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## TORONTO NOTES

Torowro, July 7. 1892. Toronro, July 7. 1892.
I owe the readers of the Eono an apology in Friday of last week was Dominion Day that a consequence I neglected to send my corresa consequence 1 neglected to send my corresno doubt, accounts for the non-appearance of
my usual contribution in your last issue. But I suppose no one missed it to any extent, and if so there was no hurt except to my ino
ate vanity, and if that is all, 'tis well.
I had contempleted deroting a whole chapter to Hon. Edward Blake and his call to and
acceptance of an Irish constituency. God acceptance of an Irish consinuency. Con
bless htm and prosper his intent, for it can-
not be other than good. Time flies so fast not be other thang good. Time flies so fast
now a days and circumstances overlap them. selves so rapidly (he is now in Longford) that 1 must forego my original intention. But
must say that after some twenty six years must say that after some twenty six years of
more or less intimate knowledge of public men more or less intimate knowledge of public men
in Canada I can honestly say that Hon. Edward, as an ordinary member of Parliament and as Minister of Justice fora time, was with-
out exception in the Federal Parliament the best friend of those who were of the masses,,
ever knew. This being true, and I could citt ever knew. This being true, and I could citt
ample proof of the fact, the workingmen-the true Democracy of Canada-have lost a sterling friend in the departure from their midstthat statesman, orator, scholar, lawyer-that
honest man-Edward Blake. Our loss in thi respeot will be Ireland's gain in particular, will be gainers generally. As "Grip" of last week put it, we say God bless you Blake : as Canadians, we will watch your carcer with
pride. As I am Irish myself, pray forgive pride. As I am Irish myself, pray forgive
my outburst as to the trend of my thoughts. Following up your very justifable tribute
to Professor J. W. Ashley in to Professor J. W. Ashley in last week's issue
allow me to supplement your encominm allow me to supplement your encomium with
the following paragraph in the Toranto Mail of Monday last :
"MM. W. J. Ashley, professor of polititial
science in the University of Toronto, has ac-
cepted a similar position in Harvard Univerepty Mr. Aehley came here from Onford
sity.
University hardly three years first professor in political science in the Uni-
versity of Toronto, and in that time he built
up one of the most popular and largest courses
in the university. Propessor Asley. was off.
fred an enviable position in an Australian in
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unin position as he was then interested in the prou
paration of constitutional history of Canada,
and would not have the same facility for gathering information, but in He vard he can
continue his work almost as well as in Toronto.
He took an active part in all social quesHe took an active part in all social ques-
tions, and was known as an active worker in
many of the charitable institutions in the city.
The university anfler aserion in many orte charitable institutions in the city.
The unversity suffers a serious lose by his
resignation, and his position will be a hard
one to fill." Let me add to this the further remark
that organized labor will suffer in an especial manner by reason of Professor Ashley's de-
parture from our midst, and for this especial reason: His lectures were attended by a
class of the community not ordinarily ac cessible to those who espoused and advo-
cated the rights of labor. This class Prof. Ashley was edceating in sound principles,
although not always very palatable to his although not always very palatable to his
andience. His leetures in the Lecture hall were always numerously and most fashion ably attended by men and women-I beg pardon, I meant to haye said ladies and
gentlemen. He was always listened to with attention, and where the applause was loud-
est there could be seen men whoto int there could be seen men whotook a warm
interest in labor and its philosophy-a
philosyphy most eloquently partially elaborated by Prof. Ashley. must not forget to mention, either that his
wife-unassuming, graceful and amiable-wife-unassuming, graceful and amiable-
his "other half," aye his "better half" takes a warm and concurrent interest in the
political teachings of her husband.
Apart Apart from her education, Nature
stamped Mrs. Ashley a "lady" all that the word shoould imply.
Blake is gone, and now Ashley is going, and Blake is gone, and now Ashley is going, and
soon we will have none other worthy left in
their their respective spheres. I suppose some
one will trip me up with the name of Tom one will trip me up with the name of Tom
McGreevy, Sir Hector Langevin, Sir John McGreevy, Sir Hector Langevin, Sir John
Thompson, Clark Wallace, Dewdney, Billy Thompson, Clark Wallace, Dewdney, Billy
MoLean, John Haggart, "That will do " the sponge."
THE HEN House herozs ! Last Saturday's city papers containda a
lengthy despatch from the village of Wiarm

## $\left\lvert\, \begin{aligned} & \text { ton, detailing how Rev. Geo. Yeo- } \\ & \text { mans, Presbyterian Minister at that } \\ & \text { place }\end{aligned}\right.$

 Stars and Strippes flag on his ho on Dominion Day, that an indignant oroycollected, headed by the Keeve and Conncillors who demanded obnoxio that the olergyman indignantly refused; that the
village constable boldly and most courage village constable boldly and most courage-
ously "stormed the citadel" and hauled the ously "stormed the citadel " and hauled the
flag down; that the said flag was instantly lag down; that the said flag was instantly played God Save the Queen, torn into shreds that these remnants were attached to pole streets of the village and ultimately de stroyed on the public square amid the wild
"hurraha" of the patriotic oitizens. Chas Dicken's related of himself that being wnce on the street when a military band inflamed with fighting patriotism that he oarefully surveyed the srowd around him, singling out a very small boy deliberately
pitched in and trounced the little fellow. pitched in and trounoed the little fellow.
There was method in that atyle of fighting patriotism. But I am getting away from he sequel to the Wiarton viotory over the
Stag. and Stripes. In relation thereto Payday's Globe contained the following : "Wiarton, July 2.-On the outskirts of
he village resides. Rev. Geo. Yeomans Presbyterian minister. On Dominion Day his two boys, aged twelve and fourteen aecured an Amerioan flag, not being able to get any other, and hoisted it on a temporary
pole on the roof of a hen house. The fact that an American flag had been hoisted soon became known, and three constable wer delegated by the reeve of the village to have
pulled down. The officials weat to the house and found only Mrs. Yeomans a home. They told their mission, and she at noe assented to the flag being lowered.
The officials ascended to the roof and pulled down the pole and the flag, and on reaching the ground they were met 'y a crowd, some 65 in number, who seized the offending flag,
tore it into ribbous and then atreched the ibbons to a pole and carried them at th head of a procession through the streets."
Now if these three constables and th eeve are not knighted then Her Britanni Majesty has but a faint appreciation
fealty to her person as represented by the Union Jack. Steps should be taken at onc who so daringly stormed a hen house.
understand steps are being taken to secure understand steps are being taken to secure
apace for exhibiting all the natural product f Canada at the World's fair at Chicago in 1893. We are to exhibit hogs, sheep, horsea
and cattle, and it is to be hoped the Cana dian Commissioner will not neglect securing other animasls from Ontario, to be labeled
"Four Asses from Wiarton" "Four Asses from Wiarton."
To those who are posted much will be
understood between the lines of the follow ing paragraph from the Toronto Mail of last
Monday: Monday:
It is exppected that work on the new Court
House will be in full swing to-day, owing o the vigorous action of Architect Lennox to see that the terms of the ontract are not departed from, and the new building will be
erected in strict accordance with the conerected
tract.
At the last meeting of the Trades and
Labor Council Delegate O'Donoghue brought ertain specific grieviances of the licensed expressmen to the attention of that body,
with the result of securing a reference of the complaint to the Municipsl Committee for ation. On Thursday of last week Kessrs, O'Donoghue had an official interview with His Worship Mayor Flemming, and detailed to him all the oiroumstances. While read:ly admitting the grievanoe His Worship
dvised the deputation to appear before the Board of Policé Commissioners (composed Police Magistrate) who had power to dea with the case. This will be done at the next meeting of that Board.
What has become of your Quebec cor respondent "Atlas"?. His characteristic trree and instructive. Come on Quebec.

Up to 3.10 p . m, yesterday the returns
how the following elected for the British
House of Commous: Conservatives, 162 ; House of Commous: Conservatives, 162 ;
Liberals, 124 ; Liberal Unionists, 22 ; antiParnellites, 13 ; Parnellites, 4.

Burcheri at hombsirad. BLOODY ENCOUNTER WITH pinkerton thuas.

Who are Beaten Back and Surrender to the Strikers.
many killed and wounded.
Pripsbuga, Pa., July 6.-Pittsburg has had another ezperience with labor riots and
this time, as during the fearful soenes whit this time, as during the fearful soenes whic
were witnessed during the railroad riots 1877, blood has been shed. This time there Was no destruction of property, but the mob
was thoroughly well was thoroughly well organized, well dis ciplined and had efficient officers at their head to conduct the operations. The foron embraced all the men employed in the ex-
tensive plants of the Carnegie Iron and Steel Company, at Homestead, some eight miles past of Pittsburg, and a battle which for heodthirstiness and boldness of execation waghd from $40^{\circ}$ 'clock in the morning till o'olock this afternoon, and ouly ceased when the force of Pinkerton's men brought to the
place to suppress the strike uncouditionall surrendered, leaving their arms in the barges in which they had been transported to the works.
The riot to-day was the culmination the troubles which have been brewing a Homestead for the past month. Yesterday
the Carnegie company announced their in the Carnegie company amnounced their in pairs and the offioials asked the sheriff to appoint doputies to protect their property
The sheriff sent a small squad of men The sheriff sent a small squad of men up to
the works, but the strikers assembled force and notified them to gelliout of town, as no disorder was intended and no damage would be done to any property. They even
offered to be sworn in as deputies and to give bonds for the faithful performancee o their duties as conservators of the peace,
When this offer had been declined the ad visory committee, which had been directin the actions of the workmen and which had
held the turbalent spirits among the work. men in check, was inimediately dissolve
and all the records of the committee wit and all the records of the committee we day showed that the application made for assistance of the sheriff was merely for the
parpose of covering what was intended to be a coup de main on the part of the Carn gie company in clandestinely introducing a
body of Pinkerton deteotives into the mill onclosure.
The detectives had been rendezvoused
some five or six miles below the city on then Ohio river, at which point two barges had been prepared for them. The barges were
of the best build and were used in shipping iron rails down the river from the Carnegi mills at Braddook. It was the intention
that the men should reach the works about 3 o'elock this morning, but the guards wh were on daty along the river got word of the
threatened invasion of the hated Pinkerton threatened invasion of the hated Pinkerton men and prepared to receive them. The
barges were towed up the river by a tow boat, but long before the Pinkerton men reached Homestead thousands of striker to give them a warm welcome.
to give them a warm welcome.
When the boats attempted to land the workmen broke through the tence surround ing the mill, and entrenching themselves ist the landing of the deteotives. By four 'olock in the morning an effort was mad them and a fieroe battle precipitated, bot sides exchanging a heavy volley of shote The detectives were all armed with Winchester rifles, but at the point where the attompt to land was made there was a steep
embankment and they were compelled to embankment and they were compelled to
go in single fite and were soon driven back go in single file and were soon driven back
to the boats by the steady fire from the shore.
The n
The noise of the battle spread about the
borough like wildfire, and thousands of men borough like wildfire, and thousands of men,
women and children thronged to the river bank to witness the fight in progress.
As the battle progresed As the battle progressed the strikers too up a position behind breastworks hastily
constructed of steel rails and billets and from constructed of steel rails and billets and from
this place of safe refuge were able to pick off the detectives as soon as they appeared on the deck of the boats.
In the meantime Captain Hynd and
$\left\{\begin{array}{c}\text { SINGLE COPIES-THREE CENTS } \\ \text { ONE DOLLAR PE YEAR }\end{array}\right.$
Syperjifendent Kliene, of the Pinkerto mep, were disabled and the fire was so flerce
tiat the crew of the tow boat hastily cut What the crew of the tow boat hastily out
loose from the barge and steamed up the river, carrying as many of the wounded point they weach to Braddook, from which por treatment at Pittsburg. Seven of the
fore sent Toree were thue cared for, while the strikers that fell wounded we e carried to their homes at Homestead, the dead being taken
to the morgue and undertaking rooms in the town.
The
oarly as 6 o'olock in in the reached Pittsburg ass ands of mill-workers, all of whom are nowidle pending the conference on the seale, ongregated in the streets, while hundrede others armed with guns and revolvers and well supplied with ammunition took up the de of march to reinforce the strikers. As mall brass ten-pound cannon and a it within a steel billet embrasure po anted ommand the barges which were moored et The bank of the river. At the same time a fore of more than a thousand men took up position on the opposite aide of the river nd also planted a cannon which they proThe fire from both sides was railroad tiec. arges being pieroed along the sidee up, When it was found that little impr ould be made by the oannon on the bonten, neffort was made to fire the barges and nus compell the deteotives to lesve the sasel or suffar the terrible fate of being rae apouted on the waske prooured and ofl barges, While this was being sides of the after barrel of oil was emptied into the river above the mooring place, the objeot being to allow it to float againgt the barges and then gnite it. This torrible deed was attompteid veral thimes, but the boats did not burn, nd then the niob became infuriated and great effect.
Towerds
arp.tho boaste withorto were again made to hey would donbtletes have enceceoded had it not been for the interposition of the leading who want to Amalgamated association, afternoon. Through their efforte in the agreed to allow the detectives to surrender. At 5 p.m. another white flag wae hat out and a committee of strikers went aboard to prepare terms of capitulation. They guaranleed safe conduot for the Pinkerton men provided they left their arms and ammuniander guard. native and promply accepted the altersome of the men saying it was the first time chey had ever submitted to such a hamiliaion and surrender.
When an inspection of the boats was made Was found that at least seven of the Pinkton men had been killed and 20 or 30 As they were brought from they will resented a terrible appearance they were besmeared with blood while all of them howed signs of exhanstion from the long onfinement in the olose quarters between eoks. Fully 30 injured men were taken to One of the tho
an umbrells in the his eye punched out Sand was thrown in their ofes and they were hit with olabs and other missiles. Many were knooked down and trampled pon, and some were too weak to walk when ey were started for the town hall. The truck the deteotives over the heed and houlders, inflioting, serions, and eade and erhaps, fatal injuries, As the procession eached the Amalgamated association buildding the detectives had to remove their hats ged in the Opera house, where fhey opt for the night.
Alter the prisoners had been removed enge, They carried oil into the holds, pourec it over the bedding and furniture and then set it on fire, first securing the barges so that
they could not float down the riverand canse damage to points below. When the flame broke through the decks, the cheers whiol ould be heard miles away and the noll ither side of the river were ed with people, who could witress from this
high point all that was transpiring on the high point all that was transpiring on thy
battlefield and be out of range of the deadl The was one that will be remember

