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TORONTO LETTER.

Latest Chat from the Capital of Ontario.

Obtain on the Inter-Provincial Resolutions - The Modern Channel - The Premier's Conversion - His Speech - His Reception - The New Minister.

From our own Correspondent.
 TORONTO, March 7, 1888.
 On Thursday and Friday last the Ontario Legislature debated the celebrated Inter-Provincial Resolutions adopted at the conference of provincial premiers held in Quebec a few months ago. Some capital speeches were made. Messrs. Mowat, Meredith and G. W. Ross being the chief speakers. The debate was adjourned until Tuesday, March 6th, and for aught I know may still be in progress as you print this letter. It was at first proposed to debate the resolutions clause by clause, but as it was found that such an arrangement would result in an almost interminable outpour of oratory and rehearsal of argument, the Premier decided to offer them en bloc, and so they will likely be adopted in a lump. The galleries were filled on Thursday and Friday, and this week will also likely see the seats crowded with eager listeners. I think the discussion will settle one thing, and that is that the Opposition is no match in debate for the Government side. Mr Meredith made an excellent speech, but his support is not of a character likely to make an impression when compared with the debating power on and behind the Government benches.
 There are ghosts other than those who haunt graves. A number of persons who were not interested directly in the execution of Neill, the murderer of Rutledge, the prison guard, were permitted to witness the death of the unhappy man. They rejoiced over their luck in getting a ticket of admission from the Sheriff more loudly than many a man in a fortunate drawing at a lottery, and they have since been describing the hanging in all its horrible details with a gusto which is alien to a man of ordinary feeling. I think that private execution should be private, and that the morbid curiosity of sensation mongers should not be encouraged. No good can be served by allowing any but those whom duty calls thither, to be present at the legal taking off of a poor wretch. I don't know who are most deserving of the charge of callousness, those who delighted in the fact that they had a ticket of admission to the execution, or the cramp-tongued

man who peddled around the grave yard pieces of the rope that hanged the miserable man who "drew" the curious crowd out to the Don on the 28th of February. Gauble, who was condemned to be hanged for his connection in the Lizzie Bray abortion case, which resulted fatally has been reprieved, and was on Saturday taken to Kingston penitentiary for life. The commutation gives general satisfaction.

The alleged conversion of Sir John A. Macdonald has been the leading topic of conversation here for the past week or two. The general opinion is that he has been influenced for good by the revival meetings upon which he has been so constant an attendant, and is sincere in his attachment to the Heavenly King. Certainly, his desire to meet Ontario on the boundary matter, and Manitoba on Railway affairs, look as if equity and justice were to be practiced by the Ottawa chief. Sir John has little to gain by a pretence of religion; but like every other man he has much to get from his profession and practice. Mr Crossley, who made many friends in Goderich and wherever he has been, has undoubtedly been used to effect a wonderful influence for good upon the Dominion Premier.

The Ottawa correspondent of the Toronto World says:—"The statement made by Mr Duntouy in Toronto yesterday that Sir John and Lady Macdonald had banished wine from their table is as foolish as it is uncalled for. Sir John, as I telegraphed on Saturday, gave a dinner at Earncliffe that evening. Twenty members of Parliament were present. There were several kinds of wine on the table. Neither Sir John, Lady Macdonald nor the Premier's son, Hugh John, partook of the beverage, but such of the guests as desired wine were served. This is the custom at all of the Premier's dinners during the session at which members or a mixed assemblage attends. It is doubtful if Messrs Crossley and Hunter authorized Mr Duntouy or any one else to make such a statement on their behalf. Everyone who knows the Premier at all intimately, or who partakes of the hospitalities of Earncliffe, is aware that he has become remarkably temperate in his declining years, that he has observed those principles for a considerable time, but that he does not believe in alleged temperance reformers, many of them 'fakers' at best, using his name as an advertisement for their shows in this unwarrantable manner."

It is said that the paper falling due at the banks here on March 4th (settling-up day) was fairly met.

Agnes Knox, the elocutionist, who taught in the central school in Goderich a few years ago, gave her first evening at Toronto on Monday last under the auspices of the University Y.M.C.A. and scored a decided triumph. All the papers speak highly of her abilities, the Globe and Mail being especially complimentary in their references.
 The name of the new Minister of Agriculture has not yet been announced, and opinion is divided as to whether the man has yet been selected. The name of Mr Drury is most freely mentioned just now.

Sheppardton.
 Our jovial comrade during his spare moments this winter devoted much of his time to looking after a pair of early lambs, which we have no doubt will outtip the scales in weight against any others to be shown at Easter.

Dunlop.
 Timbers are to be drawn for the building of a new barn on Lornesside farm this coming summer.

B. Hale, at one time a resident here, after an absence of 17 years, gave our burg a visit. He sees big changes now and not so many big trees as when he was here last.
 Nearly all the papers and mammae enjoyed a quiet tea together, like sweetening up, as almost every urchin took in the social held in the temperance hall in aid of church funds on Thursday evening of last week.

Kingbridge was the destination of our teamsters, Richard and D. Corbett, of Goderich, who, with the latter of the big herd he recently put up. They drove up behind a speedy Arab, but by the prolonged absence we think the charms of other belles made such an impression on their hearts that the chosen of the big herd will some day summon them as Cupid's victims to Kingsbridge church. Come, Martin, but hush, sure!

New Advertisements This Week.
 Fresh Seeds—G. H. Old.
 Lost—Hatch Montenegro.
 Spring Goods—H. Dunn.
 Money to Loan—E. N. Lewis.
 Farmers' Institute—C. J. S. Nafelt.
 Amusement—Robert Gibbons, Sheriff.
 Porters' Association—W. J. Fraser and Porter.
 Auction Sale—Wytton Stock Breeder's Association.

TOWN TOPICS.
 "A child among ye, takin' notes, An' faith he'll print it."

Cordwood wanted in exchange for furniture—D. Gordon.
 Geo Stewart still is in the line of supply for photos, crayons and oil paintings. All orders promptly attended to.
 A Good Prescription.—The most useful gift you can make is to give a Wirt Pen. Apply to D. McLelland, agent Goderich.
 At-Quon-Tes.—Some may make about their feet and ask your custom therefor, but if you'll give them the brand, all other teas you'll shun. Geo. R. Ryan, the drugist local agent.
 For cheaply, natty, tidy, well-fitting spring suits you can't do better than drop in upon F. & A. Pridman, the fashionable tailors and ladies' dress makers for one of their excellent designs.
 The topics of the week has been where will the new post office be located, and a satisfactory result has not yet been reached. But R. R. Sully has got some first-class photographs every time.
 Merchants can get their Bill Heads, Letter Heads, etc., printed at this office for very little more than the cost of the paper, and it helps to advertise their business.

Call on Geo. the drugist, Albion block, for everything in the line of drugs, patent medicines, toilet articles, etc., at wholesale and retail prices.
 W. C. Good, Auctioneer, Albion Block.

