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THINK KAISER HINTED AT THE WAR OUTLOOK

Emperor of Germany Boasts of Patriotism of His Six Sons in Speech Extolling Empire at Banquet

(Canadian Press) ALTONA, PRAIRIE, Aug. 26.—Emperor William has made a noteworthy speech at a banquet in honor of the province of Schleswig Holstein, whither he has come to attend the national festival...

SIR JOHN FRENCH CHIEF OF IMPERIAL GENERAL ARMY STAFF

New Honors Conferred by King on the Hero of Kimberley—A Distinguished Soldier

London, Aug. 26.—It is announced that the king has been pleased to appoint Gen. Sir John D. French, G. C. B., G. C. V., D. S. O., to be chief of the imperial general staff...

IMPROVE 'PHONE SERVICE ACROSS STRAITS OF DOVER

Business Men in Glasgow or Edinburgh May Now Talk to Paris and French Towns

London, Aug. 26.—A short time ago the British general post office had a new and improved telephone cable in the Straits of Dover and this has now been connected to land lines from London and Paris...

BOY'S AWFUL TALE

Killed Father After Latter Had Murdered Wife and Younger Son

Bonville, Ind., Aug. 26.—After having been pressed by continuous questioning during almost thirty hours in jail, a 22-year-old boy, William Lee, last night made a written statement in which he said he killed his father, Richard Lee, in self defence...

THIRTEEN DEATHS

There were thirteen deaths in the city this week, including three caused by cholera.

ANOTHER BOGEY TROTTED OUT

When the fight for reciprocity was being made in the United States, the Buffalo Republic, in April last, asserted that under reciprocity Buffalo would get the grain business away from Montreal.

The really important fact in connection with the story of the Buffalo paper and the Standard is that it has never caused even the faintest ripple of excitement in Montreal.

WILL USE MONOPLANE IN EXPLORATION AT THE ANTARCTIC

Australasian Expedition Starts From Cardiff on the Aurora—Seeks to Establish Meteorological Station and Whale Fishery

London, Aug. 26.—Another Antarctic expedition ship Aurora has left Cardiff for Capetown on her way to Tasmania. The object of the expedition is to conduct investigations to determine the possibility of establishing a meteorological station and a whale fishery by the Australian government in the Antarctic regions.

DEATH OF JOHN GIBSON, MARYSVILLE, LUMBER KING'S BROTHER

The death occurred early today at his home in Marysville, York county, of John Gibson, after a few weeks' illness. He is survived by his wife, one daughter, Mrs. G. T. Rise, of Dorchester, Mass., three sons—William A., manager of the Imperial Life Co., St. John; Arthur M., manager of J. Gibson & Sons, Fredericton, and Fred H., of the Bank Montreal staff, Quebec.

HISTORIC BROOM HOUSE TO GO UNDER HAMMER

London, Aug. 26.—Broom House Estate, Fulham, with its famous broom, extending in all to fifty-four acres, is to be sold by auction in November. The property, which is all freehold, adjoins the Buckingham Club and his considerable road and river frontage.

DECORATION DAY

Many donations of flowers have been received for the A. O. H. Decoration Day tomorrow.

ECHOES OF THE GREAT CAMPAIGN

LOOKING AFTER THE FENCES. (Ottawa Free Press.) Hon. J. D. Hazen has also joined the 'We-Would-Like-to-See-Our-Parliament-Prefer-to-Hold-on-to-our-Jobs' club.

HE SUPPORTS RECIPROCITY

(Montreal Witness.) F. D. McDerm, of Sherbrooke, has pulp and paper interests all through the eastern provinces. It is therefore well known everywhere and is personally very popular, and very much respected.

A MANUFACTORY OF HATRED

(The Tablet Weekly.) The reciprocity agreement is fought in Canada with a bitterness which casts in the distance the quarrels of the United States. The reciprocity agreement is fought in Canada with a bitterness which casts in the distance the quarrels of the United States.

MR. BORDEN'S QUEBEC ALLIES

It remained for Jean Prevost to declare that Great Britain, being afraid of Germany, had found it necessary to look to the United States for support, and in order to obtain her treaty of arbitration with the United States had coerced Sir Wilfrid Laurier into the reciprocity agreement.

STEAMER WRECKED; FEAR LIVES LOST

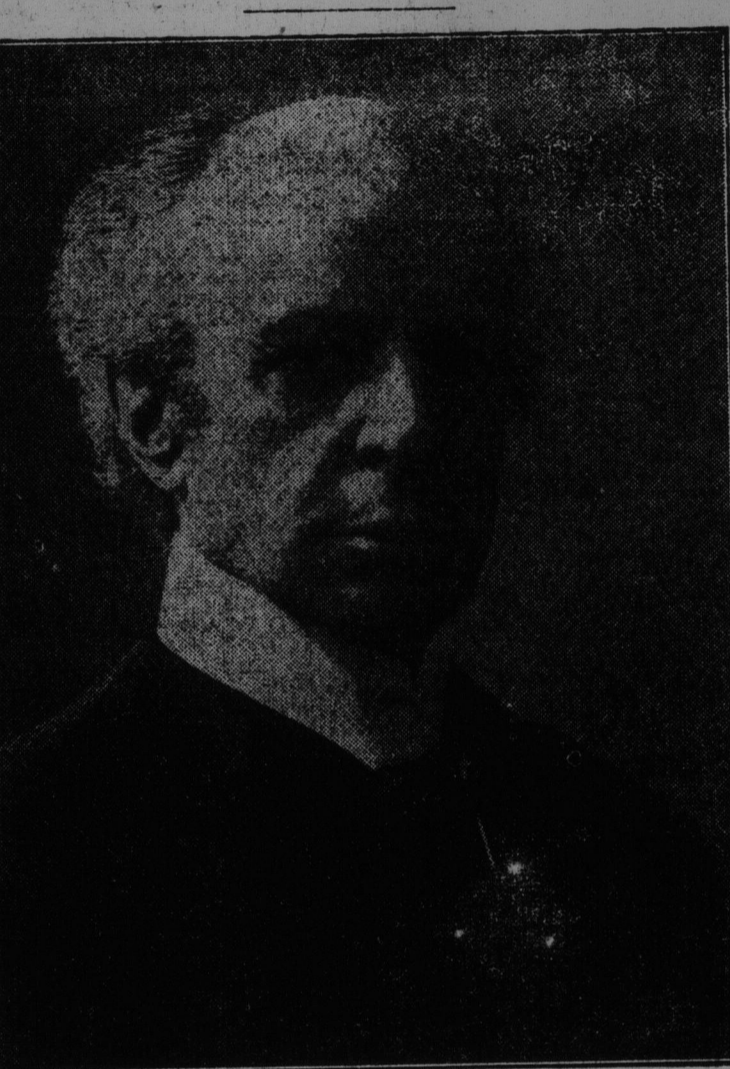
Kington, Ja., Aug. 26.—The British steamer Alice, which sailed from here a week ago with the principal officers of the Atlantic Fruit Company on board is reported to be a total wreck on Viva Nueva reef off the coast of Nicaragua.

ATWOOD REACHES NEW YORK

New York, Aug. 26.—Harry N. Atwood ended his long record-breaking aeroplane flight from St. Louis when he landed at Governor's Island at 2:38 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

SIR WILFRID'S VISIT TO CITY; LATEST WORD IN THE PREPARATIONS

Plans Promise the Greatest Political Demonstration Ever Seen in This City—Details of the Premier's Programme While in St. John—Reception Committee Tonight



THE GREAT LIBERAL CHEFTAIN

The indications are that the weather conditions for the visit of Sir Wilfrid Laurier will be most favorable. This is especially gratifying to the great body of electors who desire to hear Canada's great statesman, nearly all of whom have not yet had the pleasure of hearing him make a political address.

CONFIRMATION

During the coming month His Lordship Bishop Casey will be particularly busy on confirmation tours. His Lordship will first visit York county, and later will go to Albert and Westmorland.

HAINS GETS DIVORCE

New York, Aug. 26.—Captain Peter C. Hains, Jr., now serving a term of eight years in Sing Sing for the killing of William E. Annis, was granted an interlocutory decree of divorce from his wife, Claudia I. Hains yesterday. The suit was uncontested.

No Monopoly of Patriotism

(Hon. Sydney Fisher) The opponents of reciprocity claim a monopoly of loyalty to the British Empire. They are even endeavoring to prejudice newcomers to Canada by their appeal to the "British born," as if one born in any part of the Empire is not British born.

THE DEFENCE ENCOUNTERS TWO SET BACKS

Trial of Beattie for Murder of His Wife—Winnipeg Thug Places Blame of Shooting Constable on Pal

(Special to The Times) Chesterfield Court House, Va., Aug. 26. The defence in the Beattie trial met with two setbacks in court here today. Judge Watson quickly overruled a motion to exclude the "Dear Kid" letter written by Beattie to Beniah Binford, and followed this by denying a motion which questioned the wording of the indictment as to the wound being "in the face" instead of the skull or brain of the victim, as shown by the autopsy.

CHINA TAKING SEVEN YEARS TO IMPROVE NAVY

Hongkong, Aug. 26.—It has finally been decided that the work of re-organizing the Chinese navy shall be spread over a period of seven years. During the first year, 1910-11, the warships already constructed are to be overhauled and made thoroughly serviceable, two small squadrons being organized at the same time, one for the north and one for the south.

BY LARGE MAJORITY

A. B. Copp, M. P. P., of Seckville, arrived in the city this morning from Greenwich, N. B., where he addressed an enthusiastic gathering last night in interest of Dr. McAlister, the Liberal candidate for Kings. Speaking to a reporter this morning, Mr. Copp said that the farmers of Kings were all in favor of Dr. McAlister and reciprocity and that the doctor would be sent back to Ottawa with a larger majority than before. Mr. Copp will go to Westfield to speak tonight.

THE TIMES' NEW REPORTER

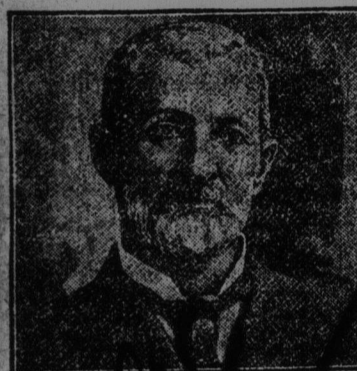
AN ATMOSPHERE OF GLOOM There was gloom in Patriot's Hall last evening. It had been whispered around that the patriotic trusts which were expected to replenish the war-chest had sided up the situation, concluded that Laurier would win, and like Bourassa on the defence question had buttoned up their pockets.

