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**Daily Whig.**  
AVOID USELESS SCARES.  
Now it is planned that a great  
deputation—overwhelming in numbers  
and in the noise it can make, and  
transcending in importance the farm-  
ers' deputation of February last—will  
invade Ottawa. It will represent all  
the Protestant churches and will de-  
mand that legislation proceed which  
will protect and legalize all marriages  
which have been duly licensed.

Two questions follow. What will  
be the gain of this? Is there any  
necessity for it? Speaking to the  
first it is contended that the federal  
government cannot legislate upon the  
subject, and if it cannot the minister  
of justice will be careful not to tress-  
pass upon the jurisdiction of the legisla-  
ture. And speaking to the second,  
Judge Riddell, who is certainly a  
learned judge, has explained, informally,  
and at a church meeting, that every  
marriage between Protestants was  
valid, and could be defended in the  
courts.  
There has been some stir over the  
attitude of a certain church on the  
marriage question. At one time, said  
he, the Presbyterian church took the  
stand that a marriage with a de-  
ceased wife's sister was not morally  
valid. This had no bearing in the  
civil law of validity of marriage. In  
a case which had been set aside in  
Quebec, it was because the civil law  
there was required, in the case of  
Roman Catholics, to follow the com-  
mon law. This was owing to the leg-  
islator of Quebec making such a  
provision in the civil law of the province.  
The legislature was responsible for  
the court's decision.

This being the case why the ex-  
pense of a bombardment of the cap-  
ital, and the demand for something  
which exists already in every pro-  
vince except Quebec? It would be  
cheaper for the churches unitedly to  
secure a legal opinion, a decision of  
the court, in a test case or special  
reference, and to avoid scares when  
they are not in order.

**JUDICIAL COMMON SENSE.**  
Western Ontario seems to be very  
unfortunate in the selection of some  
of its judges and magistrates. Here  
is an Owen Sound man who languished  
three years in penitentiary for a  
robbery of which he was not guilty.  
What kind of evidence and what kind  
of judge found that man guilty? It  
is not so long ago since another  
western Ontario judge sent a young  
man down here to the penitentiary,  
and that young fellow, after his father  
died of shock and his mother of  
grief, and he himself passed from  
prison walls to the grave, ere his sen-  
tence was ended, was proven abso-  
lutely innocent of the theft for which  
he was convicted. It is a pity that  
some judges do not exercise more  
common sense than they do in dis-  
pensing justice.

Fancy our own Judge Price send-  
ing either of the above-mentioned men  
to prison. His keen knowledge of hu-  
man nature would have caused him  
to discern something lacking in the  
evidence and that the prisoners were  
at least worthy of trust. The motto  
of a certain politician that "it is  
better to do good than to do right"  
would even find favour with the Fron-  
tense judge. Good can be made to  
take precedence of right, even in law,  
when a noble judge sits on the bench.

Two recent incidents in a large  
city of the United States show the  
distinction between good and right.  
A Christian young woman found her-  
self left without means of support.  
Her husband had become an invalid,  
and she had three young children.  
She applied to church friends for aid  
in getting work, and received a prom-  
ise, and nothing more. Poverty faced  
the home, and at last the young  
woman sold herself to a life of  
shame. She was arrested as a bad  
character, but in court the fact was  
revealed that every dollar she gained  
was spent for the comfort of her  
children and her invalid husband,  
who was ignorant of her doings. The  
law would have sent the woman to  
prison, but the judge not only set  
her free, but he raised a fund for the  
family. Good here prevailed over  
right.  
In the same city a civic employe  
was arrested for theft. The evidence  
showed that he had stolen to buy  
food for his family, as he would not  
wait for his wages which the city  
was paying monthly instead of fort-  
nightly, as before. The young man  
was not a thief in reality, but on  
the bench there sat a judge of "right."

Instead of letting the young man go  
free, on restitution for the trifles  
stolen, he offered him temporary free-  
dom on bail which could not be cov-  
ered.

**STOP AND REFLECT.**  
The position of the electric and gas  
plants, at the present time, empha-  
sizes a fact which has been advanced  
again and again during the time the  
property has belonged to the city.  
It is that financially these plants are  
managed in the most haphazard fashion.  
They should have had a depre-  
ciation or maintenance account from  
the beginning. Against it is the argu-  
ment that the public utilities should  
not be run so that the burden of them  
falls upon the consumers of the present.  
"Let posterity take care of  
some of the debt," they say. Which  
looks reasonable. But the wear and  
tear and accidents of the present  
should be provided for, and they are  
not.