The Western Canadian Fair and Exhibition will meet regularly for the transaction of business every Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, in North street church. Every woman interested in the work is cordially invited to attend.
 Sewing Society—Samuel Stone, the well-known seedman, has just received a large consignment of the finest clover, timothy, and all other kinds of field and garden seeds, clover food and ground oil cake, which he is selling at prices to suit the trade. Also his best quality of window shades at 50c per 100. About one hundred pairs left. They are going to be sold at a low price, and will be cleared out as soon as possible. The shades are cheaper than cotton. Call and get some before they all go. The cheapest house under the sun.

The Huron and Bruce Loan and Investment Company, which has been organized, have the best possible security for their money, and will lend according to amount and duration of deposit. Farmers having surplus cash, and desiring to invest on farm property, depositors have a first lien in all the company's assets. Rate of interest paid, from 4 to 6 per cent, according to amount and duration of deposit. Farmers having surplus cash, and desiring to invest on farm property, depositors have a first lien in all the company's assets. Rate of interest paid, from 4 to 6 per cent, according to amount and duration of deposit. Farmers having surplus cash, and desiring to invest on farm property, depositors have a first lien in all the company's assets. Rate of interest paid, from 4 to 6 per cent, according to amount and duration of deposit.

The town council will meet this Friday evening.
 Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Russell returned to their northern home on Monday.
 Mr. John A. Cox, of Chicago, is spending his vacation under the parental roof.
 Mr. J. D. Swanson, of Toronto, paid a flying visit to town during the past week.
 The town council will meet for the transaction of business next Friday evening.

Messrs. S. Cowan and Wilson, of Bright, were the guests of Mr. H. Smith the past week.
 C. F. Stranbell is attending the annual meeting of the Provincial Provident Association at St. Thomas.
 The Grand Trunk elevator is now empty, the last car load of its contents having been shipped some ten days since.

Mr. Carroll Chilton, son of the U. S. Consul at this port, was seriously ill in New York last week, but is now steadily improving.
 Mr. Polley left on Wednesday morning for Uncle Sam's dominions with a fine load of horses which he had purchased at Lockwood.
 Miss Wallace, of our town, has secured a leading position in the military line in Blyth, and is now in Toronto in the interest of the firm.

Mr. McDonough will be in Goderich for consultation on Saturday, the 7th of April, and afterwards on the first Saturday of every month.
 Dr. N. Washington, the specialist, who adv. appears in another column, will be at the Albion Hotel to meet his patients on Monday, March 19th.

FARMERS' INSTITUTE.—The second meeting of the West-Huron Farmers' Institute will be held in Duncannon on Friday and Saturday next week, March 11 and 12.
 Mr. Nicholas Austin and three daughters left for Casselton, Dak. Monday last. Mr. Austin and son will follow on Tuesday next, and take a cargo of horses with them.
 Dr. M. Nicholson, the West street dentist, makes the preparation of the general teeth a specialty. Gas administered from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. for the painless extraction of teeth.
 Capt. Robertson, of the steamer United Empire, Serms, and bride, stopped at the Walker house, Toronto, Friday and Saturday, on their way home, after their wedding trip to Montreal.
 The Spring Chancery Sittings for the county of Huron, will be held at Goderich on March 28th, by Mr. Justice Robertson; and the Queen's Bench and Common Pleas Court on Monday, April 30th, by Mr. Justice McMahon.

Mr Geo. Dolman, of Lambton county, who resided in Goderich away back in 1840, is visiting old acquaintances, and the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Pascoe. He is a Grit of the old school.

THOROUGHBRED STOCK SALE.—The third annual sale of Hoinstein cattle will be held by the Wytton Stock Breeder's Association at the Western Hotel, London on March 30th, at 1 o'clock.

Messrs. Halls and Belcher and Miss Wilkinson and Graham, of North street Methodist choir, with Miss Trueman accompanist, will give a church concert at Elmville this (Friday) evening.
 Frank Patterson, the newly-appointed bailiff for No. 8, Division Court, was in town Wednesday last depositing his papers with the Clerk of the Peace. He thinks Mr. Lewis, the youngest man for his age he ever saw.

The annual missionary services in connection with the Victoria at Methodist church, will be held next Sabbath, March 11th. The Rev. J. B. Howell, M. A., of Seaford, chairman of the Goderich Society, will preside at the morning and evening.
 Miss Addie Holmes, of Toronto, who has been the guest of Mrs. F. J. Pridman for the past week, left for home on Wednesday. It is said that a well-known Dakotian, who is at present visiting friends in this section, has secured for a new crop of hand-band in this connection.

A Southern Manitoba paper publishes this advertisement:—"Wanted, a wife: Canadian born; having good qualities; a good home can be obtained by one fitted to the usual routine of life; a salary of \$100 per month, plus a prospect of success in soul saving. Everybody is invited to be present. Meetings sharp at half-past seven every evening."

Messrs J. R. and Simon Grant, of Brussels, were in town Monday, last, on a visit to Mrs. Grant, their mother, who is lying ill at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Henry Spence. Mrs. Robert Dickson, another daughter, and Mrs. J. R. Grant, daughter-in-law, also arrived during the week from Brussels, to attend the bedside of the invalid.
 The old lady is her 86th year, and her memory is quite clear.

Mr. O'Connell, who has received from the publishers, Messrs. S. R. G. Penson & Co., Toronto, one of their new Commercial and Railway Maps of the Province of Ontario. It contains all railroads and stations, post offices telegraph stations, lake ports, rivers, canals, and light houses. It is a very complete and useful work, and is well worth a purchase. Price \$3.

A RICH FIND.—The goods of Donald Rutherford, an insolvent dry goods merchant, of Belfast, Ont., were last week seized by the sheriff while passing through Sarnia on the January elevator, and taken to the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Henry Spence. What as first appeared to be a lot of cheap bedding and household goods, proved on closer examination to be well stored with silks, satins, jewelry, etc., to the value of about \$400.
 A delinquent lay subscriber of the Picton Times recently sent in her money accompanied by the following note:—"Enclosed is three dollars for the Times since April '85 which should have been paid long ago. Of course newspaper men are sort of good natured, spiritual beings, that can live on air. They are much abused people who do not require money, and I do not know that a publisher who will allow a subscriber to take a paper three years without paying deserves any money."

THE SALT INDUSTRY.—L. Rightmeyer, of Kincardine, was in town one day last week, and called a meeting of the Goderich salt manufacturers with a view of holding a general meeting of all the manufacturers of Ontario, to discuss their views upon reciprocity. Mr. Rightmeyer has spent the last two sessions of parliament in Ottawa, trying to secure justice for salt men, and has met with no success. The salt men are apparently unanimous upon the question of free trade in salt, which undoubtedly would be a very great benefit to them.

LOOK AFTER IT IN TIME.—The assessors are on their rounds, and as they leave a schedule showing the amount of which property is assessed with every ratepayer, the sheet should be examined carefully and if the owner considers himself over-assessed the objection should be entered on the back, and the paper filed with the town clerk, when the appeal will be dealt with by the court of revision. Every year, especially election time, there is a good deal of grumbl-

ing of unfair valuation of property, but the fault lies with the ratepayer himself in not seeing to it in time. The assessors perform their work as well as they can, but as men's opinions will differ on valuations there is always likely to be some "little matters" that require correction. It is the ratepayer's neglect his duty then don't blame either the assessors or the council.

