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- Men's, Boys' and Youths' Buckskin Moccasins, light and warm, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25
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LITERATURE FOR MR. WHITNEY'S TEMPERANCE SUPPORTERS.

In the campaign of 1902 Mr. Whitney did not claim to be a teetotaler but declared if given the reins of government he would rigidly enforce the liquor laws, etc. This was the sum total on this question of the action taken by his Conference. "No Prohibition" all along has been his motto.

One of the main cries of his party against the Government has been the appointment of license officials who would violate rather than enforce the law. On the rostrum at Nanawee he repeated his pronouncement on the temperance question, and was cheered by Mr. E. Gus Foster, M.P., Lockie Wilson, and others. But alas for human frailty! The echoes of his thrilling and impassioned declaration had scarcely ceased reverberating when the Belle ville coterie were at the bar of the Paisley house, their stopping place, and the leader in a private apartment in a glass of hot Scotch toddy in violation of the law he was pledged to enforce, proving conclusively that he is not a teetotaler nor even an observer of the present license law, which he has pledged himself to enforce. The country can judge of what value his promise of better enforcement would be.

And now, since Mr. Whitney so generously footed the bill for the liquor consumed, we wonder if he and his companions left the proprietor of the Paisley house to pay the \$40 fine and costs for having satisfied the thirst of the men who are to "rigidly" enforce the law by giving them drink during prohibited hours?

A COUNTRY OF PROGRESS.

Departmental statistics just published by the Ottawa bureau show a progress in material prosperity very gratifying to all who love the land of the maple leaf. Some of these figures will prove both interesting and instructive. The imports of Canada have increased from \$73,459,644 to \$241,214,961. The exports of Canada have increased from \$57,567,888 to \$225,849,724. The total trade of Canada has increased from \$131,027,532 to \$467,064,685. Canada's imports from Great Britain (coin and bullion excepted) have increased from \$37,617,325 to \$58,793,038. Canada's export of produce to Great Britain has increased from \$17,995,808 to \$125,199,980. Canadian shipping tonnage has increased from \$12,982,825 to \$33,555,043. Canada's railways have increased from 2,278 miles to 18,987 miles. The deposits in the chartered banks of Canada have increased from

\$33,317,879 to \$378,937,468. The deposits in the savings bank of Canada have increased from \$4,380,692 to \$82,013,120. In 1871 the census of Quebec went into the number of centenarians in the province. Eighty-two people claimed to be over 100 years old, thirty-seven being male, and forty-five female. Of these eighty-two the ages of only 9 could be verified at over 100 years and the oldest of the 9 was shown to have passed 113 years in the vale of tears. In 1868 the revenue of Canada was \$13,687,928 and the expenditure \$13,486,092. In 1903 the revenue was \$66,037,069 and the expenditure \$54,691,903. In 1873 155,680 acres of Dominion lands were dealt with, realizing \$28,583; in 1903, 5,306,473 acres were dealt with, realizing \$919,693. In 1868 there were 3,688 postoffices in Canada as against 10,150 in 1903; 16,100,000 letters were handled as against 235,791,000 letters and 26,616,000 post cards in 1903. In 1868 7,987 vessels sailed from Canadian ports with a tonnage of 2,215,321; in 1903 there were 14,054 vessels with a tonnage of 7,700,659. In 1869 the tonnage of Canada was \$73,459,644; in 1903 they had increased to \$241,214,961. In 1868 the exports of Canada were \$57,567,888; in 1903 they were \$225,849,724. In 1868 Canada spent \$483,353 on railways, \$123,965 on canals and \$200,589 on other public works; in 1903 the expenditures were \$4,562,474 on railways, \$2,100,869 on canals and \$3,188,230 on other public works. In 1868 Canada had 2,269 miles of railroad with earnings of \$12,116,716; in 1903 the mileage in operation was 18,988 with earnings of \$96,061,527. In 1903 Canada's railroads paid out \$67,481,124 for working expenses. In 1868 the banks of Canada had \$30,289,048 of paid up capital, assets of \$77,872,257 and liabilities of \$43,722,647; in 1903 the paid up capital was \$76,069,301, the assets \$611,985,372 and the liabilities \$508,049,903. In 1868 there were 2,102 Canadians who had deposits amounting to \$204,588 in postoffice savings banks. In 1903 there were 91,923 depositors in 931 banks with \$44,255,328 to their credit.

THE OTHER SIDE.

