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THE UNITED STATES VS. TURKEY.

Must, of course, be excused on account of the disturbed condition of the United States in the pending election contest. Yet the conduct of the United States Government cannot be pleasing or satisfactory to citizens who are filled with indignation in respect to the Turkish massacres. The Government of Great Britain naturally hesitates to run the risk of plunging the civilized world into war. But no such risk would attach to any movement which the United States might make to rescue the defenceless Christians in Turkey from the sword of the blood-thirsty Moslem. No European nation is jealous of the United States. Indeed, she would have the sympathy of all in doing that which they cannot do, because of their racial jealousies. That her singular position enables her to render Christianity and civilization a great service at this juncture is apparent to all. The London Chronicle, commenting upon the Turkish situation, says that "America has a great human opportunity. She has a trick of acting and speaking when European diplomats sit watching events which they dare not attempt to control. If she now offered to do for Europe what Europe dares not do for herself, her lead might solve the situation from which our tangled and timid diplomatists can find no way out."

ISLAND WRITERS.

Is a clever review of a recent work of Thomas O'Hagan, M. A., L. D., on "Canadian Women Writers" Father Burke, of Alberton, has this compliment to pay to our own Mrs. A. D. McLeod in an Ontario publication: "In his list of woman writers, Dr. O'Hagan has dealt fairly with his summer in the Province. The array of our female literary lights is certainly respectable. I know of only one notable omission—Mrs. A. D. McLeod, a singer of words, a sweetness, scope and precision, who claims little Prince Edward Island for her home—a Bohemian whom we feel sure the doctor will be glad to know and ready to do ample justice by in the future." And writing from a Catholic point of view Father Burke has this to say: "It is certainly a matter for legitimate gratulation on the part of Catholics that so many of the names which figure high up in the list of our women writers are those of Catholic writers. Without being entirely sure as to others, we can vouch for Mrs. McLeod, Mrs. Berlinguet, Mrs. Leprohon, Mrs. Berlinguet, four own Amy Pope, Mrs. Lefevre, Miss McManus and Miss Barry. They are all singers and sayers of acknowledged excellence. Mrs. Berlinguet everybody in Prince Edward Island esteems in a particular manner, and many of her admirers regretted keenly her relinquishment of letters to betake herself to the more restricted sphere of domestic concerns. Although well known outside the Province by her clever contributions to high-class periodicals, she deserves much more praise for her work on the history of this diocese than its clergy. It may not be generally known, either, that she wooed the muses when we knew her with exceptional success. Prince Edward Island is a small province—the smallest in the Dominion; but when you regard the places Archbishop O'Brien, James J. Roch, Mrs. Berlinguet and Mrs. McLeod hold in the domain of letters, you will designate her anything but a sterile mother."

THE CUBAN REBELLION.

The statement credited to an officer of high rank in the Spanish army that "if Spain has not put down the insurrection in Cuba by the 1st of next March, it is the intention of the Government to give up the struggle and let the island go" is probably the invention of some imaginative reporter. There is however no doubt that the Spanish Government is massing troops in Cuba in the hope, by one desperate effort, to crush the insurgent forces. It is worthy of remark too that while Spain is sending more than 200,000 troops to Cuba, who are in the main very young and undisciplined, she is carefully keeping her 80,000 well disciplined and efficient soldiers, who may be available in case of an outbreak, at home. She is also keeping in Spanish waters twelve war-ships which are ready for sea.

It is hoped that acute famine in India will be averted by the importation of wheat from California and by the construction of government works enabling the poor people to obtain money with which to buy bread. A despatch to the Times, from Simla, India, says that European and American grain dealers could place wheat at Cawnpore or Delhi at a good profit in the coming months. Prices of wheat continue to rise.

TRAIN UP A CHILD.