APPOINTMENTS FOR THE SEASON.—The appointments for the Northwest Transportation Company boats for the season are as follows: United Empire—Capt. E. Robertson; engineer, James Brown; purser, G. R. King; steward, M. C. Cooney. Ontario—Captain, L. Morrison; engineer, James Davidson; purser, E. R. Marshall; steward, Alex. Kidd. The only change, it will be noted, is in the stewardship of the United Empire, which of that excellent journal. We venture the assertion that every afternoon, but especially on Saturday, there is more value represented in the horse-boat owned by citizens to be seen on our streets than can be found in any other place in the county. There are a couple of teams owned here that it would be hard to come to, while the single drivers of value are, as sale bills say, "too numerous to mention."

THE COLDEST YEAR.—The winter of 1886, three years ago, was the coldest known in this section since 1842-3. In the middle of January to the 20th of February the temperature was below zero on 16 mornings, the lowest being 24 below. There was but one thaw during that period—on the 18th of February, lasting about thirty-six hours, followed by a temperature of 15 below zero on the morning of the 17th. March was also a cold month, the temperature going to 10 below zero on the 17th, 5 below on the 19th, 6 below on the 20th, 10 below on the 21st, 4 below on the 22nd, and to zero on the 23rd. April temperature of the same year averaged below freezing at 7 o'clock in the morning until the 13th.

STATISTICAL REGISTRATION.—The registration of births and deaths in municipalities is much neglected and open to punishment. The Registrar General has issued instructions to assessors for this year to make inquiry regarding births or deaths in the family of the party being assessed and if any have not been registered, to record such on his roll. The division registrar, Mr. Wm. Campbell, has also been instructed to carefully examine the rolls upon their return, to see if there are any births or deaths marked as not having been registered. Should the clerk find any, he is immediately to notify the parties who are required to make the registrations to do so without delay, and in case of their neglect or refusal, to proceed against them in accordance with sec. 28 of the Registration Act.

AN EPIC POEM FROM FINLAND.—The Kalevala, the great national epic poem of the Finlanders, which Max Muller in his lectures on the science of language places by the side of the Iliad of Homer, is now for the first time, in complete form, translated into English, the translator being Dr. J. M. Crawford, of Cincinnati. It is shortly to be published in two octavo volumes, the poem being great in magnitude (nearly 50,000 lines) as well as in character. Apart from the literary merit of the poem, which is pronounced by all critics to be extraordinary, it has a curious fascination for American students of poetry, because it is seen, as in a mirror, the inspiration which enabled Longfellow to produce the famous Indian Edda, "Hiawatha." Indeed, because of the close resemblance in many points, Longfellow was, by some critics, upon the appearance of Hiawatha, charged with plagiarism, though his friends claim that he made no more than legitimate use of the literary material which the study of the language and mythology of the Finns gave him. The present edition will for the first time give curious readers the opportunity of personal investigation, and should the "points of similarity" attend as greatly as to comprehend "popularity," also, the translator will be able to reap a small fortune. It is to be published by John B. Alden, New York and Chicago.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS BOARD.—The monthly meeting of school board was held on Monday evening, the chairman, Mr. Malcomson, presiding. Members present, Messrs Wm. Johnson, H. W. Ball, C. Crab, G. Swanson. Minutes of previous meeting read and confirmed. The principal's report showing an average attendance of 283 boys and 218 girls, was received and filed. The principal reported that the use of the literary material which the study of the language and mythology of the Finns gave him. The present edition will for the first time give curious readers the opportunity of personal investigation, and should the "points of similarity" attend as greatly as to comprehend "popularity," also, the translator will be able to reap a small fortune. It is to be published by John B. Alden, New York and Chicago.

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On motion it was unanimously adopted that the inspector's report be accepted as final. The secretary read the auditor's report on school receipts and expenditures for 1887 as follows:—Receipts—Municipal grant, \$4,085.30; provincial grant, \$445.00; model school, \$150; legislative grant, model school, \$150.00; county rebate, 1885-86, \$73.29; pupils fees, \$1.00; sale of models, \$8.50—\$5,103.09. Expenditures—Teachers, \$3,799.02; inspectors, secretary and treasurer, \$190.99; caretaker, \$305.92; fuel, \$154.09; repairs, \$196.55; stationery, and maps, \$67.43; printing and advertising, \$51.91; painting, \$54.84; insurance, \$321.70; hardware, \$17.50; telegrams and postage, \$3.31—\$5,519.17.

PROVISION FOR PRINTERS.—The Fenelon Falls Gazette says: A bill has been introduced into the Ontario assembly at the instance of country job printers, providing that all persons or agents not resident within the county, city or corporation town, who hold orders for printing to be effected wholly within the county, or any person not a printer or publisher who holds such orders shall be required to take out a hawkers or peddler's license. If the bill becomes law, which is considered likely, it might do some little good, provided it would be enforced; but it is really wanted is a law empowering the proprietor of a village printing office to appoint the first representative or other official who proposes to send out of the corporation work required by the corporation, in the hope of getting it done at less than fairly remunerative prices. But the greatest want of all amongst Canadian printers is a little common sense that they appear to possess. They contend as strongly of two months that we saw in a magazine many years ago. The animals were confined in a large cage, divided in the middle by a partition, and when feeding time came the keeper hung a tin containing some kind of soft food in front of each division of the cage. But, unfortunately, he hung them too near together, only a few inches on either side of the partition; and the moment the greedy but exceedingly stupid monkeys perceived this, one of them thrust his arm over the bars, and with much shrieking and grinning, managed to reach his neighbor's tin and steal his supper, instead of both quietly enjoying what had been set before them. It was a highly diverting spectacle to all who witnessed it; but it was bad policy on the part of the monkey, as in the struggle for possession about half the pap, or whatever it was, got lost. There is a moral to this monkey tale, as intimated above; and if our fellow printers will lay it to heart we shall not have written in vain.

SAILED.
 Mrs Edmund Andrew, 12th con, has been seriously ill, but we are glad to hear she is now recovering.
 The pupils of S. S. No. 5, have obtained a first-class foot ball, which will considerably add to their sports.
 Tenders will be received by the trustees of S. S. No. 5, Ashfield up to 4 p.m. next Friday for the purpose of erecting a bellry.
 The average attendance of pupils of S. S. No. 5, for the month of February was 40.
 Mrs Smith of the 12th con. of West Wawanosh has gone to visit friends in Dakoto.

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HELEN LAFONE OR THE FOES OF A HOUSEHOLD. A TALE OF ENGLISH LIFE.

CHAPTER XIV.

Alice was more angry with Helen than she could say; she had seen with her own eyes...

It was a train in half an hour. Stevenson, you will come with me. All knew instinctively to whom there was a train...

following the railway accident. Often when he was busy with some indifferent employment...

