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ONTARIO POLITICS.

The Toronto News, independent predicts that the Ontario Legislature will be dissolved and the elections held in about six weeks. The Government has held its majority of three intact and invulnerable through the session and will now appeal to the people. But first there will be a reconstruction. It is rumored that Mr. Bartram and Mr. Aylesworth, K. C. are latter an eminent lawyer, will be a candidate for the cabinet and that Messrs. Stratton, Davis and Gibson will retire. The News admits that such a reconstruction would greatly strengthen the Administration. It is decided that Premier Ross will not again pledge himself to enter a prohibitory law, but will probably go the length of proposing Government ownership, a proposition to which the liquor interest is none too friendly and for which the mass of temperance people are by no means prepared.

The News lashes the Premier for his attitude in regard to prohibition, "the most pitiable chapter in his public career. He had been for a generation an advocate of prohibition and as Premier was doubly pledged to as wide a measure of prohibition as the Legislature could constitutionally enact. But three years after the Privy Council decided that the Provinces could prohibit the sale he has not only not introduced prohibition but has not altered or improved the license law. Premier Ross is governed by the Liberal caucus and the caucus will go just as far as the liquor interest will permit and no further." The fact is that the Government is in the hands of an aggressive and often very insolent liquor despotism. The liquor interest contributed materially to the election of some of Mr. Ross's supporters. Its cash went into

the Liberal campaign treasury. The Province demands more stringent liquor legislation but the Premier shuffles, dodges and evades the question. "It is the attitude of a man determined to hold office at any cost, and ready to be hoisted by a stiff-necked caucus or a powerful private interest into any surrender that may be desired."

The long disfranchisement of North Renfrew, the shameless corruption in elections, the Gamey incident, the corrupt guarantee of \$2,000,000 of the bonds of the Soo works in order to carry an election, are laid at the door of the Government. But the Opposition, we are told, "shows no genius for constructive work, and a ready business seems to rest upon many of the Conservative members. . . . While the Government is falling to pieces from official age and political disease it is by no means clear that the Opposition has greatly impressed itself upon the country." Hence the result of the coming election is, apparently doubtful. As to the present session of the Legislature The News declares it began in intrigue and cowardice and has, with the exception of a single measure, the Assessment Act, evolved no legislation of substantial value. From all of which we infer that matters are in a sad state politically in Ontario, with only doubtful chances of improvement in the near future.

And still again Admiral Togo has bombarded Port Arthur. The attack began on Friday morning by the Japanese fleet in two divisions and was made alternately on the town and fortress. Viceroy Alxief reports that the Russian squadron replied, and that their ships suffered no damage. Also that the repaired battleship Pobieda took part in the action.

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Sold by all druggists. 25 cents.

Mr. Lefurzey M. P. has been taking a deep interest in what is commonly spoken of as the "brush job" in Charlottetown on the eve of the federal by-election. To his several questions the Minister of Railways replied in substance that 148 men and 56 teams were employed between the 9th and 16th days of February, the men being paid \$1 a day for cutting brush and the teams, including drivers, 50 cents a day. Also that the expenditure to date on this work was \$1,363.

It is announced from Halifax that Mr. C. C. Blackbar has declined the offer of a Senatorship, he being one of the few Canadian newspaper men who could well afford to decline such honors and emoluments. It may also be mentioned in this connection, that Hon. W. S. Fielding, who was formerly a newspaper man and a very successful one, declined the honor of knighthood when offered him some years ago. All of which should be placed to the credit of the journalistic profession of the sister Province.

The special meeting of the City Council on Saturday afternoon resulted, as we anticipated, in the refusal of the majority to petition the Legislature to repeal the Prohibitory Law. To their credit, be it said, Councillors Hooper, Paton, Prowse and Rogers voted against taking action to repeal the law. Councillors Reidin and Brown were known to be opposed to the law, and so voted. Better things were expected of Councillor Alley who to the great disappointment of many of his prominent supporters has chosen to give almost his first vote at the Council Board in favor of opening the rum shops, such being the object of the movement he supports. This is a very inauspicious beginning for a public career. It may be mentioned that his notice to reconsider the action of the Council at a future meeting is invalid. A motion to reconsider can only be properly made and carried by members who voted in the majority.

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" Corn 51½	" Pork —
" Pork \$12.50	

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From leading farmers in Covehead, West River, Stanhope, Lots 48 & 49, Tracadie, and many Rustico, places north, North River, south, east and west ought to convince people that the

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TUESDAY, APRIL 19



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All the lung healing properties of the pine are bottled up in Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. It is the most satisfactory remedy for coughs and colds of all kinds. Price 25c.

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Mr. Robt. Jennings, Mansfield, Ont. writes: "I have used one bottle of Dr. Low's Toothache Gum for severe toothache and received instant relief. Buy this as a splendid temporary filling. Price 10c."

Bob—Are you fond of reading, Dick?
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Miss J. J. Johnson, Inverfall, Alta., says: "I was troubled with Earache for a long time, and nothing helped me until I used Hazard's Yellow Oil, which cured me completely."

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Laxa-Liver Pills are the ladies' favorite cathartic, as they do not gripe or pain, sicken or weaken or cause the slightest inconvenience. Price 25c. all druggists.

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Minard's Liniment Cures Burns etc.

A fisherman who has been dead and in his grave for two years has been summoned for salmon poaching at Berwick-on-Tweed.

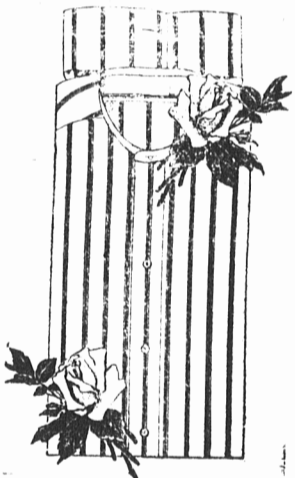
DOES CHILDREN GOOD.

Mrs. Joseph Langtry, Brookville, Ont. "I have used Dr. Low's Worm Syrup in my family, and it has always been effective, and has done the children good. I can highly recommend it."

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