"But to come down to the question of the war-chest," said the Exalted Patriot, "I think it will provide at least short rations for every hero who remains in the field." "Remains in the field?" shouted a back-bender who had not heard very well. "Whose remains?" "Ours," said another back-bender, who was not pleased with the reference to the short rations. "Our remains will be in the field after Sept. 21st. I'm going home."

FOR 25 YEARS HE SUFFERED

Well Known Merchant of Sarnia Cured by "Fruit-a-lives"

Sarnia, Ont., Feb. 26, 1911. "I have been a sufferer for the past 25 years with Constipation, Indigestion and Stomach Troubles. I tried many remedies and many doctors but derived no benefit whatever. Finally I read and advertisement of "Fruit-a-lives" I decided to give "Fruit-a-lives" a trial and found they did exactly what was claimed for them. I have now taken "Fruit-a-lives" for some months and find that they are the only remedy that does me good. I have recommended "Fruit-a-lives" to a great many of my friends and I cannot praise these fruit tablets too highly. PAUL J. JONES.



"Thousands of men and women who have read the above advertisement, and who have tried "Fruit-a-lives" for themselves, will testify that it is a cure for Constipation and Stomach Troubles. "Fruit-a-lives" is a natural cure for these diseases, being made of fruit juices and valuable tonics. It is a box, 6 for \$2.50 trial size, 25c. A dozen, or sent on receipt of price by Fruit-a-lives Limited, Ottawa.



Our Candy Experts combine the purest and richest cream with the chocolate ground in our own factory from selected cocoa beans. The result is a candy confection universally accepted as the best. MOIR'S Try them. Assorted flavors. Nut filled centres. Fruit and jelly inlaid.

MOIR'S CHOCOLATES

EARLY CLOSING JUDGMENT
In the police court yesterday afternoon cases against Joseph Weigel, who owns a boot, shoe, and dry goods store in Union street; and L. Smith, who owns a dry goods store in Waterloo street, argued with violating the early closing law, were dismissed. In his judgment, the judge held that while the law as passed, the local legislation was not ultra vires. The common council in passing the local bye-law exceeded the powers delegated to it by the local legislature, and this account he held the local bye-law invalid.

Delicious Seasoning
HOLBROOK'S SAUCE
Genuine Worcester Sauce
Supported Absolutely!

La MARQUISE de FONTENAY

Vicomtesse Who Loses Titles Because of Divorce—Was a Noted Singer—Avenue of Victory for St. Petersburg

(Copyright, 1911, by the Brentwood Company.)
The ex-Vicomtesse de Tredern is always in litigation with one or another of her relatives. The most recent object of her legal attentions is her son, the Vicomte de Tredern. She had appealed to the courts to prevent him from marrying an actress named Mlle. Lefevre upon whom he had lavished large sums of money and she likewise demanded that he should be provided with a conseil judiciaire, that is to say, that he should be placed under the supervision of a trustee and that he should be deemed incompetent to contract any legal obligation or fulfill any civic duty.

The courts declined to prohibit the vicomte from marrying Mlle. Lefevre, but did provide him with a conseil judiciaire whose consent he will be obliged to obtain before he is able to contract any marriage.

Incidentally the suit brought to light the fact that the young vicomte's mother, who for more than a quarter of a century was known as one of the most conspicuous figures in Parisian society, has been compelled to drop her name and title and to style herself "Mme. Jeanne Say," for she was imprudent enough to secure a divorce from the Vicomte Chretien de Tredern in 1887 and since then a law has been enacted depriving divorcees of the names and titles of their former husbands.

Mme. Jeanne Say may be said to have lost, not one, but two well known titles and historic names, for her first husband was the Marquis Roland de Brissac, eldest son and heir of the tenth Duc de Brissac. He met his death on the battle field in 1871 in the closing struggles of the Franco-German war. His widow and her little boy, then three years old, took their residence with her father-in-law, the old Duc de Brissac. A little more than a year afterwards she inherited her title of Marquise de Brissac, in order to contract a marriage with the Breton Vicomte de Tredern, in spite of all the warnings of her friends, who knew that her character would ill accord with that of Tredern, man quick to take offence, extremely keen on the score of principle and honor, and thoroughly opposed to the easygoing ways of that smart and ultra-fashionable society with which the widowed Marquise de Brissac and her sister Princess Amedee de Broglie, were and are still identified.

After the birth of a couple of children, two sons and a daughter, the ill-matched couple parted, and whereas de Tredern was too devout a Roman Catholic to demand a divorce, his wife took the earliest opportunity after the divorce law had been enacted to secure her liberation from her few remaining matrimonial bonds.

The recent judicial proceedings in connection with young de Tredern, brought to light the fact that his father, who had meanwhile succeeded through his own efforts to the title of Comte de Tredern, has been in the habit of making him an allowance of \$100 a month.

An Old Aristocratic Family
The Trederns are one of the oldest houses of the Breton aristocracy and the family is stated to have been founded by the legendary knight, Derrin, who, with his squires, vanquished and slew a monstrous dragon. The descendants of this knight took their name, de Tredern, from lands which still remain to this day in the family and from the twelfth century onwards it is to be frequently mentioned in the pages of French history.

Stephen de Tredern took part in the Crusades as one of the principal lieutenants of Saint Louis and is on historical record as having been knighted by that monarch at the close of the great battle of Mansourah. With all that, they bore no title until that of Comte was conferred upon them in 1772. In medieval times, indeed, titles were almost entirely unknown among the old aristocracy in Brittany.

BABY MINE, AT THE OPERA HOUSE, NEXT WEEK



A Scene From the Hilarious Comedy, Baby Mine, Which Will Come to the Opera House on Monday for a Four Nights' Engagement.

Bonlangier was in power this queer token of his admiration and some few years later, on account of his disregard of the sense of propriety that should be accorded even to the felon.

The young Vicomte de Tredern who now wants to marry Mlle. Lefevre, was at one time engaged through his mother's agency, to Marie Bonaparte, daughter of Roland Bonaparte and of the latter's wife, Marie Blane (daughter and widow of old Blane who founded the great gambling establishment at Monte Carlo after being expelled from Germany, where he ran a similar establishment at Wiesbaden until 1868). The match, however, was broken off through young de Tredern's father who would not hear of any such alliance for his son and who regarded the source of Marie Bonaparte's wealth, derived as it is from Monte Carlo gambling tables, as tainted.

Avenue of Victory
St. Petersburg has come to the conclusion that it should have an Avenue of Victory, similar to the so-called Sieges Alley in Berlin and the president of the imperial Duma, M. Rodzianko, who is also one of the chief dignitaries of the czar's household, has been instructed by the duma to arrange with the municipality of the metropolis for its co-operation with the national legislature and the government in the matter.

HON. H. R. EMMERSON PUTS PITILY GREAT RECIPROCAL BENEFITS
Our Exports of Goods to States Will Largely Increase, And We Will Send Less Money There—Benefit, Too, in British Relations

(From Speech by Hon. R. Emmerson)
The maritime bond of trade at Montreal demanded better trade relations with Cuba, British West Indies and Guiana, alleging that the volume of a country's exports largely determined its material prosperity.

With this idea the speaker heartily agreed. But trade is desirable to the benefit of West Indians, how much more desirable is freer trade with the States in spite of the high duty.

The Evening Chit-Chat

By RUTH CAMERON

A CROSS the way from me lives an unmarried woman about fifty years old, who has held for thirty years.

Naturally, she is appalled by the amount of time which she finds awaiting her disposal, and exclaims every day to while away the sixteen waking hours that must be gotten rid of every day in some way or other.

I was sitting on her veranda the other evening just at twilight when the stars were beginning to come out, and with more attention than I had ever her show since her illness.

"I don't understand astronomy," she said.

"I know a man who is interested in politics study some of the principles of government and public law."

"Let me remember, Sir John Macdonald always endeavored to establish better relations with our neighbors, and his efforts have paved the way for the government today."—F. D. Monk, M. P., at Le Devour dinner.

GOOD REASONS
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- 2 pr. Half Hose for 25c.
- Men's Negligee Shirts for 98c
- Men's Union Made Overalls.
- Men's English Worsted Pants Regular \$3.00 Now \$1.98.
- See Our Special Pants \$1.19.
- Men's Union Made Derby Hats Regular \$2.50 Now \$1.89.

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Read and See for yourself what S. L. Marcus & Co., The Ideal Home Furnishers 166 Union Street Offers You This Week.

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FEARFUL WRECK ON THE LEIGH ROAD; MANY ARE KILLED

Manchester, N. Y., Aug. 25.—Speeding eastward behind time, Lehigh Valley passenger train No. 4 ran into a spread rail on a trestle near here today and two passenger coaches from the middle section of the train plunged downward forty feet, striking the east embankment like a pair of projectiles.

GREAT STRENGTH SCHOOL SHOES
Is the chief characteristic of our SCHOOL SHOES

- Boys' heavy double extension soles boots; Sizes 1 to 5. \$1.50
- Boys' Dongola kid heavy soles; Sizes 11 to 13. \$1.25
- Girls Box 'Calf heavy soles; Sizes 11 to 2. \$1.38
- Girls Dongola kid with patent leather toe caps; Sizes 11 to 2. \$1.25

SHIPPING
ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, AUG. 26, 1911

Sun Rise.....	5:45	Sun Sets.....	7:08
High Tide.....	12:31	Low Tide.....	7:33

The time used is Atlantic standard.

BRITISH PORTS:
Queensdown, Aug. 25—Ard, str. Cedric, New York.
Glasgow, Aug. 24—Ard, str. Caledonia, New York.
London, Aug. 23—Ard, str. Ascania.

SPECIAL VALUES IN LADIES' WHITEWEAR

- 11 Doz. White Lawn Shirtwaists, worth \$1.25, For 85c.
- Ladies' White Underskirts, worth \$5.50, - For \$3.75
- Ladies' White Underskirts, worth \$4.50, - For \$3.00
- Ladies' White Underskirts, worth \$2.25, - For \$1.75
- Ladies' White Underskirts, worth \$1.10, - For 85c.

WILCOX'S Market Square

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New Brunswick's Independent newspapers.
These papers advocate British connection
Honesty in public life
Measures for the material progress and moral advancement of our great Dominion.
No graft!
No deals!
"The Shamrock, Thistle, Rose
entwine The Maple Leaf
forever."

SIR WILFRID LAURIER

The visit of Sir Wilfrid Laurier to St. John will reveal to those who slander him and describe him as a traitor to the Empire that the citizens resent such a campaign, and have a far higher regard for the prime minister than for his detractors.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier, whether he was always right in his trade policy or not, has always been a loyal subject of the king and an earnest advocate of harmony between the races in Canada. That will be remembered to his honor, long after his career and that of his contemporaries has passed into history. He comes to the people of Canada now as the advocate of a policy which will benefit this country in a material sense, and also tend to cement the feeling of friendship which should exist between two neighboring nations sprung from the same stock and speaking the same language.

