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The eyes are always in sympathy with the body, and afford an excellent index of its condition. When the eyes become weak, and the lids inflamed and sore, it is an evidence that the system has become disordered by Scrofula, for which Ayer's Sarsaparilla is the best known remedy.

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My eyes are now in a splendid condition, and I am as well and strong as ever.—Mrs. William Gage, Concord, N. H.

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An idea of the disreputable tactics adopted by the rouge organs in Quebec may be gathered from the comment made by *La Justice* on the fact that Sir A. P. Caron, finding it impossible to wait around the court house for several days until his turn should arrive, in the ordinary way, of being called as a witness in the Amyot-Tarte libel case, asked the privilege of having his evidence taken before the trial. *La Justice* remarks that the true reason was that he was afraid to show "his orange phiz" before a Quebec jury. "Brother" Caron must be a recent addition to the order.

Now that the dominion elections are coming on the opposition are asserting again that Sir John has unfairly manipulated the voters' list by the aid of "his revising barristers." If such an assertion means anything it means that the revising officers have not dealt fairly with all classes of electors. But we all remember that the *Globe* while on the one hand it was wailing over the wrongs inflicted on its friends, kept daily publishing reports from the various constituencies throughout the province showing the "gains" made by the liberals at the revisions of the lists. It is quite evident that its party could not at the same moment be suffering loss and making "gains." Either the editorial arguments were bad or the statements made in its news columns were false. We are inclined to believe that the editorials were wrong. If injustice was done to reformers, some one or more of the revising officers must have been the guilty parties. Yet its charges were general ones as a rule. In some few instances like the cases of Judges Morgan and Carman specific charges were made, but unfortunately for the *Globe* in every one of these cases the reform lawyer employed to watch the revision, testified publicly to the impartial conduct of those officers.

BLAKE AND RIEL.

Mr. Blake pretends that he thinks that Riel was insane enough not to be hanged, but not so insane as to be let off altogether—in fact he was in that half way stage of mental aberration that merited imprisonment for life. It is an old saying that "as the fool thinks so the bell clinks." We do not suppose that Mr. Blake really believes what he advocates on this question and, therefore, we do not class him as a fool, but as a crafty political knave. How fortunate it was that he should find Riel's mental condition to be just in the very state that best suited Mr. Blake's purpose! He saw that it would outrage his English speaking followers were he to advocate Riel's release without any punishment, so to steer a medium course and thus gain favor with the nationalists he discovered that Riel's mind was exactly in the condition that warranted the middle punishment between release and death, namely, life imprisonment. Mr. Blake however is hardly as good an authority as the man who was Riel's lieutenant during the rebellion—Gabriel Dumont. This person, than whom no living man had a better opportunity to learn the mental condition of his leader, has recently declared that Riel was a sane man, an opinion which has displeased some of the Quebec journals.

Mr. Blake's course on the Riel question has been most discreditable to him: Had he been an advocate pleading for his client's life no blame would attach to him, for a counsel is justified in putting the best face on his client's defence. But as a public representative—as the leader of a party, and especially as a sworn privy councillor—he was bound to consult the public interests and public safety in dealing with the action of the government. He had a splendid opportunity of showing that he could rise superior to political or party expediency. He did not avail himself of that opportunity and has thereby forever forfeited the confidence which many people reposed in him as an honest man.

MISPLACED SYMPATHY.

A story is told of a distinguished advocate who so eloquently and pathetically depicted the wrongs and sufferings of his client that he brought tears not only to the eyes of a sympathetic jury but even to those of the client who at the close of his address fell upon his neck and embraced him, exclaiming that he had had no adequate conception of the extent of his wrongs until he heard them described by his counsel. If the settlers of St. Louis de Langevin, St. Laurent, Batoche and Duck Lake ever see the pathetic and heart-rending tales of their wrongs at the hands of the dominion government, as related by grit orators and organs in the east, they will be as greatly surprised as was the plaintiff in the story above referred to.

