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A Weak Imitation.

The Ontario Government has at various times in its own weak way—but to the full of its limited opportunities—imitated the anti-Canadian policy of the Federal Reform leaders. Although the Ontario contingent cannot without scandal defame the country as Sir Richard Cartwright does—although members of the Legislature in discussing the Ditches and Watercourses Act and kindred measures, cannot with good grace introduce jeremiads against the country and warn all to take refuge in the everlasting hills of the neighboring Republic, as their brethren in the Commons continually do — although the circumscribed range of legislative discussion pins them down to home and hearth and matters of local fact—still the Ontario Government has shown practical allegiance to the Americans policy of the Reform party. The visionary Federal wing has laid before the American vast promises of future favors—the practical Ontario wing has confined itself to present performances.

The history of the Ontario Government's connection with the Buffalo architect in regard to the plans for the new Provincial buildings is fresh in the public mind. It was an evil intimacy and from it successive evils flow.

The United States Government has enacted a stringent alien labor law preventing citizens from contracting with foreign labor—but here even the Ontario Government seems partial to alien labor.

Among many other instances may be mentioned the matter of suction fans for ventilating the Parliament buildings. The American architect lost no opportunity for favoring Americans wherever a timely proviso could be inserted in the specifications, not forgetting one calling for Buffalo forge, Blackman or Sturtevant fans. These are all American make, and the specifications left a beautiful freedom of choice in selection so long as the Canadian make was shut out of it. Charles Field, 124 Queen-street east, Toronto, has been manufacturing ventilating fans in this city for thirteen years. His make are in use all over Toronto and elsewhere, and are inferior to none of those mentioned above. Yet he was denied the right to tender, although retaining the undisputed privilege of helping pay for the cost of the work. Not only is the Canadian make equal to the American, but the home article has every advantage in price. Fans of 18 inch diameter cost $28, and of 42 inch $77. The American 18 inch fan costs $40 and the 42 inch $110, and to these prices must be added a duty of 35 per cent. In such a contract as this both would tender lower or throw off a percentage, but this does not alter the case.

This is but one instance showing how the Government, in employing a foreign architect, permitted home manufacturers to be conspired against, but a score of others share Mr. Field's grievance.

The American Indian.

On Monday the Indian who killed Lieut. Casey in the recent outbreak in the Bad Lands will be placed on trial for his crime. The investigation into the causes of that outbreak, in the minds of many, justified it. It was shown that Government agents had systematically swindled, abused and starved the Indians into a state of desperation. To the crude intellect of the savage there existed but one method of redressing his undoubted wrongs—the slaughter of his oppressors. This they attempted and as in duty bound the state fell upon the uprising and subdued it. Were it not for the surpassing treachery whereby poor Casey died, we would be inclined to protest against Monday's proceedings, and urge that the Indian be tried for rebellion, not murder. Thereby he might justify his general conduct rather than suffer for a specific crime.

What would The Mail Editor have given had the first article of yesterday never been published!

Post Mortem Hardships.

That the avarice of man should molest the cold clay of those who sleep is most revolting. The scheme of stealing a corpse and holding it for ransom is vile—to defraud the living and profane the dead—what more vile! The remains of Pat Purcell may happily be recovered and all men earnestly hope so.

Behind him he left an estate valued at over a million dollars. Now a second will has suddenly come to light, drawn up prior to the one already published, but attached to it is a codicil of more recent date. It is magnificently uncertain which is valid, and those eminent in the law may haggle and banter on the case until possibly the days may lengthen into months and the months merge into years ere settlement is reached. Thus, with his body in possession of ghouls and his estate in the talons of the law, the spirit of deceased must be sorely vexed.

When the ordinary man dies—he of smaller means and fewer heirs than plague his wealthy brother—his last will and testament is just, perfect and regular. He may write it with a carpenter's pencil on a fragment of foolscap and it answers the purpose. Bury him, and no hope of extorting ransom incites the villainous to make his corpse a thing of illicit merchandise. In some cheap corner quite obscured by the imposing monuments of deceased money-kings he slumbers peacefully, his grave just as green, his memory equally venerated with that of any about him. This is where all men even up.

THE FIRST DIVISION.

Opinions of Newspapers of All Shades of Politics.

[Hamilton Times (Ref.) May 21.]

The division in the House of Commons last night was the first definite test of the voting strength of the respective parties. The Conservatives counted 112 and the Liberals 83; majority for the Government 27. It was made plain that the two great Provinces of Ontario and Quebec together give a small Liberal majority, which is swamped by the Conservative preponderance in New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Manitoba and British Columbia. Without the Franchise Act, the Gerrymander and the electioneering methods of the Canadian Pacific, the Macdonald Government would have been snowed under last March. The popularity of the N.P. is a thing of the past. Canada is looking for a better system.

