Lindsay, March 26, 1891.—46. S. Corneil.

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The report of the ROYAL CANADIAN, just published, shows an increase in premiums, assets, investments and reserves. The surplus, as regards policy holders, is now over half a million, not in premium notes, which no one expects to have to pay, but in hard cash.

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Lindsay, March 17th, 1891.—45.

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LINDSAY, FRHDAY, APRIL 17, 1891.

RECIPROCITY DEFERRED.

The tory organs have been explaining too much as to the failure of Sir Charles Ontario Assembly took place Wednesday Tupper's mission to Washington and three eyening on Mr. Wood's motion regarding minute conversation with Mr. Blaine. payment of certain officials by fees. The The organs in their explanations conflict with each other in an entertaining way with each other in an entertaining way; majority of 21. There were four sets of and they in turn are put to confu-Durham) absent without pair. sion by the ministerial statements. The consideration of reciprocity has been postponed to October. Mr. Blaine's securing a revote and an additional grant cost of repairs is much greater than the explanations relieve him from the charge of discourtesy. He was not aware that Sir Chas. Tupper had returned to Ottawa, work is completed, as no doubt it will be and was on his way back to Washington as early in the season as possible. The improvement will be a very great public convenience, and Mayor Walters deserves until he saw glowing telegraphic accounts in the papers of the remarkable progress in reciprocity already accomplished by our "great stretcher." Mr. Blaine had already written to Sir Charles (believing him to be still in Washington) suggesting postponement; and of course when the delegation arrived on Monday from Ottawa there was nothing to do. the Weston Tramway Company. Companies of all kinds look to the legislature for In the meantime the "red parlor'

monopolists will find cold comfort in authority to appropriate city property to their own uses. Corporate burglars are smooth workers. The plebeian crowbar has no place in their methods of robbery. semi-official intimation in the Montreal Gazette that unrestricted reciprocity was The delicate revised statute is the favorite after all to have been Sir Chas. Tupper's tool of their trade, and but for the good trump card. Referring to the recent sense and honesty of men like C. F. Fraser, the legislature might give scheming trip to Washington the Montreal organ companies power to rob Toronto of its eyenaively says: "Indeed Mr. Blaine flatly n objected to the appointment of a formal A circular issued by the London home n commission until he learned upon what and foreign produce exchange is addressed n basis the Canadians proposed to treat, specially to Canadian cheese makers. It n and it was to assure the American secrestates that the cheese committee of the n tary of state that the Canadian governexchange have had under consideration the betterment of trade with Canada, and in n ment is willing to discuss the question on their report say that while able to congra n the broadest lines, EVEN ON THE BASIS OF tulate the Canadian factorymen on the " UNRESTRICTED RECIPROCITY, that Sir advancement made during the past fifteen " Charles Tupper returned to Washington years they "cannot fail to recognize the " with Sir John Thompson and Hon. Mr. fact that they have arrived at a stationary " Foster." The Gazette's insinuation that period if not actually having entered upon a retrograde movement." The committee Mr. Blaine had very slim faith complain that last season's make of cheese Sir Charles Tupper's veracity was, perhaps, has as a rule shown a tight, unkind curd and a dryness which in some cases created unintentional. It would seem that Mr. a suspicion of \*kimming that some fac Blake would not take Sir Charles Tupper's tories have marketed their output unripe. a practice which lends to excite a prejudice unrestricted and unsupported assurances; against Canadian cheese; that the coloring but that he required further guarantees, has been most erratic; that the boxing Hence the necessity of securing the made of unseasoned wood, and there have ministers of justice and finance-two been some discrepancies in the matter of weights. The committee say that in callin members of the government. The attention to these matters their so Gazette in fact gives away the whole minobject is to improve the trade. isterial case in their baseless expectation of obtaining a limited reciprocity arrange-Wm. Gillespie, Wolfe Island, Ont., says: I had adjection and stomach cough for three years ment. But if the high commissioner and Was treated by best physicians and used num-erous patent medicines without success, when the ministers were willing to discuss a treaty on the unrestricted basis what betreaty on the unrestricted basis what beoil cured me. I have great pleasure in recommending it. For sale by A. HIGINBOTHAM. comes of the tory charges of disloyalty men hurled against the liberals in the late election for advocating the widest possible Dr. Silas Lane, while in the Rocky Mountains reciprocal arrangement? What was then discovered a root that when combined with disloyal and traitorous when proposed by other herbs, makes an easy and certain cure for the liberals surely cannot now have become transformed into the highest and become transformed into the highest and Spring Medicine. For the blood, liver and

most patriotic statesmanship. That would kidneys, and for clearing up the complexion is

be hypocrisy too unblushing for even the package, -47-cow.

average tory journal. The Gazette's in- The Provincial Estimates—Public Works timation must be intended to hoodwink the farmers interested in the bye-elections and scare the "red parlor" men into coming down handsomely with their subscriptions to maintain their menopolies.

