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ESTIMATES CUT TO THE BONE

TWO MILLIONS LOPPED OFF LAST YEAR'S FIGURES.

No Tariff Changes This Session—A Toronto Customs Embroglio — Projected Railways in Manitoba and British Columbia—Sir C. H. Tupper Not Improving—H. B. Railway Construction.

Ottawa, April 28.—The estimates will be presented to Parliament to-morrow, and accompanying them will be Mr. McMullen's favorite tome—the Auditor-General's report. It is pretty well understood that the pruning knife has been applied to the estimates with an unsparing hand. It is the current belief that, as compared with last year's figures, they will show a cutting down of about two millions. Members of Parliament do not like the idea of returning home and telling their constituents that there is nothing to improve this river, or repair that wharf, or for the erection of a new public building, and yet it is said this is the answer they are receiving to any representations they may make. It is expected that the House will go into supply on Tuesday. This will not suit some members of the Opposition, as they generally like a week in which to study the bulky volume and prime themselves for discussions in supply. Mr. McMullen, however, will be ready.

It is understood that there will be no tariff changes this session, beyond those called for by the French treaty.

Hudson Bay Railway.

Mr. James Isbester left for Manitoba yesterday in connection with Hudson Bay Railway affairs. Mr. Hugh Sutherland has gone to Minneapolis on the same business. It is said that, despite all reports to the contrary, Foley Bros. & Grant will at once commence the work of construction on this line. They have already purchased 350,000 ties, and have a tremendous construction plant, including 2000 horses. The current belief here is that whatever the company does in the way of construction will be from Gladstone Station on the Manitoba and Northwestern Railway, as there is a strong feeling against the company duplicating existing lines, as would be the case if construction commenced at Winnipeg.

Buried Under His Own Monument.

T. B. Prentiss, one of the oldest Free Masons of the district, was buried today with Masonic honors at Aylmer. He was a past Grand Lodge officer of Quebec. Some years ago deceased had his own monument erected in the family plot in the Aylmer Cemetery. It is a red granite monument, and stands about six feet high. On one side of it is inscribed the name of his first wife and the date of her death, On the other side is the name of his present wife, while on another side, beneath a Masonic square and compass, is his own name, the place and date of his birth, etc. The inscription is complete, only the date of his death requiring to be inscribed on the monument.

Northwest Irrigation.

Premier Haultain of the Northwest had an interview with Mr. Daly Saturday to urge that the ordinance passed by the Territorial Assembly last year respecting irrigation be ratified. It will be remembered that during last autumn the Minister of Justice reported that in some respects the act exceeded the jurisdiction of the Assembly, and referred it back to the local authorities, with a view to making the necessary amendments. Mr. Haultain says the Territories will be satisfied if the provisions of the ordinance are incorporated in the Dominion Irrigation Act.

A B. C. Railway Subsidy.

Last session Parliament voted a subsidy to a railway running through the Crow's Nest Pass. Saturday Col. Prior, Mr. Earle and Mr. Mara, M.P.'s, and Col. Baker, Minister of Education for British Columbia, waited upon Sir Mackenzie Bowell, Mr. Foster and Mr. Haggart and secured the promise that the subsidy in question should go to the British Columbia Southern Railway, an enterprise incorporated by both the Dominion and Provincial legislatures. Along the route of the proposed British Columbia Southern there are some very valuable coal fields.

A Toronto Customs Embroglio.

Officers of the Customs Department are at present investigating a case of alleged undervaluation of slack coal imported by John Keith of Toronto. Bituminous coal is at present dutiable at the rate of 60 cents a ton, slack at 20 per cent. ad valorem. The charge is that Mr. Keith has made false entries.

The Penitentiaries Act.

The bill to amend the Penitentiaries Act, of which the Minister of Justice has given notice, is to make provision for the care of insane convicts. At the present time such convicts are kept in the penitentiaries, and it is now proposed to take power to transfer them to the asylums.

A Manitoba Railway.

An effort will be made this session to revive the charter of the Lake Manitoba Railway and Canal Co., better known as the Lake Dauphin Road. The promoters are principaly Ottawa men, including such well-known names as M. P. Davis, J. A. Gemmill, S. H. Fleming, W. H. Davis, E. S. Skead of this city, and Lieut.-Governor Mackintosh of Regina.

New Judges.

The resolution which Sir Charles Tupper placed upon the order paper on Friday respecting the salaries of judges in certain provinces is simply to provide for those cases where the Provincial Legislatures have already passed acts creating the new offices. Under the statute, of course, their salaries are paid by the Dominion.

