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TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS will be received by the undergned up to SIX P.M. SATURDAY, 30th inst... for the several trades required in the construction of four houses on Montreal Street. Plans and specifications at my office, over Wade's Drug Store, cor. King and Brock Sts. W. NEWLANDS, JR., July 26. Architect.

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THE DAILY WHIG.

"Opifer per Orbem Dicor."

LEGISLATE AGAINST IT. The only way to abolish exemption is to legislate against it. So long as it is an optional matter, and subject to the fluctuating fancies of the smaller order of public men, so long will men lobby for a relief from taxation, with varying chances of suc-

cess. Kingston wants all the industries it can get, but the council has no right to tax the people for the benefit of any man. An institution which cannot survive unless the taxes levied against it are remitted has not much life in it, and its collapse is only a matter of time.

REJECTED AN OFFER.

Some of the eastern papers do not think much of Mr. McIntyre, the independent liberal candidate in South Renfrew, and hope he will not be elected to parliament. Mr. McIntyre dropped very suddenly in their estimation. His unpopularity set in from the hour of his rejection of a conservative nomination. He was telegraphed to by Hon. J. H. Pope, and by him offered it, and replied that the suggestion was not acceptable, that at any rate it came too late, as he (McIntyre) had put himself in the hands of the liberals, and would share success or defeat with them. It was after this information had been made public that Mr. McIntosh set afloat the slander that Mr. McIntyre wanted to be the government candidate. To eat the leek was unpleasant, but Hon. Mr. Mitchell made the rejected of Russell do it on nomination day in Renfrew.

KILLING THE AFRICANS.

According to Archdeacon Farrar, in the Contemporary Review, Africa is being flooded with with the vilest liquor. In 1884. Germany sent 7,136,263 gallons of spirits to the west coast of Africa, Great Britain 602, 328 gallons, and America 921,412 gallons. The African people are being destroyed by this traffic at an alarming rate, and some of their chiefs have begged the English government for protection against it. Dr. Farrar urges that it is as just for the English parliament to interfere with the rum traffic in Africa was to overthrow the slave trade. The Springfield Union thinks "it is doubtful whether anything can be done without an international movement, in which the voice of civilization shall make itself heard against the conscienceless traders of all nations." Something has to be done if the distillers are not to neutralize the efforts of the missionaries representative of two con-

AN UNNECESSARY SCARE.

The Week writes that the pressure of competition from foreign imported labour in the manufacturing and mining districts of the states is so severely feit by the native workmen that the knights of labour are apparently going to make the restriction of immigration a live question in the near future. It adds that the indications are that a good deal will be heard from the knights on this subject within the next few months, and it trusts that in the discussion it will be conceded that "commercial union would confer such benefits on the states that they can afford to leave the door open to admit the vast body of Canadian artisans and workpeople whom the adoption of commercial union would probably throw out of employment here." Will commercial union lead to the idleness of any of our mechanics? Some of the manufacturers do not think so, and the WHIG has given the names of several who are hopeful of the removal of all trade restructions, believing that they want only fair play and fair competition to ensure them prosperity and success.

USE OF STIMULANTS.

Dr. W. S. Searle, of New York, and better known as Beecher's physician, treats, in an able article in the North American Review, on sedentary men and stimulants. He declares that sedentary men (unless their appetites are restricted) are quite as heavy eaters as laborers, and rarely escape the disorders they have. The exceptions named comprise those who already suffer from these maladies, or who, by the habitual use of the so called paratriptics, tea, coffee, tobacco, wine, etc., daily lessen the waste of the brain, and thus diminish the amount of necessary food. Setting these aside every hospitable housekeeper knows and exact experiment proves that sedentary men are quite as large consumers as an equal number: of daily laborers. They must eat largely or fail to obtain sufficient brain supply from food which contains but a small proportion of it. Even then it is probable that the nervous tissues often suffer from starvation. Else why the frequent examples of collapse in this class of the community? "The only really effective and feasible means of paliation in this dilemma," he writes, "are to be found in the judicious employment of those substances which nature has placed in our hands, apparently for this very purpose, and which the blind instinct of man has always discovered and applied. I refer to the use. of the so-called paratriptics, or preventers of waste in the body. Of these the most and happiness to the dysreptic. Ask your druggist for a bottle. Seventy-five conts.

common and best known are wine, tea, cof-

fee, and tobacco. Other substances, such as the South American coca, the betel nut,

and all the narcotics exhibitsimilar powers." A great many will take issue with Dr. Searle, and contend that an indulgence in stimulants is destructive rather than helpful of brain power. No men require greater mental activity than the journalists, and the most successful of them are opposed to the use of tobacco and wine. The occupations of life do not, in our opinion, involve such a waste of nervous tissue as the pleasures of life, and a conservation of the forces in one direction will make the diminution of them in another less apparent.

