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PROFITLESS LIBEL SUITS.

Libel suits have grown fewer of late than they were in former times, while in many countries the harsh libel laws have been reformed. Another noticeable feature is that juries now take a more rational view of their duties than they did years ago. A recent case was that of Tate against Clarkson, tried in Des Moines, Iowa, and was somewhat peculiar in this that the court held the publication complained of to be libelous per se, thus throwing the burden of proof upon the defendant, who was unable to prove the truth of the libellous matter, but the jury found a verdict for the defendant. This may now be said to be a somewhat general result of libel suits except where the newspaper is guilty of wanton defamation. If the publisher is shown to have published the alleged defamatory matter in an honest belief that it was true, and for a good purpose it is practically impossible to recover damages.

Commenting upon this case Des Moines News proceeds to say:

"As a matter of fact, Mr. Tate was not actually damaged by the publication of the libellous matter in this case. His previous high standing in the community was not injured, and it is not injured by the finding of the jury at this time. The public understood then and it understands now that he is a man of good character, unlikely to engage in a disreputable or unlawful transaction in politics or in private business.

"Courts and juries are coming to recognize that the conditions under which the modern newspaper is produced are changing, and that the old common law view of libel must give way to a rational rule of liberty to print the news. The public safety and welfare require more than ever the liberty of the press, and a wider liberty than that of the olden time.

"The modern newspaper is the hasty work of many hands. The publisher and editor must trust a large part of the work of its production to others, whose labors they cannot personally supervise. The public demands and really requires the earliest and promptest publication of news of all kinds. Courts and juries are therefore less and less disposed to mulct the newspaper for doing the work required of it; and to overlook those imperfections incidental to hasty work."

No respectable newspaper will wantonly defame the character of any individual, but it is impossible to print a real live newspaper such as the people demand, and avoid some mistakes, the result of mis-information. Very rarely does the individual suffer any real damage from such errors, even although his feelings may be wounded for a time. It is of even greater importance to the public than to the newspaper publisher that the press shall be permitted to speak freely, especially in regard to men engaged in public affairs. Very rarely indeed are such criticisms the result of personal malice. And both the courts and people are coming to understand these matters better than they did. The successful newspaper man is full of good will for every body and never actuated by malice in what he writes or publishes.

We have not advanced the price of our tobaccos. Amber smoking tobacco, Bobs, chewing tobaccos are the same size and price to the consumer as formerly. We have also extended the time for the redemption of Snowshoe Tags to January 1st, 1904.

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SENATE VACANCIES.

There are now five vacancies in the Senate of Canada, caused by the death of four Senators and the loss of a seat through two years absence by another. The Senators whose demise causes the four vacancies first referred to are, Senator Armand, aged 82, Quebec; Senator Clemon, aged 81, Ottawa, and Senator Primrose, aged 72, P. E. I. Senator Masson who has now been absent from his seat for two years and has consequently forfeited it, is seventy years of age and is one of the Quebec contingent. His seat cannot be formally declared vacant until the Senate meets a month or two hence. Of the four dead Senators only one, Mr. O'Donohue, was a Liberal. Mr. Masson is a Conservative.

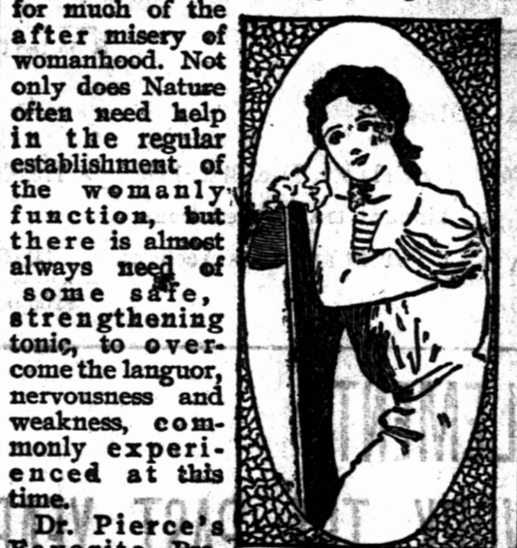
It will be seen at a glance that when these vacant seats are filled by new appointments a considerable change will be made in the relative strength of parties in the Red Chamber. When the Laurier Cabinet was formed in 1896 the Senate was overwhelmingly Conservative. And yet, when these vacancies are all filled 43 out of the 81 Senators will be Liberal and of these forty-three 36 will have been appointed by the present Government. Thus it appears that an average of almost six Senatorships have fallen vacant yearly since the Laurier Government came into power. As many members of the Upper House are very aged men, other vacancies must inevitably however regrettably occur from time to time and so long as the present Government is able to retain power the Liberal majority in the Senate will continue to increase.

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Barley, per bushel.....	0 40 to 0 45
Best (carcase) per lb.....	0 00 to 0 00
Butter, per lb.....	0 16 to 0 18
Calveskins, lb.....	0 04 to 0 08
Eggs, per doz.....	0 17 to 0 18
Hay, per ton.....	9 00 to 10 00
Hides per lb.....	0 05 to 0 00
Island Flour, per 100 lbs.....	1 50 to 1 60
Oatmeal, per 100 lbs.....	3 00 to 3 00
Oats (black) per bushel.....	0 34 to 0 36
Oats (white) per bushel.....	0 33 to 0 35
Wheat per bushel.....	0 60 to 0 60
Pork.....	0 72 to 0 72
Potatoes, per bushel.....	0 24 to 0 24
Turnips.....	0 12 to 0 14
Beets (table).....	0 35 to 0 45
Lamb skins, each.....	0 40 to 0 40
Sheep skins.....	0 14 to 0 15
Wool (wash).....	0 07 to 0 08
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Since Co'y was organized 1870.	\$2,227,926 07	\$3,182,471	\$45,454 19

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6 40 P.M.	St. John	6 30 A.M.
7 10 P.M.	St. John	7 00 A.M.
7 40 P.M.	St. John	7 30 A.M.
8 10 P.M.	St. John	8 00 A.M.
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