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IMMIGRATION TO AMERICA.

The Philadelphia American, the high-class weekly organ of the Republican party, publishes a rather striking array of figures to prove that there is danger to the United States in allowing indiscriminate immigration to go on as it is now doing. There are six European nations that send considerable numbers of their people annually into the States, these countries with their immigrant quotas being as follows for the 21 months ending on the first of April last:

British Islands	223,081
Germany	153,601
Scandinavian countries	77,011
Austria-Hungary	69,013
Russias (exclusive of Poland)	54,343
Italy	49,056

The American alleges that the immigration from the British Islands is falling off, that the immigration from Germany remains steady, that the Scandinavian stream is greatly diminished, and that the immigration from Hungary and Italy has greatly increased and is still rapidly increasing. To make the prospect still more unpleasant it is pointed out, with both force and truth, that any improvements in the conditions of the laboring classes that are likely to check emigration at all will operate more powerfully in the more highly civilized countries, so that British immigration is likely to greatly diminish and Italian and Hungarian immigration to greatly increase.

For various reasons the Italians and Hungarians, while they can do no harm in small contingents, are objectionable when their numbers are greatly increased. They have a low standard of living on their first arrival, and the effect of this is to depress wages of labor generally. Then they form themselves into colonies in industrial centres, and these colonies are not readily absorbed or digested by the community at large. Foreigners so aggregated together do not readily learn English, or for that matter the thousand things which help to make up the social environment of the immigrant.

What the remedy for the anticipated evil is cannot at present be discerned. The effort to check Chinese immigration by legislative prohibition has been only partially successful and has brought no small amount of odium on the country. The Allen Labor Law is rather a means of irritating other countries than of checking undesirable immigration from Europe. The development of the evil and the discovery of a remedy will be watched with deep interest in Canada as well as in the United States.

Vocalists as a rule are not forgers, yet several of them utter a good many false notes.

Cedar Keys, Florida, is not of much importance in the eyes of the world generally, but it is doing a great deal to bring municipal institutions into contempt. The product of mayors down there is not of a healthful kind.

The Hamilton Herald says that "cigar butts placed here and there in a bundle of furs or clothes will keep moths away." Well, so will carbolic acid or asafœtida or chloride of lime. But it might be better on the whole to burn the furs or clothes.

Speaking of the appearance of G. W. Ross in West Middlesex The Strathroy Despatch says:

He spoke in the mildest possible way, without any of the rancour and bitterness of former days. The hon. gentleman is evidently becoming more reasonable and fair as he advances in years and position, and it is quite safe to say that he mourned so ill-will from the many Conservatives who listened to him on this occasion.

No doubt there was a stroke of policy in this. Mr. Ross' strong point in West Middlesex has heretofore been a knowledge of the Gaelic language. But Mr. Morgan, his opponent on this occasion, can "spoke the Gaelic as good as him and twice as more," if we may borrow the English of the legendary Highlandman.

A STRONG ARGUMENT.

The commissioners appointed to report on the mineral resources of Ontario furnished a return, somewhat exhaustively summarised in The World of Saturday, which was in the main a plea for unrestricted reciprocity with the United States. But in one item it presented the strongest plea for protection. It points out that our importation of pig iron for the fiscal year 1887 amounted to 50,000 tons, while our consumption was in round numbers 75,000 tons, so that, without pretending to be literally exact, our production was just about one-third of our consumption. The report says:

"Not only is it reasonable to suppose that with the present protection afforded by duties and bonus, amounting together to $5.50 per net ton, we should be able to supply almost our entire consumption of charcoal and coke pig iron, but there seems to exist no good reason why a considerable part, if not the greater part, of the iron and steel now imported and subject to the payment of duty should not be manufactured in Canada from pig iron produced in this country. The tariff upon manufactures of iron and steel is in the main protective in its character and should secure the manufacture in Canada of much of the iron and steel now imported. The equivalent in pig iron of iron and steel entered for consumption in 1887, without including cutlery, instruments, tools, machinery and engines, amounted to at least 275,000 short tons. If we could supply ourselves with iron and steel equivalent to 175,000 tons of this amount and also supply the present consumption of 75,000 tons of imported and domestic pig iron, it would not be in excess of a reasonable development of our iron industries under present conditions. The production of 250,000 short tons of pig iron, equally divided between charcoal and coke iron, would require at least eight days' labor for each ton of charcoal iron and six and a half days' labor for each ton of coke iron, or a total of 1,800,000 days' labor in mining coal, making coke and charcoal, mining ore, quarrying limestone for flux and smelting the ore. This amount of labor would not include the transportation and handling of material, the erection of works, construction of machinery and many other items which are contingent upon the manufacture of pig iron. A large additional amount of labor would be employed in converting pig iron into iron and steel. About 500,000 tons of ore would be used, about 450,000 tons of coke and charcoal would be required for the smelting of the ore, besides a large amount of coal for iron and steel manufacture. The value of 250,000 short tons of coke and charcoal iron would be at least $5,000,000 at the point of production in Canada, coming within the cost of importing an article equal in quality and value to an extent sufficient to command the market."

