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increased by \$20,000,000.

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AT 81 QUEEN STREET, CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. ISLAND. Island Province, set forth in the bear. JAMES MOISAAC, platform, had been advocated by

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know that the Liberal members The Opposition Platform. of the Legislature are on record against everyone of these reforms.

The records of the House will In this issue will be found show the divisions, where every the platform presented by Mr member of the Government and Mathieson, Leader of the Pro every Government supporter in vincial Opposition; upon the Legislature stood up and which he will appeal to the voted against these very reforms. electors of this Province, in a We shall return to this subject few weeks. This platform is later. so comprehensive, so reason-

able and so well calculated to bring the claims of our Province into proper light before the electorate, that it cannot

There are so many good ier said "I promise you that has been selected to fill the gap, fail to appeal to the reason and judgment of all fair-mind- reasons for the defeat of the if you put our party into with A. H. McGivern as running ed men. It has been framed Laurier Government at the power, we will reduce the mate. Doubtless there are many with the view of placing our coming elections that the su- annual expenditure by \$2,- other "undesirable candidates" and Johnson aged 81 years. Deceased was claims on the Federal Govern- preme issue before the Can 000,000 or \$3,000,000 per running in the Laurier interest; born in the parish of T. Davinit county ment in their true light be- adian people is often obscured annum"; while Sir Richard but their guilt has not been so to this Province in 1827, and emigrated fore the people of Canada, and or overlooked. It is our Cartwright said that "It is a clearly proven as that of Mr. Kinkora. His funeral took place to St of properly bringing to the national life-our character disgrace and a shame to the Fraser and as long as there is any Malachis church on the 21st, and was very notice of all reasonable and as a people.

patriotic citizens of this Pro- The charges against the ask for an expenditure of vince the wrongs which we Laurier Government do not \$38,300,000 for federal pursuffer. All who sincerely end, unfortunately, with the poses; the thing is unjustiwish to see these wrongs faults of their administration, fiable,'

righted and those claims al their reckless extravagance, In 1908 the Laurier govlowed, should stand by this their "graft" and corrupt dis ernment spent \$68,000,000 platform, and rally to the sup- posal of our national wealth more than the Conservative Let us examine carefully the record of a brief illness, Mary Ann, beloved wife of port of the Leader and the to political parasites. There government did in 1896. party that make it their is a greater peril in the debase-To meet the enormous inbattle cry in the approaching ment of our public life and the crease in expenditure under consequent menace to our the Laurier government, the Local elections.

