

ROBERT LAIRD BORDEN, PREMIER-ELECT OF CANADA.

A new international and Imperial figure emerged in a single night when last week's general elections made R. L. Borden the Premier-elect of Canada. The fortunes of political warfare were over fickle and uncertain, were never more so than when the reciprocity cause, which, at most, it was thought, would reduce the Laurier government's majority, sent the Liberal party to a smashing defeat. In a twinkling Mr. Borden leaped from the obscurity of a minority leader to the prominence and power of the Premier and a figure that should count in Imperial councils.

brilliance. The slumbering fire of a British ancestry rallies to the call of battle; a little badgering makes a fiery declamation of what would have been a monotonous essay. As leader of a party in the House since 1901, Mr. Borden has been effective in two ways; as a speaker of power and destructive force on a great issue, and for his executive ability in getting work from his followers. He assigned different men to different lines of inquiry and study in criticism of the Government, and aided and encouraged their individual efforts. This has strengthened the Opposition's case and developed individual talent that the new Premier will now find of much value in forming a Cabinet.

CHARLOTTETOWN AND QUEEN'S COUNTY

It pays to buy in this Province. Mrs. J. A. S. Bayer, City, has returned from a visit to St. John. The choir of the First Methodist Church yesterday presented Miss Bessie Beer with a signet ring as a token of their appreciation. Tom Fullerton of the Bank of Nova Scotia, North Sydney, is visiting his parents Rev. T. F. and Mrs. Fullerton, Brighton. George Clarke, Stanhope, who was recently removed from his home to the P. E. I. Hospital for treatment for blood poisoning, is doing well. D. R. Southworth and W. A. Flewelling, have returned to their homes in Needham, Mass., after a very pleasant visit in Charlottetown. Their many friends will be pleased to see them soon again.

MILLIONAIRE EDITOR FINED

W. T. Rawleigh, editor of the Freeport Standard, who was indicted by the December, 1910, Grand Jury in Circuit Court of Stephenson County, Ill., on Sept. 18, entered a plea of nolle contendere, thus placing the case in the hands of Judge James S. Baume, of the Appellate Court, then holding court in Freeport, who fined the editor-mayor \$200 and costs, thus sustaining all the contentions of the State's attorney. The case against Rawleigh was based on charges of misconduct and malfeasance in office, and being interested in city contracts while mayor of Freeport. Rawleigh is a millionaire patent medicine manufacturer, and about two years ago purchased the Standard, feeling the need of a personal organ.

THE WAY OF A MAID WITH A MAN

The poet always sings about The maiden coy and sweet, Who willfully and skillfully Sets lure for manly feet. You'd think the canny sex did naught But think and plot and plan, With a friend, with a book, by hook or crook, To rattle-dazzle man. Why don't they ever tell about The maiden sweet and fair, Who just to please her lonely self Puts roses in her hair? Of the maid who scorns coquetish arts Why don't those fellows sing? To tell the truth I think because There's really no such thing.

MATTRESSES SHOULD BE CLEAN.

A clean mattress is more than the sign of a good housekeeper, it is an essential to good health. Even clean sheets will not keep a sensitive person from shrinking at the thought of sleeping in a bed if the mattress is soiled. There is little excuse for just if care be taken. Every mattress should have a cover of unbleached muslin that buttons on and can be washed frequently. Those for a large double bed are made in two parts and should be turned every day, not always in the same direction, however, but in various ways so that no uncomfortable ridge will form by sleeping constantly on one side of the bed.

ANIMALS IN COURT.

Animals of various kinds have been having their day in court. That no fish were in the ark and that, therefore, the fish is not an animal, was the novelty in a case against a peddler accused of cruelty to animals. The case was dismissed, over the emphatic protest of Judge Pollard, who argued that the dictionary defined a fish as an animal. The peddler was charged with advertising his fish by displaying on a large one from a string on his cart, that its flopping might attract the eyes of prospective purchasers. There can be no doubt however, that a monkey is an animal of high degree. A 5-pound simian slumbered peacefully in his cage at the Kentucky State Penitentiary a few months ago, while four attorneys fought a wordy battle in the magistrate's court as to whether State fair visitors should be permitted to amuse themselves by throwing balls at the monkeys.

