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## POLITICAL POT-BOILING

### The Campaign will Be Short and Sharp.

### A. L. U.'S RESOLUTIONS

Delegates Misinterpret Article in Last Week's Leader and Make a Protest.

Last week the Leader published an account of the labor convention which was held in Cranbrook on September 8th. Two of the unions represented at this convention have taken exception to the article, the Cranbrook A. L. U. and the Cranbrook B. L. E.

The article in question was in error in one particular only. It neglected to state that Mr. Oliver was tendered the nomination and refused to accept it. The convention then decided not to place a candidate in the field, and this the Leader stated last week. The Leader did not state that the convention had endorsed Mr. Caven's candidature, as is charged. What it did state was that they were satisfied with him, as he was a member of organized labor, and in case of his election he would safely guard their interests in the provincial legislature. If the convention had been at all anxious to have a labor candidate in the field it had plenty of material left to select from after Mr. Oliver withdrew.

But the fact remains the same that the reason there is not a labor candidate in the field today is because the greater portion of the members of the various unions of the riding have pledged their support to Mr. Caven. Mr. Oliver was well aware of this when he declined the nomination. While Mr. Caven is a candidate on the Conservative ticket he is, nevertheless, a laboring man and the members of the unions will support him as such.

#### Conservative Meetings.

The Conservatives had a splendid meeting in Marysville Tuesday evening. There was a big crowd and it was strictly a Caven meeting. Archie McCaskill, president of the Marysville branch of the A. L. U., presided at the meeting, the speakers were Duncan McFarlane, Fred Brown, Thos. Caven and J. A. Harvey.

The Conservatives also held good meetings at Wardner and Kimberley.

Dry Goods

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#### THE LEAD TARIFF.

The lead tariff question is still a burning issue in British Columbia. It was a tariff and not a bonus that was asked for from the Liberal government, but the people were turned down in their demands. Mineowners and all depending on the mining industry realize full well that if they expect any change for the better in the tariff they must look to the Conservative government for it. The plank of the Conservative platform is clear upon this point and there can be no mistaking its meaning. Here it is:

"That the silver lead industries of the province be fostered and encouraged by the imposition of increased customs duties on lead and lead products imported into Canada, and that the Conservative members of the Dominion House be urged to support any motion introduced for such a purpose."

## LOCAL NEWS.

Henry Gough was in Cranbrook Tuesday.

Mrs. John McDonald has returned from the hospital.

M. A. Beale is up from Cranbrook looking after his branch office.

Don't forget to attend the Conservative meeting this evening.

Miss Lula Crowe is now officiating as clerk in the Moyie postoffice.

A social hop will be given at the Hotel Kootenay next Tuesday evening.

For Sale—Some household furniture almost new. For particulars apply at this office.

R. E. S. Taylor, the Methodist missionary, is confined in the Cranbrook hospital with fever.

D. J. Elmer attended the Conservative meeting in Cranbrook Thursday evening.

Mrs. [illegible] McMahon is in Nelson the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fullerton.

W. R. Stone was in Fort Steele the first of the week.

Mrs. Ed. Murphy left for North Powder, Oregon, this week to remain for the winter.

Norman Hill and wife were up from Cranbrook this week visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hill.

The many friends of D. C. Drain will be pleased to learn that he is in the hotel business for himself in Blairmore.

The Moyie Water company has been improving its system lately and getting everything in condition for the winter.

Chas. Crossman and family have returned to Moyie to remain for the winter. Mr. Crossman may decide to embark in business here.

Mrs. Niederstadt and daughters Louise and Clara left Wednesday on a visit to their old home in Moscow, Idaho. They will be absent from Moyie for two or three weeks.

Jack Fitzgerald, the pugilist, stabbed a man named James Mellin in Blairmore last Monday, and the victim's chances for recovery are slight. This is the second or third offense of this nature for Fitz.

The six months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Karl Neitzel died last Sunday morning after two weeks' illness. The funeral was held Tuesday from their home on [illegible] and was largely attended. Mr. T. A. [illegible] conducted the burial service.

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## CAVEN CARRIED CRANBROOK

### Conservatives' Meeting a Success.

### CHARLES WILSON, K. C.

Made One of the Most Fluent and Logical Speeches Ever Heard in the District.

"The Conservatives swept everything before them at their meeting in Cranbrook Thursday evening," said a Moyie gentleman who was in attendance. "I have heard a great number of speeches, but I never enjoyed one more than the one delivered by Mr. Charles Wilson, K. C., upon that occasion. He is deep, logical and clear cut, never gives offense, and is thoroughly versed in politics from one end of the Dominion to the other.

"Thos. Caven, the Conservative candidate for this riding, made a splendid talk, and received plenty of applause. Tom is new at the business, but he warmed up and went right after his subject—and after Dr. King, his opponent also. He went after the doctor good and strong on his company employing Mongolian labor, and then proved conclusively that if King was elected the sort of legislation the toiling masses could expect from him. Several little tilts took place between them which were very funny indeed. Caven handled himself well and showed that in him all classes will have a good, honest and faithful representative.

"J. A. Harvey also made a good talk. It was short and to the point, and he handled his subject with the skill which is characteristic of the man. Harvey is a cool, sound speaker and what he says always carries weight.

"Dr. King, the Liberal candidate, took the platform and defined his position.

"G. H. Thompson officiated as chairman of the meeting and filled the position creditably.

The meeting closed with cheers for Caven and the Conservative party.

#### POLITICAL.

Thos. Caven and Dr. King will be officially nominated in Cranbrook today.

All indications point to an easy victory for Thos. Caven, the Conservative candidate.

A man who is instrumental in employing cheap labor will never vote for a law which will better the condition of the workingman.

The Liberal "spellbinders" are not devoting much time to lauding Martin and W. C. Wells and holding them up as exemplary examples of their party.

W. A. Galliher, M. P., [illegible], has started on an election tour of the [illegible]. He will speak in Cranbrook on Wednesday [illegible] 30th.

[illegible] in this district that the Liberal candidate may [illegible]. They are those of Lee [illegible] and Wong Fon Chow.

"Dr. King, the Liberal candidate, frankly admits that the King Lumber company employed [illegible] labor. The company is a sort of a family affair, and the doctor is one of the largest stockholders. Yet the doctor has the timerity to ask for the labor vote of this riding. What legislation in their favor can the laboring men ever expect from such a representative?"

