

BRITAIN'S COMMERCE

A Grand Gathering of Delegates From the Mother Country's Colonies.

Hon. Mr. Chamberlain Talks About Preferential Trade Within the Empire.

And Says, in Effect, if it is Generally Backed up it Might be Entertained.

London, June 9.—The third congress of the chamber of commerce in the British empire opened at 9 o'clock this morning in the hall of the Grocers' company, Princes street, with Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, colonial secretary and honorary president of the congress, in the chair. The splendid hall was filled with delegates from all parts of the empire, those of each colony being grouped under their own banner. Canada had two tables, the others had one.

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A GAME OF BLUFF.

The electors of Cedar Hill district who were present at last evening's political meeting, held in the interests of Messrs. Prior and Earle, must have been impressed with the conviction that the Tupper squad are endeavoring to carry their ends in this contest by a bold game of bluff.

In regard to local questions the Tupper squad claimed that the Liberals had obstructed every measure that came up in the house of commons to advance the interests of the province.

Col. Prior with an effrontery so bold as to be astounding, made a desperate attempt to revive and use for his own political advantage the worn-out, threadbare political bugaboo, which he is so fond of terming "a cock and bull story."

SIR OLIVER MOWAT.

A few days ago a dispatch appeared in the Colonist and News-Advertiser stating that Sir Oliver Mowat at Mr. Laurier's meeting in London had spoken as follows:

He said the school question was not a question of national versus separate schools. The establishment of separate schools was necessary to carry out the principle of Confederation.

Over this dispatch the Colonist had the headline "Mowat Deounces the Manitoba Majority." It turns out that Sir Oliver Mowat made no such statements as were credited to him; in fact he did not touch on the school question in his speech at London.

The Free Press has frankly to acknowledge a mistake in its telegraphic dispatch of yesterday, reporting remarks said to have been made by Sir Oliver Mowat on the school question.

The Colonist and News-Advertiser can hardly do less than follow the example of the Free Press and correct the error into which they inadvertently led their readers.

THE WORST YET.

Tory falsifications in the present campaign are so numerous that it seems hard to overtake them all. Some of them are too trifling to require notice, but it is surely going too far when a "fake" interview with a prominent and highly honored leader of the Methodist church is first published in the chief organ and afterwards sent broadcast over the Dominion for the purpose of bolstering up the failing cause of the Tupperites.

Whoever of the two great political parties is successful and assumes the reins of government, or whatever may be the fate of the remedial bill, the only practical peaceable settlement of this question will be to restore to the minority of Manitoba, under proper safeguards, their privilege of separate schools.

Rev. Chancellor Burwash promptly published the following correction of this misrepresentation of his views: "My opinions on the importance and necessity of moral and religious elements in education are well known, but

I regard the issue in Manitoba as implying far more than this question. I do not think the people of Manitoba are disposed to deny the rights of conscience to any religious body, and I believe that the rights of the Roman Catholic minority are perfectly safe in the hands of the people of the province.

"Holding these views, you will easily understand that I was not pleasantly surprised to find that an interview with which I have had nothing to do was credited to me in the Mail and Empire of Saturday last.

It is bad enough to lie about political opponents and falsify their utterances, but when it comes to covering with partisan slime the head of a Methodist university, who has nothing to do with politics, one can only conclude that the offenders have deliberately resolved to leave decency out of sight.

A SAMPLE DISTORTION.

To any person who attended last evening's meeting the reason for Col. Prior's unwillingness to have opposition speakers on the platform with him must be easily apparent.

He noticed, too, that while some of the Liberals argue that there should be a greater free list, Mr. Templeman argues for no free list at all.

A Voice—No he doesn't. Col. Prior—Oh yes he does, for he advocated the other day an all round duty of 22 per cent.

This is an outrageous distortion of Mr. Templeman's remarks. Mr. Templeman pointed out that the farmers of British Columbia have a tariff protection of about 22 per cent, while the manufacturers are protected to the extent of 35 to 40 per cent.

VERDANT MR. EARLE!

Mr. Earle, at last night's meeting, asked the question: "Can any man truthfully say that the Conservative government has failed to attend to the needs and requirements of British Columbia in any one particular?"

A miserable lighthouse service. Neglect to establish signal and life saving stations on the West Coast. Trap fishing.

Bankruptcy law. Mail service on northern coast. Of local matters may be mentioned: The small grant made for harbor improvements; failure to have the subsidized C. P. R. Empress line of steamers call at the outer wharf; Indian reserve; San Pedro, etc., etc.

A SAMPLE OF TORY WORK.

Col. Prior has a great deal to say about the immense public works the Conservative government has constructed and has now to set over against the national debt. One of these assets is known to be the Little Rapids lock, which affords a fair illustration of the government's methods of "developing" the country.

In the month of December, 1886, two months before the general election of 1887, the Dominion public works department entered into a contract with Mr. W. J. Poupore, Conservative M. P. for Pontiac county, Quebec, for the construction of a lock and dam at Little Rapids, on the Lievre river, a stream running through Ottawa county and discharging into the Ottawa river at Buckingham, twenty miles below Ottawa city.

"PREFERENTIAL" HUMBUG

Col. Prior nobly backs up his unscrupulous chief in his attempt to hoodwink the people with the "preferential trade" scheme. He even copies Sir Charles's assertion that this preferential trade idea is quite compatible with the policy of protection.

"But the principle which I claim must be accepted if we are to make any, even the slightest progress, is that within the different parts of the empire protection must disappear, and that the duties must be revenue duties and not protective duties in the sense of protecting the products of the one part of the empire against those of another part."

CONSERVATIVES WHO DIFFER.

Messrs. Prior and Earle profess to believe that regard for the constitution requires the passage of the act restoring the separate schools in Manitoba. If that proposition is correct, how do they account for the very large number of Conservative candidates who have pledged themselves to vote against that bill if they are elected?

It is rather amusing to hear Col. Prior use the experience of the United States as an argument in favor of protection. He quotes a number of railway and trade statistics for the purpose of showing that hard times commenced in the States after the change in the tariff. This is a most ridiculous blunder for even the Colonel to make.

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The government organ appears to have been satisfied with the specific accusations of distortion in its political reports with which we furnished it on Saturday, but it does not see fit to reform in this respect. Both its Cedar Hill and Metchoshin "reports" are so twisted so as to be completely unfair to the Liberal speakers.

Bright and Economical Women

Bright and economical women find Diamond Dyes the greatest help in housekeeping. The thrifty housewife, with the aid of Diamond Dyes can recolor old and faded dresses, capes, jackets, pants, vests and coats, and make them look like new garments.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES.

Several matters discussed at last evening's meeting. A meeting of the Board of School Trustees was held last evening. Chairman Hayward presided and Trustees Mrs. Grant, Lovell, McMeekin, Saunders and Belyea were present.

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ed for extras \$61,000. If he receives one-half of these extras, the actual cost of the work will be \$300,000, for which the original estimate was \$44,000, and the final estimate \$76,000.

The original contract included nine-tenths of the work finally built, and the cost at Mr. Poupore's own prices of nine-tenths of the work amounted to \$76,000, yet on one pretence or another, and for one corrupt reason or another, the department have paid out \$109,000 additional, and as late as the season of 1894 an additional vote of \$5,000 was taken on account of this work.

Now, an important fact is this: the work is entirely useless for any purpose whatever, and is just so much money thrown into the river. The river runs through a wilderness, and is used for the floating of logs. There is one solitary little steamer running up a river from Buckingham village for a distance of twenty-five miles.

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San Francisco, June 11. Weyler and Mr. W. Weyler expressed a United States and offered to accompany me to do so.

Made Well

Ringing sores broke out on my thighs. Pieces of bone came out and an operation was contemplated. I had rheumatism in my legs, drawn up out of shape. I lost my appetite, and could not sleep. I was a perfect wreck. I continued to grow worse and finally gave up the doctor's treatment to take Hood's Sarsaparilla. Soon appetite came back, the sores commenced to heal. My limbs straightened out and I threw away my crutches. I am now stout and hearty and am farming, whereas four years ago I was a cripple. I gladly recommend Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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Is the One True Blood Purifier. All druggists sell. Prepared only by C. L. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Hood's Pills take, easy to operate.

A FEMALE H. HOLMES

Who Out-Heroded Herod in the Wholesale Slaughter of Innocent Babies.

The Fiend Who Horrified Eastern Waters Was No Creation of a Novelist's Brain.

But a Fearful and Terrible Reality of Mysterious London—Mrs. Dyer Hanged.