The words seemed almost forced from her by a sense of justice and sympathy. Percival said little...

A Practical Method. An exchange gives the following practical method for reducing bones...

When he had finished breakfast he went out of doors. It was a lovely autumn morning...

Percival just caught his train. People at the station looked at him curiously...

After that people began to call. First came the vicar, a man with whom Percival had never had much to do...

The change in Percival was startling. He went about his business as usual, and those about him...

Depend Upon It. Accidents will happen despite all care and painful injuries such as Sprains, Bruises, Cuts and Burns result...

"I do not think Alice has a very fine instinct in these matters," he thought. "A bit of jewellery is sure to please her...

"Helen has been drowned," Helen had said to him. "Helen has been drowned!" he heard him say...

"I have had catarrh for twenty years, and used all kinds of remedies without relief. Mr. Smith, druggist, of Little Falls, recommended Ely's Cream Balm...

A Profound Reflection. "Grandpa," inquired Johnny Bliss, "must everybody die?"

ELLY'S CREAM BALM CATARRH. You will save Money. Time. Pain. Trouble. And will cure CATARRH of the Eye.

To Save Life. Frequently requiring prompt action. An hour's delay waiting for the doctor may be attended with serious consequences...

J. WILSON'S. Prescription Drug Store. DR. HODDER'S BURDOCK AND SASSAPARILLA COMPOUND. CURES Liver Complaint, Biliousness, Sick Headache, etc.

DR. HODDER'S COUGH AND LUNG CURE. Sold everywhere. Price, 25 cts. and 50 cts. per bottle.

NASAL BALM. SOOTHING, GLEANSING, HEALING. COLD IN THE HEAD. CATARRH. EASY TO USE.

The Canadian Pacific Railway. The People's Favorite Route between MONTREAL - TORONTO, OTTAWA, QUEBEC, KINGSTON, BOSTON, DETROIT, CHICAGO, ST. LOUIS, KANSAS CITY, AND ALL PORTS EAST AND WEST.

R. RADCLIFFE. OFFICE - West Street, Opposite Telegraph Office. Don't Forget the Place. 2505. RICHLY Rewarded are those who read this...

SOUTHERN SOME CONFERENCE WHO ARE An Article on the Same Subject Cumulative Congressmen furnished the 2 on the Confederal which is more attention to the '61' have taken that time, and places of those prominent as in present veteran time is apparent of 141 veterans or two became twenty or more GEN. OATE COL. CANDLER GEN. WHEELER. the balance I believe that therefore, who must ex-officio who represent the close of this today, for the 1855 then in old men or in camping ground states are in from the one instance Kansas is a sort of the United ridge. Of this thirty-one or eighty-three I began also visit Mississippi, Davis, and on the southern ment, may be distinguished from northern station of ex-sold southern state veterans out New York, Pennsylvania, nine fourteen out of thirteen strongest supply the war, sent twenty repres Of Congress in the service were Alabama, has a major general and a d Alabama brigadiers, as state are numbered v is a son of J representative of the C man in the C scried as a C Of the two youngest in up man's march is one of the men. Crisp and Candler rose front private army) The border eleven C Confederates Union army participated with Polk I. Gen. Washington another Conf. governor of I senator. Of the service of the Conf. much divide war, sends ex-Confederate Gen. Washington brigadier. The West Vt divided. A son of G of Virginia rendered with He was a Hi broke out, an ple of his sta a son of Gove bellum prom Virginiana w out of ten of were soldiers of the surge manded the valley of the bee Green in Gen. Joe Job Mississippi federate serv as arm at a graduate: He was a Thomas C. throughout a title of gener general ex-sissippians with scenery with ferocious war gation were a colon W. H. C. and was by bears the ma Maj. McClan

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for Pitcher's Castoria...

ILSON'S... Cures...

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DER'S... Cures...

ODDER'S... AND LUNG CORE...

BALM... SOOTHING, CLEANSING, HEALING...

IAN PACIFIC RAILWAY... Favorite Route...

ADCLIFFE... Agent...

...and we will find honorable employment...

SOUTHERN VETERANS.

SOME "CONFEDERATE BRIGADIERS" WHO ARE CONGRESSMEN.

An Article Suggested by the Very Interesting and Suggestive Letter Upon the Same Subject by Congressman Amos Cummings—Some Portraits of Them.

Congressman Amos Cummings recently furnished The New York Sun a chapter on the Confederate brigadiers in congress, which is interesting, especially in calling attention to the fact that the "boys of '61" have taken the places of the men of that time, and are now largely filling the places of those who thirty years ago were prominent as legislators.



GEN. OATES. COL. M'CREARY. COL. CANTLER. GEN. FORTNEY. COL. COVILEX. GEN. WHEELER. CAPT. WISE. COL. DAVIDSON.

The balance ranked either as captains or below that grade. The term brigadier, therefore, which was applied to prominent ex-officers of the Confederate army who represented their states soon after the close of the war, would hardly apply today, for those who were generals in 1865, then in middle life, are now either old men or have passed to the "eternal camping ground."

Mississippi, the home of Jefferson Davis, and one of the most aggressive of the southern states in the secession movement, may be expected to send her soldiers to congress. She fulfills the expectation. The seven members for Mississippi are Confederate veterans. South Carolina, where the war began, stands in this respect, nearly by Mississippi, five of the seven of the representatives of the Palmetto state being graduates of the school of practical war.

Alabama, the highest rank. He was a major general in the Confederate service and a distinguished cavalry leader. Alabama sends a good number of real brigadiers, as Oates and Foyne of that state are entitled to be called general.

The border states show a mixture. Of the eleven Kentucky members three are Confederates and one a surgeon in the Union army. Gen. William J. Stone, a member of the Arkansas delegation, is a son of John C. Breckinridge, a midshipman in the Confederate navy.

A son of Gen. Robert E. Lee represents old Virginia—W. H. F. Lee. He surrendered with his father at Appomattox. He was a Harvard student when the war broke out, and went south to join the people of his state.

Mississippi, as has been stated, has no representative who was not in the Confederate service. Charles E. Hooker lost an arm at the siege of Vicksburg. He is a graduate of the Harvard law school. He was a cavalry man. Then comes Thomas C. Catchings, who served throughout the war, but who gets his title of general from having been attorney general of his state.

Two-thirds of the North Carolina delegation were army men. Among them are a colonel and two majors. Col. W. H. E. Cowley served in Lee's army and was twice severely wounded, and bears the mark of a bullet in his head. Maj. McClammy surrendered with Lee.

Maj. Latham is a graduate of the Harvard law school.

He surrendered at Appomattox. Rowland was captured at Spotsylvania Court House and was imprisoned in Fort Delaware for a year. Johnson still suffers from wounds received at Malvern Hill.

Of the five representatives of South Carolina the most prominent is Lieut. Samuel Dibble, chairman of the committee on public buildings and grounds. Colman was severely wounded at Charlestonville, second Bull Run and Gettysburg, and finally gave it up at Appomattox. He is a good lawyer and one of the best speakers in the house.

