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The Victoria Warbler FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1897.



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GOLD MINING. In North Victoria, Haliburton, Hastings and Peterboro, THE WARDER has long held that rich mineral deposits exist. Until a few years ago that vast district alone of all older Canada had not been carefully geologically surveyed by the government. Soon after the election of Major Hughes to parliament, and through that gentleman's influence, a survey of those districts was begun under the lead and direction of two of the most eminent men in their profession, Prof. F. Adams of McGill University, Montreal, and Mr. Barlow of the geologist survey, Ottawa.

THE ONTARIO LEGISLATURE. Though no "Hansard" chronicles the proceedings of the Ontario legislature yet are the mistakes, blunders and offences of the Hardy government being exposed by the able Opposition led by Mr. Whitney. The resignation of Librarian Preston to run in West Toronto as a grit, and his subsequent re-appointment will not surprise the people of Victoria.

CECIL RHODES. At the time of Dr. Jameson's famous raid into the Transvaal and the back down of those in Johannesburg whose liberties he sought to accomplish, this journal refrained from the fashion of the time which was to censure him. One motto of the editor of this journal is the old one of Junius that "The subject who is truly loyal to the chief magistrate will neither advise nor submit to arbitrary measures."

When the Tories were in power it was an outrage—in the eyes of the grits—to delay the opening of parliament. But, now

JOB MARTIN'S REWARD. One of the least creditable careers in Canadian history belongs to Joseph Martin of Winnipeg. It is needless to review the faults, inconsistencies, blunders and offences of that gentleman. But, at last by some strange manoeuvre, he has been taken into the service of the Canadian Pacific railway as solicitor in certain interests.

RETTALIATE ON THE UNITED STATES. The United States Congress has passed a stronger alien labor law than that already on the statute books of that nation. The aim is clearly against Canada even more than pauper Europe. Canada must hesitate no longer.

WAR IN CRETE. The situation in the east is not materially changed. Greece has landed troops in Crete and has marched onto the Turkish border. Greeks in Macedonia Turkey are joining the Greek forces.

Ontario's Empty Chest. The provincial treasurer has given due notice that the Hardy government wants more money, and is going to take it. Last year the ministers ran the province behind at the rate of \$1,240 for every working day, or of \$32,000 per month. For the present year they admit that they will spend \$300,000 more than they take in, which is a repetition of last year's story, except that the deficiency is under-estimated.

Attorney-General's office... 1875. 1896. Increase. Bruce... \$2,260 \$6,008 \$3,748 Elgin... 321 5,337 5,016 Essex... 2,373 6,646 4,273 Frontenac... 3,741 7,744 4,003 Hastings... 2,197 8,299 6,102 Huron... 3,468 6,177 2,709 Simcoe... 8,849 6,727 -2,122

It is important to notice the effect of this grabbing policy upon the various municipalities. Take Bruce. That county contributes \$3,748 more of license money to the Bureaucracy than formerly; it receives from the Bureaucracy \$1,390 less of public school money. As a matter of fact the government has taxed in \$5,138 annually. A like story is told of Huron. The government taxes it \$2,709 more than in the past, and gives it in public school money \$2,386 less than formerly its allowance. Huron loses to the

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