London, June 10.—Mrs. Dyer was hanged at 9 a.m. this morning.

Mrs. Annie Dyer, the notorious baby farmer, of Reading, was arrested April 9 on a charge of murdering a number of infants entrusted to her care. Mrs. Dyer was one of the most extraordinary criminals of the age, a wholesale cold-blooded murderer of the type of H. H. Holmes, recently executed at Philadelphia. There was little difference in the method employed; Holmes killed men, women and children, indiscriminately, but Mrs. Dyer contented herself with slaying helpless infants entrusted to her care.

The police at first became suspicious of Mrs. Dyer and her son-in-law, Arthur E. Palmer, early in April when the bodies of a number of children, apparently strangled to death were recovered from the river Thames, where they were thrown weighted down with bricks and stones. Investigation was followed by the arrest of Mrs. Dyer and Palmer, and letters were found at the house showing that many of her accomplices had been aware of the fate intended for the infants consigned to the woman's charge. It has been proved that Mrs. Dyer had been given into Mrs. Dyer's care had been given into Mrs. Dyer's care had been given into Mrs. Dyer's care.

In addition, prior to Christmas, many other children who have been placed in the woman's charge, are accounted for and some of them are reported to have been murdered. A conservative estimate places the number of children killed at 40, but other estimates give as many as 100 infants strangled or drowned by this female fiend.

The execution was private, being witnessed only by officials. Public interest had been so excited by the enormity of the woman's crimes that despite the rainfall all the morning a large crowd gathered outside the walls of Newgate and eagerly awaited the hoisting of the outer world of the taking of the gall-murderess' life. When the sabbath signal was unfurled there burst from the crowd a cheer which was again and again repeated. An attempt was made by the crowd to suppress this jubilation, but the crowd, having relieved itself by the expression of approbation, quietly departed, contented and convinced that justice had done its work well.

A strict watch was kept upon the condemned woman during the last few days of her two months' incarceration, and special vigilance was kept last night, so that by no chance might she cheat the hangman through suicide, which she had twice attempted and once nearly succeeded.

PETITIONING FOR PARDON.

Washington, D.C., June 11.—A petition has been received at the department of justice for the pardon of Capt. Wilbrog, of the steamer *Horsa*, convicted in the United States district court at Philadelphia last March of engaging in a Cuban filibustering expedition. The eight hundred persons, and, together with all papers in the case, will be forwarded to President Cleveland.

Havana, June 11.—United States General Lee served with General Weyler and Mr. Williams, the retiring consul-general, yesterday. General Weyler expressed a desire to visit the United States and Consul-General Lee offered to accompany him should he decide to do so.

THE MIKADO TRADE WANTED.

San Francisco, June 11.—An effort is being made by the merchants of San Francisco to secure a portion of the trade of Japan. Hitherto no special effort has been made in this direction, but the reports that have been brought back by visitors to the Mikado's realm, notably Irving M. Scott and Robert P. Porter, and the statement made to the federal government by United States Minister Dunn, have served to enlighten the local merchants to the opportunities they have overlooked. It is agreed that the adoption of Occidental manners and modes of life by the Japanese has created a corresponding demand for Occidental products, and manufacturers. The British were the first to realize this, and their enterprise has given them a hold upon the markets of the empire that will be hard to loosen; but it is believed there are lines in which the British cannot compete with the Americans of the Pacific coast. This is especially true of California fruits, dried and canned, of leather and lumber.

The first step toward developing the Japanese trade was taken yesterday at a meeting of the board of trustees of the chamber of commerce. A resolution was adopted declaring it the sense of the trustees that a joint meeting should be held with the directors of the board of trade for the purpose of formulating a plan looking to the appointment of a commercial commission

er to represent the products of the Pacific coast in Japan. In the informal discussion that led up to the adoption of the resolution it was agreed that \$4,000 should be raised among the merchants of San Francisco on the basis of 100 contributors, each to subscribe \$40. This sum, it was thought, would suffice to maintain a capable man in Yokohama for six or nine months, at the end of which time the results would show the advisability of continuing the agency and making further provision.

BEGINNING OF THE END

Sir Chas. Tupper is Having a Reputation of Premier Bowell's Experience

With "The Nest of Traitors"—Montague and Haggart Will at the Ontario Tour.

So the Old Man Goes Out Alone—Ministers Must Look After Their Own Seats.

Ottawa, June 11.—There is a big row on between Sir Charles Tupper, Hon. Dr. Montague and Mr. Haggart. Dr. Montague was asked by the premier to accompany him on his present Ontario tour, but the Doctor refused to do so. This was particularly on account of Messrs. Haggart and Montague being opposed to Sir Charles Tupper coming into Ontario at all. Dr. Montague, instead of going with Sir Charles Tupper, lay up at the Russell house, and, as soon as the premier got a day's start of Dr. Montague, the latter left his room at the Russell house last night and proceeded to the West, where he goes upon a campaign on his own account.

TO BE NO WAR AFTER ALL.

Jingoists Lose One Burning Topic to Grind Their Pencils On.

London, June 11.—The secretary for foreign affairs, Mr. Geo. N. Curzon, answering a question in the house of commons to-day, said that negotiations were proceeding with the United States with a view to bringing about a settlement by arbitration of the Venezuelan dispute. But, he added, in the public interests, the government could not make any further statement on the subject at present.

WILL FIGHT TILL DEATH

Any Form of Protection in Britain—That is the View of the Great Liberal Party.

Who Do Not Desire to Witness a Recurrence of the Dreadful Bread Riots.

Selligent Delegates Denounced—Third Day's Proceedings of the Congress.

London, June 11.—Last night in a speech at Reading, Mr. Henry Asquith, late Liberal home secretary, took up the gauntlet thrown down by Mr. Chamberlain in his remarks regarding the institution of a *sovereign* at the first day's congress of the colonial chamber of commerce.

Mr. Asquith declared that it was evident that Britain was on the threshold of a tariff contest, and further said that the Liberal party would fight to the death any form of protection. He said he was surprised that the congress had revealed such a determination of the colonies, Canada especially, to insist on some form of a mutually protective tariff as a price of continued union with the mother country, and he was further indignant at the outbursts against the United States on the part of Canadians, which were features of yesterday's proceedings of the congress. The remarks of Frank Arnold, Q.C., of Toronto, were vehement in the extreme. He said that though the idea was scoffed at in England, it is true that a possibility exists of the States trying to absorb Canada and accomplish it by force.

OFFICERS ELECTED

Business Transacted at Last Evening's Session of the Grand Lodge I.O.O.F

The Grand Encampment and Grand Lodge Elect Officers for the New Term.

Nanaimo, B. C., June 11.—At last evening's session of the Grand Lodge, I.O.O.F., officers were elected as follows for the ensuing term:

H. B. Gilmour, Vancouver, Grand Master.
W. H. Morton, Nanaimo, Deputy Grand Master.
A. Henderson, Victoria, Grand Warden.
Fred Davey, Victoria, Grand Secretary.
Henry Waller, P.G.M., Victoria, Grand Treasurer.

D. Welsh, New Westminster, Grand Representative to Sovereign Lodge.
Considerable business was transacted and the Grand Lodge adjourned at 10 p.m. Eighty-five votes were cast at the election of officers.

At the Grand Encampment's evening session, which was held at the Grand Lodge adjourned, the following officers were elected and installed by Grand Patriarch R. Rivers:

W. H. Huxtable, Victoria, Grand Patriarch.
D. Mezzies, Vancouver, Grand High Priest.
T. A. Muir, New Westminster, Grand Senior Warden.
J. B. Ballentyne, New Westminster, Grand Scribe.
J. Webster, Vancouver, Grand Treasurer.
J. E. Phillips, Victoria, Grand Junior Warden.
A. McGregor, Grand Marshal.
H. Mitchell, Inside Sentinel.
E. Panch, Outside Sentinel.

After the installation a great deal of business was transacted.

TERMS OF THEIR RELEASE.

Hammond and His Friends Must Pay Up or Be Banished.

Pretoria, June 11.—At a special meeting of the executive council to-day it was decided to release Mr. John Hays Hammond, Col. Rhodes, Geo. Farrar and J. W. Leonard, leaders of the Johannesburg reform committee, upon payment of £25,000 each or in default fifteen years banishment.

London, June 11.—The colonial secretary, Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, received

BRITISH COLUMBIA WEATHER

Fraser River Is Safe For the Present Season at Least.

Soda Creek, June 11.—The weather is cloudy, cool and windy, with the river about at a standstill.

Lillooet, B. C., June 11.—The weather is calm and getting warmer; the river is rising steadily.