At the outset of the campaign one of the arguments used in Dr. King's favor was the fact of him holding larger interests in the district than Mr. Caven. It was then said that he was one of the principal shareholders in the King Lumber company. Now that he is confronted with the Chinese employment question, a matter most perplexing to him, his interest in this concern is gradually diminishing.

#### METAL MARKET.

NEW YORK—Bar silver, 57½ cents. Lead, $4.37½. Copper, $14.75. Zinc, (spelter) $5.87½.

LONDON—Lead, £11 3s. 9.

#### Conservative Meeting Tonight.

A Conservative meeting will be held in the I. O. O. F. hall this evening, to which everyone is invited. The speakers will be:

THOS. CAVEN, Conservative candidate.

W. A. MACDONALD, of Nelson.

J. L. PARKER, of Kimberley and others.

Dr. King, the Liberal candidate, has been extended an invitation.

J. A. Harvey, who was to be here, has to go to the coast on business, but Mr. Macdonald, one of the most eloquent speakers in the province, has agreed to fill his place.

The ladies are especially invited to attend the meeting, and seats will be reserved for them.

## GENERAL NEWS NOTES.

The Hon. Joseph Chamberlain has resigned his position as secretary of the colonies.

The Owl, one of the oldest resorts in Spokane, closed its doors this week.

Sir Thomas Lipton is sick in Chicago with appendicitis.

#### Card of Thanks.

We take this opportunity of expressing our appreciation of those who assisted during our recent bereavement.

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#### TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

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## CONSERVATIVE PLATFORM.

(Adopted at Revelstoke, September 13th, 1903.)

1. That this convention reaffirms the policy of the party in matters of provincial roads and trails; the ownership and control of railways and the development of the agricultural resources of the province as laid down in the platform adopted in October, 1899, which is as follows:

"To actively aid in the construction of trails throughout the undeveloped portions and the building of provincial trunk roads of public necessity.

"To adopt the principles of government ownership of railways in so far as the circumstances of the province will admit, and the adoption of the principle that no bonus should be granted to any railway company which does not give the government of the province control of rates over lines bonused, together with the option of purchase.

"To actively assist by state aid in the development of the agricultural resources of the province.

2. That in the meantime and until the railway policy above set forth can be accomplished, a general railway act be passed, giving freedom to construct railways under certain approved regulations, analogous to the system that has resulted in such extensive railway construction in the United States, with so much advantage to trade and commerce.

3. That to encourage the mining industry, the taxation of metalliferous mines should be on the basis of a percentage on the net profits.

4. That the government ownership of telephone systems should be brought about as a first step in the acquisition of public utilities.

5. That a portion of every coal area hereafter to be disposed of should be reserved from sale or lease, so that state owned mines may be easily accessible, if their operation becomes necessary or advisable.

6. That in the pulp land leases provision should be made for reforesting and that steps should be taken for the general preservation of forests by guarding against the wasteful destruction of timber.

7. That the legislature and government of the province should persevere in the effort to secure the exclusion of Asiatic labor.

8. That the matter of better terms in the way of subsidy and appropriations for the province should be vigorously pressed upon the Dominion government.

9. That the silver-lead industries of the province be fostered and encouraged by the imposition of increased customs duties on lead and lead products imported into Canada, and that the Conservative members of the Dominion House be urged to support any motion introduced for such a purpose.

10. That as industrial disputes almost invariably result in great loss and injury both to the parties directly concerned and to the public, legislation should be passed to provide means for an amicable adjustment of such disputes between employers and employees.

11. That it is advisable to foster the manufacture of the raw products of the province within the province as far as practicable by means of taxation on the said raw products, subject to rebate of the same in whole or part when manufactured in British Columbia.

# A Love Match

BY SYLVANUS COBB, JR.,

Author of "The Cunmaker of Moscow," "The Fortunes of Conrad," "The Shadow of the Guillotine," Etc., Etc.

Hugo meditated for a little time, and finally, with a frank smile, and with a look and tone in which frankness was fairly crystalized, he said:

"My dear Mr. Waybrook, I can tell you the whole story in a very few words, and you will then be enabled to understand the matter just as it presents itself to me. As I have told you before, Mr. Halford and myself went to Brookside at Madame Rachel's call. Halford held a long consultation with her before I was summoned to her chamber. Of the subject-matter of that consultation I cannot speak, though I fancy it had chiefly to do with a reviewal of stocks and bank accounts. There can be no doubt that the subject of the will was spoken of at that time, as subsequent remarks in my hearing plainly indicated; but I can swear that no steps, even, toward making a will were taken. After I was summoned, the first work accomplished was the destruction of the two wills; and then, referring to something which seemed to have been said before I had been admitted, a new will was spoken of, and madame desired that witnesses should be at hand, so that they might be summoned without delay, should they be needed; and thereupon I went out and arranged for the calling of the two workmen from the garden—the only two persons on the premises who were found to be entirely disinterested. While I was gone from the chamber upon this quest, madame and the attorney continued their discussion, and upon my return, I gathered that the dying woman was anxious to make a will, but was deterred therefrom by considerations which she stated in my hearing. She said that she had inherited her wealth from her husband, and she did not know but that there were relatives of her husband then living in New Orleans. They might be in want. She could not in justice make a will which should forever divert the wealth of their relative from them. At that time madame felt that she was gaining strength, and she believed she should live to hear from New Orleans, if her attorney would write at once. Mr. Halford, after due consideration, advised the course—or, at least, fell in with it—and the message was despatched forthwith. You know the rest, sir. Madame Rachel was not so strong as she had thought. She had probably stimulated herself for the work she had in hand, and thus over-estimated her stock of strength in reserve."

"And Mr. Halford wrote to New Orleans?" suggested Waybrook.

"I wrote at his dictation," said the clerk.

"Did you write to any particular individual?"

"The message was sent to an attorney who had been mentioned by madame—a Mr. Zenas Leffington."

"And the purport of the letter was to inquire—"

"To inquire," finished out the clerk, "if there were to be found in that region any descendants of—of—I must refer to my memorandum, sir. The name has slipped my memory. Ah! here we have it."—referring to his tablets—"of Theresa St. Clair, sister of Victor St. Clair, who married Jasper Murdoch. This Victor St. Clair, sir, was madame's husband."