No matter how Sir John Macdonald got his majority, he has it, and the men who compose it are the sort he likes—men who will vote with him when he is in the wrong. The small provinces hold the balance of power and before long they will name their price.

[Hamilton Spectator (Con.), May 21.]

After waiting nearly a month for an opportunity, the Opposition members of Parliament yesterday screwed their courage to the sticking place, and ventured a trial of strength. The Opposition of course chose their battle ground, and they chose that which they considered most advantageous. The Franchise Act can hardly be said to involve a principle; it is merely a question of expediency whether Parliament shall fix the qualifications of the voters by whom its members are elected and provide the machinery for making the voters' lists, or whether those duties shall be devolved upon the Provincial Legislatures. And so the question fixed upon for the first trial of strength was that which was the most favorable for the Opposition. Two votes were taken. In one the Government majority was 27, in the other it was 29. It is worthy of note that the first vote in the last Parliament showed a Government majority of 32, which indicates a loss of four in the present House.

[Guelph Herald (Con.), May 21.]

Yesterday The Globe exultantly prophesied:

"The gloom which has rested so heavily upon the supporters of the Government was relieved this morning somewhat by the result in Algoma, but to-night the clouds lower darker and thicker than ever."

But though, like Balaam of old, the editor seeks to curse, he is forced in his news from Ottawa to pronounce the blessing—the good news—of a woeful defeat to the Grit annexationists. A Government majority of 29, that in a full house would have been 31, and that will be 34 on any other party question that can be raised. The choice of the franchise bill as the fighting ground was the best that could have been selected by the Opposition; they polled the largest vote on it they will ever gather together this Parliament. Shortly, the vote stood thus: Conservative, 113; Grit, 84; majority, 29.

[Empire, May 21.]

The first vote of the new Parliament took place just before midnight last night on a motion of Sir John Thompson to give the six months' hoist to Mr. M. C. Cameron's bill to abolish the Franchise Act. The Government was sustained on the amendment by a vote of 112 to 85. The Government's majority in a full House would be 30. This is a handsome working majority, and shows that the Grits can have little hopes of their predictions of defeating the Government before the session is out being realized. As in the last Parliament, there is no doubt the bye-elections will greatly increase the Government's majority as time goes on.

[Montreal Gazette, May 21.]

The first division of the new Parliament has been had, on an issue chosen by the Opposition, at a time of their own selection, and the Government majority was 29. That may be taken as setting at rest the twaddle Liberals have been talking about defections in the Conservative ranks and the early defeat of the Government. The Government's majority is really larger than the figures of the division indicate, as our despatch shows. The result as it is, however, is perfectly satisfactory. It will strengthen the Ministry and its supporters in Parliament and the country, will give them courage to face the difficult questions before them, and confidence that they will be settled to the satisfaction and benefit of the country.

Now, Ye Bookworms, Read.

Skeat, Principles of English Etymology; Wells, Modern Flour Confectioner; Meloy, Progressive Carpentry; David Robertson, the Naturalist of Cumbrae, Life of, by T. R. R. Stebbing; Yonge, Charlotte M., More Bywords; Delitzsch, Messianic Prophesies in Historical Succession; Birkmire, Architectural Iron and Steel; Recks, Primitive Folk; Gribble, Preliminary Survey and Estimates; Putnam, Question of Copyright; Beckford, Vathek and European Travels; Lamplough, Yorkshire Battles; Griffiths, French Revolutionary Generals; Lockyer-Lampson, Lyra Elegantiarum; Jonathan Swift, Mystery of His Life and Love, by James Hay; Bellingham, Diary of a Working Man in Central Africa; Lang, Essays in Little; Ford, Thistledown, a book of Scotch Humor, Character, etc.; Brinton, The American Race; Ruisdael, Hobbema Cuyp and Potter, Landscape Painters of Holland, by Frank Cundall; Pericles and the Golden Age of Athens, by Evelyn Abbott; List, National System of Political Economy; Kovalevsky, Modern Customs and Ancient Laws of Russia; Casati, Two Years in Equatoria and the Return with Emin Pasha; Jennings, The Philadelphian; Forrest, Eight Days; Harland, Grandison Mather; Huxley, Social Diseases and Worse Scourges, two copies; Handbook of Athletic Sports; Handbook of Games; Maxwell Gray, In the Heart of the Storm.

Spring Clearing Sale.

The great spring clearance sale by Messrs. R. Walker & Sons, of the Golden Lion, is creating quite an excitement amongst the lovers of bargains. The firm were offered a stock of dry goods of every description, including mantles, carpets, and tweeds, and the temptation of low prices was too much for him to withstand, and the consequence is that they decided to place the entire stock, old and new, upon the counters, and if possible, sell the whole, amounting to upwards of $600,000, at prices that will enrich the buyers. Already the excitement is high, and the remaining days of this month will doubtless see the piles melting like snow before the sun.