Queensley, June 11.—The weather is warm and cloudy, with the river about at a standstill.

WHY THEY CHANGE

Montreal's City Treasurer Gives His Reasons For Supporting the Liberals.

The Tupper Trade and Manitoba School Policies Do Not Suit His Views.

Montreal Herald: Mr. William Robb, city treasurer, was called upon yesterday by a Herald reporter and asked to give his opinion on the political situation of the day. He said:

"I am neither Rouge nor Bleu. I know no party politically. I have always been and hope to remain free to vote for the best man that is brought out, whether he may have been classed among the Conservatives or the Liberals. Shibboleths which the knaves on both sides have conjured up to further their own interests are not the country's interests. I believe it to be the duty of every free patriot to cut himself adrift from the trammels of a party which links him to associates 'at which all that is best in his nature must often revolt'—and which, in itself, is one of the greatest curses of the country. I feel that until men can raise above its thrall sufficiently to reject the 'scallawag' who thrusts himself forward under the aegis of his party, and support the patriot who may be the nominee of the other, that there is little hope for improvement in government."

"Moreover, I believe that an interference with trade, whether protective or restrictive, is pernicious, and will be followed by greater evils than they aim at averting. As regards the school question, which forms so prominent a factor in the present election, I have a personal conviction that the children of a nation should associate indiscriminately in their scholastic training. In order to do this, I admit that religion should not enter into their curriculum. Nor is it necessary that it should. The home, to my mind, and the Sunday school are the proper places for that, and the desecularization of the seventh day was instituted for the joint purpose of that higher education and physical rest."

"I do not say this merely with regard to the distinction between Roman Catholicism and Protestantism. It has equal force as between different branches of the latter. If distinctively sectarian doctrine were taught amongst them, there would be just as fierce opposition manifested as between the former—so strong is the power of early education amongst us all. The teaching of religion, however, and the recognition of the Deity are very different things. I am no advocate of godless schools. A reverent acknowledgement of the over-ruling providence of God might well inaugurate the day's conduct in a prayer to which none could take exception."

"Let the cardinal virtues be inculcated with the utmost care. Teach them to be just, righteous, merciful and considerate—above all things teach them to despise a lie. Educate them in those things which will keep them abreast of the times—fortify them against evils and snares—help them to know themselves and something of the physical, social and scientific world for which their education is popularly supposed to prepare them—even if it should be at the expense of some of the dead languages and still more useless fractions with which so much of their precious time is taken up—to occupy the school hours who have to go early in to the struggle of life with either one or the other when they are all too short for the rudiments of practical life, is little short of a crime."

"For these reasons my sympathies are with the men who would relieve the trade of the country from restrictions and remove causes of prejudice from the minds of the children."

"The pretence that the country would be thrown into chaos by the change from protection to free trade is mere vapouring. I am willing to believe that the protectionists are as sincere in their convictions and as patriotic as free traders, but not more so. I believe that men like Laurier, Mowat, and Joly are, at least, as patriotic as any and being so, will be as careful in the unfolding of an evil as others were zealous in creating it."

"Were I to consult my personal feelings only, my vote would be otherwise. My intimate friends are on the other side, and Dr. Roddick is a man whom it must pain a great many to refrain from assisting."

American News.

Chicago, June 11.—Fire broke out last night in Whiting, Ind., and in spite of the efforts of the town fire company and assistance from the Standard Oil Company works, three lives were lost and two frame structures consumed. The dead are Mrs. John Homer, her son aged two years and a daughter aged four years.

British Opinion

Of Canadian Conservatives—Hard on Col. Prior's Colleagues.

THE LONDON TIMES.

LONDON DAILY CHRONICLE.

LONDON GRAPHIC.

LONDON TELEGRAPH.

BIRMINGHAM GAZETTE.

LONDON ECHO.

ST. JAMES' GAZETTE.

THE GRAPHIC DESPATCH.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

AGAINST RACING.

THE TURF.

BASEBALL.

THE RIFLE.

THE KING.

AMERICAN NEWS.

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"It seems to be possible in the Dominion to secure the political support not only of individuals but of whole provinces by gifts of money. The locality is bribed as well as the member, and the consequent demoralization spreads through all ranks."

"It is no longer possible to doubt that corruption in its worst form is rampant in a large portion of the Canadian civil service."

"Enough, unfortunately, is already known in England to make it clear that only the most resolute and drastic purification can redeem public life in Canada from the taint of corruption, the like of which we have not seen in our own country for hundreds of years."

"Rascals out of office defraud the public in order to bribe rascals in office, and rascals in office prostitute themselves, sacrifice their honor and forsake their trust in order to keep on good terms with the rascals out of office."

"No country can prosper where public departments are in league with fraudulent contractors, and where ministers are open to offers."

"The existence of an organized system of corruption among public officials in Canada has been conclusively proved, and, like everything else on the American continent, the bribery has been colossal."

"The secret of Sir John Macdonald's electoral victories is out. On this side of the water surprise has often been expressed at the patience with which our Canadian cousins submitted to the Tory protectionist rule of that prince of political intriguers. There is now, alas! no difficulty in explaining that curious situation. Sir John's government rested upon a stupendous and all-prevailing system of bribery and corruption. Even Tammany Hall smells sweet and clean in comparison with the huge stink-pot of Sir John's government."

Every man on the Tacoma team played good ball, and the outfielding of the Victoria team could not have been improved upon. The infield were not up to their usual standard. The score follows:

Victoria	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Tacoma	2	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	2

Harry Wright of the Willows Kennels, has a litter of Italian greyhounds, the first ever bred in the province. The mother was imported by Mr. Wright.

New York, June 9.—The cycle carnival at Madison Square Garden drew out large crowds last night. The one mile bicycle race was very exciting, the winner being A. Whelpley, of the Greenwich wheelmen, handicap 50 yards; time, 2:33.15; W. H. Owen, M. A. C., 10 yards, second, and H. Y. Bedell, Riverside Wheelmen, 60 yards, third.

There will be a bicycle run to Shawangunk Lake on Sunday, leaving the city at 8 o'clock a.m. Already ten have expressed their intention of taking part in the run. It will be a slow pace. The party will return by the afternoon train. Those wishing to take part are requested to leave their names with Mr. Geo. Lincoln at Waitt & Co's.

Kansas City, Mo., June 10.—The last race at Exposition Park yesterday resulted in a fatality. Benny Vail, who had a mount on Alwats, was killed by being rolled upon by his horse, which fell on the course. The horse was also killed.

Ottawa, June 19.—The council of the Dominion Rifle Association met last night to arrange for the annual matches. The week commencing August 31 was chosen as the time, the matches to be the same as last year, but will include an extra series aggregate.

London, June 10.—Robert Fitzsimmons is in London, giving exhibitions of boxing and wrestling. He began his series of performances before the National Sporting Club last evening, and was well received, and the exhibition was in every respect a success.

Mexico, June 11.—Details of a cyclone which devastated the town of Toluca, state of Jalisco, have just arrived. Three-fourths of the town were utterly destroyed. Thirteen bodies have been taken from under the mass of earth. More than thirty persons are missing, but it is expected that their bodies will be discovered under the debris. Everyone has been impoverished by the wholesale destruction.

Home.

AGAINST THE N. P.

Manufacturers and Business Men Who Range Themselves on Mr. Laurier's Side.

They Are in No Way Afraid of the Liberal Policy of Tariff for Revenue.

In Very Many Cases the Imposition of High Duties is a Positive Injury.