The speeches which Sir Wilfrid has delivered since he set out on his present tour of the provinces show that he has never been better able to refute the charges and answer the arguments of his opponents. The people of St. John will extend to him a "welcome" worthy of the first citizen of Canada, and worthy of one who has on three occasions so worthily represented Canada at the heart of the Empire. Especially will those whose views of politics are not slavishly fixed within partisan lines desire to hear what the leader of the government has to say upon the great issue which is now before the country. The young men of St. John will be eager to see and hear the man who has had so distinguished a career, and against whose personal character no breath of scandal has ever been directed. Sir Wilfrid Laurier is a Canadian and an imperialist of the type that commends itself to a self-reliant people, who are not to be frightened by childish fears or influenced by false appeals.

THE TWO PARTIES

The nature of the campaign that is being carried on by the Conservatives should cause the Liberals to put forth greater efforts than they have ever before made to win an overwhelming victory. The charge of disloyalty that is made against them is an insult which can best be answered by defeating the candidates of those by whom it is offered.

There can be no objection to an opposition that is founded on conviction. The man who really believes that Canada would be the worst of it in the proposed trade agreement is perfectly justified in stating his views and acting in accordance with them. Similarly the man who believes Canada would be better to wait and make further efforts to persuade Britain to grant preference is entitled to a respectful hearing. But the dishonest politician who professes a belief that his Liberal fellow citizens are disloyal is merely lying, in the hope that he may be believed and so win a political advantage.

To their discredit be it said, the Conservatives in this campaign are welcoming exactly this kind of falsehood. They know precisely well that the Liberals favor reciprocity for the same reason that it is favored by many individual members of their own party; which is that they believe it will bring greater strength to the empire. To say that any Canadian, with knowledge of the resources of his country, and a clear vision of the glorious future opening up before it as the leader in the great sisterhood of British nations, could desire to see it annexed to the United States, is to say that with all his knowledge he is but a fool. There are no chaffs, for there are no annexationists. Wilfrid Laurier stands for imperial unity with local autonomy. That is the mission of Australia and South Africa as

well as of Canada. There is no disloyalty, but a universal desire to maintain the integrity of the Empire. So far as the Liberal party in Canada is concerned, there is more. There is a desire to aid the mother country in developing an ever more friendly feeling between the people of the British Empire and those of the United States.

It suits the present purpose of the Conservatives to stir up feeling and arouse prejudice against the American people, but that is not what the mother country would desire. The best service the Canadian people could do for their country and the Empire would be to inflict defeat upon the party which plays upon race prejudice in Quebec and national prejudice in the other provinces. In contrast to his opponents Sir Wilfrid Laurier occupies a position so immeasurably above them that the answer to his appeal to the people should be such as to silence the voice of discord and disunion in Canada for a generation.

WHY THE PACKERS OPPOSE

Why are the meat packers opposed to reciprocity? Because it lowers somewhat the duty on their products, and so would benefit the Canadian consumer.

To prove this statement it is only necessary to quote the present prices of canned meats in Canada and the United States. To make it clear, let us place side by side the prices at which Montreal and Boston shippers would deliver canned meats at St. John if there were no duty at all. Here they are:

Size	Montreal	Boston
1 Corned beef	\$2.00	\$1.35
2 Corned beef	3.25	2.75
1 Roast beef	2.00	1.25
2 Roast beef	3.25	2.75
2 Ox tongue	8.50	6.20
1 Lunch tongue	4.20	2.80
1/2 Sliced beef glass	2.15	1.25

These are the respective prices per dozen at which these goods would be delivered to the retailers at St. John if there were no duty. A glance at the figures shows why the Canadian packers are opposed to reciprocity.

But what of the consumer? The proposed reduction in the duty will directly lower the price of canned meats. The Canadian packers have grown rich by monopoly. It is now the custom to turn to "where a little" for the best quality. The packers will still have ample protection.

There are many ways in which the consumer will benefit under reciprocity, without the interests of the Canadian producer being sacrificed. The case of canned meats may be taken as one illustration.

Show the country on Monday how a great party welcomes its chief.

Both St. John seats for Liberals this time. Strengthen the hands of the minister who is building up the winter port.

The Maritime provinces have not grown in proportion to the growth of the west. Their turn comes with reciprocity.

The Conservatives are degrading the flag by using it as an advertisement of the cheapest brand of small-talk ever offered for political consumption in Canada.

The Conservatives favored reciprocity and sought to secure it as long as they were in power. They would favor it now if they were in power.

The trade in plans may be ruined by reciprocity, but the Conservatives will have a large assortment of lemons in about four weeks.

Why does not England refuse to trade with Germany? Will not that trade sap the loyalty of her people? Ask Mr. Boden.

The hilarity with which Col. McLean's campaign has smitten the St. John Standard's correspondent confirms the belief that there is a jakesmith in Queen's-Sunbury. Is his other name Luther?

New Brunswick will give a good account of herself on Sept. 21st. The only hope of the Conservatives was that they could win by a display of the annexation bogey, but it is too thoroughly exposed.

A SECRET OF THE TRADE.

The grocer's son was a bright boy—brighter for his age than anybody else in the village. A prosperous career was predicted for him. And indeed the examiner at his school found him a singularly apt pupil.

"Where does cutlery come from?" asked the examiner.

"From Sheffield, sir," the boy answered.

"Good—very good! And where does lace come from?"

"Brussels, sir."

"Good again—very, very good!" exclaimed the examiner. "Now, where does coffee come from?"

"Ah, you can't catch me!" retorted the boy, shaking his head. "I ain't goin' to tell you that!"

"Why not, pray?" demanded the examiner in surprise.

"Why not?" said the boy, with a knowing wink. "Because it's a secret of the trade."—Answers.

If a man tells a woman she has a musical laugh, she will fall for any old joke he may get off.

KING COLE TEA
Boys like the flavor

THE FORTUNATE ISLES

You sail and you seek for the Fortunate Isles.
The old Greek Isles of the yellow-bird's song?
Then steer straight on through the watery miles,
Straight on, straight on, and you can't go wrong.
Nay, not to the left; nay, not to the right.
But on, straight on, and the Isles are in sight.
The fortunate Isles where the yellowbirds sing.
And life lies girt with a golden ring.

These Fortunate Isles they are not so far.
The God let down from the firmament:
Lo, Duty and Love, and a true man's Trust.
Your forehead to God, though your feet, in dust;
Lo, Duty and Love, and a sweet face's smiles;
And these, O friend, are the Fortunate Isles.
—Joaquin Miller.

IN LIGHTER VEIN

Master—John, my cigars seem to go very rapidly. Is it possible that you—
Butler—Certainly not, sir. I have still two boxes left from my last situation. You need to touch yours yet, sir.

NOT GUILTY.

FATHER KNEW.
"My son's writing is awful, just look at this letter."
"Great Scott! However can you read it?"
"I can't. I just send him a check. He never writes home except to ask for money."

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Daily Hints For the Cook

PRUNE TARTLETS

Line small tins with pastry and in each place a tablespoonful of prune pulp, prepared by rubbing cooked prunes through a sieve and adding two tablespoonfuls of fine bread crumbs to each cupful of fruit. Cover with the following mixture: Two tablespoonfuls each of butter and sugar beaten to a cream, two eggs, two-thirds of a cupful bread crumbs, 10 drops almond extract and one teaspoonful baking powder.

PEACHES AND DUMPLINGS

Take one pound of dried peaches, wash clean, then add one-half gallon cold water. Boil down until one quart of juice remains. Add one-half cupful of sugar to peaches. For Dumplings—Take two eggs, one tablespoonful beef drippings, 2 tablespoonfuls sugar, pinch of salt, one-half teaspoonful cinnamon; beat until light, add one-half cupful milk, one and one-half teaspoonfuls baking powder, then add enough flour to drop from spoon without sticking. Use tablespoon in dropping dumplings into the boiling peaches. Let all boil 10 minutes.

HON. MR. PUGSLEY MAKES STATEMENT ON IMPORTANT MATTERS

Courtenay Bay Announcement in Few Days—The Durant Property—The Valley Railway—Salisbury & Harvey Line

Hon. Mr. Pugsley, minister of public works, gave a reporter last evening interesting information in regard to several projects in which the people of this city as well as the whole province are keenly interested.

When asked about the work at Courtenay Bay, Hon. Mr. Pugsley said: "I have nothing to say at present but in the course of a few days I will have an announcement of interest to the people of St. John to make in this connection."

Hon. Mr. Pugsley was also asked in reference to the Salisbury & Harvey railway and to the Standard's report that no authority had been given for the turning over of I. C. E. rails to carry on operations on the road. To this the minister of public works said that the company owning the road had accepted the proposition made by the minister of railways, the matter had been definitely settled and the rails were now in process of being supplied.

In speaking of the Valley Railway, Hon. Mr. Pugsley reviewed the negotiations, and showed that Hon. Mr. Fleming, acting premier of the province, had given him definite assurance that they were satisfied as to the financial ability of the St. John and Quebec Railway Co. to construct the road and he, Mr. Pugsley, had informed Mr. Gould, president of the company, that he would have much pleasure in recommending the federal subsidy to his company. Draft contracts were agreed upon at a joint meeting of representatives of the two governments and the company, but the contract for the dominion subsidy has not entered into with the company until the provincial government secured further information as to the financial abilities of the company.

There the matter rested, and Hon. Mr. Pugsley has never since received any word from Hon. Mr. Fleming as to whether or not the information the provincial government had wanted had been received. In view of these facts, Hon. Mr. Pugsley said that before Mr. Hazen had made his Gazette statement seeking for place in the federal government the responsibility for the delay in beginning the construction of the road, he should have consulted his league, Hon. Mr. Fleming, and learned the facts of the case.

The matter of the Durant sugar refinery property was referred to, and Hon. Mr. Pugsley said that Mayor Brink and Ald. Russell, representing a committee of the common council, waited upon him yesterday in reference to the federal government permitting the city to take property, on which it had been expected that Mr. Durant would erect a sugar refinery, in case his rights should be refused by not proceeding with the work pursuant to the agreement made by Mr. Durant and the city.

"I informed the committee," said Dr. Pugsley, "that I would recommend to the minister of railways that the request of the city should be complied with on condition that there should be erected on the property some large industrial building, the plan of which would afford to the Intercolonial Railway the same proportion of freight which was used in case the refinery had been built."