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A Wheel Within a Wheel.

To work a wheel within a wheel means to get a first-class bicycle without laying out one hundred and twenty-five dollars. This offer is now given by the Great Oak Hall Clothing Store. To have a chance in this grand competition all you need to do is to purchase a man's or boy's suit and make a great guess at the number of beans and peas contained in the jars exposed in their show windows, the nearest guesser entitled to the bicycle. The reputation of Oak Hall is sufficient to guarantee the genuineness of the offer and the quality of their garments. Don't miss this chance. This is open from now till Aug. 1.

Mr. Thomas Ballard, Syracuse, N.Y., writes: I have been afflicted for nearly a year with that most-to-be-dreaded disease, Dyspepsia, and at times worn out with pain and want of sleep, and after trying almost everything recommended, I tried one box of Parmelee's Valuable Pills. I am now nearly well, and believe they will cure me. I would not be without them for any money."

Personal.

Col. Otis of New York is at the Rossin.

John Farley, Q.C., St. Thomas, is at the Palmer.

W. H. Cameron, London, England, is at the Walker.

Major Bigg, London, Eng., is a guest at the Queen's.

J. T. Garrow, M.L.A., Goderich, is at the Rossin House.

W. B. Robinson and wife of Duluth are guests at the Palmer.

Colin Campbell of Perrier-Jouet fame is in town from Montreal.

Dr. Ogilvie, Mayor of Kingston, Jamaica, is registered at the Walker.

Dr. Thomson Bonar, Edinburgh, Scotland, is registered at the Queen's.

Judge Sinclair came to town yesterday from Hamilton and is stopping at the Rossin House.

J. Burton, general freight agent G.T.R.; D. McNicoll, general passenger agent C.P.R., and C. McPherson, general maritime agent, C.P.R., are guests at the Queen's.

Mr. B. Homer Dixon has been elected president of the Toronto Sanatorium Association in the place of the late Ald. Gillespie. Mr. D. W. Alexander succeeds Mr. Dixon as vice-president. The Sanatorium, which is a private retreat for the subjects of inebriety or monomania, is situate at Deer Park.

Caught in a Shaft.

A frequent source of accident is found in shafting. Great care should be used and a supply of Hagyard's Yellow Oil kept on hand in case of wounds, bruises, sprains, burns or scalds. It is the promptest pain reliever obtainable.

ENTRIES FOR SEVEN EVENTS.

A GREAT LIST OF CANDIDATES FOR O.J.C. PURSES.

Program for the First Two Days—Saturday Starters Take Their Final Trials—Horses Declared Out—Racing on the American Tracks—General Sporting Gossip.

If Old Sol only puts in an appearance to-morrow, the indications are that the O.J.C.'s spacious grounds will not be sufficient to hold the large crowd that promises to journey to Woodbine Park. Never before was there such interest taken in a race meeting in Canada, for nothing else seemed to be spoken of around town yesterday, the general query being, "Are you going to the races?" and "Who will win the plate?" In fact the whole city seems to have gone horse crazy.

Dressmakers are up to their eyes in work and the dressmaking establishments in the city are not sufficient to supply the demands of the fair sex who are desirous of paying homage to the great event.

The hotels are crowded with strangers from all parts of Canada and the United States, and one would imagine that England's "blue ribbon" was to be decided here. Everything is now in readiness at the course and the only thing that remains to assure success is the absence of Jupiter Pluvius.

The entries, which are given below, show that all the events have filled well and far beyond expectations, and an excellent day's sport is bound to result to-morrow.

A Score of Declarations.

Declarations were due in five O.J.C. events on May 20, and these have been made:

Queen's Plate—Baycourt.

Carslake Handicap—Gladiator, Papoose, Lordlike, Caramel Billy, Bob Thomas, Hercules, Felix, Tactician, Economy, Pericles, Lexington, Periwinkle.

Piper Heidsieck Steeplechase—Evangeline, Hercules.

Dominion Handicap—Arrow, Hanover, Aide-de-Camp, Harry Cooper.

Sapling Stakes—Glen Boy.

FIRST DAY—SATURDAY, MAY 23.

First race—The Trial Purse of $300; for all ages, of which $50 to second horse and $25 to third; entrance $5: weight for age: maidens allowed, if 3 years old 5 lbs., 4 years 10 lbs., 5 years and upwards 14 lbs.; winners of any race, value $300, in 1890 or 1891 to carry 5 lbs. extra; ¾ mile.

