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HERE'S A POSER.

(From the Canadian Courier). Seldom does an editor acknowledge defeat, but here is one case. This is the letter which it did:

"Brandon, July 11, 1913.

"Sir:-

"I find by reading the Farmer's Weekly Telegram, published in Winnipeg, that the Conservatives intend to introduce a far-reaching policy of aid to agriculture, and that in the meantime they have appropriated \$500,000 to be apportioned among the Provinces 'on a population basis.' This, I think, is a highly commendable innovation, and reflects credit on Mr. Borden and Mr. Burrill.

"But WHAT BOTHERS ME IS WHY THIS PRINCIPLE—ON A POPULATION BASIS—IS ADOPTED IN THIS CASE, AND REFUSED IN THE CASE OF THE HIGHWAYS BILL. I UNDERSTAND THE SENATE OFFERED TO PASS THE HIGHWAYS BILL IF THE MONEY WAS DISTRIBUTED 'ON A POPULATION BASIS.' WHY DOES THE GOVERNMENT ADOPT IT IN ONE CASE AND NOT IN THE OTHER?"

"Yours truly,

"LIBERAL-CONSERVATIVE"

The editor confesses an inability to answer the question. If any member of Parliament or party journalist can explain, we shall be glad to give the necessary space.

THE BALKAN WAR.

The short war between the Balkan States of Europe, as the result of a dispute over territory taken from Turkey, must soon come to an end for want of money. Bulgaria has been properly punished for her vicious attack on Serbia and Greece, her design being apparently to throw her army between their two armies and overcome each in turn. The ambition of Bulgaria has been to predominate in what was once Turkey in Europe, and in this she is now doomed to disappointment. Greece will retain Salonika, and Serbia will retain as much of Macedonia as the great powers permit her to have. As Greece can never become dangerously powerful and the Servians are not belligerent, the peace of Europe is less likely to be broken than if Bulgaria had had her way. The short war has been characterized by the most abominable cruelties, before which the "Bulgarian atrocities" so graphically announced by Mr. Gladstone a generation ago as having been perpetrated by the Turks, sink into insignificance.

DANCING AS IT IS.

Herbert Kaufman, an editorial writer in the "Woman's World," does not mince matters in dealing with the new dances that have now swept the country from end to end. Under the heading, "Dancing to Destruction," he has the following to say:

"When I hear the music in the 'Turkey Trot,' the 'Tango,' the 'Grizzly Bear,' and the 'Bunny Hug' I can see the devil fiddling in the band. A few years ago the police interdicted stage exhibitions of a less gross character. Today, fathers and husbands and brothers 'trot' unblushingly in company with mothers and daughters and sisters—the spectacle is appalling.

"The minuet is stately and exquisite; the waltz is poetry in motion; there is pure rhythm in the schottische and the polka, joy of living in the mazourka and char-dash, and rollicking fun in the Virginia reel. But the 'trot' and 'hug' and 'tangos' are heritages from the bagnio—gifts of the brothel.

"A strong-willed and clean-minded woman can at least restrain the impulses that must arise when her whole body is clasped against the sensuous swaying person of her partner, but the menace therein for the ignorant and irresolute of every age, is self-evident.

"New York has gone dance-mad. The Broadway restaurants are crowded nightly with 'trotters' whose activities continue until the closing hour. Roadhouses advertise dancing for their patrons, and halls devoted solely to 'trotting' and 'ragging' are being opened in all quarters.

"The seriousness of the situation is intensified by the sale of drinks; and between lascivious music, lustful dancing and liquor, the toll of dishonor is bound to be heavy.

"To make matters worse, many hotels announce dances, affording opportunity for girls to elude the vigilance of their parents and for married women to take advantage of their confiding and unsuspecting husbands.

"Meanwhile the devil fiddles and smiles—business is picking up in Hell."

That's putting it pretty strong. But after all, while we would not express it in just Mr. Kaufman's way, we believe that there is a great deal of truth in what he says. We are told that these dances can be performed in a perfectly decorous and proper manner, and that as a rule they are performed in such manner. Nevertheless, there is the physical fact, which Mr. Kaufman rather luridly describes, that cannot be blinked at by people who will be entirely honest with themselves.

THE RURAL EDITORS.

(From the Baltimore Sun)

The country editor may not be so potent a figure in rural sections as he was in former days, but he is still a power to be reckoned with, and he has a large part of his field to himself, in spite of the intrusion of bumpkins big city dailies. His paper is a home product and touches the home life of its readers at many points which no outsider can hope to reach. The items of individual and neighborhood gossip, at which wise city journalists used to laugh, have become the leading principle of the

metropolitan papers, and the personal column, which was once rejected by the city press, is now become the headstone of their own corner. For this reason the country newspaper often follows the country boy or girl who has moved to town and who can learn in no other way so well all that is going on at the old home place.

A rather gruesome article is appearing in several newspapers respecting the acts of the Canadian senators with a view of throwing light upon the possible date of the Conservatives obtaining a majority in the senate. It is an old saying that "It is ill waiting for dead men's shoes," and the Borden government had far better seek to present to the country some policy which would compel the senate to indorse it than to seek to shelter its incompetency and imbecility under the pretence that the senate is acting contrary to public opinion. But death is no respecter of persons. It even does not respect age and that usually is a factor. As for political parties, it favors one no more than the other. The table which has been prepared shows that in the Upper Chamber there are senators of eighty years of age and over as follows:—Conservatives 3; and Liberals 3. All the Liberal senators mentioned are over eighty years of age, and the three Conservative senators are each eighty years of age. From seventy to seventy-nine years of age, both inclusive there are as follows:—Conservatives 4; Liberals 11. Of course, it should not be overlooked that the Liberals are enormously in the majority in the senate. From sixty to sixty-nine years of age both inclusive there are as follows:—Conservatives 8; Liberals 17. From fifty to fifty-nine years of age, both inclusive there are Conservatives 6, and Liberals 12. From forty-one to forty-nine years of age both inclusive there are Conservatives 2, and Liberals 0.—Moncton Transcript.