Mr. Charlton is earnestly recommended to study seriously the passage when next he feels tempted to attack the National Policy, either on the stump or in the House of Commons.

The Kingston Whig calls upon the French-Canadians of that city to vote against Mr. Metcalfe because "the Tories" called them "garlic eaters." It is to be hoped that the fate of a nation will never depend on such a strong argument as this. But is it a crime to be a garlic eater? Some people who profess slight gastronomical knowledge have held garlic in high esteem as a contribution to soups and salads.

G. W. Ross, defending a monopoly in school book publishing and at the same time denouncing the National Policy, is one of the curiosities of contemporaneous political economy.

THE PROVINCIAL ELECTIONS.

This is the last full week of the Mowat-Meredith election campaign. The outlook is altogether with Mr. Meredith. He is making a tour of the province, only equalled by the progress of Sir John Macdonald in 1877-8. He speaks to thousands every day and his addresses are such as to make many converts to his side. Personally he is the most forceful man in the fight. The big guns of the Government side are mostly spiked through illness: Mr. A. M. Ross has had to retire; Mr. Gibson is a beaten man in Hamilton and Mr. Drury in Simcoe. The Meredith candidates stand to win seventeen constituencies and to lose four.

The Catholic vote has been conceded by Conservatives as solid for the Mowat party and therefore as not able to cost Meredith any more votes; whereas, on account of this "solidarity," a large number of Protestant Reformers are making up their minds either to abstain from voting for the Reform candidate or to vote for the Opposition standard-bearer. But there is one thing greatly bothering the Catholic vote and it is this: Where will we be should Meredith win? The more they ponder over this knot and the more they hear of the Meredith sweep that is bound to occur on June 5 the greater is the prospect of the "solidarity" splitting along the old line of cleavage.

On May 1, when the great labor demonstration took place in Vienna, 647,800 quarts of beer were consumed in the various restaurants and gardens in that city, and it is said the government is seriously considering the question of throwing all liquor establishments wide open, instead of closing them, on the occasions where tumult is feared, on the theory that, as beer is a soporific, the people may be trusted to guzzle themselves into inactivity. The idea is worthy of a place among any of Gilbert's topsy-turvy whimsicalities.

Mr. Balfour's paper says that "the cost of the new (parliament) buildings will be three-quarters of a million of dollars less than stated." Stated by whom? Questioned in the House, Mr. Mowat said he did not know what the buildings would cost. Has Mr. Balfour any source of information that is denied to Mr. Mowat?

The American vice-consul-general at St. Petersburg, who has resided in Russia for thirty years, takes issue with George Kennan as to the treatment accorded to prisoners in Russian jails. The real fact is that Kennan is, as was pointed out in The World long ago, a fakir, as most lecturers are. The more sensational they are, the bigger the receipts at the box office.

People who think Mowat does nothing for Hamilton should figure up the amount of money he gives yearly to our public charities and see the mistake they have made.—Hamilton Times.

And they should not forget to include the sum of $7500 which he gave to Hamilton and to which amount Col. Gibson said the city had no legal and but slight moral claim.

It is said that on the visit of the Prince of Wales to Dublin he will be the guest of Sir Edward Guinness.

"I serve," it means in English,
The motto of the Prince of Wales;
"I serve," remarks the bar-keep,
As he draws for you Guinness' ales.

"Gibson's growlers" were on hand on many a steamboat which plies on Lake Ontario on Saturday. The Provincial Secretary thought he was making a point with the temperance folks when he got that amendment passed prohibiting the sale of liquor on boats running between Ontario ports. The bar has disappeared and the growler takes its place. Col. Gibson, whatever drink he indulges in, is stowed away in a club. What is the difference anyway between having your whisky and water on a steamboat or in a club house?

The efforts being made to stay the execution Kemmler did fair to become a greater public scandal than his death by any process could possibly be. The life of a man should not be regarded as a pecuniary affair, yet that is practically the shape the Kemmler case has assumed. We should say it is revolting, if we should not in consequence be accused of making a shocking pun.

The Toronto Globe speaks of "Macbeth's ghost" as something that "will not down." It will be news to most people that Macbeth ever owned a ghost. There used to be one pestering him somewhat at meal times, but anybody could have had it for the asking.

General Middleton's resignation appears to be as far off as ever.

The messenger boy service of the United States is occasionally put to queer uses. One of the messengers in Syracuse is told off as the constant companion of a woman of ill repute who is addicted to the morphine habit, his mission being to see that she never falls into a drowsy stupor, lest she should not awake. It is an open question for philosophers, whether more harm is not done to the boy than good is done to the woman.

