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# Daily Whig.

## THE SECRET IS OUT.

"Guelph boasts much of the profit it derives from the Guelph Junction railway," says the Hamilton Times. "Guelph did a good stroke of business in building that link, which is leased and operated by the C.P.R. It is one of the ownership ventures that has been justified, largely because the road gives it C.P.R. connection, and because the C.P.R. operates it."

There is the secret which some people in Kingston have been trying to learn. It is only a few days since a member of the council, producing the alleged profits of the Guelph railway which he carried in his pocket, asked, How is it that Guelph can make so much money out of a little road less in mileage than the Kingston street railway, while here the company tiring of the enterprise, desired to sell the road to the city?

The answer is at hand. The C.P.R. uses the Guelph road as a feeder, and makes it pay by generous contributions. Were the Guelph railway dependent as the Kingston railway is, upon the travel of the people there would probably be a different story to tell. And now that the secret is out perhaps the council here will get down to business and do something.

## A PLEA FOR MERCY.

The Weekly Sun comforts itself with the reflection that "as soon as the consumers fully realize the extent to which the cost of living is increased by the tariff, and become organized, something is going to happen."

Vain thought. If there is one thing the people do not understand it is the tariff and its application to the details of domestic life. The Sun may have an apt illustration in the fact that some goods, because of certain blemishes or defects, may in wholesale quantities be bought and imported into Canada. Enamelled goods for instance. The customs authorities have some latitude in the valuation, and the collection of duty may be at the rate of fifty or seventy per cent. in place of thirty-five per cent. These are isolated cases.

The tariff has to do with the cost of living more than some people imagine, but not so much as the Sun contends. Higher living, in some respects, is due to greater consumption and lighter supply. Bread, for example, once the cheapest of all foods, will become dearer, gradually—in the opinion of some economists—while the law of supply and demand continues as at present. The day is coming when the tillers of the soil in America will take from it, by scientific methods, all that the Britishers take from their soil, but they will first have to receive the same experience. So with all foods, taken from the earth, and the product of nature's gifts and man's handiwork.

Were there no grounds for anxiety here there would still be the combines, or conspiracies of men or companies or syndicates to wrest from the consumers the highest prices for the lowest values. There is the fever to get rich quickly—at any hazard, at any cost. The tricks of the trade are becoming notorious, and the effect of them is to maintain high prices—for the good of the few.

Aye, the tariff is the means of many an imposition, but the tariff is not in it in comparison with the devious schemes for creating wealth. The result is—the wealthy are getting wealthier, very fast, and the poor are becoming poorer, and reaching a depth of degradation where they have cause to plead for the mercy of God.

## A REVIVAL IS NEEDED.

Hamilton is having a curious experience with regard to the technical school. The people of the ambitious city—like the people of some other cities—have been labouring under an impression (was it a delusion?) that the want of the times was technical knowledge. So Hamilton has undertaken to supply it, and with an institution whose equipment and staff should give assurance of the highest results.

Then came the surprise. The building being up it occurred to the teachers of the institute, or to the teachers and trustees, that a canvass should be made of the eligible pupils. It was important that the board should know how many of the boys had an ambition to study technical subjects, and one of the papers announced that only three gave favorable replies.

The Spectator thereupon comments: "Much as has been said of this new school and its object, there yet remains much to be told that the parents of Hamilton children will know just what it means to them and their boys and girls. An official prospectus in the hands of parents now would do much to aid in estimating with some degree of accuracy the probable initial attendance at the opening of the term in September. Until it is known what the attendance is likely to be it would hardly be wise to make contracts with a full staff of teachers."

The revelation is not remarkable. It does not mean that technical education is not desired by the people, but that they do not know what it is, and they must be enlightened. The Whig remembers what happened, and only last year, when the board of education here opened the domestic science classes. They were not filled at once. Not because the training they afforded was unappreciated, but because the parents had not the information regarding them which they wanted. A mothers' class was one stimulant towards a larger interest, and it had its effects. The domestic science classes are now established and they are bound to grow in interest.

Hamilton's educationists must educate the people. It is their privilege, their duty, their pleasure, and sooner or later they will have their reward.

## EDITORIAL NOTES.

McGill University now confers the degree of bachelor of agriculture. The oldest of the arts has been the longest in coming to honor in our universities.

That stupid falsehood that the government estimate for the construction of the public section of the Transcontinental was $13,000,000, is again being made to do duty, says the Globe.

The dominion agricultural report shows a decline of 41,000 in milch cows and of 362,000 in hogs in Ontario, last year. If the figures are at all near being correct they furnish cause for serious misgiving.