"Have you heard from New Orleans?"

"A letter came yesterday, sir, which, by instruction, I opened. I will show it to you."

Caspar turned to his desk, and took from a file an open letter, which he handed to the merchant. It was dated at New Orleans, and read as follows:

"Dear Sir: Yours of the 20th ult. was duly received, and I have applied myself diligently to the work of looking up the heirs in question, and I think I have found them. Theresa Murdoch, nee St. Clair, had a daughter, Eveline. This daughter married Pierre Compton. These Comptons are dead—Pierre and Eveline—but they left children, one of whom, at least, a son, named Alexander, married, some thirty years ago, here in New Orleans. So that, even if I do not hit upon this Alexander Compton, I shall probably find children of the fourth generation.

"The telegram announcing the death of Rachel St. Clair reached me before the letter. If I find the heirs, I will make clear their titles and bring them on. * * * Very respectfully.

"Z. LEFFINGTON.

"To Adam Halford, Esq., Boston."

"I did not telegraph the fact of Halford's death after I had sent the announcement of madame's demise," explained Caspar, as the merchant returned the letter; "but I have since written at length, and future communications will be either made through me or directly to the administrator."

"It would seem then, said Waybrook, "that we are likely to find lineal heirs."

"Be sure Mr. Leffington will find them if they are alive."

"And," added the merchant, as he arose from his seat, if no heirs come from that direction, the commonwealth must hold the estate?"

"So it would seem, as madame left no heirs of her own body."

Mr. Waybrook thanked the clerk for his kindness and took his leave; and as shortly thereafter as possible Caspar Hugo closed the office and hastened away. He was bound for his chambers, but he did not go by the usual route. He went down Court street into Greene, thence into Leverett, thence through Causeway to Portland, coming up from the opposite direction to that usually followed. He reached his chambers without impediment, and found his father in.

"How's this, my son? You are at home early. Has anything gone wrong?"

"On the contrary, everything is going well; and I have come to tell you that you have borne your share of our assumed name long enough. This very night you must go to New York, and there wait for Leffington. He has my instructions to the very letter, and he will be there by day after to-morrow with all the papers we shall need. Once in New York, you will assume your proper guise and name, and when I next see you we shall meet as strangers."

"But, Caspar, is the coast clear?"

"Entirely so. I have this very afternoon thrown the last hound from the scent, and not the least bar stands in our way. Since Adolphe Hugo's death, I think we are the only living heirs of Theresa St. Clair Murdoch. Adolphe's folly served us a good turn, truly."

"And we thought him dead before," smiled Caspar.

"Aye," responded the other, "or we should not have assumed his family name. I think, my son, we might have made a safer hit in our selection of a false name; but, it's just as well now—just as well, since I have had no occasion to appear on the scene."

"It's all as well as it can be; so, now, stir your stumps and be off. You will have barely time to prepare and catch the New York train."

"Gad, my boy, we'll be rich!"

"As rich as nabobs."

"But we'll contrive to do something for that beauty at the cottage."

"I will look out for her," said Caspar, with a catching of his breath.

"But can you do it? Will she turn from her first love? Look out, my boy, and don't catch a Tartar."

"Let me alone for that," said Caspar, with an assuring nod. "As for her first love, the Honorable Nathan Waybrook will cut that Gordian knot before he sleeps. I know the lay of the land in that quarter. Miss Christine, penniless and homeless, will be a different bit of game from the grand beauty of the Brookside Cottage. Leave her to me. I never saw another girl so beautiful!"

"I wish you success, my boy."

"There's no such word as fail, with the cards I hold. You shall have her for a daughter-in-law within a month after the estate is settled. And now, be up and stirring."

That evening, the man whom we have known as Alexander Hugo, but who had never shown himself abroad under that name, left Boston by the Fall River line for New York. He was habited in a seaman's garb, and after reaching Fall River took a deck-passage.

And at about the same time Hon. Nathan Waybrook entered his mansion, and having repaired to his library, he rang for a servant, and ordered that his son should be sent up to him.

Word came back that his son was out. He had been seen going in the direction of the Broo side.

"Go find him, and send him to me at once. Say it is my command My business is urgent and imperative!"

And when the messenger was gone Mr. Waybrook paced to and fro, his hands clenched, and his jaws locked, while his eyes flamed with the resolution that occupied his thoughts.

## CHAPTER XIII.

Paul Waybrook stood by Christine's side, holding one of her hands. They were in the park, beneath one of the great elms, and the shadows of the closing day had merged into the all-pervading shadow of evening. There had been tears upon the maiden's face, but they were now wiped away, and she had a forced calmness which was maintained only by persistent effort.

"I tell you again, Christine—I tell you once for all—that no power on earth shall separate us! If my father will disinherit me, let him. In one short week I shall be of age, and then I come into possession of twenty thousand dollars left me by my mother's father. That sum cannot be kept from me. With that, we can commence life. I shall enter business, and we will be as happy as the day is long. Now don't dash any more cold water on my prospects."

Before further words could be spoken, they were aroused by a footfall near at hand, and directly afterward a servant from Elmside stood before them.

"I beg your pardon, sir," the messenger said, respectfully, "but I have come from your father. He wishes to see you immediately."

"Tell him," returned Paul, with a quiver of restraint in his voice, "that I will be with him soon."

"He said, sir, if you please, that it was a matter of the utmost importance, and he would see you without delay."

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

### Infantile Perversity.

Hubby (walking the floor at 2 a. m.)—I'd just like to know why this baby persists in staying awake every night.

Wifey—Really, I can't imagine. I never have any trouble in keeping him asleep in the daytime.


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## Had To Leave School

THE PITIABLE STORY OF A YOUNG GIRL.