One of the questions to be asked by the United States census enumerators is whether the person questioned is defective in mind. It should not be necessary to ask that question of the person who framed it. The fact that he asks it is conclusive proof of his own defectiveness.

"The Men and Women I Have Executed" is the cheerful title of a book announced as about to be published by the official executioner of England. He has, of course, given to each victim a line and then let him drop.

The Question Answered.

As spring advances we hear the question constantly repeated, "Where shall we get our hats?" We know of no better place than 101 Yonge-street. For years past the firm of J. & J. Lugsdin have been noted for their fine hat trade, and this year they have imported large quantities of all the latest styles and best qualities for ladies, gentlemen and children.

Gentlemen who intend purchasing and really desire a nobby, fashionable and durable hat, go to 101 Yonge-street and make your selection from the excellent assortment to be seen at this store. 136

Another Reliable Word.

The long and favorably known King-street hotel-keeper, Mr. Gus Thomas, lately paid a visit to the St. Leon Springs. Mr. Thomas has undertaken the management of the Hotel Palace in that delightful locality. The Palatial tourists' home opens on the 1st June and nothing is left undone to advance all and every comfort. Gus was delighted with the wonderful life-giving spring, and this is one among hundreds of trustworthy opinions. Anyone wishing to consult Mr. Thomas respecting rates will do well to do so before Wednesday next, on which day he leaves Toronto. Telephone 686. 136

ANARCHISM SURVIVES.

An Attempt to Blow up the Haymarket Monument in Chicago.

CHICAGO, May 24.—It was discovered this morning that an attempt had been made to blow up the Haymarket monument and the surrounding buildings with a gigantic charge of dynamite. A policeman found at the base of the monument a can charged with dynamite, the fuse having been lighted but probably extinguished by the rain last night. The charge of dynamite was enough to blow up several blocks. The machine was probably placed there early this morning and the rain extinguished the burning fuse. An explosion would have made terrible havoc.

[On the night of May 4, 1886, a squad of policemen attempted to disperse a crowd in Haymarket-square which had been listening to inflammatory anarchistic utterances. At the command to disperse was given Samuel Fielden, one of the Socialist orators, exclaimed: "We are peaceable." At this signal a dynamite bomb was thrown among the policemen. Officers Degan, Barrett, Miller, Flavin, Sheehan, Redden and Hanson were killed outright or received fatal injuries and about 50 other persons were injured. For conspiring to incite this crime Parsons, Spies, Fischer and Engel were hanged Nov. 11, 1887. Lingg cheated the gallows by exploding a dynamite shell in his mouth just prior to the execution and Fielden and Schwab are now undergoing a life sentence at Joliet. The actual thrower of the bomb was never caught. A monument to the seven officers who lost their lives was subsequently placed in the Haymarket.]

CAPT. JAYNES CONFESSES.

Inside History of the Lower California Filibustering Expedition.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 24.—Capt. J. T. Jaynes, who was one of the conspirators in the proposed Lower California filibustering expedition, has made a sworn statement to be sent to Washington. Capt. Jaynes corroborates every detail of the story of the affair heretofore printed. He claims that he has been betrayed by Augustus Merrill and others of the plotters and now comes for a full and complete explanation in order to set himself right before the public. He states that there are several very wealthy men who were connected with the scheme, whose names have not yet been given out. One of them is a millionaire San Francisco steamship owner. Jaynes said: "I have lived in Lower California for years and I know the people. They are ripe for rebellion and it would take but little to incite them to revolution. The native population is ground to the dust by tyrants. Heavily burdened with unjust taxation and made to pay tribute to the Mexican Government, which never spends a dollar in making improvements on the peninsula, the natives regard the Mexican officials as foreigners and they are referred to as invaders."

CRAZED BY JEALOUSY.

A New York Blacksmith Shoots His Wife, Her Mother and Himself.

NEW YORK, May 24.—Fred Erick Romano, a burly Italian blacksmith, lived with his wife and four children in the tenement at 37 Mulberry-street. Recently he became insanely jealous and left his family. The wife worked to support herself and the children and her mother, Mrs. Arado. The blacksmith thought she was being supported by a fellow countryman and to-night visited the house armed with two revolvers. Rushing into the bedroom where his wife was he blazed away at her. The wife fell to the floor wounded and when her mother hurried to her assistance Romano shot her in the right breast. She too, sank to the floor. Romano returned to the larger room and shot himself twice again in the neck. It is said he fired the bullets into himself. He discharged three shots altogether. A panic ensued among the tenants. The police arrived and the three wounded persons were taken to the hospital. Romano will doubtless die, but his intended victims will likely recover.