THE BLOOD THAT IS THICKER THAN WATER

(Sir Wilfrid at Three Rivers)

I do not often parade my loyalty. I was born under British institutions. My people found liberty they would not have had under any other regime, and I could not but stand by that. He cannot constitute a bond between us and the liberty of my country higher than my political connection. I have laid before you all the objections which are raised against this agreement. These objections, you will agree, do not stand discussion. As to the advantages, they are discussed and they need no reiteration. But the more thoroughly they are discussed the clearer they appear. This agreement constitutes a bond of peace and a harmony of friendship between the two nations. It insures that there shall be and remain a bond of mutual respect between them. We share with our neighbors this northern hemisphere. We spring primarily from the same stock. Our common forefathers came from England, Scotland, Ireland, France to a certain extent, and Germany. We have inherited practically the same institutions.

In 1898, at the battle of Manila, when the Americans were fighting the Spaniards, a European squadron was sent to the waters and its commander wanted to show his sympathy in a practical way with the Spaniards. But the commander of a British squadron who was also in those waters, and he stated that there would have to be fair play between the combatants, and that if there was any interference he would line his ships by the side of Admiral Dewey's.

This was the sense of the blood that is thicker than water.

It was only last week that a treaty was signed by King George and the President of the United States which makes it impossible hereafter that there shall be war between Britain and the United States. It has been given to us to see that day—but far-reaching as is that agreement, is it to be supposed that it is the final and supreme peace that is to be made between the two countries? I believe in my heart the belief that that treaty may be supplemented in a way which will endeavor to undo the mischief which was done in the 18th century by the violent separation of mother and child.

This agreement, which has been folded to you today, is an incentive and a contribution toward that ideal. It will not only be a powerful factor in the material prosperity of our country, but it is an advance toward that higher civilization which recent events have shown to be within the range of practical possibility. This agreement is before you today.

Canada's trade with the United States fifteen years ago was \$111,022,513. Last year it had increased to over \$404,000,000. Are Canadians less loyal because their trade with that country increased almost four-fold in fifteen years?

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At \$1.15—White and drab, long Directoire skirt, four suspenders.

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\$1.25—Medium bust, long Directoire skirt, for average or slight figure, four suspenders.

At \$1.50—White, only medium bust, very long Directoire skirt, six suspenders, trimmed Val. lace; for the average figure.

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At \$1.90—White only, a reinforced spoon front Corset both medium and low bust, long skirt, four suspenders. A strong double boned Corset suited to the average or full figure.

At \$2.00—White only, medium height, medium length Corset for a slight figure, satin top; four suspenders.

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CORSET DEPARTMENT—SECOND FLOOR

MORNING LOCALS

A meeting in the interests of Dr. Daniel, Conservative candidate for the city and county of St. John, was held in the Orange hall, Fairville, last evening. William Golding presided, and the meeting was fairly well attended. Recorder Baxter, Miss E. Agar and Dr. Daniel were the speakers.

The summer school conducted at the Y. M. C. A. building by John Mackinnon was completed yesterday. The boys expressed themselves well satisfied with the season's work and the majority will be enabled to go on with their classes, which would otherwise have been impossible.

It was announced last evening that Fraser, Fraser & Co. had purchased the dry goods stock of Robert Strain & Co., of Charlotte street, and would continue the business at the same premises. The store was formerly a branch of one of the largest dry goods houses in Canada.

James Lowell, the Liberal candidate for the city and county of St. John, returned to his home last evening after a tour through St. Martins parish and feels greatly encouraged with the strong feeling in his favor in that section of the county.

Mr. Lowell expressed himself last evening as entirely satisfied with the progress of the campaign so far and quite confident as to the ultimate result. He will be one of the speakers at the Laurier meeting in Victoria rink on Monday evening.

The following donations for the Labor day picnic were received yesterday: Joseph Stenfield, two pipes; J. M. Driscoll & Son, all lumber required; Canadian Cereal & Milling Co., case "Hiller's" rolled oats; John Bond, pipe; A. L. Goodwin, fruit; P. Brown, two boxes cigars; O. H. Warwick, jardiniere; A. B. Campbell & Sons, pair of trousers; T. S. Simms & Co., brushes; M. J. Hogan, box of cigars; Henrich & Huet, felt hat; Stanley B. Smith, \$5; H. Horton & Sons, whip; W. H. White, umbrella; Hon. Wm. Pugsley, \$5.

Tempeted by the fine weather one of the largest crowds which has attended band concerts in King square this summer turned out last evening to hear the City Cornet Band, under the direction of Prof. Frank Waddington, play an excellent programme.

The annual meeting of the Canadian Union of Municipalities will open in Quebec on August 29. It is likely that Chamberlain Langley will represent this city at the meeting of the provincial W. C. T. U. Dearborn, Mrs. Thomas Ballock, Mrs. David Hipwell, Miss Sarah Smith, and Mrs. Joseph Seymour.

The houses of George Burns and Peter Paul, mill employes in Milford, were destroyed by fire last night. It started about 7 o'clock in the barn in the rear of the Burns' house. Luther Jordan, manager of the Pleasant Point mill, saw petroleum on the water pipe leading to the mill to be broken to get water, in the hope of saving the buildings. Nearly all the furniture from the house of Mr. Paul was removed before the fire reached the building.

At a special meeting of the school board last night, the system of penny saving banks in the schools was explained by Mr. McMurich, of Toronto. More than 140 schools in Ontario followed the system successfully.

At a meeting of Thorne Lodge, I. O. G. T. last night, the report of the delegate to the grand lodge meeting at Plaster Rock was read and accepted. The proposed visit to the Grand and No Surrender lodges at Baywater has been postponed till next Saturday.

Forethought as a rule, only comes to a man when he is so old he has nothing to look forward to.

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After coming from your summer home you will need new attractive things to brighten up the city house.

See Our Display of **PRETTY CHINTZES**

Used as furniture coverings and hangings they give a cheerful, homelike air to the house. The colorings are rich and harmonious, suitable for any room. The designs varied, among them are many of the old fashioned floral patterns now so much in demand; many are particularly adaptable for bedrooms and are shown in dainty pink blues and helios, 20c. to 55c. yard.

Pretty Art Ticking, 23c.—25c. yard.

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Fine Table Cloths in various pretty designs, 2 yards by 2-1/2, \$2.40 to \$4.50 each.

Napkins to match, \$1.00 up.

7 1/2 Inch Table Damask, fleur de lis, lily and various designs, only 75c. yard.

Buttonhole sized Gray Cloths, fine full bleach linen damask, rich sheery finish, 65c. to 88c. each

Hand Embroidered Linen Towels, 85c. each

4 Inch Hand Embroidered Linen Pillow Slips, \$2.15 pair.

New Linen Towelling for embroidery, 25 inches wide, damask patterns, rose, fleur de lis, carnation, etc., 45c. and 55c. yard.

15 Inch Guest Towelling, good assortment of designs, 32c. and 45c. yard.

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New stamping designs for towels, pillow slips, centres, etc.

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The correct foundation for a well fitting costume. We are showing a large range of this perfect fitting corset. The shape is the newest with the medium low bust and long hip. They are of fine coutil with rustproof filling. Four hose supporters attached, are made to suit slight, medium or full figures. Prices: \$1.50 to \$4.50.

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22c. and 23c. quality, for 18c.

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THE PREACHERS' GRACE

Willie—Papa, the preacher was here to luncheon today.

Papa—You don't mean it?

Willie—Yes, and he swears about mother's cooking the same as you do, only he put his hand over his eyes.—Philadelphia Telegraph.

ADVICE TO TOWN FOLK.

Advice to those who live in towns Where gossip never ceases; Be careful how to pick your friends, And don't pick them to pieces.

If a woman can't think of any other excuse she can have a headache.

WHAT ELSE COULD HE DO

Mother—Now, Bobby, you must not into any fights with the neighbors.

Bobby—But, mamma, I've got to get acquainted with them some way.—Philadelphia Telegraph.

A PAGE OF SPECIAL FEATURES FOR SATURDAY TIMES READERS

J. P. MORGAN AND THE REPORTER

Young Man Did Not Know When To Stop

GOSSIP OF GOTHAM

Carnegie's Pension to Man Who Was in Prison Wrongfully For Twenty Years—Harry Thaw Again in Public Eye—Mayor Gaynor and the Actors

(Times Special Correspondence.) New York, Aug. 25.—On his arrival here from London the other day, strenuous efforts were made by the ship news representatives of the daily newspapers, who met the Marquis down the bay, to extort some comment from J. Pierpont Morgan on the forthcoming marriage of John Jacob Astor, brother of William Waldorf Astor of Cleveland and Miss Madeleine Force.

When all the other newspaper men had given up the job as hopeless and had left the organizer of the billion dollar trust to his meditations, a glib young reporter with an innocent looking face, thinking he could put one over on the astute Mr. Morgan, slipped up to him and slipped in his most delicate accent: "I am from the Christian Advocate, and my paper is especially anxious to know what you as a great churchman, think of the problem of divorce and subsequent marriage?"

The financier eyed the bland looking newcomer curiously. His eyes flashed and in a second he realized the impudent scribbler by the shoulder and with a gentle shove that suggested that the youngster was in the wrong way, he turned and said: "Go back to the Christian Advocate, quick."

A Week of His Former Self

With the prison pallor imprinted deep on his face, a veritable ghost of his former self, believed to have broken out of his cell, was brought to the city the other day to testify in his action against his wife for absolute divorce. His two years in Sing Sing prison, where he is serving an eight year sentence for the murder, have transformed the officer, who is son of Brigadier General Hains, U. S. A., retired, so that few of his old friends would recognize him.

His wife, with whom he has had no correspondence or communication of any kind since his original arrest for killing Anna, put in no defence. She is now living in Boston with her parents. Captain Hains started his action for a dissolution of their marriage the while his trial was still pending and it should have been called more than a year ago.

Carnegie Penions Him

Andrew Toth, who has just been released from a Pennsylvania prison, where he served twenty years for the murder of a man he never saw, is the hero of the hour of 1911, while awaiting the departure of his ship for his old home in Hungary, has been the object of much interest here for a week. Andrew Carnegie, as a baun for the sufferings endured by the unfortunate man, now sixty-two years of age, who worked in his Homestead steel works at the time of the slaying, has awarded him a pension of \$40 a month for the remainder of his life.

Another Customs Case

Unless the temper of the customs authorities of the port change, it is likely that the "forgetfulness" of Mrs. William A. Hamilton, a cousin of Lady Deedes and of her mother, Mrs. George Gould, will prove a rather expensive lapse of memory. Mrs. Hamilton, who is a strikingly handsome woman, is the wife of a former vice president of the St. Paul and Northwestern Railroad.

evidence in the last twelve months that it is no respecter of persons and seems to take particular elation in exposing the attempts of the rich and influential to get foreign purchases through without paying duty.

Harry Thaw Again With the resignation this week of Dr. Baker, assistant superintendent of the Mattawan Asylum for the Criminal Insane, Harry Thaw, the slayer of Stanford White, has some hope of securing his liberation from that institution. Through the efforts of this physician, who has been in personal charge of the young murderer ever since he was committed there as a menace to the community, every attempt of Thaw to get the courts to release him has ended in failure.

