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EDITORIALS

The Journal, as usual, is "talking through its hat." When it says that "Liberalism is as dead in Dominion politics as it is in this province" it becomes ridiculous by shutting its eyes to what everybody knows to be facts, for the Mc-Bride government has scarcely yet regained its breath from the sudden retreat it made from a contest with the Liberals. It is still more laughable to speak of the "sane policy of Sir Robert Borden." According to The Journal "sane politics" is firing 2,000 civil servants and hiring 10,000 in their place, or admitting that one Liberal is as good as five Tories. The Journal doesn't know the difference between freer trade and Free Trade—but then it is hopeless to argue and educate at once. When it says that the present tendency is to keep everything at home, it apparently disapproves of shipping fish to the United States, thus throwing hundreds of local people out of employment.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier has no intention at present of throwing down the whole tariff wall, but he will refuse protection to those who do not need it and who are bleeding the people with their exorbitant prices. He realizes, however, that Canada's natural products are as yet hardly scratched and that it would bring about great prosperity to secure for them the great American markets. The Journal and its party believe in a "Little Canada," with everything owned by a few; the Liberals believe in a "Great Canada," with its resources developed and with a tariff that prevents the growth of monopolies and trusts. The Liberals believe in progress; they refuse to concede that all the wisdom was with the past. The Tories are hidebound; they cannot conceive that "any good thing can come out of Nazareth"; as far as progress is concerned, they are dead. This, of course, doesn't apply to the rank and file of the party, many of whom vote Tory because their fathers did, but it applies to the leaders of the party and to party organs like The Journal; but then we are going to have a respectable funeral in June and the party of progress and prosperity under Sir Wilfrid will be restored.

The policy of the Dominion government is to increase the duties upon the many com-

modities coming into the country, make the people pay extra millions and enrich the manufacturers. The policy of the opposition is to make no increase in the tariff but to cut down in the reckless expenditures.

The present administration has been recklessly wasteful. Here is an example: The revenue of the Land Department for the present year, closing at the end of the present month, is less than \$3,000,000. The expenditure in 1911 was \$2,277,098. The expenditure for the current year is slightly over \$4,000,000. That is some idea of the way that the money is wasted. The homestead entries in 1911 were 44,569, considerably more than for the present year.

Of the employees who were working in the Department of the Interior in 1911, 309 were dismissed, 374 resigned and 1,651 new officials were appointed. In other words, though the work was decreasing the government created in this one department 968 new positions. Is it surprising that the government has run through the surpluses and is now showing deficits?

The government asks for more taxes upon the people and greater protection for the manufacturers. The opposition asks for fewer jobs for officials and some retrenchment.

Colonel Henry Watterson, the distinguished American journalist, says editorially in the Louisville Courier-Journal: "If Germany could win, the German government, inflated by success, would at once turn upon us and say, 'To hell with your Monroe Doctrine! We will go wherever we please to go! That would mean war with Germany, and in such an event the German-Americans, who had made common cause with the Vaterland, would be something more than suspects, and it might become our duty to drive them out of the country.'

"These latter have conclusively shown that they are not Americans at all, but merely and belligerently a German colony in American. If war should come they would have to be assembled in detention camps and branded as public enemies. If, under recent orders of the German Admiralty, an American ship carrying its

load of passengers should be blown up in the Irish Sea, the explosion, like that of the Maine in Havana harbor, would reverberate from the Atlantic to the Pacific. War would be instantly declared by Congress. In many parts of the United States the life of no German-American would be safe. Bloody Monday would have many duplicates and repetitions."—Calgary Albertan.

MOTION-PICTURE ACTOR SHOT IN PLAY BATTLE

Clarence Chandler Is Victim of a Realistic Attack on Cabin Near Los Angeles.

Los Angeles, Cal., March 19.—Clarence Chandler, a motion-picture actor, was shot and killed during the staging of a battle scene in the San Fernando Valley.

Chandler was a member of an attacking party instructed to capture soldiers barricaded in a cabin. Before word was given for them to commence firing with their revolvers, a single shot was heard and Chandler fell in the midst of his companions, shot in the forehead. All threw down their weapons. No one laid claim to the one revolver with a discharged cartridge.

The revolvers were loaded with bullets in order to produce a realistic scene in shooting down the door of the cabin.