AMONG THE RAILROADS.

An Attempt to Be Made to Advance Westbound Lake and Rail Rates.

CHICAGO, May 24.—Local railroad managers attach considerable importance to the conference to be held in New York next Tuesday. It is expected all the various interests will be represented at the meeting, including the Trunk lines, the Great Northern, the Soo and the Canadian Pacific. The object is to advance westbound lake and rail rates, and by equalising these rates on the various routes to end the fight over the through traffic from the seaboard to St. Paul and Minneapolis. The $11 passenger rate between Chicago and New York, after having been in effect hardly 24 hours, was rescinded by the Central Traffic Association. The $10 rate remains in force.

How Dyspepsia is Cured.

I suffered from dyspepsia and was weak and miserable with what the doctor said was nervous debility. Seeing Burdock Blood Bitters advertised I tried it, and after taking three bottles feel perfectly restored to health.

MRS. J. H. SNIDER, Kleinburg, Ont.

Walt Whitman's Flower.

CAMDEN, N.J., May 24.—Walt Whitman, the good grey poet, sent an American arbutus branch to be put in a little vase on Queen Victoria's breakfast table this morning accompanied with these verses:

Lady, accept a birthday thought haply an idle gift and token,
Right from the scented soils may utterances here,
Smelling of countless blessings, prayers and old-time thanks;
A bunch of white and pink arbutus, silent, spicy shy,
From Hudson's, Delaware's or Potomac's woody banks.
WALT WHITMAN.

Mr. Henry Graham, Wingham, writes: "I was in North Dakota last May and I used a bottle of Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery with me, as I did not feel safe without it. While there a lady friend was suffering with Indigestion, Biliousness and Headache. I recommended the Vegetable Discovery to her and she tried it, and the result was that it did her so much good that I had to leave the balance of the bottle with her."

Sweet Bells Jangled.

Jack Redsent (gushingly): "Sir, I have come to ask you for the hand of your daughter. I cannot live without her."

Mr. Bankerton: "No, I daresay you can't, with your small income and expensive habits."

They bill and coo before they're wed,
They joy in lovers' laughter;
But when the marriage words are said
It's mostly bill thereafter.

Bessie: "I don't see that there is any reason why she should love him."

Jessie: "I guess that's just why she does."

If there is anything which makes a waiter mad it is to be tipped with nothing but a wink.

Don't be a clam! Be an oyster. He begins his vacation on the first of May and keeps it up till the end of August.

Of all the girls I call to mind,
From Mary down to 'Mandy,
There's not a single one, I find,
Who said she hated candy.

'Tis said that a man's mother makes him what he is, but the truth of the matter is she mars him.

Even in dull times there is always a boom to the logging business.

A toper with a penchant for champagne may be spoken of as struck on his fizz.

Boston Miss: "Is it proper to offer my hand to a gentleman upon being introduced to him?"

Chicago Miss: "Only in leap year."

Swipes: "Here's a feller wot advertises for a bright, smart, active messenger boy."

Snipes: "Huh! What's he want him for—a partner?"

"You wish to marry one of my daughters?" "Yes, monsieur, it is my dearest wish." "I give a dowry of 50,000 francs with the youngest, 100,000 with the second and 150,000 with the eldest." "You don't happen to have one older still, do you?"

First Robber: "Did you read in the morning paper an account of your life and operations?"

Second Robber (with lofty scorn): "Naw! I am like the politician whose crookedness is exposed by the press, I never read these beastly papers."

Free and easy expectoration immediately relieves and frees the throat and lungs from viscid phlegm, and a medicine that promotes this is the best medicine to use for coughs, colds, inflammation of the lungs and all affections of the throat and chest. This is precisely what Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup is a specific for, and wherever used it has given unbounded satisfaction. Children like it because it is pleasant, adults like it because it relieves and cures the disease.

THE ISLAND SEASON OPENS.

How Citizens Enjoyed Themselves on the Other Side of the Bay.

The Island amusement season was formally opened on Saturday, both the west and the centre being well patronised. At the West Point there were fully 10,000 visitors in the course of the day. The band of Taylor's Safe Works furnished the music, the merry-go-round was in full swing and the numerous places of refreshment did a roaring business. It is true the weather was somewhat cool, but apart from this there was nothing to mar the enjoyment of the holiday. The fat woman from St. John's Ward and the wild man of Borneo were under canvas, while the stick and ring and cocoa-nut fakirs had their little games in readiness to catch the venturesome.

At Centre Island some 5000 people assembled to enjoy themselves to a picnic on the grass. There was particularly a large number of children at the People's Park, and they had lots of fun. Ward's Hotel was formerly opened with a ball in the evening. Captain Tymon's boats being kept busy until early morning bringing back to the city the gay revelers.

A Prosperous Sunday School.