We pointed out yesterday that those who lived in the centre of the disturbed district and were most familiar with all the circumstances of the case are unanimous in denying that any just cause for rebellion existed. We saw, too, that after the recent provincial elections in Manitoba the grits stated that but for the strong support of the halfbreeds the Norquay government would have been defeated. This proves that the halfbreeds living nearest to the theatre of rebellion instead of being angry at or hostile to a conservative government are its stoutest defenders. It is left for the French Canadians residing in the province of Quebec far away from the scene of the alleged grievances and personally unacquainted with the facts of the case, to wax indignant at the wrongs perpetrated on their kinsmen in the North West. Many of these simple people are sincere in their resentment, innocently accepting the lying and inflammatory statements made to them by unprincipled political demagogues. National and religious prejudices are most easily aroused and difficult to dissipate. People when under their influence seem deaf and blind to every attempt to remove them. To show how absurd the cry is that the Metis have suffered at the hands of the government may be mentioned the announcement that the half breeds of St. Louis de Langevin (where it is falsely said the poor settlers were heartlessly evicted by a soulless corporation,) St Laurent and Batoche and Duck lake recently met to consider upon a course of action to be adopted by them in the approaching elections and that they have decided to support a candidate favorable to the government! This does not look as if they had been badly treated. The truth is they were worked up and alarmed by the efforts of Riel and took up arms under a false impression that the government was going to crush them. They have since learned how cruelly they were deceived by that scheming, selfseeking, money hunting agitator.

Wedding Bells.

On the evening of the 12th inst., over sixty guests assembled at the residence of P. G. Purdy, Esq., Glenburnie, where every preparation had been made previously for the occasion, and at the appointed hour, 8 o'clock, Miss Frank, eldest daughter of Mr. Purdy, appeared on the arm of her father, and was joined in marriage to W. J. Franklin, of Pittsburg. The marriage ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. Henderson, of Pittsburg, after which the company sat down to a bountiful repast. The evening, with various amusements, passed away to the enjoyment of all present. The evening was brought to a close at one o'clock by the bride and groom leaving for their home in Pittsburg, which had been previously furnished and awaited their arrival. The presents to the bride, among which were the following, were costly and numerous: The groom, a gold watch chain; Jos. Sherman, groomsman, of Tamworth, a cabinet album; Miss Mary Fair, her bridesmaid, a silver butter cooler; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Franklin, silver cruet stand; Mr. and Mrs. C. Counter, silver pickle cruet; Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Starks, complete dinner set; Mr. and Mrs. James Lewis, of Wilton, silver butter cooler; Mr. and Miss Foster, of Washburn, hanging lamp; Mrs. M. Purdy, silver salt cruet; Mr. and Mrs. N. Switzer, cut glass cake dish; Mr. and Mrs. E Sills, Sydenham, silver butter cooler; Mr. and Mrs C Franklin, Kingston, silver pickle cruet; Mr. and Mrs. J Franklin, Kingston, parlor lamp; Mr. and Mrs. Alf. Hunter, pair mantle ornaments; Mrs. C. Armstrong, china coverlid; Mr and Miss Devans, Toronto, silver pickle cruet; Miss Ida Franklin, Detroit, pepper and salt castors; Sydenham Purdy, large tea tray; Mr. and Mrs. W. Todd, silver breakfast cruet and plush key holder; Mr. Will Firman, a silver cake basket; Mr. and Mrs. R Ferguson, Kingston, silver pickle cruet; Mrs. J. Shepherd, cut glass cake dish; Mr. Waldron, 1 dozen linen table napkins; Miss Frank Meachem, one set of crochet table mats; Miss Sada Davis, five o'clock tea set; Mrs. P Haffener, cut glass fruit dish; Mr. O. Cowen, silver water pitcher; Mr. J. Birmingham, silver butter cooler; Mr C. Trotter, half a dozen silver knives; Mr. and Mrs Burnside, cut glass cheese dish with silver handle; Miss Libbie Newlands, Kingston, glass water pitcher; Mrs. J. W. Edwards, pair silver napkin rings; Mrs T. Guess, glass cellery holder; Mr. and Mrs. Shephard, jr., one dozen ~~dinner~~ knives; Mr. R Fair, silver salt cruet; Miss Alice Franklin, crochet tidy; Mr W. Burns, fancy table cover; a couple school scholars, pair of vases; Mrs Graham, Gananoque, a picture; Miss Jennie Purdy, hand painted picture, also a number of useful and costly presents from the bride's parents.—COM.

