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Department of Public Works, Ottawa, 20th July, 1902.

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CANADA AND WASHINGTON. The rumour that Sir Wilfrid Laurier favours the appointment of some one who will be attached to the British embassy at Washington, as an adviser in Canadian affairs, is a most probable one.

The new British minister is a most able and gifted man, but he is not familiar with Canadian matters and cannot be expected to deal readily with the issues which will be cropping up constantly between the governments of Canada and the United States.

The embassy has in connection with it certain officers who are experts in their several spheres, and it is quite proper that the staff should include some one who has had a correct training in public life and who can wisely and well counsel upon Canadian relationships.

A conservative print suggests Sir Richard Cartwright or Mr. Tarte for the new office. Either would fill it to perfection. They are an fait with Canadian affairs, and each is patriotic enough to be endowed with any mission abroad which the government may give to him.

A FEAR OF COMPETITION.

Some obstacles in the way of the fast Atlantic steamship service have already appeared. They are hinted at by the commercial men of Quebec and Montreal, who have in view the contingencies of trade.

The Canadian Pacific railway company is a great corporation, which has its friends and its opponents. There are those who see in it the power which the situation commands. It can summon to its aid the capital and influence which are needed in launching a great and important undertaking.

But there are those who see in this launching out of the company the tendency to monopoly, and to develop it with the government's aid and auspices. The Montreal men who compose the board of trade see in the fast line a possibility of giving the Canadian Pacific extraordinary privileges, and privileges that will contribute to absolute supremacy.

A subsidized line of boats has an advantage which is of incalculable value. It has, to the extent of the subsidy, a lever on trade and competition of the most substantial kind. Hence if the motions of the board of trade mean anything they mean that the Canadian Pacific company shall not be the contractor with the government, and that if it is the conditions as to ports and traffic shall not operate against Montreal and the steamship lines which do business there.

Now the government is loaded with a grave responsibility, namely, to decide what is best for Canada, and not what is best for any city in it. Montreal has been the port of entry during the summer at least, because its situation and importance have commanded trade. But Montreal is a long way up the St. Lawrence and is only reached by a somewhat perilous route. The navigation of the river is difficult, and accidents are so frequent to the ocean vessels as to preclude the hope of a fast service being accomplished by it.

The company which goes into this business will not be handicapped. The subsidy will not warrant the running of boats for the sake of the experience. Certain general conditions being complied the effort will be made to render the service as profitable as possible, and the owners of the boats will not be dictated to as to what they shall or shall not carry. The sixteen steamship lines that are re-

presented in Montreal will not, it is hoped, be seriously interfered with, but it is certain that if the Canadian Pacific railway company goes into the Atlantic ocean trade, as it has gone into the Pacific ocean trade, it will not be held back or hindered by any fear of competition.

REBUKING MR. CLERGEUE.

A conservative print is surprised at the action of Mr. Clergue, of Sault Ste. Marie, in proposing to build a two million dollar paper mill on the American side of the river, which is to depend upon the pulp mill in the Canadian side for its supplies.

This surprise deepens when it is recalled that some great paper concerns, connected with the American trust, contemplate the erection of paper mills in Canada, and very close to the source of the raw material.

Mr. Clergue is reminded, first, by our conservative contemporary of what this province has done for him and his many industries. Then it is suggested as an unseemly proceeding that he should use his pulp mill in Ontario as a feeder for his paper mill in Michigan, and that the whole arrangement is not business-like.

Warm and sultry, you say? Yes, hard or starched goods and summer lingerie but worth a mint of money to the men who run the farms. The wealth of this country largely depends upon the ingathering of the harvests.

NEWSPAPER CHAT.

Crisis in London. The matchgirls of London are on strike. If the matches refuse to strike there will be a dark outlook.

Who'll Put It Up?

The alliance prohibitionists are going to put up \$10,000 to carry the referendum. If they can induce somebody to subscribe the money.

Going Off Too Soon.

The smile of the agriculturist is beginning to lengthen out, and the work of ack-building has been temporarily suspended.

What Is The Point?

Yes, the hay crop has failed, but the thistle crop supplies an abundance of rich and appropriate food for the Stratford Beacon and the Brockville Times.

Another Scare.

Toronto Mail. I get personally interested when we see coal rising to \$7 a ton, and much livelier and widespread does the interest become when there is danger of its soaring to \$10 a ton.

Knows His People.

The editor of a paper in Illinois is publishing the Bible in his paper as a serial. Some are poking fun at him, but he probably knows what will be news to his readers, and what they most need.

Gave Her A Tea Set.

