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HITTING THE CANADIANS.

Canadians, returning from Europe, by way of New York, complain that they are submitted to serious annoyance from customs officials. They are asked questions which are meant for immigrants. The idea is to prevent the landing of an illiterate, immoral, deformed, and impoverished class, or alien labour, and the question which the legislators meant to be put to the steerage passengers are addressed also to the cabin occupants. The destination of a man or woman ought to have some consideration in the case, and Canadians should be spared the delays of swearing to information which is of no use to any one or department. It may be said that the government officials cannot be expected to take anything for granted, and cannot guarantee the through passage of the Canadian tourists. An affidavit to the effect that they are bound for Canada ought to be as good as the affidavit they are required to sign, and it would be infinitely more acceptable.

WITHHOLDING THE FACTS.

The property owners have been sent notices concerning the paving of the streets, but, unless they have gone to the city buildings and asked about it, they have not been informed respecting the cost of the work. This is at once a defect and a drawback. The calculation as to cost is above all else the important information which the rate-payers should have, and the board of works should consider the question of supplying it without further delay. It may be held that it is time enough to go into details when they are asked for. They should be afforded freely. The city should do its business as the individual will do his, and the merchant who is up-to-date will not wait until he is canvassed for prices, he will put them on the boards and so conspicuously that they must be observed; he will advertise them; he will insist on forcing them before the people. The great consideration with the paving scheme is the cost of it, and strange to say, it is the one thing which the city withholds from the property owners.

BIRMINGHAM IN COMMAND.

The man with whom Sir Charles Tupper quarrelled, and with whom he exchanged some of the sharpest and raspiest of letters, has been restored to the place from which he was deposed. Reference is made to Robert Birmingham, who was for many long years the chief conservative organizer. He has been given the direction of the party's affairs in North Renfrew and Muskoka, where local elections are expected to take place shortly. What has happened can only be surmised. The Toronto Star, which assumes to know whereof it speaks, says that those in charge of the present conservative headquarters in Toronto never received the full confidence of the leaders. In the Dominion contest of 1900, the opposition campaign was managed by a group of Toronto barristers, and their policy was again pursued in the provincial election of 1902. The latter contest will long be remembered as the one in which the conservatives imported a swarm of Yankee experts to operate throughout the province, and at the same time checks were sent to conservative candidates for such large amounts that candidates who were not able to spend all that was sent them decided to keep the unused balance. It is not to be understood that Mr. Birmingham will conduct his campaigns without cash. It is money that makes everything go. But the chief conservative organizer is an expert in the smoothness of his schemes and the mysterious influence he diffuses.

THE MAN OF DESTINY.

The position of Mr. Cleveland — his absolute necessity to the democratic party at the present time as a candidate for the presidency—is becoming more and more apparent.

Mr. Cleveland has been forced to the front by circumstances. Time has not revealed any one else who has the ghost of a chance of succeeding in the election. The one to whom the party looked, to whom all indications pointed so promisingly, namely, Mr. Bryan, has proven a dismal failure. He is a brilliant man of small parts, and his smallness has been advertised by his repeated and unmerited assaults upon Mr. Cleveland.

In Athens, Georgia, a plebiscite was taken in regard to the person the business man desired to see in the White House next year, and, among the democrats the choice was largely of Mr. Cleveland. The editor of the local paper sent the information to the ex-president and bluntly asked him if he was considering, or would consider, the race for the presidency. The answer is by no means decisive. Mr. Cleveland expresses his gratitude for the many kind expressions which have been sent to him, and says that since the close of his last administration he has not been desirous of carrying the party banner for a fourth time in a presidential contest.

He may be "not desirous" of the honor, and yet it may be his. Men of his calibre are not numerous. He is the only democrat in many years that has filled a large place in the public eye. He is a man of undoubted ability. He was once superior to his party, stronger than it was, in the declaration of a platform. The experience may be repeated.

EDITORIAL VIEWS.