Dr. PARKHURST of New York writes to the Independent to say that a child ought early to be helped to understand that there is a reasonableness in things, and that under the commands of its father and mother are founded in a certain eternal fitness. But when all has been done along that line that the child's feeble intelligence admits of having done for it, an essential point in the child's discipline will be raised if a great many requirements are not laid upon it with no slightest accompaniments of explanation, and things done by it simply and exclusively because it is told to do them. The moral education of a child cannot be said to have commenced till it has made surrender to its will. That is the nucleus around which all the elements of a permanently wholesome character have to crystallize. In comparatively few cases will this result be reached without a certain amount of severity. The child's body will very likely have to be hurt, and certainly the child's feelings will have to be bruised badly before it acquires the art of doing with facility what it is told to do, simply because it is told to do it. But when once that is done, the solid foundations of character are laid and implicit obedience to parents will slip into similar obedience to the righteous requirements of Society and the State, and into devout submission to the holy will of God with something of that same ease and naturalness with which the bud enlarges into blossom and the morning grows into the full day.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

The Citizen has joined the Journal in its demand that Ottawa should receive from the Government an annual grant of \$50,000, in preference to a subsidy of \$150,000 for the Nepean Point bridge. The Free Press, the senior Government organ, "goes one better" tonight and demands both the subsidy and the annual grant. Mr. Laurier's "Washington of the North" idea will come high to the rest of the Dominion.

Lady Henry Somerset and Mrs. Ormiston Grant are preparing a new institution for England, a school for the instruction of women in public speaking. The curriculum proposed includes "the necessary preparation for public speaking; the choice of subjects; the best attitude of the speaker toward her work; the management of the voice; gestures, dress, hygienic rules to be observed, the necessary tact, how to cooperate with other speakers, how to meet any emergencies that may arise, length of speeches, etc."

Mr. Bryan's claim to the title of champion stumpor of his title is well supported by the following statistics from the Chicago Chronicle—Speeches delivered, 231; cities and towns spoken in, 194; States spoken in, 25; miles travelled, 19,077; words spoken (estimated), 281,871; things said, 679,905; used "crossed swords," 231; hair cut, 1; new suits of clothes, 1; votes made (estimated) 10,347,872,941,101. The figures were published some days ago, and it is expected that there will be changes in the count of votes, and especially in the count of votes, after election day.

Professor Tarr of Cornell University, who is just back from his summer in Greenland, congratulates himself on being the only geologist who has ever seen the entire Labrador coast from end to end. The Hope, in which he sailed, kept within sight of land all the way from Newfoundland to Hudson Straits, going very slowly because of the ice, and there was little chance of the vessel being driven ashore during this entire fortnight consumed in this way. Professor Tarr has enjoyed such an advantage once before, when he was on the United States Geological Survey. He was assigned a task which necessitated his driving across the state of Texas along the line of greatest width with a distance of 1500 miles.

The New York World has an article comparing the five silver states with five agricultural, commercial and manufacturing states. The silver states are Colorado, Nevada, Idaho, Montana and Utah which altogether have a population of 837,495. The other states are New York, Massachusetts, Ohio, Illinois and Pennsylvania the population of which is 29,934,471, and the valuation of the five silver states is \$11,474,653,241. Yet the World says these five silver states have precisely the same power in the Senate as the five great states, which have more than 23 times the population and 22 times the wealth. Such unfairness is remarkable. The ingenuity of Uncle Sam ought to be employed in a readjustment of his constitution.

The Pope's new delegate to the United States, Mgr. Martinielli, on being asked to make a statement regarding Archbishop Ireland's letter on the election issues, said that he proposed to take part in political disputes. "I hardly know anything," said he to an interviewer, "about the political situation in this country. Of course, I know there are two great parties, and have heard the politics of the country discussed both here and in Italy, but I find there are on both sides great men, men of minds and learning. They have made the politics of their country a study all their lives, and yet I find that they do not agree on the same policy and hold the same ideas. How, then, can you expect a stranger, scarcely a week in the country, to have any views on its political situation?" Mgr. Martinielli seems to think that the room in the Church for good men on both sides.

The leading editorial note in the latest number of the American Agriculturist is headed "Good Times Coming," and reads as follows: "It looks that way! Crop shortages in Europe, India and the Argentine are creating an extraordinary demand in England and on the continent for American produce. Our exports are increasing so rapidly that ocean freight rates have heavily advanced; consequently tramp steamers are all racing for our coasts to get cargoes. This will bring down rates again and insure abundant means for transporting our surplus to the other side. Prices are advancing all along the line. Wheat and oats are higher, so are tobacco and cotton; wool is improving, and with last year's extraordinary corn exports now being met by extra profit in the face of the biggest crop on record! Reactions are probable if prices go up too fast, but even if present values are only maintained it means millions upon millions of extra profit to American farmers." To the above the Toronto Globe adds the fact that cheese last week advanced to over ten cents a pound, a rise of nearly 50 per cent. since the beginning of the season.