the responsibility involved, as are re-The very first plank in the national character in the pol- taxes during the past twelve platform, the claim for a re- itical methods of the Ottawa years have doubled per head. If as the Premier states we have fund of the cost of our rail- regime. The standards and In 1896 the tax per head was had a surplus during the past twelve way, is one that has too long ideals of its public life are of \$5.46, in 1908 it is \$11.70. years of \$113,000,000, where has the been overlooked and neglect. the very first importance to In 1896 Sir Wilfrid Laur- ing the same period has increased \$20, the policy of the Liberal Consered. We built our Island rail any community. For not ier said, "We are the party 000,000, What have we to show for vative party and of our great way and paid for it, and then only is the nation's business, of low taxation "Let us it? Sir Wilfred would say that it has leader the Honourable R. L. Borhad the cost charged up to us and its status among the na- not forget that every dollar been expended in public works. den hereby express our desire at the time we entered the tions of the world determined taken by the Government in But what is the character of these that agents, workers and supportconfederation. Surely, then, accordingly; but, by a relent the form of taxation each year, North York, between Newmarket and ers, acting in our interests or on we should have the price less law, they are reflected in is taken from you. As every Holland Landing, some wonderful our behalf, will endeavour to handed back to us. No the social, commercial, and pound of nails, every axe, harbor on Lake Huron, which was carry out in spirit and in letter reasonable man can dispute private lives of its people. We have fallen from the from your merchant is the sections of the Grand Trunk Pacific, Elections Act against corruption that this is a valid claim. The restoration of our Federal best traditions of Anglo Saxon medium through which you have built for balf the money; the ent contest. Intoxication liquors, representation to six mem- statesmanship and high-mind- pay taxes to the Dominion Quebec bridge; and other public money, or other rewards must not bers, would only be the im- ed unselfish devotion to the Government." plementing of the intention of public service our fathers, those who negotiated the without distinction of party or penditures the cost of the elsewhere. If a farmer or a business directly or indirectly for any terms on which we entered creed, have handed down to us. country's share of the con-terms of which we entered creed, have handed down to us. country's share of the con-each year, started in to spend not any other act reflecting upon the the union. Our share of the Statesmanship has given place struction of the Grand Trunk only his increased income, but to pledged honour of ourselves or Halifax fishery award should to political jugglery, and it is Pacific has not been included. plunge deeply into debt, what would be paid to us, and our claim the party's, and not the coun What has the country to show bis friends say? thereto no man can dispute. try's good, that determines the for these enormous expendi-The plank in the platform policy of the Liberal majority; tures? What will the out- tempt to disclaim responsibility for relating to agriculture should merit and qualifications are no come be if the present ad- the acts, individually and collectively, meet with the hearty approv. longer of any weight against ministration is retained in of his colleagues? It would seem so al of all Islanders. This is a political "pull" and political power, to preserve its present but our system of party government purely agricultural Province expediency in public appoint- policy of ruinous expendi- is based on the principle that the Pre and our educational training ments. But it is worse still tures? should prepare the minds of and humiliating to us as a for their every action. Responsibility our youth for grappling with people that the air is foul with The depths of degradation to cannot be shirked. which the Patriot's notion of this question in the most charges of "graft" and "rake practical and scientific off," and of the corrupt en journalistic ethics has sunk, is members of his cabinet are directly Flour (per owt.)..... shown by its scandalous conduct responsible to the people for the acts manner. One plank that all riching of Liberal henchmen in permitting to nondiscript vili- of every member of his Cabinets. will surely heartily endorse, at the country's cost, until fiers the free use of its columns. present and past. He is therefore is that relating to our school good citizens are ashamed of Any meaking coward, who may responsible for the acts of that former books. The high price and the disgraceful disclosures desire to stab his neighbor in Minister who grew rich in the public which each session of Parlia- dark and to lie and slander to his service, and who allowed public lands Sheep pelts, frequent changes in the text ment spreads broadcast hearts content, without assuming to be sold to relatives and friends at Turnips. books in our public schools, constitute an outrage that is through the land; and that any responsibility for his screed, is merely nominal prices; He is directly, readily taken under the aegis of rumors of coarse, vulgar imour contemporary. Whether the of investigation; he is also responsible felt by all parents, who have morality which would exclude vilifier call himself "Onlooker" or for the calling to his assistance and children attending school. those concerned from the any other fictitious name the keeping as his advisers, the several This monopoly and robbery company of clean and decent Patriot takes him under protec- Ministers now driven from office have been dealt with in the pecple are of common cir- tion and allows the real or ima- whose private life was so notorious as Provinces of Ontario and New Brunswick, and the culation and have necessar- ginary outside prevaricator to to become the subject of public scar. ily been made the subject of fire away under cover. The dal and parliamentary discussion ; be change of Government, from discussion on the floors of words of Goldsmith, slightly must also accept the responsibility Liberal to Conservative, in changed are quite applicable ; for the insult which he and his coll-Parliament. these Provinces has resulted "Every lying sneak and coward eagues have paid to the intelligence of

claim allowed."

The Liberals of Ottawa have, of

of the sitting members, Messrs.

been returned last year to fill the

unexpired term of A. N. Belcourt,

of national strength and secur- was turned down. Mr. Stewart are not still Liberals with as much

therein set forth. These ity, it is essential that we had been an old and faithful stand- ability and torce of charactor as the

As a very important source elevation to the Senate. But in even with the Laurier Cabinet of the convention just mentioned he uvelve years ago. Is it because there

Stewart and Garon. Garon had eral Nominees for the Federal House.

who had received his reward by feeble cabinet aggregation of to day

any claims for the Liberals to the charge the debts which have hostile. Things went on for a reforms foreshadowed therein, accumulated during a lean while, and hopes were entertained Sir Wilfrid Laurier says no man that peace would be restored But in politics can be as homest as some It would be rather awkward for period, so as not ungenerous matters were going from bad to of his critics talk. The Prime our Liberal friends to claim that ly to throw on posterity the worse till at last the climax was Minister means no man of his own

the matters of importance to our burdens which we should reached when Mr. Fraser was stamp. The clean man in politics brought before the court at Hull is not the unknown quantity his To pay debts there must be and required to render an account words would indicate, and it in

a revenue, and to have rev- ing to one of his partners in the only dishonest men who pretend timber limit graft. What had that he is. It is time to have a Sir Wilfrid Laurier says long been suspected was now sub that during the past twelve admitted that he had bought the stantiated on oath. Mr. Frase In commemoration of the first Legis years his government has had timber limit from the Governmen- lative Assembly ever granted any portion enormous surpluses, amount- ment for \$1,650 and had immedi- of the British Empire, a corner stone was ing in all to \$113,000,000. ately sold it to some Americans orial tower on the North West Arm on the He omits to say that this for \$100,000, making \$98,350 pro- property presented to the city by Sir Sat \$113,000,000 has been spent fit on the deal. After these revel- ford Fleming. Addresses were given b

by his government. and fur-the deal. After these reveral prominent speakers and a royal salute was fired. The Canadian Club in Mr. Fraser could not by any pos- building the tower. sibility be elected; consequently it dawned upon Sir Wilfrid and In 1896 the expenditure his friends that Fraser was "an

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amounted to \$42,000,000, and undesirable candidate:" The up-At the church of the Sacred Heart in 1908 it amounts to over shot was that both he and his running mate Dr. Chevrier were May A. Corrigan, both of Elmedale. Con- either semi or tight fitting in the In 1896 Sir Wilfrid Laur- set aside and Sir Wilfrid Laurier gratulations.