Notes.

The Standard Shirt Company (limited) has been incorporated by letters patent. The promoters are all Montreal men.

Hon. Robert Watson, Minister of Public Works for Manitoba, left for home yesterday.

The Cabinet was in session Saturday morning. Hon. James Mitchell, Provincial Secretary of New Brunswick, is here on private business.

Mr. C. H. Carriere left his office safe open on Friday night and when he reached his office yesterday morning he found that $150 had been abstracted during the night.

The Misses Thompson, daughters of Lady Thompson, are guests at Government House. They are continuing their studies with the governess of Lady Marjorie Gordon.

The bill to amend the Criminal Code, of which Sir Charles Tupper has given notice, will embody into the act certain amendments which have been found necessary in the course of practice during the past year.

Mrs. Patterson, wife of Hon. J. C. Patterson, did not accompany the Minister to California. Their son Mr. Walter Patterson, has been suffering from an attack of typhoid fever, and Mrs. Patterson has remained at home to attend him during his convalescence.

Le Canada says that His Excellency sent for Attorney-General Sifton and questioned him on the attitude he assumed in Ontario in reference to the decision of the Privy Council on the Separate School question.

Sir C. H. Tupper is not making as rapid progress toward recovery of his health as was hoped, and he will not likely take his seat in the House for three or four days.

Capt. Murray, contractor for the Galops Canal enlargement, who has been in town for the past few days, left for St. Catharines to-night. He has 250 men at work on the canal.

The law faculty of Ottawa University Saturday elected Judge Fornier dean, Solicitor-General Curran vice-dean, Hon. R. H. Scott delegate to University Senate.

Hon. J. J. Curran will attend a meeting of the C.M.B.A. at Cornwall this week.

Hon. G. E. Foster gave a large dinner party last week.

The Department of Trade and Commerce has received encouraging reports of the outlook for a Canadian trade in Australia. One Montreal rubber firm has obtained orders for $50,000 worth of goods this year.

Pedestrian parties are all the rage among members of the Commons. Yesterday a large party visited Sulphur Springs, a 13-mile tramp. Col. Denison was whipper-in.

The annual meeting of the Parliamentary Press Gallery was held Saturday. Mr. R. M. Macleod of The Ottawa Citizen was elected president; W. Mackenzie of The Montreal Herald, vice-president; George Simpson of The Toronto Globe, secretary. The following constitute the Executive Committee: J. A. Phillips, Montreal Gazette; R. A. Payne, St. John Sun; A. Olivier, Montreal La Minerve; A. J. Magurn, Toronto Globe; and J. D. Clarke, London Advertiser.

NEWFOUNDLAND FISH BOUNTY.

How It Is Proposed to Meet the French Shore Difficulty.

St. John's, Nfld., April 28.—A semi-official statement shows that the Newfoundland delegates to Canada regarding confederation, demanded only the bounty on fish exported to markets where the French bounty-fed output ruins our trade. If this be conceded it will kill the French fishery on the banks and force the French to abandon their settlements on our coasts altogether, and give Canada undisputed control of the North American fisheries. A revulsion of feeling has set in in consequence of this. The delegates are praised for their patriotic endeavors to obtain the best bargain possible. The country hopes the Imperial Government will guarantee a portion of the bounty.

197 MILES IN 185 MINUTES.

This Is the Best the Delaware, Lackawanna Road Can Do.

Binghamton, April 28.—The record for the fastest long distance run on the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western was broken Saturday by a special train from New York to Buffalo. The train, which consisted of three cars, left Hoboken at about 8 a.m. The run to Elmira, 57 miles, was made in 58 minutes. The first stop was at Bath, where four minutes was spent. From Bath to East Buffalo, 103 3-4 miles, the time was 103 minutes. A stop of four minutes, however, was made at Mount Morris, so that the actual running time for the distance was 99 minutes. The train was reported at East Buffalo at 3.59 p.m. Deducting eight minutes for the two stops the traveling time for the 197 miles was just 185 minutes.

NEW UNIVERSITY MAGAZINE.

First Issue of the Toronto University Quarterly a Brilliant Number.

The students of the University of Toronto have with great enterprise inaugurated a quarterly magazine, containing literary and scientific articles on highly interesting and instructive subjects, contributed by members of the faculty and undergraduates. The first number, for sale by John P. McKenna, Bookseller, 80 Yonge-street, contains, among others, "The Reformation," by William Dale, M.A.; "The Limitations of the Senses," by W. H. Pike, M.A., Ph. D.; "Kindred Phenomena," by G. F. Hull, B.A. There are in all 80 pages, Price 35 cents per copy. The next number will appear shortly. The magazine is a most creditable production in every particular.

