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OUR APPLE MARKET.

The Toronto World is probably as good a Conservative paper as there is in Canada, but it does not appear to think that the interests of the party are advanced by reiterated denunciation of their opponents, and by two columns of party editorials every day.

In a recent number it contributes the following interesting article on the non-partizan question, "The Canadian Apple":-The Canadian apple ought to have a world-wide reputation. It is of course already very well known in Great Britain, but its qualities are rare and its fame is worthy of being carried to all parts of the world. The Canadian apple trade should be run on the same business principle that has done so much for the Canadian cheese industry. Mr. Glen (an Ontario authority) points out that there are far less difficulties to overcome in opening and retaining a market in the United States for 10,000,000 barrels of prime Canadian apples, at high prices, than there was in creating a market for 152,000,000 pounds of prime feed stall cattle in Great Britain. The cheese and cattle net the producers not more than fifteen million dollars, while it is claimed the apples will net at least twenty millions, and cost less to produce. Success in the business depends upon selection, packing, quality, condition and appearance when exposed for sale. If it is a fact, as we believe it is, that no country can produce a better apple than Canada, then the cream of the world's business in apples is ours if we will but only cultivate it. Canadian apples retain their firmness, brisk acid flavor, crispness and appetizing quality longer than those grown in warmer countries. We undoubtedly have the climate. What our fruit growers should devote their attention to is the cultivation of the best varities and the marketing of them on the most approved system. The Canadian farmer will secure a competency sooner by the exercise of intelligence than

by the use of muscle." Carleton County raises quantities of the best varieties of apples, thanks to the energy and genius of Mr Frank Sharp. The use of this delicious and nutricious fruit is becoming more general as time advances, and the timely advice of the World, may well be followed by Carleton County farmers, almost all, of whom, are apple raisers on a large or small

FREIGHT RATES.

One of the most crying duties of the Board of Trade of Woodstock, has been and is to deal with the freight rates on the C. P. R. as they affect this town. It appears Woodstock is not alone in this matter of oppressive freight rates, nor is the C. P. R. the only railway offender. The Chatham Board of Trade has recently held a meeting the object being to meet and confer with the authorities of the C. P. R. and the Canada Eastern. The president of the board said that the importers of flour and other heavy goods had a griev ance in the way Chatham was treated com pared with other competition points. Mr Sutherland of the C. P. R. agreed that there was a grievance and he thought Chatham was entitled to a less rate of freight. He would report to the traffic agent and suggest that Chatham be put on the same basis as Fred ericton and he had no doubt but that the C. P. R. would meet the views of the people favorably.

Mr. Hoben, superintendant of the Canada Eastern Railway, said he was not warranted in offering so much for the C. E. R. as the other road but he had no doubt but Mr. Gibson would, so far as he was able, meet the views of the board. He said if the Canada Pacific and the Canada Eastern reduced the rates the I. C. R. and Grand Trunk would have to fall in line.

Chatham has an advantage over Woodstock in being a competitive point.

Mr. Ignatius Donnelly has a good word to say for Mr. Bryan, the democratic free silver candidate for the presidency of the United States, only he adds that Bryan is talking too much, and standing over a powder magazine. When Mr. McKinley was before the Republican convention, good money men were complaining that he kept his lips sealed too closely. Now, the democrats have to bear the other extreme from their nominee. However, Mr. Bryan found that it was his talking that put him where he is, and probably believes it. sticking by an old supporter.

In these days of sharp competition even executioners must beware of rivals. An exchange says:-Radcliffe, the Canadian hangman, has made application to High Sheriff VanBlarcom, for the job of hanging Peter Wheeler on Sept. 8th. The Sheriff has replied to Radcliffe regarding his offer, inquiring the probable expense of his coming to Digby as the executioner of the murderer of Annie Kempton.

Among the \$500,000 worth of wedding presents recently given to Princess Maud of Wales, were no less than five bicycles, which leads the New York World to say:-"The bicycle is emphatically the democratic triumph of a democratic age. Like love, it levels ranks, and its supremacy in the cottage and on the country road is now not more complete than its supremacy in the palace."

WORKING FOR HIS HOME.

A Romantic Case of an English Nobleman. There is now living at Vineland, N. J., a man, humble in occupation, known as plain Mr. Swift. None but his closest friends know that he is struggling for a seat in the House of Lords of Great Britain. Mr. Swift, the patient toiler in the fields, the humble mechanic in a workshop, the modest vendor of household goods of his own handiwork, is the Right Hon. George Godwin Burnham Swift, the son and rightful heir to the title and estates of the late Lord Carlingford of Swifte's Heath, Ireland. The family was established in Ireland centuries ago. In 1639 the title is found in the list of Peers entitled to sit in the House of Lords. The family estates comprise Swifte's Heath, County Kilkenny; Lion's Den, Castle Rickard, in County Westmeath; two estates in County Carlow, an estate named Loonagh in County Leitrim, real estate in Palmyra and Dundrum and valuable property in the city of Dublin. They yield an income of about £20,000 (\$100,000) per annum.