The proportion of war men from Texas is eight in eleven. Among them is a colonel, David B. Culbertson, who is chairman of the committee on judiciary. Samuel W. T. Lanham enlisted when a boy in a South Carolina regiment and served through the war. He is now chairman of the committee on claims.

There is a major, William H. Martin, who is as quaint as Davy Crockett. He has been accused of blowing out the gas, of trying to pull out the buttons of electric belts and of setting his watch by dials in horse cars. These accusations are, however, doubtless brought in the spirit of chaff.

During the war Martin met a fellow representative, John H. Moffet, of New York state at Genesee Mill. Martin's regiment was driven back, and Martin was left on the field badly wounded. The two were frequently fight the battle over again, but with words for weapons.

It is related that when Gen. Hood's daughter visited Washington recently Martin called upon them and took them to the White House, where they were kindly received, and much to the wurtler's delight, Mrs. Cleveland returned the visit.

A Republican representative from New York, who had served in the army of the Potomac, in speaking of those southern soldier representatives, said: "They are more intelligent and better men than all the judges ever sent to congress. They have taken the place of the older men, and I wish we had more of them here. Most of them were very young when the political events which brought on the war were exciting the attention of the country."

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Bought but One Volume

I happened in a Dakota settler's house one day while we were waiting for something and noticed the first volume of "Johnson's Cyclopaedia" on the shelf, each volume of which work being about the size of one of the unabridged dictionaries and very closely printed. I casually suggested that it was a good thing to have in the house, or words to that effect.

"Yes," he replied, "it's handy. I only got the first book."

"How does it happen you haven't the others?"

"Why, you see, I got it of an agent when I was livin' down in Iowa, an' 'bout six months after round he comes again 'n' knocked at the door, an' I opened it an' he says: 'Mister, here's the second book of your cyclopaedia. 'Git out,' says I; 'I ain't got the first one read yet' and I made him go, too. W'y, jes' think of it, that was eight or ten years ago, an' I ain't more'n two-thirds through this now, an' my wife is jes' jes' a-steady started on the 'B's'! It took a pile o' brains to make it, but for all that I don't mind sayin' that it's got its dry streaks 'er like other books."

One Good Point

Out of the many prepared by Burdock Blood Bitters is that it may be taken at all seasons of the year, and by either young or old. In this way the three busy B's are always at work and doing good.

A Dozen Facts Worth Knowing.

The sure preventive for cholera is cleanliness. Bathrooms should not open into sleeping apartments. Antique oak or cherry is the favorite wood for bedroom sets.

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Comfort for the Little Ones

The increased prevalence for a few days among infants of the most careful mothers, of distressing restlessness at night and but short naps daytimes, sometimes accompanied when teething, with a skin disease resembling eczema, or a serious diarrhoea, even in winter, of the cholera infantum order, which we know begins in the brain, has brought two physicians (would that it were two thousand) to be published everywhere to put a stop to this torture of the innocents. And this it is: The popular wool and particularly the knit wool skirts. The trouble is often indicated by an inclination to crawl up with both feet and head bent forward, a sure evidence of irritated nerves having affected the brain. An ease of a child too young or feeble for these movements, by a persistent lying upon the back—the pressure thus gained affording relief to the nervous system—may be a warning of the onset of the disease. However soft these little garments may feel to our toughened hands and faces, the hair-shirt worn for penance could not have been a greater torture than the coming frantic, but surely injuring the brain by heating the back of the head. However soft these little garments may feel to our toughened hands and faces, the hair-shirt worn for penance could not have been a greater torture than the coming frantic, but surely injuring the brain by heating the back of the head.

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Well Spoken Of.

"I can recommend Haysard's Yellow Oil very highly, it cured me of rheumatism in my fingers when I could not bend them." Ida Plank, Strathroy, Ont. A medicine for external and internal use in all painful complaints.

An Old-Time Corn-Shucking.

Athens (Ga.) Banner: Corn-shucking time in the South during slavery days was looked forward to by the farmer and his family as one of the big events of the year, and when the runner came around to invite all hands to a corn-shucking at John Smith's, or Bill Smith's, or Bill Jones, it was looked forward to by all who had been invited the same way as we look forward to the coming of a circus. The negroes from different plantations within five miles of John Smith's would start to the corn-shucking soon after they had done their day's work and housed their stock. The leader, who was generally the largest man in the crowd, would start up a song, answered by all in his party, and would be heard for miles around. They would meet at the corn-pile, and the one that could halloo the loudest was elected the captain, and would walk the corn-pile and give out a song until the last ear was shucked. After the shucks had been put in a pen the owner of the corn-pile was carried around the house on the shoulders of several stalwart negroes, all hallooing at the same time, and carried in and put at the head of the table, and waited on by those who carried him on their shoulders. It was a happy time, and the jig of old corn-juice played a prominent part in the shucking, but it has all passed away, and the farmer who gets his corn-shucked now has to pay well for it.

"More Trouble May Be Expected."

If you do not heed the warnings of nature and at once pay attention to the maintenance of your health. How often we purchase a medicine which if procured at the outset of a disease would have remedied it almost immediately. Now if Johnson's Tonic Liver Pills had been taken before the illness would have been "altered in the bud." Johnson's Tonic Liver Pills are decidedly the best medicine on the market for general tonic and invigorating properties. Pills 25c per bottle. Bitters 50c per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Goode the druggist, Albion block, sole agent.

A Protest Threatened.

A story is told of Wash. Connor, Jay Gould's old partner in the stock brokerage business, who is well-known in Chicago, which illustrates the proclivity of the Wall street man to play pranks in solemn places. Connor, during a sojourn in London, presented a Bank of England note—which, like our own note, is a promise to pay—which he took to the bank for redemption in gold. The bank's custom on these occasions is to require the person presenting the note to endorse it. "Endorse it!" said Connor, when the rule was read to him, "I don't know about that. I'm a little careful what I endorse. This is a note of hard."

Don't Speculate.

Run no risk in buying medicine, but try the great Kidney and Liver remedy made by Dr. Chase, author of Chase's recipes. Try Chase's Liver Cure for all diseases of the Liver, Kidneys, Stomach and Bowels. Sold by all druggists.

Alghan Names.

Some one who has been delving deep into Afghan geographical names figures out that the hard words telegraphed over have definite meanings more or less descriptive of the places to which they apply. "Abu" for instance means father, and "munj" or "munj" means fire, making Pounjau refer to the five great rivers that traverse northern Hindustan. Then there is "abad" which always denotes a city, and "deh" which indicates a village. Besides these general terms are such names as "panj" five, and "char" four. Panjeh, by this key, is simply a name for a collection of five villages.

Dangerous Counterfeits.

Counterfeits are always dangerous, more so that they always closely imitate the original in appearance and name. The remarkable success achieved by Nasal Balm as a positive cure for Catarrh and Cold in the Head has induced unprincipled parties to imitate it. The public are cautioned not to be deceived by nostrums imitating Nasal Balm in name and appearance, bearing such names as Nasal Ointment, Nasal Balsam, etc. Ask for Nasal Balm and do not take imitation names by any one you see. For sale by all druggists or sent post-paid on receipt of price (50c and \$1) by addressing Fulford & Co., Brockville, Ont.

