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OTTAWA LETTER.

OTTAWA, May 2nd.—Parliament knocked off work last night at six o'clock in order to enable the Conservatives to attend a banquet given to their party leader in the Senate dining hall. It was quite a representative gathering, and included Hon. George E. Foster and Hon. E. J. Flynn, leader of the Conservative party in Quebec. Sir MacKenzie Bowell and Mr. Foster were at the same table, but they did not exchange words. They never do, Sir MacKenzie being as relentless as ever against the traitors of 1896. Mr. Whitney, the leader of the Opposition in the Ontario Legislature, was also present.

The chief event of the evening, and perhaps one of the most significant events of the session, was the speech of Mr. Borden. It was set to a lofty key, in a political sense, and was at once a warning and a suggestion. In effect he told his followers that their defeat was due to the raising of the race and religion cry, and he intimated that continuance along this course would be both unpatriotic and ruinous. In future he declared that the Conservative party would not countenance the race and creed cry. He dwelt at some length on this theme, and it was quite clear that this was the dominating thought in his mind when considering what he should say at this important juncture to the Conservative party at large.

Mr. Borden will have the sympathy of the Liberal party and the co-operation of every right thinking Conservative in the land in any honest effort which he may put forth to stamp out the miserable appeals which have been made to racial and religious prejudices for political purposes. This racial question is just now the principal menace to the peace and progress of the country. Mr. Borden will, however, find that his mission in the interest of toleration lies chiefly within the compass of his own party. Scarcely a day passes that the chief Conservative organ, the Mail and Empire, does not indulge in the grossest misrepresentations in order to fan the flame of racial animosity. Mr. Clarke Wallace is not a whit better, and it would seem that an influential section of the Conservative party believe that an anti-French and an anti-Popery campaign would be certain to drive the Liberals from power.

Mr. Borden in the course of his speech claimed that since 1878 the Conservative party had not departed one iota from the principle of industrial development in Canada. This was rather an extraordinary statement in view of the recent action of the Opposition with regard to the steel rails contract, to which reference was made last week. That contract was entered into by the Government for the sole purpose of putting a great industry on its feet, and yet the Conservatives spent days of time in condemning it in unmeasured terms. In fact, they committed a religious blunder in arraying themselves against one of the soundest and most promising arrangements ever entered into by a Canadian Government.

Some very kind things were said by Mr. Borden by Mr. Foster, and the statement was received with cheers that he hoped to soon see him in Parliament again. This may be Mr. Borden's personal wish; but the fact remains that no effort whatever is being made to find a seat for the ex-Finance Minister, and when Mr. Foster came to speak there was a touch of irony in his appeal to the Conservatives present not to forget the men who had fallen in the fight. He warned his hearers that the doctrine was being

preached by a mischievous set of men that that principle did not count so much as success. This was a characteristic utterance by Mr. Foster, and it was quite along the line which he adopted during the campaign.

Mr. Ganong, the member for Charlotte, occupied one of the vice chairs. He had very little to say during the evening; but in the house the other night he made one of his annual attacks on the Minister of Railways. In that speech he fully sustained his unenviable reputation for undignified language and petty abuse. There are many who think that Mr. Ganong does himself a grave injustice in dropping to such a low level of criticism when he comes to refer to a political opponent; but he seems quite unable to get away from the standard which he had set in preceding years. Of course, he was ignored by the Minister.

The Premier announced on Tuesday last that hereafter the 24th of May would be recognized as a permanent national holiday. This measure will commend itself to the judgment and approval of the Canadian people. It is not intended, of course, that this day shall be marked by mourning for our dead Queen; but rather that it shall be characterized by rejoicing over her long and prosperous reign.

The Bank statement for March was a most satisfactory one. The deposit had increased during the month by \$2,000,000 and by \$37,000,000 as compared with a year ago. This increase of capital in the chartered banks is one of the marvelous features of the past five years. As showing that this money is being used in the ordinary commerce of the country, the Bank statement, indicates that loans and discounts increased by \$4,000,000 during the month. These facts support the view that the wave of prosperity is still on the ascendant, rather than at its maximum as Mr. Fielding said might be the case in his budget speech.