Sanitarians have given many warnings of the danger of permitting flies to walk over dishes and food, and the fact that flies breed in filth and live upon decaying matter should be sufficient to arouse every community to the importance of maintaining effective war against them.

In an article complimentary to Canada, the Detroit Free Press says that "if we must have an enemy to develop our unity we will have to find one somewhere else than on the American continent." "We think," says the Free Press, "too highly of our neighbors over the way to supply this particular need."

The Whig is with the Toronto World in deeming an expansion of the parcel post system of the national post office as the best thing in sight. It does not believe that the railways are powerful enough at Ottawa to deaden the hand of any postmaster-general with ambition enough to follow the lead of European post offices.

Any movement which will shorten the hours of labor for merchants and their salesmen and saleswomen during the heated term, in fact any movement which will make their hours of labor not unreasonable at any time, should have sympathetic support. The closing at five o'clock on every evening except Saturday is approved. We have hitherto approved of stores being closed at ten o'clock on Saturday nights; at nine o'clock even, especially during the hot months. The remedy for late closing is practically in the hands of buyers.

People often wonder, particularly those who have travelled for hundreds of miles through the corn belt, what becomes of the corn which is grown every year, says the Kansas City Journal. In the year 1908, when the total crop was 2,666,000,000 bushels, 241,000,000 bushels were consumed in flour and grist mill products, 8,000,000 bushels in the manufacture of starch, 9,000,000 bushels for malt liquors, 17,000,000 bushels in the production of distilled liquors, 40,000,000 bushels for glucose, 190,000,000 bushels for export and 13,000,000 bushels for seed, making a total of 518,000,000 bushels, or 19.3 per cent. of the entire crop. The remaining 80.7 per cent., or 2,118,000,000 bushels, seems to have been used almost entirely for feeding.

## Saturday Night.

Walt Mason.

Saturday night, and the week's work done, and the old man home with a bunch of mon? You see him sit on the cottage porch, and he puffs away at a five-cent torch, while the good wife sings at her evening chores, and the children gambol around outdoors. The old man sits on his work-day hat, and he doesn't envy the plutocrat; his debts are paid and he owns his place, and he'll look a king in the bloomin' face; his hands are hard with the brick and loam, but his heart is soft with the love of home. Saturday night and it's time for bed! And the kids come in with a buoyant tread; and they hush their noise at the mother's look, as she slowly opens a heavy book, and reads the tale of the starmy sea, and the voice that quieted Galilee. Then away to bed and the calm repose that only honesty ever knows. Saturday night and the world is still, and it's only the erring who find things ill; there is sweet content and a sweeter rest, where a good heart beats in a brave man's breast.

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# THE LACK OF WATER

## IS BREEDING DISEASE IN PARTS OF KINGSTON.

### Better Spend Money on Water Mains Than Hospital Bills—Concrete Walks and No Water Supply Seems Incongruous.

Kingston, July 8.—(To the Editor): Do Kingston people generally, realize that in the lower part of our city there are families without any decent water supply? A sharp contrast was presented the other night, by the father of a family of ten carrying water from a creek into which all sorts of sewage runs, and sparkling, blue Ontario, not so very far away. On the place for which this man pays a good rent, there is a well, sunk deep in the rock, and, doubtless, containing pure spring water, but the pump is out of order, and the landlord refuses to put it in shape.

Now there ought to be some law whereby the city could force landlords to keep wells available in places where it is, as yet, impossible to instal a city water supply.

In the house above mentioned there is continual sickness—one child spent four months in the general hospital, another had to be kept there for two months. For city and county to be willing to pay hospital bills and unwilling to pay for the pure water supply which would remove the necessity for paying such bills, seems very much of the nature of the manipulation of Paddy's blanket. Paddy, you remember, finding his covering too short, cut a piece off the bottom and put it on the top.

An incongruity, too, seems the presence of concrete walks on side streets and alleyways, which are a frill of civilization quite unnecessary, and the absence of fresh water which means life to man and beast—OBSERVER.

## GIVES WHOLE FORTUNE.

### Aged Chicago Philanthropist Soon to Be Poor.

Chicago, July 8.—Daniel K. Pearsons, the "sage of Hinsdale," already famous for his munificent benefactions to the small colleges of this country, announced that he would devote the remainder of this, his ninetieth year, to distributing among the various educational and philanthropic institutions of this city his last million dollars.

This will round out the sum that he had always intended Chicago to have, and leave him relatively a poor man when he celebrates his ninetieth birthday, on April 20th next. Mr. Pearsons declined, last night, to indicate what institution will benefit by the remainder of his large fortune.

For virtually a quarter of a century Mr. Pearsons has devoted the major portion of his attention to bestowing his money on public institutions which he deemed worthy, and he has already given away considerably over $4,000,000. His gift to Chicago will mark his retirement from the role of philanthropist, for he will have only enough to insure himself a comfortable old age.