THE ECHO, MON'REAL.
Lady Bountiful
a Story with a moral for social theorists to ACT UPON.

CHAPTER XLIX.-Conoluded. He led the way into the vestry, where he book lay open, and the proper entries.
Then Harry took his place and signeed Now, behold las he took the pen in his hand, Lord Jooelyn art fully held blotting-paper in readiness, and ins ofcha ananoeg the bride ; then Angela signed ; then the witnessee, Lord Jooelyn and Captain Sorensen, And then thefore the Came away the curate ventured timidy whisper oongratulations and that he had $n$ idea of the honor. And then Angelas atopped him, and bade him to her wedding-feast Then Lord Jooelyn distributed largeese, the largest kind of largesese, among the peo ple of the ohuroh.
But it surely was the strangest of wed
dings, For when they Jogs. For when they reached the churo other, and then he placed her in the oarriage in whioh the Davenants and Lord Jocely allo seated themselves, and so they drove 'We ahall see her again to-night,' alid
Harry. 'Come, Dick, we have got a long day to get through seven hoore. Lot un rest ; I can't do anything. Let us go for rest;
waik and wrangle.' They left the girls an strode away, and did not return till it was
past six oclock, and already growing dark. The girle, in dreadful lowness of sprits,
and feeling as flat as so many pancakes, returned to their hoose and sat down wit several hours. Did one ever hear that the maidens at a marriage-do the customis of any country present an example of such a thing-returned to the bride's house with-
out either bride or bridegroom? Did one ever hear of a marriage where the groom left the briae at hio
As for Captain Sorensen, he went to the by the persons in authority. There atill much to be done before the evening,
bat there was time ; sul would be done. Pesonatiy he went away. bia ho, too, wis reatless and agitated; he could not rest at
home; the posessiun of the secret, the thought of his daughter's future, the strango and unlooked-for happiness that had come to him in him old age-these things agitatee
him ; nor could even his fidde bring him any oonsolation ; and the peaceefulness of the Almshouse, which generally soothed him;
this day irritated him. Therefore he wandered about, and presently appeared at girls, and they talked about what would The first thing that happened was the
arrival of the cart- a spring-cart-with the name of a Regent Street frm upon it. T men took out a great quantity of parcels and
brought them into the show room. All the girls ran down to see what it meant, be Nelly, must mean something

- 'Name of Armitage?' 'asked the man. This is for you.' And so on, a parcel for
every one of the giris. Then he went away, and they all looked
at each other. 'Hadn't you better,' asked Captain Sor-
ensen,
They open the parcell, girls?
 mascoline pen oan not deseribe the sweet
things whioh they found there; not silks things which they fond there; ; iot silks
and satins, but pretty things; with boots, becanse dress makers are apt to be shabby in the matter of boots; and with handker-
ohiefs and pretty soarfs and gloves and serviceable things of all sorts.
More than this: there was a separate
parcel tied up in white paper for every girl, pancel on it, in pencil, 'For the wedding suup per at the Palace of Dolight.' And in it gauze, or lace, for bride-maids head-dreess,
and white kid gloves, and a necklace with a locket, and inside the locket a portrait of Miss Kennedy, and outside her Christian name, Angela. Also, for each girl s little note, 'For
Iove; ', but for Nelly, whose parcel was lithe Mise Ment Benjumin's mess, the note was, 'For Nelly with Miss Messenger's kindest love.' jealouisy, , sis because you were Mise Ken-
nedys favorite. Well ! Mise Messenger edy's favorit . No wonder at all,' said Captain Sorensen.
And nobody guessed, Nobody had the
least muspicion.

While they were all admiring and wondering, Mrs, Bormalack ran over breathless,
'My dears!' she cried, 'look what's My
come !
Noth
Nothing less than a beautiful black silk ${ }^{\text {dress. }}$ Now ' you men awa, Captain Sorensen,' you men are only hindering. racions ! To think that Miss Messenger vould remember me, of all people in the of her collectors, and she may have heard bout me-
No, ssid Rebekah, 'it is through Miss
Kennedy; no one has been forgotten who At seven o'clocis that evening the great hall of the Palace was pretty well filled
with guests. Some of them, armed with with guests. Some of them, armed with
white wands, aoted as stewards, and it wa anderstood that on the arrival of Mise
Messenger a lane was to be formed, and the procession to the dais at the end
was to pass through that hall. Outside in the vestibule, stood the wed ding party, waiting : the bridegroom, with
his best man, and the bride-maids in their white dresses, flowing gauze and neoklaces, and gloves, and flowers-a very sweet and beautiful bevy of girls; Harry, for the last
time in his life, he thought with a sigh, in vening dress. Within the hall there wer strange rumors flying about. It was said
that Mies Messenger herself had been marthat Miss Messenger herself had been mar-
ried that morning, and that the procession would be for her wedding ; but others know better; it was Miss Kennedy's wedding he had married Harry Goslett, the man nedy, everybody knew, was patronized by Miss Messenge
At ten minutes past seven two carriages Harry's bride, led by Lord Jocelyn; and from the second the Davenants.
Yes, Harry's bride. But whereas in the
morning she had been dressed in a plain white frook and white bonnet like her bride maids-she was now arrayed in white satin,
nystic, wonderful, with white veil and nystic, wonderfal, with white veil and
white flowers, and round her white throat a ecklace of sparkling diamond dia Harry stepped
heart.
'Take her, boy,' said Lord Jocelyn proadly. 'But you have married-not Mis Kennedy at all-but Angela Messenger.'
Harry took his bride's hand in a kind of Htupor. What did Lord Jocelyn mean? ' Forgive me, Harry,' she said, 'say you
Then he raised her veil and kissed he forehead before them all. But he could not
speak, because all in a moment the sense of what this would mean poured upon his brain in a great
been alone.
It was Miss Kennedy, indeed, but glori-
fied into a great lady; oh !-oh!-Miss Messenaer !
The girls, frightened, were shrinking to gether; even Rebekah was afraid at th
great and mighty name of Messenger. Angela went among them, and kissed
hem all with words of encouragement.
Can you not love me, Nelly,' she said, 'as well when I a n rich as when I was poor?
Then the chief officers of the Brewer advanced, offering congratulations in timi
arcents because they knew now that Mis
Kennedy, the dressenal Kennedy, the dress-maker, of whom such
hard things had been sometimes said in their no other than the sole partner in the Brew ery, and that her husbańd had worke
among them for a daily wage. What di these things mean? They made respectabl who at sight of Miss Messenger, for whon he was waiting with anxious heart, of unrewarded zeal, turned pale, and broke
through the crowd with violence and fled. It was Uncle Bunker
And then the stewards appeared at the open doors, and the procession was formed
First the stewards themselves-being al clerks of the Brewery-walked proudly the head, oarrying their white wands lik
rifles. Next sight of whom the guests shouted an roared ; next came Dick Coppin with Nelly,
and Lord Jocelyn with Rebekah, and the ohief brewer with Lady Davenant, of course in her black velvet and war-paint, and Lord
Davenant with Mrs. Bormalack, and the chief accountant with another bride-maid, and Captain.
Then the organ burst into a Wedding
March, rolling and pealing about the walls
of the mighty hall, and amid its melodious of the mighty hall, and amid its melodiou
thunder, and the shouts of the wedding
the lane of ourious and
they reached the dais.
When all were dais.
in the midale, her hosbend, with the bride right and the bride-maids grouped behind read in Lord Jocelyn stepped to which he then gave with of the deend of gow which he
Angela,
hands.
Then she stepped for ward and raised he veil, and stood before them all, betatiful a
the day, and with tears in her eyes. Ye she spoke in firm and clear accents whic all could hear. It was her first and las public speech; for Angela belongs to that
rapidly diminishing body of women who refer to let the men do all the public speak. ing.
iny
friends iends : I wish fict she said, 'my kin anderstand that this Palace has been invent ed and designed for you by my husband,
All I have done is to boild it. Now it yours, with all it contains. I pray God tha may be used worthily, and for the joy and Delights open, the property of the people, to ee administered and governed by them, an Thione, in trust for each other. This was all she said; and the people
oheered again, and the organ played -God ave the Queen.'
Delight thrown ceremony was the Palace Deligit thrown open to the world. What ding party? What better omen could ther be than that the Palace, like the Garden o Eden, should
At this point there presented itself, practical difficulty. It was this : the a grav could only be declared open in the great hall hall that the banquet could take pleat ow, how were the fifteen hundred guest the got out of the way and amused while There could not be, it is true cloth spread and costly plate and epergnes and flowers my lord mayor's great dinner, but orna tables ; and even with an army of drilled waiters it takes time to lay covers fo But huadred people.
But there was no confuaion. Once more he procession wass formed and marched
ound the hall, headed by the band ymnasium, Guards, visiting first th gymnasium, then the library, then the con-
cert room, and lastly the theatre. Here they paused, and the bridal party took their seat was taken, the stewarde invited the rest into the concert room. In the theatre a little
sparkling comedy was played; in the concert madrigals and glees, Onteride thed swee ran backward and forward as basy as Diogenes with his tub, bat more to the pur When, in something over an hour, the erformances were finished, the stewards
found that the tables were laid, one running own the whole length of the hall, and a card with his place upon it ; there was no welc
Angela and her husband sat in the middle Lord Jocelyn, at Harry's right Lady Dav.
nant. Opposite the bride and bridgroom at the chief brewer and the chief account. eft. All Avgela's friends and acquaintances Stepney Green were there, except three
For old Mr. Maliphant was sitting as usua ${ }^{1}$ in the boarding house, conversing with un-
sen persons, and laughing and brandishing pipe ; and with him Daniel Fagg sat hug
ging his book. And in his own office sat his offioious private letter to Miss Messen. or, and he felt tnat he had indeed gone and

The rest of the long table was filled up by ry ; at the shorter tables sat the rest of the guests, inoluding even the draymen and
errand boys. And so the feast began, while errand boys. And so the feast began, whit
the band of the Guards played for them.
It was a royal feast, with the most magniIt was a royal feast, with the most magnibeef, legs of mutton, saddles of mutton, hams, huge turkeys, oapons, fowls, ducks, and geese, all done to a turn; so that the ished that such a wedding might come nd Messenger's monst, with such a supper. nd Messenger's beer, as much as you
pleased, for everybody. At a moment like is, would one, even at the high table, or, aught but Messenger's beer?
of first course were removed, there came mange, all kinds of delicions things.