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Books are useful to add to our knowledge, but practical experience teaches us that the best remedy for all diseases of the Stomach, Liver, and Bowels is easily to be had and is called B.B.B.

Comfortable wraps are the rule this season.

The New York state senate has been investigating the trusts of late and many titles have taken place between counsel and witnesses. We give you of the examination of the witness Parsons by Col. P.S.

Want of Sleep

Is sending thousands annually to the insane asylum, and the doctors say this is due to the alarming increase of the disease. The usual remedies, while they may give temporary relief, are likely to do more harm than good. What is needed is an Alterative and Blood-purifier. Ayer's Sarsaparilla is incomparably the best. It corrects those disturbances in the circulation which cause sleeplessness, gives increased vitality, and restores the nervous system to a healthful condition.

Rev. T. G. A. Co. agent of the Mass. Home Missionary Society, writes that his stomach was out of order, his sleep very often disturbed, and some impurity of the blood manifest; but that a perfect cure was obtained by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

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Goderich, April 28, 1887.

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THE BIG M. E. CONFERENCE

IT WILL BE HELD IN NEW YORK IN MAY.

Delegates from All Parts of the World Will Clasp Hands in the Metropolis. Brief Sketches of Distinguished Methodists - Purpose of the Convention.

On the first day of May next the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church will convene in New York. Delegates from all over the world will be in attendance, and many men famous for wisdom and eloquence will be among the number.

Foremost among these will be the election of new bishops to fill the vacancies left by the deaths of Bishops Simpson, Harris and Wiley. It is probable also that several new episcopacies will be created. Some of the present bishops are advanced in years, and need assistance in their arduous labors.

At the last general conference a missionary bishop was given to Africa, but it was an innovation not likely to be repeated. He is the only missionary bishop in the Methodist Episcopal church, and does not hold the same rank as his brethren.

Dr. Charles C. McCabe, familiarly known at Chatham, on account of his having served in that capacity in the One Hundred and Twenty-second Ohio regiment during the civil war, is regarded as a sure candidate for the episcopacy.

Another man who is likely to appear prominently in the coming conference is Dr. J. M. Reid, corresponding secretary of the missionary society. He is far past the summer of his life, being nearly 65 years of age.

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In 1838 he was elected president of Geneva college, at Lima, N. Y. In 1844 he became editor of The Western Christian Advocate, and four years later was appointed editor of The Northwestern Christian Advocate.

He has been twice married. His first wife was Dr. Dashiell and Eddy. He is survived throughly by his wife, and his only child, a daughter, Mrs. M. E. Smith, minister, of Wroteret, has the honor of a charge at Luck- er he would have but one supply, instead of three as at present. Since Mr. Smith's arrival at Blyth, on Tuesday morning, Hammond had gone upstairs, a little one tied to a chair, and in absence it fell out or upset a stove, burning his face and in a serious manner.

A SUCCESSFUL CAREER.

A \$2,000,000 History of a Financial Institution.

The Huron and Bruce Loan Company is now entering upon the fourth year of its existence, and its general success since its incorporation has been such as to warrant its perfect safety to all with surplus moneys who have no ready facilities for investing their means other- wise, and who require their interest promptly at regular periods.

There has been no failure of any Loan Company formed under the General Loan Company Act. There are now 65 loan companies in Ontario having a subscribed capital of \$1,178,007, of which \$30,175,470, is paid up.

REV. EARL CRANSTON. JOHN H. VINCENT. C. C. McCABE. BISHOP TAYLOR. Rev. John H. Vincent, of Sunday school fame, is not without many supporters as a candidate for an episcopacy.

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Having had about fifteen years experience in repairing mowers and reapers, there are a few important items that I have discovered in regard to the Harris Steel Binder, which to my mind proves its superiority over all others.

1. Repairs can be furnished on shorter notice than by any other company. 2. Orders left with me at 8 a.m. can be filled by 2 p.m. from the manufacturer. This is the most important point to be considered during the busy harvest time.

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SPECIAL DRIVE IN DRESS GOODS. 1800 yds. Bought at Half their Value. Come and See Them. OVERCOATS AND LADIES' MANTLES. AT LESS THAN COST.

J. C. DETLOR & CO. Goderich, Dec. 23, 1887.

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TORONTO CASH STORE. P. O'DEA, Manager. Goderich, Dec. 16, 1887.

CARD OF THANKS THE FIRM OF YATES & ACHESON having been dissolved by mutual consent, I beg leave to thank the customers of the late firm for past favors at their hands, and to intimate that the business will hereafter be carried on by me at the old stand.

JAMES YATES, Successor to Yates & Acheson. ABRAHAM SMITH IS OFFERING SPECIAL BARGAINS IN CLOTHING.

THE BEST STOCK OF CLOTHING IN WESTERN CANADA, AT THE LOWEST PRICES. The stock must and will be sold out to make room for spring goods.

A. SMITH. THE FINEST MILLINERY! CAN BE HAD AT THE WEST STREET EMPORIUM.

A. J. WILKINSON. FLOUR! FLOUR! The new full Roller Mills at Port Albert using the LATEST & BEST MACHINERY will be running about the 28th of February.

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JERRY BALDWIN'S BROKEN NECK

It Gives Him Great Inconvenience But Does Not Cause His Death.

Jerry Baldwin, of Birmingham, Ala., has lived a year with a broken neck, and although he does not enjoy himself "worth a cent," he has had the pleasure of confounding all the doctors, adding some new points to science and making over \$100,000 in the process. What adds to the wonder is that many other bones were broken, as well as the cervical vertebrae, and when he was picked up by the doctors said he was dying and left him to nature for several hours. As he was a very strong and healthy man, he was through, and now walks with Alexis St. Martin, the man with a side ear to his stomach.

Jerry E. Baldwin was born in New York city, in 1853, and in 1875 was yardmaster at Birmingham, Ala., for the Louisville and Nashville railroad. Before daylight of March 19 he was standing in a caboose on a side track when a runaway engine came down the track at terrific speed, and he was struck by the train to which the caboose was attached. He fell to the track and the engine and six cars ran over him, breaking his right leg in two places, his left leg and five ribs, besides maiming the cervical vertebrae of the neck and severing the joint between the sixth and seventh vertebrae. All his clothes were torn off and a very ugly hole was made in his side. He was taken home and laid on a bed to die, as the doctors said he must in a few minutes. But when at the end of six hours he was found to be breathing stronger, Drs. Guckle, Copland and Barley determined upon a series of experiments to save his life, in which they were finally successful. After assisting as many of the bones as possible they encased him wholly in a plaster of paris frame, and thus firmly strapped he lay on a rubber mattress, fed with water for four months. After that he lay two months in bed. For fourteen days he was totally blind, and for six months was occasionally conscious. Then his recovery began to be noticeable from day to day.