Montreal has no more use for the military. The cost of their protection of the wharves runs into the thousands.

If the property owners were given the cost of paving they would think more of it. Some people are being terrorized along this line unnecessarily.

The Montreal street wall is being rebuilt. Thank goodness. There is thus a prospect of a municipal nightmare being settled—for a few months at least.

If the chairman of city property had the verandahs on each side of the shambles cleared away before Sunday some people would think more of his judgment and taste.

The first draft of the redistribution bill sustains the view of the premier, as enunciated some time ago. There will not be a gerrymander. Will Sir Wilfred get any thanks for his fairness?

The men in the opposition, who were picking out cabinet places under the direction of Gamey, have settled down to another disappointment. Mr. Whitney may be premier, some day, but meanwhile he will not worry about it.

Some of the streets are in a wretched condition. They are rendered real bad by the manner in which certain excavations are filled up. Cannot the works' department exact a deposit and use it in restoring the opened streets to the proper level?

The Toronto World thinks the time has come when Ottawa, like Washington, should be governed by a commission, not a council. This is because the city has escaped, for a second time, destruction by fire. Would the capital be safer under a commission?

A bill is before the legislature which, if passed, permits counties to have large or small councils at their option. There is usually wisdom in the multitudes, but it is not in the average aggregation of councilmen. Is the smaller council in Frontenac not a success?

If the Grand Trunk Pacific railway goes on it will be hard to secure the labourers for the work. There is a famine in the market, and men for construction purposes are being advertised for in the United States, and promised food and lodging and $2.75 per day. The men may be had, but they will come high.

OBSERVATIONS.

What It Means.

St. Thomas Journal.

There never was such a congestion of freight in Canada as now, which means prosperity, prosperity, prosperity.

Gamey In Luck.

Toronto World.

Now that the new hotel is open, it it may be that R. R. Gamey will be able to pull through the exhibition season this year without sleeping three in a bed.

A Real Good Thing.

Hamilton Herald.

One good result will be obtained by Mr. Blair's policy of keeping railways that parallel each other in the west forty miles apart. It will prevent collisions.

Hard On MacLean.

Brantford Expositor.

W. F. MacLean proposes to change the name of Hudson Bay to the Canadian Sea. The silly season seems to be setting in rather earlier than usual this year.

Very, Very Dear.

Woodstock Express.

Mr. Stratton may not have known it at the time he was addressing letters to "My Dear Gamey;" but he is probably prepared to admit now that Gamey was "dear"—dear at any price.

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HISOPINION

MR. CARNEGIE ON CANADA'S FUTURE.

Says This Country Has No Future Except as a Part of the United States.

London, May 12.—Andrew Carnegie pours vitriol upon Canada in an interview with the Ironmongers' Journal, in connection with his presidency of the Iron and Steel Institute. When asked whether Canada, grown populous by immigration, spiritually British, but materially American, might not bring about a union of England with America, Carnegie replied: "Certainly not. Canada has no future except as a part of the states. Her native population increases more slowly than that of Scotland. She only added 536,000 to her population in ten years, and of these 440,000 came from abroad. Canada standing alone can never become a great industrial nation. Her steel industry is a figment and Cape Breton a mirage. Nothing there need ever trouble the United States. In no conceivable circumstances can your colonies ever have a population approaching that of the United States, and your colonial empire, what is it but politicians' catchword. A well-known Anglo-American after reading the interview exclaimed: "Don't fancy Canadians will accept another cent of this man's money."

ONCE IN CANADA.

Dougall Accused of Miss Holland's Murder.

Halifax, N.S., May 12.—It has been learned here that Lieut. Dougall, R. E., who is in custody in England in connection with what is known as the Moat House mystery, involving the murder of a Miss Holland, was formerly in Canada. Samuel Herbert Dougall was a sergeant of the Royal Engineers, on this station, and was particularly well-known in business circles, and, being a very handsome, man, had many admirers.

While in Halifax he married twice; both his wives are dead.