POLLOCK TURNED THE TIDE.

When Channing Pollock, the playwright, was only a press agent, he was at one time attached to the staff of a big Broadway theatre at which a prominent diva was singing to comparatively empty benches. Something had to be done to turn the tide or the show would go to smash; but what? Pollock, after thinking over the situation for some time, finally evolved a brilliant idea which he proceeded to put into execution. An article appeared in the newspapers saying that the diva was annoyed by the roar and traffic over the pavement in front of the theatre and by the clanging of the street cars, and that her nerves were giving way under the strain. Pollock went to the city fathers and secured permission to spread tannin over the pavement in front of the theatre. Then he got hold of the railroad people and induced them to issue orders to motormen not to clang their gongs for a block or two above and below the theatre. Of course, due publicity was given to these facts and the matter was talked about all over town. The result was that the performances at the theatre were attended by crowds of people. The house was sold out for weeks in advance, and the show made a lot of money. Whether Pollock's brilliant idea added anything to his pay envelope was not disclosed.

SOUND SLEEP

Can Easily Be Secured. "Up to 2 years ago," a woman writes, "I was in the habit of using both tea and coffee regularly. I found that my health was beginning to fail, strange nervous attacks would come suddenly upon me, making me tremble so excessively that I could not do my work while they lasted; my sleep left me and I passed long nights in restless discomfort. I was filled with a nervous dread as to the future. A friend suggested that possibly tea and coffee were to blame, and I decided to give them up, and in casting about for a hot table beverage, which I felt was an absolute necessity, I was led by good fortune to Postum. For more than a year I have used it three times a day and expect, so much good has it done me, to continue its use during the rest of my life. "Soon after" beginning the use of Postum, I found, to my surprise, that instead of tossing on a sleepless bed through the long dreary night, I dropped into a sound, dreamless sleep the moment my head touched the pillow. "Then I suddenly realized that all my nervousness had left me and my appetite, which had fallen off before, had all at once been restored so that I ate my food with a keen relish. "All the nervous dread has gone. I walk a mile and a half each way to my work every day and enjoy it. I find an interest in everything that goes on about me that makes life a pleasure. All this I owe to leaving off tea and coffee and the use of Postum, for I have taken no medicine." Name given by Canadian Postum Co., Windsor, Ontario. "There's a reason," and it is explained in the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in 16 pages. Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, and full of human interest.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

J. J. Gay & Son have an interesting ad. in this issue re Celery. 10-9drrl. The evening sessions of the Union Commercial College are now open and offer a splendid opportunity to secure a good business training. Ask for prospectus. W. Moran, Prin. 10-9drrl. The Pandora range to be offered at C. L. Grant's sale today is almost new and in perfect condition and will be a real snap for any thrifty housewife. 10-9drrl. Attention is directed to the advertisement in this issue of the sailing of the S. S. Manchester Trader on October 24th next. Shippers requiring space had better arrange for same at once with the agents Messrs. A. Picard & Co. as all space for Charlottetown cargo has to be arranged for prior to the sailing of the steamer from Montreal. 10-6drrl. Minard's Liniment Co., Limited. Gents.—A customer of ours cured a very bad case of distemper in a valuable horse by the use of MINARD'S LINIMENT. Yours Truly, VILANDIE FRERES.

CONCERNING THE MOON.

Eveline McCulloch, Ridgeway, Ontario, contributes the following bits of interesting folklore: A new moon high in the north sky portends a cold month. A new moon low in the south sky portends a hot month. A new moon straight up so that the hunter may not hang his powder horn on it denotes a dry month, for he may safely hunt that month. Vice versa, a moon lying flat, on whose corner the hunter may hang his powder horn is a wet moon, and rain can be counted upon. A red moon denotes heat and drought. A yellow moon, storms, especially wind. A clear, white moon, clear weather. When the moon changes from one quarter to another, a change of weather is looked for. A large circle around the moon denotes a storm as many days off as there are visible stars inside the circle. A bar-off circle denotes a near-by storm. If you catch the first glimpse of a new moon over your right shoulder and wish without looking away you will have good fortune all that month and obtain your wish; also, vice versa, seeing the moon over your left shoulder is not good luck. All signs fall in a drough. A harvest moon stays full two nights. A hunter's moon follows the harvest moon. The moon shining on one's face sleeping causes insanity. This is carefully observed among old nurses. Certain phases of the moon affect our moods and dispositions. Insane people are perpetually worse in certain phases of the moon. Pork killed in the advance of the

REST AT EVENTIDE.

