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THE QUESTION OF WAR.

Few people unless the utterly unimaginative will read the news that war is on between England and the Transvaal without feelings of regret. In this part of the world we have not experienced the horrors of war, and we are not in a position to know what it means, from experience.

It seems that Canadian troops are to be taken to the scene of battle, not so much because their assistance is actually required, but, rather, to give an object lesson to the world of the unity of the Empire. If England is supposed to spend her last shilling and her last man in the defence of Canada, Canada should undoubtedly be ready to do the same by England. In fact if the British Empire is as one nation, its resources must be exhausted in support and defence of any part attacked.

At the same time the question arises. Should we be asked to go to war without having a voice in the parliament or council which decides upon war? As things are at present we are at war whenever England is at war. If the Transvaal had a big navy, how long would it be in attacking any point in Canada, if it found it to its advantage so to do. If we were at war with France would not the French do all they could towards making a section of the Canadians, at all events, dissatisfied. As at present constituted, Canada must stand or fall with England. A war with England means a war with Canada. Whoever disputes this, simply knows not our history. We are part and parcel of the Empire, and when one section of the Empire is attacked, all other sections are liable to attack.

The British Empire is in a state of war. At present, there is no cause of alarm. Transvaal gun boats are not likely to steam up the St. John and destroy our handsome bridge, nor need the fact that the Meduxnakkik dam is out, alarm the residents around Red Bridge.

Imperial Federation is in the air. Every year that passes leaves some record of advance in the direction of complete consolidation. A Canadian judge now has a seat in the Privy Council, the highest court of the Empire. Direct representation in the Imperial Parliament we have not yet, but it can only be a question of time when that will come. In the meantime, there is every reason to believe that the Imperial authorities, gauge the sentiment of the people throughout the Empire before taking any steps leading to war. Thus, indirectly we are represented at Westminster, but we wish to be represented, directly. Sir Wilfred Laurier said as much during the jubilee demonstrations.

It is difficult to say when and whether a war is justifiable. While many people deplore the strife between Spain and the United States, few will be found to prophesy that Cuba, twenty years hence will not be a better country to live in and to hold property in, than if there had been no war, and the same prophecy will hold with regard to the Philippines. Egypt is the better for English rule, and if South Africa becomes all British, it will be a better country to live in than under Kruger's regime. Kruger is like Cromwell. Pretending to be democratic he is more autocratic than any czar.

There is much to criticize in British government and British methods. And the same may be said of American affairs.

But will some one rise and explain how it happens that while citizens of all countries, come to British and American possessions, to make money and to remain as citizens, British or Americans go not at all to foreign countries. The absorption is all on the one side. This is history, which no specious argument can gainsay.

Increasing a Salary.

"I heard a quaint little story the other day about Collis P. Huntington," said a New Orleans railroad man. "It may or may not be true, but, anyhow, it's picturesque enough to bear retelling."

"A few years ago, according to the yarn, his private secretary, Mr. Miles, struck him gently for an increase of salary."

"Do you need any more money?" asked Huntington, thoughtfully.

"No, sir, I don't exactly need it," replied Mr. Miles, "but still I'd be glad to be getting a little more."

"Ah, hum-m-m" mused his employer, "can you get along without the advance for the present?"

"Oh, yes," answered the secretary, "I guess so," and the matter was dropped.

A couple of years later a new boy appeared at the Miles home, and the secretary thought

the time propitious to renew the application.

"Why, my dear sir," said Mr. Huntington, when he heard him through, "I raised your salary when you asked me before."

"I never heard anything about it," said the secretary in amazement.

"Probably not," returned Mr. Huntington; "in fact, I used that money to buy a piece of property for you. I'd just let it stand for a while if I were you." Mr. Miles thanked him warmly and retired, somewhat mystified.

Recently Mr. Huntington called him into his private office. "By the way, Miles," he said, "I have sold that real estate of yours at a pretty good advance. Here is the check." The amount was \$50,000.

"The property was part of a large section purchased by the railway king as an investment for his wife, and he is understood to have cleared several millions by the deal. This story is being told generally in railway circles just at present. Mr. Miles is well known here, and is a good fellow all over."—Chicago Times-Democrat.

Of Local Interest.