Gilmore's Famous Band To-night.

MURDER WILL OUT.

A Philadelphian Arrested For a 16-Year Old Crime—Pleads Guilty.

Philadelphia, April 28.—Alfonso F. Cutaler, jr., a grocer at 4929 Lancaster-avenue, has been arrested for the murder of his aunt, Johanna Logue, 16 years ago. The woman was the wife of James Logue, one of the most notorious burglars in the United States. About two years ago the skeleton of a woman was discovered beneath the floor of the kitchen of the house at 1220 North 11th-street. By a hand satchel and a knowledge that Logue once lived in the house, the skeleton was identified as that of his wife Johanna. Suspicion was immediately directed towards Logue, but the most untiring efforts of the police failed to discover his whereabouts. About two months ago Logue walked into Coroner Ashbridge's house one evening, stating he had heard that he was accused of the murder of his wife and he had come to answer the charge. The old burglar protested his innocence of the murder of his wife and told the coroner a story that has helped to unravel the mystery. When arrested Cutaler at first protested his innocence, but finally, under close questioning, acknowledged having caused the death of his aunt.

Murdered by Tramps on a Train.

Mansfield, Ohio, April 28.—Fred Boebel, a contractor of this city, was killed, robbed and thrown from a Pennsylvania freight train between Crest Line and Mansfield some time last night. His body was found this morning. He is supposed to have missed the train at Crest Line and boarded a freight train in which were tramps, who shot him four times, assaulted him with a piece of railroad iron and after robbing him threw the body from the train. Boebel was robbed of a silver watch and chain and quite a sum of money.

Murder and Suicide by a Wife.

Paris, April 28.—The French bicyclist, Medinger, was shot and killed by his wife in this city Saturday. After committing the deed the woman turned the revolver upon herself, and fired with fatal effect. It is believed that jealousy was the cause of the act.

Gilmore's Famous Band To-night.

The Choir Danced in Church.

Winnipeg, Man., April 28.—A leading church member of Winnipeg is in bed with a nervous shock. He happened to be out late Saturday night, and when passing his church going home was astounded to find the organist in her place playing lively music, to which the members of the choir were holding a dance. There will be an advertisement in Monday's paper calling for applications for organist and choristers. As may be imagined the affair is all the talk, overshadowing for the time the school question.

Turkish baths, bed for all night bather

CORINTO UNDER BRITISH RULE

HOW THE BLUEJACKETS TOOK POSSESSION OF THE TOWN.

No Opposition to the Landing Party, but an Armed Force is Camped Outside the Town and the Excitement is Increasing—Attempted Attack on the British Consulate in Managua.

London, April 28.—A despatch from Managua on the 27th says: Shortly after 2 o'clock in the morning 22 boats, filled with marines and seamen, were lowered from the warships, and immediately after the vessels came around, bows on, and advanced in a line toward the Government pier. Each large launch carried a machine gun forward. There was a great crowd at the pier, but no hostile demonstration was made. The landing party marched without opposition to the Customs House and planted the British flag thereon.

A part of the marines occupy the principal square of the city. Rear Admiral Stephenson has declared martial law.

A large force of Nicaraguan troops arrived at Corinto on the evening of the 26th, with artillery, and encamped at the lower end of the town.

Order is maintained by the British marines, who patrol the streets. The populace is quiet. The landing party was commanded by Captain Frederick French of the Royal Arthur, who immediately issued a proclamation assuring the citizens that their rights would be respected and that they might pursue their vocations without fear of molestation. The proclamation also contained a warning that any acts of hostility would be opposed with the full force of the fleet.

A Colon despatch says that the Nicaraguan forces at Corinto withdrew, crossing the lagoon separating the town from the mainland, and are now strongly entrenched there. The British ships had taken a position from which they can open fire if the Nicaraguan forces should attempt to interfere with the occupation of the town. Corinto is almost deserted, a bombardment having been generally expected.

Would Attack the British Consulate.

A mob, headed by a military band, paraded the streets of Managua and attempted to attack the British consulate, but were prevented by the Nicaraguan police, who finally succeeded in dispersing the rioters. The consulate was guarded last night by a Nicaraguan military force, and every precaution was taken to prevent any violent demonstration. The enthusiasm of the people is aroused. Their hatred of England cannot be eradicated. The Government is using all means in its power to restrain the populace from committing violence.

