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C. W. RUTLEDGE,
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An Unfriendly Nation

Toronto Star.

All accounts of the collapse of the conference at Washington agree with this summary of the terms demanded by the United States, and to which the Canadians of course declined to agree:

The proposal of the President is said to be: Three arbitrators for each country, with no independent umpire, and with a proviso that any territory now occupied by the United States, ceded by the Board of Arbitration to the Dominion, be re-annexed by the latter.

The Saturday Review says of this demand it is "couched in the characteristically overbearing manner in the whole business." The cool refusal of the United States to recognize its own Venezuan arbitration ruling upon the report of a commission that "cannot find anything the matter with the case," have left Canadians only too familiar with the arrogance of the Republic. The exhibition of this spirit of overbearing insolence in the plea for large concessions to Canada, in order to secure political support in the Dominion, is not calculated to inspire confidence in the sincerity of the professions of friendship for Canada which have been made by representatives of the United States.

The Saturday Review says that the figure to receive an agreement need not provoke serious discussion, but it must beget enduring irritation and contempt.

Perhaps the time is ripe to reach an agreement with the United States, but in the meantime the people's duties can scarcely be overrated.

We must be prepared to carry out the declaration of the Canadian parliament, unanimously passed, that we will not be induced to accept any terms as to canals and transportation which are not equitable and honorable.

But we must not allow ourselves to be carried away by vulgar or boastful remarks of the representatives of the republic, and we must, while believing the United States may have no deliberate design to injure and humiliate Canada, recognize the fact that the settled policy of the United States is to never treat with Canada fairly and honestly without a war. That is the policy of the United States, because it is born and bred into them from the day they explode their first fire-cracker, and read their school primer to the day they fire off their first bombastic speech in Congress or attain the dignity and emoluments of places on commissions. Years and years of unexplainable offence toward Canada, of discrimination, of deliberately tariff hostility have shown that if the United States has to collaborate to design to harass and humiliate Canada, the republic's politicians have a policy very much akin to that design.

The only policy now for Canada is to ignore the politicians at Washington, clap on export duties or otherwise stop the export of pulpwood, pulp and logs, put bars around our mineral districts and go ahead on the line of Canada for the Canadians.

Dominion Cattle, Sheep and Swine Breeders Associations

Very successful meetings of the Dominion Cattle, Sheep and Swine Breeders' Associations were held in Toronto from February 7th to 10th inclusive. The memberships of the Associations are at least 25 per cent greater than at any previous period. The efforts of the Associations during the past year have been along the line of cheaper transportation. At present between local points in Ontario, thoroughbred stock in less than car load lots is shipped at one-half the regular tariff rate. Between Ontario and Manitoba and B C the rates are now to Winnipeg, $62 and to New Westminster, $116, where formerly they were to Winnipeg $130 and to New Westminster, $251. The privilege has been granted of allowing thoroughbred calves, sheep or swine, in less than car load lots of over three, to be penned off in one end of the car without being crated. For a long time this has been a standing grievance of the live stock men throughout Ontario.

Interprovincial trade in pure bred stock from Ontario westward to Manitoba and the Northwest and British Columbia, and eastward to the maritime provinces and Newfoundland has been very large. This trade has been greatly assisted by the Associations, both by reduced rates and also by making up car loads of shipments already sold, [illegible] obtaining for the [illegible] load rate. It is [illegible] who are in a position [illegible] to say that the interprovincial trade in pure bred stock has increased five [illegible] during the past year. For the two years the Associations have been advertising in the Ontario Agricultural Gazette the names of the members' Live Stock Associations given each has for [illegible] list of the stock [illegible] has been placed in [illegible] throughout all [illegible] and it has been [illegible] to a great extent [illegible] to these lists of stock for sale [illegible] trade has been [illegible] During the coming [illegible] be extended [illegible] published in the [illegible] throughout Manitoba [illegible] and the Northwest. The Associations have already done good work [illegible] the lines of transportation [illegible] advertising the Ontario Stock [illegible] out Canada, it is felt that considerable more work along this line can yet be done which will result in the [illegible] to benefit to this Province.