Dr. A. J. Faxon, of Chicago, designed for him a corset, reaching from the hips to the back of the neck, and holding his body firmly together, at the top of it a flexible bar of steel is attached, which rises above his head, and to this is wired a "jury mast," which holds his head up. The weight of the head thus rests upon the hips. The experiment of removing the neck has been tried, but the head at once sinks upon the spinal column, the neck being useless, and he relapses into a comatose condition. Nor can he be down, and the cap sleep he gets in short naps in a chair. His right arm is useless, but the left strong enough to handle a cane and do other services, and he can walk with life assistance. His wife accompanies him everywhere, and by cheerful and pleasant ways lightens greatly the burden of his life. To say that his case astounds all the doctors, is putting it mildly, as he has received the proceeds of many lectures in medical circles, and obtained \$75,000 damages from the railroad company.

WILLIAM PENN IN BRONZE.

A statue of Pennsylvania's founder to be put in Philadelphia.

A colossal statue of William Penn in bronze, to be placed on the clock tower of the new city hall of Philadelphia, is being constructed in that city. The plaster mold will be set up in a room in the Public Buildings and is now being modeled.

As the figure of the great Quaker, whom Macaulay has spoken of with contempt, but who holds the biggest place in the hearts of the inhabitants of the City of Brotherly Love, is to stand at an elevation of 500 feet, it is necessary that it be colossal, or at such a height it would look like a pigmy. Forty feet is the length from head to foot; or rather from the crown of the hat, which will weigh half a ton and is twenty-two feet around the broad Quaker brim. The artists have been obliged to cut a hole in the roof of the building to let the crown of the hat through, since the room is not high enough. The legs are twenty feet long, and weigh over a ton and a half apiece. The head will be elevated into position first, as it would be difficult to get it in place after the body is set up. The entire model, when together, though all hollow, will weigh over eleven tons. Each of the four corners of the clock tower will be adorned with a group of figures. Two are statues of two Indians and two of Swedes, representing the two peoples Penn found on his arrival in America. These figures are one-quarter the size of the central TRUNK OF PENN STATUE one. The statue will represent the great pioneer somewhat differently from the pictures and statues of him to which we are accustomed. In these he is a man past middle age. The statue represents him in early manhood. Had he been as old as usually represented he would not likely have outdone the Indians in feats of strength, as their traditions imply.

Forty feet is good height for a bronze statue. Many buildings are not over twelve feet to the story, so that if the colossal figure were set up in a street alongside of a three-story building, the crown of the hat would rise above the roof. Yet this statue, when elevated to a height of 500 feet, will probably appear to be of ordinary size. Indeed anything smaller would appear diminutive.

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None of the India silks show any elegance than the crumpled crapes which are of the same weave, but with a different effect.

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Temperance News Selected by Members of the Order.

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AN EXPERT'S OPINION. "In the presence of alcohol there can be no true nervous action going on. There may be a certain wild pleasure about the first stage, but beyond that there can be nothing more."—Dr. Richardson.

TEMPERANCE IN THE CHURCHES. The recent progress of the temperance cause among the church workers is very marked and encouraging. The able letters from Rev. W. J. Taylor, of Wardsville, which appeared in the Toronto Mail some time ago, discussing the Bible wine question were doubtless productive of very much good. In the city of London, in connection with Christ Church, there is a thoroughgoing Total Abstinence Society, Rev. Canon Smith being president, and in the city of Hamilton, as most of our readers are aware, Rev. Canon McKridg, D. D., presides over a similar organization which has achieved great success. Such signs of the times are cheering. The Church of God must be thoroughly aroused to the evils of intemperance, and the right method of removing them before we can hope to see our principles triumphant.

WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH THE BEER? The North-Western Life Insurance Company, which has its headquarters in Milwaukee, announces that it will not issue a policy to any member or employee of any brewing company. This stand taken by shrewd business men in the interests of their business does not seem to harmonize very well with the advertisement of the Milwaukee brewers, who declare their beer to be "non-intoxicating, healthful, refreshing and invigorating, conducive to health, prosperity and happiness, and beneficial alike for old and young, male and female."

DRINK'S DREAD DOINGS DENOUNCED. The Catholic Temperance Advocate, organ of the Catholic Total Abstinence Society of the United States, comments forcibly upon a recent drink-death, in the following terms:—"Some days ago at Louisville, Ky., Mrs. Anna Weber, of that city, was found dead in a sitting posture, on a stump on the North side of the National park. She had wandered from home the previous evening in a state of intoxication, and having lost her way, succumbed to the damnable poison that has caused more ruin and desolation than all the wars that ever devastated the earth's surface.

Such is the horrible news which was flashed over the wires, adding another to the countless indictments that are daily, nay hourly, recorded before God's tribunal against those who traffic in that which rebels God of the souls redeemed by the blood of His divine Son. The unfortunate woman whose life was sacrificed to the demon of drink, was the mother of eleven children, and her husband, the account assures us was both sober and industrious.

What a lesson is herein contained for him who is a constant patron of these "Roads to Hell," and what a fruitful source of reflection for him who calls himself a moderate drinker and who sneers at those who are engaged in the glorious work of endeavoring to "stamp out" the only obstacle to worldly happiness, and the most dangerous foe of men's eternal salvation. The world's civilization may yet be compelled to adopt heroic measures to protect itself against the ravages of this deadly foe. The saloon keeper is a pirate who preys upon the peace and happiness of his brother. He respects neither age, sex or condition in life, and revels in fiendish glees over the misery he creates. He is the enemy of society, the destroyer of homes, the patron of evil, the open and defiant foe of law and order, and the most powerful agent of the Devil in dragging souls to hell. Stan' p him out.

A GOOD NAME FOR IT.

Barbarians sometimes have a candor in their methods of expression which might well be emulated by more civilized people. We do not up our vilest liquors, call them by some fancy names, profess for them some special medicinal virtue, and gull the public into swallowing very bad whiskey adulterated with strychnine and other deadly drugs under the belief that they are taking some wonderfully wholesome "bitters." How different this is from the outspokenness of the savages referred to in the following extract from the London Daily News:—"The Rev. Horace Walker, formerly associated with Dr. Livingston in Africa, can travel, is responsible for some startling statements regarding the trade in intoxicating liquor in Africa. This liquor, he says, is now chiefly exported to Africa from Bremen and Hamburg, but it is largely carried in English ships. It is a poisonous distillation from the potato, the cost of which does not exceed 2s. 4d. a dozen, bottles. The chemists agree, Mr. Walker says, that there is more poisonous fatal oil in it than in any other known spirit. The natives have christened this spirit with the appropriate name of "Death."

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A couple of boys named Sleep and Smith, who have been employed at the five mi. C. I. ton, decided last week that they would emigrate without either the consent of their employer or parents, and they "left by the light of the moon," for the States.

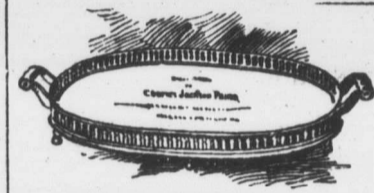
HANDSOME SOUVENIRS.