Excitement Increasing.

Later advices received here from Nicaragua state that the excitement throughout Nicaragua increases.

Great disappointment is expressed at the failure of the United States to secure some modification of Great Britain's terms. While the conservative course pursued by the Washington Government was fully expected by President Zelaya and his Cabinet, in view of the information furnished to them by the Nicaraguan Minister at Washington, the people generally believed that the United States would interfere. The Nicaraguan Government is exerting itself to restrain the populace. No indication has yet been given of an immediate intention to pay the indemnity, although the continued occupation of Corinto must sooner or later prove very embarrassing to Nicaragua. Mr. Bayard's request for a brief respite in order that Nicaragua might pay the indemnity in London, it is stated here, was refused by Lord Kimberley. Had this respite been granted Nicaragua would have borrowed the money in New York to settle the British demand.

Practically a British Possession.

Washington, April 28.—The situation in Corinto remains unchanged. Dr. Guzman, the Nicaraguan Minister, this evening, in reply to a cable despatch asking for specific information as to the position of affairs from Manuel Mantua, Secretary of Foreign Affairs, an official despatch stating that the British were still in control of the city; that the British flag was flying over the Custom House; that the Nicaraguan flag had been withdrawn from all the public places; that all the national authorities had deserted the town, and that Corinto at present was practically a British possession. The despatch contained no further particulars, which leads Dr. Guzman to believe that all is quiet in the republic.

The Heroes of Chitral.

London, April 28.—G. W. Smalley cables: The gallant defence and gallant relief of Chitral have interested Englishmen more than all else this week. There are two new heroes—Robertson, who held the fort, and Col. Kelly, who, after a wonderful march in the face of tremendous natural obstacles and of outnumbering foes, came in time to rescue his comrades. The heroes, in truth, number hundreds, for the soldiers in the fort and in the relieving column were heroes. Col. Kelly, I am told, is an officer who has waited 30 years for his chance. Dr. Robertson is a civilian and an able political agent, but with the stuff of a soldier in him also. For 45 days he stood siege, and for all time to come he has a place in Indian history, the course of which is likely to be much modified by these recent events.

Gilmore's Famous Band To-night.

VICTIM OF BAD BOOKKEEPING.

Tilbury's ex-Treasurer Arraigned for Misappropriation of Township Funds.

Windsor, Ont., April 28.—Clement Mailloux, ex-treasurer of Tilbury, was arraigned on Saturday on a charge of misappropriation of the township funds to the amount of $5900. The evidence was all given by Eli Queenbell, Mailloux's successor, and by C. A. Quellette, one of the auditors who discovered the alleged shortage.

The evidence indicated poor bookkeeping on the part of the ex-treasurer rather than any intent of defraud.

Mailloux was bound in $12,000 to appear at the sessions.

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SITUATION IN THE EAST.

Russian War Department Most Active—Report in Paris That Japan Has Caved.

London, April 28.—The People prints a Shanghai despatch saying that a private telegram from Yokohama says that the Russo-Japanese position is beginning to look most serious.

A Paris despatch says there was a report on the Bourse that Japan had agreed to revise the Chino-Japanese treaty in accordance with the tripartite demand.

Germany Does Not Expect War.

Berlin, April 28.—The Frankfurter Zeitung's St. Petersburg correspondent says that Prince Lobanoff, the Russian Minister of Foreign Affairs, has assured several diplomats that he is convinced that the united action of France, Germany and Russia in regard to the Chino-Japanese treaty will not cause any serious complications. The correspondent asserts that M. Hanotaux, the French Minister of Foreign Affairs, tried to exclude Germany from the alliance, and only yielded to Russia's insistence. Germany stipulated that the united action of the three Governments be confined to certain limits. The feeling in St. Petersburg, according to the correspondent, is that the danger of an armed conflict is very remote.

Russian War Department Active.

London, April 28.—A St. Petersburg despatch to the Central News says there has been marked activity in the Russian War Department since Japan's terms with China became known. The officials do not avoid talking of the possibility of war, and contend that in case of an attack, the Russian force in Amur is strong enough to withstand the Japanese until reinforced.

The Central News' advices from Rome are that Italy thoroughly endorses England's attitude towards the Shimonoseki treaty and that the press and public opinion condemn the meddling of the Triple Alliance. The Diritto suggests that Italy support Japan in resisting the demands of the alliance.

