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REBUKING THE SWINDLERS.

The republican party is inclined to believe that the democrats will make much of scandal in the next election campaign. Senator Lodge is of the opinion that all sorts of enquiries will be moved for, and if they are refused it will be said there is something serious to conceal.

The government will certainly suffer if it does not prosecute, to the end, all and sundry who have been concerned with the post office frauds. It is admitted that these are of the most shameful character. The swindlers perpetrated led to the robbery of the people to the extent of three millions of dollars. Supplies were purchased at fabulous prices, and allowed to rot or pass out of the service unused.

The president has commented on the report. He has intimated that he is not willing that any guilty person shall escape. One of the great offenders appears to be closely related to the National Republican Committee, a former post-office official. The wheels of justice must not be checked in this or in any other case, or the president will suffer.

THE TEST OF TEACHING.

In the American press some attention has been given to the work of the colleges and schools. The one, the product of the universities, has been judged by an English investigator who finds that the less pretentious institutions are the more effectual in that they do not depend upon the size of their faculties and the extent of their appliances for practical effects. They are training schools in which the young men and women receive the correct ideas of life, in which the students are inspired into high and noble ambitions, in which, as one paper put it, "preparation is made for the adventure into the world, that vast storehouse of knowledge, greater than all seats of learning and their libraries combined." The investigator saw something more—that the smaller colleges were doing the most in the cultivation of character, which was the distinctive accomplishment that excelled all others.

The public school has been referred to as the modern institution which reflects the light of progress. And yet child-life is evidently untrained. A large percentage of boys and girls are rude in manner and defective in morals. The records of crime contain too many evidences of unwholesome living. The thought is advanced that there is a better condition of things in the days of the district school, which, with all its plainness, had one advantage. It imparted in the young the recognition of right and wrong. It taught little that is now expected in the public school, but it made for character, and character comes before smartness and is preferable to it.

The whole teaching of the day needs reviving. First and foremost, as the Whig has pointed out, the men and women who direct our schools, should represent the highest type of character in themselves and should teach by example as well as precept. They should unostentatiously hold before the scholars the ideals that take root and grow and bear fruit in later life.

AN EVENING'S DIVERSION.

The Canadian Club, of Toronto, had an evening's diversion when it summoned Messrs. Foster and Tarte to address it. This club, like its namesake in Ottawa, is a non-political institution, and the men who speak at it are not expected to discuss anything of a party character. Mr. Foster, at Ottawa, in describing his travels in England, and especially the growth of the preferential tariff movement, slipped a cog and gave some offence.

That Ottawa experience was remembered by Mr. Foster, and in his Toronto address he became largely personal and spent his time in paying compliments to Mr. Tarte. The examiner of public works he referred to as one who had engaged in exploring, who had gone to a far country whose boundary was a turbid stream. He had contemplated this stream for a time, then plunged in, passed over, and continued his travels. After a long absence he had returned, with experiences that were calculated to help him in doing better work. He did not, however, advise the young men to imitate Mr. Tarte in doing so much travelling and experimenting.

Mr. Tarte understood Mr. Foster's reference perfectly. It was an imperfect description of his service in the liberal ranks, of his return to his first love. He justified his years of "wanderings" (the word used by Mr. Foster), and claimed that he had, by his travels in Canada, learned much of it that he could not otherwise have ever known, and much that

pointed to the future greatness of this country. He defended his independence of thought. He did not believe there was good in only one party. "That is a big mistake," said he, "an awful mistake for a young man especially."

There may be some virtue in these mazy addresses, but it is doubtful.

A MOVEMENT THAT GOES.

The Reform Municipal Association of Montreal is something like the Property Owners' Association of Kingston, only that it has definite views on current questions and does something. The Whig has read the proceedings of a late meeting of the Montreal association, which was called to consider the work of the council for the year. The aldermen were present. Some of them told what they had done for the ward. They had procured pavements and walks and fire alarm boxes. The idea of grab with them was the idea of public service.

Everything went well until that old war horse, Hon. G. W. Stephens, got in motion and made a stir. He commended the people for the interest they were taking in public affairs, which was another way of protecting their own property. Then he became reminiscent. The C.P.R. company had been given a million dollars for a new station and all it amounted to was an open-air platform. Albert street had been given to the Grand Trunk company without return. Street railway company had been given a franchise worth four millions of dollars, and did as it liked. In Glasgow the city ran its own railway with cars in plenty and 2-cent fares. In the matter of light the council was in the hands of the corporations. They combined against it. The city wanted 50 cent and it could be supplied in Montreal at that figure as well as in several American cities. The city wanted electricity at \$15 per horse power and it was charged \$60. The cure for this was municipal ownership.

And so the meeting was a lively one, and of some educational value, because one man went to it "loaded" prepared to go into figures and show what they meant. The aldermen who thought they were serving the city by getting fire alarm boxes and pavements, while they let everything else go had a rude but timely awakening. From this Montreal experience the Kingston Property Owners' Association may learn something to its advantage.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Typoid fever rages in Montreal. The disease is attributed to impurities in the water.

The fire drills are now going on at the schools. Good. And let there be no wearying in well doing.

The new council meets on Monday morning. The session will be short enough—unless some unforeseen circumstances occur.

The council chamber is a most uncomfortable place. There is plenty of hot air, but it is nearly all on the conservative side of the room.