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 proposed foed, the ohief brewer rose ond proposed in a few words the health of thebride and bridegroom. He aiid that it would be a last sorrow to all of them that hey had not been present at the auspioious ${ }^{\text {onem }}$ some measure made up to them by the appiness they had enjoyed together that hem pray more heartily for the happiness of he bride, it would be the thought that she rfused to be married from her house in the West End, but came to Stepney among the orkmen and managers of her own brewery, nd preferred to celebrate her wedding feasi the people of the place. And he had one nore good thing to tell them. Miss Mesonger, when she gave that precious thing her hand, retained h.er name. There would till be a Messenger at the head of the good old house.
Harry re
Harry replied in a few words, and the edding cake went round. Then Dick
oppin proposed success to the Palace of Coppin p .

Harry,' whispered Angela, 'if you love e, speak now, from your very heart. He sprung to his feet, and spoke to the
people as they had never heard any yet people a
speak.
After telling them what the Palace was, hat it was meant to be, a place for the
happiness and reareation ot all; how they appiness and recreation of all; how they
ere to make their own amusements for themselves; how there were class rooms
where all kinds of arts and accomplishments vould be taught ; how, to insure order and sood behavior, it was necessary that they hould form their own volunteer police; troversies within those walls, and how the anagement of all was left
their own choosing, he said :
'Friends all, this is indeed such a thing as he world has not yet seen. You have been requently invited to join together and combine for the raising of wages; you are con-
tinually invited to follow leaders who promise to reform land laws, when you who had no land and 'never will have any; bolish the House of Lords, in which you have no part, share or lot; ; to sweep away
Church which does not interfere with you;
but who have nothing but who have nothing-no, nothing to offer
ou, out of which any help or advantage will come to you. And you are always be esignation under inevitable suffering ; and you are told to submit your reason, your
ill, yourselves, to authority, and all will well with you. No one yet has given you he chance of making yourselves happy. In y lives of the rich happy. Here yan will have music, dancing, singing, acting, paintg, reading, games of skill, games of chance,
companionhhip, cheerfulness, light, warmth, comfort-everything. When these things
have been enjoyed for a time they will behave been enjoyed for a time they will be-
come a necessity for you, and a part of the
education for your young people. They will go on to desire other things which ean
wour young people. They not be found by any others for you, but
which must be found by yourselves and for whichslves. My wife has placed in your
yoursdes the materials for earthly joy; it lies
hands with you to learn how to use them; it lies
with you to find what other things are neeess sary ; how the people who have all the power
there is, must find out what they want, and help themselves to it, standing shoulder to shoulder by means of that power ; how
those enemies are not the rich, whom your brawlers in Whitechapel Road ignorantly
acouse, but quite another kind-and you nust find out for yurselves who these are. It is not by setting poor against rich, or by
hardening the heart of rich against poor, that you will eucceed; it is by independence and by knowledge. All sorts and conditions
of men are alike. As are the vices of the rich, so are your own ; as are your virtues,
so are theirs. But, hitherto, the rich have had things which you could not get. Now all that is a/tered : in the Palace of Delight
w9 are equal to the richest; there is nothing which we, too, can not have; what they de
sire we desire; what they have we shall have ; we oan all love; we can all laugh ; we can all feel the power of music; we can
dance and sing, or we can sit in peace and meditate. In this Palace, as in the outer world, remember that you have the Power
The time for envy, hatred, and accusations have gone by ; because we workingmen have, t last, all the power there is to be had, Let
is use it well. But the Palace will be for joy and happiness, not for political wrangles, Brothers and siaters, we will no longer sit down in resignation; we will take the same oy in this world that the rich have taken,
Life is short for us all ; let us make themost of it for ourselves and for each other. There
re so many joys within or reach ; there are so many miseries we can abolish. In this
house, which is a Temple of Praise, we shall all together continually be thinkiog how to bring more sunshine into our lives,
more ohange, more variety, more happi-

A serious ending; because Harry spoke Asm his heart. As he tookse his seary in deoke
rom ilence, the organ broke forth again and old Hundredth Psalm.

## A serio.

Ten minutes later the bride rose, and the band played a joyfal maroh, while the weding procession once more formed and
narched down the hall, and the arched down the hall, and the poople oured out into the streets to cheer, and
angela and her husband drove away for heir honey-moon,
The Paiace of Delight is in working order new period began already transformed. or all who were pren the opening night hey understood that life may first time for the first time they resolved happy保d find out for themselves the secret of appiness. The angel with the flaming
word has at last stepped from the gating he earthly Paradise, and we may now enter herein and taste, unreproved, of all the -which has been rem of the Tree of Life -which has been removed, long since, to nother place.
THE END.

Printers and Female Labor.
In the course of a very interesting historical sketch of the International Union, the he following: "The problem presented in the past in relation to the position wrom should occupy iu the craft has for some time been settled, and the union's manly very few, if any, trades outside the typo graphic one, is the work of women held as that of men, there being absolutely no crimination against them where their work is the same. Although it is a sad admission o make, truth compels the statement that the bitterest and strongest opposition made against paying "the soale" (the price for
work paid by all employers of union memers) is made by women ers of union memAugusta Lewis, national correspanding ecretary, addressed a prominent cosponding rights woman who was editing a journal he suing for equal woman's rights upon members of the union, and paying the union scale, she politely refused, In this very city
we find o weekly paper cond terest of one of the great reforms and where as the female editor stated, " not where, ould be found in the establishment except the engineer," yet the price paid by this emale editor for female labor is five cente loss per thousand ems than that paid by
male employers in other establishments From this it will be seen that the printers
give more evidence of consideration gard for women and their rights than do these same rights." This discloses on the part of certain agitators for woman's eleva tion the possession of a spirit altogether too
narrow and out of harmony with the work in which they are engaged. A practical
illuatration wustration or application of your teachings
would now be in order, ladies.

[^0]THE FIGURES DO LIE
A Review oi the Census Returns BY AN IMPARTIAL OBSERVER The Gorernment and Chinese Immigration Labor day demonstration ivic Work for the Unemployed An
dent．

Owing to the holiday last weat rue E was printed one day earlier than usual， which necessitated leaving out our uunaal
weekly letter from Toronto．That our read wess may not feel disappointed，we give the most interesting portions of the letter this Toboyr，June 30， 1892. I am just in receipt of Balletio Number Censas of Canada，dated June，and signed
George Johnson，statistician，I I have often heard it asserted that figures will not lie． This may be quite true as to the figures themsolves，but when some men manipulate them 1 am juat as astiefied they car be $m$
to lie－and most outrageously ar that． I read in this Bulletin，in an Apalysisif fo the Provinees of Ontario，Queboe，Nova
Scotia and New Branswick，dealing with Soctia and New Brunswick，dealing with
manufactures，that the proportion of wages to total valne of produots was，in
${ }_{1891-20.7}^{1881-19}$ per cent．，and in and＂that after deduoting wa
of raw material coppital got，in $1881-875,436,071$, and in
$1891-122,255,270 . "$ The proportion of the wage．e．
$1881-75.4$ per eent．，
$1891-83.5$ per cent．
The Bulletin allo telle us that，after giving other igureses＂ it is thus sen that the de．
velopment of manufactures has added near－ ninety million dollars a year to the wealth of the country，as againet an addi－ tion of thirty－three millions a year in the previous decade，＂eto．
＂In 1881，atter deduoting wages and oost of raw material capital had a percentage
profit of 42 per cent．out of which to pay end loss by bad hebts．In 1891 the percent age profit was 33 per cent．＂．It is as asource see fit to go a step further and tell na how much more，over and above the percentages
just named，was set aside and distributed s profit to the capitalists immediately in－ tesested．
Mr．Johnson does tell us，however，that show ：That there has been a large increase
1st．


 of finished produots（judged by value）than
he did in in 1881 ． 3rdd That the averaze workman in 1891
aprned
in 1881．per cent．more wages than he did
 ist has had to be content with a smaller pro
fit，

 on the whole，higher in 1899 that in in wasi

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tieq，wwas ruturned． stantiate the general proposition which ex
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both absolutle and aloo rolatively to the
both productr joint prod uot．
If Mr．Statis
Il Mr．Statistician Johnson can only make larger share of the total value of the produc by 9 per cent．than did the manufacturee then we must ooncede him power beyond the ordinary．When I call up in mind the inoteased wealth and opulenco of many a manufuoturer and many a manufacturiog
company known to myself and make a com company known to myeif and make aom
parison，relatively，with the circoumptance paribon，relatively，with the ciraumptancee
of the employees， 1 cannot and do not be
 The following gpeaks for iteelf，and while
being addressed to oity labor bodies only， yet it may convey some usefal information

Fellow．Workingmen，－Toronto Tradee
and Labor Co tuoil having zeured the affir－ and Labor Co tooil having geeured the affir
mative views of the Beveral bodies repre ented therein as to the advieability of
holding a labor demontatation in this ity
at the time the Domion Trede holding a labor demonstration in this oity
tt the time the Dominion Trades and La bor Congress holas its annual seasion
which will be neld in Toronto this year
commencing on Sept．9th．）．Saturday，the comenening on Sept．t．ty．）．Satarday，the
10th，of September next，has been selected s the date for the demonostration． The workingmen in Hamilton，Ottawa whentreal the Coogreess met therein，honored it and themselves by the warmth and activity iisplayed on these ocaasions，as well as labor，organized and unorganized，takin part in their parades．Each city seenied to
vie in outdoing its sister city in this particu．

Toronto Traies and Labor Conncil ing failh in the working elements of thi iny，are making every preparation to be a
loast not second to any city in the Do minion both as to the manner and number takfng part in the demonestration of 10th o
September．To this end arrangements hav September．To this end arrangements hav Toronto Induastrial Exhibition by which th demonstration will be in conneotion with tion． after parading several streets of the city （and the details of which will be arranged
and pablished later on）will conolude on the grounds of the Txhibition at an early ho in the afternoon．This will enable all who partioipate to see and enjoy the many a tractions of the exhibition generally as wel os the special attractions in the programm that day．
The T．and L．Coancesl feels assurred tha but a very slight reminder is required（ifre
quired at all），to eecure the，hearty co－opera quired at alil），to secure the，hearty co－ppera
tion and personal support and attendanice of each and every member of your body on that occasion so that the assomblage ma be as imposing and at the oame time
oreditable to the working people of Toronts as the Council is desirous it thould be． The T．and L．Council，besides other rangemente，will provide a good band to zation taking part the duty of making gac display of a distinotive character and the
providing of such music as may be mosi suitabe to themselves．
The Demonatration Committee of the $T$ ，
and L ．Connoil is oomposed of one deeg and L．Connoil is oomposed of one delegat from every body represeoted in the coun
cil，and through your representative（it he is attending to his duty）your organization may learn of any further details sin relation to the demonstration which may be desirec application to the underaignod secretary．

## T．W．Banron， President T．and P．G．Conncil．

 Chairman of Committee． F．С．С．Свribis，Searetary of Conmite
One evening last week some gentlemen Thompoun in the recent byeoelection in this
city held a meetiog－there were six ruesen at all events．They formed a permanen labor legislation organization，and are short
ly to present to the public n it to present to hee pabica platiorm which
tis announcecd，will be very new and popar lar－mach beyond the narrow limits which
present labor organizatious are satistiod
with．In fact，as I Inderatand the gentle with．In fact，as I anderstand the gentile
men moving in the matter，the platorm will be on the tines of German and Frenoh
rabid Socialism rather than on the more conservative views obtaining in labor oiccleg
in Great Britain and on the Continent of
Amer right to do，if they so think fit，bat titshon be done openly and above board．But here is the way it is being got at．The Toront
Mail of ridiay last contained（evidently in spired and intended to deceive）a shor
and pithy little paragraph，but lacking th paragraph reads as $f$ ．llowe
Trade is and Laid that representatives of the
Troct

 Since the above appeared Mr．Cribben，
secreary of the Trades and Labor Council， and Mr．R．Glookkiing，secretary D．A． 1265 ，
have both written denying that their spective bodi
the meeting．
It is pleasing to note that Sir Johu Thompson，in the House of Commons re－
cently moved that Mr．Gordon＇s bill to to amend the Chinese Immigration Act be said it had been found necessary to adopt means to prevent the return oertiifates be． ing dupluated by the Chinese．The sale
and duplioation of these cortificates pre vailed ôxtonionively among the Cortiniesese who intended migrating to A merioa．New regn．
lations hoollabe made，and in order to do Mr．Nicholus Flood Davin（my illastrioo

