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NOTES AND COMMENTS

—Professor Robertson has returned to Ottawa. He did not receive a public reception, though he is entitled to one on account of good work done.

—In view of recent British successes against the rebels of India, the Ameer of Afghanistan has returned to his allegiance to British interests. "There's nothing succeeds like success."

—The Montreal Witness condemns in strong terms Hon. Mr. Tarte's "ridiculous plan" for the improvement of Montreal harbor, and says that Mr. Tarte can have no other purpose than that of wasting valuable space of the harbor.

—That must have been a knowing smile which Mr. Peters smiled when he denied an understanding between Liberals and liquor dealers in Charlottetown, according to which liquor dealers supported the Liberals in the election of Wednesday and Liberals helped the liquor dealers in the election of Thursday!

—It is noticed as a curious fact that the tone of the entire Russian press changed during Emperor William's stay at St. Petersburg and became frankly Anglophobic. It is stated that a general understanding has been arrived at between Russia and Germany and that Great Britain will henceforth find these two countries in her way.

—A Western Exchange says that there is yet to be the first expression of favorable opinion here on the coast in regard to the Yukon mining regulations. We are informed from Ottawa that they are to be at once enforced, but another despatch says they will be modified. The difficulty is that the ministers, who framed them, have really no idea of the subject with which they are dealing.

—The Montreal Star's London cable says that Sir Wilfrid Laurier's acceptance of a gold medal at the Cobden Club is spoken of in London as the last nail in the coffin of Hon. Mr. Chamberlain's Zollverein scheme. Some, however, like the Standard slyly remind Sir Wilfrid Laurier that despite his ardent free trade panegyrics the diminished orb of protection, rather than the struggling planet of free trade, is the guiding star of popular Canadian politics.

—The number of women engaged in self-supporting occupations in the United States is steadily increasing. Col. Carroll D. Wright's report for the national labor commission shows a large gain in the numbers of those thus employed. Married women are about one eighth of the entire number. Men are entering the business of cooks in large numbers, but it will scarcely be possible for those who support the theory of unrelieved domesticity for women to make capital of this, as men find situations as cooks in hotels, at clubs, on yachts and in like situations. It is not true, of course, that young men are pushing into domestic service as cooks except in households where the trained service of a high priced chef is required. The statistics show a decrease in the percentage of women in housework of all sorts.

—The statement that the Hon. Mr. Blair has been constrained to take a trip to Great Britain to get rid of the office-seekers who besiege him, sets forth, in a striking way, one of the evil results of the Spoils System. Ministers and politicians are compelled, on account of this system, to spend a great deal of time which ought to be employed in the service of the country in dickering with office seekers and trying to conciliate those who are disappointed; and when the pressure becomes too great to be borne they leave their duties to the country and, as in the case of Mr. Blair, go abroad for a season. How much happier the Liberal ministers would now be, if they had at the beginning caused it to be announced that they would have nothing to do with spoils or spoils-men, and would only fill up vacancies as they occurred in the natural order of life and business!

—When thanking the Cobden Club for their gift of a gold medal Sir Wilfrid Laurier said the commercial supremacy of Great Britain was assured until the United States adopted free trade. Sir Wilfrid said later he would sail for Canada by the steamer Labrador on Wednesday, and added: "I am glad to emphasize how I have been received everywhere in the most cordial manner, particularly by the Pope, who filled me with wonderment as to how so much vigorous and keen intellect could be housed in such an emaciated body. The Pope is bent double and appears to be in the frailest health, though he is not troubled with any bodily ailment, and his whole mental machinery is marvelous. I was amazed at the profundity of his knowledge of Canadian affairs, was charmed with his exquisite gentleness and sympathy, and I was moved deeply at the supreme elevation of his Christian aims."

ESTEEMED EXCHANGES.

Montreal Star: With golden wheat booming, every farmer can felicitate himself on owning his own Klondike.

Montreal Star: It is difficult to say which is the fairest way of settling the truth of a newspaper report—a duel or a libel suit.

Montreal Star: Congressman Dingley's first name is Nelson. That may be the reason why he expects every man to pay his duty.

British Colonist: There are no two opinions in Victoria in regard to the Yukon mining regulations. Everyone hopes they will be altered. They are unworkable as they stand.

Montreal Gazette: Mr. M. C. Cameron, M. P., the Liberal the pure, the denouncer of Tory jobs and nepotism, has had his son-in-law appointed postmaster at Goderich. So is another Liberal idol fallen, even as the wicked Conservatives.

Montreal Gazette: European correspondents are making out that the visit of President Faure to St. Petersburg, following that of Kaiser Wilhelm, means that England is to be isolated in the European concert of nations. Being somewhat used to isolation probably the situation will worry England less than it does the correspondents. England, even finds isolation splendid.

La Patrie: "There is no need of becoming alarmed at the latest tariff move of the American Government. For the last ten years we have, relatively speaking, done but little business with the United States and we have not suffered in consequence. Let us foster more and more the English market, since our natural markets are closed to us. The Canadian Government has in its hands arms with which to protect itself against the ill-will of the neighbouring Republic. We hope that it will use them with prudence and firmness."