On Thursday afternoon at the Home for Insane, Miss Vandewater, a young matron of that institution, was informally presented with a valuable silver tea set by Miss Ginn, the head nurse, on behalf of the staff and patients of the home.

Big Reductions To-Morrow.

Mens' \$2 straw hats, \$1.50; \$1.50 hats \$1 hats 60c; 75c hats 50c; 50c hats 35c. All new styles. Campbell Bros.

Umbrellas-Umbrellas.

Best value anywhere, \$1.75c, 50c, \$1.25, \$1.50 and up. The H. D. Bibby Co.

ministered a very sharp rebuke, the government called it up in due course on Wednesday, and found that its majority of three hundred odd had dwindled away to forty-one! Such an experience must have forced conviction with it.

EDITORIAL TIPS.

The girls are not going to cut the bank clerks though they cannot marry till they have \$1,500 a year. That's not their style.

Alfred G. Vanderbilt is going to enjoy camping in the Adirondacks. But his shack is to cost \$75,000, and have an outfit of infinite ease. Enjoy that? He can't. The only luxury of camping is sleeping on the rocks.

The expected is coming to pass. The liberal unionists are growing weary of their conservative alliance, in British politics, and are talking of going back to the old party. One or two have already made the change.

With the close of his term of office as lieutenant-governor of this province, Sir Oliver Mowat contemplates retirement from public life. He has been a long time before the public, and he has carried himself with rare grace, suavity and tact.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier does not amount to much in England. So the conservative press would have the people believe. But he is the colonial whose presence is everywhere sought and whose speeches are quoted by liberal statesmen. That is a recognition which any man might envy.

DEVERY'S \$6,000 DINNER.

He Entertained 10,000 Women and Children. New York, July 31.—William S. Devery, former chief of police of New York, and at present campaigning for the Tammany leadership of the Ninth assembly district, gave a remarkable party to the women and children of his district.

The dining table was set with a committee of men, headed about 10,000 of them by two steamers and four barges which sailed away early for Raritan Bay grove, where the day will be spent.

The outing will cost Devery about \$6,000. Quantities of refreshments, as follows, were provided: 2,000 pounds of cabbage, 4,000 pounds of corned beef, thirty barrels of potatoes, 2,000 gallons of clam chowder, 8,000 quarts of milk, 2,000 loaves of bread, several barrels of crackers, 1,000 gallons of ice cream, 2,000 pounds of cake, 400 pounds of coffee, 1,000 bottles of soft drinks.

At the grove an opera company and twenty vaudeville artists will entertain Devery's guests, and a band of thirty pieces will play continuously.

About \$1,000 worth of fireworks will be burned for the children in the evening. It is the biggest and most extravagant political excursion ever held, and Devery says it will make him "a sure winner."

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GREATEST IN THE WORLD

ROCKEFELLER, ROTHSCHILD, AND NOBEL FORM TRUST.

Working Agreement Entered Into Which is Said to Mean a Fight Against Russian Exporters.

London, Aug. 1.—The Daily Mail declares there is no longer any doubt that the three monster oil interests of Rockefeller, Rothschild, and Nobel have entered into a working agreement. Thus, says the paper, "without any publicity, the greatest trust the world has ever seen has sprung into being."

This combination, says the paper, has been hinted at in messages from Batoum and Moscow, and it has been more clearly shown in the offers made to Russian oil exporters by representatives of the Nobel and Rothschild interests for the absorption of the whole of their output.

ANGRY CROWD DESTRUCTIVE.

Two Thousand People Tore Down and Burned a House.

London, Aug. 1.—An extraordinary scene occurred on Leckhampton Hill, overlooking Cheltenham. For some time past there have been demonstrations and disturbances on account of a company which owns quarries on the hill having fenced in certain portions and built a house thereon for its foreman, thereby interfering with the right claimed by the people to roam at will over every part of the hill.

The alleged aggressor and three others were charged with resisting the police, but after a long hearing all were discharged, and at night a huge demonstration took place in honor of their release.

Two thousand men, women and children marched from the town, headed by a band, to the hill, and men with pickaxes soon laid low the fence. A well-stocked greenhouse next received attention, and this was demolished with crowbars.