After Dougall arrived in England from Halifax he read an advertisement in an English paper of an elderly woman of wealth and position, Camille Holland, who wanted a husband. Dougall answered the advertisement, and he and the wealthy lady subsequently met and lived together, although there was no record of their having been married. The woman had considerable money in the bank and was owner of a property known as the Moat estate, in Essex. She was many years the senior of Dougall. The lady mysteriously disappeared and the detectives who worked on the case came to the conclusion there had been foul play, and Dougall was apprehended on March 23rd on the charge of murder.

He stated that on a certain afternoon Miss Holland suddenly disappeared. Following her disappearance cheques signed by her were found in his possession and the deeds of the Moat estate were found in Dougall's luggage at the Liverpool docks. Dougall was arrested at the Bank of England, while endeavoring to pass some forged paper bearing the name of Miss Camille C. Holland. He is also held on the charge of murder.

He is also charged with manipulating the accounts of Miss Holland to pay his own debts. The sudden disappearance of Miss Holland has been an absorbing topic in the papers of the United Kingdom for weeks past, and her picture appeared in a number of them, the hope being that this would facilitate identification.

LENIENT TOWARDS RAILWAYS

Average Tax on $1,000 Worth of Property is Sixty Cents.

Toronto, May 13.—The Province of Ontario has been very lenient towards railways in the matter of taxation, judging from a bill introduced in the legislature by Mr. Pettypiece. He stated that the average tax on $1,000 worth of railway property is 60c., compared with $4.50 levied on $1,000 worth of private property. The mover also submitted figures showing that on the same basis the Michigan Central is paying only $60 per mile in Ontario and $1,800 in Michigan. In spite of this generous treatment the fare in Michigan is two cents per mile, and in Ontario three cents.

To equalize matters Mr. Pettypiece proposes to establish a permanent board of assessors to estimate the value of all railway telegraph and telephone property for purposes of assessment, the taxation levied by the board to be apportioned between the municipalities and the province.

Another important bill is that introduced by Premier Ross providing that children under fourteen years of age shall not be committed to county jails. If no bail can be secured for them, some party must be found who will take charge of the children until their trial takes place.

King Edward In Edinburgh.

Edinburgh, May 13.—The second day of King Edward's visit to the Scottish metropolis was a busy one, beginning at ten o'clock this morning with an inspection of the Black Watch in Dalkeith Park and ending at a late hour in the afternoon with the formal opening of a new hospital at Colinton. After the inspection of the Black Watch and the presentation of South African medals to the officers and men of that regiment, the king and queen left Dalkeith for Holyrood House, where they took lunch. The decorated streets of the capital were crowded with spectators and their majesties met with joyous acclaim. In the afternoon the king and queen visited Edinburgh Castle, St. Giles' cathedral and the Royal Infirmary.

New Information.

London, May 13.—H. G. Abrahams, the prosecutor's solicitor, appeared before Alderman Smallman, in the Guild Hall police court, yesterday, and submitted fresh information against Whitaker Wright, the promoter of the London & Globe Finance Corporation, who is now under arrest in New York. Several additional witnesses in the case were examined and their depositions will be forwarded to New York.

MARKET REPORTS.

The Cattle Prices.

Chicago, May 12.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,000; steady; good to prime steers, $5.10 to $5.60. Hogs—Receipts, 17,000; market five to ten cents lower; bulk of sales, $6.50 to $6.60. Sheep—Receipts, 12,000; sheep steady; lambs strong; good to choice wethers, $5 to $5.85.