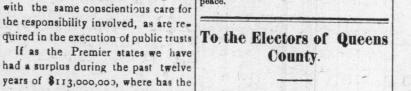
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Monaghan, Ireland in 1827, and emigrated government that they should hope of their election they are largely attended. The solemn funeral

services were performed by the pastor Rev J. J. McDonald. He leaves to mourn a disconsolate widow, seven daugh-Weighed in the Balances. ters and four sons. May his soul rest in

Government is a trust, and the offi In this city on the 1st. inst. Michael cers of the government are trustees, Hughes, aged 63 years. May his soul and both the trust and the trustees are rest in peace.

created for the benefit of the people. the Laurier Government, and judge for John Trainor aged 48. A husband and ourselves, whether the trust imposed five sons, besides a large circle of relatives are left to mourn. May her soul rest in on them has been administered





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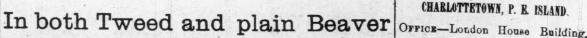
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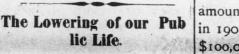


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the Canadian people.

Squeezing the Sponge,

dividual, character is all in all, their candidates for the House of rupt Boss government, and in showing Other planks in the plat-We charge that the tone of Commons. Some weeks ago, they confidence in those men, in whom form deal with Public Works, our public life has been sen- A. W. Fraser and Dr. Chevrier as ming majority, decided that they had reform of election laws. finances and so on. These sibly lowered during the their standard bearers. These so confidence. Briefly, he has apquestions are of such import- twelve years of the Liberal nominations caused some surprise pointed Mr. Ross to a Senatorship ance that they cannot be Government. and that they and disappointment in the ranks Mr. Gibson to a Lieutenant-Governare not entitled to support of the stalwarts, inasmuch as the orship, Mr. Latchford to a Judgesbip, treated in the course of one from the better elements of chosen were both new men, instead Mr. Graham to a portfolio, while article; but they shall be

referred to from time to time, later on. In the mean time, our friends should read and study the platform, and learn for themselves the magnitude

and importance of the issues

every yard of cloth you buy washed away the following year; the provisions of the Dominion

considered admirable.

works of like character, mostly in the be used on our behalf, and we re-In the above record of ex- province of Quebec, and some others fuse to hold ourselves responsible man, whose income was increasing offer, promise, or payment, or for our party.

Would the Premier, contrary to all principles of party government, atmier and his advisers are one, and

in appointing to high office under the

Federal government, or in accepting

as his leading lieutenants in the pre-

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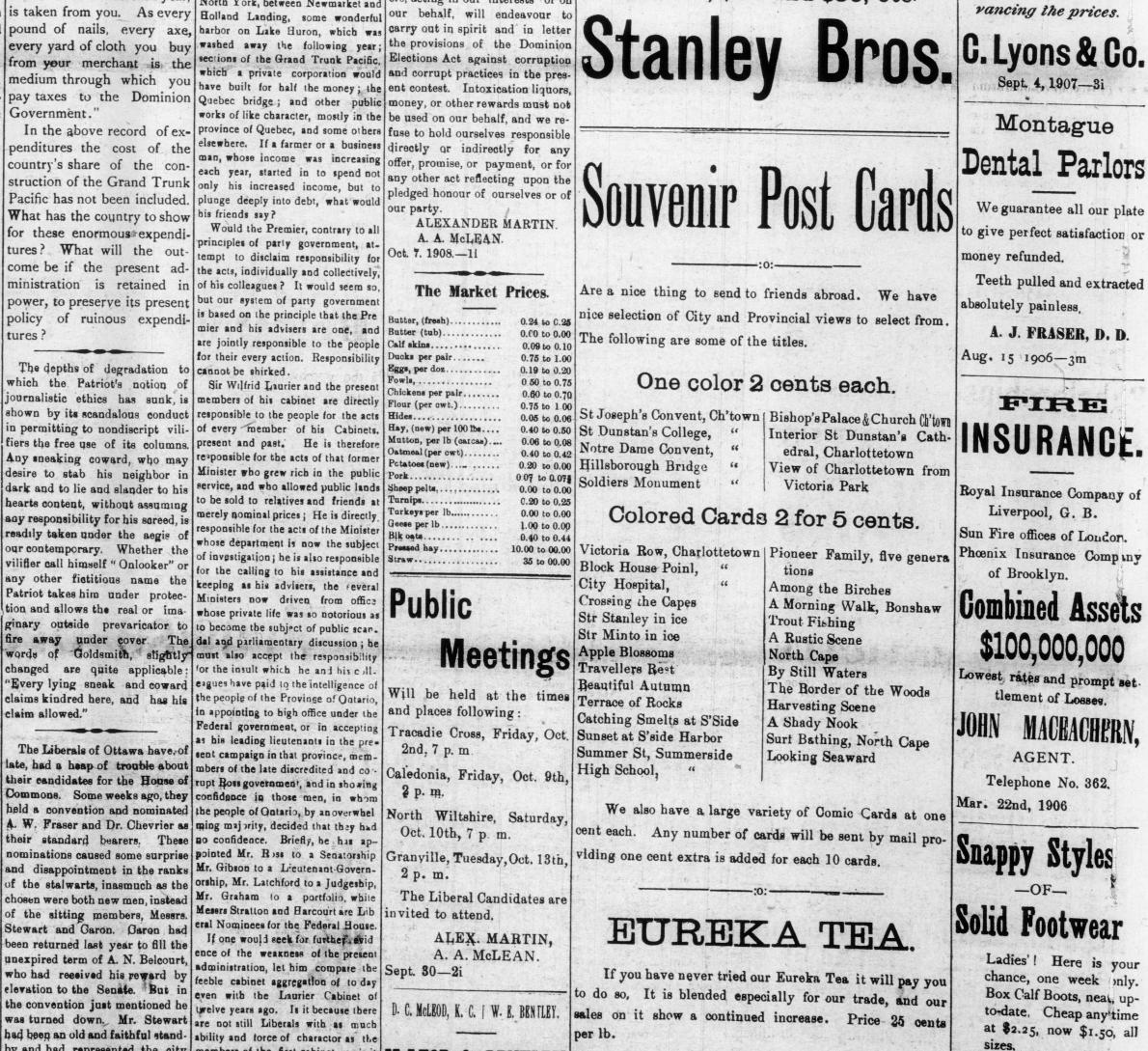
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Sir Wilfrid Laurier and the present Chickens per pair Hides Hay, (new) per 100 lbs.... Mutton, per lb (carcas) Oatmeal (per cwt)..... Pctatoes (new) Pork Tarkeys per lb. Geese per lb responsible for the acts of the Minister Bik osts whose department is now the subject Pressed hay