### May Be Raised To Cardinal.

Rome, July 9.—The rumor that Archbishop Falconio is to be raised to the cardinalate in November is confirmed by several of the clergy who are high in vatican circles. The American archbishop is generally accepted as the next cardinal, and vatican gossip has placed the date of his induction sometime in the fall.

### 1,000 Islands-Rochester.

Steamers North King and Caspian leave for Thousand Island points daily, except Monday, at 10.15 a.m., and for Bay of Quinte ports and Rochester, at 5 p.m. J. P. Hanley, agent.

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WILLIAM C. McINTYRE,

One of Montreal's most prominent citizens and a leader in the financial and business world, who lost his life in an automobile accident last week.

## ALASKA'S COAL-FIELDS.

### Are Far Richer Than Her Gold Deposits.

While Alaska's gold reserves are large, they are in no way unique, for refined gold is the same, whatever the source. In the matter of coal resources, Alaska has no competitor. Its store of high-grade fuel cannot be equalled in quality west of the Rockies. In fact, to find anthracite bituminous coal which compares in fuel value with that of Alaska, one must come east to Pennsylvania. These coals are, therefore, the key to the commercial situation on the west coast. For a high-grade steaming coal used for manufacturing industries or a merchant marine, or a coke for smelters in the western states, one must turn to Alaska. Hence the growing population of the west has a vital interest in the development of these coal fields. These coals are of even national importance, for of all our Pacific possessions Alaska alone can supply our battleships with smokeless fuel.

The quantity of this anthracite and bituminous coal is not as yet determined, but it certainly is not unlimited, and hence should not be wasted. To use it, however, will not be to waste it, unless it be improperly mined. A surveyed area of about 100 square miles is known to be underlain by these coals, and it is probable that further investigation may show an extension of the field. A rough estimate of quantity within this surveyed area gave some six billion tons, or more than one and one-half times the entire production of Pennsylvania since coal mining began. It is fair to assume that this coal is worth a dollar a ton, which would make its total value about forty times as great as the entire gold output of Alaska to the present time. It is probable, therefore, that the value of the coal fields exceeds that of the gold reserves. These coals are, however, practically untouched, for the only coal mining in Alaska is that of some lignites for local use. A few years ago statistics showed that Alaska's entire export of coal for a year was four tons, while it produced fifteen tons of gold.


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## CASTIGATING ROTHSCHILD.

### Chancellor of Exchequer Makes Great Speech.

In London, a few days ago, Mr. Lloyd-George, the chancellor of the exchequer, made a speech, criticising a meeting of financiers. That meeting was for the purpose of pressing upon the government an enormous increase of expenditure, and Lord Rothschild was there and moved a resolution. After that meeting had been pledged to the demand for increased expenditure they then naturally thought that the expenditure would have to be met, and so Lord Rothschild moved, "that this meeting of the citizens of London pledges itself to support the government in any financial arrangements that may be necessary to attain this end." (Cheers.)

"Gentlemen of the House of Commons know perfectly well that, in carrying a budget, the first thing is to have a resolution on which to base it. I based my budget on this resolution passed on the motion of Lord Rothschild. (Laughter.) But, really in all these things I think we are having too much Lord Rothschild. (Cheers.) We are not to have temperance reform in this country. Why? Because Lord Rothschild has sent a circular to the peers to say so. (Laughter.) We must have more Dreadnoughts. Why? Because Lord Rothschild said so at a meeting in the city. (Laughter.) We must not pay for them when we have them. Why? Because Lord Rothschild said so at another meeting. (Laughter and cheers.) You must not have estate duties and a super-tax. Why? Because Lord Rothschild signed a protest on behalf of the bankers to say he would not stand it. (Laughter.) You must not have a tax on reversions. Why? Because Lord Rothschild, as chairman of an insurance company, has said it would not do. (Laughter.) You must not have a tax on undeveloped land. Why? Because Lord Rothschild is chairman of an industrial dwellings company. (Laughter.) You ought not to have old-age pensions. Why? Because Lord Rothschild was a member of a committee that said it could not be done. (Laughter.) Now, really, I should like to know, is Lord Rothschild the dictator of this country? (Cheers.) Are we really to have all the ways of reform, financial and social, blocked simply by a noticeboard, 'No thoroughfare. By order of Nathaniel Rothschild?' (Laughter and cheers.) There are countries where they have made it perfectly clear that they are not going to have their policy dictated merely by great financiers, and if this sort of thing goes on this country will join the rest of them. (Cheers.) Apart from purely party moves, which mean a protest against every proposal which comes from the liberal government, there is really no move against the budget at all."


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