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Why Do They Oppose the Ballot?

Hon. G. W. Ross says the Catholics do not want the ballot and it should not be forced upon them. Why do the Catholics not want the ballot? Why should anyone not want the ballot? Everyone who desires to see the individual voter voting according to his individual conscience will both accept and recommend the ballot. We cannot understand anyone with disinterested motives opposing the ballot. Just think this question out: Why do the Catholic clergy not want the ballot? It is evident they do not want it; Hon. Mr. Ross says so. They not only do not want it, they oppose its introduction most strenuously. Why do they oppose it? The only reason we can surmise is because they desire to know how the individual votes. Mr. Ross proves out of his own mouth that the Catholic voter, even more than the Protestant, should enjoy the secrecy of the ballot box. This question of the ballot in Separate school elections is an old and time-worn issue. The public understand it thoroughly. It will be one of the most important issues in the coming general election, if not the most important of all. The vote in the House on Wednesday night does not at all represent the feeling of the province on the issue. Sir Oliver's majority of eighteen would be a minority of eighteen if the House had voted as the people of the province think and feel.

Toronto Needs a Similar Machine.

There are several ways of making canals and filling in the Island lagoons. Island Park was filled in according to old-time mechanical methods. The park is a beautiful spot, but it was expensive to make it so. The filling in cost anywhere from 20 to 30 cents a yard. If Col. Sweny's project for dredging and filling is entered upon the work should be done on the latest scientific principles. Instead of costing 20 cents a yard we believe the work can be done at one-fourth or one-fifth of that price. There is an enormous amount of filling and dredging to be done in and about Toronto harbor and Island. Our first business should be the purchase of a proper plant for doing the work. Since Southampton, Milford Haven and other seaports have begun to take from Liverpool some of its shipping trade the latter city has set about to improve its harbor. To do the work as cheaply as possible, says The Engineering News, a suction sand dredge has just been constructed with a capacity of 4000 tons per hour. The sand-pumping machinery consists of two centrifugal pumps with 36-inch suction and delivery pipes. The dredge was built by the Naval Construction and Armament Company of Barrow-in-Furness, England.

A machine of this capacity planted in Toronto harbor would, in a single season, transform the Island beyond recognition.

Niagara Falls Electric Power.

We have all along contended that the probability of our being able to utilize in Toronto the electric power developed at Niagara Falls should be seriously considered in all our works and contracts demanding large supplies of power. There are several facts which lead us to believe that electricity will be conveyed from the Falls to Toronto before long and sold at one-half the rates now charged. It is in view of this fact that we oppose the proposal to bring water from Georgian Bay, either for domestic use or for making electricity. We have more faith in the economy of bringing power by cable from the Falls than of bringing it by aqueduct from Georgian Bay. The cost of pumping our water supply will never be greater that it is to-day, and the probabilities are that in a short time it will be brought down to one-half of what it is to-day. A continuous and uninterrupted supply of power from the Falls will prove of immense advantage to Toronto, and we should always bear in mind that it is likely we shall soon have it. A long-time contract with any company for supplying light to Toronto will be a mistake. The city ought to keep free from contracts that will prevent it reaping the benefit of new and expected methods of conveying electricity long distances. We shall learn more on this subject during the coming summer. The Niagara Falls Electric Power Company promise to have their current in Buffalo some time in June. The success of the company's plans in regard to Buffalo will probably decide the problem in regard to places further distant. The people of Hamilton are counting on Niagara Falls power to run their proposed radial railway system, and the promoters of this enterprise say the current can easily be carried on to Toronto.

The Regulation of Bicycles.

Some restriction as to speed of bicycles on the streets ought to be imposed, as well as the carrying of a light at night and a bell at all times. But the proposal to charge a license fee of fifty cents is very small potatoes and ought to be ruled out. Bicycle riders will not complain of the fifty cents, but the wearing of a tag, to the annoyance to visitors, the annoyance to citizens who may not know of the bylaw, or who may forget to apply for a license; these are the objectionable features of the proposed tax. There is bound to be constant friction between the owners of bicycles and the civic officials. Toronto should keep free of all such petty restrictions on its inhabitants. There is an easier way of collecting the necessary funds for running the city.

The Gas Complaints.

