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EDITORIAL NOTES.

"Undoubtedly," says Chauncey Depew, "the republican party will adopt a plank condemning trusts." And yet the trusts are in a large measure the natural results of the laws made by the republican party in the last thirty

of the Klondike this year, the Dominion government's rake-off will be \$2,000,000 That will cover expenses, and leave something to the good. The more revenue the government gets from the Klondike mines the less excuse will be left for manufacturing customs duties on imports.

The fact that ophthalmia could be apread by flies has long been known, and it seems quite likely that in certain instances and under favorable conditions typhoid can be disseminated by the same agency; but the theory that the mosquito plays a prominent part in the propagation of ieprosy will be received with much scepticism.

Parrott is not satisfied with his al lowance of a half pint of whiskey daily, and asks that it be doubled. If Parrott is to be hanged why should he not be allowed to die sober ? asks the a permanent settlement of the Alaskan Hamilton' Times. The execution of justice in capital cases should certainly not be made a travesty by catering to the appetite to which more than anything else the crime was due. Why nor reduce rather than increase the ration of whiskey?

The Court of Inquiry into the mili tary rations served to the U.S. soldiers in Cuba has found that Miles is censurable for alleging that the refrigerated beef was "embalmed," and also for not reporting more promptly that the canned beef was bad. But the court in its discussion of the case shuts out the sworn statements about the use of salicylic and boracic acids, and also points out that the canned beef was on the whole good, only about one per cent. of the cans being unfit for use. The court was in duty bound to get at Miles and shield the Beef trust, and it has "done as well as it knew how."

'A good many Canadians love Mr Tarte for the enemies he has made. They thoroughly understand that most sticks are found under the trees which bear the best fruit. They do not want Mr. Tarts to kill himself in their service. For some time Mr Tarte has been in poor health, but his unbounded energy has kept him working when he ought to have been in bed. His physicians have ordered rest, and he ought to obey. Not even his political enemies will grudge a holiday to the best minister of public works Canada has had since Hon. Alexander Mackenzie held that office, and his political friends will be delighted to see him come back fully restored to health and able to manage the public works department for many a year to come.

In the late news from Japan is the statement that Christianity has lost much by the alleged renunciation of the faith by Rev. Dr. Paul Kanimori, Rev. Dr. Iclibara and Prof. Motora. Dr. Kanimora was pastor of the Tokio Congregational church and president of the university and an author of severalreligious works. Prof. Mottora was educated in the United States, and in withdrawing from the ministry severely criticises the ways of American missionaries in Japan. The course of these men is another lesson to missionary bodies not to deal with Japanese as if ing he had killed her, he placed the they regarded them as ignorant or slow-witted. They see the weaknesses and faults of Christian societies and their agents and are not slow to direct attention to the gap between professions and practises.

Sir Charles Tupper is going to get even with Lord Aberdeen, if he has to chase him through the British parliament and out of the house lords. How Aberdeer must smile at such exhibitions of senile rage.

Admiral Dewey is in the estimation of his fellow citizens the greatest hero of the war with Spain. All the cities in the union want to banquet him, and if he accepts all the swords of honor preparing for him be will have enough of those implements to stock an armory. But while thus a popular hero with the people, he has had to instruct his lawyers to prosecute his claim against the United States for prize money due to him on account of his services in destroying the Spanish fleet at Manila. Under the law governing such matters he claims that he is entitled to \$25,000, but the Navy Department at Washington maintains that he can only receive \$13,000. As the department stubbornly adheres to its interpretation of the statute, the admiral has determined to test the question in the courts. The spectacle thus For his victorious campaign against the Khalifa, General Kitchener was rewarded with a peerage and a grant of

\$125,000.

IT MAY YET SUCCEED, OPINION IN ENGI

A Distinguished Diplomat on the Washington Commission.

MAY EFFECT AN AGREEMENT.

On the Other Hand the Washington Officials in the State and Treasury Departments Think the Chances Are Very Slim - Alaskan Boundary and Ontario Logs the

Sore Spots.

uished diplomat" this morning regarding the peace conference and the joint high tions in dispute between the United States and Canada. He is reported as saying: "Contrary to what has been published, I am very hopeful of a settlement as to outstanding questions, which indeed are already very nearly settled, except the Alaskan controversy; and while the United States and England lack identical instructions for the deliberations at The Hague, it is highly probable that they will take the same line there.'-

IRRITATION AT WASHINGTON.