BRITISH PRISON REFORM.

Possibility of the Present System Being Swept Away Root and Branch.

London, April 28.—Harold Frederic cables: If the present Government manages to remain in office it is likely that the present year will witness a remarkable organization and reform of the British prison system. A Departmental Committee of the Home Office has been enquiring into the subject, and its unanimous report almost takes the most sanguine philanthropists's breath away. The report declares the existing system to be inhuman and vicious, and says that it must be cleared away, root and branch. It urges that prisoners be better treated and fed, allowed a certain degree of intercourse with their fellows and with books, be taught trades, or put intelligently to work at the craft that they know, and be helped when released. It also warmly recommends some plan for not imprisoning young offenders at all, and a special treatment for habitual drunkards. The report as a whole is an exceedingly important document in philanthropic literature, and, if Asquith and Herbert Gladstone continue in the Home Office, it is certain to bear fruit speedily. The trouble with any possible Tory successors would be not that they are less humane men, but that the matter has been made a party question by certain Tory papers, who have been treating Sie Edmund Du Cane, the dismissed Surveyor-General of Prisons, as a martyr to partisan rancor, whereas he was really put out because he was chiefly to blame for the mismanagement and savage barbarity which have marked the English prison administration under his long rule.

Gilmore's Famous Band To-night.

A VOTE OF CONFIDENCE

Will Be Moved in the House of Commons To-day.

London, April 28.—Sir William Harcourt, Chancellor of the Exchequer, will move in the House of Commons Monday that the rest of the session be devoted entirely to Government business. Henry Seton-Karr, Conservative for St. Helen's, will propose an amendment directly negativing the motion, thus virtually putting the question of confidence. A very close division, probably the closest since the last general election, is expected. All parties are rallying their forces, and urgent whips and telegraphic summonses have been sent in every direction to members.

Gilmore's Famous Band To-night.

HAVE YOU FELT THE ZEPHYR?

Its Benignant Presence Is Always Heralded by Slight Suggestions.

Boreas has tempered his rough blasts, though he in sullen mood gives us of his cold breath enough to let us know that he still has prerogative right. But the days of his fitful supremacy are numbered, which he knoweth right well. Soon the gentle sway of the whispering zephyr will be benignantly exerted. But we have not to wait until the gladsome May to be prepared for her salutation. Already a consignment of "zephyr weights" has reached Toronto from New York. From the great American centre of commerce they are shipped to the commercial hub of Canada; and this is as appropriate as it is euphonious—from Dunlap's to Dineens'. But the querulous ask, Is this anything new; is it worth talking about? Yes, is the emphatic answer; for the shapes are new, also the colors. The shapes this year have well nigh revolutionized the trend of the hat trade. Last season's are no use; specialties are worn; and all followers of fashion worship, innocently of course, at Dunlap's shrine. Dineens' are the only agents for this zephyr maker in Canada. There are only two prices, $2.15 and $3, but the colors are three—jet black, London tan and French brown. Now that Dunlap's zephyrs are here, it is in order for Old Probs to announce the concommitant warm weather. It is coming, but the zephyr-weights have got the start at Yonge and King-streets.

Don't suffer from indigestion one day longer. Buy a package of Adams' Pepsin Tutti Frutti. Refuse imitations.

ASSESSMENT SYSTEM.

St. Paul, a good authority, wrote: "But if any provide not for his own, and especially for those of his own house, he hath denied the faith, and is worse than an infidel." A policy in the Commercial Travelers' Mutual Benefit Society would be in accordance with this inspired instruction. 461

Turkish baths, day and night, 204 King-st

The Latest Thing in Wheels.

H. P. Davies is going to put on the market a novelty in bicycles, which he says is a sure winner. He is at present in Chicago negotiating the sale of the U.S. patent and promises on his return on Monday to astonish the trade here.

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Arlington Hotel.

This elegant, comfortable hotel offers every inducement to those desiring permanent winter accommodations.

Bell-Smith's exhibition open till 10 to-night; last day.

TOOK THE WRONG MEDICINE

MABEL DICKENS' MISTAKE WILL COST HER HER LIFE.

Ald. Sheppard Painfully Hurt at the Hunt and His Horse Killed—Peculiar Accident to a Lad—Many Casualties in the City During the Past Two Days.