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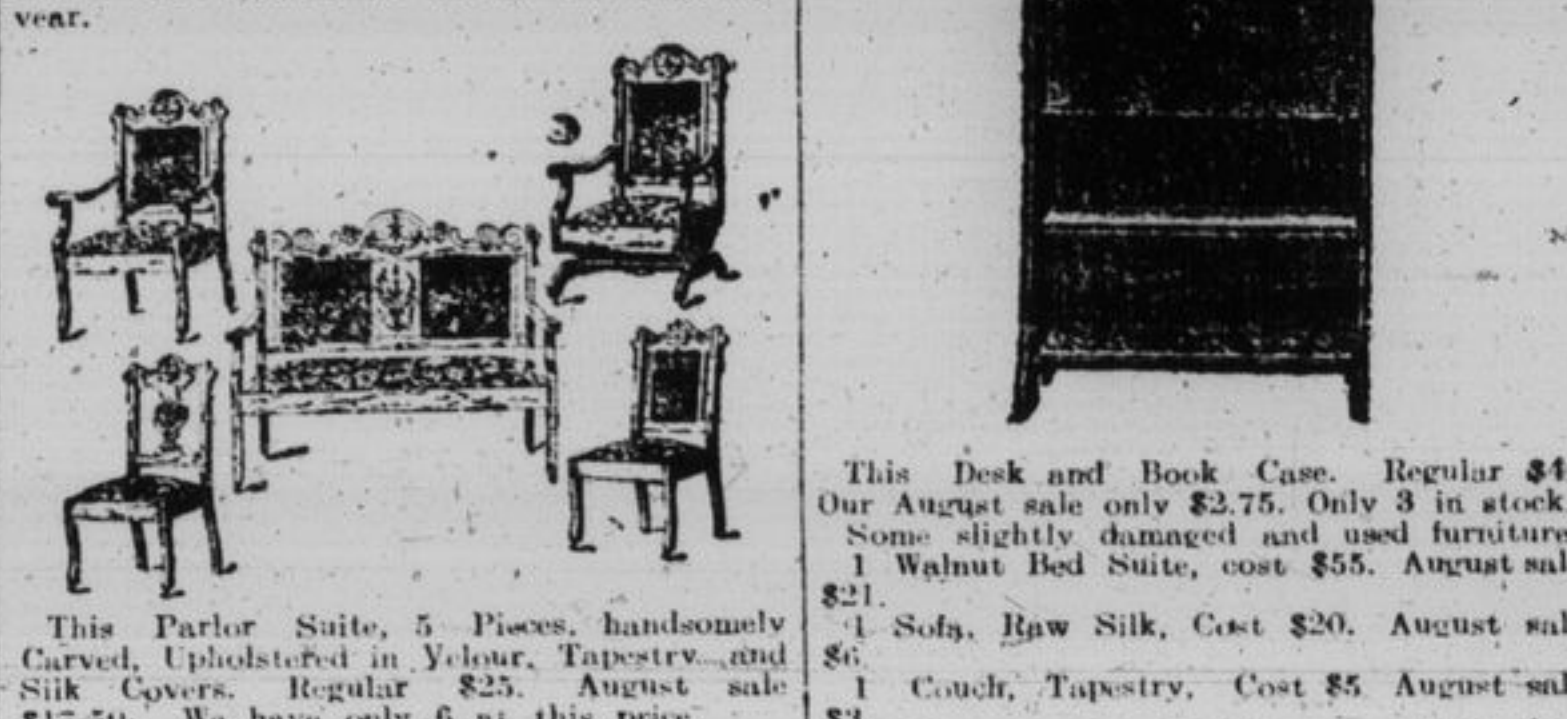
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6th August Sale of Furniture, Carpets, Curtains, etc.

Our 1901 sale was the largest we ever had. You appreciated our prices. 1902 we will do even better. Everything in our three stores is reduced for this great sale. August sale prices are for cash only. We could not afford to look at these prices. Many customers have each year, bought and had us hold goods until needed, we will do the same this year.



This Parlor Suite, 5 Pieces, handsomely carved, upholstered in Velvet, Tapestry, and Silk Covers. Regular \$25, August sale \$17.50. We have only 6 at this price.

THE HOT WAVE

We merchants have waited for so long is now here. We find ourselves stocked with a good assortment of warm weather wares which we desire to part with at special summer prices.

- Corsets made of Open Work Net. August is the month to wear them. Women's, Children's and Men's Undervests; long, short and with no sleeves. Women's Open Work Stockings; also Cotton, with coronation red soles. Women's Colored Muslin and Black and Navy Duck Skirts; light in weight and price. Women's Blue, Green, and Pink Striped Muslin Blouse Waists; Special Value at 39c. Women's Print Waists; light and dark colors; a big bargain at 49c. Women's White Muslin Waists in great demand; from 50c. to \$2.50 each. Special drive in Linen Ground Muslins, with fancy stripes; worth 20c., for 12c.

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