In the campaign of 1911 Mr. Borden and his associates had two chief arguments, or, rather, assertions, against Reciprocity. One was that there should be "no truck or trade with the Yankees" lest the Empire be disrupted; the other was that Reciprocity would be bad for Canada in a material sense and, conversely, that the defeat of Reciprocity would make for the material advancement of the Dominion. In the fiscal year 1912-13, under Borden rule, Canada's "truck and trade with the Yankees" showed an increase over the last year of Laurier rule; so much for the first of the Tory arguments. Today Canada is experiencing a time of serious depression; so much for the Tory assertion that the defeat of Reciprocity meant increased prosperity for the Dominion.—Chronicle.

Rumors are bad things for anyone to deal in. They not only act to the discredit of the individual who indulges in them, when it is revealed that they are without foundation, but they are very apt to cause someone much trouble before the truth is known.

The street commissioners will receive suggestions on street building on Tuesdays and Fridays only. Experts will govern themselves accordingly.

Whenever a Friedmann patient dies

The John McLauchlan Co. Ltd.

Have found it advisable to make more extensive alterations in their new quarters than they at first anticipated doing, so that their Removal has been delayed very much, but they feel that they can have all of their principal lines moved there by August 2nd. So that they can announce to the public that they will throw their doors open to the public on Saturday, AUGUST 2nd, at 9 o'clock, a. m., with

A BIG ADJUSTMENT SALE
AS AN ATTRACTION

In moving their stock they find that it is enormously large and that it should be reduced nearly one half.

They are going to pay you liberally for helping them to accomplish this purpose by reducing the price so radically that every one will save a lot of money by buying at

THEIR BIG ADJUSTMENT SALE
WAIT FOR IT!

Anticipate your wants later on and buy at This Sale

Further particulars next week

The John McLauchlan Co. Ltd

The Clothiers, Hatters and Furnishers

Wonderful Value!

125 "HELIOS" BOTTLES ON SALE
At 98c

This Bottle will positively keep Hot Liquids Hot for 24 Hours
and Cold Liquids Cold for 3 Days

An Absolute Necessity for the Man who Carries His Lunch. For the Home,
for the Travelling Man, Etc. Etc.

Regular Value \$2.25—While they last 98 cents

EDGAR W. MAIR *The Rexall Store*

The Prescription Druggist, Etc

the fact is chronicled in the press of the land. After all, could they be expected to live forever.

The success of the big Liberal demonstration at Gagetown yesterday, is an encouraging sign of the times. The attendance was even larger than at last year's meeting, and the enthusiasm even greater. Unless all signs fail, Mr. J. J. Hughes, M. P., will be returned at the next election by a considerably increased majority.

Mr. Carvell made a splendid impression on the large audience who followed him with keen and intelligent interest, greeting with hearty applause, every argument sent home, and every point scored. Mr. Carvell is a clear cut, logical, convincing and fearless speaker, of exceptional ability and attractive personality.—P. E. I. Patriot.

The visit of Messrs. McDonald and Carvell, will create a stir in this Province that will be far-reaching in its efforts, and all who hear these

gentlemen and read the report of their speeches in the papers, will have at first hand, an excellent knowledge of the political situation and a still greater encouragement for the return of the Liberal party, both in the Dominion Parliament and our provincial legislature.—P. E. I. Patriot.

Don't get the lines crossed in that town clock affair. Better come out into the open.

Big Adjustment Sale of the John McLauchlan Company Ltd Starts Saturday Morning

A Big Adjustment Sale is advertised in this issue which promises to be one of the most important sales ever held in this vicinity. They inform us that they have an immense stock on hand, and having planned some distinct changes in the conduct of this business the entire adjustment of the stock is necessary.

In order to carry out this plan, they must sell several thousand dollars worth of goods in a short time. This accounts for the startling slashes in prices to be made for this sale, and it is to be expected that the store will be crowded when the sale opens.

The Sentinel is glad to call this sale to the special attention of its readers, knowing full well that those who attend will have every reason to be glad they did so.

BUSINESS LOCALS

E. A. Burden is selling two cans of salmon for 25c.

DEVELOPING and PRINTING. For good results send your Films to GARDEN BROS., Druggists.

LOST—Between Phillips' Meat Market and the Paysen Building, one large Molasses Pump. Finder will please leave it at the Home Restaurant, and oblige.

Kill the Flies. Sticky and Poison Fly Papers, Sticky Flyscopes (to hang up) at Garden's Drug Store.

The "White Front Store" can supply your wants in fruit. We have everything choice and fresh. E. A. Burden.

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff. Vinolia Co's. SWEET PEA Toilet Soap—an absolutely pure soap, 3 for 25 cents, at Garden's Drug Store.

PNEUMATICA STOPS YOUR PAIN or breaks up your cold in an hour. It's marvellous. Applied externally All Druggists.

A choice assortment of fruit just received at E. A. Burden's.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Clarence Hamilton, Barber, wishes to announce that he is prepared to HONE RAZORS

for twenty-five cents. Mail orders ten cents extra for each razor. He will also repair razor handles. A splendid hair tonic, excellent for dandruff, itching scalps and falling hair may be obtained from him at the Hairdressing Establishment of Mrs. A. F. Winslow, Regent St., Woodstock 2mo-30-pd.