A whole day was taken up during the week by a discussion on the subject of the census. The Opposition do not seem to be above trying to cast suspicion upon the character and accuracy of the enumeration now in progress. They based their attack on the fact that two circulars had been sent out, one in Ontario and the other in Quebec. The first was evidently prepared by some one who thought the gathering of the census to be a legitimate opportunity for the collection of political information, and an extra schedule was attached with that end in view. It was an impudent thing to do; but the Minister of Agriculture knew nothing about it, and the moment the matter was called to his attention he sent out peremptory orders that these extra questions should not be asked. As a matter of fact, the circular was not acted upon by any of the Commissioners in Ontario and no harm was done.

The other circular had reference to the registration of French Canadians. It was sent out by the Assistant Commissioner of the Province of Quebec, who claims that it was only intended to secure an accurate enumeration. It was, however, foolishly marked "Confidential," and this fact afforded the Opposition a basis upon which to impute improper motives and to charge complicity upon the Government. There was, of course, no warrant for this criticism, as this circular, like the one in Ontario, was wholly unauthorized. Neither of these matters was of much importance, and it is a pity that the Conservatives should have seized upon them for the purpose of making a general attack upon the census.

The week past has been given up very largely to the consideration of the estimates, and the Intercolonial items were

chiefly under review. The Opposition are always active when the subject of the Intercolonial is up, and Mr. Haggart has given informal notice that he intends to move a resolution with regard to Mr. Blair's management. If Mr. Haggart had been half as industrious while he was Minister of Railways as he now is in criticizing the present management of the Intercolonial would not have got into the state in which Mr. Blair found it.

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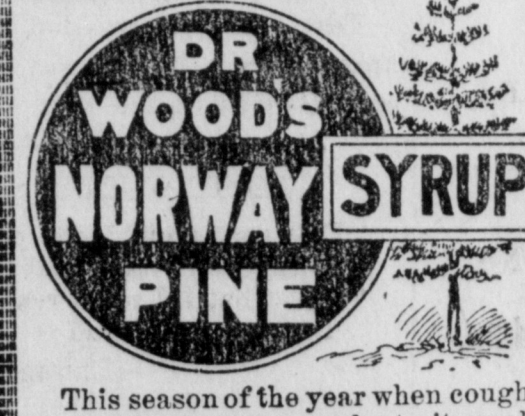
### A LITERARY NIGHTMARE

When does Mary Mapes Dodge? When Thomas W. Knox.  
 What did Charles Reade? What ever he saw Mabel Osgood Wright.  
 When is it that John Burroughs? When he hears Edward Everett Hale.  
 Why did they Hall Cane? To make Frances Hodgson Burnett.  
 Who gave Thomas Paine? Hamilton Wright, Mable.  
 What made Winston Church-ill? Eating what he saw John Eston Cooke.  
 What will make Walter A. Wyckoff? I Zang will  
 Why did Charles Darwin? Because he never turned his back to De-foe.  
 Where did Captain Frederick Marry-at? At the Ellen Olney Kirk.  
 What made Colone I Richard H. Savage? Hearing Charles Carleton Coffin.  
 Why was Wagner Haydn away Bach? Because DeKoven had him on his title List.  
 What kept Charlotte M. Yonge? Helping Elizabeth Phipps Train.  
 Why do we not laugh at R. D. Blackmore? Because we find James Greenleaf Whittier.  
 Whence came Samuel Smiles? Because he saw a hen reward Beecher.  
 Why did miss Mu-lock up the silver? Because she saw Flora Annie Steele.—Life.

MELBOURNE, May 6.—The Duke and the Duchess of Cornwall and York landed from the steamer Ophir at two o'clock this afternoon. They were received at the pier head by Lord Hopetoun, governor-general, and state and federal ministers. The party passed down the quarter of a mile of carpeted pier and entered carriages and proceeded a distance of seven miles through brilliantly decorated streets, bordered with almost continuous lines of stands filled to their utmost capacity. The entire street was lined with demonstrative crowds amid elaborate decorations. Opposite the town hall the procession passed beneath the Queen's arch, occupied with the royal colors and sheltering a golden statue of Queen Victoria. Twelve thousand troops were in line. There are eighty thousand visitors in Melbourne. The drive terminated at government house.