The anniversary of Elm-street Sunday school yesterday was the most successful yet held. The superintendent reports that there are 600 children on the books and a full supply of teachers. The ranks of the church members have been recruited from the school and gratifying testimony has been received of the good done during the year. Yesterday morning Rev. Prof. Workman preached an admirable sermon on Christian work and workers. His address was founded on Paul's passage in Ephesians: "Fellow-workers with God." In the afternoon there was a platform meeting, the school children being present. Special hymns were sung and appropriate addresses given by Prof. Workman and Rev. J. E. Lancelay of New Richmond Methodist Church. At night there was another crowded congregation. The preacher was Rev. W. F. Wilson of Woodgreen Tabernacle. His subject was "What manner of child shall this be?" He showed the possibilities for good which lay before every child, and gave many instances how these had been seized with advantage, or missed with dire results. The National Anthem concluded the services. To-night the annual meeting will be held, and to-morrow evening there will be a musical service. The collections yesterday were liberal at each service.

It Was a Successful Launch.

The launching of the new double end ferry boat, the Mayflower, from the Queen's wharf took place on Saturday in the presence of 3000 people. It was highly successful and the new steel boat now rides the water like a duck. Miss Jennie Doty christened the new boat, smashing against its bow the conventional bottle of champagne. After the ceremony the Messrs. Doty entertained a number of guests at lunch in the offices of the factory. The machinery will be placed in the Mayflower at once and she will be in commission by July 1.

The Mayflower is the first of a fleet of six steel vessels, all to be of the same dimensions. Mr. W. E. Redway is the architect and has drawn the plans for all, and they are being built under his direct supervision. The length of the Mayflower is 140 feet, beam 44 feet extreme, beam 28 feet outside of hull, depth 7 ft. 9 in. from keel to top of beam, engines diagonal direct acting condensing, with cylinders 25x42 inches. Her main saloon is fitted throughout in hardwood and plate glass and is 100x44 feet.

Quite a Narrow Escape.

On Saturday morning two boys playing on the Island shore at the West Point saw the body of another boy, apparently 8 years old, floating face downward in the water. They raised an alarm and Ticket Agent Martin plunged in and rescued the supposed lifeless corpse, conveying it into Hanlan's Hotel. There, after an hour's hard work, respiration was restored and the little fellow's life saved. He proved to be the son of Sam McQuaig, one of the best known mates on the Canadian lakes. He had been playing on the wharf and had fallen in.

The New City of the Dead.

The new burying ground recently opened in St. Clair-avenue in the northwest section of the city and known as Prospect Cemetery will open its first grave to-day, when Undertaker McCabe will see interred within its gates the mortal remains of Contractor George Mosher of Delaware-avenue, who died on Saturday morning. Prospect Cemetery is owned by the same company which controls Mount Pleasant and the Necropolis.

A Montana Quake.

BILLINGS, Mont., May 24.—A severe earthquake shock was felt all over this county early yesterday morning. There were two vibrations. The inhabitants were considerably alarmed. Two brick houses were shaken down and considerable glass was shattered. Pictures and bric-a-brac were thrown about generally. At a dance here the shock floored several of the dancers and the party broke up in affright.

Shot His Wife, Then Himself.

GREEN ISLE, Minn., May 24.—J. McMahon, a farmer, quarrelled with his wife last winter and the woman returned to her parents. Yesterday McMahon visited his wife and tried to persuade her to live with him again. She refused and McMahon shot her twice near the heart. He then went home, lay down on a bed and shot himself three times. Both are alive but not expected to live.

Worth double the price is what is said by ladies who use Dyer's Jelly of Cucumber and Rose for their hands. It is exquisite for the hands and complexion. Druggists keep it. W. A. Dyer & Co., Montreal.

Spirits Boomed at Chicago.

CHICAGO, May 25.—On a report that the Shufeldt Distillery here had joined the whisky trust spirits were boomed yesterday from $1.05 to $1.12 and whisky from $1.08 to $1.10. The trust's certificates were likewise boosted from 45 to 48¾, closing active. The report is now denied.

Caswell, Massey & Co.'s Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil, with Pepsin and Quinine, is recognized as the best preparation known. Prescribed by the leading physicians. W. A. Dyer & Co., Montreal.

A Quebec Firm in Deep Water.

QUEBEC, May 24.—In consequence of over-speculation in timber and a decline in prices in England, Smith, Wade & Co., leading dealers in lumber here, are in financial difficulties. Their liabilities are about $2,000,000. Efforts are being made to effect a settlement.

In his Vegetable Pills Dr. Parmelee has given to the world the fruits of long scientific research in the whole realm of medical science, combined with new and valuable discoveries never before known to man. For Delicate and Debilitated Constitutions Parmelee's Pills act like a charm. Taken in small doses the effect is both a tonic and a stimulant, mildly exciting the secretions of the body, giving tone and vigor.