Township of Kingston Council.

The first meeting of the municipal council of the township of Kingston was held on January 17th. The newly elected members all being present, viz, A P. VanLuven, Reeve; Hugh Rankin, 1st deputy reeve; M J. Brown, M. D., 2nd deputy reeve; Charles Hay and Geo. Smith, councillors. After severally subscribing to the declaration and qualification of office they took their seats.

The reeve in addressing the council signified his pleasure at being placed at the head of the council again, and had only to say he harbored no ill feeling against any person on account of the way he thought fit to vote at the last municipal election. He also commented on the change that had taken place in the council and was sure that the present members would show themselves worthy of the confidence the community had placed in them and render themselves entitled to a continuance of that trust which had placed them in so responsible and honorable a position. It would be necessary to use the greatest economy with the finances of the township, and he was sure that the present council would use their best endeavors to carry this into effect. The reeve by virtue of his office appointed James Knapp auditor. James Doolin was appointed associate auditor. It was resolved that the auditors should be paid $6 for their services.

Geo. McFarland was appointed assessor for the year 1887 at a salary of $50. Wm. J. Smith was appointed the collector for the ensuing year at a salary of $75. The clerk was instructed to notify the sureties of the late treasurer, Dr. Bigham, that there are two notes of $250 each with interest now due and protested, having been placed in the bank, and to request the payment of the same. Carried. The bills of Messrs. Drennan and W. Northmore for the burial of a pauper were laid over for further information. The treasurer was ordered to defray the expenses incurred in the recent municipal elections, amounting to $41. It was resolved that the council should meet at Philip E. Ward's, on the front road, for the work of inspecting the bridge over the Cataraqui creek, known as the tannery bridge, on Monday, the 24th January 1887 at 1 o'clock p. m. The clerk was instructed to notify Wm. Bell, collector, to return the collector's roll to the treasurer and pay over the balance due the township forthwith. The following bills were ordered to be paid: John Hogan, $3.25; William Ely Hall, caretaker, $14 50; William Shannon $16; James Sproule and Jacob Gardiner, $25 12; Smith Elliott, $8; Smythe and Smith, $43; the clerk, $37 50.

The council adjourned to meet on Jan. 24th.

C. Campau, the baseballer, is negotiating with Syracuse.

Sickness is prevalent in St. John, Que., just now, and doctors attribute it to the bad quality of the water furnished to the town by the water works. At a council meeting on Tuesday evening, the mayor, Counsillor Arpin, and others, on a motion of Mr Arpin, were named to enquire into the matter at once, and get some of the water analyzed and report to the council.

GENERAL AND SPORTING NEWS

Brooklyn has only three men under contract.

Tomney, of the Syracuse Stars, is on that team's sub list.

World's Best West's Liver Pills, a sure cure for liver complaint, dyspepsia, sick headache and indigestion. 30 pills 25c. All druggists.

The New York club is said to have offered Detroit $5 000 for the release of Dunlap, the great second baseman.

The Ohio state legislature, by a vote of 69 to 11, has prohibited Sunday baseball games.

West's Cough Syrup, a sure cure for coughs, colds, bronchitis, sore throat and lungs. 25c 50c. and $1 00 per bottle All druggists.

The salary limit rule is entirely a dead letter. Larger salaries will be paid to baseball players this year than ever before.

Sick headache and all liver diseases yield immediately to West's Liver Pills. Sugar coated. All druggists.