### WOOD'S NEW BLOOD PILLS

While proceeding down the St. John river Thursday the steamer May Queen made a stop at Upper Jemseg to take some passengers and freight from a scow. The water was very rough and before the scow could be reached the seas broke over the boat and it began to fill. The steamer was fortunately able to run close enough to the scow to enable those on her to jump on board the steamer just as the scow swamped. All the baggage and freight on the scow was lost.



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### RICH, RED BLOOD.

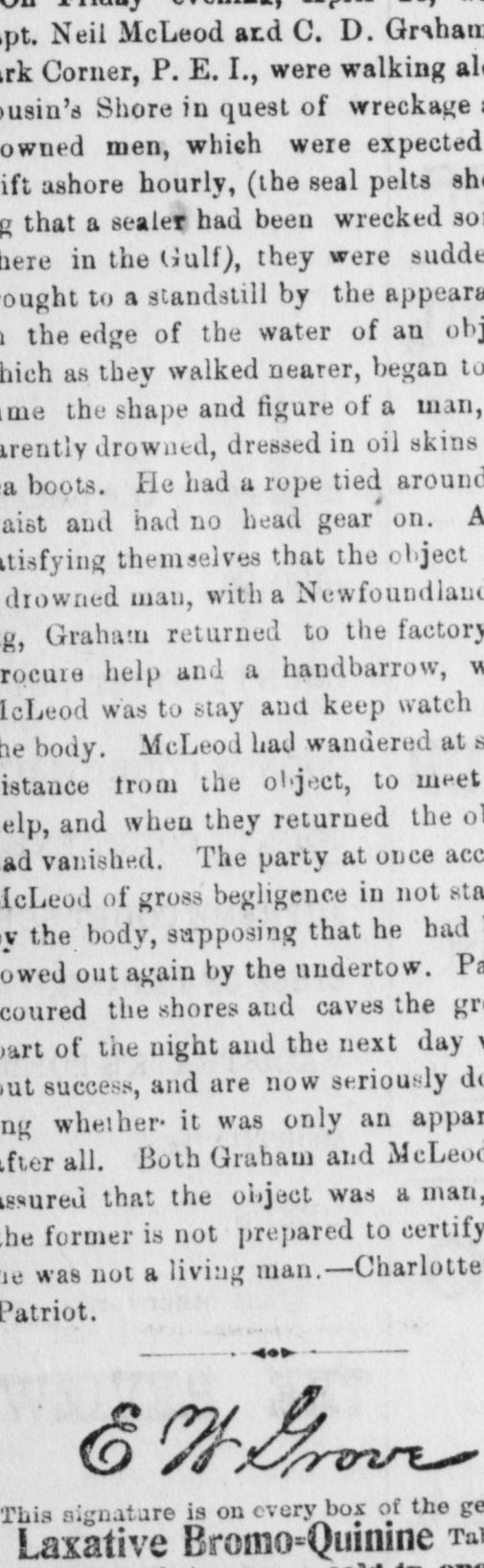
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On Friday evening, April 26, while Capt. Neil McLeod and C. D. Graham of Park Corner, P. E. I., were walking along Cousin's Shore in quest of wreckage and drowned men, which were expected to drift ashore hourly, (the seal pelts showing that a sealer had been wrecked somewhere in the Gulf), they were suddenly brought to a standstill by the appearance on the edge of the water of an object, which as they walked nearer, began to assume the shape and figure of a man, apparently drowned, dressed in oil skins and sea boots. He had a rope tied around his waist and had no head gear on. After satisfying themselves that the object was a drowned man, with a Newfoundland's rig, Graham returned to the factory to procure help and a handbarrow, while McLeod was to stay and keep watch over the body. McLeod had wandered at some distance from the object, to meet the help, and when they returned the object had vanished. The party at once accused McLeod of gross negligence in not staying by the body, supposing that he had been towed out again by the undertow. Parties scoured the shores and caves the greater part of the night and the next day without success, and are now seriously doubting whether it was only an apparition after all. Both Graham and McLeod feel assured that the object was a man, but the former is not prepared to certify that he was not a living man.—Charlottetown Patriot.



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