Le Courrier du Canada does not believe in the Conservatives taking any part whatever in the receptions to be tendered to Sir Wilfrid Laurier, which will be used, it claims, for political effect. It admits that Sir Wilfrid discharged his duties creditably in England, France and elsewhere, but adds that he is the same man he was when he went away, "the speaker without doctrine, the Minister without word, the politician without principle, whom we have denounced and opposed since he stole power by lying to the people. He is the mate of Tarte, the accomplice of Greenway, the traitor of the great constitutional cause which he had sworn to lead to victory. In spite of fortunate successes, his administration has been disastrous and scandalous. He has no right to a truce, and he will have none. We are not going to kneel before the rouge idol, and we hope that none of our friends will be led astray by the lying statement that it is not a political matter. All means politics with the Liberals. Let them honor by themselves the hero of the hour. The cheers, triumphs and flowers of victory will pass; justice and truth alone remain. Let us not forget that the fatal rock from which traitors were thrown is but a step from the capital where stood the temple of victory."

The New York Merchant's Association has organized a series of cheap buyers' excursions to their city, the effect on local trade being very noticeable. The estimate of leading houses is that from \$20,000,000 to \$40,000,000 additional business will come to New York this fall as a consequence. The dry goods and millinery houses have apparently got the bulk of the orders, though orders have been freely distributed in other branches of trade, the whole business of the city, in fact, benefiting. Boston has taken up the idea, and organized similar excursions, the railroad, of course, cooperating. In cases of this kind a good deal of the extra trade noted would, of course, come in the ordinary course; but it is agreed that much that would not come is also secured. It is in connection with the latter that the advantage arises.

Ireland now reports 150 Christian Endeavor societies, Ulster having 112.

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MARKETS.

The Montreal Gazette reports that cheese continues strong; in fact, prices at many country points today advanced. This was the case only east of Toronto, for at London, Ont., the demand was not particularly brisk, and the sales that did transpire were at last week's level. In the Eastern Townships, however, and at the three northern New York markets competition between Montreal buyers resulted in higher prices being paid. The rise ranged all the way from 1/2¢ per lb. at Cowansville down to 3/4¢ at Watertown. Altogether, 10,000 odd boxes of cheese left first hands in the country today all the way from 8 1/2¢ to 8 3/4¢. There was little doing on spot.

Finest Ontario cheese..... 8 1/2¢ to 8 3/4¢
Finest Townships cheese..... 8 3/4¢ to 8 1/2¢
Finest Quebec cheese..... 8 1/2¢ to 8 3/4¢
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The butter market remains quiet and unchanged. Trading is light.

Finest creamery..... 17 to 17 1/2 c. c.
S-cods..... 16 to 16 1/2
Dairy butter..... 12 to 12 1/2

NEWS NOTES.

A resident of Highgate, Ont., who has been in the Klondike and returned, brought \$32,000 in gold back with him.

Chicago newspapers have been interviewing a professional woman pick-pocket just returned from London, and the success she met with in robbing Englishmen of their purses and diamonds during the Queen's Diamond Jubilee. The young woman is permitted not only to relate her experiences, but to exhibit her plunder to an admiring reporter. Fine public education there.

A new terror has been added to the life of mankind and a new weapon in women's hands by female municipal enfranchisement. A lady of Kansas City used her "vote and influence" as a leverage to defeat a faithful swain who was running for the office of Mayor. She appealed to the voters of her own sex, and succeeded in defeating by a sweeping majority the man who had jilted her.

A generation has passed away, but the number of pensioners who took part in the United States civil war is steadily increasing. This year the total reaches 983,528, and will pass the million mark by the end of the year. Instead of dying as ordinary people do, these pensioners are taking new leases of life. The cost of the civil war operations was as nothing to the tax which the politicians seem to have perpetually imposed on the republic as an after-clap.

One of the most remarkable newspaper issues ever produced was that of the Indian Daily News at Calcutta two days after the recent earthquake. Editor writes: "At a late hour on Sunday night we were compelled to stop all work and seek another press in order to bring out even a four-page paper, as our premises were condemned by a surveyor as totally unfit for habitation; the rain added to our difficulties, which were already sufficiently great. When the forms were going to the press one of them accidentally broke, hence the absence of the third page. We write with a scorching sun blazing on our desk, and in momentary fear of a few hundred tons of masonry crashing in on us." Owing to the accident the editor mentions, the third page was printed black, but the paper contained very full accounts of the earthquake, and a good selection of general news as well, which was a wonderful performance under the circumstances, even for an enterprising editor.

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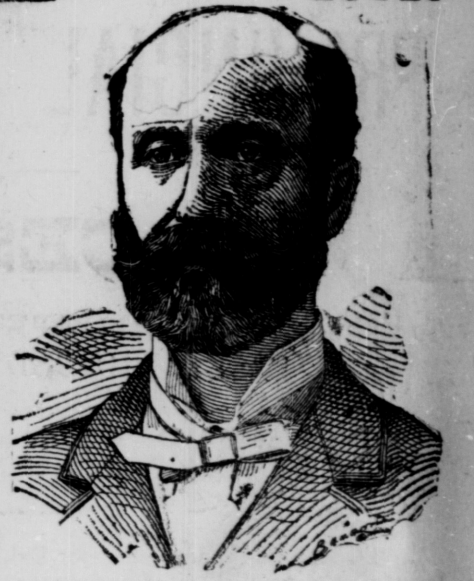
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