To all who have felt the evil effects of deranged kidneys is the assurance that Dr. A. W. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills are meeting with enormous sale and unparalleled success in this district. Backaches and aching kidneys are fast becoming a thing of the past where Dr. A. W. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills are known. One cent a dose, 25 cents a box, at all dealers.

He Had a Fit.

The merchant uttered a sharp exclamation and sank back in his chair. A telegram fell from his shaking hand. His eyes were wide, his face white, and beads of perspiration stood on his brow. The men in the outer office whispered among themselves.

"Touch of heart disease?" asked one. "No; the old man can't take up a note," said another. "I've heard rumors of that kind. We fellows will have to be looking for another place."

"Get to work—ne's coming to again." The merchant wiped his brow, fetched a despairing sigh, picked up the paper from the floor, frowned and stamped his foot, as if to summon all his resolution, placed the telegram on his desk, and forced himself to read the bitter message. This was it:

Dearest James: Please send the waist for my gros grain suit at once. You will remember the one, as it has revers on the frontage and chain stitched biases on the back. It is in the lower trunk in the cupboard beside the back room, under your winter overcoat. If not there, it must be in the sealed box on the third shelf in front of the room cupboard. If you don't find it there, it must be somewhere else. The trunk keys are in the second wardrobe drawer, unless they were put in the chiffoniere; and I think the keys are in a vase on one of the mantels. Pack the waist so as not to wrinkle it; and, oh, James, please do not swear! Your loving wife."—Tit Bits.

PINEAPPLE ESSENCE

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Ammonia and water cleans mud off an umbrella.

Dry your pots before you put them on the shelf.

Lemons stowed separately, in dry sand keep fresh.

Ink spilt on the carpet is removable with milk.

A bedroom crowded with furniture is very unhealthful.

A penny worth of oxalic acid in water cleans straw hats.

Gilt picture frames should be cleaned with half an onion.

A woman's hair may be burnished with a silk handkerchief.

A raw egg swallowed will detach a fish bone in the throat.

Mustard plasters made with white of eggs do not blister.

A regular routine of daily work should be planned and carried out.

Palms require little water, but their leaves must be washed.

Cupboards and storerooms are overhauled at least once a month.

Every penny spent should be accounted for in a book kept for that purpose.

Mix fuller's earth and cold water to remove grease from wall paper.

On the first indication of Diarrhoea or Dysentery a few doses of DR. FOWLER'S EXT. OF WILD STRAWBERRY will promptly check the advance of these dangerous diseases.

It has been over 40 years in use and has no equal for the cure of bowel complaints of young or old. There are many dangerous imitations on the market, so it would be wise to see that the full name, Dr. Fowler's Ext. of Wild Strawberry, is on every bottle you buy.

Don't try to save time by laying utensils anywhere; it makes work.

The servants' room be kept as neat and clean as any room in the house.

Old rags are not used in the housework, but suitable cloths be provided.

Great cleanliness as well as care and attention are required in cooking.

Be careful not to use a knife that has cut onions until it has been cleaned.

Keep your hands very clean, and don't wipe your fingers on anything that is handy.

Clean up as far as possible as you go. Put scalding water in each pan as you finish with it.

The beds are striped and aired daily, and the clothes placed where the fresh air can reach them.

The draughts are checked in the kitchen range as soon as the meals are prepared, to reduce the coal bill.

Never throw anything but water down the sink. Keep sink and sink brush scrupulously clean.

It will save you considerable trouble and annoyance if you see that the dish towels and glass linen are scalded each day and thoroughly washed and ironed each week and dried in the open air.

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Hartford, Aug. 5, 1899.

C. P. R. TIME TABLE.

In effect October 2nd, 1899.

DEPARTURES—Eastern Standard Time. (QUEEN STREET STATION).

6.20 A MIXED—Week days—for McAdam Jr. M St. Stephen, St. Andrew, Fredericton, Saint John and East, Bangor, Portland, Boston.

8.35 A MIXED—Week days—for Aroostook M Junction, Presque Isle, etc.

11.28 A EXPRESS—Week days—for Presque M Isle, Edmundston, and all points North.

1.55 P MIXED—Week days—for Fredericton, M etc., via Gibson Branch.

3.20 P MIXED—Week days—for Bath and M intermediate points.

4.18 P EXPRESS—Week days—for Saint John and East, Vanceboro, Sherbrooke, Montreal, and there with IMPERIAL LINES for all points West, Northwest, and on the Pacific Coast, Bangor, Portland, Boston, etc.

