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SPEECH IN THE TRANSVAAL.
The dual languages for which provision is made in South Africa have been objected to. But as the Montreal Witness points out the English and Boer are not on terms of equality it would be made to appear at the outset. "English," says our contemporary, "will be taught in the schools and used in the courts as the official language, but Dutch will be permitted in the courts where necessary, and taught in the schools if enough parents ask for it. It is not said that the Dutch language is to be treated on an equality with the English. It is not the path of wisdom, that it should, as with no religious separation, the survival of the native speech, with its large possibilities of seditious falsehood, will constitute the only serious obstacle to the complete fusing of the people." This explanation is timely and of very general interest.

A VALUABLE OBJECT LESSON.
The last was not heard, by any means, of the Prince of Wales' tour of Canada when he had bade the people of it good-bye and set out on the Opiter for England. All the incidents of his brief and somewhat hurried visit are recalled by the exhibition in London, at the Imperial Institute, of the many trophies he received.

The eastern half of the exhibition gallery is occupied on both sides by large cases which contain the various presents received by the prince and princess in the order of their tour through the dominion. These include the stuffed caribou head, moose head, birchbark canoe, sables and furs, Indian curiosities, silver trowels (used in laying the corner stones of buildings), jewelled mementoes, photographs of scenery, and artistic addresses, the whole constituting a display of great variety and merit.

The institute authorities, it is stated, took advantage of the royal presents to open a special colonial exhibition; and this embraces the splendid mineral collection which attracted so much attention at Glasgow. There are 1,100 specimens, and they cover every mineral of economic value. It is added that though mining is still in its infancy in Canada its production last year yielded £14,360,000.

In addition to the minerals, in this separate and institute corner, there is a display of fine furniture made from Canadian woods, and pictures of various places along the route taken by the royal party, in travelling over the C.P.R., and also photographs of some of the leading tourist resorts along the line of the G.T.R.

So that in a most effective way Canada, its territory, its resources, its advancement in the arts and sciences, is being magnified through this royal exhibit. It is very thoughtful of the Prince and Princess of Wales to give the people of England an object lesson of great interest and educational value.

EDITORIAL TIPS.
The liberal leaders, in Toronto, do not seem to be worrying much over the result of the election recounts.

Sooner or later the government of the United States will have to deal with the great trusts and the lock-outs in which they indulge.

Senator Morgan (U.S.), cannot understand why the Filipinos do not appreciate the desire of the Americans to bless them. With the water cure?

Mr. Whitney has asserted that if forty per cent of the reports that reached him had been verified he would have been elected premier. What a lot of stuff he must have been sent!

Mark Hanna's observation to the tariff agitators of the United States is being generally quoted. It is, "Let well enough alone," and it is a significant answer to the senseless cry of, "It's time for a change."

A couple of automobiles collided at Staten Island on Saturday, and eighteen people were injured. A coroner's jury declared the accident to be unavoidable. The Kingston misadventure is not without a parallel.

The Canadian school teachers reached South Africa the day the terms of peace were signed. They will stay the year, anyway, but they'll teach in the cities in place of the concentration camps, and do the better work.

Meat is sold to the American army and Indians for 64c. to 11c. per lb. The rest of the folks pay about double these prices. Conclusion—the soldiers and Indians are getting very bad meat or the people are being robbed.

The London News says that if Mr. Ross would only follow the example of M. Waldeck-Rousseau, and resign, the tories would be awfully pleased. "If it were not for the coronation," says the News, "perhaps the premier would." Quite likely.

Some of the Lipton company think there would be more money in his tea if he put less time in his yachting. But he doesn't mind, the cranking, and goes on with his plans for another boat with which to lift that cup.

Mark Twain has been made a doctor of law by the University of Missouri. What is to be the consequence? Is Mark supposed to be serious now? Better that there should be end of the university than an end of his fun.

The leader of the opposition and some of his friends are sitting closely together in Toronto, and doing their best to hatch out a legislative ma-

AN AMERICAN CRITICISM.
One result of the Boer war is pretty certain—it will be a long time before the British government again starts a war of conquest against a nation of independent white men, no matter how few they may be or weak they may appear. It is too expensive. It will have to content itself with exercising its military spirit in the old way of driving about savages and taking such glory as there may be in such operations.—Watertown Times.

England did not start, in South Africa, a war of conquest. The empire had large interests in the dark continent, and in Cape Colony and Natal a territory of the most valuable kind. It had, too, an interest in the Transvaal, though not pushing it and not asserting it in an aggressive way. It was the Transvaal that brought on the war. It denied to the Outlanders the rights that were theirs. It denied to England the voice that was hers in expressing her people's feelings. It realized that the Boer movement was aggressive and had to be checked. The governments of the Transvaal and the Orange Free State had designs upon the British colonies, and Kruger's ultimatum meant the assumption of lordship over all Southern Africa.