Toronto Globe.—A few days ago the Globe sent out this circular to some of its correspondents throughout Ontario:—

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and churning gum, 50 hands. Wm. Stereol, London, tinware, 20 to 25 hands. J. Watson, London, boxes, 30 hands. Laidlaw, Watson & Co., London, wholesale manufacturers, boots and shoes, 55 hands. Mickel, Dryden & Son, lumberman, Gravenhurst, 110 hands; at Severn, 100 hands, on the drive, 150 hands. Saiger & Co., Gravenhurst, lumbermen, 25 hands. R. Thomson & Co., Gravenhurst, 10 hands now; 35 after June 1st. B. R. Mowry & Sons, Gravenhurst, foundry, 10 hands. Cliphsham Carriage Works, Gravenhurst. King Bros., Whitby, tanners and shoe manufacturers. Wm. Brown, Whitby, foundry, manufacturer of the Clokey centre-cut mower, and a general line of agricultural implements. Wren & Co., Forst, agricultural implements, from 10 to 20 hands. Duncan Weir, Forst, flax mill, about 20 hands steady, and from 100 to 200 during the pulling season. Lawrence & Co., Watford, stave and heading mills, from 50 to 80 hands. Alex. Dickson, Arkona, woollen mills, 10 hands. R. J. McCormack, Warwick, brick and tile, number of hands varies from 10 to 40. The J. Fleury Sons' Agricultural implements works, Aurora, from 80 to 100 hands. S. Buschlen, rake and handle factory, Port Elgin, 15 hands. Mr. G. Barber, woollen manufacturer, Port Elgin. Port Elgin Sole Leather Tannery, 30 hands. J. H. Keenan, manager, is a Liberal. This tannery is owned by Shaw, Cassils & Co., Montreal. Bowman & Zinkan, Southampton Sole Leather Tannery, 40 hands. Port Elgin Brush Co., a joint stock institution, mixed proprietorship, president and secretary strong supporters of Laurier, 40 hands. Mr. Hepper, foreman of the mechanical department, was at the manufacturers' meeting in Toronto, but represented simply his own views. A. Barritt & Co., Mitchell, hosiery, 50 hands employed. F. Dufon, Mitchell, woollen mill, 20 hands employed. Andrew Forrester, Mitchell, flax mill, 30 hands employed. Jos. Hill & Co., foundry, Mitchell, 8 hands employed. John Whyte, pork factory, Mitchell, 25 hands. W. Thomson, oatmeal mill, Mitchell, 12 hands. Davis & Eizerman, planing mill, Mitchell, 8 hands. George Middleitch, Ridgeway, manufacturer of harvesting machinery, cultivators and farm implements. Twenty hands employed in his foundry the year round. Elliott & Co., Thos. Steel & Co., Cochrane & Rushton and Henry Livingstone, bean exporters, all of Ridgeway. The Longford Lumber Co., Longford Mills, 150 hands. A. Tait, Orillia, sash and doors, 25 hands. Frank Kean, Orillia, veneer goods, 15 hands. C. J. Miller, Orillia, leather, 16 hands. S. Wm. Orrill, Orillia, leather, 8 hands. Geo. Vick & Sons, Orillia Flour Mills, 16 hands. A. McKay, Orillia, woollen goods, 8 hands. Long & Thomson, Orillia, foundry, 4 hands. D. C. Thomson, Orillia, flour mills, 5 hands. John Campbell, Erie flour mills, St. Thomas, 30 hands. James McLeod, Pembroke, woollen manufacturer, 6 men. Standard Hosiery Company, Lemora, Pembroke, 5 men and 30 women. Hugh Fraser & Son, Pembroke, carriage builders, 8 men. Albert Wright, Pembroke, tanner, 4 men. Edgar Wright, Pembroke, tanner, 6 men. C. Devlin & Son, Pembroke, foundry, 5 men. Windle, Watt & Archer, brick-makers, Pembroke, 10 men. T. & W. Murray, brick-makers, Pembroke, 10 men. Alexander Jamieson, carriage builder, Pembroke, 3 men. Wm. Dayfoot & Co., shoe manufacturers, Georgetown. The McLaughlin carriage works, Oshawa, 180 hands; pay roll, over \$1,500 per week. J. T. Harvey, lumber mills, Eureka Falls. Peter Adams, of the Adams wagon works, Paris, employs 20 men. C. Redder, of the Paris Electro-plating Company, employs 10 men. R. Gillies, lumber merchant, etc., Paris, employs 12 men. Mr. John H. Allen, of the John H. Allen Seed Company, Picton, for many years president of the County Reform Association, a large employer of labor. Frost & Wood, Smith's Falls, harvest, 175 men. W. H. Frost, Smith's Falls, 125 men. J. H. Gould, Smith's Falls, 50 men. Barber Bros.' paper mill, Georgetown, 60 hands. Wm. Williams, Hosiery Company, Georgetown, 25 hands. H. P. Lawson, planing mill, etc., Georgetown, 18 hands. Walter Lawson, miller, Georgetown, 6 hands. Nicklin & Smith, tanners, Georgetown, 12 hands. Culp & McKenzie, carriages, Georgetown, 6 hands. W. Mack, flour manufacturer, Cornwall. W. Hodge, woollen manufacturer, Cornwall. John R. Barber, president Toronto Paper Co., Cornwall. James Hamilton & Co., carriage works, Lindsay. Horn Bros. & Co., woollen mills, Lindsay. Richard Kyle, carriage works, Lindsay. Wm. Skitch, carriage works, Lindsay. L. O'Connor, carriage works, Lindsay. Light, Heat & Power Company, electric works, Lindsay. Kennedy, Davis & Co., lumber manufacturers, Lindsay. The Paxton, Tait foundry, Port Perry, 50 hands. Geo. Dryden, manager, 15 to 60 hands. James Carnegie, sawmills, Port Perry,

25 hands. The Wm. Crane & Sons' Manufacturing Co., lumber and woodware, Newmarket, 180 hands. William Buck, stove manufacturer, Brantford, 50 hands. George Shultz, builder, Brantford, 100 hands. C. H. Waterous, president Waterous Engine Works Company, Brantford, 280 hands. E. L. Gould, president Good Bicycle Company, Brantford, 300 hands. William Paterson & Son, confectioners, Brantford, 150 hands. Frank Cockshutt, president of the Shingby Manufacturing Company, Brantford, 1230 hands. Dr. Lowery, president of the Brantford Stoneware Works and the Starch Works, Brantford, together about 30 hands. Adam Spence & Sons, carriages and wagons, Brantford, 20 hands. A. Davis & Son, King, tanners, 40 to 50 men. John Cameron, Acton, planing mill, 6 hands. Warden & Murray, glove factory, Acton, 10 men. John Moore, manager Toronto Lime Co., Limehouse, 15 men. Mariatt & Armstrong, tanners, Oakville, employ about 50 hands. C. G. Mariatt and S. D. Mariatt are Liberals and C. Armstrong is a Conservative. The McKay Milling Company (Ltd.), Ottawa, the largest institution of the kind in Canada. Battenworth & Co., Ottawa, stoves and range manufacturers. Bronson & Weston, Ottawa, Lumber Manufacturing Company. The Eclipse Office Manufacturing Company, Ottawa. The Capital Planing Mill Company, Ottawa. W. E. Edwards & Co., lumber manufacturers, Ottawa. G. B. Pattee, late firm of Perley & Pattee, Ottawa. J. A. Parr, dressed lumber manufacturers, Ottawa. Martin & Warnock, flour manufacturers, Ottawa. The Canadian Granite Company (Ltd.), Ottawa. A. Lumsden, lumber manufacturer, Ottawa. Geo. Dalgleish, woollen manufacturer, Ottawa. R. E. Jamieson & Co., biscuit manufacturers, Ottawa. The Gibson Manufacturing Company, Ottawa. J. F. Rowan, aerated water manufacturer, Ottawa. The Charles Rogers & Sons Co. (Ltd.), Toronto, furniture manufacturers. The Gold Medal Bed Spring & Furniture Co., Toronto. The Canadian Feather Down & Wire Mattress Co., Toronto. Barr Bros., Guelph, furniture manufacturers. Stubbs & Rogers, furniture manufacturers, Guelph. Baird Bros., Plattsville, furniture manufacturers. Broome & Box, Searforth, furniture manufacturers. Geo. C. McLagan (of Porteous & McLagan), Searforth, furniture manufacturers. Kensington Furniture Co., London and Goderich, furniture manufacturers. C. H. Forster, Lucknow, furniture manufacturers. Krugg Bros. & Co., Chesley, furniture manufacturers. Hanover Spring Bed and Upholstery Co., Hanover, furniture manufacturers. Knechtel Furniture Co., Hanover, furniture manufacturers. R. J. Disney, president Disney & Devlin Manufacturing Co., Hanover, furniture manufacturers. H. V. Fralich, Napanee, furniture manufacturer. The Naxon Bros., Ingersoll, one of the largest implement industries in Canada, and the largest in Western Ontario, employing now about 300 hands. C. C. L. Wilson, manager of the Ingersoll Packing Co., the largest of its kind in Western Ontario, employing now over 100 hands. Mr. Wm. Waterworth, president and principal stockholder in the Evans Piano and Manufacturing Co., Ingersoll, employing about 50 men.

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TARS TAKE CORINTO
Out of the Hands of a Drunken Mob Who Threatened General Destruction.
Blue Jackets From H. M. S. Comus and U. S. S. Alert Avert a Serious State of Affairs.