So long as Dr. Baker remained at the asylum, the Thaw family, who have spent more than three-quarters of a million dollars in trying to get the murderer out of the clutches of the authorities, realized that there would be little chance of their succeeding in their plan.

Mayor Gaynor and the Actors

Mayor Gaynor has crossed swords with the actor folk over his criticism of the Actors' Church Alliance, wrote to His Honor a few days ago protesting against the decision of the library authorities and inviting his personal judgment on the book. After reading the copy submitted to him the city's chief executive, ignoring the question raised against it that it is on the shady side of literature and in a class with Elmer Gantry's much discussed "Three Weeks," declares it stupid. On that ground he approves its exclusion from the shelves of all the city's reading rooms.

Three Great British Contracting Firms have tendered for the construction of dry dock, breaker and wharves at Courtenay Bay. This means an immense development at St. John East, thanks to the efforts of Hon. Dr. Pugsley.

When the kind and gentle man does deliver a jolt it counts.

Keep Baby's Skin Clear

Mothers, do you realize the importance of caring for baby's tender, easily irritated skin? Neglect or unsuitable methods may give rise to simple rashes or tiny sores. Torturing, disfiguring humors follow and threaten to become permanent. Not only is Cuticura the purest and sweetest for baby's bath but, assisted by Cuticura Ointment, it affords the speediest and most economical method of clearing up skin and scalp of eczema, rashes, itches and irritations, and of establishing a permanent condition of skin and hair health.



SIR JOHN A. MACDONALD'S PROPOSALS



Shade of Sir John Macdonald.—"Say Robert, I preached reciprocity for fifteen years, and I never saw any annexation danger in it. What kind of glasses do you wear?"

Interesting Facts Concerning Women

I hope and pray that we may see woman suffrage soon. In this fuller citizenship there is no chance that woman would unsex herself.—Bishop McVicker.

BRITISH COLUMBIA

The British Columbia Federation of Labor lately held its first annual meeting, and passed a resolution asking votes for women on the franchise. The resolution was forwarded to the Provincial Secretary Young at Victoria, and it is promised that the question will be considered at the next meeting of the executive council of British Columbia.

IN HONOURAS

The suffragettes have triumphed in the capital of British Honduras, the city council having granted women the right to vote. At the last meeting the following resolution was unanimously adopted: "In the opinion of this council the right to vote for the election of members of the town board of Belize should be extended to such women as are possessed of the necessary qualifications by ownership or occupation of property and are not disqualified from voting by reason of their sex."

HOOTS AND HOWLS

The astonishing scene that has taken place in the House of Lords is an amusing commentary on the argument that women are too excitable to vote. The D. A. R. project in the World, gratuitously, over my own name, during some six weeks of the campaign. For that service to my native country I received the thanks of Sir John Macdonald, after the election, and nothing else—except a kick from the D. A. R. which being my own wish, but not Sir John Macdonald's.

EGG-LAYING CONTEST

It is now for the poultryman of this county to place beyond dispute the supremacy of the Canadian Hen. Through the enterprise of the North American (Philadelphia, Pa.), an international egg-laying competition will be held, beginning Nov. 1, 1911, at Storrs Agricultural Experiment Station, Storrs, Connecticut. This competition will determine the best laying strain of each variety entered; the number and marketable eggs and their value; the amount of food consumed and its relation to egg production; and the general observations.

TURNOVER IN ONTARIO; NOT FROM LAURIER, BUT FROM RECIPROCITY FOES

Letter by E. W. Thomson of Ottawa, in Boston Transcript, Sets Out The Reciprocity Position—As in Sir John Macdonald's Proposals There is Nothing of Subservience to Washington Implied

E. W. Thomson, the Canadian correspondent of the Boston Transcript has written a strong article for his paper in favor of reciprocity, and has sent the same letter to a number of Canadian papers. In his letter to the editors of the latter he says:

I should, as a native Canadian, and an elector of Ottawa city, feel ashamed to do nothing in that behalf. Just as I felt when I resigned the position of chief editorial writer on the Globe, to combat that project in the World, gratuitously, over my own name, during some six weeks of the campaign. For that service to my native country I received the thanks of Sir John Macdonald, after the election, and nothing else—except a kick from the D. A. R. which being my own wish, but not Sir John Macdonald's.

COMPREHENSIVE

DR. FOWLER'S Extract of Wild Strawberry

W. P. BULL OF TORONTO IS CONSIDERING THE STEP ENGINEERS FOR CANADA

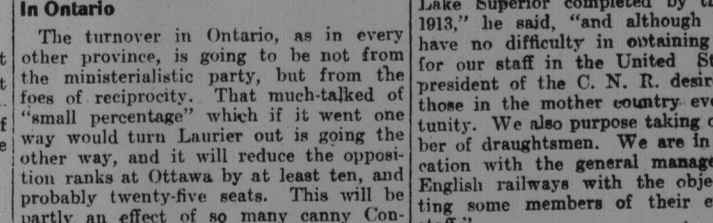
W. P. Bull of Toronto is considering the step of engineering for Canada. The Ontario Engineers' Association is holding a convention in Toronto, and Mr. Bull is one of the speakers. He is known for his strong opinions on the subject of reciprocity and the interests of Canadian engineers.

C. N. R. TO BRING OUT SEVERAL FOR CONSTRUCTION WORK SUPERVISION—CANADIAN VS. ENGLISH ATHLETES, THE RECENT MEETING DISCUSSED BY PRESIDENT OF DOMINION UNION

C. N. R. to bring out several for construction work supervision—Canadian vs. English athletes, the recent meeting discussed by President of Dominion Union. The meeting was held in London and focused on the competition between Canadian and English athletes in various sports.

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MAY CONTEST A SEAT IN ENGLAND

(Continued from page 7.)

"We were well satisfied with the showing of the Canadian team. With one or two exceptions the team was as good as could have been selected from Canada and all the men performed up to the standard expected. The work of Halliday of Toronto has been regarded as the feature of the Canadian team but the showing of the other members was equally good from an athletic standpoint, under more trying conditions.

"Brook of Toronto, while unfortunate in not winning a first, gave a splendid exhibition of running ability and judgment. Tall's few performances in the mile showed him to be not only a runner of great ability but superior in track judgment to his competitors. His win at the empire sports was entirely a win of the head. Lokenan of Ottawa did as well as expected.

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Where Prince of Wales Will Live

Clarendon House, to be the abode of the Prince of Wales on attainment of his majority, is a mansion with a history. Built by Sir John Vanburgh for the Earl of Clare, it was pulled down by Robert Clive, and re-erected by "Capability" Brown. It was here, in 1817, that Princess Charlotte died in childbirth. Here, too, Louis Philippe found a refuge after his exile from France, and here both he and his queen died. The present occupant of the house is the Duchess of Albany, who, however, generally prefers Windsor.

Hornes Walpole, in a letter to his friend George Montagu, dated August 11, 1788, notes the fact that pine-apples were conveyed from Clarendon House to Hanover by couriers.

Lord Clive's coming to Clarendon was bitterly resented by the Surrey peasantry. They looked with malicious horror, writes Montagu, "on the stately house which was rising at Clarendon, and wondered that the great, wicked lord had ordered the walls to be made so thick, in order to keep out the devil, who would one day carry him away bodily."

DIDN'T YOU WANT TO DO (The Hat's Iron)

"I tell you, I'm down on these automobiles," said the Kansas farmer.

"Hother, you must," said the town editor.

"What I did say no! When a feller sees a tinned-shoulder around a corner whoopin' he don't know whether to run for a gun or a cyclone-cellar."

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL NEWS OF THE WEEK IN ST. JOHN

The opening of the schools on Monday and the necessity of comfortably providing for the juveniles who attend them is partly responsible for the appearance on the streets this week of persons well known about town during the winter social season. Then, too, there has been considerable entertaining going on for visitors in town, both by the hostesses and the friends of the hosts, who on such occasions may be called upon to do their duty. Another factor in the early appearance of society folk is the interest manifested in the coming Maritime Ladies Golf Tournament, which takes place at Truro (N. S.) on the 29th of this month. It is expected that representatives from New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island will be present. Very general regret is expressed by the St. John contingent that owing to the accident to Miss Mabel Thomson by which she sprained her ankle, she will be unable to defend her title of champion of the maritime provinces. An unexpected lurch of a boat from which Miss Thomson was stepping, caused the regrettable accident. Those who will take part from St. John are Mrs. E. A. Smith, Mrs. Harold Schofield, Mrs. Helen Sidney Smith, Miss McEivern, Miss Frances Stetson, The Misses MacLaren, Charlotte street, and Mrs. J. W. Vroom, local players at the Golf Club on Thursday afternoon. A friendly match was played between Mrs. George K. McLeod and Mrs. James U. Thomas being the prize winners. Tea was served on the veranda of the club house. Among those who played golf and those who were present at the tea hour were Mrs. J. Douglas Hazen, Mrs. E. A. Smith, Mrs. J. W. Vroom, Mrs. B. B. Carruthers, Mrs. H. C. Schofield, Mrs. George K. McLeod, Mrs. James U. Thomas, Mrs. Charles, Miss Mollie Robinson, Miss Barker, Miss Helen Sidney Smith.

Mrs. L. R. Harrison, Sidney street, who has given a number of delightful outings within the last month on the yacht Dream, varied her mode of entertainment when on Wednesday and Thursday afternoons of this week she invited a number of guests to Camp Minto on the Golden Grove road. The weather conditions being all that one could desire, the refreshments were the best making every effort for the enjoyment of her guests, it is no wonder everybody present expressed himself as having a most delightful afternoon.

Mrs. J. Bright Cudlip was hostess at tea last Saturday afternoon at her pretty summer cottage in the Park at Robbsey. The entertainment was given to celebrate her mother's (Mrs. Cruikshank) birthday. There were about fifty ladies present. Mrs. George West Jones and Mrs. Frank presented at the table, which was prettily decorated, the charming being a beautiful decorated birthday cake.

Mrs. William Vasey, Woodstock street, entertained informally Tuesday evening for the Misses May, of Toronto.

Mrs. Anglin, Lanseur Heights, gave a very delightful party on Thursday of last week for her guests, Mrs. Farwell and Mrs. Dresser. Among those present were Mrs. E. A. Smith, Mrs. J. W. Vroom, Mrs. B. B. Carruthers, Mrs. H. C. Schofield, Mrs. George K. McLeod, Mrs. James U. Thomas, Mrs. Charles, Mrs. Mollie Robinson, Mrs. Barker, Mrs. Helen Sidney Smith, Mrs. Harrison, Mrs. Sidney street, Mrs. J. Douglas Hazen, Mrs. E. A. Smith, Mrs. J. W. Vroom, Mrs. B. B. Carruthers, Mrs. H. C. Schofield, Mrs. George K. McLeod, Mrs. James U. Thomas, Mrs. Charles, Mrs. Mollie Robinson, Mrs. Barker, Mrs. Helen Sidney Smith.