United States News.

W. E. Hart, agent for several coal companies in New York, has disappeared. There is a shortage in his accounts of about $30,000.

The Brooklyn jury in the case of Rev. Father Dent against Charles H. Parsons for libel returned a verdict awarding Father Dent $1. Motion for a new trial was denied.

Rev. Father Stephen M. Barrett of St. Stephen's Catholic Church, Chicago, who was shot Friday evening by a maniac named Patrick Keady, died Saturday morning. Keady has for some time been insane.

The British freight steamer Bayswater, Captain Taylor, which left New York March 16 for Lisbon, is reported missing. The Bayswater was owned by E. H. Watts of London. She was of iron and had a crew of 30 men.

Marion Wagner Taylor, the 16-year-old grand-daughter of the late Senator Wagner and daughter of J. D. Taylor of the Wagner Car Company, was knocked down and fatally injured by a United States mail wagon at New York Saturday evening.

A party of capitalists, including P. D. Armour of Chicago, have obtained nearly 2000 acres of land at Hunter's Point in the southern extremity of San Francisco, on which they will establish a pork packing and beef canning plant. The capital stock is $2,500,000.

The brightest flowers must fade, but young lives endangered by severe coughs and colds may be preserved by Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. Croup, whooping cough, bronchitis, in short all affections of the throat and lungs, are relieved by this sterling preparation, which also remedies rheumatic pains, sores, bruises, piles, kidney difficulty, and is most economic.

CRACKS OF THE TURF.

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nounced for 2 o'clock. The probable starters and weights are as follows:

CLUB HOUSE PURSE, ⅝ MILE.

Peric'es, a	134	Minnie Palmer, 4	117
Duke of Bourbon, 6	129	Dublin, 5	110
Bledsoe, 4	127	Aide-de-Camp, 5	105
Objection, 4	127	Infania, 4	103
Banjo, 5	119	Ida Girl, 3	100

WOODBINE PLATE, 1⅛ MILES.

Stonemason	132	Kilburnie	123
Fellowship	127	Less O'Gowrie	122
Tom Moore	127	Kitestring	122
Latter	127	Bon Bon	117
Crescent	123	Periwinkle	117

TORONTO CUP, 1¼ MILES.

Pericles	134	Sallie O, 4	117
Redfellow, 4	126	Bonnie Gertrude, 5	116
Waterford, 4	123	Stonemason, 3	109
Banjo, 5	121	Tullochgorum, 3	106
Dom Pedro, 4	117	Ida Girl, 3	101

DOMINION HANDICAP, 1¼ MILES.

Long Shot, 6	121	Wild Thorn, 4	110
Glen Fox, 5	119	La Blanche, 4	109
Moonshine, 6	118	Flip Flap, 4	104
Colonist, 4	117	Crescent, 3	98
Helen Leigh, 4	116	Minnie Maritana, 4	93

STREET RAILWAY CHASE, 2½ MILES.

Repeater, a	164	Echo, a	150
Evangeline, 6	160	Bonnie Duke, a	146
Slickaway, 6	158	Mackenzie, a	145
Valor, 8	154	Dr. Chase, a	140
Driftwood, a	153	Johnny Hunter, a	138

SELLING PURSE, ⅝ MILE.

Selling: purse $300; for all ages; 5 furlongs; entries close at secretary's office at 4 o'clock to-day.

HUNTERS' PLAT, 1½ MILES.

Slickaway, 6	170	Williams, a	140
Repeater, a	168	Tam O'Shanter, 6	140
Dublin, 5	160	Martial, 5	140
Glen Fox, 5	160	The Chief, 5	140
Driftwood, a	158	Founding, 6	140
Bonnie Duke, a	150		

The Probable Winners.

Trainer Walker speaks hopefully of the condition of Marauder, but the horse will not start for the Toronto cup to-day and the big event will likely be fought out between Pericles and Redfellow. The probable winners will be:

First race, Ida Girl and Objection.
Second race, Stonemason and Fellowship.
Third race, Pericles and Redfellow.
Fourth race, Longshot and Moonshine.
Fifth race, Mackenzie and Evangeline.
Seventh race, Glen Fox and Bonnie Duke.

DISASTROUS FLOODS.

Great Damage Done in Northwestern Pennsylvania—The Loss Over $100,000.

CLEVELAND, May 24.—A rain storm much in the nature of a cloud burst swept over northwestern Pennsylvania yesterday doing much damage to property. At Corry streets were converted into rivers, in some places two feet deep, tearing up sewers and washing out roads. The railroad yards were completely inundated, the floods washing some of the side tracks. At one time the water between the Wells-Fargo and American express office and First-avenue was six feet deep, flooding both offices and the large platform on both sides of the Union depot, the water reaching the waiting-rooms. The railroads east and west of the city sustained serious damage. The valley from Corry to Irvinton, a distance of 20 miles, is a complete lake of water from one to three miles wide. The loss will probably reach over $100,000. The highways in the surrounding country are nearly impassable and it will be a week before travel can be resumed.