ONE OF CALIFORNIA'S QUADRUPLTS DIES

Redding Cal., March 19.—The second of the quadruplets, named Robert Roycroft McKnight, born March 9 to Mr. and Mrs. C. O. McKnight, died from convulsions. The other three children are thriving. Mrs. McKnight is a slight woman, weighing but 108 pounds. Physicians state that but one in 400,000 births are quadruplets.

INTERNEED, KILLS SELF.

Honolulu, March 19.—Walter Brandt, paymaster of the German gunboat Gier, interned here, committed suicide. His inability to rejoin his family or the colors produced despondency.

SCHOOLS FOR FARMERS HELP PATRIOTISM AND PRODUCTION

The Grand Trunk Pacific authorities report that the various provincial governments in Western Canada are co-operating in a very enthusiastic manner with the Federal Government's "Patriotism and Production" campaign.

The government of the Province of Alberta is lending practical assistance to the better farming movement by enlarging the scope of agricultural instruction. During the last week in February a school was held at Tofield, Alta., at which lectures and demonstrations were continuously given without charge.

A special train of eight cars of live stock were handled over the Grand Trunk Pacific to Tofield for the purpose of demonstrating the good points of different classes of animals.

At the first session of the school there were from one hundred and fifty to two hundred farmers present, and interest increased during the week. At night when lectures were held in the Town Hall, the building was crowded and not all who wished could gain admission.

JOE SHUGRUE MAY NEVER BOX AGAIN

Joe Shugrue, lightweight boxer, has announced that he has cancelled all engagements, owing to blindness in one eye and the danger of losing the sight of the other. Shugrue recently posted a \$5,000 forfeit for the world's lightweight championship. He was to box Joe Mandot in New Orleans March 22.

Bismarck's Granddaughter Wed.

Berlin, March 19.—The marriage of Countess Hannah Von Bismarck, granddaughter of the famous chancellor, to Captain Von Bredow is announced by the Overseas News Agency. Max Richter, owner of a large and well known Berlin banking house, is dead.

BANISH BULLY BOWSER

PEACE RIVER ROAD IS READY TO START

Vancouver, March 16.—Charles F. Law, mining engineer, representative in this province for Mr. D. A. Thomas, the Welsh mining magnate, who is at the head of the scheme to construct a railway in the north, running eastward from the coast, states that a start is to be made this year on the project. While no schemes are being floated on the London market, Mr. Law, who has just returned from England, states that financial arrangements have been made for the construction of the first tramway in connection with the main navigation scheme.

Steamer on Peace River.

In addition, one of the proposed steamers will be placed on Peace River this year. The tramway will be at Vermilion Chutes on the Upper Peace River, thus affording facilities to connect with the lower waters of the Peace, the Athabaska and Slave Rivers and the Slave Lakes. The survey work started last year will also be continued this year, and that drilling on the oil properties of the company near Vermilion Chutes will be vigorously prosecuted. The company is applying for permission to change its terminal from Nasoga Gulf to Kitimat Arm, and also to make a partial change of route.

ALMOST MIRACULOUS BRITISH GUNNERY

Admiral Beatty's astonishment at the accuracy of the gunfire which gave him victory over the raiding fleet from the Kaiser's navy is shared by all the world. It was rated as a modern naval wonder that the Invincible sank the Scharnhorst at a range of 15,000 yards, but it appears from the official report of the North Sea action on January 24 that hits were scored off the Derfflinger, Seydlitz and Moltke at 17,000 yards.

Ten miles! So far away that from the weather decks of the pursuers the enemy's hulls were below the horizon, and could be only half seen by a man fifty feet aloft on the mast. "The enemy's vessels," said the victorious admiral, "could certainly have been not more than a blur on the horizon to the gunner, and the men at the range-finders could have seen but little more." Sir David does not exaggerate when he remarks that "it is intensely gratifying to the laymen to learn that the guns of our magnificent battle cruisers can hit hard, hit first and keep on hitting an enemy that they cannot see, while the vessels are tearing through the water at the rate of thirty-four land miles an hour." Gratifying? It is stupefying to the layman, and it fills even fighting sailors with wonderment. — Providence Bulletin.

The United States War Department officials are reported doubtful as to whether any Federal law forbids American militia officers to serve with foreign troops, but none will be permitted to serve with any of the belligerents if means can be found to prevent it, according to Washington dispatches.

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