The manager of the plants, in his  
last annual report, to the committee,  
said: "The large increase in our gas  
output during the past year clearly  
demonstrates that something will have  
to be done in the immediate future,  
with regard to the strengthening of  
the manufacturers' end, and I would  
again ask the committee's careful con-  
sideration of this matter before the  
summer adjournment, so that the new  
gas set could be put in operation be-  
fore the fall arrives." He had refer-  
ence to the Lowe gas plant, which has  
been in operation for forty years, and  
is now really useless. It is used to  
supplement the production of the  
Merriman plant, which has been in  
operation for thirteen years in use, and  
at once, be reconstructed at a  
cost of probably \$10,000 or \$12,000.  
The difficulty is to improve the Mer-  
riman plant until the Lowe gas out-  
put has been replaced, and the city is  
depending upon conditions which are  
not at all satisfactory. Nor are the  
gas plants only defective. "The main-  
tenance account, during the present  
year," says Mr. Folger in his report,  
"will, in all probability, be higher as  
it is advisable to renew several sec-  
tions of our outside electrical distri-  
bution, and replace some old gas  
main by larger pipe." In addition  
a coal runway must be renewed, and  
the storage building adjoining the  
purifying house must be replaced with  
a brick or concrete one.

All these things cost money, thou-  
sands of dollars, and they cannot be  
paid for with borrowed money. The  
bank overdraft is already large enough.  
Indeed the custom of borrowing money  
from the bank, at five per cent, to  
carry on the most ordinary work in  
connection with the departments, is  
very expensive and should be stopped.  
In a subsequent article the Whig  
will deal further with the question, and  
show the impropriety of doing any-  
thing which will affect the current re-  
venue seriously or impair usefulness  
of the gas and electric departments.

**EDITORIAL NOTES.**  
The costs of the Fraser case—Miss  
McCormack, an elderly spinster having  
undertaken to upset an old man's love  
affairs—already total \$14,000. If the  
octogenarian is to be eventually load-  
ed up with even a share of these ex-  
penses it is not surprising that he  
kicks and swears.  
Sir George Gibbons should give the  
members of the Canadian commons a  
talk such as he gave the Canadian  
Club here, and then the members will  
stop their senseless talk about the  
waterways treaty. In Sir George's es-  
timation that treaty is one of the  
best things of its kind.

A special committee from which  
more was really expected—recommen-  
ded that a person or a trust be found  
to take over the erection and manage-  
ment of the tuberculosis hospital. Has  
any trace been found of either the  
person or the trust? Or has the mat-  
ter been simply shelved?  
London's tuberculosis hospital, is  
centrally located and serves the pur-  
pose of the district. And it has  
found favour with the people, who  
see the necessity for it. It is a pity  
the people of Kingston, with the  
money subscribed, cannot settle upon  
the location of a site for its tubercu-  
losis hospital, so that a start upon it  
may be made.

Austin Chamberlain says he is un-  
alterably opposed to the paying of  
members of parliament an indemnity  
of \$2,000 each, as this will lead to  
the house with money-grabbing politicians.  
That is not the effect in Canada. The  
indemnity is a consideration for those  
who are not possessed of independent  
incomes and cannot live without  
means. And the country pays them  
for their services.

**The Bourassa Weakness.**  
Hamilton-Herald.  
Oliver Asselin, who was Mr. Bour-  
assa's chief lieutenant in the nation-  
alist movement, now complains that  
Bourassa is under the delusion that  
political duty consists wholly in mak-  
ing speeches. The sting in this remark  
is in its truth.

**Land, Not Farmers, Feared.**  
Watertown Times.  
It isn't so much the immediate ef-  
fects that are feared as the future  
effects of Canadian development of  
farm land and products. Not the  
competition of Canadian farmers, but  
the competition of Canadian lands.

**DIED AT NAPANEE**  
LATE JAMES WALTERS, AGED  
SEVENTY-TWO.

Formerly Belonged to Picton—G.  
Francisco's Niece Killed in Auto-  
mobile Accident at Fultonville,  
N.Y.

Napanee, May 18.—The death occur-  
red Wednesday morning of James  
Walters, at his home on Graham  
street, after an illness of several  
years. Deceased was seventy-two years  
of age, and for thirty-six years was a  
resident of Napanee, removing here  
from Picton. He conducted a tailoring  
business on Dundas street, and was  
highly respected. A family of three  
sons and three daughters survive.  
They are: Mrs. J. W. Joy, Califor-  
nia; Ernest, Charles A., and George  
T. Walters, Napanee, and Messrs. A-  
gnes and Lena at home. The funeral  
will take place, Friday afternoon to  
Riverside vault.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Gibbard arrived  
home this week from a three months'  
cruise through England, France,  
Spain, Italy, and the holy land.  
Miss Nellie McHenry has returned af-  
ter spending the winter in Kingston.  
Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Henry, of  
Toronto, spent a few days this week  
calling on old friends in Napanee.

