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HURTING THE CITY.

One sees a result of the building strikes which occurred in Kingston, in the prostration following the differences among the tradesmen, which continued for many weeks, in the valuable table which the Financial Post publishes. This table gives the amount of work which has been done per capita during the present season, in municipal centres in Canada.

CANDIDATES FOR OFFICE

The office of county crown attorney, in York, made vacant by the death of James Baird, K.C., is now being sought before the legal followers of Sir James Whitney, and the aspirations of a few of them are being aroused.

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FREEDOM ON SUNDAY.

Toronto Saturday Night calls the Lord's Day Act "a topsy-turvy piece of legislation, filled with inconsistencies" and appeals for "a little common sense, and common justice thrown in with these middle-age ideas of restraining the liberty of the subject."

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BOTTOM-OF-THE MAINE

DISCOVERED BLOWN INWARDS FORTY FEET.

Looks Like a Mine Explosion—Little Hope of Finding the Bodies of Any of the Victims.

Havana, July 20.—The progress of removing the water surrounding the wreck of the Maine, was practically completed yesterday, when the water level in the cofferdam had been lowered eighteen feet, leaving the wreck surrounded by islets of mud and small pools of green, slimy water, in which scurried myriads of crabs and other small creatures.

Although the water now is only two feet lower than in previous pumping operations, the revelations with regard to the shattered condition of the hull have been greatly enlarged owing to the lateral out-spreading of the distorted frames and plating, especially in the forward section, where the principal force of the explosion was expended.

The structure of the bow as far as frame plating is now exposed, permitting inspection of the plates, beams, ribs, etc., which has shown the original structure of the double bottom, which is now elevated to a height of about forty feet above the normal position, apparently giving conditions of explosion.

WOMEN IN POLITICS.

Their Active and Persistent Interest Shown in a Recent Volume.

Women's part and interest in British politics are discernible in the last half of the eighteenth century when quite a number of women of wealth or high degree nominated members to the House of Commons, and when Fox was quite willing to accept this kind of hospitality from the Countess of Sutherland who controlled the election of a member from Kirkwall Burghs.

All through the nineteenth century, says a writer in the North American Review, women had a larger part direct and indirect in the political life of England than in any other country.

Spencer Walpole, in his "Life of Lord John Russell," gives some account of Lady John Russell's keen interest in the questions and policies in which her husband was directly concerned.

There was a false alarm with regard to cholera in New York. The Herald says the information with regard to cases was erroneous and in any case the health department is capable of guarding against any epidemic.

Brantford wants an abattoir, and should have it. Every town and city should have a place where animals may be slaughtered and the meat prepared in a sanitary way for consumption.

Hon. Frank Oliver has not yet returned to Ottawa. He went west before Mr. Borden and he has been engaged in discussing with the farmers the advantage of reciprocity in trade.

Mr. William Mackenzie laughs at the idea of Toronto's council or controllers stopping the Toronto street railway company from increasing its capital.

Oswego has an ordinance which compels the motor boats to carry lights, and inspectors from the department of commerce and labour will see that it is observed.

According to Mr. Labouchere, editor of Truth, England is so over-run with titles that she can no longer turn up her nose at her continental neighbors with their petty princes and dukes, and viscounts.

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KING DECORATES SLEUTH.

Detective Sergeant Byrne Rewarded for His Good Work.

Dublin, July 20.—Detective Sergeant Byrne is the first man of the Irish police force to be singled out by King George for decoration.

One of his big arrests was a Frenchman charged with two killings and three cases of housebreaking in France. Arriving in Queenstown, he donned the disguise of a merchant sailor and was about to sign as a hand on a sailing vessel just leaving for a long trip, when he fell across Byrne, who saw through his disguise and shipped him back to Havre, where he was convicted.

From Wall street on another occasion, on board a liner carrying 1,200 passengers, came a confidential clerk named Amdon, who had made off with \$110,000. He met the eye of Byrne, who promptly invited him to a private conversation, resulting in his extradition by the next boat.

Benefits of Reciprocity.

The chief interest in letter reproduced (from the British Colonist, Toronto, 1851), is in its statement of the promises that were then made as to the results that would flow from reciprocity, and what we now know as to the manner in which those promises were fulfilled.

Reciprocity and Ontario Population. In 1861 there were less than 2,146 miles of railway in all Canada.

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