The claimant on the second marriage of Lord Carlingford left home to seek his fortune. He was then 17 years of age. He joined H. M. transport frigate Monarch as port officer. He had some strange adventures all over the world and finally settled in Canada determined to accept an honest employment that would support him. He found employment on farms and in workshops, or railroads and in lumber camps, working faithfully year in and year out and never losing hope of the ultimate triumph of

It is only lack of funds that prevents him prosecuting his suit. Mr. Swift has documents in proof of his claim, including the certificate of marriage of his parents in St. John's Church, Liverpool, the "after banns" registered at Dale-street, Liverpool, and of his birth and baptism, copies of which are also in Somerset House, London,

Mr. Swift's case is now in the "Four Courts of Dublin," and he is in constant communication with his counsel. Mr. Swift has worn on his finger a gold ring on which is the likeness of King Charles I., and given by the King to Mr. Swift's ancestor, Sir God. win Swift, a token for selling his Yorkshire estates for many broad pieces of gold, with which he purchased the liberty of His Majesty from Carisbrook Castle, Isle of Wight. Mr. Swift lives in his humble cottage at No. 413 Pear-street, and is often seen accompanied by his pet, a little yellow dog.

No Protests.

Against the ranges furnished by the Rhode Island Range Company of Toronto. There may be protests in parliamentary life, but in the matter of business, people do not enter protests unless they are dissatisfied with the goods purchased. And these goods are all that they are represented. A DISPATCH representative visited the ware rooms on Main street used by this company. He was very much impressed with the style of range which the company offers to the public It is something entirely new to Carleton County, and the beauty of it, is that it fills all the purposes of a summer stove, doing all the work of cooking, and giving little heat, while in winter it will be found a great heater, as well as a most satisfactory cook stove. Having interviewed many who have purchased, THE DISPATCH finds all who are in possession of the ranges highly pleased. This company considers that they are doing their business on a purely legitimate scale, that they have forefilled all the conditions required by the by-laws of the county, and that the only charge against them, should be, dissatisfaction with the goods they furnish. Of course, they expect that competitors will underrate their goods, but they are prepared to meet all opposition.

Applicants Heard From.

A Premier does not have all plain sailing as is shown by the following paragraph re Mr. Laurier's correspondence. An exchange says: Mr. Laurier is fairly deluged with correspondence, and works far into the night in a vain attempt to keep pace with the steady stream of applications, etc., which have already reached the respectable number o

Gibson's Hotel.

Gibson's Oyster and Eating House is the most popular resort at present. It is in the old Vendome restaurant situation, but, is now conducted on first class business principles. Besides being a restaurant, where lunches are served, Gibson's is a first class hotel, and boarders will be put up there at rates competing with any in the town. A bill of fare for the various meals is offered which will entice every traveller. Don't forget the place. On Queen street second door from THE DISPATCH office.

By Acclamation.

The following ministers were elected by acclamation on Thursday last for the constituencies before their name, Quebec East, Laurier; Kings Co., N. S., Borden; Brome, Fisher; Quebec Co., Fitzpatrick; Oxford S., Cartwright; Portneuf, Joly; York N., Mulock; Queens W P. E. I., Davies.

Food for the Brain.

Fish is a great thing to build up the brain, and most of us can stand a little increase in brain power.

Jackson's Fish Market, near the bridge, is the place to go for fresh fish. Today they receive importations from the islands of fresh mackerel, cod and haddock. Salmon they have always on hand. The fish are kept in ice compartments, and cleaned by expert hands, and made ready for the cooking in a moment's time. Telephone your order and the fish will be with you in a second, more or less time. Country produce taken in exchange for fish, or groceries, which are kept in stock. For good, fresh fish, patronize the Fish Market.

Among the latest importations by this firm a lot of dry gilt edged pollock, which are considered by fish fanciers as very fine. They are dried by the party who won the first prize at the Campobello fish fair last year. The fall stock is already being put in place in the market. All the usual fresh fish besides these extra varieties in prepared fish can be secured by telephoning to the Fish

Algoma Gold.

TORONTO, August 1 .- Mr. Adam Staght, inspector for the province, who has been in the Algoma district nearly all summer examining the mining properties there, has returned to the city. He is enamored with the prospects in the north. "Extensive prospecting has been going on all summer," said he yesterday, "and the only one fact that hinders extensive operations there is the dearth of capital. People with money do not seem yet to know of th richness of that district and of the amount of wealth in store for the miner." No, the state of that country has not been exaggerated. There are twelve mines where active operations are being carried on, and not one of them have proved to be disappointing. The Sultana mines have surprised every person by its wealth. One peculiarity of this mine is that it extends out 300 feet under the Lake of the Woods, and while the miners work the water rages above them. The Regina mines have eight men actively employed. In the Seine River district but two mines have been opened. They are the Foley and Ferguson, and

both of these are rich with ore, and that district promises to be as favorable as the Rainy River. Prof. Coleman is busy prospecting all over the district and will not return for another month.

The Bishop's Sideboards.

As if anxious to remove finally and definitely all fears of High Churchism, His Lordship the Bishop of Niagara is again cultivating an elegant pair of side-whiskers. Our Low Church friends in Hamilton who were apprehensive of the introduction of ritualistic practices from the fact that Bishop DuMoulin had shaved his face clean now feel greatly relieved.—Toronto World.

Hard Times Suggestion.

The Garden City Herald wants the motto on the silver dollar changed from "In God we trust" to "God be with you till we meet

Yarns.

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This notice is intended especially for Farmers. Those who have yarn made to order by us have been exceedingly well pleased, and 'tis a very frequent expression, "We will spin no more at home." Think of one machine spinning as much as one hundred women. We don't wonder farmers' wives are tired of it, besides it will cost very much more to do it at home than than it will cost

Send along your wool soon as it is dry and your orders. We can make any size for you. Be sure and send samples of sizes. By sending your wool and orders early you will be able to have your yarn at hand more promptly, for all along the summer months we are rushed with this work.

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