Terrific Storm in Kentucky.

CINCINNATI, May 24.—The northern counties of Kentucky and some of the more southern counties of West Virginia were swept last night by a terrific storm. The heat all day was oppressive and a number of prostrations were reported. Reports from Mount Sterling, Lexington, Maysville, Nicholasville, Cynthiana, Corinth and other points are to the effect that a dangerous storm raged. At Nicholasville thousands of dollars worth of damage was done. In Harrison County the tobacco crop was also entirely ruined and the loss will reach a great sum. At Guyandotte, W.Va., the road leading to the ferry was washed away with a portion of the front streets and a dozen building lots. It will cost $20,000 to repair the damage. The telephone line to Cynthiana, Ky., went down at 9 o'clock in the midst of the storm at that place, which is 75 miles inland, showing that the storm was of wide extent. All steamboats on the Ohio River between Augusta, Ky., and Cattlesburg, a distance of 125 miles, were compelled to go to the shore. At Benson's ford a house was blown down and Mrs. Hubbell was dangerously hurt. Passengers and trainmen arriving about 9 o'clock on the Louisville & Nashville, Queen & Crescent and Chesapeake & Ohio roads say they passed through one of the most furious storms they ever saw. Trees were twisted and torn in all directions, streams were bank full and it is feared many lives were lost.

Many Perished.

LONDON, May 24.—The town of Sefron near Tez, Morocco, is inundated. The whole place is in ruins. Fifty-three Jews and many Moors have perished.

Struck by Lightning.

SALINEVILLE, O., May 24.—During a severe thunderstorm yesterday George Patterson and his wife and two children were struck by lightning and sustained injuries which will probably prove fatal.

The World's Fair.

CHICAGO, May 24.—The directors of the World's Fair yesterday adopted a resolution requesting Gov. Fifer to call a special meeting of the Legislature prior to July 1 to consider the question of submitting to popular vote at the November election a proposition to amend the state constitution so as to authorize Chicago to issue $5,000,000 bonds in aid of the World's Exposition, also legislation providing for a state exhibition and authority to use any of the parks as a site for the fair.

The Original Package Business.

PITTSBURG, May 25.—"Original package" houses were opened in Apollo and Leechburg, both local option towns, yesterday by William Silverman, agent for a Cincinnati brewing company. A carload of beer in packages of from one-eighth to one-half barrel each arrived at Leechburg and in less than two hours the contents of the car had been sold and "original packages" were traveling in all directions on the shoulders of men and boys. The streets were filled with drunken men last night.

Coming Events.

Coming consumption is foreshadowed by a hacking cough, night sweats, pain in the chest, etc. Arrest its progress at once by taking Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam, which never fails to cure coughs, colds, bronchitis, hoarseness, etc., and even in confirmed consumption affords grateful relief.

Criminal Libel Charged.

WINDSOR, May 24.—W. D. Balfour has commenced action against T. M. White publisher of The Essex Review, and N. A. Coste of Amherstburg for criminal libel on account of an article published in The Essex Review May 16, in which it is stated Mr. Balfour used a telegram purported to be signed by Archbishop Walsh of London endorsing Mr. Balfour's candidature at the last local elections and which was a forgery.

During the short absence of Mr. J. McArthur Griffith in England his business at London-Canadian Chambers will be under the management of Mr. Charles Arnoldi, who has been managing-clerk in Mr. Griffith's offices for some time. 241

Found Dead on an Engine Pilot.

WAUBAUSHENE, May 24.—The body of a young man about 20 years of age was found on the pilot of the engine of last night's express by the engineer. From papers found on him his name was probably William Burrows and he had evidently come from Penetanguishene the day previous.

Long Branch Cottages

Will be catered for in Groceries, Fruits, etc., by the well-known firm of Mara & Co. of 280 Queen-street west, who, while establishing a branch store in the Park, will also wait upon the cottagers daily and make direct deliveries from their head store. Intending residents by dropping a postcard to the firm stating their contemplated date of departure will be waited upon by their representative for their opening orders, and have same duly delivered at their cottage. 135

MUSIC AND THE DRAMA.

The Sons of England Concert in the Pavilion—At the Theatres.

Among the many fetes on the Queen's Birthday none was more successful or better patronised than the first annual concert of the Sons of England in the Pavilion. By actual count there were 1470 in the audience. The building was gaily decorated with tropical plants and a profusion of Union Jacks. Large mottoes running along the galleries proclaimed "Loyalty, Fidelity and Integrity," others read: "Love the Brotherhood, Fear God, Honor the King," "United Empire," "Our Native Land—Land of Adoption" and "Welcome to Toronto." Supreme Grand President Ald. J. C. Swait presided.

