieves cut the telephone connection

with Ingersoll and entered the barn

and took the horse and buggy and

went east.

Stratford Beacon: There was a com-

plete family gathering at the resi-

dence of Hon. Thomas Ballantyne on

Christmas Day, the first in seven

years. It consisted of Hon. and Mrs.

Ballantyne, and their seven sons and

one daughter, the members from a

distance being Rev. Prof. Ballantyne,

of Knox College, and A. W. Ballan-

tine, barrister, of Toronto, and Alex.

Ballantyne, of Portland, Oregon. As

the families of the married sons were

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The prosecuting attorney of Alton, Mich., is advocating a bill ordering that the names of all purchasers of liquor at drug stores shall be published.

LIFE SAVED.—Mr. James Bryson Cameron writes: "I was confined to a bed by a severe cold, and my wife had used it for a throat trouble with the best results. Acting on this advice, I procured the medicine, and less than half a bottle cured me. I certainly believed it saved my life. It was with reluctance that I consented to a trial, as I was reduced to such a state that I doubted the power of any remedy to do me any good."

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The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory yesterday were 35.5 above and 5.5 below.

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175.....Job Department.

London and Environs

—Today was an off one at the police station. The books were clear, and no court was held.

—Mr. J. M. McEvoy, this city, leaves today for Bad Axe, Mich., where his aunt is dangerously ill.

—Invitations for the opening of the new Y. M. C. A. building on Friday next have been sent out.

—All classes of printing turned out promptly and in good style at the Advertiser Job Department.

—R. Oke left with his exhibit of poetry for the Madison Square Garden Poultry Show, New York city, this morning.

—Mr. D. D. Winter, of this city, who has been on the sick list for the past two weeks, has gone home to Sarnia to recuperate.

—Mr. L. H. Ingram, of Smallman & Ingram, left yesterday for the European markets. He sails from New York on the Ticonderoga.

—The East Middlesex License Holders' Protective Association has elected officers as follows: President, Mr. Jas. Homister, vice-president, Mr. W. C. Drake, secretary-treasurer, Mr. W. H. Chittick.

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Anglicans, Methodists, Baptists, Presbyterians and Congregationalists Unite in the Week of Prayer—The Programme.

The Evangelical Alliance has arranged the plan of meetings for the week of prayer, in which all the leading Protestant denominations will participate. No regular prayer meetings at the individual churches will be held next week in consequence, but the prayer meetings will be grouped into the four sections mentioned below. The programme for the week of prayer is as follows:

CENTER LONDON.

Monday, First Presbyterian—Speakers, Revs. Pedley and Lancelotti.

Tuesday, First Congregational—Dr. Daniel and Rev. Ira Smith.

Wednesday, First Methodist—Dean Innes and Rev. R. Johnston.

Thursday, Tabernacle Baptist—Canon Richardson and Rev. G. Jackson.

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Wednesday, St. James' Church—Revs. W. M. Walker and Rev. W. R. Knowles.

Thursday, Knox Church—Archdeacon Davis and Rev. R. Hobbs.

EAST LONDON.

Monday, Christian Church—Revs. A. L. Russell and W. H. Clark.

Tuesday, St. Matthew's—Revs. T. S. Johnson and H. J. Uren.

Wednesday, Centennial—Revs. Thos. Wilson and M. Ferguson.

Thursday—King Street Presbyterian—Revs. George Fowler and Rev. T. Charlesworth.

Friday, Adelaide Street Baptist—Revs. A. G. Harris and W. Seaborn.

LONDON WEST.

Wednesday, St. George's Church—Revs. Mr. Moorhouse and B. Clement.

Thursday, Methodist Church—Revs. G. Sage and J. G. Stuart.

Speakers are allowed fifteen minutes.

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In cases where dandruff, scalp diseases, falling and grayness of the hair appear, do not neglect them, but apply a proper remedy and tonic like Hall's Hair Renewer.

TRAGEDY AT ESSEX.

Sad End of J. H. Burton, a Former Londoner.

A telegram from Essex, Ont., says that J. H. Burton, proprietor of the Royal Hotel, committed suicide by hanging yesterday. He had been in bad health recently, and had become unbalanced in his mental faculties through brooding over his condition. Deceased formerly lived in London, where he had many warm friends, who will hear of his untimely death with regret. He leaves a widow and four children.

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