M. J. Daly's b g Salisbury, a, by Stonehenge—Julietta.

H. Paton's b g Pericles, a, by Strachino—Bonnie Vic.

F. H. Ryan's ch g Adolph, a, by Kingfisher—Adasinda.

F. H. Ryan's b h Prince Karl, 5, by Prince Charlie—Penny.

J. P. Dawes' b m Zea, 5, by Terror—Begonia.

D. Higgins' g h Fellowship, 4, by Fellowcraft—La Rieve.

J. Lecals' ch c Hyderabad, 4, by Hyder Ali—Cousin Etta.

R. Davies' b m Underwood, 4, by Uncas—Favordale.

V. Hollar's ch c St. Patrick, 3, by St. Blaise—Patience.

A. Shields b c Annapolis, 3, by Alarm—Blossom.

A. Shields' b c Ely, 3, by Ella Lawrence—Lady Kelly.

Altonwood Stud Farm's ch m Maid of Alton wood, 3, by Ben d'Or—Lady Glasgow.

J. E. Seagram's b c Tactician, 3, by Ben d'Or—Strategy.

J. P. Dawes' b f Belle of Orange, 3, by Duke of Montrose—Jersey Girl.

T. H. Love's b g Cortland, 4, by Hindoo—Katie.

T. H. Love's ch m Polydora, 3, by Imp St. Blaise—Polinta.

P. H. Ryan's ch f ———, 3, by Reform—Caramel.

A. Shields' b c Ely, 3, by Ellas Lawrence—Lady Kelly.

Altonwood Stud Farm's ch m Maid of Alton wood, 3, by Ben d'Or—Lady Glasgow.

J. P. Dawe's b f Belle of Orange, 3, Duke of Montrose—Jersey Girl.

W. Hendrie's ch f Omeo, 3, by Iroquois—Orphan Girl.

Mr. Abingdon's b m Wenonah, 3, by Sensation—Bandala.

Second race, Woodstock Plate—Closed Feb. 20 with 30 entries.

Third race, Carslake Handicap—Closed May 1 with 24 entries.

Fourth race, Piper-Heidsieck Steeplechase—Closed May 1 with 10 entries.

Fifth race—The Walker Cup for a purse of $800 for 3-year-olds and upwards the bona fide property of owners resident in the Dominion. A challenge cup, value $500, the gift of Hiram Walker & Sons, distillers of Walkerville, Ont.; a sweepstakes of $20 each, half forfeit, to which is added $300 in cash; stakes to be divided two-thirds to second, and one-third to third; the cup to be held for one year by the owner of the winner, and to become the absolute property of anybody winning same two years in succession; weight for age; the winner of Toronto Cup to carry 5 lbs. extra, and the second in that race 3 lbs. Maidens allowed 5 lbs.; 1¼ miles.

H. Paton's b g Pericles, a, by Strachino—Grecian Maid.

D. Higgins' b h Everett, a, by Enquirer—Patricia.

Queen City Stable's bl h Sam Wood 5, by Longfellow—Lucy Jackson.

J. E. Seagram's b c Tactician, 3, by Bend'Or—Strategy.

J. E. Seagram's b f Economy, 3, by Spendthrift—Maid of Skey.

W. Hendrie's b g Calgary, 3, by King Alfonso—Cottona.

W. Hendrie's b f Sunbonnet, 3, by King Alfonso—Virginia.

Sixth race—Helter Skelter Chase for a purse of $300, of which $75 to second and $25 to third, for horses that have not won an open hurdle race or steeplechase in 1890 or 1891. Weight 168 lbs. Half-breds allowed 5 lbs. Maidens across country 5 lbs. $5 to accompany entry, which shall be selected between second and third. Short steeplechase course.

A. McDonald's b g Lochiel, a, by Milesian—Lady Albert.

P. Trower's ch g Chandos, a, by Thunderstorm—Scissors.

Owner's br g Comique, a, by Virgilian—Ellan Gowan.

T. H. Love's br g Overstone, a, by Stonehenge—Invermore.

H. Hanbury's br g Brimstone, 5, by Blenkiron—dam unknown.

A. E. Gates' br g Speculator, 6, by Ten Broeck—Anne Boleyn.

W. Hendrie's br g Wild Thorn, 5, by Blenkiron—Wild Daisy.

THEIR FINAL PREPS.

Yesterday Morning at Woodbine—Ella B. Furnishes a Surprise.

Yesterday morning a large crowd gathered at Woodbine Park as early as 4 o'clock to watch the horses receiving their final "preps." for to-morrow.

Ella B., a Queen's Plate candidate, furnished a surprise when she covered the plate distance in 2.18, and throughout the day many were the tips given on her for the classic event as "a good thing." Fellowship, who accompanied her part of the journey, worked three-quarters of a mile in 1.19¾.

My Anna, in company with La Blanche, galloped a mile and a quarter in 2.20¾.

Lee Christy worked the same distance in 2.22 and the last mile in 1.49.