The program was long owing to the fact that almost every number was encored. Whitney Mockridge touched a tender chord in his magnificent rendering of the "Death of Nelson" and the audience cheered him to the echo. Mrs. Schultz, soprano, Detroit, Miss Barnes, the Buffalo contralto, and Miss Lena Hayes of Toronto were all enthusiastically received. The others are too well and favorably known in Toronto to need any comment.

At the Theatres.

Both the Grand and Jacobs & Sparrow's did a good business Saturday. At the former the McDowells presented "The Black Flag" at the matinee and "The Private Secretary" in the evening. The latter was particularly well put on and much enjoyed by the audience. This closed the season at the Grand.

"Across the Atlantic."

Jacobs & Sparrow's will be the only theatre open this week. The boards will be occupied all week with the startling play "Across the Atlantic." The New York Evening Post says: "This play was written for John W. Ransone and James B. Radcliffe, both of whom have heretofore been favorites of the vaudeville stage. In plays written for specialty performers the first and generally the only object is to afford an opportunity for the display of the specialty of the performer for whom it is written. 'Across the Atlantic' is a notable exception to this rule, as it has a plot—perhaps not a very novel, elaborate or involved one, but still an interesting and romantic story."

STRUCK BY A ROCK.

A Stone-Throwing Gang in the East End That Needs Breaking Up—Brakeman J. Flynn's Accident.

The dastardly practice of throwing stones at passing trains, which has been carried on in the East End for some time by a gang of bad boys, culminated last night in what well nigh proved a fatal accident. About 9¾ o'clock a G.T.R. freight train, under the charge of Conductor Cameron, was entering the city en route to Hamilton. Brakeman J. Flynn of Hamilton was standing on the front platform of the caboose, when somewhere near Pape-avenue on the Kingston road, he was struck on the head with a rock. Staggering back he still retained sufficient sense to keep from falling off the car and managed to reach the inside of the van, where he dropped senseless to the floor. A telephone message was sent from the Don Station to the Union Station, and Dr. Riordan was in waiting when the latter place was reached. Flynn was taken into the station agent's private office and the wound was dressed. The cut was an ugly one, extending nearly two inches and fortunately just above the right temple. The injured brakeman left on his train for his home. It is only a few nights ago since a stone was thrown through the window of Conductor Cameron's caboose near the same spot.

KILLED BY THE GLOBE SPECIAL.

James Heale of Goderich Meets a Sudden End on the Track.

A young man named James Heale, a grocer at West Toronto Junction, was the victim of a fatal accident Saturday morning. While on the railway track near the Humber boltworks, about 4 o'clock, he was struck by The Globe special and instantly killed, the body being carried to Mimico on the cowcatcher of the engine. The deceased was 22 years of age. The remains will be taken to Goderich, where his parents live, this morning. No inquest will be held.

Work of the Y.M.C.A.

The monthly meeting of the Board of Directors Y.M.C.A. was held on Friday, President Kilgour in the chair. These officers were elected: Vice-presidents, N. W. Hoyles, W. C. Mathews; treasurer, T. Gibson; recording secretary, A. S. Rogers; librarian, Dr. L. L. Palmer. These gentlemen were elected directors to fill vacancies on the board: T. Eaton, J. Kidston Macdonald, J. G. Kent.

Arrangements were completed for association work to be carried on at the volunteer camp next month. W. P. Crombie, evangelist, will conduct special meetings each day in the tent.

Committees were appointed for the year and several excellent reports of work done during the month presented. General Secretary McCulloch was granted two months' leave of absence to visit the Old Country. Staff Inspector Archabold will address the meeting for young men next Sunday evening at 3¾.

His Excellency at the Art Exhibition.

Lord Stanley, accompanied by Hon. Edward Stanley and Commander Law, R.N., visited the Ontario Society of Artists exhibition at the Academy of Music on Saturday. They were received by the Vice-President, W. Revell, who did the honors in the absence of the president, Hon. G. W. Allan. An hour's chatting and viewing of the pictures, a neat little parting speech and leave-taking of the artists, terminatek Excellency's visit. The Lieutenant-Governor visited the gallery an hour later. The collection is a splendid one.

Fickle Priest, Fickle Husband.

MONTREAL, May 25.—Rev. Mr. Martin, the ex-priest whose disappearance caused such a sensation three weeks ago, reappeared at the morning service in the French Presbyterian Church to-day accompanied by his wife. He has been in retreat at the Trappist monastry at Antigonish, N.S., but says he found his domestic ties too strong for him.

To Revive the Salt