Harold French left, Tuesday, for  
Switzerland, Sask. Mrs. Edith Huff-  
man and little son left Tuesday for  
Kerr Robert, Sask., to join her hus-  
band. Mrs. W. G. Wilson returned this  
week after a month's visit with her  
son in Ithaca, N.Y. Miss Clara Cairns  
left, Monday, for a three months' visit  
with relatives in Saskatchewan and El-  
dunton.

On Tuesday E. Francisco received  
the sad news of the death of his niece,  
Miss Jennette Billington, who was  
killed in an automobile accident near  
Fultonville, N.Y., on Monday. The  
young lady was only twenty years of  
age.

**Bound to Misrepresent.**  
Petrobroro Examiner.  
Some conservative journals are  
misleading the people with the idea  
of getting a knock at the liberal  
government, as the only excuse for  
their dishonesty. They are asserting  
that the government proposes to  
"loan" thirty-five millions to the  
Canadian Northern railway. Does a  
man who "backs" a perfectly solvent  
neighbor's note, and well secured,  
lend him the amount of the note.  
The guarantee of the company's bonds  
does not imply the passing of a dol-  
lar; it will not cost Canada a cent.  
The Ross government of Ontario  
guaranteed a loan to put the Soo in-  
dustries on their feet and the pro-  
vince didn't lose a cent, but the  
country gained one of the greatest  
and most prosperous industrial cen-  
ters in Canada. Telling the truth,  
even of political opponents, is a good  
way.

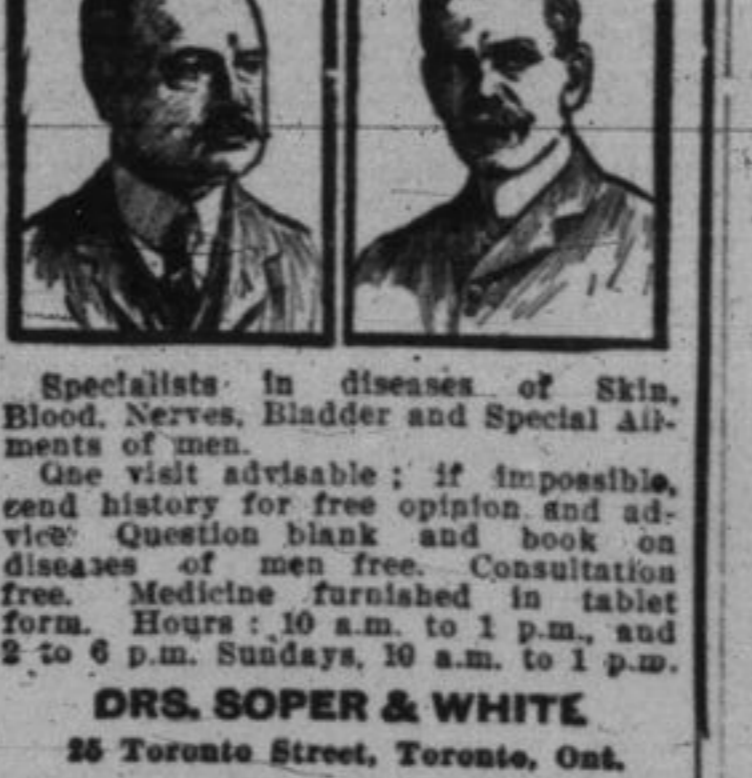
**Investigate the Merger.**  
Ottawa Journal.  
The moral for Canada of the de-  
velopment in the cement case is the  
framing of better laws against pro-  
motion greed. Sir Sandford Fleming  
calls for an investigation of the ce-  
ment merger. He ought to get that,  
and the committee which does the in-  
vestigating ought not to dissolve be-  
fore making, for Canada's sake, some  
enquiry into and recommendation re-  
garding any safeguards possible under  
legislation akin to the British law  
governing the promotion of joint  
stock companies, and the American  
provision to require companies to  
keep their books open to public ex-  
amination.

**A Riddle to be Read.**  
Ottawa Press.  
Reciprocity, we are told, will lead  
to annexation because Canadians will  
become so enamoured of trade with  
Americans that they will welcome  
union rather than lose the trading  
privileges.  
Reciprocity, we are also told, will  
do Canadians no good, because prices  
for natural products are not higher  
in the States than in Canada.  
And there you are?

**Spring Finds the  
Human System**  
Loaded With Impurities, Which  
Cause Pains, Aches and  
Feelings of Fatigue.  
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Overworked and Break Down  
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winter life. There has been too much  
breathing of poisoned indoor air, too  
little outdoor exercise, too much eat-  
ing of heavy indigestible food, espe-  
cially too much meat and too little  
fruit.  
The liver and kidneys struggle to  
overcome this condition, but the task  
is too great for them and they get  
sluggish and torpid, fail in their work  
and often become diseased themselves.  
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of the digestive system.  
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