The Provincial [illegible] Show held in Brantford in 1858 [illegible] the most successful yet held. [illegible] There were 81 entries, in 1898, 7[illegible] tries. The Provincial Winter Show [illegible] not held for the purpose of paying [illegible] money to prize stock. It is the [illegible] intention that this Show shall be educational in its nature. [illegible] In all departments from beginning to [illegible] ments this object [illegible] ding catered to. Exhibits in all departments are judged from the consumer's standpoint. Two years ago in the [illegible] the department prizes were offered [illegible] export bacon hogs, judges being [illegible] representatives from the pork packing [illegible] establishments. Last year in addition [illegible] to this a block test was inaugurated [illegible] above named gentlemen doing [illegible] judging. This was the first block [illegible] Canada. At the Show to be held [illegible] 1899 prizes will also be offered in the [illegible] dep[illegible]ment for dressed carcass [illegible] the judges of which will be practical [illegible] men of experience in this line [illegible] ark. A special lecture hall will be [illegible] provided at the Show where dressed [illegible] classes of both sheep and swine will be [illegible] on exhibition and lectures will be [illegible] delivered by the judges, pointing out [illegible] the merits and demerits of the various [illegible] carcasses. In all departments of the [illegible] Show an additional prize will be [illegible] to exhibitors supplying data, giving [illegible] all information as to how the stock [illegible] fed and the method of caring for [illegible] This data will be published.

During the summer [illegible] 389 co-operative experiments in feeding will be carried on with [illegible] throughout the province. The [illegible] packers and railway companies will assist the plan. The Associations [illegible] work should receive the hearty [illegible] eration of all who have at heart the [illegible] ars of agriculture and the live [illegible] industry in Ontario.

F W Ho[illegible] secretary.

Stop Coughing

Every cough makes your throat more raw and irritable. Every cough congests the lining membrane of your lungs. Clear your throat and cough in this way. Put the parts at rest and give them a chance to heal. You will need some help to do this, and you will find it in

Dr. [illegible]'s Cherry Pectoral

From the first dose the quiet rest begin: the tickling in the throat cease; the spasm weakens; the cough disappears. Do not wait for pneumonia and consumption but cut short your cough without delay.

Dr. [illegible]'s Cherry Pectoral should be given to children of every person troubled with a cough.

Write to the Doctor.

The Export Bacon Trade

A few years ago Canadian bacon was almost unknown in the British market, while to-day it is looked upon with considerable favor by the English consumer, and is steadily leading the American product in that market. This should be very encouraging to those who are engaged in promoting this important industry. During the past few months, however, the markets have been somewhat depressed through increased offerings of Danish and Irish bacon, which has caused many hog producers in the country to be somewhat apprehensive as to whether the bacon trade is one that can be depended upon as a money-maker for the farmer. Such drawbacks, however, come at times in the development of every trade where there is keen competition. Those familiar with the development of the cheese trade will remember that it passed through several series of depressions of this kind before it reached the important place it holds to-day. Had our dairymen ten or twenty years ago relaxed their efforts to establish the trade on good footing whenever there was a depression in prices Canada's export cheese trade would never have been what it is at present. If the same perseverance and determination is applied to the development of the export bacon trade as was applied to the cheese trade there is no reason why the former should not bring into this country within a very few years fifteen or twenty millions of dollars annually. What is wanted is that everyone interested, from the producer to the packer, should put forth every effort to turn out the quality of bacon that the market demands.