We are glad to see The Globe lending its assistance in the contest that the citizens have undertaken to wage against the Consumers' Gas Company. It agrees with The World that the price of gas ought to drop down to 75 or 80 cents. Ald. Bailey will have the support of the whole community if he proceeds with the investigation on a pretty broad basis. We have had no desire to injure the Consumers' Gas Company in pursuing this matter as we have done. We know that a reduction of 20 cents per thousand feet will not injure the company, while it will be a great benefit to the people. We hold that the people can be benefited and the company not made to suffer. That is the reason why The World has given so much prominence to this matter of late.

Commission on Appointment and Fees of Public Officers.

Commissioners have been appointed to report upon the facts concerning the appointment and remuneration of Ontario Provincial officials, such as Registrars of Deeds, Local Masters, Sheriffs, County Crown Attorneys, Local Registrars of High Court, Clerks of County Courts, Registrars of Surrogate Courts, Clerks of Division Courts and Bailiffs. The desire of the Commission is not merely to collect a mass of opinions for or against the proposed changes. These suggested changes involve constitutional as well as financial questions which ought to be dealt with upon their merits.

Information is asked in order to estimate the advantages or disadvantages of having the officials in question elected by the people or selected by the County Councils, instead of being appointed by the Provincial Executive.

Information is also sought in order to judge of the advantages which a system of payment by fixed salary would be likely to possess as compared with the present plan of paying by fees (or by a proportion of fees) received by the different officers.

Apart, therefore, from any oral testimony which will be taken the commissioners invite communications from all informed upon and interested in these matters in order to facilitate the obtaining of materials which might be otherwise overlooked or remain unavailable.

The information sought is other than that afforded by official documents and statistics of the Province, although reference to these and deductions from these, in special instances, are desirable and will be valued.

Letters may be addressed to James Fleming, secretary of the commission, Osgoode Hall, Toronto.

A GREAT COMEDY BY GREAT ACTORS

Daniel Frohman's Company Delight a Large Audience at the Grand in Sardou's "Americans Abroad."

Daniel Frohman's era of popularity here began last night at the Grand, when his New York Lyceum success, Sardou's "Americans Abroad," was presented to a well-pleased and highly delighted house. Hitherto Frohman, like Hoyt, has met with only moderate success in Toronto, but his talented company put on the brilliant comedy in such perfect form that any subsequent effort of his is sure to meet with most hearty response in this city.

The plot of the piece is the well-worn theme of the American heiress pursued by fortune-hunters. To find a man who would love her for herself alone, the heiress persuades her uncle and cousin to go with her into self-imposed poverty. The uncle, who resembles a typical Uncle Sam, and a pompous English valet furnished the comedy element, helped out by the situations.

Florence Winthrop, the American heiress abroad, falls in love with Gilbert Raymond, a poor artist with exalted ideas of the crime of fortune-hunting. A baroness in search of a rich wife for the impoverished prince whose agent she is persecutes the wealthy heroine and furnishes the rather slender plot with the necessary stage complications.

It is a drawing-room society play, with a flavor of sketchiness, with very pretty love-like situations, but no thrilling climaxes or situations are put in until the last act. There comes a complication in which the heiress is liable to lose the man she loves that almost redeems the play and shows the stage-climax skill of Sardou.

The company is one of Frohman's best, comprising Miss Maud Harrison, Miss Gertrude Rivers, Miss Helen Kinnaird, Mr. J. H. Gilmour, Mr. J. B. Polk, Mr. George Alison and other well-known people, including Mr. Fred Conger of Toronto, who took the modest part of Lajolly very acceptably.

The piece was perfectly staged and the minutest detail was carefully looked after in the presentation. A flutter was caused among the fashionable audience by the many handsome toilets displayed by the ladies of the company.

The Sergeants' Concert.

Mr. Lely will arrive in the city next week to fill his engagement at the concert of the Sergeants of the 48th Highlanders in the Pavilion on Thursday, the 19th inst. After finishing his tour as chief tenor of the Patti Concert Company Mr. Lely, accompanied by Mrs. Lely, appeared in the principal cities throughout the States in an admirable program entitled "Scottish Song and Story," and the eulogies which have been showered upon him by his critics warrant the belief that seats at next Thursday's concert will be at a premium. The plan opens at Nordheimers' to-day. Reserved seats 50c.

Signor Vegara's Concert.

To an audience that filled the Pavilion the pupils of Signor Vegara last night repeated their grand opera concert.