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THE SHOE MAN.

therein set forth. These ity, it is essential that we had been an old and faithful stand-matters are of vital import-ance to this Province, and no credit. Our method of pre-in the commons for many years; but he was side-tracked to man of principle and high ideals, has man of principle and high Maddigan & Co. F. few days ago a little late Island at heart, should fail to familiarize himself with them. We observe that the Petriot the second of debt of course, but they are yours at the above price. We observe that the Patriot, the accumulation of debt. Eureka Grocery, See them anyway. with western timber deals. His while attempting a milk and It is essential that we nomination created some constern-Offices-Bank of Nova Minard's Liniment cures A. E. MCEACHEN, water criticism of the platform, should make vigorous efforts ation in the party ranks, and Mr. Distemper. Scotia Chambers. QUEEN STREET, CHARLOTTETOWN.

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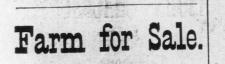
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telligent, well-read Conservative. Mr. A. W. Fraser, ex Liberal Fire which soon assumed alarming procandidate in Ottawa, who paid \$1, portions broke out in the Cresthall 650 for a timber limit he sold for summer hotel at Winthrop about mid-night last Friday night. By great exer. \$100,000, is strongly in favor of tions the firemen confined the flames to five more years of good times and that building, although the Ocean View would vote to let Laurier finish Hotel and three residences and other large his work. It is time to have a structures, were dangerously threatened. change,

man who had many friends. He conduct, ard bearers of that district at the forth

a successful mercantile business at

John Harrigan, Freelton Hotel keeper, Rev. Charles A. McLeod, of Kansas Hamilton Ont. was instantly killed, city, Messouri, and Dr. Harry F. Mowhile his wife had a remarkable escape. Leod, of Dorchester Mass, sons of the late Harrigan was driving a spirited horse James McLeod, for many years, the leadwhich became frightened and dashed into ing tailor of Charlottetown, have been on a street car. In view of scores of people, a brief visit to Charlottetown their native E have a special offer, A street car. In view of scores of people, Harrigan was dashed to death on the place. Father McLeod preached an excellent sermon in the Cathedral at the high Mass on Sunday, Their many friends here were delighted to see them. The Department of Militia, They left on return yesterday morning.

which paid \$250 each for toy guns that cost \$64 to make, is the de-Nine persons lost their lives in a fire partment in which a clerk man. hat occurred in New York on the 5th inst, ipulated the cheque books so as to in a four story double tenement in steal \$70,000. It seems to have lower Mulberry St. The building was oc been the easy meat of every sharp oupled by eight Italian families and approximately fifty persons were asleep in money maker who came along. It the building when the fire was discovered, is time to have a change.