IN SOCIETY

Society women realize that the woman who would retain her youth must look after her hair. For the woman with scant, unattractive hair is seldom ever admired. That is why so many of our loveliest women demand that Paris Sage be used by their hairdressers. Paris Sage is guaranteed to cure dandruff, falling hair and itching scalp. It makes hair and scalp attractive, hair grows thick and luxuriant in a few days. Paris Sage is a delightful, refreshing tonic for the hair. It is not sticky or greasy, but on the other hand is most pleasant and daintily perfumed. Paris Sage is a hair cream of large bottle and guaranteed by A. Chipman Smith, who will refund your money if Paris Sage fails to do all that is claimed for it. Also sold and guaranteed in Fairville by Allen's Fairville Drug Co.

Cows Their Own Water Drawers

(World's Progress.)

An inventor in Kansas has hit upon the ingenious scheme of faking cattle do their own pumping when they want a drink of water. The path that leads up to the watering trough terminates in a treadmill, which is connected by suitable gearing to the pump. As the treadmill turns the only means of access to the trough the animal is obliged to operate the pump while it is taking a drink. One of the advantages of this system is that each animal is assured of having fresh water to drink. It is provided which discharges the water automatically when the animal leaves the treadmill.

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Don't make a fire in the kitchen. A hot kitchen means a hot house and a hot temper. It doesn't promote domestic happiness nor does it encourage sweetness of disposition. Here's freedom from kitchen worry and work: Have a top dash for each member of the family; place in each dish two

SHREDDED WHEAT BISCUIT

(whole or crushed) and cover with berries of any kind—raspberries, blackberries, huckleberries or other fresh fruit, then pour over them milk, adding a little cream and sugar to suit the taste.

You will find it deliciously appetizing and nourishing, supplying all the strength needed for work or play. Shredded Wheat is ready-cooked and ready-to-serve. It is the whole wheat steam-cooked, shredded and baked—nothing added, nothing taken away. A food for the Summer days when the stomach is tired of heavy meats and soggy pastries.

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Restores color to Gray or Faded hair—Removes Dandruff and invigorates the Scalp—Promotes a Luxuriant, healthy hair growth—Stops its falling out. Is not a dye.

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It is a safe medicine in any condition of the system. **THE ONE REMEDY** which contains no alcohol and no injurious habit-forming drugs and which creates no craving for such stimulants.

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Hon. J. D. Hazen and the Conservative party as represented in the House of Commons in 1891 were not disloyal, but they all favored RECIPROCITY

It is interesting to see where Mr. Hazen and all the Conservative members of the House of Commons stood on the reciprocity question in parliament when they were under the leadership of Sir John Macdonald.

In 1891, Mr. Hazen moved the address in reply to the speech from the Throne, which contained a reference to reciprocity, and which read as follows:

"That we are pleased to be informed that his excellency's advisers availing themselves of opportunities which were presented in the closing months of last year, caused the administration of the United States to be reminded of the willingness of the government of Canada to join in making efforts for the extension and development of the trade between the republic and the dominion, as well as for the friendly adjustment of those matters of an international character which remain unsettled; that we learn with great satisfaction that these representations have resulted in an assurance that, in October next, the government of the United States will be prepared to enter on a conference to consider the best means of arriving at a practical solution of these questions."

In Hansard of May 1, 1891, there is recorded the speech of Mr. Hazen, in moving the address, in which he said:

"It was, I think, most expedient and very proper that the advisers of his excellency, late last year, should have reminded the government of the great republic to the south, of our willingness to join with them, in developing the trade between the two countries. In doing this the government of the day were simply following out the policy which we have pursued in this country ever since the year 1879, when they caused that policy to be embodied in an act which was then placed on our statute book. Now, Sir, it must also be very gratifying to this house to know that, our government having reminded the government of the United States of their willingness to treat with them, a time has been fixed in the month of October next, for holding a conference for the purpose, not only of considering trade matters, but, for the purpose, also, if possible, of arriving at an amicable settlement of all matters in dispute between the two countries, including the fishing question and the Behring Sea dispute. That conference, I believe, will be watched with very great interest by the people of this whole North American Continent. THE RELATIONS AND THE INTEREST OF THE PEOPLE OF THE TWO COUNTRIES WHICH COMPOSE THE NORTHERN PART OF THIS CONTINENT, ARE IN A COMMERCIAL WAY, IN A SOCIAL WAY, AND IN A FRIENDLY WAY, CLOSELY INTERWOVEN IN MANY RESPECTS, AND I BELIEVE THAT IF A FAIR RECIPROcity TREATY CAN BE EFFECTED ALONG THE LINES OF THE OLD TREATY OF 1854, IT WILL BE OF CONSIDERABLE BENEFIT TO BOTH COUNTRIES, AND THAT IT WILL MEET WITH FAVOR FROM ALL PARTIES IN THE DOMINION OF CANADA."

That which Mr. Hazen approved was a binding treaty, while the trade agreement which the Liberals have secured may be terminated at any time.

It must also be borne in mind that the speech from the Throne, as well as the address in reply, are prepared by the government, and the member to move the address is selected by the government.

The address, therefore, as well as Mr. Hazen's speech in support of it, represented not only Mr. Hazen's views but also the views of the Conservative government and the Conservative party.

THE RECIPROCITY MATTER FROM 1866 DOWN TO 1911

(Montreal Witness.)

It would be difficult to pay a worse compliment to our people's intelligence and information than by the persistent assertion that Canada had given no mandate for reciprocity in natural products with the United States.

Up to 1866 she enjoyed such reciprocity. It saved her from commercial distress and was the only amelioration movement Canada ever knew—a movement among the Montreal Conservatives.

1865. A. T. Galt visited Washington unofficially, and subsequently he and W. F. Howland, both Conservatives, went on an official mission to secure, if possible, an extension of the reciprocity treaty which had been denounced by the United States. The Canadian government appealed to the Home government to use its influence at Washington to avert what would be regarded as a great calamity.

1868. A standing offer of reciprocity on the lines of the 1854 treaty, was incorporated in the first tariff law passed by the Dominion parliament under the control of Sir John A. Macdonald, Conservative.

1869—Sir John Rose, finance minister of Canada, Conservative, went to Washington and tried, unsuccessfully, to negotiate a reciprocity treaty.

1870. Canadian tariff amended, but standing offer of reciprocity retained.

1871. Sir John A. Macdonald, Conservative, on the occasion of the drafting of the Washington treaty, sought, unavailingly, to reopen the question of reciprocity.

1874. George Brown, Liberal, went to Washington and negotiated a treaty in natural products and in a selected list of manufactures. Treaty rejected by the United States senate.

1879. Standing offer of reciprocity incorporated in the National Policy tariff for Sir John A. Macdonald, Conservative. By this the Canadian government took power to take off the duties on United States products by order-in-council in the event of the United States congress doing likewise.

1888. Sir Charles Tupper, Conservative, went to Washington commissioned to negotiate a reciprocity arrangement approaching as nearly as possible that of 1854. As a consideration Sir Charles offered all privileges enjoyed under the fishery articles of the Treaty of Washington. This would have opened the Canadian fishing waters to United States fishermen.

1891. Sir Charles Tupper, Sir John Thompson and the Hon. George E. Foster, Conservatives, twice visited Washington. They made what Sir Charles described as an unrestricted offer of reciprocity.

1892. Unofficial overtures. Sir John Thompson, speaking in April, 1894, said he had taken occasion to let the United States know that Canada was prepared to negotiate a reciprocity treaty.

1896. Unofficial discussion of reciprocity by representatives of the Liberal government.

1898. Unsuccessful attempt of the Joint High Commission, sitting first at Quebec and afterwards at Washington, to negotiate a reciprocity treaty.

The reason why the matter has been in abeyance since then was that Sir Wilfrid Laurier had declared upon this rebuff that Canada would go no more to the United States—that the subject would not be reopened again till the United States made a move to Canada. There has never been any reversal of the uniform attitude of Canada on the subject. The United States did come to Canada and Canada would have stultified herself by not receiving them. There were no premonitions of the protectionist squall till after the agreement had been come to.

"The agreement affords an ample measure of reciprocity, the application of which cannot but foster agriculture, and thereby benefit the vast majority of the Canadian people. And such advantage does not appear to be acquired at the expense of Canadian industry." From "The Reciprocity agreement," by Henri Bourassa.

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The Visit of Curzon.

From time to time during the last few months the cryptic message "Curzon are coming" has been flashed across the Atlantic. Doubtless many of our readers have seen this message, and seeing wondered as to its full purport. It is certainly not a communication of any day importance, for explained in its entirety it means that the greatest measure tailoring house in England, Ireland and Scotland, making a wonderful collection of real British materials in the latest shades and designs. Tweeds, Worsted, Vicunas, Serges, Cheviots, Meltons, Beavers, and in fact every class of fabric for which the Mother Country is so justly celebrated.

The Curzon tour throughout Canada is being conducted by the leading representatives of the house, including one of the Principals, and is conducted not altogether for the purposes of lifting business but with a view to the Principals getting into closer touch with their friends and clients residing overseas.

It is true that the Curzon service annihilates the distance separating Britain's Colonies from their Mother, but this step on the part of the Proprietors to personally pay a tour of inspection to their ramifications across the Atlantic, must do much to even strengthen the very life spirit permeating the house, and enable them to give even more efficient service to their thousands of patrons.

Mr. T. Curzon and his staff will carry with them on their tour all the leading samples, all the latest West End of London and New York and Canadian fashions and will, in short, be fully equipped to take orders and to measure clients for their tailoring needs.

The arrival of the Principal and Staff will be duly advertised in the Dominion newspapers during the tour, and visitors will always receive a hearty reception at the various hotels at which Messrs. Curzon will be staying during their progress through the country. They will always be honored by a visit from clients and will not importune orders. Briefly Messrs. Curzon intend to bring a touch of the Mother Country right into the Dominion. Look out for definite dates.

Heard the "Sausage" Yelp (Los Angeles Herald.)

In a little restaurant where the waiter insists upon shutting down your plate or saucer if a man had ordered a sandwich and a cup of coffee. Then he decided to put an addition to his order.

"Gimme a plate o' that country sausage, too," he told the waiter.

Just then the accident happened.

Somebody stepped on the tail of a small, saucy-looking yellow pup dog that had followed another customer into the restaurant. The dog gave three staccato yelps.