A late dispatch from Managua, Nicaragua, says: The government having controlled the wires at the time, the correspondent of the Associated Press here has been compelled to send by mail the following account of the landing on May 2, at Corinto, of a force of about 100 American and British marines from the United States cruiser Alert and the British cruiser Comus, which, acting in perfect harmony, occupied the port and protected until May 4 the property of foreigners in the custom house and at the railroad station, subduing a riotous and drunken mob which threatened to cause the most serious disturbances. On April 16 Samuel Mayorga, who was minister for the treasury of the Baco, or revolutionary government, issued a decree in the name of the revolutionary government, declaring that the officers and books of the custom house at Corinto were to be at once removed to Leon, the capital of the revolutionary government, situated about 30 miles in the interior, his ostensible purpose being to prevent millions of dollars' worth of merchandise in the custom house from an attack by the troops of Zelaya. He had come to Corinto with railway trains in order to remove the merchandise belonging largely to foreigners, from the custom house of Corinto to Leon.

It was evident, however, that the real object of Mayorga's move was to obtain possession of this property, and hold it as security for a war loan. Consequently the foreigners at once made a protest to Commander Hanford and to Captain Henry H. Dyke, of the British cruiser Comus, which had arrived at Corinto about April 5. The American and British commanders held a consultation, and decided that they would not allow the insurgents to take possession of the property of foreigners in the custom house or railroad depot at Corinto, as the latter buildings being within 600 yards of the guns of the two warships, were at least as safe as if the property were at Leon. This enraged Minister Mayorga so much that he caused the arrest of all native males in Corinto between the ages of 17 and 70 years, on the plea that a great battle was imminent at Momotombo. After detaining them on the railroad cars for a few hours, Mayorga released all of those who could pay him from \$100 to \$250 in cash, and returned to Leon with the other unfortunate inhabitants of Corinto without giving any receipts for the money collected, but declaring that he would reappear again to Corinto. This he did on May 1, when his party disbanded and sought safety in flight with considerable sums of money extorted in one way or another from the people of Nicaragua. They escaped to Guatemala in a small schooner. Although the chiefs of the insurgent party succeeded in escaping a great number of the officers and soldiers of the insurgent army, with their arms, stocked into Corinto in the hope of getting out of the country, but were unable to get away owing to the lack of means to do so. The disappointed hundreds of soldiers became reckless after their leaders deserted them, began drinking heavily and commenced rioting. The native commandant and the handful of police at the port were utterly impotent. The disbanded soldiers seemed right and left, violated women and young girls, and began gathering about the custom house. Palmer, the commandant of the custom house, hurried a written request for protection to Mr. Henry Palasio, the United States consular agent, requesting the latter to appear for help to the commanders of the American and British warships in port, the Alert and Comus, asking them to land men and take charge of the port and protect the persons and property of Nicaraguans, foreigners and the property of the government of Nicaragua until the government of President Zelaya was able to send troops to the spot. Consequently, about 1 p.m., on May 2, a force of about 400 marines, commanded by four officers and a number of midshipmen were landed from the United States cruiser Alert and British cruiser Comus, and quickly drove the rioters into hiding in the houses, into

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By Major Murdoch's Cavalry, Which Now Occupy Suarda.
Akasheh, June 10.—Major Burn Murdoch's cavalry occupied Suarda Monday and captured the entire Derivish camp and a great quantity of supplies. Many of the enemy were killed and forty Derivishes made prisoners. Sir Herbert Kitchener sent a detachment of infantry to hold Suarda, as it is a very valuable position. The pursuit of the Derivishes was not stopped, as the entire force north of Suarda, with the exception of about 200 fugitives, has been killed or captured. The whole of the Nile north of Suarda is now in the hands of the Egyptians.

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ROYAL OAK'S RECEPTION

Of the Liberal Candidates for Both Districts a Most Cordial One,

W. W. B. McInnes Places the Political Issues Clearly Before the Electors.

Striking Addresses by Mr. Templeman Dr. Milne and Senator McInnes.

Royal Oak school house was filled last evening with electors from both Victoria and Vancouver Island electoral districts...

Mr. McInnes' reception was a royal one. He was greeted with loud applause. He referred to the fact that although the committee had issued invitations to both Mr. Haggart and Mr. Haslam...

Mr. McInnes first dealt with the Manitoba school question. After pointing out the important part it plays in the Tupper game...

Mr. Daniels: That is a deliberate lie. I know as much about the matter as you do. (Derisive laughter.) Mr. McInnes: It is so. (Applause.) Even the Catholics of Manitoba were satisfied or why was it necessary for the clergy of that denomination to issue mandates...

The Greenway government had offered to make a reasonable compromise that should have been accepted by Sir Charles Tupper. (Loud applause.) Mr. McInnes described Sir Charles Tupper's attempt to coerce the members of the house into passing the bill...

come to the assistance of the province of Manitoba they would not deserve the educational privilege the now labor (Loud applause.) Mr. McInnes took an independent stand on this question. He believed in non-sectarian schools. (Applause.) And he would vote against coercion, it mattered not whether the money was in power. (Renewed applause.) He appealed to those present to stand by the men who would stand by the common school.

Mr. Daniels: Would you do away with separate schools in Ontario and Quebec? Mr. McInnes: These schools stand in a different position, but if the people there were as determined as the people of Manitoba to get rid of them, they would stand up for provincial rights...

A Voice: He ought to be killed. (Laughter.) Mr. McInnes: It's all very well to say so, but they have demoralized the labor market so that the white people are compelled to work even under Chinamen...

A Voice: Who are they? Mr. McInnes: If you lived in the vicinity of Nanaimo or Wellington you would know who "they" are. "They" are the Democrats of the Company. (Laughter.) "They" had their nominees returned to the provincial legislature...

Mr. McInnes referred to the scandalous treatment received from the constituency at the hands of the Dominion government. In view of the fact that the people of the province paid three times as much per capita as any other province...

Several of the catches of the sealing schooners hunting off the Japanese coast are reported in papers received by the Empress of Japan. A report had reached Hakodate through the captain of a Japanese sealing schooner...

No Rest, But Lots of Pleasure. Work in the country during spring and summer is more arduous and plentiful than at other times and yet the men don't seem to mind it nearly so much as the tasks which fall to their lot during the autumn and winter...

Dr. Milne to address the meeting. Dr. G. L. Milne was well received. He referred briefly to the Manitoba school question. He believed in provincial rights and the elimination of religious instruction from the public schools. (Applause.)

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EMPEROR OF JAPAN

Arrives From the Orient. But Does Not Call at the Outer Wharf.

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The Empress had difficulty with the quarantine officials at Yokohama on account of having come from the plague infested district of Hongkong. After inspection by the quarantine officers she was allowed to tie up at her wharf and take on freight and passengers...

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10th of May to J. B. McArthur on four claims, the Free Colange, Jeff Davis, Stonewall and Empress, situated on the divide between Bean and Champion creeks. On Monday the first payment of 5 per cent on the bond, which is \$50,000, was made by a local syndicate consisting of J. B. McArthur, D. B. Bogle, C. P. Caldwell and W. A. Jowett, who have in their turn transferred the bond to D. B. Bogle representing the Golden City Gold Fields Syndicate, Ltd., of London England.

KAMLOOPS. Inland Sentinel. Mr. C. E. Brown of the North Thompson, has 125 acres of wheat, and from present appearance it is expected that the yield will average 50 bushels to the acre.

NANAIMO. Nanaimo, June 11.—The body of a Jap was found hanging in an abandoned shack in Cedar district. The man had evidently committed suicide. W. B. Carrar, who is engaged in sinking a shaft on the Constance claim, Alberni, came in by stage last night. The shaft, he states, is down 42 feet. A miner named Charlesorton, employed at No. 4 shaft, of the Wellington collieries, was killed this forenoon by a fall of rock. Deceased is a Belgian and his wife and family are in his native country.

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Messrs. Earle and very cool reception last evening. Had a squad of the "faithful" the city the meeting absolutely lifeless. The fact that the Honourable Mr. Prior repeated which must do duty of the campaign, the ing his mention of to have been passed, been brought down, loved, his speech com my sentiments."

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THE FACTS STATED.

Fearful of the Coming Crash, the Victoria Branch of the Tupper "Nest of Traitors" Try to Sell One Another.

TORY JUDASES AND THEIR PIECES OF SILVER

Side Lights on the Inner Working of the Conservative Club.

