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SIR CHARLES AND THE GRAND TRUNK.

The warmest admirer of Sir Charles Tupper cannot congratulate him on the petty, personal warfare he has been carrying on against the officials of the Grand Trunk railway.

If it was met and proper that Mr. Van Horn and the entire power of the P. R. from ocean to ocean should be thrown against the liberals in the struggle, on what principle can the Grand Trunk corporation be condemned for exercising its influence in the direction of its interest also.

It cannot, perhaps, be successfully disputed that any company or corporation has the right in political matters to protect its own interests. That such corporations, when they have attained the magnitude of the C. P. R. or the great manufacturing combinations of Canada, constitute a menace to our representative institutions, is an incident of our civilization which can only be remedied, if at all, by the legislation of the future.

It is apparent to the casual observer that there has sprung into being within the past twelve months in this province, what may with much propriety be termed a Bohemian school of literature.

It is a member of the legislative council goes back upon his pledges he is inspired to do so by Mr. Blair. If the speaker makes a certain ruling the reasons for that ruling are not referred to by the speaker.

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It may be, as Dr. Owens of Detroit declares, that Bacon murdered Shakespeare. No one will deny that he has been murdered by a good many people since Bacon's time.

THEORY AND PRACTICE.

A most delightful theorist is Mr. Bellamy and a most delightful book for people of an enterprising turn of mind is Mr. Bellamy's "Looking Backward."

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AN INGENIOUS BOSTONIAN.

Electricity for Home Use Drawn from a Leaky Street Car Wire

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REMARKABLE BEAR CAPTURE.

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AROUND THE WORLD.

The Week's Events in Brief—The Cream of our Exchanges.

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