**Every Mother of a Growing Girl Will be Interested in the Story as Told by the Young Lady.**

Miss Laura Dumontier is the daughter of a well-to-do farmer in St. Cuthbert, Quebec. The circumstances under which she was forced to discontinue her studies and leave school will be of interest to all mothers of growing girls, and Miss Dumontier consents to make them public for the benefit her experience may be to others. She says: "At the age of twelve I was sent to a convent school in this parish. At that time I was as healthy as any girl of my age. At the end of a couple of years, however, I fely my strength leaving me. My appetite grew poor, and I suffered from severe headaches. I nevertheless continued my studies until October, 1901, when I became very ill and was forced to leave school. The headaches which had bothered me became almost constant. I suffered from pains in the back and stomach and the least exertion would leave me almost breathless. A doctor was called in and he said I was suffering from anaemia, and was in a very dangerous condition. Hr treated me until February without the least beneficial result. Then another doctor was called in, but no better results followed his treatment. My parents were now thoroughly alarmed and two other doctors from St. Barthelemi were called in, and after consultation their verdict was that my trouble had reached an incurable stage. I was greatly disheartened and did not expect to live long when one day one of my friends asked me why I did not try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I had lost confidence in all medicines, but was willing to try anything that might help me, and my father got me a supply of the pills. When I had used a couple of boxes it was very plain that the pills were doing me good, and after I had taken them a couple of months I was once more enjoying the blessing of good health. I feel that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have saved my life and I gladly give my experience in the hope that it may be of benefit to some other young girls."

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### An Impromptu Explanation.

The learned Porson was staying at one time with a well known canon of Ely named Jeremiah King. One day at dinner, when they had got into discussion upon questions of etymology, Porson gave a derivation which King considered to be so farfetched as to be quite ridiculous. "You might as well say," said King, "that my name is connected with cucumber." Possibly there was a cucumber on the table. "And so it is," said Porson. "How so?" asked King. "Why, thus: Jeremiah King, by contraction Jerry King; Jerry King, by contraction and metathesis Gherkin, and gherkin, we know, is a cucumber pickled."

When a man meets his wife in a railroad station he never knows whether to kiss her before all the people or to pretend that he is just a friend of the family.

A man's strength develops when he has something to do, not when he is idle.—Atchison Globe.

### A Nice Little Task.

An expert mathematician once set himself the nice little task of calculating the number of different ways in which fifty-two cards of a pack can be distributed among four players, thirteen to each, taking every possible combination and permutation.

It would be no use to present the answer here in a long row of figures, for no one can realize to himself what such a numerical array really conveys, nor would it be much better to play with the words billions and trillions, seeing that these are mere words and nothing more to most of us, but the following illustration is more likely to be appreciated by the ordinary reader:

If the entire population of the earth were to deal the cards incessantly day and night for 100,000,000 years, at the rate of a deal by each person a minute, they would not have exhausted the one hundred-thousandth part of the number of essentially different ways in which the cards can be so distributed.

### Which Was the Guilty One?

Shortly before Major J. B. Pond, the "lecture bureau expert," was taken with what proved to be his last illness he was entertaining three friends in his office at the Everett House when one of them, in commenting upon the major's book, "The Eccentricities of Genius," asked:

"Major, you have at one time and another known all the celebrities. Tell me, what sort of comparison would you make between Talmage and Mark Twain?"

"That is rather a difficult question to answer," replied the major, with a mischievous twinkle in his eyes. "But if you will promise not to ask me to elucidate I'll say this: 'One of them lied only when he had to, and the other lied whether he had to or not.'"

### Breaking In a New Pipe.

"Notice that chap in a brown hat?" said a man to his companion in a walk. "Trying to break in a new pipe; trying to smoke it the first time, and fills it to the muzzle. He'll never in all his life—or as long as he owns that pipe—enjoy it"—

"Oh, won't he?"

"Never; only one way to break in a new pipe. Put in a pinch of the weed at first and smoke it all; another pinch, only larger than the first; smoke it all out; clean the pipe; gradually you can fill the pipe to the muzzle, and finally be able to smoke her all out clean as a whistle."

### Parliamentary "Popping."

A member of congress had been paying attention to a young lady for a long while and had taken her to attend the house until she was well posted in the rules. On the last day of the session as they came out he bought her a bouquet of flowers and said to her, "May I offer you my handful of flowers?" She replied promptly, "I move to amend by omitting all after the word 'hand.'" He blushingly accepted the amendment and they adopted it unanimously.

### A Personal Matter.

"I think I am giving general satisfaction," said the young clergyman a little doubtfully, "although Elder Wilkins has found a good deal of fault with my prayers."

"You are sure to have that trouble," responded the retired pastor with a reminiscent sigh. "The elder is a good man, a most worthy man, but he never can remember that he is not the party addressed in prayer."

### As Practical as Usual.

Poor Man—Well, did you buy that book telling all about how to economize in the kitchen?

Wife—Yes, I've got it.

Poor Man—That's good. What does it say?

Wife—It's full of recipes telling how to utilize cold roast turkey, but we haven't the turkey.

### Slavery In Africa.

Ninety per cent of the inhabitants of western and central Africa are Mohammedans, and every man of note in central Africa owns slaves, his station in life being rated by the number of slaves he owns and the wives he possesses.

## OF INTEREST TO MOTHERS

### A Safeguard for Children Cutting Teeth in Hot Weather.

The time when children are cutting teeth is always an anxious one for mothers and when this occurs during the hot weather solicitude often deepens into alarm. So many ills that often result fatally are liable to ensue that every mother will be interested in a medical discovery that robs this period of many dangers. Mrs. R. Ferguson, of 105 Mansfield street, Montreal, Que., gives her experience for the benefit of other mothers. She says: "My baby has always been small and delicate and suffered so much last summer with his teeth that I did not think he would live. The medicine the doctor ordered for him did not do him much good. Then he was attacked with dysentery and a very hot skin and cough. I sent for Baby's Own Tablets, and they did him a wonderful amount of good, and he is now getting on splendidly."

Baby's Own Tablets are sold by all dealers in medicine, or will be sent post paid at twenty-five cents a box, by the Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Brockville, Ont.

### Don't Be Afraid to Perspire.

In a hot summer nature takes matters into her own hands. Humanity perspires in spite of itself. In this way an incalculable amount of waste is thrown out through the skin. "You cannot perspire too freely so long as it is a natural perspiration, one not caused by disease," said a surgeon. "The freer the perspiration the less work for the kidneys." It follows, then, that in a cool summer it is advisable to induce perspiration through the medium of vigorous exercise. Granted that it is vastly more comfortable to lounge in shady retreats and watch some one else chase tennis balls under a broiling sun or tramp enthusiastically over the golf links, nevertheless their reward will come later. They will enter the winter, with its more or less necessary confinement, better physically, better mentally.