## talented，and pernickety countryman，an an enthusiastio lover of Chinese－well，n

 men anyway）will have to say on behalfhis protege his proteges remains to bo beard．I opine
it will depend very moch poon how the or－
aole is working in Nichole ost．is working in Nicholas Flood＇s inter－
The labor element in this oity made not missake last January in the oboioe for
mayor．While taking every preauation to mayor．While taking every preaartion
protect the general intereats of our cit Mayor Flemming has not for a moment los sight of the fact that there are very larg
numbers of idle men in the munioipality uambers of ide men in the municipality
To seeure them work he has put forth ever effort to have started suoh works as would tend to that end，and he has been to on ex－
tent succeesful．The construction of sewers， tent successful．The oonstruction of sewers the buiding of permanent tand works of ilike oharacter have been put under way and on
a plan sugzested by his worship oo as to give plan sugzested by his worship oo as to give
work to as many as possible，In short，hie
 gangs being gemployed，and a ach gang work
ing eight hours．By this means the largee ing eight hours．By this means the largees
posibibe number of men get a fair show the work，while at the same time the work
is aarried to oompletion so as not to inter－ fere but as liftle as poosibible with the publio convenience．

## ${ }^{\text {par }}$

 partment of the Interior，was reeantly ex Sed before a committee of the Honse of that department intends to oonduct the im migration business of the Dominion in funture．In explaining about the abolition on
 wound save sootio 821,000 per year．But
wont；and for this reason ：While the o fioes are abolished and a saving，sa a depart．
nent item，seoured，the agents will hav ment item，seoured，the agento will have
trom nine to oleven years added to their otual years in office and will be then sa－ perannated with pensions equal to the aries．In other words，they will in tature have no work to do；a tew subordinateen
lose their situations，and the money saved in their diecharge will，through the addition of he yeara $I$ have named，be thrown into the pensions given the 1 etired agente，and aving to the coontry is seourad in this was
forsooth．This reminds me of a circum stance with which $I$ have only beoome ac－
quainted within the past few daye，and quainted within the past few days，un noral，if it does nothing else．Agent Don aldann，of this city，whose office has jus nd kent him for years a young Englishmar nd kept him for years employed dround hi 815．This man always had to sign receipts in blank for his wages，Meanwhile the agent was obarging and was being paid 831
per month for the services of this sume man After awhile this man began to court a fer male servant emploged by the agent，and
she in turn told her lover（they are now married）how he was being viotimized．Ben employment of his son as assistant in th offioe．He then discharged the young Eng．
ishman．The latter then took egal action oreoorer the moneey he had beendefrauded of．The agent was defiantat ifrt，hat find swear as to the matter，he changed his tac－
tics．The plaintiff put in two claims－one or services an servant and the other for the
Loneys withheld as an employeoe of the Gop ernment．Of course he could not reoover
both．and so ho acceptea the offer of the gent and took the Government arreare， ， that was the largest sum，And so the mat－
ter rested．Now thie Hoxssi agent is seek－ ot to be pensioned off with an s．nnuity equaa
the salary which he had been reeciving
Not only that ，but L heg Not only that，but $I$ have beery reason to
believe he it a also trying to geta believe he is also trying to get a pension for
his son，who was in the office only abon hree years－that is，he was paid for that moe，but put but little time in the office，
forgot to mention，too，that the young En forgot to mention，too，that the young Eng
libbman wrote eto Hon．John Carling giving details and asking for justico in the pre． mises，but was ignored and never receive abordinate in the department，asking th he see the Hon．Minister and ask that th
certifioates of character which he had for warded with his letter of complaint be $r$ urned．In time the oertificates were re urned as requasted，but not a word sai
bout the complaint．Further comment not necessary．
Ships That Are Lost.

It has to many persons been an interest ing gpeoulation as to the aspect of the up by the North At antio since the churn waters has been plooghed by the kells of
ships．Their number is ships．Thair number is probably to be
reckoned by the tens of thousands and the greater part of them lie in a c comparatively small part of that field．If we count this
portion of the At lentio pled with wrecks as having an area of 3 － 000,000 square miles，and estimate the totel number of such ruins within this space

30,000 ，we would have an average of one
sunken ship for each hundred square miles sunken ship for eanh handred square miles
of surface．If all theee cratts were at onee sailing over the surfaco of the eea we should
from the deok of any one of them bo likely tom note the masta of several othera．But as hey lie on the floor of the ocean the greater part of them are probably reduced to low mounds of rubbiab，so that if the ocoan floor
vere converted into dry ground and
w Were converted into dry ground and we
－rosed it in a railway，seeing the fields as ve do the prairies，it would require an at entive eye to
of these ruins．

## Origin of the Name Amerio

Mr．Jules Maroon，of the Paris Geograph ioal Society，has lately spent a great deal
ime in making reesearches into the oriain time in making researchpss into the origin o
the name＂America，＂says Pearson＂ Weekly，The popular notion that America was so called from the Christian name of Amerigo Vespucci，is，he says，wholly un－
founder，the name really being taken from ＂Amerique，＂the Indian name of the ountains between Juigalpa and Liberated， te Lake Nioaragus from the Mosquito
The name in the Maya language signifiee ＂the windy country，＂or the＂country
where the wind blows always．＂The Chris－ tian name of Vespucci was Alberico in Ital an and Spanish and Albericus in Latin ions，and conseguently $\mathbf{~}$ ．Muber or vare that the name Amerigo is an adaptation Amerrique，added to Vespucci＇s name to diotinguish it（Amerrique being a name al ready known and applied to the new world） Gordon＂to distinguish this particular Gor don by euggesting one of his heroic feats， Cespucci＇s olaim to the discovery of Amer ca is put out of court by the fact thast h
was in Seville when Columbus made hi voyage．He did，however，make two or
three voyages to the new world later on， nd，being a vain man and acquainted with map makers，he would be nothing loth to splendors of the new continent．

A writer in the Boston Journal deseribes his visit to the great Moslem University of ago it warld have been as much as a Chris
agiro，Egypt．A short time ian＇s life was worth to show himself within sreater toleration has cone and with occupati are not infrequently drawn by curiosity to gaze at the stravge spectacle．The most striking featnre，says the visitor，was not
the sight，but the sound ；the distracting rio us handreds of a corn exohange．Betor
as were seated cross－legged on the pavemen
of the open court，some alone，others groups，but all as closely packed as was con venient．Each was repeating aloud th
passage he was endeavoring to learn，and
accompanying the words with owaying of the body．It was a roarin as a seat of higher education．The trainin must give a wonderful power of concentra surmise．We visited the adjoining oourt
where the stadents made their toilet，and were extremely edified．Some twenty men were bathing，first their feet and then their
faces，in one common，muddy pool of water

That the Hebrews，Greeks and Romans ha ome idea of the value of iron is known dbout half a century ago metallurgical stu－ dents declared that，ancient as metal weapon might be，cast iron was a distinctively moder
product．This，as far as Europe is concerned may be true，cast iron statistica going back no
farther than the latier part of the fourteenth century．After prolonged study the late Dr
Gurlt，of Bonn，concluded that cast iron is cuild of the dim past．In China wrought iro
and steel were known 2000 B ． and steel were known 2000 B．C．，and cast
iron about 400 B．C．A Chinese author des． cribes the process at lengch．In the first cen－ tury of the Christian Era a Chinese ravine，
1,000 feet deep，was spanned by a compresse bridge with cast iron colums．Cast iron i
mentioned by Aristotle and Pliny．Th Greeks and Romans do not seem to have use it extensively，judging from the fact that，
while wrought iron relics are common， iron relics are rare． $\mathrm{Dr}_{\text {r }}$ ，Gurlt is none th iron relics are rare．Dr，Gurlt is none th
less convinced that investigation will diselos many more such relics．He describes a little statue，representing a priestess of Isis，or the
godess Isis herself，which he supposes to have been made by an Egyptian craftsman or unde
Greceo－Roman influence．Cast iron has also been found in parts of Moravia where th
ancient Celts mined，under the direction o

## ir German，conquerors．－Age of Steel．

The Morning Yost reports two deaths from

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## JUSTICE PREVAILS.

The news received here early in the week that the Privy Council of the Empire had upset the decision of the Supreme Court of Canada in the case of the Widow Flynn against the Canadian Pacific Railway was hailed with satiefaction by citizens of every grade, but more particularly among thove in the ranks of organized labor, by whom the widow was strenuously supported in her last effort to obtain justice. Indeed, had it not been for the assistance given by
the Central Trades and Labor Council the Central Trades and Labor Council and the exertions made by that body on her behalf, it is hardly probable that the widow could have moved to take this final appeal. The workingmen of this city, however, had
abiding faith in the justice of her cause and a supreme contempt for the outrageous perveraion of the law as laid down by a majority of the highinto the breach, and now they have the pleasure of seeing one of the tentacles of the nctopus which has the country in its grasp shorn close to its body. If the Canadian Pacific Railway can control the legislatures and judiciary of Canada it is evident that its power is not felt in Britain. There never has been, in the history of Can-
ada, such a glaring case of legal perada, such a glaring case of legal perheartlessness of the persecution was all the more apparent because directed against a poor unfortunate woman whose husband had been done to death through criminal negligence of the them.

It is now about ten years ago since rick Flynn of his life tork over seven since the action to recover demages for the loss of her bread-winner was taken by the widow, and ever since then she has been the victim of the worst kind of persecution (because done under the cover of the law), and persisted in with all the ingenuity and malignity that well-trained legal minds could invent. At the first trial the jury, recognizing the justice of her
claim, awarded her $\$ 3,000$ damages, but the Company appealed and the Court of Review granted them a new trial. In turn this judgment was upset by the Court of Appeal, which upheld the verdict of the jury. Taken to the Supreme Court by the Company, the verdict of the Court of Ap-
peal was set aside on the ground that An order for a new trial and on this occasion the jury-an unnsually intelligent one-brought in nother verdict for the plainiff and increased the damages to ove ouble the first figure, $\$ 6,500$, being $\$ 4,000$ for the widow and $\$ 2,500$ for her child. And just at this point the fine legal work comes in. The Company asked for an arrest of judgment n the ground that the case was precribed, as no action had been taken antil the death of the husband, thirteer months after the accident, when his right of action was extinguished, consequently his widow's also. This petty legal quibble was set aside both by the Court of Review and the Court of Appeal, yet it was maintained by the Supreme Court in the face of pinions to the contrary by many emiont juriste among them being the te Chiof Juatice hat the period of prescription aenced to run only from the time that the injury was complete, which cartainly was on the death of the injured erson. A judgment like that given y the Supreme Court was an insult to common sense, and a flagrant disregard of equity, while it helped to convey eimpression that "might was right " nd that justice could be purchased by he highest bidder. The triumphant nding of this case for the widow conrms the belief that justice may stil be had for the poor if they have sympathizing friends to lead them along he costly and devious paths which load to the feet of the "blind goddess." Our record of this case would not be complete without mentioning the ser vices rendered by Mr. J. C. Hatton, counsel for Mrs, Flynn His unwar ring loyalty to her cause, and the peronal sacrifices he has been called upon make, calls for the admiration of all ho have any knowledge of the ciructed thes under which he has con acted the case from the beginning liment to his ability a rare comliment to his ability as a professiona man and to his large-heartedness as a
citizen in sympathy with those in dis-

GREAT STRIKE IN THE IRON AND STEEL INDUSTRY.