As is now generally known at the bye-election held in the city of Victoria last January, the most corrupt practices were resorted to in the successful endeavor to retain the seat in the government interest. The difficulty the opposition experienced was to procure the necessary proof, which they wished to do to prevent a recurrence of such tactics on the 23rd of June. As might have been expected it occurred to some of Messrs. Prior and Earle's followers that here was the opportunity to make some money by selling the information to one of the opposition workers. Mr. F. G. Richards was accordingly approached, under a solemn pledge of secrecy, and they agreed to furnish him with a list of dead men, absentees, and repeaters, which it was necessary for him to procure in the interest of his party in order to prevent a recurrence of the personation and other corrupt practices above referred to. These two traitors, Tugwell and Warden, agreed upon their price and were paid \$150 on account of the \$500 which for which they stipulated. But they did not furnish the information in accordance with their bargain. In their case the proverb, "Honor among thieves," did not hold good. Like other conspirators, they became suspicious of each other, or quarrelled over the division of the spoil; doubtless one of them informed on the other, so in order to clear themselves it became necessary for both to excuse themselves from the odium of their scheme, or be driven from the ranks of the party which still shelters them. No other reason can be assigned for men being so lost to any sense of shame as to publish in their own organ (this morning's Colonist) a public acknowledgment of their treachery, a double treachery, first to their own party, and second to the man whose money they received. As to Mr. Richards, it seems to us that it is open to him to prosecute these men for a conspiracy to obtain money by false pretences. On their own showing they are either black traitors to their own party, or they deliberately laid a scheme to defraud Mr. Richards out of \$150. It seems to us they are guilty of both of these iniquities.

As to Mr. Richards' part in the transaction, nothing can be charged against him. These men approached him with information to sell, and he treated these corruptionists of Victoria as the London Times and the British government treated the foul conspirators of Phoenix Park. They offered him evidence for money, evidence necessary to protect his party from corrupt practices, and he paid for it. That is all about it.

It is fortunate that the whole matter has come out, for it will be a revelation to the people of Victoria to get such realistic glimpses behind the scenes as to the shameful designs of the Tupperites, and the manner in which the campaign is being conducted. In view of these further startling disclosures revealed in the undergiving statutory declaration of Mr. Richards, it seems impossible to us that any respectable elector could have any connection with a party which openly countenances these shameless proceedings.

1. I have read the declarations of Thomas Tugwell and Quentin Dick Hume Warden, printed in the Colonist of this morning.

2. On or about Tuesday, the 12th day of May, 1896, I met the said Thomas Tugwell on Government street, Victoria, and we began discussing the political situation, he being a canvasser for Messrs. Prior and Earle. In reply to my question as to how his canvass was progressing he said: "We admit that Mr. Earle has got no chance at all, and in my personal canvass I find he is losing ground every day. As to Col. Prior, we think we may possibly elect him, but we realize it is going to be a very hard struggle to do so." I said that if it had not been for the repeaters, dead men and absentees, and the votes you bought last election, Prior would not have been elected. I said I would like to know how many repeaters, absentees, and dead men were on their list. He said he didn't know how many there were, but he could find out. He then went on to say that though formerly he had devoted his time and money to the opposition party he had never received anything in return, but his present position did not permit him to do so longer and anything he did would have to be paid for. He then asked me when he could see me in private, and asked if I would meet him the next day at half-past one at the Bodega saloon.

3. I went with my opinion to the appointment, so the next evening I called at his house to explain, but found he had gone to the Conservative club.

4. I saw him on the street next morning, and he made an appointment to meet me at half-past eleven at the Bodega saloon. He referred to the subject of repeaters and absentees and said he could get a full list of them, but there would have to be a consideration for so doing. He said, as stated in paragraph 2, that he had found Warden, that if he did so he would be "acting as a traitor," but added: "A man has got to look after his own interests; I am a married man with a family." I replied that I did not expect him to do so for me for nothing, and asked him what consideration he would expect. He answered: "It's just this way, 'if the government party is elected I will give you the list of repeaters and absentees, and I have got to look out for myself." He then went on to say that he would have to employ Warden, the secretary of the Conservative club, to get the list of repeaters and absentees, as Warden was in a position to obtain it, but Warden would have to be paid. I asked him how much; he said he did not know, but would find out and let me know. He then wanted to see my list of dead and absentee voters and repeaters, and promised to pay for it. The only hitch was the price. He wanted \$150, and I said the information was not worth it. He replied he would try and get it for less. We then parted.

7. The eighth paragraph of the affidavit of Tugwell is true in substance and in fact. He did agree to procure the information for \$50 in advance of \$150, as first asked, and I did give him the sum of \$5 as evidence of good faith, but refused to pay him in advance as he wished.

8. When I got home to supper on the evening of Monday, the 8th inst., I found that Tugwell had been there and left a note asking me to meet him at 7 o'clock that evening at the Adelphi saloon. I went, but Mr. Tugwell not coming to me, I left.

9. It is true as Tugwell states in the 10th paragraph of his declaration that he arranged a meeting between Warden and myself, and that Tugwell's request to meet Warden at the Adelphi saloon on the day and at the time he mentions.

10. I did have the conversation with Warden which he details in substance in the 6th paragraph of his affidavit, and as he says he did ask me for money. In making the request he said that the Conservative club owed him about a hundred dollars in arrears and that he had only that morning asked Mr. A. S. Potts, who is secretary of the Conservative Association, for ten dollars, as he was urgently in need of it, but could not get it, and went on to say that they were the worst crowd he ever had anything to do with and he could not get his money out of Potts; that when he asked for it he was to wait for it, and probably all Potts would give him would be two dollars and a half

A JUNE FROST

Messrs Prior and Earle Found It Very Chilly in Victoria West Last Evening.

The Liberals Denounced, the Old Flag Waved and Promises Galore Made.

The Many Good Things That the Naughty Liberals Prevented B. C. From Getting.

Arthur on four to Jeff Davis, situated on the land Champion first payment which is \$50.—D. B. Bogle, J. J. Jovett, and the bond holding the Koochicote, Ltd., of the North of it, and is expected to be 50 bushels to the Coldstream city on Sunday, a political situation, he says ably go largely, the Agricultural decided to hold at Kamloops 15th and 10th of \$115 has been to clear off the last show, the \$50 of the body of a in an abandoned The man had engaged in Donastance claim, down 42 feet, the Dorion, emulating his forenoon by a Belgian winding up or Building Society, C. H. Beever Judge Harrison month pending master of the th. hand in hand, the system. Thus, the bath are broken liable to attacks cases that the god's Sarsaparilla Thousands who-sparilla testify a purifier of the store and sharp promote a healthy begins. Thus it put what Hood's tells the story strongest urged by any Hood's Sarsa-

MARK TAKEN D. A. Macdonald Yesterday.

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125 miles north to Butte Inlet. If those estimates had been allowed to be brought down there was a further appropriation for the postoffice, money for repairs to the Quadra, a new revenue cutter, new improvements at the quarantine station, money for Fraser river dykes, \$250,000 for Victoria harbor, a new caretaker's dwelling at the drill hall, a new dredger, surveys would be undertaken, a new fog alarm would be erected at the outer wharf and light-houses would be erected at various points all over the coast. All these grand things were on the estimates that the awful Liberals had prevented from being brought down.

Mr. Cassidy.—Hear, hear.

But he was afraid of the progress that Japan and China is making. Why Chinese can live on the small of an oil rag! (Laughter.) We can't compete against such labor. He had actually bought six boxes of matches for eight cents. (Laughter.)

After denying any wrong motive in having introduced the gerrymander bill, Col. Prior pointed out that Mr. Martin should have shown him what the trouble was. He did not know that electors would have been franchised, anyhow, if they were down in two districts, and if they were knocked off one they could vote in the other! In regard to the school question he was of stronger opinion than before that Manitoba should be forced to restore their system of separate schools. The government would not allow the bargain to be broken. He thanked the chairman for having kept the audience in order while he spoke and hoped that all would go to the polls and vote for both Prior and Earle.

A Voice.—Did the C. P. R. ask for a subsidy for the Crow's Nest Pass railway at the last session of the house?

Col. Prior.—No; the application was supposed to have been sent in but it was not done this session. A letter was simply sent to the minister of railways and the application was printed. It would be introduced next session.

Mr. Earle came forward amidst slight applause and promised not to detain them. Col. Prior had said all that he intended to say. He would not enter into a discussion of the larger questions, but would merely say that the grand policy of the Conservative party should be supported by everyone.

Col. Prior.—Hear, hear.