Great Britain has been simply defending her interests in South Africa, and incidentally, by her success, becomes the conqueror of her enemies. Perhaps the empire is big enough now and costly enough in its defence. But the question of expense will never hinder Britain in the performance of a duty. She is to-day commanding the world's applause because of her humane treatment of the Boers. Their surrender carries with it concessions that no other nation has been known to make. These concessions were not wrung from her. They were granted agreeably, cheerfully, as a result of the desire to make the Boers a happy, a prosperous and a contented people.

Mark the contrast in the Philippines. The war there has been one of conquest. It originated out of the desire of the United States to hurt Spain as much as possible. The Cuban war did not involve the war in the Philippines, and so its creation and continuation has been a reflection upon the American people. They would be fortunate were they out of the Philippines with the same honors that have gone to Britain, and while this war goes on, with all its painful revelations, it is not in good taste for an American paper to speak as the Watertown Times has done of affairs in South Africa.

THE SENSIBLE COURSE.
It Is Not Yet Time For a Change.

Hamilton Herald.

Those conservative journals which are predicting that the Ross government will soon be forced to resign, or that there will be another provincial general election before long, are making mischief. By raising false hopes and encouraging an unsettled feeling in political circles they are helping to keep business conditions in an unsettled state. Business men, for as well as grates, were hoping for tricker trade as soon as the election excitement was over. If by artificial stimulus the election excitement is to continue during the summer business men will have cause to complain.

The wisest plan is to look the facts and probabilities in the face and frankly recognize them. The facts are that the Ross government, even if it prove to be in a minority in the next legislature, need not resign office until the legislature meets, and it need not call the legislature together until next year. The strong probabilities are that the Ross government will have a majority in the new legislature, that the legislature will not meet until next January, and that there will not be another general election until next year. Even if the result of the recounts is to give Mr. Whitney a majority of one or two, there is nothing to compel the government, either to resign or to make another appeal to the people before the house meets, and it may be taken for granted that the government will not quit office until it is forced to quit.

The sensible course for the conservatives is, therefore, to recognize the fact that there is no prospect of a change of government this year.

Fifteen Cheese A Day.
Hartington, June 4.—Word has been received from Harry Campbell, that he has arrived in South Africa. John Dower's barn is nearing completion; when finished it will be far the best barn in this locality. T. Grant has been making great improvements on his lot. The Sunday-school picnic is to be at Knolton Lake, June 14th. Edgar Dool paid us a short visit last week; he has secured a good position in Toronto. H. Richardson passed through here this week looking after mineral. A. Alrahams sold a span of horses to Mr. Burke, Oso. This factory is receiving a good patronage, making fifteen cheese a day. The children are enjoying a holiday to-day, as the teacher, Miss Collins, is attending a wedding at Syleham. Pearl Dool, Kingston, is visiting Mabel Dower. Mr. and Mrs. J. Lake expect to spend Sunday with friends at Westbrook. Mrs. E. Roach and children have returned home to Kingston.

Aided The Auxiliary.
Point Road, June 4.—W. Rutlan has been appointed road master, and has ordered out the men for next week. The tea given by Mrs. (Capt.) Esford, in aid of the ladies' auxiliary of St. Mark's church, was a grand success, despite the bad weather. They realized a handsome sum. J. Quinn had a few raising his barn last week. There is talk of a lawn social in the near future. John Baxter has purchased a new rubber tired rig, which takes the lead on the road.

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Don't forget first excursion of the season to Clayton, Friday, June 6th.

It will now be known what is meant when it is said the party has a hen on.

The Montreal council, by civic ordinance, has authorized the sale of cigars, newspapers, soft drinks and refreshments on Sunday. The larger cities of Canada will presently have the American Sunday with all its lowering influences.

Mr. Miscampbell's majority in Sault Ste. Marie is about 200, not 500 as reported. Mr. Clague was perfectly neutral in the election, but some of his foremen were industrious supporters of the fellow labourer, and helped in his election.

The Hamilton Spectator will not be good. It charges the government with being grafters and corruptors. But the people have declared, in the election, that the ministers are not guilty of the things alleged against them, and their decision goes.

Mr. Morrison, of the Ottawa citizen, goes to England as an officer of the coronation contingent. After the London event Mr. Morrison will write up the colonial conference, and municipal ownership as they have it in Scotland. He has a large contract on hand.

Lord Hopetoun has resigned the governorship of Australia because the salary, \$50,000, is inadequate to the expenses of the office. He is obliged to keep up two official establishments—at Sydney and Melbourne—and cannot do it without entrenching on his own income.

Rev. S. G. Bland, Ottawa, has been awarded the fate of all reformers. The Montreal Methodist conference has usually given him a place among the general conference delegates, but this year, his brethren left him off the list, some canvassing against him because of his stand against maintaining rules touching various taboos and amusements. The action of the conference seems to have been clearly vindictive. Reforms have always been opposed only to succeed eventually, and the present agitation will sooner or later be successful.

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