Wenona made a circle of the track in 1.46¾.

Hercules covered a mile and a half in 3.03.

Long Shot made his first appearance on the track, but was only given slow work.

Redfellow worked a mile in 1.56 easily and Gladstone the same distance in 1.54.

Lochiel covered a mile in 2.56.

Countess and Jim Berry were sent a mile and a quarter at a 2-minute gait.

Myfellow and Everett were given strong work.

M. J. Daly's string, including Lord of the Harem, Bohemian, Gloster, Salisbury and William Daly Jr., arrived last night.

The first street car for members leaves the Queen's Hotel each day at 12.30 p.m.

Gravesend Events.

BROOKLYN, May 21.—First race, 1 mile—Tulla Blackburn 1, Text 2, Chesapeake 3. Time 1.43¾.

Second race, 1 mile—Warpath 1, Algernon 2, Rey del Rey 3. Time 1.45.

Third race, 5 furlongs—Mount Vernon 1, Laughing Water 2, Spinalong 3. Time 1.04.

Fourth race, 1 1-16 miles—Sir John 1, Clarendon 2, Buddhist 3. Los Angeles and Her Highness also ran. Time 1.50¾.

Fifth race, ⅞ mile—St. Florian 1, Radha colt 2, Ermitrude colt 3. Time 1.03¾.

Sixth race, 6 furlongs—Soho 1, Iago 2, Torchlight 3. Time 1.16.

The Second Day at Chicago.

CHICAGO, May 21.—First race, ⅝ mile—Ill Wind 1, Little Dollie 2, Richelieu 3. Time 1.11.

Second race, 1 mile—Pat Onley 1, Bob McCort 2, Aunt Cal 3. Time 1.43.

Third race, ⅞ mile—Carus 1, Portlaw 2, Burch 3. Time 1.39.

Fourth race, 1 1-16 miles—Bankrupt 1, Osborne 2, Gwyne 3. Time 1.57¾.

Fifth race, 1 mile—Marmoset 1, Duster 2, Uplate 3. Time 1.44.

Racing in the South.

LOUISVILLE, May 21.—First race, 1 mile—Redsign (6 to 5) 1, Marie M. 2, Consignee 3. Time 1.50.

Second race, 1 mile and 70 yards—Palmetto (3 to 1) 1, Ranier 2, Governor Wheeler 3. Time 1.55¾.

Third race, Runnymede stakes, 6 furlongs—Huron (1 to 10) 1, Wautanga 2, Margaret O'Neil 3. Time 1.24¼.

Fourth race 5 furlongs—Pendleton (1 to 2) 1, Orville 2, Toewater 3. Time 1.08¼.

Fifth race, 1 and 1-16 miles—Vallera (5 to 2) 1, Parametta 2, Faithful 3. Time 1.55¼.

A TIE FOR THE MEDAL.

Tymon and McDowall Must Shoot Off for the Owls' Prize.

The members of the Owl Gun Club held their final shoot for the McDowall medal at Stark's Athletic Grounds yesterday afternoon, which resulted in four members tieing for the medal, but J. Rice finally got there after a close shoot-off, with G. Henry a good second, one bird behind. The conditions of the shoot were: Five shoots, and the member making the three highest scores to be the winner, 20 birds per shoot for each man. Following are the scores:

J. Tymon, 21 yds	18	G. Henry, 21 yds	16
W. McDowall, 21 "	18	W. Cook, 16 "	10
J. Rice, 21 "	17	J. Stinson, 16 "	8

Summary:

THREE BEST SCORES.

J. Rice	18	17	17—52
G. Henry	17	19	16—52
A. J. Tymon	17	17	18—52
W. McDowall	17	17	18—52

The shoot-off resulted as follows:

J. Rice	17	A. J. Tymon	15
G. Henry	17	W. McDowall	13

Ties—Rice 6, Henry 5.

The members of the Owl Gun Club also finished the shoot for the three gold medals given by the club, which resulted as follows:

G. Henry, 1st class	17	19	16—52
W. Smith, 2nd class	13	11	15—38
A. Austin, 3rd class	11	15	15—41

The West Toronto Shoot.

The following scores were made by the West Toronto Gun, Dog Sports and Angling Club at their weekly shoot Wednesday last for the club trophies:

First class, 20 birds, 20 yards rise: J. Knowles 13, J. Barrett 12, C. Burgess 9, G. Spillar, R. A. McCready, D. Beatty, F. Oben, retired.

Second class, 20 birds, 18 yards rise: H. Haines 9, F. Habart 8, G. Medcalf 7, E. Manning 7, G. Evans 6, W. Stain, J. Tizzard, retired.

Toronto 'Cyclists' Holiday Trip.