The Liberal party were getting down at last to a policy very nearly to free trade—a policy that would be very detrimental to Canada. The farmers needed protection and the Conservative government inaugurated protection which had furnished employment for our artisans. That policy—the policy of progress—will be maintained if the government were returned. Upon the Manitoba school question he also was in accord with Col. Prior. An elaborate explanation of the exact position and history of the question he could and would firmly say that the position of the Tupper government was the correct one and he was going to support their position if returned. Sir Charles Tupper has stated that he will again reintroduce and pass, if returned, remedial legislation. The government of Manitoba might have settled the question, but his government was a Liberal government. They had been twitted about issuing no address. There was no necessity for issuing one because they were supporters of the government and all knew what the policy of the government was. After exhorting those present to vote for Prior and Earle—and not to split their votes—and apologizing for the brevity of his remarks the speaker took his seat.

Mr. Robert Cassidy then took the occasion. The Conservatives ought to be proud of their position on this occasion. He paid a glowing tribute to the ability and sterling qualities of Sir Charles Tupper. Why, he had sacrificed half his salary in order to come over and lead the Conservative party once more to victory!

Col. Prior.—Hear, hear.

The Manitoba school question was, in his opinion, a question that was as dead as a door nail. The question had been forced upon them by irresistible circumstances. What is the use of discussing details? The Conservative party have done the right thing and would, if returned to power, force the thing to a conclusion. Col. Prior had been charged with not being a cabinet minister. He believed he was.

Col. Prior.—Hear, hear.

There could be no two kinds of a cabinet minister, and he was sure that Col. Prior was as much a cabinet minister as Sir Charles Tupper. The ones who denied it were densely ignorant. Now about the Manitoba school question. They talk of "coercion." There was no such thing as "coercion." When not in favor of separate schools himself he believed that Manitoba should live up to the constitution and restore the old system of schools. That would be the better plan. In regard to the trade question, there was only one trade question—the grand policy of protection! The Liberals had only nostrums to offer. We ought to be proud of our country and proud of our candidates! Col. Prior was one of the best representatives of Canada, and he was proud to say that Col. Prior had evidenced a grasp of the affairs of the country simply astounding in its magnitude. He believed that both candidates would be elected—but, remember, efforts must not be relaxed.

At this point the chairman rose and asked for some one to come forward and fill up the time—it was only 10:30—and Mr. H. D. Helmecken offered to fill up the breach.

Mr. Helmecken was pleased to hear from Col. Prior that so much had been placed upon the estimates for British Columbia. He thought that the Songhees reserve question had escaped the memory of the previous speakers, and he hoped to see a speedy settlement of that question. Works of defence were being erected by the imperial government near Esquimaux, and he had ascertained that they were to be very extensive. This would be a grand thing for Victoria. We are all loyal proud subjects of Her Most Gracious Majesty Queen Victoria, and Sir Charles Tupper and Hon. Joseph Chamberlain were working well together, and Canada therefore occupies a most glorious position. Sir Charles Tupper, he thought, was deserving of the thanks of every person for the bold manner in which he had grappled with the Manitoba school question. The electors should vote for that party which had done so much for Canada. They should all continue the work of canvassing. They

BRIEF LOCALS.

Cleanings of City and Provincial News in a Condensed Form. (From Tuesday's Daily.) —Joseph Brown was yesterday committed for trial for breaking from the chain gang. —Approaches are being built at the barracks, so that the powder may be removed thither from the Beeson Hill magazine. —The charge against David Kelly of attempting to break into the residence of Mrs. Smart, Colwood, was last evening dismissed. —Last evening William Redfern was committed for trial by Magistrate Macrae on the charge of setting fire to a building on Government street. —Captain Christensen called at the Times office to-day to emphatically deny the statement made by George Amorsen that he could influence the captain's political actions. The statement was made by Mr. Amorsen in his conversation with Mr. Richards, and Captain Christensen wished to give it the strongest kind of denial. —The funeral of the late Mrs. Reinhardt took place on Sunday morning at 3:30 from the late residence, King's road, and later from the Roman Catholic church. Rev. Father Nicolay officiating at church and cemetery. The pallbearers were J. H. Meldrum, Thos. McDowell, Fred Robinson, Albert Dew-snap, M. Steele and Joseph Mellon.

From Wednesday Daily. —The little son of W. H. Tippens, who was injured in the bridge accident, recovered consciousness yesterday, for the first time since the accident. —Last evening Magistrate Macrae committed for trial Morris and Fletcher, the two boys charged with stealing a boat from Capt. Dan McIntosh. —Miss Esta LeLievre, who was seriously injured by being run into by a "scorch" while riding her wheel around Beacon Hill, is not yet out of danger. Mrs. LeLievre wishes to thank those who kindly assisted her daughter at the time of the accident.

The local preachers' association of the Methodist church held their monthly meeting on Monday evening at the residence of Mr. M. Humber, Topaz avenue. Mr. A. Lee read a paper on the "Inspiration of the Scriptures," which was discussed by Revs. Thomas Crosby, J. P. Betts and J. P. Hicks and Messrs. Humber, I. Sisk, S. Okell, W. Morris, A. Malpass and A. Nobis. —Hon. G. B. Martin yesterday received a dispatch announcing the death of Wilford Chase, of Shuswap, at the age of 80. Mr. Chase, who was a native of New York, came to British Columbia in 1858 and entered the employ of Sir James Douglas. He left for the mines in the early sixties, and having been successful as a miner, purchased a farm in 1865. At the time of his death he had one of the finest ranches in British Columbia. —The organ recital of Mr. Geo. Burnett in St. Andrew's Presbyterian church last evening was a success from every point of view. Mr. Burnett's playing pleased the most critical, and the other numbers, vocal solos by Mrs. Janion, Miss Russell and Mr. H. Kent were very pleasing. It is strange that so many sit directly under the gallery and focus of sound, thereby losing to a great degree the contrasting effects in combinations and fortissimos, tending to give the hearer inadequate ideas as to the organ's capabilities. (From Thursday's Daily.) —Ald. Williams will ask leave at the next meeting of the council to introduce a by-law to authorize the sale of lands upon which taxes have been in arrears for two years. —At the meeting of the W.C.T.U. held last evening at the residence of Mrs. Gordon Grant, it was decided to hold the annual meeting of the society on July 7th. —Charles Maidment, of the Mount Newton hotel was this morning arrested on the charge of supplying liquor to the Indian whose body was found on the beach at South Saanich. The hearing was remanded until Monday. —Last evening at the Y.M.C.A. rooms a very successful taffy-pull and concert was held. Mrs. H. Siddall made the taffy; Mr. Cline won the prize for the best puller of taffy and Mr. Siddall won the booby prize. The musical programme was provided by the Victoria hand-bell ringers, Miss Burnett, Mr. Burnett, Mr. Brownlee and Mr. Jackson. —A dispatch from Quebec City dated June 8th, to the Montreal Herald says: "Miss Marion Henrietta Clapham, third daughter of the late J. G. Clapham, M.P., was married to Mr. Edward Crow Baker, a wealthy merchant of Victoria, B.C., in the English Cathedral at 12:30 to-day. The ceremony was performed by the Very Rev. the Dean of Quebec." —The annual meeting of the Arion club was held in the Hotel Victoria last evening. Mr. Percy Wollaston occupied the chair and the following officers were elected: vice-president, Geo. Jay, Jr.; secretary, H. Cave; conductor W. Greig; librarian, E. Martin. The managing committee includes the officers and H. Kent and Percy Wollaston. After routine business a pleasant social time was spent by the members. —The following jury was empanelled by Coroner Crompton at Saanich yesterday to enquire into the cause of death of the Indian found dead on the beach at South Saanich: John Sluagert (foreman), John Durance, Thomas Graham, Thomas C. Smith, James Hugen and Thomas Humber. Their verdict was: "We find that the deceased, an Indian named Jim Score, about 60 years of age, came to his death on Sunday, the 7th day of June, at Hagen's beach, South Saanich, by falling into the water and getting drowned while in a drunken state; from the evidence given we believe the deceased got his liquor from the Mount Newton hotel and that that was the cause of his death."

lation of Victoria increasing under the National Policy?

Without Warning! Men and Women Drop Off Every Day From Heart Disease Paine's Celery Compound Cures This Prevalent and Terrible Trouble.

Testimony of a Lady Who Suffered for Long Years.