### A Torpedo at Play.

During some torpedo practice in which the Mediterranean fleet has recently been engaged one unruly torpedo performed extraordinary antics.

Fired from the leading ship, the missile ran toward the target for about 100 yards, then suddenly turned and came back, hitting one of the ships in the line. After this the torpedo careened about in all directions, diving, jumping clean out of the water and performing all sorts of antics like a huge fish at play.

Eventually when all its air was exhausted the erratic torpedo dived to the bottom and was lost.

### Why He Kicked.

"Say, old chap, it isn't nice of you to refuse to lend me that V. One friend should always be willing to help the other."

"True, but I object to invariably being the other."—New York World.

### Her Excuse.

Widow (to dressmaker)—You must really wait awhile for payment for the mourning dresses. We are still too sorrowful to consider financial matters.

### The Real Yellow Peril.

With China opened to commerce, her crowded, insanitary cities—none of them have either sewers or waterworks—will become a menace to the health of the world. Smallpox is always prevalent in them. Cholera is often epidemic, and plague can be found in every large town. These may constitute the real "yellow peril."

### Tobacco and Cholera.

Experiments made in the hygienic institute in the Berlin university have shown that cholera bacilli die more quickly on dry tobacco than on dry glass plates, that they do not multiply, but quickly die on moist tobacco and that tobacco smoke quickly kills them.

### A Short Christmas.

Christmas day at Tornea, in Finland, is very brief—in fact, less than three hours in length.

### Apple Trees.

It is estimated that there are about 200,000,000 apple trees in the United States and that the average crop amounts to about 175,000,000 bushels. Apples can be grown anywhere in the United States except where it is very cold or very hot.

### Sea Born Britons.

On an average 700 British subjects are born every year at sea.

### The Sky.

John Ruskin, the great art critic, wrote in his "Modern Painters," "The sky is not blue color merely, it is blue fire and cannot be painted."

### Use All Your Teeth.

It is a curious fact that the teeth that are seldom used decay more rapidly than those that have daily work to do. It is a fact, however, and, being a fact, the thing to do is to take pains to eat on both sides of the mouth equally.

### British Merchantmen.

The statement that the British navy would protect British commerce in time of war seems absurd when taken with the fact that there are 6,000 British merchantmen afloat.

### Charles Macklin.

The oldest actor who ever appeared on the stage was Charles Macklin, who represented Shylock in 1789 at Covent Garden, London, which past his one hundredth birthday.


# Ayer's

Sometimes the hair is not properly nourished. It suffers for food, starves. Then it falls out, turns prematurely gray. Ayer's Hair Vigor is a

# Hair Vigor

hair food. It feeds, nourishes. The hair stops falling, grows long and heavy, and all dandruff disappears.

"My hair was coming out terribly. I was almost afraid to comb it. But Ayer's Hair Vigor promptly stopped the falling, and also restored the natural color."
MRS. E. G. K. WARD, Landing, N.J.

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for

# Poor Hair


Jack—Does your mother [illegible] kissing?

Carrie—I don't know, I [illegible] but if she does you might [illegible] ma.

# How?

By soothing and subduing the pain, that's the way

# St. Jacobs Oil

Cures

# Neuralgia

Price, 25c. and 50c.

### The Wearing of Hats.

In the thirteenth century the use of the scarlet hat, which distinguished cardinals, was sanctioned by Pope Innocent IV. Throughout medieval times the wearing of a hat was regarded as a mark of rank and distinction. During the reign of Charles I. the Puritans affected a steeple crown and broad brimmed hat, while the cavaliers adopted a lower crown and a broader brim, ornamented with feathers. In the early part of the reign of Henry V. hats became popular, and in the time of the wars of the roses all men of high and low degree (with the exception of 'prentices, who wore caps) wore hats. The cocked hat made its appearance in the reign of James II. and could be converted into a variety of shapes. It was known under several names, as the Brigadier, the Ramilies, the Regent and the Frederick.

Even to the present day the naval full dress is incomplete without the cocked hat, and on the continent many functionaries, civil as well as military, continue to wear it. Our old militia, line and field officers used to wear them of immense proportions. The round hat, such as Ben Franklin wore, was taken to Paris from this country by the young officers who fought for our independence under Rochambeau and Lafayette. It met with great favor there.

### Antiquity of the Pump.

Machines for raising water may be said to be as old as civilization itself, and their invention extends so far beyond written history that no one can say when the art of lifting and distributing water began. Egypt, the land of unfathomable antiquity, the oldest civilization of the orient, noted not only for her magnificence and power, but for knowledge, wisdom and engineering skill, understood and made practical use of such important hydraulic devices as the siphon and the syringe, the latter being a remarkable invention and the real parent of the modern pump. Whether or not syringes were ever fitted with inlet and outlet valves, thus making the single action pump, is not known. But bellows consisting of a leather bag set in a frame and worked by the feet, the operator standing with one foot on each bag, expelling the inclosed air, the exhaust bag being then lifted by a string to refill it with air, implies the use of a valve opening inward, and it is difficult to conceive of a continuous operation without one.

### Hung at the Girdle.

In the middle ages at the girdle were hung the thousand and one odds and ends needed and utilized in every day affairs. The scrivener had his ink horn and pen attached to it, the scholar his book or books, the monk his crucifix and rosary, the innkeeper his tallies, and everybody his knife. So many and so various were the articles attached to it that the flippant began to poke fun.

In an old play there is mention of a merchant who had hanging at his girdle a pouch, a spectacle case, a "punniard," a pen and ink horn and "a handkerchief, with many other trinkets besides, which a merry companion seeing said it was like a haberdasher's shop of small wares." In another early play a lady says to her maid: "Give me my girdle and see that all the furniture be at it. Look that cizers, pincers, the penknife, the knife to close letters with, the bodkin, the ear picker and the scale be in the case."

### Boots and Shoes.

Boots are supposed to have been the invention of the Carians. They were mentioned by Homer, 907 B. C. Grecian women possessed twenty-two kinds of footgear, which may be classed as those which cover all the foot up to the ankle and those which simply tied on the top of the foot with wide ribbons or straps. The practice of shoe and sandal wearing can be traced back for some thousands of years and is probably of eastern origin. Frequent mention is made of the shoe in the Bible, from the book of Exodus to the Acts, and there is mention made of a shoe latchet as early as the time of Abraham.