As the result of a mistake in taking medicine, Miss Mabel Dickens of 215 Gladstone-avenue, is now lying at the point of death in the Toronto General Hospital. Last November Miss Dickens had a severe cold, for which she was taking a cough mixture. One evening she went to the cupboard with the intention of taking a dose of the mixture and, being in the dark, she picked up a bottle of a similar shape containing ammonia, and took a portion of it in mistake. Emetics were applied promptly, but since the accident Miss Dickens has been unable to take any solid food. She has, however, been in apparently first-class health, and for the past three or four months has been teaching school at Burleigh's Falls, a small place about 25 miles back of Peterboro. She came home to Toronto for the Easter holidays, and while here her throat became suddenly very bad and she was admitted to the Hospital two weeks ago. She is suffering from bronchial pneumonia, and her parents are at the Hospital to spend the last hours with their daughter. Miss Dickens is only 20 years of age and obtained a teacher's certificate last fall. She is a daughter of Thomas Dickens, and has a sister teaching school at Parry Sound. Her brother is also a school teacher, and he is taking her place at Burleigh's Falls.

Ald. Sheppard Meets With an Accident.

While taking a run with the Hunt Club Saturday afternoon, Ald. O. B. Sheppard met with a painful accident. When near Mitchell's farm, Scarboro, his horse in negotiating a stiff fence made a false step, caught the fence and broke his back. The alderman was thrown and the horse fell upon him, rolling completely over him. Mr. Sheppard was picked up and driven in a farmer's wagon to the Scarboro Electric Railway Company, upon whose cars he was brought to the city and sent to his home. Mr. Sheppard was fortunate in escaping with a severe shaking up, from which he will recover in a day or two. The horse was shot.

Ran a Stick Through His Palate.

A 14-year-old boy named Gerald Bell, residing with his parents at 195 Bleecker-street, was playing in the street yesterday, when he met with a peculiar accident. He had a stick of elder wood, about 18 inches long, one end of which he held in his teeth. While stooping to pick up some object the other end of the stick came in contact with the ground, and the end which he held in his mouth was driven back, causing a portion of the soft palate just above the right tonsil. The injury was attended to at the Toronto General Hospital.

Fell Through a Trap Door.

Lottie Robinson, aged 21, an upholstress, living at 210 Parliament-street, was yesterday afternoon walking across a room, the floor of which contains a trap-door, with steps leading to the cellar. Not noticing that the trap was open she fell through it and down the steps, thereby sustaining a fracture of the large bone of the right leg. The ambulance was called and the young lady was conveyed to the General Hospital, where the broken member was attended to.

A Baby Fractures Its Arm.

A child named Forest was playing in the street yesterday afternoon, when it fell and sustained a fracture of the arm. The injury was attended at the General Hospital. The youngster is only 18 months old.

Thrown From a Wagon and Killed.

Bracebridge, Ont., April 28.—Last evening a boy named John Osborne, 16 years of age, was driving a team with a load of lumber, when the horses became unmanageable going down a hill and ran away. They ran against a telegraph pole and the boy was instantly killed, being crushed between the pole and the wagon.

Gilmore's Famous Band To-night.

THE RESERVOIR BURST.

French Villages Inundated—Numbers of People Drowned.

Epinal, France, April 27.—A reservoir near here burst on Saturday, inundating many villages and drowning numbers of persons.

The Bonsey Reservoir had a capacity of 7,000,000 cubic meters. The torrent carried off some of the houses in the villages of Darnieulles, Egney and Domevres, and swamped many others, besides demolishing walls, bridges, roads, crops and farm buildings. The disaster occurred at 5 o'clock in the morning. The rush of water through the villages was so sudden that there was hardly any chance to escape, and many persons were drowned in their beds.

Every house at Bousey was demolished, and very few remain at Les Forges, where there are 1400 inhabitants. At Uxegney 23 persons were drowned. Every building was destroyed in Darnieulles, where the population numbers 600. Notwithstanding the fact that Nomexy is ten miles from the dam, many of the inhabitants of the place had not time to reach the upper portions of their dwellings before the torrent was upon them. The damage caused by the flood is estimated at $10,000,000.

130 Drowned.

Later advices state that the loss of life is far beyond the first estimates. About 130 deaths are now known to have been caused by the flood, and the list may grow, as in the confusion and ruin it has been impossible to account for scores of persons who are missing. More than 200 families are homeless. A large part of the valley is little more than a morass, with timbers and uprooted trees protruding from them. The soldiers who are looking for bodies make only slow progress, as the work of digging in the debris is necessarily slow. Part of the Bouzy tavern was found today on the bank of the Moselle, 11 miles distant.

Gilmore's Famous Band To night.