Day after day the Mail and Empire and other Tory journals devote columns of space to the reiteration of charges against the Ross Government. Some of these are true, but the papers in question know them to be false, but the word has gone forth to throw lots of mud in the hope that some of it may stick—"anything to beat Ross" is the motto of the party led by Mr. Whitney. It may be well to point out at this

present time that the "party of purity" headed by Mr. Whitney has a record that deprives it of the right to point the fingers of scorn at the Liberals. We quote from a list prepared by the Globe from the court records:

Conservative elected in East Hastings, 1878, by unjust decision of Judge Lasser. Minority candidate (McDonald, Con.) given seat on technicality in King's, P. E. I., 1882. James' Weeks' exposure of \$100 to buy votes for Conservatives in West Middlesex in 1883. Minority candidate (Baird, Con.) given seat by technicality in Queen's, N. B., case, 1887. Personations by James Murray, deputy returning officer, in Haldimand, 1887, resulting in his flight to Buffalo. Mutilation of ballots in West Northumberland in 1891, but fortunately the Judge refused to give effect to the fraud, and the Liberal candidate, Hargrave, was declared elected.

Fraudulent ballots used to give Hutchings (Con.) seat in North Middlesex, 1891. Seven ballot boxes opened and 20 forged ballots substituted in South Grey, 1891, defrauding Dr. Landerskin of the seat. Fairhair (Con.) given seat in South Victoria, 1891, by illegal rejection of ballots by D. R. O. Re-count refused by Judge Dean, on a technicality. Frauds in voters' lists and burning of Liberal ballots, Muskoka and Parry Sound, 1891. Carpenter (Con.) returned for South Westworth, 1891, because fifteen Liberal ballots were wrongly placed in envelopes with spoiled ballots.

Ballots tampered with in Bromes, 1891, resulting in dishonest election of Dyer (Con.) and defeat of Fish-er, present Minister of Agriculture. Stuffing of voters' list in East York, by re-election, 1892, resulting in election of W. F. Maclean, who said after the election: "I tell you, boys, the revision of the lists is where we won the fight." Election of Carling (Con.) in London, 1892, by 109 majority over Hyman, though 125 Liberal votes were polled for Carling and three for Hyman. Fraudulent polling of 63 votes for Belley (Con.) in Chicoutimi election, 1892, giving him majority of 39.

EDITORIAL NOTES

Young man, don't forget to register next Thursday or Friday.

The Tories have been thirty-two years in the saddle and never won a race.

Election day is only a little over two weeks distant. Get to work, Liberals, with renewed energy.

With the Tories the only good Brits are the dead ones. Sir Oliver Mowat received the same treatment as is being meted out to Hon. G. W. Ross.

Estimates of from 12 to 15 majority for Ross are now being made by the shrewd ones who are familiar with the situation in the fighting constituencies. The Liberal cause is gaining daily.

Hon. Mr. Tarte, after sizing up the Ontario situation, states that Hon. Mr. Ross is going to win. Many other good judges hold the same view. West Victoria cannot afford to be in opposition any longer.

The enthusiastic rally in the Liberal committee rooms Saturday evening was indicative of victory for Mr. Stewart on the 25th. The rooms were crowded to the doors, and rousing speeches were made by the popular candidate and others.

Whitney might well be allowed to take his whiskey if he liked—that is a personal matter—but he should not pose as demanding a more rigorous enforcement of the license law, and then go off and become a party to violating the license law to get whiskey. It is not fit to be trued with affairs of Government.

The man who seeks to supplant Ross because he says the license law is not so thoroughly enforced as he would have it were he Premier, and then goes off and becomes a party to violating the license law to get whiskey, is not fit to be trued with affairs of Government.

Dr. J. J. Timpa, Mr. Whitney has just as good a right to drink whiskey as any other man has, but he should not buy his liquor during prohibited hours and then denounce the Ross Government for not enforcing the license law. No doubt he is just as sincere in his speeches on the enforcement of the license law as he is when he speaks about enforcing the election law.

The Russian Generals seem to combine the opposites of boastfulness and bravery. Gen. Kurapatkin, who on starting for the far East to take command of the Czar's armies, airily announced that he would eat his Christmas dinner in the Mikado's palace in Tokio, is in a tight place many miles from his goal; while Stossel, who wired the Czar that he would defend Port Arthur or find

his grave there, has surrendered the fortress and returned home to be court-martialed.

Electors, would you trust Gamery, the bank deposit slip manipulator, with your own business? A vote for Fox means a vote for Gamery.