Dr. Searle's observations will bring immense comfort to the persons who are always in search of arguments by which to justify their frailties. That sedentary individuals do not accomplish all they would like to do in the way of work, that they do not accomplish as much as others under similar circumstances, is not an evidence of weakness so much perhaps as of a lack of method in the detail of duty. Without method progress in any occupation is slow and uncertain; with method amazing results can be attained, one's capacities being less limited and less subject to exhaustion. The habits of an individual have quite as much to do with the wear of the system as the diet and its accompaniments, and this fact experience has established to complete satisfaction.

CONSERVATIVE OPINION.

In 1849 the leading conservatives advocated annexation, and they did so for many reasons, among which were the following:

"The proposed union would render Canada a field for American capital, with which it would enter as freely for the prosecution of * * private enterprise as any of the present states."

"It would equalize the value of real estate upon both sides of the boundary, thereby probably doubling at once the entire present value of property in Canada, while by giving stability to our institutions, and introducing prosperity, it would raise our public corporate and private credit.

"It would increase our commerce, both with the United States and foreign countries, and would not necessarily diminish to any great extent our intercourse with Great Britain into which our products would, for the most part, enter on the same terms as

"It would render our rivers and canals the highway for the immigration to, and exports from the west, to the invaluable benefit of our country.

"It would also introduce manufactures into Canada as rapidly as they have been introduced into the Northern states, and to Lower Canada, especially, where water privileges and labour are abundant and cheap, it would attract manufacturing capital, enhancing the value of property and agricultural produce, and give remunerative employment to what is at present a comparatively non-producing population.

"Nor would the United States merely furnish the capital for our manufactures. They would also supply for them the most extensive market in the world, without the intervention of custom house officers.

"Railways would forthwith be constructed by America as feeders for all the great lines now approaching the frontiers, and railway enterprise in general would doubtless be as active and prosperous as amoug our neighbors.

"The value of our agricultural produce would be raised at once to par with the United States, whilst agricultural implements and many of the necessaries of life such as tea, coffee and sugar would be greatly reduced in price.

"The value of our timber would also be greatly enhanced by access to the American market, where it bears a high price, but is subjected to an enormous duty.

"At the same time there is every reason to believe that our shipbuilders, as well at Quebec as on the great lakes, would find an unlimited market in all the ports of the American continent. It cannot be doubted that the shipping trade of the United States must greatly increase. It is equally manifest that, with them, the principal material in the construction of ships is rapidly dimin ishing, while we possess vast territories, covered with timber of excellent quality, which should be equally available as it is now, since under the free trade system our vessels would sell as well in England as be-

The arguments used above read very like those of the commercial unionists of to-day, but the difference between the parties is that the tories in 1849 wanted annexation, and the unionists of to-day do not. It is believed that the two countries can trade to advantage without political union, which few men calling themselves Canadians are in favor of.

POINTERS FROM THE PRESS

A Generous Offer. Norristown Herald.

An exchange asks : "Does etiquette demand a vest on a hot day ?" If it does it can have ours.

Keep the Valve Closed.

Baltimore American. Talk is cheap. The man who talks too much gets so liberal that he gives himself

Objectionable Appointments. Monoton Transcript,

The Ontario government does not always make defensible appointments, and in fact several recent appointments have been very objectionable, but now and then it does itself credit.

A Close Relationship. London Advertiser.

The editor of the Springfield Argus has been presented with a bar of soap, and he is in a quandary to know what to do with it. He has heard that it is made of lye, however, and this is regarded as a cue.

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What more suitable memento than a few the above sent to an absent friend.

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