"Ah, just countermand that order for sausage," growled the man with the face. "I didn't know you had to go and make it!"

Canada's total trade with all countries last year was valued at \$769,094,389. More than half of it, or \$404,137,940 was in trade with the United States. Does that fact lessen our loyalty to the Empire?

Sloth and Forgetfulness

and inferior dentifrices are the principal dental foes. A dentifrice that scratches the enamel starts decay instead of correcting it. Lactic acid is the active agent of destruction. It is created by particles of food retained in the crevices of the teeth. The more irregular the teeth the greater retention of particles.

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VICTORIA—Victoria Rink.

DUFFERIN—609 Main street, (next McConell's Grocery.)

LORNE, LANSDOWNE, STANLEY—Temple of Honor Hall, Main street.

GUYS—O'Connell's Hall, West End.

BROOKS—McCauley's Building, St. John street. 921

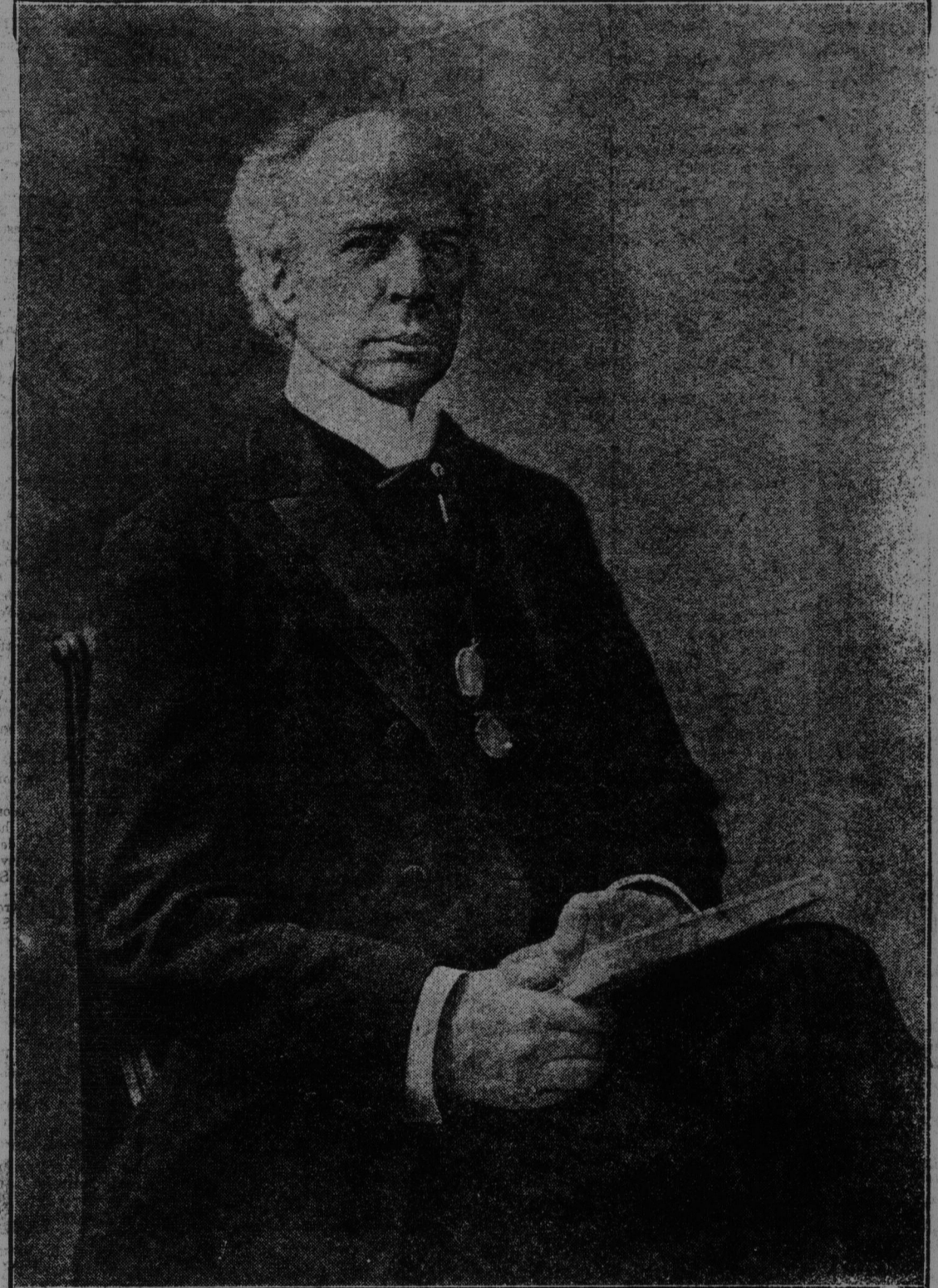
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VICTORIA RINK AT 8 O'CLOCK P. M. Followed By Address in the Open Air

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MONSTER WELCOMING PROCESSION

Torch-bearers and Brass Bands, concluding at the scene of speechmaking.

SPEAKERS ON THE PROGRAMME

- Right Hon. Sir Wilfrid Laurier—Premier of Canada.
- Hon. William Pugsley—Minister of Public Works, Liberal candidate for the City of St. John.
- James Lowell, M. P. P.—Liberal candidate for the City and County of St. John.

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WHY PROMINENT CANADIANS FAVOR RECIPROCITY; BARGAIN THAT WILL HELP BOTH PRODUCER AND CONSUMER

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Channels Which Reciprocity Will Open Up to the Great Benefit of the Agriculturists of Canada

For farmers there will be distinct advantage in free access to the United States market for the following...



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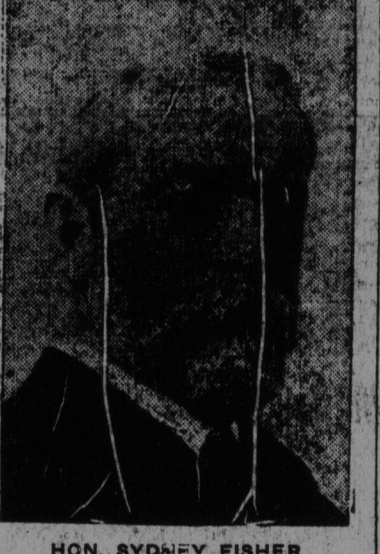
The free admission to the United States of the following standard products: Timber, hem, siled or squared...

Consumers on both sides will thank the negotiators of this agreement for reduced duties on many articles...

WHAT JOHN A. WANTED

That is All That the Liberals are After. In his speech at Stratford Hon. A. G. MacKay declared that the resolution passed at the Imperial Conference...

Mr. MacKay declared that the Liberals have just obtained exactly what Sir John Macdonald wanted in 1878...



HON. SYDNEY FISHER Minister of Agriculture. Speaking at Stratford, Hon. Mr. Fisher dealt with reciprocity in his convincing way...



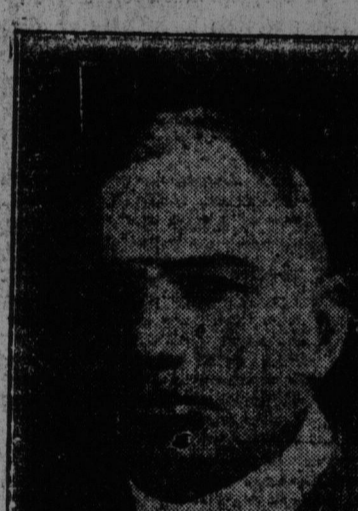
GOING OVER THE ANT HILL Great Possibilities Of An Export Trade

The business men of Canada should vigorously support the effort now being put forth to make the conditions of trade between the United States and Canada more equitable...

These figures do not indicate a healthy condition of business. The disparity in volume between what we buy from the States and what we sell is too great...

Every honest man will admit that the ties of affection and loyalty are far stronger now than they were in 1897...

Business men dealing daily with business men and business houses in the United States should ask themselves that question. If they do so honestly and give an honest answer...



W. HARLAND SMITH Liberal candidate in Halifax.

WILL GET THE BEST PRICE NOT THE AVERAGE ONE

Ontario Farmers, With Reciprocity in Force, Will Get the Best, Not the Average, Price. It is wholly misleading to compare average values in any line of stock between Ontario on the one hand and the American States on the other...

The one means by which it can be relieved. Even up to the present, in the face of abnormal conditions in the United States, and despite the existence of tariff walls...

THE SHEEP MARKET AND THE FARMERS

The Demand for Mutton and Lambs in Canada at Times is Greater Than the Supply. Enemies of reciprocity and of the larger market for the Canadian farmer are seizing on a chance occurrence...

Table showing sheep statistics for 1910 and 1911, including head counts and values for different types of sheep.

This is taken to mean that American sheep will flood Canada under reciprocity, instead of Canada selling to the cities across the line...

At certain times of the year the demand for mutton and lamb in Toronto is greater than the supply, and the sequel is high prices...

Our farmers do not go into sheep-raising very extensively, for reasons which are well known. Some of them have found dairy farming, beef-raising and fruit-growing more profitable...

The Canadian farmer finds no market for his beans in Britain. In 1909-1910 the office records show that the total value of Canadian beans exported to the United Kingdom...

That the Canadian farmer often finds it convenient to market sheep and lambs in the United States, however, is proved by figures which show the imports and exports for the year ended March 31, 1910...

The Mining Trade. The mining industry may not be vitally affected by reciprocity, except in a sympathetic way...

Manufacturers were viewing the matter in a different light now. Referring to the cry of "the thin end of the wedge," he showed how past revisions of the tariff had not been detrimental...

Our National Market. Turning to the question of reciprocity, at St. Philippe, Que., Dr. Bland showed that the United States was our natural market...

Benefit to the Farmer. Mr. Roch Lanctot, speaking at St. Philippe, Quebec, sketched the benefits which would accrue from reciprocity...

In the Dominion because our consumption is still relatively small. He wants to pay for these importations by a greatly increased export of Canadian natural products...

A trade so one-sided as to permit us to send only \$10,000,000 worth of Canadian goods to a country whose goods we buy to the extent of \$384,000,000 in twelve months needs to be placed on a sounder basis...

To those who fear that the increase of our exports to the United States will predispose Canadians to annexation let us put this question: Is Canada less devoted to the Empire...

CANADIAN SHEEP

Henry Arkel describes the Opposition Scare as the Veriest Nonsense

"There is nothing mysterious about the importation of United States sheep into Canada at the present time," said Mr. Henry Arkel, of Arkel, one of the largest breeders of sheep in Canada...

WAGES AND LABOR

The Cheap Labor Hodge Does Not Stand Investigation

The wages of labor, and the relative cost of labor, are two very different things. Congressman Redfield, of New York, himself a manufacturer, proved very conclusively in a recent speech that low-priced labor is not always cheap labor...