Toronto, May 12.—Receipts to-day, 41 loads, including 554 hogs, 96 sheep and lambs, and 34 calves. Export cattle, choice $5 to $5.25; do., medium, $4.75 to $5; do., bulls and cows, $3.75 to $4.25; butchers' cattle, choice, $4.40 to $4.75; do., medium, $4 to $4.40; do., common, $3.50 to $4.10; feeders, short keep, $4.60 to $5; do., medium, $4.40 to $4.60; stockers, $3.25 to $3.85; milch cows, each, $30 to $55; heavy ewes, 160 to 180 lbs., 3¾c. to 4¼c., dull; light ewes, 130 to 140 lbs., 4¼c. to 4¾c., firm; heavy bucks, 160 to 225 lbs., 3c. to 3¼c., dull; light bucks, 125 to 160 lbs., 3¼c. to 3¾c., firm; grain-fed ewes, wethers, yearlings, 5¼c. to 6c., firm; grain-fed bucks, yearlings, 5c. to 5¼c., steady; common barnyard yearlings, 3c. to 4c, not wanted; spring lambs, $2.50 to $5 each, steady; calves, $2 to $10 each, or 4¼c. to 5¼c. per lb., steady; hogs, singers, $6.10; fats and lights, $5.35 off the cars. Export cattle and butchers' cattle selling fairly well. Milch cows steady at prices quoted.

New York, May 12.—Beeves—Receipts 3,736; strong. Steers, $4.62½ to $5.45; bulls, $3.35 to $4.40; cows, $2.25 to $4.15; cabled quoted live cattle firmer at 11¼c. to 12¾c. dressed weight; sheep, 14c. to 15c. dressed weight. Exports to-morrow, 810 calves, 30 sheep and 3,700 quarters of beef.

Calves—Receipts 5,843; steady to strong; veals, $4 to $7; tops, $7.25; buttermilks, $3.50 to $4.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 9,161; sheep firm to 10c. higher; lambs, 15c. to 25c. higher; clipped lambs, $6 to $7.75; spring lambs, $8.95.

Hogs—Receipts 9,098, slow. State and Pennsylvania hogs, $7 to $7.10.

WALKED HOME FROM SIBERIA

Woman Fails to Free Husband and Tramps 4,500 Miles.

St. Petersburg, May 12.—Anna Siumina, the wife of a small merchant in Hiazan, has just returned from Siberia afoot, after having failed to get her husband pardoned.

Siumina was convicted of forgery three years ago and sent to Siberia for seven years. Six months after his departure she raised money enough to follow him to a small town beyond Irputz, where he was in prison. She set out to get him liberated by showing to the governor of Irkutz proof of his innocence. But the governor succeeded in convincing her that her husband was guilty.

Her money being all gone, she made up her mind to walk back—a distance of 4,500 miles. She has now done so, spending more than two years on the way.

AMONG DEAD MEN'S BONES.

Gruesome Work on Wreck of the Algoma.

Duluth, Minn., May 12.—The steamer J. C. Suit, which has been chartered for the season to be used in stripping some of the old wrecks on Lake Superior, has just returned from the wreck of the Canadian passenger steamer Algoma, which was lost nineteen years ago, with fifty-two lives. What is left of the steamer is on the south coast of Isle Royale. The wreckers worked among the bones of the dead when taking up the 150 tons of iron which formed part of the ship's cargo. The Suit will at once return to the wreck and remove the bar iron in the hold of the lost ship.

Died In Hamilton.

Hamilton, Ont., May 13.—Rev. Mungo Fraser, D.D., for sixteen years pastor of Knox church (Presbyterian), died last night. Mr. Fraser was born in Scotland sixty-seven years ago and before coming to Hamilton had charges at Barrie and St. Thomas. About two years ago he was forced, owing to ill-health, to tender his resignation and was succeeded by Rev. E. A. Henry, Brandon.

Will Give Employment.

Winnipeg, May 13.—It is announced that the Canadian Northern railway will grade one hundred miles extra of its western line this year in order to provide work for members of the Barr colony, who arrived too late for farming operations. Steel will not be laid on this hundred miles this year, the main object being to provide work for the Barr unemployed.

Ambassador Choate's Son To Wed.

London, May 13.—Mrs. Choate, wife of the ambassador, and Miss Choate, sailed, to-day, for the United States to attend the wedding of Joseph Hodges Choate, Jr., and Miss Cora Oliver, the latter part of this month. The ambassador is much disappointed because his official duties here will prevent his attending the wedding.