The Alaskan Boundary and the Prohibition of the Exportation of Logs From Ontario the Sore Spots.

Washington, D.C., May 11 .- (Montreal Herald Special) .- The gravest apprehension is felt for the continuance of the negotiations of the Anglo-American joint high commission, appointed to frame a treaty between the United States and Canada. This reeling is so strong that a report was circulated on Tuesday that the deliberations of the commission would not be continued. There is no authority, however, for saying that the commission will not re-assemble at Ottawa in August according to the plan arranged at the time of the adjournment in Washington last February. It is apparent that the State Department expects no successful result from this meeting. A good deal of irritation is felt on account of the failure of the Dominion Government to agree to the establishment of a modus vivendi on the Alaskan boundary question, and the feeling is that if Canada is unwilling to consent to a modus vivendi, the fact does not augur well for the success of continued negotiations for dispute. The State and Treasury Departments have been a good deal stirred up. too, on account of the recent action of the Ontario Provincial Legislature in prohibiting the exportation of logs to the United States and especially as the legislation was made retroactive. The Dominion Government having the power to disapprove this legislation within a certain limit of time, did not do it, and as the lumber dispute was, next to the boundary question, the greatest obstacle to the success of the joint commission negotiations, the Washington officials are not encouraged by the unfriendly act of Ontario, which they regard as baving received the virtual approval of the Ottawa Administration.

THE DEADLY RESULT.

Twen .- Eight Killed and 50 Injured the Pennsylvania & Reading

Reading, May 15 .- Twenty-eight dead and of injured, some so badly that they may not recover, is the awful result of the terrible rear-end collision on the

The cause of the disaster is still in- for a settlement came almost wholly from volved in mystery, and officials of the road are investigating, in order to place the blame. The man at the signal tower at Exeter Station claims to have had the signals properly displayed. In a statement yesterday, General Superintendent Sweigard of the Reading Railway said the prime cause of the accident was a block of freight cars on the track, which were taking a siding at Birdsboro, and which compelled the express to stop at Exerer. It is not known as yet whether

A strange feature of the disaster was the fact that not one woman was killed, and only one was injured. Norristown is in mourning, as the greatest number of dead and injured were residents of that

special or second section.

A FATAL FAMILY QUARREL.

Frederick Wood Shoots His Wife and Then Kills Himself.

tragedy occurred here about 7 o'clock on Saturday morning. Frederick Wood, his wife and family quarrelled last spring, | torv. and, as a result, he was locked up in Whitby jail for three months. Since his release he has been wandering from place to place, the family refusing to admit him to their home. He slept in the barn on Friday night, and entered the house as soon as the family had gone to work, als wife and daughter being the only ones present. He gave his watch to his laughter, then ordered her out. He then shot his wife, one bullet taking effect in the abdomen and one in the back. Thinkhimself instantly. He leaves a grown-up and very respectable family. Mrs. Wood died at 2 o'clock on Sunday morning.

HE CLAIMS THE ROYAL CITY.

Samuel A. Connor, a Barber, Will Sue for the Site of Guelph.

Pittsburg, Pa., May 15.-Samuel A. Connor, a barber, living at Braeburn, will enter suit in the Hamilton (Ontario) Division Court next month and lay claim to nearly all the site of Guelph, a town of 15,000 inhabitants. Connor's brother, William, will join in the suit.

Their grandfather, John Connor, was an early settler in Canada, and a British soldier during the war of 1812. For service rendered the Government 800 acres of land were allowed him. At the time of his death, more than 50 years ago, none of these tracts were valuable, and his son, John, jr., who left home at an early age, did not return when his father died, and was thought dead. The land was thought to be without owners, and squatters settled upon it. It is now occupied largely by the city of Guelph. It is the sons of John who have undertaken to recover the estate.