8.05 P MIXED—Week days—for Debec Junction and Houlton.

ARRIVALS.

7.40 A. M.—MIXED—Week days, from McAdam Junction.

11.28 A. M.—EXPRESS—Week days, from Sait John, St. Stephen, St. Andrews, Boston, Montreal, etc.

12.15 P. M.—MIXED—Week days, from Fredericton, etc., via Gibson Branch.

1.30 P. M.—MIXED—Week days, from Presque Isle.

4.18 P. M.—EXPRESS—Week days, from Presque Isle, Caribou, Edmundston, etc.

5.40 P. M.—MIXED—Week days, from Houlton. 7.47 P. M.—MIXED—Week days, from Bath and intermediate points.

9.40 P. M.—MIXED—Week days, from St. John, Portland, St. Stephen, etc.

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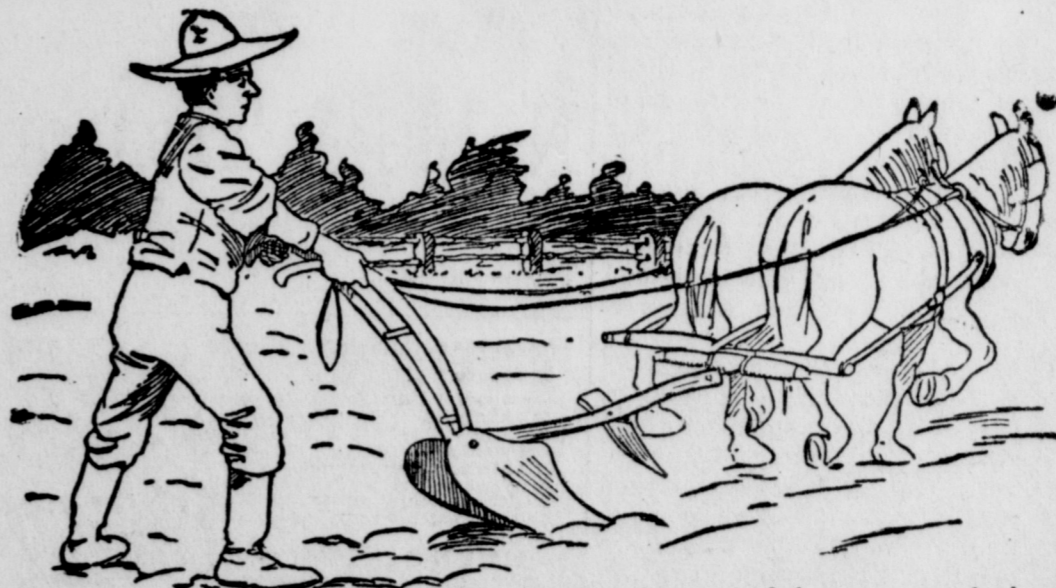
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GRAPES. GRAPES.

We are now selling large quantities of Ontario Grapes—100 baskets arrived this week.

C. M. SHERWOOD & BRO.

WOODSTOCK.



I am a farmer located near Stony Brook, one of the most malarious districts in this State, and was bothered with malaria for years, at times so I could not work, and was always very constipated as well. For years I had malaria so bad in the spring, when engaged in plowing, that I could do nothing but shake. I must have taken about a barrel of quinine pills besides dozens of other remedies, but never obtained any permanent benefit. Last fall, in peach time, I had a most serious attack of chills and then commenced to take Ripans Tabules, upon a friend's advice, and the first box made me all right and I have never been without them since. I take one Tabule each morning and night and sometimes when I feel more than usually exhausted I take three in a day. They have kept my stomach sweet, my bowels regular and I have not had the least touch of malaria nor splitting headache since I commenced using them. I know also that I sleep better and wake up more refreshed than formerly. I don't know how many complaints Ripans Tabules will help, but I do know they will cure any one in the condition I was and I would not be without them at any price. I honestly consider them the cheapest-priced medicine in the world, as they are also the most beneficial and the most convenient to take. I am twenty-seven years of age and have worked hard all my life, the same as most farmers, both early and late and in all kinds of weather, and I have never enjoyed such good health as I have since last fall; in fact, my neighbors have all remarked my improved condition and have said, "Say, John, what are you doing to look so healthy?"

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