For the year ending December 31, 1898, England imported from Canada bacon to the value of $5,000,000, which is a gain of nearly 100 per cent as compared with the year previous. This amount, however, is only about one-tenth of the total amount imported by Great Britain. Last year the Mother Country imported over $50,000,000 worth of bacon and, what is surprising, these imports increase each year at a marvellous rate. The increase in the imports of bacon by Great Britain during 1898 was $7,500,000 more than in 1897. With this large and rapidly-growing market for our bacon is there any good reason for doubting that within a very few years our export bacon trade will be very largely increased? Even at present prices for bacon hogs there should be money for the farmer in producing hogs if he understands how to breed and feed to the best advantage. Prices for bacon fluctuate the same as for any other commodity, but if the yearly average is taken into account the lines for this product are comparatively speaking as high as for any other.

He Recited The Surgeons

All doctors told Renick Hamilton, of West Jefferson, O., after suffering 18 months from Rectal Fistula, he would die unless a costly operation was performed. He preferred himself with five boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best salve on Earth, and the best in the world. 25 cents a box. Sold by J. L. Stephens.

Royal Templars

Stratford, Ont., Feb 23.—The annual meeting of the Grand Council of the Royal Templars of Temperance of Ontario closed here this afternoon. The evening session yesterday was almost entirely devoted to discussing the advisability of amalgamating the two degrees of the order. After two hours' discussion a compromise was effected by which a committee was named to consider the whole question before the next meeting of Grand Council, and to devise a scheme, if possible, by which the two working degrees might be united. The scheme, if adopted by next Grand Council, will be recommended to the Dominion Council, which body has sole authority in matters affecting the constitution.

There were only two important items of business at this morning's session. The first was the consideration of the Finance Committee's report, and the second the selection of a place for the next meeting of the Grand Council. The struggle was between Milton, Toronto, Hamilton, Port Hope, Belleville and Picton. After two ballots Milton secured the plum by a large majority.

During this afternoon's session Rev H S Matthews introduced a motion, which was unanimously carried, strongly endorsing the platform of the Ontario Lord's Day Alliance in opposing Sunday cars, Sunday canal business, the transfer of wheat and other grains from the West on railroads and steamships on Sunday, and other attempts to desecrate the Sabbath.

The following officers were elected and installed:—Grand Councillor, Frank Buchanan, Toronto; Past Grand Councillor, George H Lees, Hamilton; Past Grand Vice-Chancellor, Mrs Minnie Minns, Port Hope; Past Grand Chaplain, Rev J J Noble, Harmony; Grand Auditor, L C Leake, Toronto; Grand Medical Referee, Dr D Robertson, Milton; Grand Herald, J H Peacock, Milton; Grand Deputy Herald, Mrs Mckenzie, Picton; Grand Guard, J S Green, Newmarket; Grand Sentinel, J J Mason, Bowmanville; Grand Trustees, James Hughes and J T Austin, of Toronto, and W A Holliday, Brooklin. Representatives of Dominion Alliance, W W Buchanan, Hamilton; Rev Wm Kettlewell, Galt; Frank Buchanan, Toronto; Rev H S Matthews Newmarket.

Mr. E. E. Rice is to produce a new burlesque called "Little Red Riding Hood." He brings the piece from Edinburgh.

For the first time in many seasons Charles Frohman and Daniel Frohman are to join forces. They will produce "The White Horse Tavern."

In a recent benefit at a London theater the farce, "Little Teddielkins," was rendered by Lady Greville, the Earl of Yarmouth and the Duke of Manchester.

Viola Allen will continue "The Christian" at the Garden theater, New York, until spring. Next season she will be seen in the play in the principal cities of the country.

Mrs. Fiske is known only to the public as an actress of talent, but she is gifted as an authoress. She has written several clever plays which have been produced with success.

DR. CHASE VISITING THE SICK.

Raised from a Bed of Sickness.

Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure and Kidney-Liver Pills Combined for Perfect Health—An Interesting Cure After Long Suffering.

Simcoe, Jan. 18th, 1897.