The committee of the Toronto Bicycle Club, who had the Queen's Birthday trip on hand, have all arrangements completed. The party, under Captain Robins, will leave Toronto by the steamer Chicora at 4 p.m. tomorrow for Niagara-on-the-Lake. On the arrival of the steamer at Niagara the party will commence wheeling at once to the Falls, 14 miles, where Sunday will be spent. On Monday a trip will be made to St. Catharines and thence to Niagara-on-the-Lake to take steamer either at 5 p.m. or 6 p.m. for Toronto. All the members who intend taking the trip are requested to meet at the club house to-night to secure tickets for the steamer.

Yacht Whistlewing.

This well-known cutter is now offered for sale at a very low figure, as her owner is unable to run her this season. Newly fitted out and in first-class order, is the strongest and most comfortable cruising yacht of her size on the lakes; has very handsome cabin, newly upholstered in crimson plush, plate glass mirrors, etc., and very full outfit of everything; 40 feet on water line, 7 feet 4 inches beam, 8 feet draft. This is a rare chance for purchasers. Apply to J. W. Rutherford, 23 Scott-street, Toronto. 456

Cyclists' Holiday Trip.

David Nasmith, the Canadian champion road rider, leaves the Don bridge at 7 a.m. Monday next to make the record to Kingston, and requests that any interested member of our sister clubs be on hand to take the time of starting. Last night's evening run was well attended, and the route was around town west and north four miles and return.

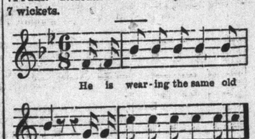
They Still Talk Regatta.

Messrs. Strathy and Houston, rowing enthusiasts of Barrie, visited the city yesterday. They met several members of the Canadian Association of Amateur Oarsmen Regatta Committee at the Queen's last night and talked over their town as a place for holding the annual event. Several railway men were present and quoted rates. But nothing serious was done, and Chairman Pearson announced that an adjournment would be made until to-night.

ON THE CRICKET CREASE.

Rosedale's Easy Victory Over Upper Canada College Yesterday.

Upper Canada went first to bat yesterday in their game at Rosedale, and all were dispelled for 48 runs. Rosedale followed and with the loss of only 3 wickets had scored 74 runs. Rosedale thus won by 31 runs and 7 wickets.



Why will he wear the same old hat when he can get a new one at James Harris' for the price? Just received a large assortment of English and American straw sailors in all the latest styles and colors. James Harris, 99 Yonge-street.

East Toronto's Two Teams.

East Toronto plays two teams to-morrow, one goes to the Exhibition grounds and the other meets the Riverdales on the home ground. These will play against Parkdale: Chandler, Smith, G. B., Awty, Clark, Pentland, Streeter, Harrison, Levoy, Adams, Cameron, I. H. and Till. The team to oppose Riverdale: Jordan (captain), Flynn, E. Smith, Mayor, King, Hollis, Howard, Fred Smith, M. Smith, Bottomley, Yetman.

Toronto Club Matches.

A strong eleven of the Toronto Cricket Club leaves to-night for Ottawa, where they play to-morrow. On Sunday they journey to Montreal and play the club of that city on the holiday. The Toronto colts meet the Rosedale colts in the Bloor-street grounds to-morrow and in the same ground they play Brampton on Monday. The Toronto's third match on Monday is at Trinity College.

Games in Three Big Ball Leagues.

LEAGUE: Pittsburg 7, Brooklyn 4; Cincinnati 4, New York 6; Cleveland 2, Boston 6; Chicago 10, Philadelphia 7.

AMERICAN: Boston 2, St. Louis 5; Athletics 6, Cincinnati 3; Columbus 6, Baltimore 9; Washington 7, Louisville 6.

EASTERN: Albany 7, Lebanon 0; Buffalo 4, Providence 3; Syracuse 8, Troy 3.

Rochester and New Haven game called on account of rain.

The T. L. C.'s Teams.

The committee of the Toronto Lacrosse Club has selected the following teams for Monday: For the Toronto-Montreal match—Martin, Cheyne, R., Garvin, J. S., Boyd, L., Carmichael, P., Garvin, J., Dixon, F., Cheyne, Geo., Langley, Burns, Woodland, Sewell, with George Irving captain.

For St. Catharines—C. Carmichael, F. Bozall, R. Walker, Meharg, Davis Furness, Knowles, McConaghy, Keith, Walker, Mason, with T. L. Morrison captain. Spare men, Wheeler and T. Carmichael.

Sporting Miscellany.

The Junior Wellesleys defeated St. Mary's by 18 to 6.

The Parkdale Beavers play Varsity on the Lawn Saturday afternoon. This should be an interesting match.

The Rose Baseball Club will reorganize and hold their annual meeting at the club rooms to-night, 150 Wilton-avenue.