Day after day the newspapers give accounts of very sudden deaths from heart disease. The trouble is a common and prevalent one in this busy and rushing age, but too often lightly regarded by those who experience the symptoms daily. Symptoms may be summed up as follows: the nervous system is usually out of order; there are sharp pains in the heart; it is impossible to take a long and deep breath; the pulse is irregular; there is palpitation; very often a very irregular cough, and the sufferer is full of gloomy thoughts. Paine's Celery Compound is the only medicine that can build up and tone the nerves, and give to the system the blood—that purity and richness that guarantees freedom from all disease. Hundreds of physicians are prescribing Paine's Celery Compound every day for all forms of heart trouble, and their success is marvellous and encouraging. Those who experience all the awful symptoms of heart disease, those who are brought to the verge of the grave by nervous debility, mental depression, indigestion, dyspepsia, liver and kidney affections, and in fact, any of the ailments that Paine's Celery Compound, a true friend and life-giving agency. Mrs. E. Rankin, of Courtright, Ont., writes: "With great pleasure I beg to inform you of the good I have received from the use of Paine's Celery Compound. For a number of years I have been in very poor health owing to various causes, and lately I was advised to try your medicine. I used three bottles, and have received a world of good. My severe headaches are completely banished, and the heart disease from which I suffered for thirty years, has almost disappeared, and altogether I am vastly improved. I am fully convinced that Paine's Celery Compound is all that it is recommended to be."

—The contractors for supplies for the Jubilee Hospital having pressed for the payment of their accounts, the directors last evening decided to press the city for the payment of the annual grant. This has been withheld until the estimates have been passed. As many of the directors as possible will attend the athletic exhibition to be given in A. O. U. W. Hall on Saturday evening, an invitation having been sent them by Mrs. Smith, president of the Ladies' Auxiliary. Dr. Richardson reported that the cost of maintenance had been reduced to \$1,000 per day and the cost of food to 25 cents per inmate. The doctor was granted a two weeks' leave of absence, Dr. Redmond to take his place. The matron acknowledged the following donations: Magazines, from the Badminton Club and Mrs. G. H. Lewis, \$5; from Mrs. J. A. Murray; flowers, St. Saviour's church; plants, Mr. Jay. Accounts for May amounting to \$781.77, were passed.

TO BE RECOGNIZED

Mayor Beaven Refers to the Kindness of Many at the Time of the Bridge Disaster.

An Offer to Sell the McTavish Property for the Purpose of Extending the Park.

A last evening's meeting of the council Mayor Beaven referred to the liberality of many citizens in connection with the Point Ellice bridge disaster...

H. D. Helmecken, M. P. P., wrote asking if the city wished to purchase the McTavish property for the purpose of extending Beaton Hill Park.

The Mayor and Council: Gentlemen: We have as yet received no answer to our communication to you re James Bay bridge.

The following reply was sent: Victoria, June 5, 1896. Messrs. McPhillips, Wootton & Barnard.

Dear Sirs: In reply to your letters of the 2nd and 4th instants I beg to say that the council are advised that the bridge is not safe for tramcar service...

Ald. Macmillan approved of the answer of the mayor to the company. Something should be done to test the claim of the company.

ICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER MOST PERFECT MADE. Awarded Highest Honors—World's Fair, 'DR. ICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER'

did not think the city could close the bridge to the company after opening it for other traffic.

Ald. Glover endorsed the motion. Ald. Humphreys agreed with the answer sent by the mayor.

Ald. Wilson also agreed with the answer and criticized the way the company had of running their cars over the bridge.

Ald. Macmillan moved that Mr. Lelzer be notified that the city do not think it advisable to consider his proposal...

The building inspector reported that a wooden building on Bay Street used for storing tan bark was in a dangerous condition.

The sanitary inspector reported on the nuisance in front of Hon. B. W. Pearce's residence.

H. F. Ford and 37 others petitioned for a water trough on Cedar Hill road.

The fire wardens reported that they had no power to deal with the complaint of Mr. G. J. Barnett that he had been fined \$25 for allowing a chimney to catch fire.

Ald. Williams' motion to take steps to have the powder magazine removed from Beaton Hill Park, was brought up.

The city solicitor was requested to urge the authorities to remove the powder magazine.

The council adjourned at 10:20.

Engineer Bell and Mr. Shaw on the Strength of the Bridge.

At the bridge inquest yesterday afternoon Mr. Henry Croft said he was a civil engineer, but he did not practise.

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The city surveyor is of opinion that the pier above mentioned must have been built originally in that position, as the structure of the bridge is vertical.

H. P. Bell, civil engineer, was next called. He said he had examined the bridge and worked out the strain sheets, which he believed to be correct.

The jury went down about four o'clock to view the bridge. The coroner was with him.

A telegram from Mr. Lockwood was read in which he said: "The sidewalk was added after the contract."

As Mr. Bell required a day or two to check over his data and make further examinations, the inquiry was adjourned until Thursday morning at 9:30.

Good News for the Ladies of Canada. Less Deception Than Formerly.

The ladies will be pleased to learn that the efforts made with the view of protecting the consumers of dyes from being deceived by some merchants and dealers, have been successful beyond anticipation.

The substituting of worthless and adulterated package dyes for the reliable Diamine Dyes is now a thing of the past.

In the past, ladies have suffered much trouble, inconvenience, loss of material and money, having poorly prepared dyestuffs foisted on them when they asked for the Diamine Dyes.

LAW INTELLIGENCE. (From Tuesday's Daily.)

The following is a copy of Mr. Justice Drake's decision in Cochrane v. Jones. "This is an application for writ of habeas corpus on the part of Frederick Jones to examine into the cause of his commitment."

—Miss Etta LeLievre was the victim of a "sorcerer's" carelessness at Beaton Hill last evening. A boy collided with her wheel and she was thrown to the ground and rather seriously hurt.

baby growth The baby's mission is growth. To that little bundle of love, half trick, half dream, every added ounce of flesh means added happiness and comfort!

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GRAND LODGE I. O. O. F. Report of the Grand Master Read at the Session at Nanaimo.

The officers of the grand lodge I. O. O. F. and delegates from the subordinate lodges left this morning for Nanaimo, where the grand lodge is now in session.

Grand Master W. E. Holmes, in his annual report, pointed out that although the membership has not materially increased owing to the severe depression during the year, two new subordinate lodges and four Rebekah lodges had been instituted.

The grand master gave a resume of his official visits, of his appointments, the permissions granted, the different appeals, his decisions, dispensations granted, the proclivities issued, and the reports of district deputies.

He recommends among other matters that as the constitution of the grand lodge is defective in many respects and the constitution of the Rebekah lodges needs revising to conform with recent legislation of the sovereign grand lodge, that a special committee of three be appointed to suggest what legislation is needed in these particulars and report at the next session.

Mr. Smart's house at Colwood was last week the scene of rather stirring incidents in which two men had an opportunity to display their heroism and presence of mind.

FOUND DROWNED. Body of Harry Clark, a Sailor, Found in the Harbor.

Capt. Strongm, of the sealing schooner Kate, yesterday reported to the provincial police that Harry Clark, one of his crew, had been missing since Thursday last.

The deceased was a native of Brighton, England, aged 21 years. He came on the bark Ardmore last year.

"COUNT" VON LOPETEKE. A Former Resident of Victoria Committed Suicide at Los Angeles.

The San Francisco papers which arrived last evening contain news of the suicide at Los Angeles of "Count" von M. B. Lopeteka.

YACHTING. London, June 9.—The Times says: Meteor's display justifies the opinion that she is far and much the fastest large racing cutter ever seen in British waters.

His Excellency the Governor-General was last evening elected honorary president of the Victoria Whelmen's club.

There is no article in the line of medicine that gives as large a return for the money as a good porous strengthening "charter" plaster.

ROYAL Baking Powder. Highest of all in leavening strength.—U. S. Government Report.

Highest of all in Leavening Power—Latest U. S. Gov't Report. ROYAL Baking Powder ABSOLUTELY PURE

A VALISE FULL OF TROUBLE. Left in a Chicago Saloon by a Mysterious Man on Decoration Day.

Chicago, June 10.—Capt. Shippey and the police of Woodlawn station have a valise mystery on their hands.

METEOHOSIN NEWS. Mrs. Smart's house at Colwood was last week the scene of rather stirring incidents in which two men had an opportunity to display their heroism and presence of mind.

Ottawa News. Ottawa, June 10.—Andrew Halton, of the fisheries department here, has just received instructions from the British Columbia, whence he will embark upon a sealing vessel and spend several weeks on board, watching the methods pursued by the sealers.

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Havana, June 10.—Yesterday afternoon United States Consul-General Lee paid a visit to Cabanas fortress.

New York, June 10.—James C. Freeman, the war correspondent who had left Cuba by order of General Weyler, says he thinks it probable that there will be war with Spain.

London, June 12.—Commerce assembled the fourth and final presidency of Sir Alfred Pease.

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