Lately Presented Mr. Burgess and Gen. Falne, of the Volunteer.

When after the international contest in 1881, in which the yacht America won the cup, London Punch came out with a cartoon representing John Bull and Brother Jonathan as boys selling toy ships—Jonathan smiling, John looking on with wonder—the editor probably has no respect that the cup then taken would remain in America for at least thirty seven years.



MR. BURGESS' SOUVENIR. Years. But the cup has never been taken away, notwithstanding several well prepared attempts to take it. Indirectly this may be attributed to Jonathan's skill in yacht building; directly the national pride is indebted to two individuals, Gen. Falne and Mr. Burgess; to Gen. Falne for building yachts to hold the cup and to Mr. Burgess for designing the yachts.

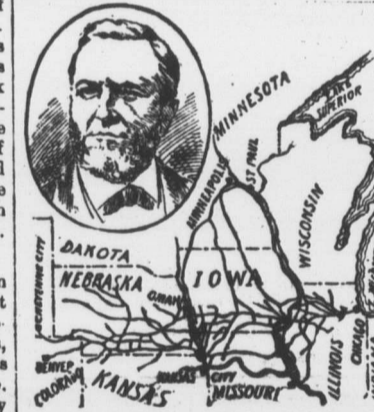


GEN. FALNE'S SOUVENIR. A testimonial has recently been presented to each of these gentlemen by the Eastern Yacht club and others who have contributed. The one given Gen. Falne is a silver water or oval shaped, 26 inches by 18, with two silver handles, and supported by six large tall feet two inches high. It bears an inscription "In commemoration of the three successive victories in defense of the America's cup." It cost \$1,100 and weighs 975 ounces.

The gift to Mr. Burgess is what is called a loving cup. It is urn shaped, something after the form of a Greek vase, with two handles. It was made in England in 1748. It is seventeen inches high, and is made of English sterling silver, and weighs, with the tray, fifty ounces. The inscription reads "To Mr. Burgess, designer of the yachts Puritan, Mayflower and Volunteer." It is valued at \$800. Accompanying this gift was a check for \$10,777.50.

THE STRIKE ON "THE Q."

Some Interesting Facts as to the Road and the Locomotive Brotherhood Recalled. The Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad company, whose engineers and firemen have just struck, is a great corporation, running, with its main and leased lines, from Chicago to Denver, and embracing many miles of branch lines, but the Locomotive brotherhoods are powerful organizations—unions reputed to never order a strike till all other means of settlement are exhausted—and so the struggle promises to be a long one.



CHIEF ARTHUR—C. B. AND Q. LINES.

So powerful, in fact, are the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and that of Locomotive Firemen, that a general strike of the two would simply paralyze the traffic of the nation and bankrupt thousands of people. On the 138,000 miles of railroad in the United States there are now about 30,000 engineers and as many firemen; of these the brotherhoods contain at least 21,000 each, or 45,000 in all. The high average character of the members of these great unions may be appreciated from the fact that expulsions and suspensions are very rare, and nearly all for intoxication, failure to pay just debts, or gross neglect of duty. At least four-fifths, and probably more, of the engineers began as firemen; and in no instance of the former having trouble have the firemen offered to take their places. Chief Engineer P. M. Arthur, chief officer of the brotherhood, has held the place twelve years and has always been considered conservative.

The weak point in the engineers' case is that they are not fully supported by the Knights of Labor. The latter have a grievance over the action of the engineers in the Missouri Pacific strike two years ago. There is also feeling between the two organizations because of complications arising from the recent Reading strike in Pennsylvania. The C. B. and Q. road employs 1,000 engineers—its vast network of rail is indicated by the map here given.

Architecture is akin deep in Buffalo, said a level headed citizen who lives in a stone house. "That's why you have such terrible fires. Stevenson writes of 'that chess-board' in English cities! What would be any of the prevailing plan in this city of putting a bronze veneer on the flimsiest kind of woodwork to give an appearance of solidity? You needn't be surprised that some of your big buildings burn down. Wonder rather that they stand up till they get afixe."—Buffalo News.

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FROM THE CAPITAL. Latest Political and General News from Ottawa.

Parliamentary Reciprocity is the new Liberal Policy. The Estimates—Some Things We Pay For—The Week in the House—Minor Notes.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT. OTTAWA, March 6, 1888.

The features of the House for the past week have been over the dismission of Sir Richard Cartwright's Unrestricted Reciprocity resolution, and the Estimates which were for the first time in the history of the House were presented before the Budget speech was made.

By far the most important political event since the resignation of Mr. Blake, is the decision of the Liberal party to adopt Unrestricted Reciprocity as a policy. The conclusion was reached at the Liberal caucus and next day Sir Richard Cartwright put a notice of motion on the paper.

THE ESTIMATES. The total estimated expenditure is \$44,186,316 of which \$23,353,000 is controllable expenditure. The largest item is \$11,870,000 interest on the public debt, an increase of \$203,302. It costs over \$185,000 to manage the debt annually.

SOME THINGS WE PAY FOR. There are some interesting items among all Government expenditures. The Speaker gets \$4,000. Seasonal clerks draw \$7,500. It takes \$12,000 to pay for the stationary used annually by Parliament.

He ridicules what he terms the "military plinks" of the city regiments, which he thinks should have paid Adjutants, and go into regular camps like the country corps. It is proposed to hold the farewell banquet to Lansdowne at the Senate chamber, when His Excellency will deliver a big speech.

THE EDITOR'S TABLE. A Word or Two About New Publications That Have Come to Hand. LITTLE'S LIVING AGE.—The numbers of The Living Age for February 25th and March 3rd contain Darwin's Life and Letters, and Cabot's Life of Emerson.

NOT A CUSTOMER OF VICK'S.—That's not a word, I want you to understand, that I don't grow sunflowers. That's a lie, and it's more like a Dalia than a Sunflower. Such were the words of an indignant woman when told she had a splendid specimen of Double Dwarf sunflower, growing in her garden.

KNOWLEDGE FOR THE MILLIONS.—The fourth volume of Allen's Manual Cyclopaedia of Bible Illustrations, 637 pages, large type, handsome cloth binding, for 50 cents, or in elegant half Morocco binding 65 cents.

TEMPERANCE.—A meeting for the purpose of organizing the friends of the Scott St. will be held in the Presbyterian church here, on Wednesday, March 21st. Let there be a good turnout.

FOR SALE.—HOUSE AND LOT OF ONE ACRE in the township of Ashfield, containing 100 acres, and one in East Wauwassee, containing 100 acres.

DISMISSAL OF PARTNERSHIP.—The partnership heretofore carried on by the undersigned as Bookbinders and Stationers at the town of Goderich, under the style of Fraser, Porter & Kay, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

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The People's Column. LOST—ON WEDNESDAY, FEB. 29, a long-tailed collie dog, large size, white face, body light brown, with black back and yellow legs.

WOOD WANTED.—A FEW CORDS of dry wood wanted immediately at this office. BULL FOR SERVICE. For the season of 1888, on lot No. 6, South street, known as the Allen Ten Acre Lot.

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