Monday Shopping.

A few years since the first working day of the week was the dullest in the retail stores. Now it is one of the busiest, and perhaps this may be accounted for by the fact that McKendry & Co. have their bargain day on Monday. Other stores in the neighborhood reap a certain advantage from the crowds who attend this weekly sale. 135

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A SURE WINNER.

MR. EDGAR: It's a little bit old, but I don't think any of 'em can beat it.

NOTE—The Toronto Young Liberals have offered $50 for the best campaign song for the coming elections.

WIMAN AND HIS NOTES.

Budd Doble, the Horseman, Has One Endorsed by Lawyer Wellman.

New York, April 28.—When Erastus Wiman was undergoing cross-examination by Assistant District-Attorney Francis L. Wellman, who prosecuted him for the forgery of the Bullinger note, every one noticed how Wiman started in his chair and glared every time Mr. Wellman referred to the defendant's efforts to raise money.

"Was it because you had no money that you didn't try to run away?" asked Mr. Wellman.

In the breast pocket of Wiman's coat at that moment was the memorandum of certain notes, aggregating about $2800, given to him by Wellman in 1893 in consideration of money advanced. These were turned over to Wiman's creditors when he made his assignment in May of that year. The Central National Bank took two, the First National Bank of Staten Island had another, and Budd Doble, the trotting-horse owner and driver, held more. At the latter's instance, this week, William O. Campbell, a lawyer in the Pulitzer Building, served Mr. Wellman with a Supreme Court order to appear within 20 days and show cause why he should not pay the full amount of the note, with interest up to date.

Wiman was president of an automatic slot machine concern. Wellman was interested in this scheme and, according to Mr. Campbell and Mr. Wilber, of the Wilber Mercantile Agency, which has the case in charge, Wellman called on Wiman at the Dun Mercantile Agency on Feb. 3, 1893, and gave him a note for $952, payable three months after date at the Central National Bank. This $952 was for stock in the company, from whose machines stamps could be obtained. The other notes were made for the same purpose.

Gilmore's Famous Band To-night.

Death of Baron Moncreiff.

London, April 28.—Baron Moncreiff died in Edinburgh Saturday. James Wellwood Moncreiff, the first Baron Moncreiff, was born Nov., 1811. He had been Solicitor-General for Scotland and four times Lord Advocate of Scotland. In 1869 he was appointed Lord Justice Clerk and President of the second division of the Court of Session in Scotland. He was created Baron in 1873. In politics he was a Liberal.

Prof. Karl Ludwig Dead.

Boston, April 27.—A cablegram received to-day announces the death of Prof. Karl Ludwig, the eminent physiologist, at Leipsic, Saxony, at the age of 79 years. Prof. Ludwig was conceded to be one of the most prominent physiologists in the world.

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"Toronto Red's" Leap Into Lake Erie.

Buffalo, April 28.—"Toronto" Red today leaped from the Lackawanna trestle into Lake Erie, a distance of 105 feet. "Toronto Red," who, by the way is a local newsboy, who came here from Toronto, claims to be the Duffy who leaped from Brooklyn Bridge and who was reported to have been killed at the time.

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Ladies'—A Seasonable Opportunity.

There is something exceptionally attractive about the smart gowns of the Ladies' Tailoring Company, 85 King-st. west, representing the accepted current vogue of the fashion centres. Advanced in all the details and consistencies of nice finish, their tailor work, the only ladies' garments in Western Canada made by men, giving them a shape and appearance no other establishment approaches, and their ideas for dressmaking being so much in advance of what is given elsewhere, it is a satisfaction to recommend their work to our readers. Their very much larger new premises and better facilities ensure perfect promptness in commands, and they offer in order to introduce an increased clientele to their new show rooms, a special reduction of 10 per cent. on all three-piece orders personally given during the next two weeks.

Last day of Bell-Smith's pictures, King-street, opposite Mail Building.

WRECKED IN LAKE ERIE.

The Sakie Shepherd Goes Down Off Toledo—One Life Lost.

Toledo, Ohio, April 28.—The steam barge Sakie Shepherd sank about five miles off Turtle Island in Lake Erie Saturday. She was loaded with salt, and bound for Toledo. A leak was sprung in the morning, and a heavy sea running, the captain and several of the crew put off for Vienna, Mich., for help. While they were away the sea washed away some of the upper works, and the vessel sank rapidly. Albert Hamlin, the engineer, and the cook, named Brown, were left on the boat. The tug Roy went out for the wrecked men. Hamlin was found on the roof of the cabin almost dead from fright and quite out of his head. He was brought to this city. When he was able to talk he said Brown had jumped overboard during the afternoon, after putting a life preserver around him. No trace of Brown was found.