At midnight on the 30 th of Jun last commenced in the United States another great struggle between capital and labor. This time it is the iron and steel industry that is affected, and the eason of the stoppage is that the scale force during the past year expired y the Amalgamated Assoeiation Iron and Steel Workers had not bee ccepted by the companies. The num ber of iron and steel. mills that closed 400. Quite a number of since signed the scale, leaving abov 250 idle at present. These employ about 100,000 men, and the manufac tarers were deluded into the belief that the men would weaken rather than face long strike and consequently refused to sign. Hopes were entertained tha settlement would have been reached manufacturers had asked for a confer ence, but it came to naught, as they would not budge one inch, and the situation remains as at the beginning with determination to

## In sympoth sides

In sympathy with their brethren of the United States, the members of the Amalgamated Association in this city (the nailers) have not worked since the
above-mentioned date, June 30th. The above-mentioned date, June 30th. The
mills at which trouble exists are Pil mills at which trouble exists are Pil
low, Hersey \& Co's., Peck, Benny \& Co's., and the Montreal Rolling Mill Co., all of which form part of the Nai Trust and therefore governed by the same rules as those across the line. The new scale was presented to the above cert with the other firms comprising
the Trust, they either neglected or re
fused to sign. The men here oloim bat ihe slight increase asked for ome classes of nails will them to average over $\$ 2$ per day, and they anticipate that their period o idleness will not be of long duration as ne stock on band is not heavy. The
number of nailers out (members of the Association) does not exceed forty, and with their feeders will probably num ber a little over two hundred, but to these of course must be added a large number of boys engaged in sorting and handling the nails, who are also a fected by the mechanics being idle. THE HOMESTEAD MASSACRE
Andrew Jarnegie, the milliogaire
ronmaster, is the personification of al that is hateful in the eyes of organized labor, and all the charity he is said to dispense and all the philanthropic acts he has done for the elevation of the workingman will not alter the opinion entertained of him by those he is supposed to have benefitted. And the reason is not far to seek. He is th soul and spirit of one of the greates which wealthiest combines of the day Which takes every opportunity to crus and destroy the spirit of unionism amongst its workmen, and to defeat it ends by the importation of cheap for eign labor. While one of the strong est supporters and advocates of protec tion as necessary to the welfare of th American workman, every increase of duties on the article manufactured by him has invariably been followed by a of his which has all been amassed in lat years, he owes to the system of protection which be now enjoys to the fullest extent under the McKinley bill, and while that is in force and preaching the doctrine he does, he has no moral right to seek to increase his income at the expense of his workmen. Yet his firm is invariably the first in the trade to reduoe wages, and no other firm on the Continent of America has has had so many disputes in regard to wages with their employees. Little wonder, then, is it that he is so cordially hated. He knows this feeling exists and, to give the devil his due, does not shirk the consequences. Another cause of
like has been his readiness to create trouble by importing an army of mercenaries to cow into submission his employees whenever they dared to resist
an encroachment on their earninge Out of this bloodshed has aforetime occurred, but the most recent attempt at coercion is the greatest horror of all. The hired assassins of the Pinkerton deserved all they got, and the only re greitable feature of the encounter is
that several ordinarily law-abiding citizens, goaded to madness by the inva sion of their homes and the threatened to the savagery of the agents of thi heartless oppressor of the people. Carnegie, the would be philanthropist. does
not show to advantage in this affair He was aware of the temper of the people, and he tried to smuggle in his ing his property, when in reality there was no occasion for it, as the men were calmly a waiting a peaceable settlement of the dispute and had no intention whatever of wrecking property. In the face of all the facts, there was no preof armed thugs into the dispute, and pon Carnegie and his managers must volve the responsibility for the she ing of innocent blood. And we are very much mistaken if the American
people do not require a full account at their hands.
After all, Edward Blake is not to ge to the British Parliament unopposed, is opponent being a Liberal-Unionist It will be as sad disappointment to the riends of Home Rule and to Canabability which we hope is very remote.

NOTES OF THE WEEK.
The semi-annual convention of the Few England Cigarmakers' Label Con rence will meet in Pawtucket, R. I on Mondar, June 11th, when it is ex pected that every union in the Ne England States will be represented.
Mr. Gordon's Chinese bill has passe He House of Commons, but in suc shape that its author would no now it. The restrective clauses have been virtually killed, and the bill as it now stands is not one whit better than the old law relating to Chinese immigration, It was hoped that when the Government sew fit to father the meaare they would have accepted it in its ontirety, so there is nothing but dis. The workingmen of Canada must kee p the a gitation egaingt this close mmigrant.

In return for free passes from the ailway companies a large majority of our Federal representatives refused the boon of cheap travel to the general mendment to the Railway Act fixin the maximum rate per mile fur passengers at two cents. A contemporary arcastically says in this convection hat if members' passes were with rawn they would not be able to yote ast enough the other way. The only hing for Mr. MeLean to do is to keep bringing the matter up so long as he remains in Parliament.

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QuR BOARDING HOUSE arfegions on Current Events by
" Stanley, the maurader, is having a pretty hard time of it just now in Lambeth, where he is running in the Conservative interest as member o pariament," said Phil. "The work any use or him despite the the the ny uso m . m . 0 is m rried to Miss Dorothy Tenan who cloims to be a descendant of er every possible occaion to help hi ight with men like Chauncey Depew ight with men like Chauncey Depe r Jay Gould, or in a conolluency pot-bellied capitaista, whose abject lave he has always been, but the experience of the last fow weeks su ave taught both him and that relic o old decency which has unfortunately married him that intelligent working men regard his exploits in Africa far differently than the money bags who sent him there. The relief of Emin Pasha was a fake ; Emin did not want to be relieved, and was in no danger except that which threatened him through Stanley, and Stanley knew it. It was a mighty good excrse, however, or the promoters of that raid to se cure a semi-official recognition by the English Government to their under taking, which virtually amounted to free license to rob and plunder with out let or hindrance throughout the ength and breadth of Africa. Cortez, Pizzaro, De Soto and the other licensed Spanish and Portuguese robbers who verran this hemisphere some centuries ago, perpetrated innumerable barbarities and crimes ; but it was left to Staniey's expedition to encourage and incite the natives to canibalism for no otner purpose than that of enabling one of his iieutenants to take sketches of the proceedings, presumably for the delectation of such audiences as greeted Stanley last year at New York. With the revolting deeds of his expedition still fresh in the memory of men, the bone and sinew of Lambeth regards his candidacy as an outrage on their feelings and an insult to their intelligence. The man who, at the behests of European landsharks and capitalistic thieves, devastated a continent with fire and sword is unfit to represent any constituency anywhere, not even if he had married a half a dozen great-great-grand-daughters of such a staunch and honest Commoner as Oliver Cromwell was. It is one thing to rob and murder defenceless niggers and quite ano ther thing to justify your action be fore an eng tish electrato. If stanley were the shrewd and farseeing man which his admirers claim him to be, the protest which John Burns and his colleagues lodged against a public reception being tendared to him on his return would have been a sufficient in dication of the feeling of the masses, and would have prevented him making a fool or beth. The only good thing about his candidacy is that his want of popular ity and tact will ersure the election of his opponent."

The opposition to his candidature by the working classes is one of the most encouraging signs of thie times, said Brown, " for, take him all in all Stanley is no ordinary man. He has any amount of pluck and determination, qualities which, perhaps more than ary others, would endear him to all classes of Englishmen, for you truly British subject is more or less o a hero worshipper. His march through Africa was such a daring expedition, successfully accomplished, that fifty o even twenty years ago with his record almost any constituency in England would have elected him to any position in the gift of the people without oppo sition. But now they question bis motives, and finding that he was but he hired leader of an expedition

| whose real purpose was the robbery of | in securing their jast rights. The report we |
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| land rather than the relief of Emin | accepted and the committee discharged. | land rather than the relief of Emin

Bey, they turn from him in diagust and treat his candidacy as the trick of an unsc.upulous adventurer. This hows that the character of the labore and mechanic of England has been levated and that he occupies higher moral ground than he did a quarter of century ago. Let him but continu be guided by his own sound reason ing for another decade and the candidacy of sycophants and time-serve will become an impossibility. Stanley is being judged by his record; if the public men of Canada were judged in the same way but few of them would ver again be elected to the positions hey occupy at present. Stanley caried destruction and war among peaceful and contented people for the purpose of robbing them of their herilage and enriching the capitalists who ent him. This is a henious crime and the darkest blot in the history of he nineteenth century, but the fastening of a set of horse leeches on the nagreat and a blot as black as any tha diggraced the civilization of our day.

Bill Bladis.
THE TRADES COUNCII. Semi-Annual MeetIng-Election o tion, Etc., Etc.

The semi-annual meeting of the above Council was held on Thursday evening last, The President in the chair. There was a
arge attendance of delegates, and the orders vere gone through in a business-like manner. After the reading and confirming of the minutes of the preceding meeting, credentials were read and accepted from Jos. Drury,
H. Rush and L. Z. Bondreau, representing H. Rush and L. Z. Bondreau, representing
Typographical Union, No. 176; Henri Cardinal, of Typographical Union, No. 145, and Geo. McLeod, of the Plasterers' Association. bleotion of offigrrs.
The election of officers for the ensuing six
nonthis then took place and tesulted as fol-
President-L. Z. Boudreau
Vice-President-R. Keys.
English Recording Secretary-P. J. Ryan. French Recording Secretary-Geo. Lesage.
Corresponding Secretary-P. C. Chatel Financial Secretary-V. DuBreuil. Treasurer-Jos. Corbeil.
Sergeant-at-Arms-P. C. Chatel. Organization Committee-E. Farrell, Mercier, P. J. Ryan, W. Sandilands an Geo. Holland.
Legislative Committee-U. Lafontaine,
Rodier, R. Keys, A. Friedlander and W, Darlington.
Committee on Credentials-P. Howard, Garieps, E
McCleave.
Auditors Sandilands.
Trustees-E. Farrell, A, Deguire and Jas

## Williams.

organization.
The Organization Committee then pre ented the following report: report having held a public meeting on Tues day, July 5th instant, for the purpose of or ganizing the machine woodworkers into anion. We succeeded in securing the name and addresses of a large number who pro
mised to join. The committee beg to return mised to join. The committee beg to return
thanks to the gentlemen who, by their kind co-operation, assisted in making the meeting a success."
On moti On motion of Delegate Lafontaine, se
conded by Delegate Darlington the repor
was adopted as read.

## the widow flynn victory.

Delegate Darlington then moved, seconde
Delegate Williams, that this Council ap pint a committee of five for the purpose of giving a reception to Mr. J. C. Hatton Widow Flynn's lawyer, on his arrival back from England, the said reception to be in viatever form the committee may think ad
visable, but if time and convenience allow the committee to report back to Council fo their sanction as to the action they may deem it wise to take. The motion was carried, and Delegates Darlin.ton, Howard, Williame MoCleave a
committee.
spbctal committers.
The comuittee appointed to confer with the iting in several shops in this city, reporte having attended the meeting of that union, having attended the meeting of that union,

The Iater the committee discharged. The Labor Day Committee reported pro ress, and read a communication from the
xposition Company containing the term under which the Council could have the use of their grounds for the annual sports. It Was decided to lease the grounds on the conditions contained in the letter. It was then
noved by Delegate Darlington, seconded by noved by Delegate Darlington, seconded by
Delegate Friedlander, that the Labor Day Delegate Friedlander, that the Labor Day
Committee be instructed to absolutely prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquor and gambLabor Da
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nd Secretary of the Congress, and which was published in last week's issue, was then read,
hen it was moved by Delegate Darliggton, seconded by Delegate Lafrance, that the com,
nunication be laid on the table till next nunication be laid on the table till next
meeting. In amendment by Delegate rodier, seconded by Delegate Blondin, that elected. The amendment was carried by 22 It was then moved by Delegate Lafontaine, secolded by Delegate DuBreuil, that the Council be represented by three deleg
the Cogress in Toronto. Carried, The balloting then took place an
in the election of U . Laiontaine and resulted bailot, L. Z. Boudreau on the second and P. J. Ryan on the fourth.

It was moved by Delegate Corbeil, se
conded by Delegate Cardinal, the conded by Delegate Cardingl, that a :commit tee be appointed to get tenders for printing
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and in French and Rrofg ins each to be berrady for
amended, 7 prop
distribution amongst the members at next
meting. In amgndment to the foregoing it
was moved bv Delegate Darlington, secorded was moved bv Delegate Darlington, oseoonded
by Delegate Howard, that the printing of the
Constitution be done at THE EOHO office. Constitution be done at THE ECHO oftice.
A short disuasion took place on the ques.
tion, the whole of the speakers being in favor of the amend ment. $\begin{aligned} & \text { Delegates Blondin } \\ & \text { Rodier, Brennan, Darlington and Howard took } \\ & \text { the ground that THE EcHo being the official }\end{aligned}$ organ of the Council, the only exponent of
the claims of orgazed labor in this city, and
an out-and-out Union establishment, it wa ane claims of organized labor in this city, and
an outand--ut Union estalishent, it was
antitled to all the printing at the dispoal entitled to all the printing at the disposal of
the Council.
On a vote being taken the amendment On a vote being taken the am
carried $\begin{aligned} & \text { vote of } 34 \text { to } 2.2 \\ & \text { The meeting then adjourned. }\end{aligned}$ COMING EVENTS.
The Coopers' Union intend holding grand pionic and games on Saturday, Aug,
13. An energetic committee has the matter in hand, and are leaving no stone unturned
in to make their first venture a success in every sense of the word.
The Labor Day Committee will meet thi
(Saturday) evening in the Ville Mere (Saturday) evening in the Ville Morie Hall
They will also meet Tuesday evening next They will also meet
at the same place.
Arrangements for the Montreal Typo-
graphical Union pionic are rapidly taking graphical Union pionic are rapidly taking
shape. Judging from the returns there will be a very good prize list, and the clerk o
the weather is to be the weather is to be interviewed as to the
weather. So if you want a day's fun go to Otterbur.
Augnest.
The permanent committees of the Central
Trades and Labor Council do not intend to
let the grass grow nuder their feet. Arrange Trades ane grass grow under their feet. Arrange.
ments are being made for the holding of meetings for organization purposes, and everythin points to a most successful season. The K. of L. Javenile Band are now hold-
ing two practices weekly. This is to put the ing two practices weekly. This is
boys in fine "fix" for Labor Day.
We understand it is the intention of Black Diamond Assembly to hold an excursion to
Quebec some time during the summer. The boys will be received right royally by thei-
friends in the Ancient Capital, and wil doubtless have a good time. This is a goo idea, and we hope 1711 will be s.
cially, financially and otherwise.