### Food and Character.

A scientist has recently been investigating the effect of food, particularly vegetables, on the human character. He affirms that a diet of carrots ameliorates harshness of character and reduces nervous irritability; peas create jocoseness, while turnips have a depressing influence. Cabbage is good for pulmonary complaints, while lettuce acts as a sedative upon the human frame owing to the opium contained in its milky juice.

### A Center of Attraction.

"I shouldn't be surprised if our child should be a great statesman, with extraordinary talents for filibustering," said the father.

"Why, he can't even talk yet," said the mother.

"That's true. He hasn't anything to say, and yet look at the time and attention he can monopolize."

### Father's Shortcoming.

"The trouble with father," said the gilded youth, "is that he has no idea of the value of money."

"You don't mean to imply that he is a spendthrift?"

"Not at all. But he puts his money away and doesn't appear to have any appreciation of all the things he might buy with it."

### The Difference.

"What is the difference between a woman's [illegible] and a man's poker club?"

"[illegible] you get home to dinner and [illegible] the other to breakfast."

Many different kinds of cards of thanks have appeared in newspapers, but Oswego, Kan., claims the prize with one from five prisoners in the Labette County jail, who "beg to thank the county for the good meals, kind treatment and compulsory baths."

### Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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To remove ink spots from paper, wash the spot with a camel's hair brush dipped in a solution of oxalic acid; when the ink has disappeared wash with clean water.

A [illegible] Weapon in the Battle for Health.—If disease has taken your citadel of health, the stomach, and is torturing you with indigestion, dyspepsia and nervous prostration, South American Nervine is the weapon to drive the enemy from its stronghold "at the point of the bayonet," trench by trench, but swift and sure, it always wins.—4

When Victor Emmanuel II. died the sum of $[illegible],000 was in a short time subscribed for a monument. The government added $1,600,000. The estimate now is that the total cost will reach about $5,000,000. The monument is to be the most beautiful and costly in modern Italy.

**Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere.**

It is said that those who eat fruit need fewer stimulants than those who do not. There are many persons who simply cannot combine the two together.

THEY ADVERTISE THEMSELVES.—Immediately they were offered to the public Parmelee's Vegetable Pills became popular because of the good report they made for themselves. That reputation has grown, and they now rank among the first medicines in use in attacks of dyspepsia and biliousness, complaints of the liver and kidneys, rheumatism, fever and ague, and the innumerable complications to which these ailments give rise.

Dough always comes in handy in times of knead.

THEY CLEANSE THE SYSTEM THOROUGHLY.—Parmelee's Vegetable Pills clear the stomach and bowels of bilious matter, cause the excretory vessels to throw off impurities from the blood into the bowels and expel the deleterious mass from the body. They do this without pain or inconvenience to the patient, who speedily realizes their good offices as soon as they begin to take effect. They have strong recommendations from all kinds of people.

**Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia.**

In times of typhoid fever—Sterilize all drinking water by boiling it. Pasteurize all milk and cream. Keep flies from all food supplies. Thoroughly wash in boiling water all fruit and vegetables intended to be eaten raw. Disinfect all discharges of every description from those sick with typhoid fever.


**ENGLISH SPAVIN LINIMENT**

Removes all hard, soft or calloused lumps and blemishes from horses, blood spavin, curbs, splints, ringbone, sweeney, stifles, sprains; cures sore and swollen throat, coughs, etc. Save $50 by the use of one bottle. Warranted the most wonderful Blemish Cure ever known. Sold by all druggists.


Sir Francis Wingate, the Sirdar, has presented a lioness and two young giraffes to Dublin Zoological gardens.

All England is wondering if George Wyndham will accept a baronetcy, as it seems certain that such an honor will be offered him. Mr. Wyndham descends from two lines of earls, and a title would not, therefore, be a novelty in his family. The impression is general that before long George Wyndham will place the prefix of "Sir" before his name.

No man is to be praised for giving away the things he cannot use.

### Nature's Compass.

In the tropical northern territory of South Australia travelers need not carry a compass. Nature has provided a living compass for them. The district abounds with the nests of the magnetic or meridian ant. The longer axis of these nests, or mounds, is always in a perfect line with the parallel of latitude, pointing due north and south. Scientists cannot explain this peculiar orientation.

Mr. John Hill, a retired bookseller of Derby, who recently celebrated his hundredth birthday, died on the 11th of August. He claimed to be the oldest Oddfellow in the world, having been initiated in the Loyal Edwin Lodge at Alfreton, Derbyshire, in 1823.


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## GEO. H. KENT'S CASE RECALLED.

### Dying of Bright's Disease, Dodd's Kidney Pills Cured Him.

**Recent Deaths of Prominent Men from the Most Dreaded of all Maladies Recalls the Fact that Dodd's Kidney Pills have Conquered It.**

Ottawa, Ont., Sept. 7.—(Special)—The recent numerous deaths of prominent men from Bright's disease, recalls the case of Geo. H. Kent, of 408 Gilmour St., this city.

Mr. Kent, who is still living here, strong and hearty, was dying of Bright's disease. He had lost the use of his limbs and his whole body was swollen to a terrible size. Three doctors were positive that he must die.

While watching at his bedside, his wife happened to read an advertisement that said Dodd's Kidney Pills would cure Bright's Disease. They were sent for as a last resort. From almost the first dose Mr. Kent says he felt benefited by them. After taking four boxes he was able to sit up. Seventeen boxes cured him completely.

Mr. Kent's case caused great excitement at the time. People who had heard of it came from far and near to see him, and all went away convinced that Dodd's Kidney Pills will cure Bright's Disease.

This conviction is strengthened by a number of other cases reported throughout the country where this great Kidney remedy has been used, and Bright's Disease vanquished.

The twentieth century will have the greatest number of leap years possible for a century—namely 25. The year 1904 will be the first one, then every fourth year after that up to and including the year 2000. February will three times have five Sundays—in 1920, 1948, and 1976.

**Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, etc.**

In the case of weakly, delicate children, they very often derive great benefit from being generally and regularly rubbed all over after the morning bath with the flat of the hand, special care being given to the spine.