The president of the Barbers' Association, in Toronto, is named, appropriately enough, William Chin. The financial secretary does himself proud with the name of Tipp.

The cumulative system of voting was considered a safe method of concentrating the power of good men. But the bad men caught on and played the game most skilfully.

Mr. Chamberlain said the Canadians would co-operate in the matter of not competing with the Britons on certain lines of manufacturing. But that does not appear in his revised speeches.

The Duke of Devonshire has made up with the Liberals and rejoined the party. That is the latest report, and it is very inspiring. What a pity it is that he ever differed with Gladstone and wasted all these years?

There is a difference of opinion apparently, in regard to the success of municipal ownership in Port Arthur and Fort Williams. Mr. King, an authority in Montreal, alleges that the street railway, the electric light plant and the telephone system are a complete success.

Exits for fire purposes and all looked when they should be open! That is the record in the Chicago theatre case. It should not happen again—anywhere. Some one in Kingston should see that the churches, schools and public halls can be easily and rapidly emptied.

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LOWE'S LETTER.

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They Have Received Fair Treatment, They Say, Since The Liberals Came Into Power.

A. B. Lowe, first vice-president of the International Brotherhood of Maintenance of Way Employees, writes from Kingston, under date of January 4th to Sir William Mulock, thanking him and the government for the increase given to the employees of the track and bridge department on the Intercolonial. Mr. Lowe says:

"This is the third increase which has come to us since the present government came into power. I may say the minimum for trackmen is now \$1.40 for ordinary sections, and for foremen, \$1.65; in yard, section men, \$1.50, and foremen, \$2 to \$2.25. The men at the bridge department have also been liberally dealt with."

Mr. Lowe goes on to show that the minimum for men was \$1.10 and \$1.60 for foremen under the late government. The minimum for men has now been increased to \$1.40 and \$1.50. The total increase, he says, is over thirty per cent. He adds:

"The conservatives proved us an increase on the eve of an election, and broke the promise the day after it was over. The liberal party was not too strongly indebted to many of our men, have kept their promises, and three times raised our wages."

In conclusion, Mr. Lowe says that the men know he is no political partisan, but supports the party or the government that puts butter on their bread.

COMMENDABLE SUGGESTION.

Robert Mantell Would Train Theatrical Audiences to Leave Quickly.

While in the city this week Robert Mantell, the popular romantic actor, who appeared here in "The Light of Other Days," offered a suggestion to W. C. Martin, manager of the Grand Opera House, that he meet with that gentleman's instant approval.

Mr. Mantell said that in all first-class theatres hereafter in which he appeared he was going to ask the audience, before the last act, to leave by the different exits as they would in the event of fire. He would remind them, he said, of their school days, when most of them would have been drilled in fire discipline, and he would request that they bring the knowledge then obtained into practical use, and leave the theatre as orderly and quick as possible. The managers agreed to this proposition. Mr. Mantell said he would step before the curtain as soon as the curtain descended at the conclusion of the performance, and direct the audience to the exits. Besides, it would educate them in discipline, so that in the event of a fire a panic would not ensue, and the audience could be marched out of the theatre as smartly as soldiers. Manager Martin will likely adopt this plan here, which will reduce to a minimum the possibility of a disaster in case there should be trouble arise. As Kingston theatre-goers are limited to numbers, and the same people attend night after night, it would require only a little practice to accustom them to the different exits, and they would be trained in a discipline in the event of a necessity.

Prince Edward Old Boys.

Toronto Mail and Empire.

Prince Edward County Old Boys' Association elected officers at St. George's Hall, it being the first meeting of the new year. The following was the result: President, Dr. A. Rose; vice-president, F. S. Spicer; recording secretary, A. M. Thorne, 65 Wellington street east; treasurer, H. Welbanks. The society was reported to have had a most successful year, the excursion to Picton in August last was well attended, and the membership has increased to about 300. A grant of \$15 was made to the Picton High School, to be given to the three public school pupils who pass the most creditable entrance examination, and \$10 was granted to the True Blue Orphanage at Picton. The annual "At Home" of the association will be held at Webb's on the evening of January 22nd.

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At a House Social—To Take a Long Trip.

Napane, Jan. 9.—Rupert Fellows, Violet, left on Thursday for Winnipeg. Rev. F. S. Rockwell, Chicago, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rockwell, John street. Davis Miller one of our oldest and best known residents is confined to his bed suffering from a slight paralytic stroke.

The house social given by Mrs. Dr. Simpson, last evening despite the fact that the weather was unfavorable was a decided success. The programme was of a high order, and a few pleasant and profitable hours were spent by the ladies and gentlemen present.

George Hoffman, attending Queen's College, Kingston, is obliged, through a severe cold, to take a rest from his studies. Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Hill leave for New York, sailing on Tuesday for the Mediterranean. Mr. and Mrs. Hill expect to spend three months on the continent. Thomas H. Whelan, Fernie, B.C., arrived in town this week on a visit to his parents.

The weather has moderated wonderfully since Monday. A considerable quantity of snow fell yesterday and the next act will likely be our January thaw.

Miss Lizzie Cameron, a popular school teacher, was married on Tuesday, January 5th, at the Presbyterian church, by Rev. W. W. Peck, to George Dunbar Robson, Ernestown. The bride was assisted by her sister, Miss Belle Cameron, Hinch, while Miss Houghton, Union Academy, New York, assisted the groom. The newly wedded couple took the noon train for a honeymoon in Toronto.

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