## Election of Officers.

At the general meeting of the Plumber and Steamfitters' Union held Friday, th
8th instant, the following officers we olected for the next six monthe' term:
Donaldson, President ; $; \mathbf{W}$. J. Graham, 1
Vice- President; Wm. Desermean, 2ad Vic

 Trurtaes, Messrs. Gibeaa, Mc Oleave and
Welsh, Delegates to Trades and Labo
Council, Messrs. MoCleave, Howard and St. George.
The following have been eleoted officers
of River Front L. A. 7 .
six of River Front L. A. 7628, for the ensuin
six months = M. H. Brennan, M.W.; Joh
Condon, W.F.; John Kenedy a Imoner
Joseph Warren, R. S. S. Charles Parker, F.S.


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THE ECHO, MONTREAL

## Canadian.

James Robinson, of Toronto, committed suicide by jumping into the Don River. He Was in destitute circumstances ind his wite
was very ill. These facts preyed on his was very ill. These facts preyed on hi
mind to such an extent that he drowned himself.
The deficit in the accounts of ex-County Treasurer Wright, of Windsor, is found to
be $\$ 22,950$. Referee Jewell has just complated the work of inveltigation and with his fees the total amount is $\$ 24,650$
Wright ${ }^{\text {s }}$ " bondsmen may be proceeded Wright ${ }^{\text {against. }}$
It was announced in St. Mary's Cathedral at Kingston on Sunday that Archbishop Ciliary would issue a circular for distribu tron throughout the diocese asking for con-
tributions to assist in the Irish elections tributions to assist in the Irish elections,
The other Archbishops of the province will le Archbishops of the province will do the same thing. Already several
Col: Salter M. Jarvis, a retired lawyer of Chatham, formerly of Toronto, was acc of his house while inspecting it, It is sup. posed that he fell into the water while suffer ing from a weak spell, due to a recent severe
illness from which he had not fully re. illness from
covered.
There was a frightful boating accident opposite the city of Montreal on Saturday afternoon, by which six lives were los Seventeen members of the Grand Trunk Island in a war canoe, over thirty feet in length. On their return home and wee opposite St, Lambert's the canoe was cap sized. Some people went to their rescue, but only succeeded in saving eleven of the O'Brien, Howard Ransom, Ernest Les Edwin Sleep, J. Milligan and Percy Madden Most of the young men lived in Point St. Charles, Two young men (French Canadians) were also drowned near Nun' Island
sizing.

American.
Margaret Mather, the actress, has been granted a divorce by Judge Vail, of Chicago, from her husband, Emil Haberkorn,
ground of desertion and uon-support. August Banaphy, 29 years old, fell into large vessel of hot porter at Lynch's brew aery, at Philadelphia, and was so severely scalded th. Mr. W. R. Hightower and his son, James, lives by downing. They were boeing the boom swing around and knocked the boy overboard. In the effort to save him the father also lost his life.
The National People's Party met in convention at Omaha to nominate an independ ont candidate for the Presidency. H. L Lucks, of South Dakota, was made permanent Chairman. Gen. Jan the first ballot. A wreck occurred on the Wabash one mile east of Keller's station, Ind., which re the complete destruction of the locomotive and the death of five men who were riding on it. The men were testing
one of the new heavy locomotives recently purchased by the company. The wreck wa caused by the washing out of a four foot
stone culvert. The bodies have all been re covered.
The balloon ascension from the Common sion of the Fourth prepared by the city government, had $a$ sad ending, the æronaut,
Poo. Geo. A. Rogers, of Maiden, Maine meeting his death almost instantly ; his as sistant, Thomas Fenton, dying later and in the hospital suffering from the shock and inhalation of gas. Prof. Rogers attempted to open the valve when up a few hundred
feet, as the balloon was getting out to sea In his efforts to move the valve he made a ont in the side of the ballon. The immens struck the water collapsed entirely. Roger sank at once and his body has not been re covered. Fenton and Goldsmith struggled
hard and were finally rescued, but Fenton died before he reached the city
Herr Worth, editor of the Zeitung, Berlin has been seat to gaol for three months for stating in his newspaper that Emperor
William shot two stags during the close William
season.
Saturday a porting of the French Cabinet Saturday, a project for holding an Inter
national Exhibition in 1900 was approved. A meeting of French Anarchists has
adopted a resolution to blow up the Mont Grison prison and rescue Ravachol. All the pawnshops in Moscow owned by
Jews will be closed next month by order the government, Six months will bo order of the proprietors in which to wind up their affair
urging the people to revolt against thearâs
$\left\lvert\, \begin{aligned} & \text { ernment, have been posted throughout St, } \\ & \text { Ethene. The police are tracing the guilty }\end{aligned}\right.$ parties and $h$
A boiler in a celluloid factory at Nieder chen, Prussia, exploded recently, wren ing part of the factory. Herr Geisler, th owner of the factory, was killed, and son-in-law, Lieutenant Ylem,
workmen were seriously injured.
William Abbit, B. A., of Downing Colloge, Cambridge University, who recently sentenced by a police magistrate in Lond to eight months' imprisonment for
books from the university library. C. A. Beyts and G. C. Grant, merchants, Saturday on the charge of forging bills Saturday on the charge of forging bills of
lading with intent to defraud the Chartered Mercantile Bank of Indie. Bail in the sum of $£ 100,000$ was offered, but it was refuse and the prisoners were remanded.
The French Government has received
telegram from Ha-Noi, the largest city telegram from Ha-Noi, the largest city of
Annam, in Southeast Asia, to the effect that Annam, in Southeast Asia, to the effect that twenty dissatisfied Chinese workmen ha the Langton Railway, near Macle, and the the efforts which have been made to sect his release have so far proved futile.
The French Chamber of Deputies
passed a bill to indemnify sufferers fro Anarchist outrages. The bill also provide for the pensioning of the widow an daughters of M. Very, the proprietor of th dynamite explosion in which M. Very wa tally wounded.
Five Anarchists are undergoing trial be Core the imperial tribunal at Leipsse for
high treason. They are charged with di tributing fly sheets to soldiers. The Gov garment hopes to obtain evidence as to how far the troops are permeated with Anarchis
ideas, and what soldiers assisted the prison ers in circulating the fly sheets.

THE SPORTING WORLD

Says the Toronto Mail ; The aggregation his year playing under the name of Sham footed, strong, young, plucky, and as stick hooted, strong, young, plucky, and as stick one man, and it was not a common thing for a ball to be passed six times without a To rondo touching it, and the Toronto were
not slow either. The Shamrock e seem to not slow either. The Shamrocks seem to
have a deathly clinch on the championship have a deathly clinch on the championship
this year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two.
games between the game of a series of there and the Manhattan A Cork Athletic Cluny day afternoon at the Polo grounds. Ne A twelve of the 2 to
A twelve of the Toronto Lacrosse Club
played the Schuylkill Navy Club delphia Saturday afternoon on the Rosedal grounds. The game was strongly contested,
but the home team won in a moor of 4 Both art the Shamrock and Montreal clubs the season, which takes place on the Sham
rock grounds this afternoon. The Mont readers will likely play a strong team, while
the Shamrock twelve will be the the Shamrock twelve will be the sa
defeated the Capitals and Torontos. Barney Quinn, of the Capitals, and Tun
net of the Cornwalls, have been retired for th season by the committee of the C
on the ground of professionalism.
The scheduled match of the old-time rivals,
Montreal-Shamrock, falls to be held this ate Montreal-Shamrock, falls to be held this after
Then on the grounds of the latter club
That matches have bee The following
during the week
Intermediate Championship- (St. Gabriel Crescents) -Won by the former, 3 to 1.
Ivy Leaf vs. Cote St. Paul-Won by Iv Emmets vs. Junior Shamrocks and XIIEmmets got three straight,
White Stars vs, Mechanic

## White Sta

Silver Leafs. vs. Sarsfielde The
former
Victorias vs. Lilacs-Viotorias 3 to
Orients vs. Lillies-Orients 3 to
The single soul race at Digby, N. S., fo in e championship of the Maritime provinces Louis Levitt, of Halifax, entered, resulted in Levitt taking first place, with Ross sec ind. Monday in a three mile about 10 feet or turns on the Conneotiout river. Time, 18.55 .

The friendly challenge match between th Caledonian and Montreal Quoiting Club takes place on the Montreal grounds, Wind
sot street, this afternoon, commencing at 'clock.
The annual club matches of the Dominion Quoiting Club took place on Saturday on
their grounds, corner Atwater avenue and

St. Antoine street. The weather being fine
attracted a large crowd of spectators, Mr
Cher attracted a large crowd of speotators. Mr.
Chis. E. Stewart was referee, and gave very satisfaction. The following were th
winners in the first series: 1 , J. Chinchase W. H. Taylor ; 3, J. Kane ; 4, F. Marsh 5, D. McBride ; 6, B. Clowes. The compe
tition in the second series will be concluded , cricket.
An interesting match was played Tuesvernon between the Thistle Cricket old salted in a victory for the former team Some remarkable bowling was witnessed,
hen the captain of the victorious team put own three wick the in thiotorious team put balls, he also taking four more of the re mining seven wickets. tab ringo
Warren Lewis, the well known spouting an and backer of pugilists, has sailed fo
gland on the City of Rome. Lewis goes England on the City of Rome. Lewis goo
England to attend the prize fight between ed Pritohard and Jim Hall, who are to ht on August 22 for a purse and 85,000 a de. Lewis carried a draft on Brown Bros. $\$ 10,000$, and he stated that he might be and condition.
Joe Goddard, the Australian, defeated Jo oAuliffe at San Francisco, Cal., in the fifeeth round. Goddard weighed 190 lbs ad McAuliffe 219 lbs. The betting was 22 17 in Goddard savor, and about $\$ 50,00$
arsokilaneous
Inspector Stark, of the Toronto Police
Force, has accepted the invitation of Sergt. ore, has accepted the invitation of Sérgt. ag-of-war team. The games will take ace on some date after August 17.
LABOR AND WAGES. Chicane gas fitters work eight hours and Cheap
California. New York cash girls get all of a dollar and
half a week, People's party of Illinois will patronize by anion offices.
Chicago Waiters' Association has dropped to the A. F. of L.
A new building trades council has been organized at Boston.
Chicago Labor Day celeb
ane the largest ever held.
Tinners' strike in Chicago about wound $p$ with the men on top and reinforced by hundred now members.
Furniture workers of Boston have won heir strike for nine hours. Thirty-five Th
Knights of Labor organized ono assemlies lat week at Akron,. ., barbers for on
Census reports show that the farm mort 19 as head for the total population
The big street car strike in New Orle foaled in a reduction of four hours a da or the employees, with same pay as hereto
for
The big strike of roustabouts and steam till on. The levee is guarded by police, teamboat men demand that the engineer ear that the river will run up stream be wear that the
buropaan
ialists hare started
Union boilermakers and shipbuilder

## 7,000.

The trouble between the Shoemaker tuners, arising from the employment of bo labor, is in a fair way for settlement. Th Mayor of Leicester has induced the Feder ion and the manufacturers to submit the
questions at issue between them to arbitra dion, The London Domestic Servants' Union
held a meeting in Hyde Park lately, an George Augustus Szla, whose paper has been
attacking the union, went to see what sort attacking the union, went to see what sort
of a turnout it was. The crowd began pelting Sale with stones and dirt. The crowd pressed upon him and Mra, Sola, pulling and
them. Sola was minus his hat and Mere Sola's clothing was badly torn. Sola looked
terribly soared and his wife was nearly faint ing.
At the general meeting of No, 1 Section the Quebec Ship Laborers' Benovolen
society held on Monday evening, the fol owing members were elected officers for the suing year ; President, G. Mulroney, re
elected unanimously ; Vice President, Ge mart; Treasurer, Michael Power, reelect , Socraary, A, Asking, reed