Mails Via Russia.

London, May 13.—Austen Chamberlain, postmaster-general, is negotiating with the Russian government for the conveyance of the British mails to China and the far east by the trans-Siberian railway.

GREATLY ALARMED.

By a Persistent Cough, but Permanently Cured by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

H. P. Burbage, a student at law, in Greenville, S.C., had been troubled for four or five years with a continuous cough which he says, "greatly alarmed me, causing me to fear that I was in the first stage of consumption." Mr. Burbage, having seen Chamberlain's Cough Remedy advertised, concluded to try it. Now read what he says of it: "I soon felt a remarkable change and after using two bottles of the twenty-five cent size, was permanently cured." Sold by all druggists.

DO NOT FORGET

That you can get two pounds of beautiful white lard for 25c., shoulder hams, (cheap on Saturday) strictly fresh eggs, cooked meats, jams and relishes at Myers', 60 Brock street. 'Phone 570. Orders promptly filled.

Grosvenor English Raincoats

Made from fine imported Rainproof Worsted.

A fabric that rain will neither wet nor spot, don't feel or look like waterproof cloth at all.

On pleasant days a stunning long over-garment will preserve your pride. On rainy days it's a waterproof and will preserve your clothes, and by serving a double purpose it preserves your pocketbook.

A Raincoat will prove a profitable investment.

GROSVENOR RAINCOATS $10, $12, $12.50, $15, $16.50.

CURRIE'S CELEBRATED RAINCOATS $5 to $10.

Men, Try Our

$1 Shirts

The Best Made.

Our line of Men's $1 Colored Shirts for spring and summer is right up to-date as to colorings, style, fit and workmanship.

We've marked them at $1 for we propose to sell the best shirt sold for $1 anywhere. $1 Shirts are not all alike—far from it. Try ours.

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We have 144 good, Heavy Linen Finish Wrappers in white and blue and white and prime color stripes. We cleared this little lot at a great reduction from regular value and while they last your choice of a Wrapper, good honest value at $1.50,

For $1 Each.

Hundreds of other regular lines in stock in light, medium and dark colors, sizes 32 to 44, ranging in price from $1 to $2 each.

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Your Choice for 99c. Each.

Other lines in stock ranging in price from 75c. to $3 each.

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NEW YORK MILLINERY PARLORS

SPRING BLOSSOMS

Our Spring Garments are now in full bloom and picking is a pleasure. While we keep our stock constantly watered with new ideas, that it may always be fresh and attractive, still we believe that the first picking is the best.

We are outfitters to the male portion of the human race. The men, boys and children we clothe are clothed rightly and economically and you'll find them the best dressed people you meet anywhere. We are anxious to have you see our new

Suits, Top Coats, Hats and Haberdashery

While we are in full bloom.

After you have looked, we shall want to ask you if you ever saw Men's Toggery more pleasing to the eye, or prices more pleasing to the purse.

Make your selections while the bloom is on and the picking good.

JOS. ABRAMSON, The People's Clothier and Gents' Furnisher,
180 Princess Street.
Between Crawford's and Redden's.

How an abscess in the Fallopian Tubes of Mrs. Hollinger was removed without a surgical operation.

"I had an abscess in my side in the fallopian tube (the fallopian tube is a connection of the ovaries). I suffered untold misery and was so weak I could scarcely get around. The sharp burning pains low down in my side were terrible. My physician said there was no help for me unless I would go to the hospital and be operated on. I thought before that I would try **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound** which, fortunately, I did, and it has made me a stout, healthy woman. My advice to all women who suffer with any kind of female trouble is to commence taking **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound** at once."—Mrs. IRA S. HOLLINGER, Stillvideo, Ohio.—*$5000 forfeit if original of above letter proving genuineness cannot be produced.*

It would seem by this statement that women would save time and much sickness if they would get Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once, and also write to Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass., for special advice. It is free and always helps.