Messrs. Edmanson, Bates and Co., Toronto, Ont.:—

Gentlemen,—For over [illegible] was confined to my bed, not being able to move. The best medical men was called in, all treating me for catarrh of the stomach, but to no avail. I could not eat the most simple food without being in dreadful misery, and found no relief until same was vomited up. After spending a large sum in medical advice, I was advised to try a box of Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure. I said it was no use, for I considered mine a hopeless case from which I could not recover. At length I purchased a box from J. Austin and Company, Simcoe, and to my surprise found great relief. Not being able to eat I tried a box of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills; the pains left me the third day. My appetite has been fully restored. I consider myself perfectly cured, and feel as well as when a young woman, although I am 55 years old at present. I was almost a shadow, now I am as fleshy as before my sickness. Have used only three boxes of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, and only two boxes of Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure. I can do my house work as usual. I am positive that my marvellous cure (which I think it is) is due purely to Dr. Chase's remedies, which I have used. I can honestly recommend the same to any persons suffering from symptoms similar to mine. Wishing you every success.

Yours, truly,
MRS. ANN CHURCHILL, Sr.

A Pessimist's Opinions.

When a man who has a reputation for wickedness does a good deed he gets a great deal more credit for it than would be given to a good man for doing the same thing.

Almost any man and woman could be happy together on a lonely island. They wouldn't have any rich neighbors to envy.

Love may be blind, but his hearing is good. If you don't believe it jingle a little coin in his presence.

No man is proof against flattery unless the lady is very homely.

Twice in her life does a woman taste the sweets of Paradise—when she has her first long dress and her first baby.

When a servant begins to worry it is a sure sign that he is becoming civilized.—Cleveland Leader.

Bright Hearts.

There are souls in the world who have the gift of finding joy everywhere, and of leaving it behind them when they go. Joy gushes from under their fingers like jets of light. Their influence is an inevitable gladdening of the heart. It seems as if a shadow of God's own gift had passed upon them. They give light without meaning to shine. These bright hearts have a great work to do for God.—Faber.

Suspicion is the scent of cunning.

A Christian only in name is the devil's game.

As Christ increases in our love, self decreases.

At Last!

A Remedy has been Discovered that will Permanently Cure Catarrh.

JAPANESE CATARRH CURE CURES.

This is not merely the words of the makers of this remedy, but the assertion is backed up by leading physicians and the honorable testimonies of hundreds of cured ones. And more, there is an absolute guarantee to cure in every package, or money will be refunded. We will also send any weak or [illegible] sufferer any person suffering from this dangerous disease. Japanese Catarrh Cure is a new discovery, being a prescription perfected by one of America's most successful specialists in treating this disease. It is a soothing, penetrating and healing remedy, prepared from distilled compounds of Iodine and Essential oils, to be inserted up the nostrils. The heat of the body melts it, and the very act of breathing carries it to the diseased parts. It reaches, soothes and heals every part of the mucous membrane, curing invariably all forms of catarrh of the nose and throat, and all forms of catarrhal deafness. Mr. Joseph Little, the well-known mill owner of Port Essington, B.C., writes: "Japanese Catarrh Cure completely cured me of catarrh, which had troubled me for 25 years, during which time I had spent over $1,000 on remedies and specialists in Toronto and San Francisco. About two years ago I procured six boxes of Japanese Catarrh Cure, and, since completing this treatment have not felt the slightest symptoms of my former trouble. I can highly recommend it. Relief came from the first application. We always keep a supply in the mill for cuts and burns, and consider it superior to any other remedy for healing." Sold by all druggists. 50 cents. Sample free. Enclose 3 cent stamp. Address, The Griffiths & Macpherson Co., 121 Church Street, Toronto.

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C. W. Rutledge,
Proprietor.
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The permanent cure after permanent cure that is being published week by week has placed Burdock Blood Bitters far above all other remedies in the estimation of the sick and suffering.

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Saturday the 11th of March, '99

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J J Henningway, Secretary.

Date of entry, Feb 6, 1899.

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You are cordially invited.
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Parties desiring sittings will apply to W. Rutledge, Pew Steward.

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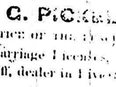
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