Why not profit by the experience of others who have found a permanent cure for catarrh in Hood's Sarsaparilla?

NEWS NOTES.

A number of Armenians who fled from Turkey are expected in New York to-day. The drugstore of L. Yeomans, at Bell-worth, Ont., was destroyed by fire yesterday. The owner, who was the proprietor of Scott's Emulsion, lost his life. Constantinople advices state that the embassies of the powers have sent identical notes to the Porte refusing its demand to be accorded the right of searching for foreign vessels in Turkish waters for Armenian spies.

The lobster men of Marblehead, Mass., are heavy losers on account of the recent storm. It is estimated that no less than 500 pots have been lost, which practically puts an end to the lobster business there for the winter. Both sides claim to be sure of winning the presidential contest in the United States. The silverites think that Bryan will have two votes to spare in the electoral college, while the Republicans expect a total of 302.

Secretary Olney is in receipt of a telegraphic despatch from the United States minister at Constantinople to the effect that he has at last obtained telegraphic orders from the Turkish government to permit the departure for the United States with safe conduct to the sea ports, of all native Armenian women and children, whose husbands and fathers are in the United States.

A Vienna despatch to the London Chronicle says that the czar has informed the prince of Montenegro that the dowry of the Princess Helen, his daughter, will be one million roubles (about \$800,000). The czar and czarina ordered their wedding gift for the princess upon her marriage to the Prince of Naples, in Paris. It is a diamond ornament, and will cost 2,000,000 francs (about \$400,000).

The story published in the Vienna Neufreie Press alleging that the Russian war office has ordered all regiments in the districts of Kiev, Odessa and Charkoff to be put upon a full war footing and that all officers on leave of absence and the retired list have been recalled to service, is utterly discredited at Berlin. Nothing is known in official circles there, showing that Russia is mobilizing her forces.

The U. S. warship Bancroft will not at present force the passage of the Dardanelles. On the contrary, she will remain a considerable distance from the entrance, till the annoyance caused by the Sultan's councils by the statements made about her alleged mission has time to subside. United States diplomacy, confronted by the Turkish situation, is very like other diplomacy in action, but noisier when not in action.

The viceroys of India cables that over most of India, a large part of the Northwest provinces, the Punjab, eight districts of the central provinces and two districts of Upper Burma, which were not irrigated this autumn, the crops are in a seriously damaged condition. In addition the prospects of the crops in parts of Bombay cause anxiety. Rain is now probable, and a famine is inevitable unless sufficient rain falls in October, the Northwest provinces and the Punjab.

It is announced from Rio Janeiro that the chamber of deputies has requested the president to expel the London Times correspondent from Brazil. It is to be presumed that this action upon the part of the Brazilian chamber of deputies is taken as a result of the despatch which the Times received last week announcing that a commercial and financial panic prevailed in Brazil; that a number of houses were in difficulties; that a six months' moratorium was to be declared. All of these statements were subsequently contradicted.

Premier Laurier in his speech at the "Canada" dinner in Montreal the other day suggested the desirability of creating states to the late Sir Hugh Allan and the late Hon. John Young, for the great work they had done in building up the trade of the commercial metropolis. Possibly, also, Mr. Laurier appreciated the fact that if Sir John Macdonald's first administration had been allowed to carry out its plans the Canadian Pacific Railway would have been built by the late Sir Hugh and his associates years before it was, greatly to the advantage of the country.

The Cornell University library reports a growth for the year 1895-96 of 12,923 volumes and 1,200 pamphlets. This represents the normal growth of the library since its endowment by the Hon. Henry W. Sage. The total number is now 186,000 volumes and 30,000 pamphlets. About 4,000 volumes come annually to Cornell University as gifts. During the past year Mr. William Fiske gave 1,300, chiefly on Dante, but some to be added to the Romantic collection; ex-President White and Theodore Stanton presented some 300 each; Professor Crane gave 230 rare and valuable volumes, and the rest came in small gifts. The year was chiefly marked, in the matter of purchases, by the acquisition of a large number of sets of literary and scientific periodicals, chiefly German and eighteenth-century English.