The fire started is a dry goods store oc supied on the ground floor of the building. It spread with great rapidity and soon the Dr. John Sutherland, of Bedeque, aged whole inside of the building was a mass of

65 years, who had been absent for about a flames. Many of the persons who escaped and Canadian cities, was found dead in his by the stairway were more or less burned, fortnight on a holiday visit to American some of them severely. bed at the St. James Hotel, Montreal, on Monday morning of this week. The Dr.

had registered at the St, James Friday Militia orders issued at Ottawa contain evening, and from that time up to his rethe announcement of the procedure for irement Sunday night he appeared to South African veterans entitled to land Brand trade mark stands for good be in the enjoyment of his usual good grants, who have lost their discharge

been the cause of death. He expected to be issued. The applicants for land grant have reached home Tuesday night. Dr. of those who have lost certificates, should Sutherland had practised his profession at forward certificate of service from the

Bedeque for the past 25 years, and was Commanding Officer, or from two memmost popular and highly esteemed by all bers of the corps in which they served, ac who knew him. companied by identification certificate from a Justice of the Peace, clergyman or

From all parts of the Province comes other respectable person, living in the the prognosticatious of Conservative vic- neighborhood. bory at the polls in the Federal election on

the 26th inst. In each of the three While driving into Charlottetown on the counties the battle wages warm, and large-Brackley Point Road one night last week, by attended meetings are addressed by the J. A. McIssac and H. H. Horne had a opposing candidates, night after night, narrow escape from being seriously injured. The best of the argument and the greatest Their team was run into by a funaway team was run into by a funaway enthusiasm is on the Conservative side. horse which came furiously slong the road Wherever they go the Opposition candiwithout a driver. Messrs. Horne and Modates are enthusiastically received, while Issac had their wagon damaged and both he reception to the Government candiwere thrown violently to the ground, Mr. dates in money cases is extremely cold. McIsaac being rendered unconscious. He The order of meetings in King's County was badly cut about the face as the the rerom now to nomination day is as follows sult of his head striking the spokes of the new shapes in Calf, Cardigan Bridge, Thursday Oct 87 p.m. wheel. The runaway horse belonged to a St. Georges', Oct 9 at 7 p.m. Red Mr. Stewart, and his wagon was damaged Patent Leather, Kid House, Saturday Oct 10 at 7 p. m. Danconsiderable das, l'uesday Oct. 13 at 7 p. m. Morell,

Wednesday Oct. 14 at 7 p.m. St Peters Bay Thursday Out 15 at 7 p. m. Margaret's, Friday Oct 16 at 7 p. m.

A sad drowning accident took place at Tyne Valley Friday morning, in which Roland, four year old son of William Sheehan lost his life by falling into the

The mission by the Jesuit Fathers, pre millpond, a short distance from his home. iously announced, opened in the Cathedral The little fellow went out to play in the n Sunday last. The mission is conducted morning, and at dinner time did not return by Rev. Father Devlin, well known here, The parents became anxious and search nd Rev, Fathers Campbell and Coffee. was made. The body was recovered in a The announcements as to the p'an of the mil' flume. It is supposed that the little hission were made at the high Mass and fellow had been playing on the edge of the the opening sermon was preached on Sunmill pond, had lost his balance and fallen day evening by Rev. Father Campbell. in. Mr. and Mrs. Sheenan have the sin-The mission continues this week and next. cere sympathy of the community in their The first week is for the women and next sore bereavement. week will be for the men's mission. In his

opening remarks Father Devlin pathetic: We are now prepared to ally referred to the death of Fathers Andrew Dacey, a well known farmer Doherty and O'Bryan, who had both par-East Hull, near Ottawa, is under arrest on supply the best quality Roach ticipated in a mission given here some years a charge of poisoning the well of Robert Lime from Kilns on St. Pet- ago, and who both died somewhat suddenly Brown, merchant in Cantley. A few at Montreal within the last two years. days ago Brown discovered that Paris er's Road in large and small He also alluded to the death of Father Green had been placed in the well. He

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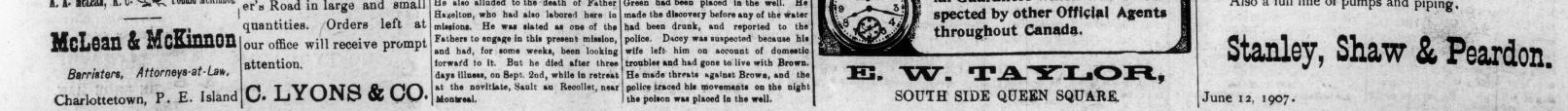
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affects the muscles also. Sufferers dread to move, especially after sitting or lying long, and their condition is commonly worse in we "I suffered dreadfully from rheumatism ut have been completely cured by Hood's sarssparilla, for which I am deeply grate ful." Miss FRANCES SMITH, Prescott, Ont Day of Week Bises Sets Sets Sun Sun Moon High High Wat'r Wat'r H. m. o m "I had an attack of the grip which lett me weak and helpless and suffering from rheu-matism. I began taking Hood's Sawaya-rills and this medicine has entirely cureo me. I have no hesitation in saying it saved my life." M. J. McDoNALD, Trenton, Ont. 1 Thu 6 16 6 00 9 30 1 43 6 17 5 58 10 22 2 15 3 5