A baseball match will be played this afternoon at 4 o'clock at Rosedale between the Dominion and Commerce nines.

A committee meeting of the Capital Lacrosse Club takes place to-night at the baseball grounds, when the Ottawa team will be chosen.

Warin is building two new practice four-oared boats for the Sunnyside Rowing Club. A shell is also ordered by the same club from Ruddock for their racing four.

The Pastimes have reorganized for this season and would like to receive challenges from clubs whose members average age is 15. Address Secretary J. Lathams, 343 Front-street east.

Following are the team which will represent the Park Nine in their games with Dundas and Tilsonburg on Saturday and Monday: Nelson 2b., O'Donoghue ss., Mackrell c., O'Leary 1f., Jones 3b., Finn 1b., Beard c.f., Menzies r.f., Kaenan and Gourlay pitchers.

The West End Actives will meet at Brockton station on Monday at 9.45 a.m. to play Victoria Industrial School, Mimico. Any person wishing to go should send address to Bert Magill, 201 Major-street. Following are the players: Frank Lawlor c, Percy Booth p, Bert Saunders 1 b, Alex. Milne 2 b, H. Stewart 3 b, Alex. Yellowlees ss, John Dulude c f, Geo. Mitchell r f, Bert Magill l f, Fred Gourlie spareman.

The following team will represent the Canadian Lacrosse Club at Port Hope on May 25: J. Perkins, G. Leonard, E. Chandler, A. Hider, G. Moore, P. Kennedy, F. Waghorne, F. Ginn, N. Schell, F. Walker, J. O'Neil, J. Shaw; spare men, G. Nash, H. Birt; field captain, H. J. Biatchly. The team will leave on Saturday. All players and members are requested to be at practice on Friday night to make final arrangements.

All Men.

Men, young, old or middle-aged, who are weak, nervous and exhausted, broken down from overwork or from any cause not mentioned, should send for and read the book of Lubon, a treatise on diseases peculiar to man. Sent sealed, secure from observation, on receipt of 10c. in stamps. Address M. V. Lubon, 50 Front-st. east, Toronto.

A New Coal Company.

Messrs. S. Crane & Co., coal merchants, have disposed of their large business to the Canada Coal Company, who will carry on business in the same premises.

Every Mother Interested.

Dyer's Improved Food for Infants is made from pure pearl barley, can be used by the most delicate or healthy infant and is highly recommended by leading physicians, 25 cents. Try it, druggists keep it. W. A. Dyer & Co., Montreal.

Still Another Coal Firm.

Mr. J. C. Brackenridge, who for some time past has been with the old firm of S. Crane & Co., coal merchants, and who recently sold out to the Canada Coal Company, has started a new concern at 111 Queen-street west.

Much distress and sickness in children is caused by worms. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator gives relief by removing the cause. Give it a trial and be convinced.

Cheap Food

Dyer's Improved Food for Infants is made from pure pearl barley, is highly nutritious, and costs only 25 cents. Try it, druggists keep it. W. A. Dyer & Co., Montreal.

Holloway's Corn Cure destroys all kinds of corns and warts, root and branch. Who then would endure them with such a cheap and effectual remedy within reach?

OTTAWA'S MAYOR LITIGATING.

Mary Rowe's Case—Townships Quarrelling Over Drainage Rates.

Mr. Justice Rose will hold chambers after court to-day.

The Common Pleas Divisional Court yesterday granted a rule nisi calling upon Magistrate Denison to show cause why a conviction made against Mary Rowe of Centre-street, whereby she was fined $50 and costs for breach of the Liquor License Act, should not be quashed.

The Queen's Bench Divisional Court yesterday heard argument on the appeal by Mayor Birkett of Ottawa from the judgment of Mr. Justice MacMahon, confirming the order of the master in chambers and upholding the learned master's jurisdiction. After a lengthy argument, on which the Attorney-General was represented, the court dismissed the appeal with costs and gave the appellant leave to appeal from its decision. It is still contended on behalf of the respondent that the master in chambers has no jurisdiction in such cases. Mayor Birkett appeals on the principle of the thing, as he is at present mayor of Ottawa, having been elected by acclamation after being unseated by the judgment of the master.

The Court of Appeal was occupied yesterday with the argument in the case of the township of Stephen against the township of McGillivray. The action is one brought by the plaintiff corporation against an adjoining municipality to compel it to pay or to pass a bylaw for the payment of a sum charged against it by the report of an engineer as its share of the cost of drainage works undertaken by the plaintiff corporation in pursuance of the Municipal Act. The defendant says that the report is not sufficient and that it is not binding on it. The work in question was the opening by a cut across a sandbar into Lake Huron of the river Aux Sables at a bend and dredging the river from the bend to a point some 500 chains distant up the stream to its junction with the Waywatch Creek within the township of Stephen. The river forms the boundary between Bosanquet on the north and Stephen and McGillivray on the south, the latter township lying to the west of Stephen. At the trial at Woodstock Mr. Justice Rose dismissed the action, holding that the work was not within the jurisdiction of a township, but of a county, if at all provided for by the act. Judgment was reserved.