No other person can give such helpful advice as Mrs. Pinkham to women who are sick.

IN OUR OWN CIRCUIT.

News Of The Districts On Both Sides Of The Line.

W. J. Marsh, late of Consecon, is now located at Kakului, Hawaii.

Kenneth H. Welbanks, South Marysburg, died Sunday evening, aged twenty years.

Dr. K. C. Campbell, Carleton Place, disposes of his practice in June to Dr. H. W. DeHenzy, Arnprior.

Mrs. John R. Smith, formerly of Picton, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Reuben Sparlier, Herkimer, N.Y., aged fifty-five years. She is survived by one son and five daughters.

Mrs. John Houston, passed away on Thursday last, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Henry McDonald, of Drummond. The deceased was Barbara Paul, a sister of the late John Paul, of Ramsay, and he preceded her to the other shore by just one week.

Country Produce.

Montreal, May 12.—The receipts of eggs to-day were 781 cases, as against 515 yesterday. Owing to the continued small receipts, the tone of the market remains steady and until they increase little change is anticipated. The demand is fairly good and sales of No. 1 stock in a jobbing way were made at 12½c. to 13c., and No. 2 at 10½c. to 11c. per dozen.

Business in beans continues quiet and prices are unchanged at $1.75 to $1.85 per bushel.

There was nothing new in honey to note. We quote: White clover, in comb, 12c. to 13c.; white strained, in 60 to 70-lb. tins, 9c. to 9½c.; and buckwheat, at 7c. to 7½c.

The demand for potatoes in a jobbing way was good and the tone of the market is firm with choice stock in car lots selling at $1.15 per bag, and in a jobbing way at $1.25 to $1.30.

A Store Robbed.

The store of Simmons Bros., plumbers, etc., Princess street, was entered some time during the hours of darkness last night, and a number of small articles, such as pocket knives, cutlery, etc., taken, as well as a small amount of change, which had been left in the till. The theft is thought to have been committed by a boy. Entrance was gained through a rear window.

Something that appeals to the business man—a good meal—cleanliness and despatch, at The Keswick, 57 Brock street.

COMMERCIAL.

NEW YORK STOCKS.
From Metropolitan Stock Exchange.

May 13th.

	BUY.	SELL.
Union Pacific	89¼	89½
St. Paul	160¼	160½
Manhattan	141¼	141½
B.R. Transit	63¼	65¼
People's Gas	102	102½
Sugar	125¼	125½
U.S. Steel	34¼	33½
U.S. Steel, pfd	83¼	83½
Tenn. Coal & Iron	62	62½
Miss. Pac.	112	111½
Southern Pac.	54¼	54½
Ont. & Western	29¼	28½
N.Y.C.	129¼	129½
Louis & Nash.	117¼	117½
Rock Island	44	43½
Pennsylvania, RR.	129¼	129½
Texas & Pacific	32¼	34½
Atchison	79¼	79½
Am. Ice	9	9
Col. I. & F.	66¼	65½
American Loco.	626	55
Amal. Copper	65¼	65½

MONTREAL STOCKS.

	Bid	May 13. Ask.
Canada Pacific Ry.	134¼	134½
Toledo Ry.	32	31
Montreal St. Ry.	266	265
Halifax St. Ry.	110¼	107½
St. John Electric Ry.	100¼	100½
Twin City Transit	118	000
Commercial Cable	112	111½
Montreal Telegraph	160¼	000
Bell Telephone Co.	165	158
Dominion Cotton Co.	165	157½
Canada Colored Cotton	51	47
Payne Mining	65	55
Can. C. Nav. Co.	13	12
Bank of Montreal	300	292½
Ontario Bank	256	000
Merchants' Bank	185	000
Dominion Steel	166¼	000
Dominion Coal	28	27½
Ogilvie Flour Mills	108¼	106½
Montreal Power	132¼	000
Detroit United	93	93
Nova Scotia Steel	83	80
D. I. Steel pfd.	100	93
	70	67