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An Account of Stewardship den's platform than Laurier ever

ook from his own. To this the flippant reply of Sir Wilfrid Laurier Sir Wilfrid Lanrier's government that as the Conservatives condemned has been twelve years in power. I the platform of '93 they should be might reasonably be expected that glad it had not been put in force is when the premier opened the cama virtual admission of the charges. paign in Octario in what is evidently Compelled to take motion of the his star speech, it would mainly con exposures of graft and corruption sist of an account of his stewardship; which have marked the last two sesappointing with pride to what he had accomplished as the best of valid sions of parliament Sir Wilfrid rings in the moth-esten retort that Conreasons why the people of Canada servatives had a Pacific scandal and should continue to entrust his gov-McGreevy scandal years ago. ernment with the administration of Then, with sunny candor, he remarks the affairs of the Dominior. When that the government has reason to a public representative has been believe that there were "irregulelected to an office, be it the humblest or the highest, and he returns arities" in some of the departments. for re-election, the people expect him and they appointed a Royal comto cite what he has accomplished. mission in the person of Justice and on that account, whether satis- Cassels to investigate the charges. factory or otherwise, depends the And he asks: "What more could

is easy. A very large proportion Aching Joints of the money was not spent legiti-In the fingers, toes, arms, and other mately. Millions of dollars found parts of the body, are joints that are its way into the pockets of good gov inflamed and swollen by rheumatismernment supporters and as rewards that acid condition of the blood which to heelers who had performed services not to be named. A good deal of it found its way higher up

brough circuitous channels of communication Under the present government he middleman has become almos

omnipresent in all the departmental xpenditures. The middleman act as a sieve through which these ex penditures are made, and manages o retain enormous percentages which never reach the contracting firm or the people who do the work. The curious thing about the middleman is that he is generally a person

f no particular consequence, wittout any visible political pull, and, for particularly raw deals is, for prefer ence, not even a Canadian citizen In some of the smaller grafting transactions the money obviously coes into the pocket of some local supporter of the government who

has probably to be reimbursed for formor - or apalga - contributions, - or who may be in receipt of the tangible vidences of that gratitude which ynics describe as a lively anticipaion of future benefits. But even mong the insiders at Ottawa it has been a debatable question where the big rake offs go that constantly appear in the public accounts to the redit of certain professional middle. taking more planks from Mr. Bor-

nen who have no political claims whatever, but a mysterious political pull which not only opens all avenues of information to them in advance, but sends the public money uneringly in their direction and finally appresses all pertinent inquiries into their transactions before the barm accounts committee by the chair-

man's veto, backed up by the usual brute force majority. These proessional middlemen do not get the money themselves, or at least do not seep it. Personally they are of infinitesimal importance, while the sums they rake off not infrequently approximate a king's ransom. O ourse it is wrong on the part of the government to allow middlemen to the unceremonious veto. ob the public to enrich the middle-

men, but in the case of these professionals it is a foregone conclusion t it is not the middleman who APPROPRIATE. enriched. Where does the money

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nachine all the time. They consist chiefly of delicately adjusted slings, n which a rifle is aimed at a toy targets few feet from the mazzle. If the machine is in exact adjust. ment it is claimed that the marks man holding the rifle and pulling the trigger will automatically register on the toy target exactly where the bullet would have hit had the rifle been fired on the range. It is needless to say that if the machine is not in perfect adjustment it is not only valueless, but most discouraging to young soldiers who have to use it, as beir aiming will not be correctly egistered. However, that is an other story. Most of the machines which have been issued to corps throughout the country are now stored away where they will do no

The above are a few illustrations of where the people's money has been going under the government whose motto is "pure administration," and they are not extreme examples by any means. In the real bad causes, as in the North Atlantic Trading scandal, the majority in the house or in committee saw to it that the opposition was choked off with

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success of his appeal for a continu. every other attempt to investigate ance of public confidence. On that the graft in the various departments alone depends his claim. Those who was shut off by a brute force majority are endeavoring to oust him from vote and that the government was office depend for their success on showing by legitimate origicism that only driven to appoint the royal commission on the marine department the incumbent has not done his work because is own Civil Service comwell, and, by suggestions as to how mission had reported against the it might be done better, invoke the marine and malitia departments with public preference. But the applisuch severity that the government cant for a continuance of public confidence must justify his appeal by his works,