LEAVES THE PARTY. Hon. John Costigan Has Cut Loose From

the Conservatives. Toronto, May 11.-(Globe Ottawa

ing announced to The Globe correspond- | Holgate of the 7th concession of Thurent that he had cut loose from the Con- low, and his hired man went fishservative party as it now is organized. "I ing about sundown yesterday in the do not think," said Mr. Costigan, "that Moira, where the water is very deep the men who now pose as representatives Two hours later their boat was found of the old Conservative party, to which I | bottom up a mile away. As these men presented is the reverse of beautiful. belonged and still belong, are by any have not reached home, they have, no means the representatives of the Con- doubt, been drowned, and the river is servative instinct in Canada in politics. being dragged for their bodies. The hired I have left these people, and I have no man was David Maddock of Marchmont. objection to The Globe stating it."

The Reported Failure of the Washington Negotiations.

COMMONERS TALK. SEVERAL

Canada Will Benefit by Self-Reliance, and British Trade Will Be Increased With This Country if the United States Brings the Negotiations to an End-The Washington End.

London, May 12 .- Notwithstanding London, May 11 .- The Daily News the official pronouncement of the Governpublishes an interview with "a disting- | ment to the effect that the negotiations for the amicable settlement of differences between the United States and Canada have not been broken off, the opinion of some prominent British statesmen is that the negotiations will not result in any important concessions.

The views of several influential Commoners have been obtained. James Bryce said: "I should regret, but should not be surprised at, the termination of the negotiations without definite result. An agreement would have been good all around. It certainly would have cemented a desirable friendship between contiguous countries.' Sir Charles Dike remarked that

'America seems anxions to come to terms and Canada is equally anxious to conciliate," so he could see no reason why the two, being thus minded, could not agree. Canadian Self-Rellance.

Sir Howard Vincent, Sir William Hooldsworth and the Right Hon. James Lowther held the opinion that Canada would benefit by self-reliance, and contend that if the United States has decided to bring the negotiations to an end the action should throw Canadian trade into British hands exclusively, and, therefore, England should support the Dominion, in order to keep for Europe what the

kee indifference is a mere bluff, (esigned | tion of benevolent societies, a measure | to make Canada a Lazarus at the gates | which appears, he says, to be open to

A Government officer is authority for | groundi the assertion that Lord Herschell said, accepting the appointment on the commission: "I go for a holiday, not because I am sanguine that the negotiations | Provincial into Dominion corporations will accomplish anything."

Blame Britain and Canada. Washington, May 12 -The correspondent of the Associated Press says: The statements of the press of London and Canada respecting the reasons for the recent failure of negotiations with Canada have occasioned much surprise in the official world of Washington. These statements asume that the Canadians made all the offers of concessions, the United States commissioners standing by existing conditions. The facts as understood here are directly contrary to that view. Take the question of trade with Canada, for example. It is positively known that the Americans offered absolute free trade in mineral products, an enlargement of the free list of forest products, an important concession of duty on lumber and on most agricultural products. It is also known that they offered liberal terms for the adjustment of the Behring Sea sealing question, and offered an amicable method for the adjustment of the boundary question, yielded to Canada's views in respect to alien labor and to the lake fisheries, and offered reciprocal mining privileges. Indeed, if the opinion in wellnearly every offer of concession proceeded from the side of the United States, the Canadians; as a rule, declining to commit themselves to any distinct proposition on the foregoing topics, the Alaska Philadelphia & Reading Road late on boundary excepted. In fact, it is believed here that the distinct offer of concessions

the United States-commissioners. Technical Truth-Telling. Washington, May 12 .- (Montreal Herald Special.)-If one is to judge by the feeling manifested among officials of the State Department and leading officers of the Administration, it is only a technical violation of the truth to say that the negotiations of the Anglo-American joint high commission will never be resumed. No one scriously doules that the members the commission will re-assemble at left burning exploded. The contents were Ottawa in August, according to the arrangement agreed on last February, but the belief here is that the new meet ing will be a mere formality, and that no good result will be accomplished.

Senator Fairbanks, president of the American commission, has gone to Alaska, with the sincere purpose of learning as much as possible about the disputed boundary matter and of devising at is practically a victory for the strikers, some remedy for the disagreement be- who stayed out for nearly two weeks. tween the Canadian and American members of the joint commission. He is not Greenwood, Ont., May 15 .- A shocking altogether hopeless of a successful result at the re-assembling this fall, or he would not have made the trip to Alaskan terri-

WILL CO-OPERATE.