J. M. SINCLAIR A Liberal stalwart in Nova Scotia.

INSIDIOUS APPEALS

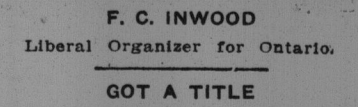
Hon. Charles Murphy Replies to the Tactics of Conservatives

Hon. Charles Murphy, addressing a Liberal rally at Brookville, dealt with the character of the campaign being waged against reciprocity...

"These insidious appeals," commented the Secretary of State, "are being made to the British-born, the large majority of them sturdy British Non-conformists and Liberals, who in the Motherland so stoutly and successfully opposed the very class whose counterparts are banded together in this country to oppose reciprocity."

MR. GRAHAM'S COUNTERPOINT

"I feel grateful indeed," said Hon. G. R. Graham, at Brookville, "that I am supported by those of you who do not call yourselves Liberals. I appreciate your presence here today..."



F. C. INWOOD Liberal Organizer for Ontario.

GOT A TITLE. "You say that when he married she got a title?" asked the sweet thing. "Yes," answered the most popular girl in the neighborhood. "Countess, duchess, or what?" "Mrs."



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SPORT NEWS OF A DAY; HOME AND ABROAD

Baseball. Thoney Back in the Eastern League. Unlucky Jack Thoney is billed to return to the Eastern League and Toronto is the most likely club to get him.

Marathons Victorious. The Marathons again defeated the Galois team yesterday afternoon by a score of 4 to 2. Sweet pitched all ball for the Greeks and he was given good support by his team, Callahan and Riley excelling in that respect.

GRAND WORK WAS DONE ON PLAYGROUNDS

Many People Attended the Closing Yesterday Afternoon—Chief Superintendent and School Inspectors Were Visitors

The closing of the Centennial playgrounds yesterday afternoon was marked by the presentation of a very pleasing program which included speeches by Mrs. E. A. Smith, Mrs. David McLellan, and A. R. Pixley, the boys' secretary of the Y. M. C. A. staff.

MOIRS CHOCOLATES All the Choicest Kinds Large Assortment Just Received J. Benson Mahony

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NOW TO PLEASE THE KIDDIES! SPECIAL TODAY! A Clever Little Girl in Sensational Comedy Drama "BESSIE'S RIDE"

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WHEN DOCTOR DANIEL SERVED UNDER THE STARS AND STRIPES. Editor Times: Sir—On Wednesday evening I attended the Conservative meeting held in the north end to glean some information as to the effects of reciprocity on the trade of Canada.

THE ARMY OF CONSTIPATION Is Growing Smaller Every Day. CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS are responsible for the fact that only one out of every ten men suffers from constipation.

WHAT'S IN A NAME? "Try some chicken, sir." "Give me anything but chicken." "Have chicken, freeseer, sir. There's everything in that except chicken!"—London Opinion.

It doesn't cost very much to please a woman, but in keeping her pleased it what costs many a man to go broke.

National League results yesterday were: Cincinnati 8, Philadelphia 16; Pittsburgh 2, New York 3; other games off on account of rain.

American League Standing. Philadelphia . . . Won Lost PC. Detroit . . . 79 40 66.3

Eastern League Standing. Rochester . . . Won Lost PC. Toronto . . . 74 41 64.3

Diamond Sparkles. Cincinnati did some heavy hitting in the recent series with Boston.

Agacite. The R. K. Y. C sailing race for the Beveridge Cup is to be run at Millidgeville this afternoon, starting at 3 o'clock.

News. Champion Defeated. Newport, R. I., Aug. 25. The biggest upset of the tennis tournament thus far came today when W. M. Washburn, winner of the Columbia interscholastic tournament, defeated R. D. Little, one of the double champions, in five sets. The scores were: 9-7, 5-7, 3-6, 6-2, 4-6.

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Fine Huck Towels, all white, 36x18, at 35c. pair
Very Fine Huck Towels, all white, 34x18, at 40c. pair
White Huck Damask Ends, 37x19, at 45c. pair
Very Fine White Huck, 38x21, at 50c. pair
White H. S. Huck Damask Ends, 41x22, at 60c. pair
White H. S. Huck Damask Ends, 42x22, at 50c. each
Turkish Bath Towels, at 12c., 15c., 18c., 20c., 22c., 25c., 28c. ea.
Linen Bath Towels, 44x23, at 40c. each
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TOUR OF THE LIBERAL PARTY ROOMS SHOWS EVERYONE CONFIDENT

Great Numbers of Workers Out Each Evening, New Recruits With Every Day and Everything Going With Swing That Means Big Victory

If there were a shadow of doubt existing in the mind of any voter as regards the party with which he should cast his vote to be on the winning side, he would be a dunderhead no longer if he paid a visit to any of the Liberal ward rooms about the city, and saw the numbers of men working on committees, busily engaged in matters essential to the conducting of a big election campaign. Every man has his part to do, and all go about it with a vim and enthusiasm which inspire confidence in the Liberal candidates, at the polls on September 21.

LOCAL NEWS

BIRTHS AND MARRIAGES Registrar J. B. Jones reports for the week four marriages and five births—three girls and two boys.

RECEPTION TO PREMIER. A full meeting of the Laurier reception committee will be held this evening in the Dufferin Hotel sample rooms.

POSTPONED The trip to Baywater by members of Thorne Lodge has been postponed till next Saturday.

THE VIRGINIAN. The Allan line steamer Virginia, sailed from Liverpool yesterday. She was detained a week owing to labor troubles in the old country.

BANDSMEN CALLED. The members of the 62nd band will meet at their band room on Monday, the 28th, at 7 p. m. sharp; plain clothes, dark hats, card cases and instruments.

ST. MARTIN'S RAILWAY. Owing to special train service that has been arranged for the Laurier demonstration Monday, 29th, connections for St. Martin's will be made with train leaving St. John at 11:20 a. m.

BLUE ROCK STARS WIN In a fast four inning game on the west side golf links last evening, the Blue Rock Stars defeated the Tower Stars by a score of 3 to 1. The winning team lined up as follows:—Stirling, catcher; Coughlan, pitcher; Wiley, 1st base; McKenna, 2nd base; Campbell 3rd base; Costley short stop; Godcoe, right field; O'Neill, left field; McFrederick, centre field.

DO HONOR TO MISS HOLDER. An event of more than usual interest took place at Renforth on the evening of the 19th inst., when about 100 friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Burnham. The gathering was a farewell visit in honor of Miss Myrtle M. Holder, who will be the principal in an interesting social event in the near future. The guests brought many useful presents with them. A very pleasant evening was spent, with dancing and music. Refreshments were also served.

MRS. JORDAN'S PLANS Mrs. J. C. Jordan, of River Glade, N. B., arrived in the city last night and at 11:30 this morning had a conference with Premier Hazen in regard to the repairs that will be made to the property at River Glade. Arrangements are now being made to secure better fire protection at the sanitarium. Spring water is used all over the institution, but it is likely that a main will be run from the river nearby for fire purposes.

THIS EVENING Meeting of Laurier reception committee in Dufferin Hotel sample rooms, 7:30. Liberal ward meetings in the various wards.

Good singing, the orchestra and motion pictures at the Nickel.

Late songs and motion pictures at the Gem.

Vaudeville and motion pictures at the Lyric.

Motion pictures and songs at the Star.

Mildred and Roudlers at the Opera House.

LIBERAL ELECTORS The Liberal electors of the various wards will meet in their respective ward rooms for regular work each night until Sept. 21st.

LIBERAL CAMPAIGN NOTES FROM VARIOUS PARTS OF PROVINCE

At the Long Beach, near the Cedars, Dr. McAlister and E. H. Malpin addressed a fine meeting and were accorded a most hearty reception. Both made a deep impression, and the meeting was a great success.

The belief is growing strong throughout York county that Dr. Atherton and reciprocity stand a splendid chance on Sept. 21. The Liberal candidate, who is very popular in that constituency, has been making a good campaign, and has met with an enthusiastic reception in every section.

Plus Michaud, the Liberal candidate in Madrasville, J. E. Porter and J. F. Tweedale, were the speakers last night in Perth at a largely attended and enthusiastic meeting of the electors at which resolutions favoring reciprocity, endorsing the candidate and Sir Wilfrid and expressing loyalty were passed.

Oulton hall, Albert county, was thronged to the doors last night at a meeting addressed by Hon. H. R. Emerson, Hon. F. J. Sweeney, Hon. C. J. Osman, and Hon. A. R. McChelan. A fine reception was given each speaker, Mr. Emerson especially receiving an ovation.

ARMCHAIR REFLECTIONS

By H. L. Spencer

Some years ago a writer in the Times, who was termed by the editor "The Philosopher of Kennebecasis Bay," not infrequently alluded to a trio of spruce trees that stood by the roadside near his abode. They were very beautiful, and very sociable trees, when they thought there were no carterboys about, but sometimes when the philosopher sat in their shade, silent, alone and unobserved, they conversed among themselves of passing events, and, of course, the philosopher listened, just as the curious sometimes listen at keyholes and near open windows.

Below the ground these trees were one, but at the surface they were three, and stately trees appeared, and dark shadow which their interlocked branches cast upon the ground.

The philosopher tells me that once he overheard them talking of Little Florence, in the silent churchyard of St. Paul. "Will she blossom again, as the roses do?" questioned one.

"Who can tell us?" answered another. "No one can predict with certainty, but I can tell you, she will blossom again, as the roses do," ejaculated the third.

"After a little whispered conversation which the philosopher was unable to intercept, they sang a hymn, as tender were the hymns of the Autumn wind, 'To the memory of Little Florence.' Then one of them spoke of Little Laura. 'Here she comes!' ejaculated another. 'Your eyes deceive you,' said the third. 'What you see is a leaf dancing up the road.' 'Dear Little Laura,' said the first. 'She has gone away, and will come to us again no more!'

"Well," said they all, "she was happy here with us; may she always be as happy! But that is asking too much. The golden age of her life is rapidly passing! We are growing old and we know all about it."

Then one said it felt about as vigorous as ever, and another that it had determined to live forever, but the third remarked with a sigh that it felt a deadly gnawing at its heart, and that it feared the consequences! It may be remembered that it had similar forebodings years ago.

A few days since this last speaker was prostrated by a heavy wind, and on examination it was found that its heart had been hounded by a colony of ants.

ST. JOHN MAN'S SUCCESS Grandson of the late Governor of Los Angeles, Cal., accompanied by his mother Mrs. J. K. Taylor of St. John and cousin Miss Margaret Taylor of Yarmouth, N. S., have been guests at the Victoria during the week. Mr. Taylor who is a brother of Dr. Taylor, is one of St. John's sons who have succeeded in the states, going out there from Carleton about twenty-three years ago.

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