## The unorganized anions.

The unorganized workman is merely struggle for existence there are none to no
lice if he be buried out of sight. join the trade onion. He finds himself o one of the countless grains of sand transformed into the solid rooks, in its very nature caps bile of re
change.
Aware as we are of the benefits to the rate that could result from an amicable refionship between an honest organization re, conservative members of the craft ha nt always been favorable to such an alliance but the mendacity of the United Typothetæ
in the hands of less than a score of rat emplayers has bred nothing but contempt plovers has bred nothing but contempt in
the minds of our craftemen.-The Union Printer.
As a matter of fact the American workingman, so far as politics is concerned, is a mere shuttlecock kept constantly in the air
between the battle doors of high tariff and between the battle doors of high tariff and
free trade. His vote is eagerly sought after but his real rights are beclouded and lost in he smoke of the battle between the proteotionists who want cheap labor and the free traders who want cheap material which is traders w
only ant)
Labor.
The frequent appearance of advertise aments for scab and noun workmen ia labor bodies is increasing and that such hel is more difficult to obtain than formerly. majority lows a man who will take the place of unionists striving to better conditions,
which they also reap the advantage of with out bearing any of the expense and privaion. -The Painters' Journal.
Gamblers in Rome Centuries Ago,
So intense was the love of the Roman for games of hazard, that wherever I have ex aviated the pavement of a portico, of a ba He to the public, I have always found gambling tables engraved or scratched on the ide men; always ready to the amusement or ale men; always ready to cheat each other
out of their money, says Prof. The evidence of this fact is to be found in the Forum, in the Basilica. Julia, in the cor ridor of the Coliseum, on the temple of Ve nus and Rome, in the square in front of the
Portico of the Twelve Gods, and even in the Hortico of the Twelve Gods, and even in the
Hone of the Vestal after its secularization dint in barracks, such as those of the seventh battalion of vigiles near S. Critogo no, and of the police at Ostia and Porto, and of the Roman encampment near Guise
in the Department of the Aisne. Sometime in the Department of the Aisne. Sometimes
when the camp was moved from place to place, or else from Italy to another frontier the empire, the men wouldn't hesitate to Two of pure Roman make have been dis. covered at Rzicade in Numidia and at Ain
Kebira in Mauretania. Naturally enough Kebira in Mauretania. Naturally enough
they could not be wanting in the Prsetorian they could not be wanting in the Prsetorian
camp, and in the taverns patronized by its comp, and in the taverns patronized by its
turbulent garrison, where the time is spent
turbulent garrison, where the time is spent
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## the moan of labor.

 We delve in the mino so deop For work on muat not barn; Wo till the prairioe so wide
The oft, flecy wool we pin,
And weave fabricos rich and

Wo fashion with ouning asill But wartily yeave the mill
Faint and waekk

We delve, wo elave and we moil
In mine, faotory yand diop ;
But all in vain is our toil. Bat all in vain it our toil,
For the wealth to us comes not,
Alas 1 wo hunger and freeze, Thad labor with heary pain,
That therer may live at eane
And reap trom out wo And reap from our work the gain Oht ye who wear the rown,
And pack the heavy load And patk the heavy load
thand thand the tatorer down,
Beware how far ye gody !
Our blood is pale and thinning,
And our neils gro sutug and
and From hungriar sirow ritronging and
And our patienco may hot last.
 -Mra. M. T. Hancook.

PHUNNY ECHOES. A good mate alk-crepo
Many a woman who cannot drive a nail
a or a horse can drive a man.
A row of pins amounts to a great deal to the man who sits down on tho Jason says there is only one man who can
beat a lawyer lying about a suit, and that's beat a lawyer lying about a suit, and that's
The sphere of woman may indeed be
boundless, but she has to stop when she boundless, but she has to
comes to a barbed wire fence.
Somebody asked the four-year-old son of a
friend what he would do if his tather died. friend what he would do if his tather died.
Why, said the youngster, I'd wear my new boots to the funeral.
There are a good many oreeds said the philosopher, but there is only one way to
heaven. Right, ssid the dairyman, and that's the milky way
Woman of the world to youthful admirer You seem to know a great deal of married
life. Are you married? Smith (with a life. Are you married ? Salthind
blase air)-No; but my father is.
Mr. Mixup (to his son at a concert during Mr. Mixup (to his soo at a concers anance of a duet)-D'ye see, Tom, the pertormance geting late, they're singing two at a time so as to get home sooner. Mrs. Youngwife (at breakfast)-There is no bread on the table, Nora. Nora-Sure
there's none in the house. Mrs. Youngthere's none in the house. Mrs. Young-
wife (severely)-Then make some toast. Miss Droop-Why, I wonder what is th matter with my eyes. Do they seem to you
to have a filmy appaarance? Mr. Swift to have a filmy appearance? Mr. Swift-
leigh-Juast about as usual, my dear. They fill me with rapture.
My honor is at stake ! exclaimed a noto-
rious political heeier to the editor of the Uptown Advocate he was trying to work It's blamed rough on the stake, replied th Jail Official-Oh, dear, no! You can' see the man in that cell. He must not be
disturbed. Visitor-Why wot? Jail Official (in an awe struck whisper)- He'
charged with embezzling a million dollars. Did you take much pressing before you
accepted Jack ? asked one young lady of her friend, who had just got engaged. Oh; lot. And then Jack is so strong, you know.
He nearly squeezed all the breath out of $m y$ He nearly squeezed all the breath out of my
body. The Maiden-Of course I like you, Fred, but 1 hardiy know what to say. Papa ob
jects. The Youth-He's a good Demoorat,
isn't he? Yes, he's always been a Demo isn't he? Yes, he's always been a Demo
crat. Then, it's all right. You and I are for. He's against. We've got the neces sary two-thirds majority, and
kick, Luey, but he'll 'oome in.
Robber Rookefeller's donation calls out good story from the Midland Mechanic:-
Rockefeller's donation of $\$ 1,000,000$ to th Chicago University "as a thanks offering to Almighty God for Rockefeller's restoration to hes lth " makes us feel like the old Scotch deacon did at the meeting called to raie money to repair the church. An exceed
ingly closefisted old fellow gave ten pound ingly closefisted old fellow gave ten pounds a piece of plastering fell from the ceiling striking him on the head, whereupon he called out: "Make it twenty pounds." The
preacher was astonished at the exhibition of liberality and shouted: "Oh, Lord, hit him

He Cot His Recelpt.
What are you waiting for ? sioid one our local lawyers the other day to an Indian
who paid him money. Receipt, said the who paid him money. Receipt, said the
Indian. A receipt, said the lawyer, a re ceipt ! What do you know about a receipt Can you understand the nature of a re
ceipt? Tell me the nature of one and I will give it to you.
S'pose mabe me die ; me go to heben ; m
find the gate locked; me see 'Postle Peter ind the gate locked; me see 'Postle Peter
he say, Jim, what you want? Me sas, Want to get in, You pay A. that money What me do? I hab no receipt; hab hunt all over hell to find you.
He got his receipt.
Not Particular
Any situation vacant on this paper with an intellectual face and a wilted co
What kind of nituation? said the edito Heavy editorial.
None vacant.
None vacant.
Literary oritic
partment ?
No, sir.
I oan write intelligently on art. Do you eed an art oritic: that department either.
The caller hesitated
rose with dignity.
I have had considerabl said, in other branches of newspaper wor Do you need a man to clean the presses ?

The Minister Cot His Class. A temperance minister, who was very one Sunday for a brother minister in a par ish church in Kıross-shire, Scotland, 0 entering the vestry he looked around in
search of a mirror to see that his toilet was ight before entering the pulpit, but failing to find one, he said to the beadle: John, oan I not have a glass before entering the palpit?
Certainly, sir, replied John. Jist bide awee, and I'll get ane for ye immediately ond he left the vestry
Well, John, have you sucoeeded
Yes, sir, replied John ; I've brocht a gill. That'll be a glase for the forenoon and aniher for the afternoon.

Almost a Native.
Are you a native of this parish ? asked a moned to testify in a case of illicit dustil-
Maistly, yer honor, was the reply. I mean, were you born in this parish Na, yer honor. I wasna born in thi
parish; but I'm maist a native, for $a^{2}$ that You came here when you were a child, appose you mean, said the sheriff
No, sir; I'm jist here about sax year noo.
Then how do yon come to be nearly a naThen how do you come to be nearly a native of the parish?
Weel, ye see, wh Weel, ye see", when I cam' here, sax yea seventeen stane noo, sae ye see that abon nine stane $o^{\prime}$ me belongs to this parish
the ither eight comes from Camlachie.

The Man Who Lost and Found Him
Dinkelspeil was so absent minded that h Was forced to write on a slip of paper the
position of his clothing on retiring, so the pos could find it again in the morning. On
night he made out his stip as usual in thi night he made out his slip as usual in thi
this style: Shoes on floor, trousers, and finally Dinkelspiel in bed. On arisin he found everything just where he hai
placed it, until he came to the bed. Hor rors ! it was empty. A strange fear over
powered the man. Had he been kidnapped during the night? It was evident, since $h$ was no longer in the bed, Hastily stirring
himsell, he ran to the police headquarter to give the alarm. Dinkelspiel was missing and must be found. Terror at his awful
fate completely unnerved him. He tottere home and went to bed, a prey to high fever
When the police arrived at the house
t When the police arrived at the house to
look up a clew they found Dinkelspiel in look up a clew they found Dinkelspiel
bed. The poor man's joy at being recovsoribed.
The efforts now being made in severall 1 Calities by the bakers' organizations to se cure the privilege of working in the day in
stead of at night should receive the earnest support of organized labor, for they hav persecations of employers. Night wor deprives them of the happiness and pleas ures of their home circle, makes them, in eed, almost strangers
dren.-The Brassworker.
The eight hour move is gradnally becom
ing a law, and it is only a question of time when it will be universal in America. Kee n agitating It is coming slowly bat sure y. Soon labor organizations will score nother grand and glorious viotory that or nes, to ou

## BUSINESS TRANSACTIU

Two men-one young, the other about fifty
-sat on the veranda of a small bongalow. -sat on the veranda of a small bungalow. wra after breakfast. They lay back in ban boo chairs, each with a cigar. It looked as
they were resting. In reality they were talk they were resting. In reality they wer
ing basiness, and that very seriously. "Yes, sir," said the elder man, with som hing of an American accent, "I have some-
ow taken a fancy to this place The situ how taken a fancy to this place The situa
tion is healthful." "Well, I don't know on is healthful." "Well, I don't know
"ve had more than one touch of fever here. ve had more than one the
"The climate is lovely"
"Except in the rains"
"Except in the rains"
"The sorl is fertile,"
"I've dropped five th
avent come up yet."
"They will. Ihe
I I see money in it been around the estat ffer : five thousand down, Sir, here's my the papers are signed."
coepting the up. He was on the point accepting the proposal when a pony stopped jumped off and gave him a note. He opene dread it. It was from his nearest neighbo only two or three miles away.
"Don't sell that man yonr
"Don't sell that man yonr estate. Gold
has been found. The whole country is foll gold. Hold. on. He's an assayer. If he
offers to buy, be quite sure that he has found gold on your land.

He put the note into his pocket, gave a ver bal message to the boy, and turned to his guest withou
or emotion.
"I beg your pardon. The note was from Sllamy, my next nelg' bor. Well, you were "Only that 1 have taken a fancy-perhap foolish fancy-to this place of yours, and will give you
fy you like."