The original and the best—Watson's Baking Powder, 25c a pound. One teaspoonful to the pound of flour.

DIED.

In this city, on the 19th Oct., 1896, Michael Raymond, infant child of Mrs. John Dunn, aged two months. At Greenvale, Lot 23, on the 13th inst., after a short illness of six days, with pneumonia and heart disease, which she bore with Christian patience, Catherine W., beloved wife of Emanuel Jewell, in her 64th year. She leaves a sorrowing husband, seven sons and three daughters to mourn the loss of a dutiful wife and kind and loving mother.

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TELEGRAPHIC.

SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER

NOTES FROM THE CAPITAL.

Settlement Not Yet Announced.

MOVEMENTS OF THE MINISTERS.

Hon. Mr. Fisher Coming Here.

OTTAWA, Oct. 20. There was a three hours' Council meeting yesterday.

The Premier will leave for Quebec City and Arthabaska on Wednesday. On the same day Hon. Mr. Tarte will leave for Manitoba, and Hon. Mr. Fisher will start also on Wednesday for an inspection of the quarantine stations of Quebec and the Maritime Provinces. He will visit P. F. Island and deliver three addresses. Dr. Borden will leave on Thursday for Nova Scotia. There will not be any more full meetings of the Cabinet for a month or more.

FUNERAL OF DR. McLELLAN.

Remains Coming Home to P. E. Island.

GLoucester, Mass. Oct. 20. The funeral of Dr. A. C. McLellan took place yesterday. The remains were escorted to the depot by the Scottish class and placed on the train to be conveyed to his home in Prince Edward Island.

Failure of Hall & Fairweather.

St. Jons, Oct. 20. Messrs. Hall & Fairweather, of this city, have assigned. Their liabilities are placed at \$50,000. The largest local creditors, Hall & Fairweather are believed to be Mr. J. B. Macdonald, who are said to be creditors for \$4,000 or \$5,000. No one else in the city is involved for more than \$1,000 except, perhaps, the banks. It is understood that the immediate cause of their suspension was the death of the head of the firm of Humphrey & Trites at Petecodac.

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PROMPTNESS FOR SALE. OFFERS will be received by W. L. Stewart, Broker, Jew and the undersigned, for the valuable property situated on St. John's Street, Charlottetown, being part of common Lot No. 20, and owned by heirs of late John "Slaters". The property will be sold by Public Auction if not disposed of by Nov. 11. For full particulars apply to the undersigned. PETERS, PETERS & INGERSOLL, Solicitors, Cameron Block, Charlottetown, Oct 16—mon & wed. WANTED—House, furnished preferred, with 14 or more rooms, hot water heat, bath room, water closets and electric light. Please notify Dr. CHIT, at the store of W. A. Weeks Co. Oct 16—31

Legendary Leather. Gravely enough tradition tells that St. Crispin, the first shoemaker, got his leather from the Angels. Seriously enough, many shoe wearers might also inquire whether some shoe factories to-day don't get their leather from the devil—it's so burnt up, and short lived and conducive to swearing. Good Shoes can't be made from bad leather—everybody knows that. But shine and finish so disguise poor leathers to-day, that few people can tell the trustworthy, from the worthless kinds. Any leather which won't stand hot water, can't stand perspiration, and will burn up and wear out, from foot acids generated in the shoe. The Chrome tanned leathers now used in the "Slater Shoe," are the only kind which will bear twenty minutes boiling in hot water, and come out as soft, pliant, tough and glossy, as when put in the pot. It is waterproof, sweatproof, and as nearly wearproof as leather can be made, but the average Shoe Dressing will burn up even this sort in a few months. Slater Shoe Polish, used once a week and dusted regularly, retains its lustre for seven days, and makes this Slater Shoe leather, with good care, give a year's service. The Shoes are \$3.00, \$4.00, \$5.00 (stamped on the sole) The Polish is 25c. per bottle. Get a copy of "LEATHER FOODS" (free) from The Slater Shoe. J. M. McLeod & Co, AGENT

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