The speech of Sir Wilfrid Laurier at Niagara Falls fills several newspaper columns but from one end of it to the other there is no attempt

made to give an account of the stew. by the premier bis bearers must imardship of his administration during the last four years or the last twelve years. The thinking voter will naturally ask himself if it is possible that a government that has had three terms in office and has spent over \$500,000,000 of the people's money has achieved no tangible resalts which the prime minister of that government can cite as an accomplishment deserving of a continuance in power. It is klown that the money has been spent, but where did it go to? The Conservatives obarge that it has been frittered away in the duplication of offices, in enormously extravagaat supply son. tracts which provide for scandalous rake-offs to friends of the government, in bailding wharves where there are no ships and post- ffices where there are very lew people ; in financing a colossal bridge over the St. Lawrence which collapsed in disastrous ruin, and in a myriad of minor ways which made it seem as of Canada as to where the money if this great amount of money bad went to. -O:tawa Oitizin.

disappeared like water into the thirsty sand. If these allegations are not true why does not Sir Wilfrid Laurier tell the people where this enormous revenue has gone? To be sure, there is his belated " life work," the Transcontinental Pacific, but it is only well star ed, and while it promises to cost the country a pretty penny, the most of the expenditure belonge to the future and does not account for the bundreds of millions that have gone before. Read his speech from end to end and there is nothing about what the Las rier Government has done for Canada-only a few promises of what at this fate date the government is going to do if it gets a chance. The G. T. R. will be completed if Sir Wilfrid can get another term; the Railway commission will do great things, including possibly giving us a two cent fare-later on; the postmaster general will give the farmers a rurat mail delivery-later on. That may be all very well in its way, but what has the government done with the \$500,000,000 they have epent already?

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we do?" He does not mention that ured during the past few years. Such cases as the book-keeping job of the marine department, in which the work was done by a parcel of cheap New

could not possibly get out of it, and aving been forced to appoint the commission the government arranged it so that there would be no report

until after the elections were pulled When finances were touched upon

> mediately nave pricked up their ears to receive some account of where that \$500,000,000 had gone to, but they were disappointed. He merely expenditure jumped from \$41,000, dealt with a comparison of the annual expenditure in 1896 and 1908. He said the former was \$36,000,000 8, for this class of expenditure. In and the latter \$76 000,000, and then 1904 land was required for the Intersuavely pointed out to his auditors colonial at Moncton; the middleman that nearly everybody's expenditure was given the tip to secure the prohad doubled during the past twelve within 25 days turned it over to the years. Where he arrived at his figures of \$76.000,000 it is difficult to surmise; his government admitted \$138,000,000 during the last session, and the Conservatives allege \$164,000,000 as per Mr Borden's speech at Halifax. The mean of these amounts would represent a quadrupled expenditure. No wonder the honorable gentleman jocosely remarked : "After all I do not pre-

tend to be much of a floancier," and with that he dismissed all effort to colighten his audience and the people

The Middleman.

The thinking elector will wonder now the Laurier government managed to spend legitimately over \$500,000,000 in twelve years with so little apparent result. The abswer

> BI ΟD We live by our blood, and on

it. We thrive or starve, as our blood is rich or poor. There is nothing else to live on or by. When strength is full and spirits high we are being re-freshed—bone, muscle and brain, in body and mind—with continual flow of rich blood. This is health.

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Back of the blood is food, to keep the blood rich. When it fails, take



oneumatic tire? It would be impossible to go into a tithe of the transactions in which pro Pa-It's a name that is sometimes applied to a bore, my son. fessional or amateur middlemen fig-

> Keep Minard's Liniment in the House.

York accountants and was charged for by an individual in Montreal at figures

Briggs How do you enjoy your which would be deemed ridiculously motor cycle? exorbitant by the most expert mem-Griggs-Fine ! All I need is a coat bers of the profession; the immigration

of tar and feathers to feel like a bird printing in England, which was farmed out to a political exile at three times

its value; and the outfitting of the There is nothing harsh about Laxluxurous ice-breaker Montcalm, and Liver Pills. They cure Constipation, other cases might be cited indefinitely. Dyspepsia, Sick Headache, and But here are the precise figures of a Bilious Spells without griping, purfew representative cases which will ging or sickening. Price 25c. give the taxpayer an idea of how the

A LINGUIST. 000 in 1896 to \$110,000,000 in 1907

Harker-Great linguist, isn't be? Barker-You bet. He can talk in baseball, college and auto.

perty, which he did for \$5,000, and Muscular Rheumatism.

government at \$13,800, a profit of 167 Mr H. Wilkinson, Stratford, Ont., per cent. In the following year more says :- It affords me much pleasure land was required at Halifax for the to say that I experienced great relief government railway, and the fact was from Muscular Rheumatism by using ipped off in advance to the middle- two boxes of Milburn's Rheumatic man, with the result that he secured Pills." Price a box 50c. the property for \$18,000, turned it

over to the government for \$45,000, LOGIC.

and pocketed \$27,000 profit on the transaction. The name of Merwin, ime is money? a partner of the New York firm, has frequently appeared in transactions investigated by the accounts committee of parliament. Previous to 1908 Merwin had received nearly \$1,000.