## f you like."

ittle twinkle in his eepe "thelly, but with some. But the place isn't really worth hal of what I have spent upon it Anylody would tell you that. Come, let us be honest, whatever we are. Ill tell you a better way We will put the matter into Bellamy's hands He knows what a coffiee plantation is worth he shall name a price, and if we can agree
on that, we will make a deal of it." The other man changed color.
to settle the thing at once, as between gentle nen. What need of a third party
But Reginald stood firm, and he presently rode away, quite sure that in a day or two this planter too would have heard the news.
A month later the young planter stood A month later the young planter stood
the deck of a steamer homeward bound.
$\qquad$ estate, in a bag hanging around his neck was a collection of yellow nuggets ; in his boxes was a chosen assortment of quartz.
"Well, sir," said the financier, "yon have
brought this thing to me. You want my
advice. Well, my advice is, don't fool awa
the only good thing that will ever
the only good thing that will ever happen tre
you. Luck such as this does not come more
you. once in a lifetime."
"I have been offered ten thousand pounds
for my estate." "Oh ! Have you? Ten thousand? Tha was very liberal-very lib
thousand for a gold ref."
"But I thought as an old friend of my fathe
"Young man, don't fool it away. He'
' waiting for you, I suppose, round the
with a bottie of fizz ready to close?"
"Well, go and drink his champagne. Al
ways get whatever you can. And then tel hays get whatevee him"I cer
then ?"
"And then leave it to me. And, youn man, I think I heard, a year or two
thing about you and ny girl Rosie. "There was something, not enongh to "She told me : Rosie tells me all her love affairs."
"Is she - is she unmarried $?$ "
"Oh, yes, and for the moment I believc sh is free. She has had one or two engagements,
but somehow, they have come to nothing There was the French count, but that we knocked on the head very early in consequenc
of things discovered- And there was the boo in Guano, but he fortunately smashed, muel o Rosie's joy, becaise she never liked him The last was Lord Evergreen. He was a nice
old chap when you could understand what he old chap when you could understand what h very much, though his grandehildren oppose the thing. Well, sir, I suppose you couldn' understand the trouble we took to keep that old man alive for his own wedding. Science ays of Providence are inserutable. He died

[^1]My daushter would have been a countess
yours. I think I see a way -I think, I am not yet sure-that I do see a way. Go now. See this liberal gentleman and drink his cham pagne. Come here in a week. Then, if
till see my way, you shall understand what means to hold the position in the city whio is mine."
"And may I call upon Rosie $P$ "
"Not till this dar week, not till I have "Ande my way plain.
ook lovelier than ever, Oh , Rosie, you a king. It means this, Your father is the greatest genius in the world. He buys my roperty for sixty thousand pounds. That's
ver two thousand a year for me, and he make a company out of it with one hundred and iffy thousand pounds capital. He says that,
taking ten thousand out of it for expenses taking ten thousand out of it for expenses,
there will be a profit of eighty thousand poonds. All that he gives to you-eighty
thousand, that's three thousand a year for ou ; and sixty thousand, that's two thousand wore, my dearest Rose. You remember what
oou said, that when you married you should step out of one room like this into another
just as good p"
"Oh, Regrie," she sank upon his bosom, "Oh, Reggie," she sank upon his bosom,
"you know I could never love anybody but ou. It's true I was engaged to old Lord vergreen, but that was only because he had
one foot, you know-and when the other foot went in, too, just a day too soon, I actually
laughed. So the pater is going to make a company of it, is he? Well, I hope he won't put any of his own money into it, I'm sure,
because of late all the companies have turned at so badly
But, my child, the place is full of gold. my dear boy ? And why didn't he make yon tick to it? But you know nothing of the city. Now, let us sit down and talk about
what we shall do-don't, you ridiculous boy." what we shall do-don't, you ridiculous boy."
Another house just like the first. The bride Another house just like the first. The bride
stepped out of one palace into another. With stepped out of one palace into another. With
their five or six thousand a year the young couple could just manage to make both ends meet. The husband was devoted, the wit
had everything that she could wish, could be happier than this pair in a nest so
luxurious, their life so padded, their days so full of sunshine
It was a year after marriage. The wife, con
trary to the usual custom was the first breakfast. A few letters were waiting for
She opened and read them. Among them lay one addressed to her husband. Not look-
ing at the address, she opened and read this as well :
"DEAR REGINALD-I venture to address you as an old friend of your own and scinoolfellow of your mother's. I am a widow with four children. My husban t was the vicar of "I was left with a little income of about two hundred pounds a year. Twelve month ago I was persuaded, in order to double my
income-a thing that seemed certain from the prospectus-to invest everything in a new and
rich gold rich gold mine. Everything-and the min
has never paid anything. The company-i is called the Rynard Gold Reef company-i s
in liquidation beeause, though there is really the gold there, it costs too much to get it. "I have no relatives anywhere to help me,
Unless I can get assistance my children and I must go at once-to-morrow-into the work
house. Yes, we are paupers. I am ruined by the cruel lies of that prospectus ând th
wickedness which deluded me, and I kno not how many others, out of my money.
have been foolish, and I am punished, bu those people, who will punish them?' Help
me, if you can, my dear Reginald. Oh, for
God's sake, help my children and me ! Help God's sake, help my children and me ! Help
your mother's friend, your own old friend.' Iy the kind of thing to make Reggie uncomfortable. Why, in might make him unhapp all day. Better burn it."
She dropped the letter into the fire.
"He's an impulsive, emotional nature, an
to muse. "If people are so foolish. What

##  <br> "Kiss me Bo" A pollo ase, Rosie." He looked as handsome Apollo, and as cheerful. "I wish all the world was as happy as you and me. Heigho! Some poor devils, I'm afraid-" <br> "Tea or coffee, Reg ?" <br> JUBILEE DRUG HALL 1341 st. obtherine st. <br> ROD. CARRIERE, <br> MONEY TO LOAN. <br> $\$ 25,00$ to 1end on city or coanty  otes discounted. House and Farm for Sale <br> JOHM LEVEILLE, Ag nt, St James s <br> A. L. BRAULT <br> MERCHANT TALIOR, <br> - BLEURY STREET - 53 montreal <br>  <br> Every Workingman <br> SHOULD READ <br> THE ECHO

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The determination to gain a short workday is regarded of the first impor－ tance by most trades．This imparts an earnestness to their efforts that canno fail of ultimate success，at the sam time serving as an incentive to men o less determined purpose．T－at the agitation kept afoot in this way will be attended by the best results is certain Evidences multiply that a more liberal spirl and a bellor formed policy will be manifested by employers in The chif reasons for a the The chier reasons a reduction of the hours of labor upon the over crowded condition of the labor market machinery．－Hollisters＇Eight Hour Herald．

MONEY OR A LIVING．
＂To make money is one thing；to make a living is a better，＂says Edward Everett Hale at the close of his paper in The Cosmopolitan entitled＂Making a Living．＂It is a sort of sketch story， and is a charming bit of what one might call realistic fiction．For fiecion it is in one sense，and realism it cer－ tainly is in another．
Mr．Hale supposes the case of couple that had to show for seventeen years of married life six children and an income from their savings of $\$ 400$ a year．The older children were fifteen and thirteen，with their clothes be－ coming more expensive and their ap－ petites at the maximum．The father earned $\$ 1,000$ a year as a bookkeeper， the mother economired a little mor， the mother economized a little more every year，with the result that both both were growing year by sear mis， both were growing year by year more anxious and careworn，so that the cheer：ul air each invariably wore in more＂manufactured sunshine，＂ more＂manufactured sunshin

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| ily council and decided at one stroke | but reducing those of the more skilled | ily council and decided at one stroke but reducing those of the more skilled to win or lose all．He would resign workers from 1 s 6 d to 2 s a week．The his bookkeeper＇s place，they wouldrent

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fairly complete．They are：First，a one of the little abandoned farms in fairly complete．They are：First，a New England and see if they could make the children count in the strug－ gle for a living，and do better for the children at the same time．How they came out we are to be told in the future．Dr．Hale says the plan they chose is not what some foolish people suppose it to be a panaces．Of all the masses of struggling humanity that are driven to the wall in cities，it is his opinion that going to the country and farming would be adrane country about two in a hundred．That is pro about two in a hundred．That is pro－ bably a very fair average．The first thing generally that city people who go on a farm to better themselves and country people who go to the city for like purpose do is to break them－ elves financially．They may or may oot succeed finally，according as they ave perseverence and capacity for learning new things．
But one argument Dr．Hale brings forward for sending his fictitious fam－ ily into the country to make a living is hat some of the very states which are upposed to contain the largest num－ ber of abandoned farms are the ones nereasing most rapidly in population and that this increase is in the agricul－ tural districts．Dr．Hale tells the ruth，too，only he does not mention hat the of it that frming has been largely shandonel nd fruit，boen largely abandoned as taken its place has taken its place，By means these a living，and a very happy one，
can be made in New England．－Fort
Wayne Labor Herald． Wayne Labor Herald．
LABOR AND CAPITAL IN SCAN－ DINAVIA．
The Norberg iron miners，who to the number of about a thousand have been n strike for about eight months gainst contracts that did not allow hem to organize，had to surrender bout g．fortnight ago．Over $\$ 10,000$ were en to them from all parts of the couns and from Swedes working in he United States．A number of the latter living in Chicago sent $\$ 150$ to the Swedish Secretary of State，E．G Bostiom，asking him to hand the money over to the striking miners．But this noble gentleman，a mine owner him elf，and member of the protectionist party that came into power through lection frauds，returned the money Just at that moment those funds might have turned the strike into a vietory for the miners．His statement was
that he would have nothing to do with the matter－except，I may add，to send The Norberg strike，
The Norberg strike，the biggest o is kind so far in Sweden，is the firs of workers that is toiling twelve and fourteen capitalist papers are jubilant that the trouble is over，but indeed this is only the beginning of the thing，not its end T．．e Socialist proposition，to convoke people＇s parliament for the purpose f obtaining universal suffrage，has been adopted by the radical wing of he capitalist party too ；most people protectionist the present reactionary sition will be submitted to a referen－ dum vote of the people－ 20,000 wil er rquisite for its adoption．－＂Argns＇ The People．

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## $\wedge$ ENGLAND

The working of the eight hour sys tem in the great chemical works of Brunner，Mond \＆ $\mathrm{Co}_{n}$ ，at Norwich England，offers on the whole a striking object lesson in the economic effects of an eight hour day．When Mr．Brun－ ner initiated the change the mass of his employees were working on 3n av erage fourteen hours a day．Mr．Brun－ shifts of eight hours apiece，leaving the me
light increase in the number of those mployed；to－day the proportion is as wages to the old level，the temporary eduction having been abolished； hird，a great improvement in the health of the men，the callson the sick To these results a fourth must obvious． be added，viz．，an increase in the profits of Brunner，Mond \＆Co．，oth－ wise the reversion to the old rate of vages would never have been at empted．We see that a reduction of he hours of labor is，in itself，power－ orless to weaken the system of capital ist exploitation．But it will help to build up a healthier generation of
workers who will eventually rebel gainst it．
LET US PULL TOGETHER．
Robert Johnson，director of the Co onial College，England，in the United Service Magazine thus sets forward the future of our race
＂Looking forward but a few short vears，is not the following a forecast Can we not see the great English fam－ Americang the whole of North great part of South Africa and many other parts of the world as well？In America，Canada and the United Statps，hand joined in hand，command alike the Atlantic and the Pacific．The United States of Australia and New South Africa command the Indian and the Soutinern seas，while all are pnite in firm and indissoluble alliance with the mother land from which the sprang，the United Kingdom of Great Britain and England．Thus strong in the north and in the south，in the eas
and in the west，this confederation of arace which has ever been in the van of political，social and religious free dom，may work out a glorious missio and keep the peace of the world．
It is a glorious prospect！Are no magnify who constantly endeavor several sections of the English－speak ing people，and to keep them as wide apart a

## CLUMSY DODGING．

Perhaps the silliest＂argument＂ tion is the final one that there is som thing peculiar about the United States that makes protection necessary here． From every other rampart the defen－ ders of unjust and unwise laws can be driven．When it is shown that tariff taxes do not increase wages，they re tort that laws cannot be supposed to regulate a matter that is wholly con trolled by supply and demand．When they declare that prices increase prices they declare that prices are higher be cause wages are higher．When con－
fronted again by proof that wages are fronted again by proof that wages are
not higher，they assert that tariffs make not higher，they assert that tariffs make
prices lower．When it is demons：rated prices lower．When it is demonstrated
that wages have increased in England hat wages have increased in England hat is due to the peculiar situstion England－ ree trade just as the American situa－ tion démands protection．
Of course，all this is the dodging of clumsy defenders of a wicked system palliation．Tariffs are taxes，The tion of everybody for the benefit of somebody is a moral wrong，and being uch，it is just as reprehansible in the United States as it is in England ；it is wicked in Germany as it is in Italy here is nothing in the situation of the nited States or in the character and ccupation of their people that makes a hing that is vicious in itself more
raiseworthy here than it is elsewhera n this planet．－The American Far－


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