**Faulty Kidneys.**—Have you backache? Do you feel drowsy? Do your limbs feel heavy? Have you frequent headaches? Have you failing vision? Have you dizzy feeling? Are you depressed? Is your skin dry? Have you a tired feeling? Any of these signs prove kidney disease. Experience has proved that South American Kidney Cure never fails.—6

The long-winded preacher never strikes for shorter hours.

AS THE OIL RUBS IN THE PAIN RUBS OUT.—Applied to the seat of a pain in any part of the body the skin absorbs the soothing liniment under brisk friction and the patient obtains almost instant relief. The results of the use of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil have surprised many who were unacquainted with its qualities, and once known it will not be rejected. Try it.

The colonial possessions in the world number 141, and all of them are tropical or subtropical in location except Canada. Their populations aggregate 485,000,000.

C. C. RICHARDS & Co.

Dear Sirs,—For some years I have had only partial use of my arm, caused by a sudden strain. I have used every remedy without effect, until I got a sample bottle of MINARD'S LINIMENT. The benefit I received from it caused me to continue its use, and now I am happy to say my arm is completely restored.

Glamis, Ont. R. W. HARRISON.

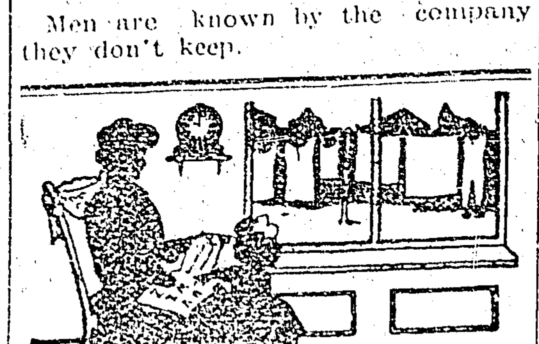
The hide of the hippopotamus in some parts is fully two inches thick.

Wash greasy dishes, pots or pans with Lever's Dry Soap, a powder. It will remove the grease with the greatest ease.

**Pill Sense.**—It stands to reason that Dr. Agnew's Little Liver Pills will crowd out of the market many of the nauseous old-timers. A better medicine at less than half the price is all the argument needed to keep the demand what it has been—phenomenal—40 doses 10 cents. They cure Sick Headache, Biliousness, and allay all stomach irritations.5

Films of soap bubbles have been measured of a thinness of a four-millionth part of an inch.

Men are known by the company they don't keep.



The satisfaction of having the washing done early in the day, and well done, belongs to every user of Sunlight Soap. 103


## MARKETS.

Compiled from The Commercial.

During the past week the speculative markets have exhibited considerable nervousness, but seem more settled now. Threshing in the northern and northwestern spring wheat country has been delayed for over a week by wet and stormy weather and the expected free movement of new wheat has not yet begun. Farmers in the winter wheat country continue to market their wheat only on a moderate scale. While the speculative markets have seen some sharp advances and declines in the week, there is very little change in quotations from a week ago, except in Minneapolis September, which is 1c higher. European markets are generally firm, except Paris, which has declined heavily during the week, owing to the latest estimates of the French crop showing great improvement in expectations. Owing to winter wheat killing in north of France a large acreage of fall wheat was plowed up and sown to spring wheat. As a rule spring wheat does not do well in France, but it seems this year is the exception for it, and it is turning out a bumper crop. This will diminish the prospective import of wheat into France, and it is reported that Argentine cargoes, bought for France, are offered for resale to other markets. In a general way, however, it is believed that Europe will require to import quite as much wheat during the current crop year as last year, and that she will have to come to America for about the usual supply. Therefore, as American stocks are small, this year's crop not extremely large, millers' requirements extensive and immediate, if farmers will hold back their wheat from market the prices will be advanced. Harvesting in Manitoba and Canadian Northwest is becoming protracted. Where the crop was ready early, rains have delayed stacking and threshing, and in the west heavy rains have delayed ripening, so that cutting in many districts has little more than begun. Where rains have fallen on wheat in stook there is some damage from sprouting. There is now a great need of a spell of dry, quiet weather in order that the work of harvesting may be completed, and to allow threshing to go ahead. There is little to report as to the situation in other countries. The prospect for the new crop in the Argentine continues favorable, and the prospect is good in Australia.

Manitoba wheat has been dull and quiet, the delay in the movement of new wheat, with the uncertainty as to probable quality all combining to hinder trading. Prices have advanced 1c over a week ago. No. 1 hard, 86c, delivery first half September; 85½c delivery all September; 85c delivery first half October, and 84½c, delivery all October, in store Fort William and Port Arthur; 1 northern 1½c under 1 hard, and 2 northern 3½c under 1 northern.

WINNIPEG PRICES.

The following are the Winnipeg jobbing prices:—

Oats—At Fort William No. 1 white oats are worth 31½c; No. 2 white, 30½c.

Barley—Market nominal.

Flaxseed—Market nominal.

Hay—Baled, $9@$10 per ton.

Potatoes—40@45c per bushel.

Poultry—Live spring chickens, 40 to 60c per pair; fowls, 75@80c per pair; ducks, 60@80c; geese, 10c per pound; live weight; turkeys, 11c per pound.

Butter—Creamery, 17@17½c per lb; dairy, 11@12c.

Cheese—10@10½c per pound.

Eggs—15c per dozen.

Dressed Meats—Beef, city dressed, 7c; mutton, 9c; veal, 8@9c; lambs, 12½c; hogs, 8c.

Hides—No. 1, 6½c per pound; calfskins, 7c; shearling sheepskins, 10@15c each; lambskins, 10@20c; horsehides, $1.25@$2.

Wool—7½c per pound.

Tallow—No. 1, 4c per pound; No. 2 3c per pound.

Seneca Root—60c per pound for clean, dry root.

LIVE STOCK.

Cattle—Ranch cattle, at point of shipment, 3½c; butchers' cattle, 2¾@3½c. off cars here.

Sheep—4c per pound.

Lambs—5c per pound.

Hogs—6c for best weights.

### The Glove Is as Old as History.

It might be readily supposed that the glove was an article of modern luxury. On the contrary, these hand coverings date back almost as far as history itself. Homer mentions them in his writings, and Xenophon also, stating that the great Cyrus once forgot his gloves on an important occasion. From the earliest times the manufacture of gloves has been an important trade in France, and in 790 Charlemagne granted an unlimited right to the abbot and monks of Sithin to make gloves from the skins of deer they killed. The word glove being of Anglo-Saxon origin, it is conjectured by some that the Saxons introduced the trade of glove making into England.