Fold ye the ice-cold hands, Calm on the pulseless breast; The toil of the summer day is o'er, Now cometh the evening rest; And the folded hands have nobly wrought Through noontide's din and strife, And the dauntless heart hath bravely fought In the ceaseless war of life. Smooth ye the time-thinned hair Still on the marble brow; No earthly cloud doth linger there To mar its beauty now. But brow and lip and darkened eye Bear a shade of deep repose As twilight shadows softly lie On the widespread winter snows. No voice of discord wakes The silence still and deep, And the far-off sounds of worldly strife Cannot break the dreamless sleep. Oh! welcome rest to a heart long tossed On the tide of hopes and fears, To the feet that have wandered far and wide O'er the weary waste of years.

HEALTH AND BEAUTY.

If one feels hurt, is oversaddened in anything, or if more is expected than one is up to performing, there's nothing like some deep breathing, through the nostrils of course, when one is standing erect. A good perspiration deodorizer is made as follows: One part salicylic acid, three parts boric acid and enough powdered orris root to give a sweet scent. Keep in a powder box and use whenever necessary. For tired, aching feet, put into hot water enough to bathe them a small handful of common baking soda or a large handful of coarse salt. Bathe the feet in this, then drench quickly with cold water and rub dry. In treating the complexion it is necessary that the neck receive similar attention, so that the color and texture of the skin be the same. When the complexion is white and the neck yellow the effect is discordant and shows neglect. As long as you continue to scowl just so long will you have lines between the eyes. Place a little piece of court plaster over the lines before retiring and wear it as much as possible during the day. This will soon teach you not to scowl. To remove blackheads, take rose-water, three ounces; boiled water, three ounces; salt (common) 1/2 tchen, three ounces. Allow the salt to dissolve, then add a small quantity of the water in which the face is washed. E. A. Foster, Druggist, Charlottetown, P. E. I.

READY TO SCREAM

Many women (and men, too) allow themselves to get so rundown in health from overwork, late hours, unhealthy surroundings, and improper food, that they get into a state of nervous exhaustion. When you hear a woman say, "I'm so worn out the least thing would make me scream," you may be sure it is high time for her to build up her strength and nourish her nerves by taking Vinol, our delicious cod liver and iron remedy that makes pale, weak nervous people ruddy, calm and strong. You will like Vinol, and will be pleased with its effect. If not, we give back the money, so you take no risk. It is fine for children, too. You certainly ought to try Vinol. E. A. Foster, Druggist, Charlottetown, P. E. I.

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DIDN'T FOOL MR. CHAPIN

Herbert Corey, in the Cincinnati Times-Star, tells the following good story about Charles C. Chapin, city editor of the New York Evening World. Reporters like to tell stories on "Charley" Chapin, city editor. It is very hard to catch Mr. Chapin napping. At times he manifests a sagacity that is positively inhuman. The other day, according to his subordinates, the man assigned to the Criminal Court Building was delayed by the morning ferry from his home on Staten Island. He was under orders to call Mr. Chapin on the telephone from the Criminal Court at 8 o'clock, precisely of each morning. Caught at the Battery at this hour, he stepped into the ferry office. He got his office on the wire. "Hello," said he, "Hello, hello. Is this Mr. Chapin?" "Yes," said that individual, dryly. "Yes, this is Chapin. What's the matter?" The reporter said that nothing was the matter. He had simply called the office as per orders. "Nothing doing down at the Criminal Court Building?" The reporter said that there was positively nothing doing at the Criminal Court Building. "Well," drawled Chapin, "you'd best send me up a good story on the flood down there as soon as possible." "The flood?" gasped the reporter breathlessly. "Why, yes," said Mr. Chapin, in his peculiar nasal tones. "The streets must be full of water. I can hear the tug's a-tooting."

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