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TORY JINGOISM.

There has no doubt been delay in the settlement of the Alaskan boundary, but it is no excuse for the Jingoism which Mr. Gourley, a Tory M. P., gave utterance to in Parliament. Mr. Gourley, who is usually very emotional, expresses himself as willing and anxious to go into the trenches for two years with his wife and children to fight the Yankees and would welcome war rather than humiliation. Such clap trap is worthy some lion twisting Yankee in congress at Washington, but is not at all in keeping with the dignity that usually characterizes the debates in the Dominion House of Commons. Had Mr. Bourassa or some Liberal member used the language of Mr. Gourley, every Tory newspaper would be up in arms.

There will be no war between Canada and the United States, notwithstanding Mr. Gourley's belligerent attitude, and if there were Mr. Gourley would not be in the fighting line. He might take to the trenches, but it would be for security in the sewerage drains that are being dug in Truro, where he resides.

The government of Canada has done its best to secure a prompt settlement of the Alaskan boundary question, but diplomats are slow to move on both sides of the Atlantic. The *modus vivendi* however, which has been in force, has precluded the possibility of Canadian interests suffering, pending the final arbitration and settlement of the boundary question.

Meantime only demagogues will talk of war between Canada and the United States over the question, unless a disposition is shown at Washington to override our rights or to impose condition to which no self respecting country would consent. Mr. Gourley and men of his build may shout war, but the sober common sense of Canadian statesmen, backed by the Imperial authorities will settle the boundary question, without bloodshed. The friendly feeling existing between Canada and her great neighbor will not be disturbed by such balderdash as Mr. Gourley talks but it will serve that gentleman's purpose all right. He likes to be talked about, to achieve notoriety, and no doubt he will have the satisfaction of seeing his speech quoted in American as well as Canadian newspapers.

THE LATE MR. LONGWORTH.

Truro lost a valued citizen and Nova Scotia a public spirited man in the death of Mr. Israel Longworth, who died suddenly last night at his home in Truro. Mr. Longworth, while a native of P. E. Island, has lived nearly all his life at Truro. He was a lawyer enjoying a large office practice, but was perhaps more widely known as a progressive, successful farmer, and a searcher and writer in historical fields. His farm on the outskirts of Truro, was conducted under the most modern methods, and he wrote and spoke extensively on agricultural topics. Mr. Longworth was once a candidate for the Nova Scotia legislature and could have been elected had he resorted to the usual election methods of his party, but though wealthy, he absolutely refused to spend a dollar in corrupting the electorate.

MARTIN REPUDIATED.

A few days ago the Liberals of British Columbia met in convention to consider provincial politics, and a row ensued. The convention was divided into two hostile camps led respectively by Senator Templeman and Hon. Joseph Martin. The latter's friends it appears had packed

the convention, and the Senator and his followers perceiving how things were going to be run, quietly walked out and left the Martinites in possession of the hall. These who were left then proceeded to declare for federal party lines in local politics, and elected Mr. Martin the provincial leader. Now there has been another Liberal gathering which has repudiated Mr. Martin's pretensions and unanimously declared their confidence in Senator Templeman as the Liberal leader in British Columbia. Mr. Martin and his friends in the meantime had protested against the Senator's entrance into the Dominion cabinet, but in that too they failed. The party is apparently divided, but the best wishes of Liberals outside the Pacific Province are with Senator Templeman and against Mr. Martin, whose chief mission seems to be that of a demagogue.

Some of the London newspapers are discussing the table of precedence for colonial premiers at the coronation. Sir Wilfrid Laurier is of course placed first, next is Premier Barton, of the Australian commonwealth, and then Premier Seddon, of New Zealand. It is expected that Premier Bond, of Newfoundland, as representing Britain's oldest colony will be given an especially honored place. It is said that the British government will erect a capacious stand, from which the colonial premiers may view the great ceremonies.

The Dean's open letter was a corker.

While Sir Wilfrid Laurier does not claim to be a total abstainer, he is a gentleman temperate in all things, and especially in the use of wine, but that did not prevent Mr. Richardson in Lisgar, from assailing the premier on every platform as "a champagne drinker." Mr. Richardson got his answer from the people, and it was to be buried under a majority of over one thousand.

Montreal has secured a juicy plum by the decision of the C. P. R. to build their new machine shops in that city. The land alone, purchased for the site of the works, cost the company \$450,000, and includes over three hundred acres, and it is estimated that the buildings will cost \$1,500,000. When running at their full capacity it is expected that the shops will employ 5,000 mechanics.

The Liberal party in England is hopelessly divided on many questions, but the leaders are especially wide apart on the Home Rule question. A few days ago Lord Rosebery announced that Home Rule was wiped from the Liberal slate, but Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman declares that Rosebery is all wrong, and that the Liberals are still committed to Home Rule.

The public accounts of Nova Scotia for the past year show the small surplus of \$1,296.22. The total revenue was \$1,090,222.88 and the expenditure \$1,088,926.56. The revenue from royalty on minerals alone was \$437,726.77.

It is understood that Mr. J. H. Barry, whose friends were urging him to contest York for the vacant seat in the legislature, has decided not to seek the honor.

Lord Grey who is visiting with his wife and daughter at Rideau Hall, Ottawa, is a brother of Lady Minto, and a grandson of Earl Grey of reform bill fame.

Nobody seems to be taking any interest in the civic elections. It is only when the tax bills come in that Fredericton people discuss their civic affairs.

In the federal bye-elections the Liberals have redeemed West York, West Durham, Victoria, B. C. and Lisgar, and lost Laval.

Pugilist Jeffreys is at New York, knocked out by pneumonia.

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PARLIAMENT.

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their capital and annex their country to Canada."

The motion was withdrawn by Bourassa.

The leader of the opposition gave notice that he would move a motion at a later stage on account of the baseless attack on the British forces in South Africa. He thought it could be framed so that it might be made unanimous.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that if it were the intention of the leader of the opposition to put a resolution of that character so as to make it unanimous he should have conferred privately with him before bringing it up in the house. The house then adjourned.

Prompt as Usual.

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