### Leisure at Meals.

Take at least one meal a day leisurely; take all three leisurely if you can; take one meal a day leisurely at any cost. The other two meals eat lightly. Let the hearty meal be the leisure meal. The best time for this for most men is after the day's work is over. Do not hurry in getting to the table. Take time in getting ready for it. Having come to the meal in an unhurried state of mind, you will enjoy it better because it will taste and digest better.

The roughness produced on the fingers by sewing can be removed by rubbing the places with pumice stone or by holding the finger lightly against a small grindstone, afterwards rubbing the spots with cold cream.

Among the many presents received by the Czar last Easter the offering of a Siberian convict attracted special attention, and the Czar is said to have derived extraordinary pleasure from it. It consisted of a hazel nut, the hollow of which contained a chessboard with all the men artistically carved in bone. The convict had worked on it for many months.

The highest tower in the world, 750 feet high, will be erected at the Central Station in New York City.


## HEALS INFLAMED ITCHING SKIN

**Cures Eczema, Salt Rheum and Tetter, Leaving the Skin Smooth, Soft and Natural. Dr. Chase's Ointment.**

As a means of allaying inflammation, relieving the dreadful itching and healing and curing itching skin diseases, ulcers and eruptions, we believe that we can prove that Dr. Chase's Ointment is the most potent preparation that it is possible to obtain.

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"I was so bad that I would get up at night and scratch myself until the flesh was raw and flaming. The torture I endured is almost beyond description, and now I cannot say anything too good for Dr. Chase's Ointment. It has cured me and I recommend it because I know there is nothing so good for itching skin."

Dr. Chase's Ointment is known in almost every community. Ask your neighbors about it. There is probably a marked cure at your door which you can investigate. The cures made by this preparation will stand investigation, 60 cents a box, at all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto. To protect you against imitations, the portrait and signature of Dr. A. W. Chase, the famous receipt book author, are on every box of his remedies.



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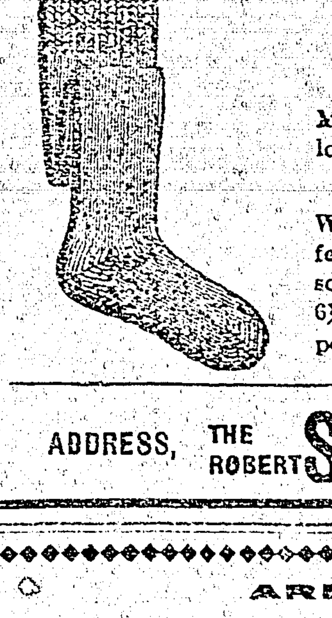

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A man suddenly quits dictating when he marries his stenographer.


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**OR A NECESSITY.**

Catarrh makes a man ridiculous—it makes him an offensive nuisance and it makes him dangerously sick. It is pretty sure to bring on consumption, pneumonia, or at least a throat affection. You cannot afford either, but you can afford the cure for it. It is Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder. It relieves a cold or catarrh, or cures a headache in 10 minutes. Don't hawk and spit and disgust your friends, but cure yourself by the use of this remedy. Sold by all druggists. 8

DR. AGNEW'S OINTMENT RELIEVES ECZEMA IN A DAY, 35C


Germans have long been in the foremost rank as potato eaters. Among a very large proportion of the laboring classes potatoes and dark bread are the principal staples of daily subsistence.

Where can I get some of Holloway's Corn Cure? I was entirely cured of my Corns by this remedy and I wish some of my friends. So writes Mr. J. Brown, Chicago.

Two or three hives of bees on a Kent, Eng., farm have declared war on poultry and several fowls have been stung to death.


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The lead tariff question is still a ... issue in British Columbia. ... ... Liberal government, but the people were turned down in their demands. Mineowners and all depending on the mining industry realize full well that if they expect any change for the better in the tariff they must look to the Conservative government for it. The plank of the Conservative platform is clear upon this point and there can be no mistaking its meaning. Here it is:

"That the silver-lead industries of the province be fostered and encouraged by the imposition of increased customs duties on lead and lead products imported into Canada, and that the Conservative members of the Dominion House be urged to support any motion introduced for such a purpose."

For a newspaper that is supposed to ... does it not seem that ... Herald is very industri... Liberal side of politics? ... is endeavoring to do a ... Dr. Jekyl and Mr. Hyde stunt this campaign, but his mask slips at times.

If Caven defeated in this election it will be by his fellow laboring men. But it is not to be imagined for a moment that these men will turn down one of their own ranks. Caven is the laboringman's candidate in every sense of the word and they will rally to his support on election day.

### The Spokane Fair.

There is every reason to expect larger crowds at the Spokane Interstate fair this year than ever before. Last year the attendance from outside the city was quite remarkable, but will probably be exceeded by the people who go to Spokane this year. The fair opens October 5 and closes on the 13th. There will be prosperity on all sides, and everybody will be ready for a few days rest and recreation. Those who have been in Spokane recently say arrangements are made for a larger and better exposition than at any of the previous fairs.

### RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolutions were sent to the Leader office this week for publication:

Whereas, and article was printed in the Moyie Leader of Sept. 12th stating that the labor unions of this district had decided not to put a candidate for the legislature in the field, as the members of the various unions prefer to endorse the canditature of Mr. Thos. Caven, and

Whereas, there is no foundation for such a report since a candidate was nominated, Mr. Wm. Oliver, who declined to accept the nomination, and

Whereas, the members of the various unions represented then determined to place no other candidate in the field, therefore, be it

Resolved, that this union protest against ... the ... which labor ... placed by the Moyie Leader's article; be it

Resolved ... union did not ... the candidature of Mr. Caven in any sense whatever or bind its members to the slightest degree to support him; be it

Resolved, that this union is taking no political stand, and that its members are acting as independent citizens, privileged to use their intelligence in voting for the candidate who in their opinion is the best man for the district and the province, Dr. King the Liberal candidate, or Mr. Caven the Conservative candidate; be it

Resolved, that the Moyie Leader, the paper that published the article, and also that the Fort Steele Prospector and the Cranbrook Herald be asked to print these resolutions for the purpose of placing the unions of this district in a proper light before the people.

W. G. OLIVER,
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