Six Dead Seamen Washed Ashore.

London, April 28.—Six dead seamen and a small boat marked "Steamer Marie," came ashore near Plymouth on Thursday. The owners of the steamer Marie, Captain Rochester, have identified one of the bodies as that of her engineer, and they suppose that their vessel foundered in the channel not far from Plymouth.

Ask for delicious "Salada" tea.

An Alleged Pickpocket.

William Carroll, 97 William-street, was arrested Saturday evening by P. C. McNair on a charge of attempting to pick the pocket of Mrs. Hanna, who was listening to street preachers at Queen-street and Denison-avenue.

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Bicycle Improvements.

Mr. H. P. Davies of the H. P. Davies Company returned from Chicago yesterday morning where he has been on business since Thursday. By an error we reported he had resigned his position as manager, though he may possibly do so, for he has decided to confine his attentions exclusively to bicycle manufacturing, and contemplates purchasing their factory for this purpose.

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Mammoth Olives.

This season Michie & Co. are offering a "Mammoth Olive" of exceptional quality. They are the selected fruit from favored trees and are the best that can be procured. They also have some very fine bulk olives, which are selling at a low price. ed

BIRTHS.

MACINTOSH—At 142 Avenue-road, on Sunday, April 28, the wife of J. A. MacIntosh of a son.

MARRIAGES.

LOWNDES—HENDERSON—At Avondale, Cincinnati, on April 24, 1895, by Archdeacon Edwards, Lulu A. Henderson, only daughter of W. D. Henderson, to Charles B. Lowndes of Toronto.

DEATHS.

SIMNETT—The funeral of the late John Simnett, who died Friday, April 26, 1895, will take place from his residence, No. 7 Sully-street, at 2 p.m. today, Monday, to St. John's Church, Stewart and Portland-streets, thence to St. James' Cemetery. Friends please accept this intimation.

COLLINS—At her residence, 486 Front-street east, on April 28, Mrs. Ellen Collins, widow of the late John Collins.

Funeral Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

BOYD—At her late residence, in the Township of York, on the 28th inst., Annie Calvert, widow of the late Joseph Boyd, in her 76th year.

Funeral on Tuesday, at 1.30 p.m., to St. Andrew's Church, Scarboro.

Chicago papers please copy.

DAWSON—Of pneumonia of the lungs, Robert Gordon, eldest son of Duncan Dawson, 33 Jarvis-street, aged 9 years.

Funeral private.

WILKIE CAUGHT IN CHICAGO

THE EMBEZZLING BOOKKEEPER TO BE BROUGHT BACK.

Will Return Without Extradition Proceedings—John Shanks, Arrested in Buffalo, Also to be Extradited for Passing Forged Cheques and Swindling His Employer.

Alexander C. G. Wilkie, the defaulting confidential clerk of W. D. Matthews & Co., was arrested in a billiard hall in Madison-street, Chicago, Saturday evening. Detective Davis left for Chicago on the 1.15 p.m. train yesterday. If Wilkie refuses to waive extradition proceedings the necessary papers, which have been prepared for some time, will be sent on at once. It is believed that he will return voluntarily, however. Wilkie was traced from Toronto to Washington, D.C., and from there to Chicago, where he was registered at the Sherman House as Mr. M. J. Boyd. The warrant for his apprehension was sworn to by Mr. D. W. Matthews, and it charges him with the theft of $900. This amount was stolen on March 23, the day prior to Wilkie's departure. It represents but a small portion of the aggregate total of the firm's loss. The defalcations, it is alleged, extend over a period of three years, and amount to more than $60,000. Wilkie, as confidential clerk, had full charge of all securities held by the firm, and his unsteady habits and speculative ventures required funds far in excess of his annual stipend.

He had been in the employ of the firm for nearly twenty years, during which time he so ingratiated himself into the confidence of his employers they thought it unnecessary to hold any security for his integrity. As a consequence his pilferings will be a total loss to the firm. If Wilkie consents to return he will arrive in the city to-morrow evening.

PASSED A FORGED CHEQUE.

John Shanks to be Extradited from Buffalo for Swindling.

John Shanks, who was arrested in Buffalo Friday afternoon, is wanted in Toronto. Detective Burrows left for Buffalo Saturday evening to bring him back.