A writ has been issued at the instance of Isaac Rutherford against James Sharpe of Parry Sound, claiming $5000 damages for false arrest and imprisonment, malicious prosecution and libel.

A writ was issued yesterday against Alfred M. Walton and John W. Brown, claiming $25,750 on a mortgage.

The master in chambers stayed proceedings yesterday in reference to a number of writs against George A. Rosbach, successor of Hess & Co., furniture manufacturers, Listowel and Toronto, until more creditors could be joined in the writs as plaintiffs.

FLOURISHING ORDER.

Annual Meeting of Grand Legion of Select Knights of Canada.

The reports of the grand officers presented at the ninth annual session of the Grand Legion of the Select Knights of Canada Tuesday showed 20 new legions were instituted during the year, making a total of over 130 now in good working order; 1221 new certificates were issued, representing insurance of $1,753,000; the total insurance issued so far to its members by the order is $17,218,000; there is at present date a balance of $15,000 in the endownment fund; the membership is now 3500; $34,000 had been paid out during the year in death benefits.

It was decided to create a reserve fund, from which claims should be paid if assessments of over 18 per year should ever be required. The date of the annual meetings of the Grand Legion was changed from the third Wednesday in May of each year to second Wednesday in March. The following officers were elected:

Grand Commander—T L L Lewis of Toronto.
Grand Past Commander—W J Porte, Paris.
Grand Vice-Commander—W H Fenton, Boston.
Grand Lieut.-Commander—W J Parkhill, Midland.
Grand Recorder—J J Leonsdorf, St. Catharines.
Grand Treasurer—J McLean Stevenson, Barrie.
Grand Standard Bearer—J J Utley, Montreal.
Grand Senior Workman—W J Graham, Toronto.
Grand Junior Workman—G. Robson, Iroquois.
Grand Guard—A. B. Fell, Morrisburgh.
Grand Medical Examiner—J S King, M.D., Toronto.
Grand Trustees—F. G. McCready, Brockville; A. B. Thompson, Meaford; H. Watson, Clearville.
Finance Committee—(two members elected by Grand Legion), George Watt, Toronto; J. J. Leonsdorf, St. Catharines.
Endowment Fund Board—W. J. Roe, M.D., Georgetown; S. S. Dodge, London; M. Fennell, Barrie; W. J. Bell, Beeton; B. Lynch, Montreal; A. Hudson, Ottawa.

The newly elected officers were then installed by Past Grand Commander Dr. King and the Grand Legion closed its session to meet again in Toronto on the 2nd Wednesday in March, 1892.

SCHOOL CHILDREN IN GALA DRESS.

The Coming Concert Bound to be a Grand Success—The Rehearsal Last Night.

The last grand rehearsal before the coming concert, the anticipation of which keeps every child in the city who takes part—and there are 700 of them—on the qui vive, was held last night in the Mutual-street rink. If there was many people at the concert as attended the rehearsal the children will sing to a crowded house, as there were not seats for everybody last night.

A treat is in store for all lovers of real music. Great care must have been taken to select the singers, for the sweet childish voices blend themselves together in one vast note of harmony. The little ones were heartily applauded by the appreciative audience.

The "Little Maids From School" look very pretty in their quaint Eastern dress and handle their fans as gracefully as their Japanese sisters could possibly do.

The echo song is particularly good, especially where the replies are short, the answering voice not coming so promptly when the replies are longer.

The hoop exercise is unique and is besides health-giving and thoroughly enjoyed by the children.

The club swinging with its clock-work regularity as they followed their leader, Capt. Thompson, reflects great credit on that gentleman.

An orchestra was in attendance and accompanied the large choir and a pianist for the march and smaller choruses. There is a great treat in store for those who attend the real performance to-night.

From Algoma.

A F. Campbell, M.L.A., returned to town last night from Algoma, where he took part in the late contest. He had not heard the result on Manitoulin Island, but the Conservatives expected fully 150, and if this is realized Mr. McDonald's (Conservative) majority will be 450. The writ will not be returned to Ottawa much before the middle of June, and therefore the member-elect will not be able to qualify until then. But he is expected in Ottawa next week.

Jacobs and Sparrow's.

The famous Rentz Santley Novelty & Burlesque Company will be the magnet at Jacobs & Sparrow's Opera House next week. The American papers give the company warm praise. Besides the regular Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday matinees a grand gala matinee will be given Monday.

The Artists.

A promenade concert is to be given to