Great Britain and the United States Will Advocate Arbitration at the Peace Conference.

Washington, May 10 .- The United States and Great Britain will stand together in the advocacy of the adoption of a scheme for the settlement of international disputes by arbitration, which will revolver to his mouth and fired, killing be presented to the disarmament conference at its meeting in The Hague on the 16th of the present month. The American delegates, headed by Ambassador White, are equipped with a fairly well-digested plan for the execution of this longcherished project, while the British delogates are prepared with a plan which is almost identical with the American pro-

> DELEGATION OF LEATHER MEN Asked Sir Henri Joly for Compulsory

Inspection of Hides. Ottawa, May 11.—S. R. Wickett, Edgar A. Wills, G. B. Beale and A. R. Clarke of Toronto and a dozen or more other representatives of the tanning industry waited on Sir Henri Joly yesterday with the object of securing compulsory inspection of hides, in at least ten cities of Canada. The deputation said that owing to lack of inspection the tonners claim hides are imported into Canada from Britain, whereas a big export trade might be secured; only thorough inspection would enable Canada to compete in the European market.

Sir Henri Joly produced hundreds of petitions from butchers and farmers against compulsory inspection. He gave very little hope to the delegation. A meeting has been arranged for this morning, when both sides will be heard.

May Have Been Drowned. Special.)-Hon. John Costigan last even- Belleville, Ont., May 10. - William

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A Protest From the Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario.

SOCIETIES

A lemorandum From the Ontario Auhorities to the Federal Authoritis at Ottawa Pointing Out to the Latter That the Province's Rights Bave Been Eu-

croached Upon. Tronto, May 13.-His Honor the Liegenant-Governor of Ontario, acting on ne advice of the Attorney-General. has trawn the attention of the Secretary United States will soon be eager to obtain of State at Ottawa to the bill introduced into the Dominion House of Commons Mr. Lowther said in conclusion: "Yan- entitled an act respecting the incorpora-

(1) That the bill, without in any way changing the objects for which the socieand to deprive the provinces of their control over societies wholly provincial in

their origin and character. (2) That the bill gives power to invest funds in securities not permitted in like

cases by provincial laws. (3) That in certain cases the bill provides that land held by such societies is to escheat to the Dominion, and it purports to deal with other property and rights therein, and affects civil rights within the power of the province only. +(4) That the bill contains provisions entirely opposed to the existing Ontario laws, particularly as to the limit of risks. (5) That the subject of benevolent societies is properly a matter for provin-

cial and not Dominion legislation. Enclosed in the Lieutenant-Governor's communication was a memorandum by the Registrar of Friendly Societies, setting forth in detail the grounds of objection to the bill.

Friendly Societies Prote L. The legislative committee of the Canadian Fraternal Association has also pro sented a protest to the Ontario Government, through Hon, J. M. Gibson, and has asked that pressure be broughing bear to prevent any further actottawa at present the Fielding

NEWS IN BRIEF SPACE.

M. Henri Becque, the French dramatic author, is dead at Paris, aged 62 years. Edward Smith, colored, was hanged at Washington on Friday. Smith murdered a colored woman named Edmonia Jackson in this city on Nov. 15, 1897. The Canadian Pacific Rallway officials are considering the advisability of con-

structing a double track from Montreal to Vaudreuil, Que. The distance is 68 On Friday morning fire badly gutted the house occupied by Mr. Clancy, an

A despatch has been received at the French Colonial Office from the Governor of Jibutil, saying that there is no foundation for the alarmist rumors concerning

Major Marchand. Friday saw an end of the bricklayers' | west to Niagara Falls, but was brought strike in Toronto. The agreement arrived | home by the conductor of the train, to They will now get \$7% cents per hour. John F. Gerrard, Toronto, husband of

Rose Gerrard, who attempted to take her life two weeks ago, and who had comperled her to lead an immoral life, was on Friday given six months in the Cen-

by a slide of a portion of a large culm bank at Centralia, Pa. Several were badly injured. The four bodies recovered

Charles Stewart, a wealthy broker and yachtsman, with offices in New York and a residence at Passaic. N.J., is dead as the result of a stroke of apoplexy induced by the wearing of corsets in a female

Mr. Justice Street reserved judgment to commit Col. Prior, M.P., for contempt of court, in not appearing for examination in a pending suit. Privilege of

The Salvation Army has been incorporated under the laws of the State of New York and has filed a certificate thereof with the Secretary of State. The property controlled by the Army, real and personal, is estimated at \$745,250.