Edward Sales, the jumping-jack but effective pitcher of last year's Binghamtons, has signed with Danbury for $200 a month.

Found! that West's Cough Syrup is the best for coughs, colds, and all throat and lung diseases. All druggists.

A game of baseball played on the ice at Louisville the other day is said to have been the funniest thing of the sort seen for years.

West's World's Wonder, or Family Liniment, a never failing cure for rheumatism, neuralgia, cuts, burns, bruises, wounds and frost bites. 25c. and 50c. All druggists.

Prizes aggregating in value $4,000 will be given at the Pittsburg, Pa., bench show to be held April 12 to 15.

Mr W. R. Lazier, Bailiff, etc., Bellville, writes: "I find Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil the best medicine I have ever used in my stable. I have used it for bruises and scratches, wind puffs and cuts, and in every case it gave the best satisfaction. We use it as a household remedy for colds, burns etc., and it is a perfect panacea. It will remove warts by paring them down and applying it occasionally.

Quail are being distributed among the farmers of Delaware, who intend to liberate them early in the spring.

It is stated that the great stallion Pencoast will be given an opportunity to beat 2.20 during the coming season.

Henry Clement, Almont, writes: "For a long time I was troubled with chronic rheumatism, at times wholly disabled; I tried anything and everything recommended, but failed to get any benefit, until a gentleman who was cured of rheumatism by Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, told me about it. I began using it both internally and externally, and before two bottles were used I was radically cured. We find it a household medicine, and for croup, cuts, burns and bruises, it has no equal."

John S Clark, a New Brunswick, N J., horseman, and former owner of Wedgwood, has gone to California for the purpose of purchasing Guy Wilkes, 2.15¼.

Anson and Morrill are the only two players who have remained with one club continuously since the formation of the National league.

Most Excruciating are the twinges which rack the muscles and joints of the rheumatic. Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspepsia Cure, by promoting increased action of the kidneys, by which the blood is more effectually depurated, remove through the natural channels certain acrid elements in the circulation which produce rheumatism and gout. The medicine is also a fine laxitive antibilious medicicine and a general corrective.

It is said that secretary White, of the International league, has over 100 applications for appointment as umpire from all parts of the country.

Manager Hackett, of the Newark baseball club, has completed his team by signing D. Sullivan, of last year's Hartford club, to play first base.

Mrs. A. Nelson, Brantford, writes: "I was a sufferer from Chronic Dispepsia for eleven years. Always after eating, an intense burning sensation in the stomach, at times very distressing, caused a drooping and languid feeling, which would last for several hours after eating. I was recommended by Mr. Popplewell, Chemist, of our city, to try Northrop and Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspepsia Cure, and I am thankful to say that I have not been better for years; that burning sensation and languid feeling has all gone, and food does not lie heavy on my stomach. Others of my family have used it with the best results."

Do Not Forget

that it does not pay to allow a cough or cold to run on, you cannot tell where it will end, unless you use Lanman's Balsam Syrup. This reliable cough remedy goes right to the bottom of the trouble and acts speedily, affording relief almost instantly. It is pleasant to the taste and cheap, as it only costs twenty five cents per bottle and yet it gives better satisfaction than any of the dollar medicines. Just try it and see if it does not do its work promptly and well. Lanman's Balsam Syrup the great cough and cold cure 25 cts. per bottle at Polson's drug store.

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Having the utmost confidence in its superiority over all others, and after thousands of tests of the most complicated and severest cases we could find, we feel justified in offering to forfeit One Thousand Dollars for any case of cough, cold, sore throat, influenza, hoarseness, bronchitis, consumption in its early stages, whooping cough, and all diseases of the throat and lungs, except asthma, for which we only claim relief, that we can't cure with West's Cough Syrup, when taken according to directions. Sample bottles 25c. and 50c. Large bottles $1. Genuine wrapped only in blue. Sold by all druggists, or sent by express on receipt of price. John C. West & Co., Toronto, Ont.

Advice to Mothers.