Those who are finding fault with the Ross Government should take a look at Quebec province, with its \$20,000,000 of debt. Ross has about two millions to the good.

Every advocate of public ownership should be a supporter of the Ross Government. The Temiskaming Railway, already completed from North Bay to New Liskeard, a distance of 110 miles, will be taken over and operated by the Province on and after Saturday next.

The United States' statistics of suicides show that self-destruction is alarmingly on the increase over there. There were 3,340 cases in 1899, 6,755 in 1900, 7,245 in 1901, 8,239 in 1902, 8,267 in 1903, and 9,240 in 1904. Worry, sickness, poverty and fast living get a large share of the blame.

The editor of the Watchman-Warder in this week's issue makes a promising attempt to reach the level of political scurrility wherein, in days of yore, its hyphenated partner found no opposition. The Watchman's insinuations concerning Mr. Thos. Stewart are unworthy of a decent paper and should be most unwelcome to Mr. S. J. Fox—if not suggested by him.

Winnipeg Free Press: A World's Fair at Tokio after the war is over, would invite the attention of mankind as no other exposition has invited it and would unquestionably draw a large attendance. It would be a World's Fair held far beyond the beaten path, yet in a locality than which none could be more interesting to visitors from Europe and from this continent. It will not be many years before excursion rates to Tokio will be advertised. As for the rumor of a World's Fair at the Mikado's capital, it is based on the fact that the representatives of the Japanese Government made minute inquiries into the entire management of the St. Louis Fair.

Peterboro Examiner: Two prominent local Conservative workers who supported the Conservative candidate in the election of 1902, because he was a prohibitionist candidate, pledged to support an anti-prohibitionist leader, are as dumb as Pharaoh on the subject this election, yet they are today the right hand supporters in this contest, of an anti-prohibition candidate against a Liberal candidate, who is a total abstainer, and are working for a leader who admits that in Nanawee he induced a hotel keeper to break the license law, because he was tired after a long shift working after hours as "dred." Where are the local temperance missionaries at!

Toronto Star: No doubt it was somewhat insignificant on the part of Mr. Whitney to declare in his Nanawee speech that he believed in "the enforcement of the liquor law with the whole power of the Government," and then walk straight over to his hotel and cause a violation of the regulations—and afterwards to resent the prosecution and exposure that followed! But Mr. Whitney only did what many a tired public man has done before, and will do again under similar circumstances. Not only so, but by the Globe's own showing he was consistent in another respect. "If I could," he said at Nanawee, holding up to the view of his audience the little finger of his right hand, "by lifting that finger, abolishing liquor, I would lift that finger." On going to his hotel he made an experiment along that line. He lifted the finger—three or four fingers, perhaps—and straightway abolished a Scotch off the face of the earth.

Montreal Witness: Lord Byron thought he had found the worst of human depravity in greed when he discovered that poisonous drugs were adulterated. But were he alive today he would learn of deeper depravity in the report that comes from Chicago of the wholesale adulteration of medicinal drugs used in filling physicians' prescriptions. By recent investigation the State Board of Pharmacy found that out of one hundred and thirty-two druggists, only one-third furnished pure drugs in making up prescriptions sent them as tests. Nine furnished ten per cent impurity, ten more twenty per cent adulteration and twenty-three had no trace whatever of the real drugs prescribed. It is impossible to imagine anything more mean or heartless than the adulteration of medicine intended to relieve the suffering of people stricken with illness or disease. Both physician and patient are dependent on the honesty of the druggist, for wiles adulterations or substitutes are used, the one suffers in reputation, the other may die. Prosecutions have been entered against the adulterers who used adulterated and substitutes, and the whole medical profession with the State Board of Pharmacy are deter-

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mined that the violators of the very strict law against the adulteration of food and drugs shall be punished as they deserve.

Toronto Star: Naturally Hon. G. W. Ross is not greatly alarmed by all this talk about the way Mr. Whitney is going to sweep the country. The same kind of predictions have been made many times before.

Hamilton Times: Now the Mail grumbles that many young men leave Ontario to settle in the North-west, and says Whitney would place them in New Ontario. That's rich! Why, Whitney is on record as calling "the land of the stunted poplar," and a territory of "rock and muskeg." And how the organs have ridiculed Ross for seeking to attract people to it!