PETERBORO'S LATEST RAIL WAY SCHEME.

Our Peterboro friends have once more gone into railway projecting; and are exhibiting as much cool ingenuity in approaching railway builders as they display when the time comes to pay railway bonuses or bear their just share of the expenses in constructing and maintaining boundary bridges. One of Peterboro's fancy schemes just now is to build a railway to Bobcaygeon and thence across the country to Huntsville; and they actually had the gall to send a large deputation down to Montreal the other day to ask the Grand Trunk manager, Mr. Sergeant, to do what? To build the road for them from Peterboro to Huntsville! Mr. Sergeant received them courteously, course, but how he must have smiled at "freshness," Why the Grand Trunk have a line already from Peterboro by the Midland to Lindsay and Orillia and then out to Huntsville; but if they want something nearer, if they are ambitious of developing the back country atthe expense of the Grand Trunk and the province at large, it would be less expensive to extend either from the Victoria division between Kinmount and Haliburton or from Coboconk on the Nipissing Sign section. This would be the common sense course; but that is not the Peterbore way. The Peterboro people should explain to Mr. Sergeant the merits of the famous wooden railway they proposed some years ago to build to Bobcaygeon, That project would meet the needs of

Settlers' Trains | Peterboro to-day; and as a part of it could float across Mud lake and be constructed on piles through the marshes it would not cost the Grand Trunk as much-for, of course, Peterboro would want the Grand Trunk to pay for its construction. The absurdity of asking

EDITORIAL NOTES.

become preachers, doctors and lawyers."

It is announced that Mr. Peter White of

Renfrew is to be the speaker of the new

house. Mr. White has experience and

ability, and will make a good presiding officer. But he is not as good looking as

In Prince Edward Island the tory local

government have been defeated in three

bye-elections rendered necessary by mem-

bers resigning to run for the commons.

This places the tory ministry in a minority, and will shortly bring the island under

The first party division in the new

vote was 51 to 30, shewing a government

The interest taken by Mayor Walters

improvement at Lindsay will ne doubt be

heartily appreciated by the people of this

town and of the county as well when the

The Orange tory Toronto Telegram bears

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Britton Bros.

We've a few remarks to make this week about repair work and as the subject is sure to be of interest to you at some time it will be worth your while to read and consider them.

IN THE FIRST PLACE. It is more economical to take good care of your Watch and see that it is kept in order than to neglect it until it is seriously injured and then have it restored, on the principle

The mechanism of a watch is so small that the presence of dirt therein in quantities, not noticeable to the ordinary observerer, is injurious. The absence of oil, which has evaporated, also causes excessive friction and wear, and because of the noticed until the harm is done. Then the of \$2,000, in all \$2,600, for the Scugog river expense necessary to keep the time-piece in order would have been.

Now, for a few figures. The balancewheel of an ordinary American Watch makes five beats or vibrations every second, three hundred (300) every minute, eighteen thousand (18,000) every hour, or four hundred and thirty two thousand (432,000) every day. Think of this enormous number. In a week it amounts to three million and twenty four thousand (3.024.000). And this goes on for month and years.

this testimony to the Hon. C. F. Fraser's Is it any wonder that Watches which would wear a lifetime, if properly cared for, become in a few years useless, owing to neglect of the owners.

Now, if the number of beats be increased by, let us say, one in 3,600. If instead of 3,600 ticks the Watch ticks 3,601 times, what will be the result? You will say that 1 beat estray in 3,600 is of no consequence. Well, it is of this consequence. In three months the Watch will be 36

This may help to give you some idea of the extreme accuracy and delicacy of a good Watch, and to convince you that it requires special training, study and skill to keep it in order or to repair it. Accidents will happen to the best regu-

lated Watches, and with the most careful persons. It concerns you then to have the The immediate saving effected by having inferior work at a lower price is very

much more than compensated for by its unsatisfactory character. This is compensation of the wrong kind and in the wrong direction. A poor workman will do more damage to a fine timepiece in a minute than a good workman

can remedy in a week, and he generally does, too, as every watchmaker who has to repair botched Watches can testify. Before beginning business 13 years ago we learned the trade of watchmaking and repairing in Toronto, under competent teachers, where the most difficult and in-

tricate work was daily being done. Since that time we have, in this as in every other department of our business, aimed to stand at the head and maintain by merit the reputation of being first in growing worse, boxes being sometimes our line.

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