Mrs. Winslow's soothing syrup should always be used when children are cutting teeth. It relieves the little sufferer at once; it produces natural, quiet sleep by relieving the child from pain, and the little cherub awakes as bright as a button. It is very pleasant to taste. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, relieves wind, regulates the bowels, and is the best known remedy by diarrhœa, whether arising from teething or other causes. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for Mrs. Winslow's soothing syrup, and take no other kind."

Bulbs for Fall Planting.

Hyacinths, tulips, crocuses, lillies, etc., just arrived from the celebrated nursery of James Vick, Rochester, will be sold at reasonable prices at Hobart's medical hall.

Cloakings and jacket cloths, at cost price for one month, at R. McFaul's.

At Pittsburg, Pa., a peculiar disease, said to be pink eye, has been raging for the past few weeks among the horses of the Transverse railway. The complaint has rendered 46 horses unfit for service, and a number have died.

Ayer's Hair Vigor improves the beauty of the hair and promotes its growth. It prevents the accumulation of dandruff, cleanses the scalp, and restores a natural color to gray hair. Have you received Ayer's almanac for the new year?

Brevities.

Doubtless this blessed climate means well, but it hasn't any tact.—Boston Herald.

Its queer; the tighter a man becomes, the looser his tongue gets.—Merchant Traveler.

A dollar will go further than it used to, and it makes the distance in quicker time.—Life.

It often happens that beautiful heiresses invest their wealth in royalties.—Merchant Traveler.

Battenberg's baby expects to be made brigadier general in the English army next month.—Life.

A medical testimonial says "I am as well as when a girl and feel about twenty years younger." Now, the question is, how old does she feel?—Merchant Traveler.

The sobranje of Bulgaria proposes smearing the throne with a thick coating of tar before another ruler sits on it, so as to insure greater stability for the next reign.—Life.

A statistician claims there is one divorce to every four and a half marriages. It is the half marriage that accounts for the divorce every time. The half married are wholly miserable.—Albany Journal.

A young woman in Maine cries by the hour because she is tall. She hopes to dissolve herself down a head and shoulders.—Martha's Vineyard Herald.

Last summer a pretty and romantic city girl spent the summer on a Maine farm, and got up a mild flirtation with the young man of the house. He was not particularly bold, and so one evening, as she swung in the hammock in the moonlight, she coyly said to the young fellow, "What is God's best gift to man?" He pondered a moment as he watched the color come and go in her cheeks, and then said, decisively, "A hoss." The young woman said that it was getting damp, and she must go right into the house.—New York Sun.

King Leopold heard that Stanley was going to lecture, so he sent for him to come home. We believe that we voice the sentiment of the American public when we extend to his majesty the assurance of our most cordial and distinguished consideration.—Life.

A Massachusetts philosopher, recently deceased, used to divide the poor into three classes—the Lord's poor, the devil's poor and the poor devils. He claimed that the last classification was the most numerous of them all.—San Francisco Examiner.

A lady in Portland, Ore., spoke to a Chinaman about finding her a good cook. Soon after she received this letter: "Mrs. Lady—Friend She: You when at there told me to want to boy cooking. I had have a boy is good man and honest man he neat and clean and doing nicely that this one best one never you have before like he does. I wish could take him to stay with you and Leong Gitt recommend to him to come to she."—New York Sun.

One of those unkind, plain spoken beings we meet now and again said of a certain fair vocalist remarkable for her capacity of mouth: "She certainly sings in very good time and tune; but then it would be somewhat peculiar if she did not, considering how near her mouth is to her ears."—London Judy.

Cause and Effect.

"Mother, the cow has an ugly look. She will give sour milk."—Fliegende Blaetter.

He Got Service.

A Bath constable the other day used quite a clever stratagem in serving a paper on a man who was hard to get at. He staggered into the man's yard and finally got around and lay down on a back stoop. The lady of the house came out and ordered him away, threatening to call her husband if he persisted in not going. The constable persisted, and when the husband came out the officer jumped up and served the paper on him.—Bath Pathfinder.