Thomas Cowen, an English war correspondent, who was with the Japanese army in the field until after the battle of Liao Yang, has just issued a book on "The Russo-Japanese War" in which he expresses the opinion that Kurapatkin's best tactics will not be available hereafter. His theory is that Kurapatkin has planned to wear Japan out by a series of costly and indecisive battles. Up to this time Japan has been attacking and Russia has been attacking and Russia is defending. "Now," he says, "Japan can rest on the defensive, and it will be for Russia either to assume the attack or discontinue the war. The few occasions on which the Russians have attacked have perhaps not been as successful as they might have been, but at any rate, it is likely that the Japanese will hold their own and that if the next phase of this war is a wearing-out process, it will be Russia that will suffer."

The grand jury is to go in the State of Minnesota, the people of the State, at the recent election, having adopted a constitutional amendment, by a majority of 121,000, directing the legislature to abolish the grand jury system. Commissioning on this action the Springfield Republican says:

Minnesota is apparently the first of the States to put away this honored institution. But it is not, after all, a very radical step, and the example may prove catching. Practically all the time the grand jury appendage to the office of the public prosecutor and accuser of criminals in accordance with his judgment. This is a long step down-ward in the functions of the grand jury from the time when it raked over its particular judicial district and presented to the courts all persons of "evil fame" who were so far from thereafter presumed to be guilty that even though they stood the trial of trial by the petit jury, yet they were almost divinely-accepted in such an original, direct and powerful manner. It now serves at best as an advisory capacity, and is no very important safeguard of justice is thrown down in its abolition. As a matter of fact, the institution entitled to more weight than the commitments of inferior magistrates or the presentations of a public prosecutor or district attorney. Still there is something approaching the occasional in this action of an American State overthrowing so ancient and divinely-accepted an institution, cumbersome and useless as it has generally come to be.

THE GRAND JURY

Black Crispine, 60c per yd, for 47c
Black Crispine, 85c per yd, for 67c
Black Crispine, \$1 per yd, for 87c
Black Satin Cloth, 50c per yd, for 43c
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Black Fancy Dress Cloths, 60c per yd, for 49c
Black Fancy Dress Cloths, 85c per yd, for 72c
Black Fancy Dress Cloths, \$1 per yd, for 89c
Black Fancy Voiles, 85c per yd, for 68c
Black Fancy Voiles, \$1.00 per yd, for 87c
Black Fancy Voiles, \$2.00 per yd, for \$1.67
Hewson Tweeds, \$1.50 per yd, for \$1.29
French Tweeds, \$1.25 per yd, for 97c
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Plain and Fancy Tweed Hopsacking, etc., 50c yd for 43c
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Broadcloth in colors and black, 50c per yd for 43c
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Costume Cloths, 50c per yd, for 43c
Costume Cloths, 30c per yd, for 24c

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BABY'S OWN TABLETS.

This medicine comes as a message of hope to all worried mothers. It is the best thing in the world for stomach, bowel and teething troubles, which make little ones weak, sickly and peevish. It will make your baby well, and keep it well, and you have a positive guarantee that it contains no opiate or harmful drug. Mrs. James Hopkins, Toronto, Ontario, says: "I have used Baby's Own Tablets and would not be without them. Mothers who have sickly, cross and fretful children will find these Tablets a great blessing." These are strong, hopeful words from a mother who has proved the value of Baby's Own Tablets. This medicine is sold by all druggists or sent by mail at 25 cents a box, by writing The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

GREAT Two Weeks' Sale OF DRESS GOODS!

We are going to usher in the New Year with the glad tidings of a great reduction sale of Dress Goods. The good housewife has spent the whole of the season planning gifts for everybody, and she never thought of herself. After New Year's we do the thinking for her; it is for her we deck out the bargain table. These are the greatest bargains we have ever offered. When we give a Bargain, it means something.

Just run over these lists, and you will readily pronounce their prices remarkable.

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Impossible On the Roadway.

Belle Ewart, Jan. 7.—Thomas Ferris, foreman here for the Belle Ewart Ice Company, died on his way from Toronto to this place on Tuesday. He was picked up impossible on the roadway near Temperanceville, a small place five miles north of Richmond Hill, and one and a quarter miles west of Yonge street. He died within a few hours and nothing is known as yet as to how the accident happened. He leaves a widow and several children.

Capt. MacLennan Is In.

London, Dec. 31.—(C.A.P.)—Capt. D. S. MacLennan has been re-appointed Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General of Canada.

Episcopal Spelling Stricken.

Peoria, Ill., Jan. 7.—Bishop John L. Spalding, the noted head of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Peoria, suffered a severe paralytic stroke yesterday afternoon. His condition is said to be not dangerous.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy