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J. Y. PARKHILL.

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THE DAILY WHIG.

"Opifer per Orbem Dicor."

The work of making the approaches to the railway crossings is, it is said, to be gone on with, in the hope and expectation that the county council to be elected in January will endorse it, and carry it to an early completion. That the new council will act towards it like the old council we cannot for a moment suspect. There will certainly be AUCTION - SALE one convert in the new order of things, Mr. Toland, whose escape from fatal injury is a matter of so recent date.

> There are now six seats vacant in the Quebec assembly -- those for the counties of Nicolet, Hochelaga, Maskinonge, Shefford; Temiscouata and Rimouski. Four of these counties were represented by conservatives and two by liberals. That Mr. Mercier will hold his own we have no doubt. He has developed a talent for government quite surprising. No one has risen more rapidly into public favour, and given evidence of these qualities which are the guarantee of prolonged favour and usefulness.

Chief Justice Armour, in giving judgment in the case of the North and South Norfolk license commissioners against the municipal council, which involved most of government and all that represents lawful the legal points raised in a similar suit authority. against the Frontenac county council, said: "I have been unable, after a critical examination of the statutes referred to and bearing on the question, to find any grounds of defence to the suits." Our county councilmen may conclude from this that only defeat awaits them. It is sometimes safe for a corporation to resist a demand on the ground that it has the advantage of strength and power on its side. When it collides with an infinitely stronger body, a govern. ment backed by a parliament, the effect is damaging.

We certainly agree with the Ottawa Free Press, that "in view of the fact that the leaders of the Ontario bar cannot be induced to take judgeships," the less'experienced lawyers may be selected, but that "the public interest would doubtless have been better served by the promotion of some capable and industrious county judge. A practice has grown up of ignoring altogether the merits of our county judges in making appointments to the superior courts. It has become almost a fixed principle that the man who accepts a county judgeship need never look for any higher appointment. There is neither justice nor common sense in such a principle." These are our sentiments exactly. A county judge of the learning and experience of Mr. Wilkison, of Napanee, for instance, is better fitted for the judicial duties of the superior courts than even some leaders of the bar. An able county judge has not only to keep himself versed in the law, but he has the benefit of experience which is of incalculable value in the administration of justice. The government makes a mistake in overlook. ing the county judges. From them it should select its occupants of the higher seats on the bench.

The New York Morning Journal endorses Mr. Atkinson's plan for the complete and final settlement of all disputes between the United States and England or Canada, namely, the buying of all the maritime provinces, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island, for \$50,000,000. There is no certainty, it admits, that the States could buy them for this sum, nor even that the States could buy them for any sum. "Canada," it says, "might be very glad to get our \$50,000,000, but England would probably object to a transfer that | vincial government. would leave her without a naval base of operations, like Halifax, in case of a future war with this country. What England's objections would amount to if Canada was willing could soon be settled." To be sure they could, judging of the feeling of the British government by the representation of Mr. Chamberlain. He said that the closer Canada got commercially and politically to the United States the further it would get from Great Britain, and it might be that the mother country would be disposed to show her as little consideration as she showed towards the mother country. That was Chamberlain's "bluff' to the commercial unionists, and intended to quiet them, though it is questionable if such has been its effect. The suggestion of Mr. Atkinson is simply interesting reading, nothing more. It cannot be given a moment's. serious consideration. The fact that the United States paid \$15,000,000 to France for Louisiana in 1803, and \$7,000,000 to Russia for Alaska in 1867, does not warrant the assumption that \$50,000,000 will buy up a great section of Canada in 1887. The cases are without a parallel.

WHAT ANARCHISM IS.

The Standard (Henry George's paper) has the clearest description of anarchism as generally understood by its votaries in America-It says that the idea that violence may se cure or hasten social reform is based upon James Crawford.

the vague notion that there is some particu lar body of men who have the power, but lack the will, to bring about social referm, and who may be forced or frightened into doing so. This is a notion akin to those so vaguely but widely diffused, that hard times are due"to greedy speculators, low wages to grasping employers, and corrupt government to depraved politicians. But all such notions are childish. Social and political evils are due not to particular men or sets of men' but to general conditions, in the maintenance of which the whole people are concerned, and to the changing of which the general intelligence and the general conscience must be aroused. Even in Russia it is not the police and the army that maintain autocratic government so much as the superstitious loyalty of the Russian peasant. But of all countries in the world this is most clearly true of the United States. "There is here," says the Standard, "no privileged aristocracy, no established church, no standing army loyal to a person or a dynasty. Here all power is in the hands of the people, of the working masses, who constitute the great majority of the voters. They can make or unmake politicians, they can give power to this party or to that party, they can rewrite the laws when they will and according to their will. If voters are bought it is because they are men willing to sell as well as men willing to buy; if legislative bodiesare corrupt it is because voters tolerate a system which brings corrupt men to the front. It is not any set or sets of bad men who are oppressing and misgoverning the American people, but the American people themselves." This is not the opinion which influences so many, and if it were there would be fewer preachers of the doctrine of force, fewer men willing to make sacrifice of themselves for the sake of a cause they are unable to define. Read the productions of the anarchists as carefully as one may and there is still a feeling that they are too vague to be intelligently understood. The movement in which they are involved is founded upon discontent with the government, as it is, and the aim is to destroy, rather than reform, the institutions of that

PERSONAL MENTION.

People Whose Movements, Sayings and Doings Attract Attention.

Wilson Day, with an excellent troupe, is on the road again.

Mr. Gladstone may possibly winter in the south of France. Rev. J. W. Sparling preached anniver-

sary sermons at Ottawa yesterday. Lord Wolverton died worth about £60,-000,000. Lady Wolverton is his sole legatee. Rider Haggard is going on a lecturing

tour through America with Stanley Little. Sir Henry Drummond Wolff has accepted the Persian embassy. He is poor and wants the £5,000 a year. Dr. Colin Pitblado, brother of Rev. G. H.

Pitblado, of Winnipeg, has volunteered as a Presbyterian missionary to China. John Morrissey, has been appointed mes- Customers. senger and caretaker of the post office, vice

Henry Dunbar, resigned. Lord Lansdowne's successor will not be named until Easter. All the names mentioned may be dismissed at present.

Rev. F. H. Wallace, B.D., of Peterboro, has been appointed professor of new testament literature and exegesis in Victoria uni-

William Doran, of the village of North Bay, has been appointed registrar of deeds in and for the temporary judicial district of Nipissing.

Captain George Crawford and Purser Cunningham, of the steamer Norseman, have arrived here and are squaring up the seasson'wcrk. Rev. Mr. McGillivray, of Chalmers'

church, gave an excellent temperance address in the Mission hall yesterday after-Capt. McLeod, inspector of the Underwriters' pool, Buffalo, is here looking after

the interests of the concern as to the cargo of the schr. Glenora. Rev. W. C. Henderson, Galt, has accepted the position of principal of Stanstead col-

lege, and will enter on his duties immediately after the Christmas vacation. His Lordship Bishop Cleary, his secretary Rev. Fr. Kelly, and Rev. Fr. McDonagh, -HARDY'S-

were in Brockville yesterday in connection with the opening of the new St. Vincent de Paul hospital. J. B. McKay, Dominion business college,

will take charge of the commercial course at the evening classes in the Napanee Mechanics' institute. To-night he lectures there on "Will It Pay?" Mr. Parnell remains quietly about the

Sussex coast. His health is very bad, and his disinclination to wearing work or responsibility increases. He controls his party, however, and will lead it again next session.

The premier of Quebec will leave for Europe in a few days. He will visit Rome and hand the missal that the pope is to be presented with by the members of the pro-

IF I SHOULD DIE TO NIGHT.

If I should die to-night, My friends would look upon my quiet face Before they laid it in its resting place, And deem that death had left it almost fair : And laying snow-white flowers against my hair, Would smooth it down with tearful tenderness. And fold my hands with lingering caress,— Poor hands, so empty and so cold to night.

If I should die to-night, My friends would call to mind, with loving Some kindly deeds the icy hands had wrought; Some gentle words the frozen lips had said; Errands on which the willing feet had sped. The memory of my selfishness and pride, My hasty words, all would be put aside,

If I should die to-night, E'en hearts estranged would turn once more to

And so I should be loved and mourned to-

Recalling other days remorsefully.
The eyes that chill me with averted glance
Would look upon me as of yore, perchance,
And soften in the old familiar way; For who could war with dull unconscious clay? So I might rest forgiven of all to-night.

O friends! I pray to-night, Keep not your kisses for my dead cold brow The way is lonely, let me feel them now. Think gently of me, I am travel-worn, My faltering feet are pierced by many a thorn. Forgive, O hearts estranged, forgive, I plead When dreamless rest is mine, I shall not need The tenderness for which I long to-night.

TO "DISGUST." "Disgust" is but a nom de plume, Its dirty self forth thrusting; The name is foul, so I presume The thing is more disgusting. E. G. COLEBROOKE HARVEY. 10c.-Picklest Pi 's Pest-ier.

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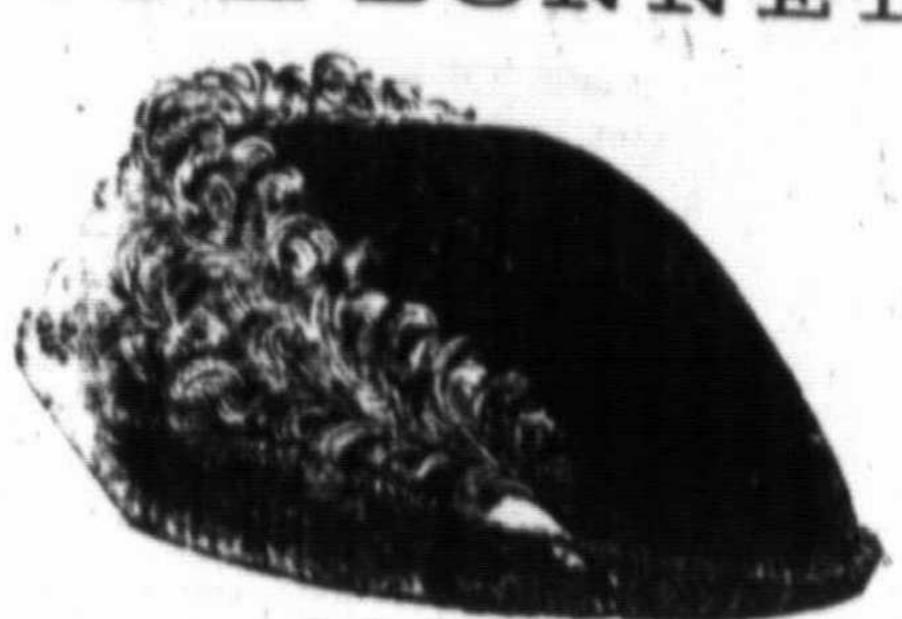
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