Profound Ignorance.

Western Young Lady (unacquainted with college terms)—Oh, Mr. Snodkins, did you have a good concert out at Cambridge last week?

Mr. Snodkins (of Harvard)—Oh, yes. There was a double quartet of '88 men.

Western Young Lady—Gracious, what a lot! I thought there were only eight men in a double quartet.—Harvard Lampoon.

The Water All Wrong.

"I'm disgusted with this yer water supply," remarked a colored gentleman, as he took a drink at the hydrant.

"What's the matter with it?" asked a man who heard him.

"Why, the city's runnin' ice water now it's cold weather, but in summer, when yer wants ice water, it's as warm as yer please."—Tid Bits.

An Unsuccessful Process.

"And that is silver ore, is it?" said Mrs. Snaggs, as she examined a piece of curious looking mineral. "Yes, my dear," replied her husband. "And how do they get the silver out?" "They smelt it." "Well, that's queer," she added, after applying her nose to the ore; "I smelt it, too, but didn't get any silver."—Pittsburg Chronicle Telegraph.

A Complete Stop.

Conductor—Here, my good fellow; don't you know that if you pull that strap in the middle you will ring both bells?

Mike—Faith, an' Oi know that as well as yerself. But it is both ends av the car Oi want ter stop.—Judge.

At the Box Office.

"Say, mister, I get in for half price don't I?"

"What for? You're a full grown man; are you not?"

"Yes; but I've only got one eye."

A Poker Joke.

Scene: Club, New Year's morning. First Habitue—Making any calls to-day, old man?

Second Habitue (wearily)—No; made one last night—broke me all up. Called on three kings; other fellow was in. I stay here to-day. No overcoat.—Judge.

It Even Captures the Time.

"I see we are going to have standard time here now," observed Mrs. McSwilligen.

"Yes," replied the husband, "the Standard has gobbled everything else nearly, and now it undertakes to run our time for us."—Pittsburg Chronicle.

A Bold Editor.

Typhoid germs have been discovered in oysters. Send them to this office and have the germs destroyed free of charge.—Philadelphia Call.

Poverty and Distress.

That poverty which produces the greatest distress is not of the purse but of the blood. Deprived of its richness it becomes scant and watery, a condition termed *anæmia* in medical writings. Given this condition, and scrofulous swellings and sores, general and nervous debility, loss of flesh and appetite, weak lungs, throat disease, spitting of blood and consumption, are among the common results. If you are a sufferer from thin, poor blood employ Dr. Pierce's "Golden Medical Discovery," which enriches the blood and cures these grave affections. Is more nutritive than cod liver oil, and is harmless in any condition of the system, yet powerful to cure. By druggists.

B. Laurance's Spectacles, the only sure aids to perfect vision, at J. G. King's Drug Store. Buy none other. See that every pair is stamped "B.L." Imitations abound; the frame may sometimes be closely imitated, the lens never.

Only Three Weeks More

LADIES—

Our Big Sale of Dry Goods, which commenced December 13th and will end this month, has been drawing immense crowds of buyers. The very low prices at which we are selling new and stylish goods has surprised all purchasers.

LADIES—

Our sales since December 13th have been substantial evidence that the public is convinced that our sale is genuine. Inspection and comparison invited. All sales for cash.

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The only opportunity for securing a Rich and Beautiful Mantle at half price. 54 inch Sealette at $3, worth five dollars. 54 inch Sealette at four dollars, worth six dollars.

Silk Mantle Plush at $1.50, worth $3. Silk Mantle Plush at $3, worth $6. Silk Mantle Plush at five dollars, worth ten dollars. Our Stores are closed each evening at five o'clock.

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ORANGE HALL BUILDINGS.

Walsh and Steacy's

Great Cheap Clearing Sale

NOW GOING ON.

This week we offer five hundred yards of Black Satin Merveilleaux at very low prices.

The above is the balance of lot bought in bond in New York. Grey and White Cottons.

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