At Bowmanville on Friday evening, Mr. W. H. Greenwood, city editor of The ties are incorporated, proposes to change | Toronto World, led to Hymen's altar the eldest daughter of Mr. W. W. Tamblyn. M.A., English master of Bowmanville high school, in the presence of a large company of invited guests.

On Friday night George De Corrie was arrested at Hamilton. The charge that the prisoner will have to answer when he is brought back is one of bigamy. The complainant is Miss Danby of 1,300 West Queen street, Toronto, says her husband's wife No. 1 is an inmate of the House of

The Crescent Athletic Club on Friday completed the matches for the boxing show in the Mutual street rink Queen's Plate day, May 20-Jim Smith v. Pete Mulcahy, 6 rounds; Denny Gallagher, Texas, v. Emil Sanchez, the Cuban wonder, 12 rounds; Harry Lemons, - Niagara Falls, v. Howard Wilson, Philadelphia, 20

Rossor, a milk driver of Townson, deliberately took his life Friday afternoon by hanging minself in the loft of a barn.

How Murder Will out Is now serving seven years in Kingston Penitentiary, will be held to stand his trial on the charge of murderng Watchman Gray at Almonte last July. Gray was watchman at a mill, and was found dend, having been shot by hurelars, who escaped. Joseph Thompson, who was arrested and taken to Guelph in connection with the recent burglary at Hills-

Kang Yuwel at Ottawa. Ottawa, May 10. - His Excellency Kang Yuwei, who is an exile from China. owing to his having attempted to reform that country along the lines of European nations, is in Ottawa for a few days. He was escorted from Regina by Staff-Sergt. J. H. Heffernan of the Mounted Police, and from here to New York-whence he sails on June 3 by the Lucania for Enginsurance agent, at Owen Sound. A lamp | land-he will be in charge of . Col. Sher-

> Minnie Grey, Who Ban Away, Hamilton, May 10 .- Minnie Grey, a 10-yer-old girl, who resides at 22 Shaw street, ran away yesterday because of uppleasantness with her mother. She wom she told her story. There was rejoing at the house when the police bught her home.

Order of Railway Conductors. Detroit, May 10 .- The biennial gatherg of the Order of Railway Conductors hd the Ladies' Auxiliary opened in etroit yesterday. The convention lasts The local police have furnished Chicago rom May 9 to May 16, and about 7,000 with a description of three men suspected adies and gentlemen from all parts of in connection with the robbery at Dres. the United States and Canada are exden of the Canadaan Bank of Commerce pected to be present.

of \$7,000. Their arrest may take place

any moment. Four men were instantly killed Friday were so badly disfigured that it was difficult to identify them.

part in an amateur play.

at Osgoode Hall on Friday on a motion Parliament was the defence.

Isaac Price, a young man who went to Rochester a short time ago from Toronto. and who is charged with robbing the Rochester Gas and Electric Company of \$162, representing collections made by serious objection on the following Price for the company, is being searched

burg, has given the clue away.



If the digestive as refuse to do their work, indigestion and dyspensia follow like lightning h—the nerves are shattered and then insomnia runs riot, and the patient the road to the mad-house or insane asylum. A well known Toronto neper man was a victim of nervous prostration and insomnia through ork—retiring at night was more of a dread than a wel-come to rest—prefd against medicines and remedies, he spurned the thought of resorting what he called nostrums—he became almost incapacitated for work-he ecommended to try South American Nervine, procured a bottle and when of it had been taken, he found himself improvingsleep was induced nerves grew quieter, the appetite returned—he continued to take the remedil he had used six bottles, and at the end of that time the twenty pounds il lost in worry and for want of rest was put on again—to-day he says, el strong enough to do two days' work in one."

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