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THAT CENTENARY OF PEACE.

Not much interest is shown in this city in the coming celebration of peace between Great Britain and the United States, beyond the fact that a memorial arch is to be built at Blaine connecting this province with one of the states.

In the celebration which is being arranged, soldiers of both countries are to take prominent part. This is on a par with the position of Andrew Carnegie, who builds a peace palace out of the profits derived from the manufacture of armor plate.

WHOLE ARGUMENT IN A NUTSHELL.

Patriotism is the basis of loyalty; Canadianism is the

basis of enduring imperial unity. Full and free public discussion is the basis of responsible government; upon it rest the rights of both majorities and of minorities in parliament.

Loyalty overrides patriotism; imperial unity is founded on colonial subservience. Responsible government means the dictation of the majority in parliament to the minority regardless of constitutional rights, parliamentary usage and the people's mandate.

Within these four corners lie the argument for and against a policy of naval contribution and for and against the gag in parliament—Liberal Monthly.

The drain of Canadian cattle to the United States will, it is said, make meat very dear and scarce here. Instead of taking the tariff off imported meat Mr. Borden will probably tell us that over-indulgence in meat has for years been Canada's national vice, and that he is determined to check it.

Correspondents should spell Canada in full is the advice given by the Monetary Times, Prince Rupert, Can.; Montreal, Ca.; Winnipeg, Can., etc., in the opinion of that journal, looks as if we were really going to the dogs. It may be those other municipalities are unable to save themselves, but Prince Rupert CAN.

CARNIVAL OF NOISE ON COAST TO CELEBRATE CANAL OPENING

WHEN BUTTON IS PRESSED ON FRIDAY MORNING LAST OBSTRUCTION PACIFIC COAST WILL ROAR FROM SAN DIEGO TO VICTORIA.

Seattle, Oct. 5.—The plan initiated by the Seattle Chamber of Commerce for a coastwide celebration October 10th at the moment of the blasting out of the last obstruction in the Panama Canal which still separates the waters of the Pacific from the Atlantic has met with the most enthusiastic response from commercial bodies and military and naval commanders from San Diego to the Canadian line, and it is now assured that the pressing of the button that will touch off the final blast in the canal will turn loose the greatest volume of noise ever heard on the Pacific Coast.

J. C. Slater, chairman of the progress and prosperity committee, which has had the matter in

charge, has received advices assuring him of the support of the celebration from Rear Admiral V. L. Coltman, commandant at the navy yard, Puget Sound; Colonel R. H. Wilson, of Fort Lawton; Colonel C. J. Bailey, commanding the coast defenses of Puget Sound at Fort Worden, and commercial bodies from all over the coast.

Some fear was felt that the recent earthquake at Colon had disturbed the bed of the canal to such an extent that the final blowing out of the Gamboa dike would have to be postponed, but advices received in the city yesterday were to the effect that the explosion would take place on time, and all the correspondents of the chamber of commerce have been so advised.

LIBERAL HAS THE BEST CHANCE FOR CHATEAUGUAY SATURDAY

FISHER'S SUPPORTERS ARE COUNTING UPON HIM TO CARRY THE RIDING BY A MAJORITY OF ABOUT TWO HUNDRED.

Ottawa, Oct. 5.—At the headquarters of both political parties in Ottawa today confidence was expressed as to the outcome of the by-election in Chateauguay a week from Saturday. Both sides agree, however, that no matter who wins the majority will not be a large one.

Conservatives, on the other hand, are disposed to believe that much can be made out of the fact that Hon. Sydney Fisher is not a resident of the constituency. They believe that Mr. James Morris, the Conservative candidate,

will get the votes of many who gave their support to Mr. Brown at the last election. On the other hand, J. Angus McMillan, Liberal member for Glengarry, who is interested in the fight and who was here today, says that Mr. Fisher will poll the full Liberal vote, which Mr. Brown failed to do in his last fight.

So far as can be learned tonight Premier Borden does not intend to speak in the constituency and it is not likely that any Quebec members of the cabinet will take part in the speaking campaign. The Conservatives say that their organization is good and that they propose to devote their energies to a thorough canvass of the riding.

ROOSEVELT IS OFF FOR SOUTH AMERICA

Denied Published Reports That He Intends to Return to the Grand Old Party.

New York, Oct. 4.—Theodore Roosevelt bade his friends farewell last night on the eve of his departure on a journey to unexplored South America at a dinner given in his honor by the Progressive National Service and the Progressive Society of the State of New York. Addressing some 2,000 men and women who gathered in his honor at the New York Roof Garden, the colonel made a speech, in which he apparently sought to put a quietus on published reports that he intends to return to the Republican party.

"I warn our opponents that that fight has only just begun," said Roosevelt, his voice breaking in his earnestness. "I will never give up the principles to which we Progressives have pledged ourselves."

Police Have Vicious Dog.

Kwong Sang Hing, a Celestial, was ordered by the magistrate some ten days ago to destroy a vicious dog. Yesterday morning he again appeared before the magistrate to answer to the charge of disobeying the order of the court. He was fined \$5 and costs and the police took charge of the dog.

Secretary to Governor General.

Ottawa, Oct. 4.—Charles Jones, chief clerk in the office of the governor general, has been superannuated. He is being succeeded by Mr. Arthur Sladen, who has been civil secretary to Lord Minto, Lord Grey and the Duke of Connaught. Mr. Sladen will continue to act as secretary to the governor, general, and will combine the duties of secretary with those of chief clerk in the governor general's office.

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