S nov C ooe in the name of the firms he repr resents, without competition. This was one man who was particularly un colds, etc. der the protection of the Lberal ma-

jority of the committee, and notwith-

standing the ex'ent of the transactions For Diarrhea, Dysentery. in which he figured it was only possible Stomach Cramps, Colic, on one occasion for the Conservative Summer Complaint, Cholmindrity to secure information about him, and that was in regard to only era Morbus, Cholera Inone transaction. It was shown that fantum, and all Looseness Merwin had sold'a quantity of machery to the government for which he

There is no Medicine Like

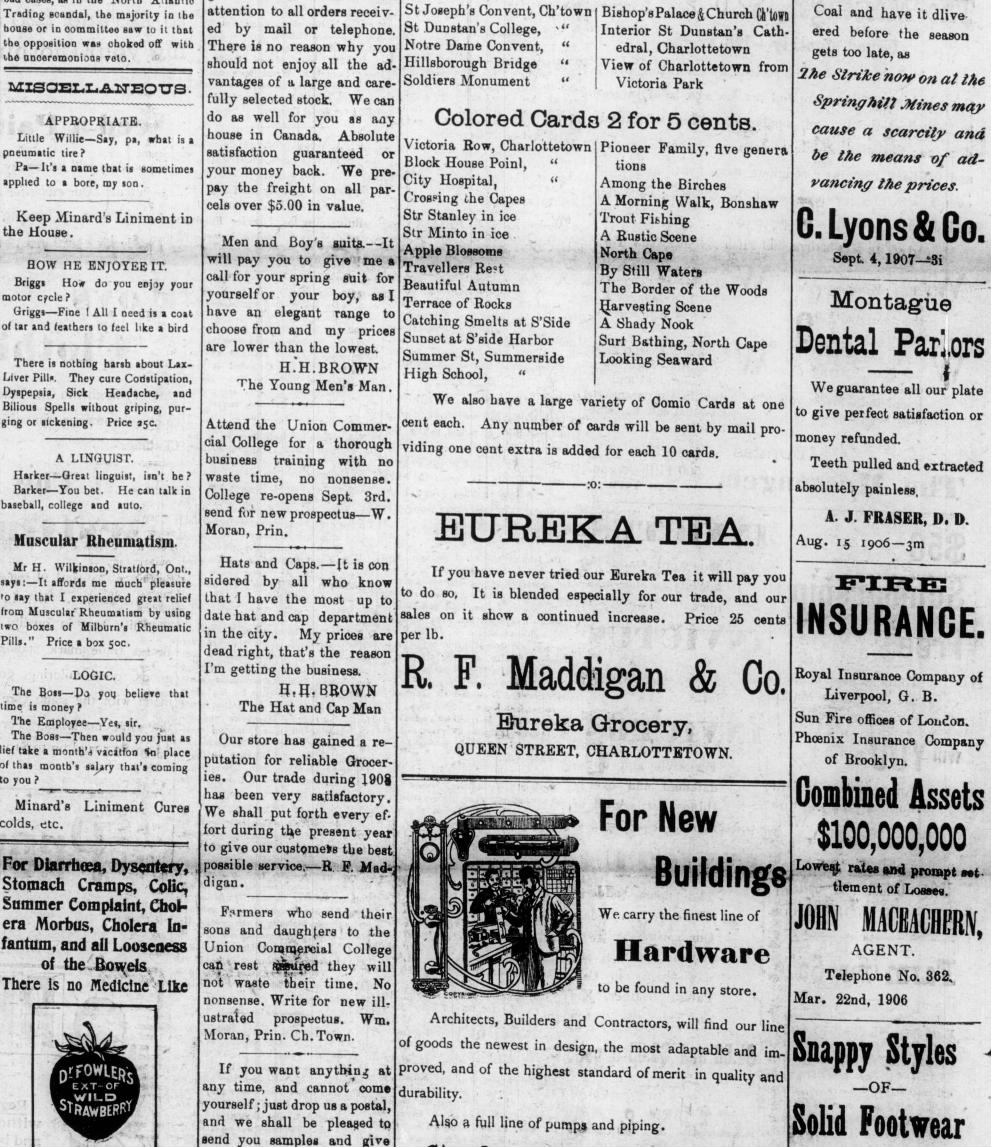
It may be mentioned incidentally that these goods sold by Merwin came from the United States, though they could have been purchased in Canada by the government as cheaply as Merwin obtained them. Then there was the sub-target machine deal, in which company in which several wellknown politicians were interested, got contcact for 450 sub-target mar

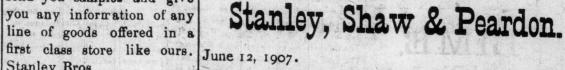
paid \$11'800 and turned it over at

18.100, leaving a profit of \$6.300.

chines, with an intimation from the minister that 550 more would be required. The company simply acted as middlemen and bad the

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