The program was an ambitious one, especially for amateurs, but every number was well rendered. Signorina Teresina Rolleri, Miss Florence Mabel Glover and Miss Alice Burrowes shared the honors of the evening with Messrs. Felix Mercier and Arthur Carnahan. The second act from "Der Freischutz" was given in costume, and, save for that stiffness in acting peculiar to amateurs, the presentation was a perfect one.

Jacobs & Sparrow's Opera House.

In referring to the production of the most prominent and successful melodrama ever presented upon the American stage, viz., "The Soudan," which will be seen at Jacobs & Sparrow's Opera House next Monday night, The New York Herald said: "The salient points in the piece and many of the stage pictures, which surpass everything of the kind that we have seen here of late, were received with howls and yells of delight by the crowded audience. There is no doubt "The Soudan" is a popular success. Managers C. B. Jefferson, Klaw & Erlanger have expended a fortune on the environment of this production for the present season."

Creoles at the Academy.

La Belle Creole is not only marvelously beautiful, with all the charms of her sex, but highly accomplished, with a rich, musical voice and rare terpsichorean skill. Equally clever is her stately Egyptian sister, who vies with her to please the audience in an entertainment as attractive as it is novel. The program includes strange, sweet, southern songs, delightful dancing diversions, and a first-class entertainment complete will be at the Academy of Music all of next week.

A Trip to Chinatown.

Next Monday evening at the Grand Opera House will be one of merriment, when Hoyt's "A Trip to Chinatown" will be presented.

The skit, designated by Mr. Hoyt as a musical trifle, is considered to be the most breezy of his many works. The piece is enjoying a wonderful run in New York, having played in that city for over 700 consecutive nights. Any attempt at a serious plot has been avoided, and there is but sufficient connection in the action of the piece to hang together a series of amusing scenes and situations.

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Holy Trinity Church.

A very successful entertainment was held in Holy Trinity Church last night for the benefit of the choir fund of Grace Church. The entertainment consisted of a number of tableaux, interspersed with musical selections by Mrs. Shields, Misses Norma Reynolds and Gertie Black, and Messrs. Walter Geddes, Walter Sparks, J. N. Sutherland, Richard Tinning, William Fahey and R. H. Greene.

SIRS,—I had such a severe cough that my throat felt as if scraped with a rasp. On taking Norway Pine Syrup I found the first dose gave relief, and the second bottle completely cured me. Miss A. A. DOWNEY, Manotic, Ont.

THE ISLAND FERRY SERVICE.

THE CITY HAS NO POWER TO MAKE IT EXCLUSIVE.

Suggested That the Lessee of the Yonge-Street Wharves Be Compelled to Grant Any Ferry Company That May Run to the Island the Right to Use the Wharves on Reasonable Terms.

At the meeting of the Property Committee yesterday a communication was read from Mr. J. L. Gordon in reference to the leasing of the wharves at the foot of Yonge-street. Mr. Gordon maintains that there is no provision in the proposed lease which will protect the interests of the citizens with regard to the ferry service to the Island. Under the proposed conditions it would be possible, and is probable, that the Toronto Ferry Company will acquire the lease. It is also stated that the company now control Geddes Wharf, and if this is true they will be able to dictate to the city the terms on which they will conduct the ferry service during the year. Mr. Gordon asks that a clause be inserted which will compel the lessees to grant to any ferry company that may run to the Island the right to use the wharf on terms to be settled by the committee. If this is not done the lessees will practically control the ferry business to the Island and be able to dictate their own terms to the public, and the chance of getting a better ferry service and a reduction of the ferry rates would be lost.

Ald. Crawford said the lease of the wharves was up for competition, and if any company wished the wharf they could tender for it.

Ald. Hewitt, Gowanlock and Sheppard favored a clause being inserted as suggested by Mr. Gordon.

Ald. Crawford said the City Solicitor should be consulted before any alterations were made in the lease.

Ald. Sheppard said it was the duty of the aldermen to protect the city against monopolies.

Exclusive Ferry Privilege.

With reference to Ald. Foster's motion to grant an exclusive ferry privilege on the bay, the city to receive a portion of the gross receipts, the City Solicitor wrote that the city has power to pass bylaws for licensing and regulating ferries between any two places within the municipality under the provisions of the act respecting ferries, and establishing the rate of ferriage to be taken thereon, but no such law shall have effect until assented to by the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council. It is, therefore, clear that the council cannot grant the exclusive privilege referred to in the resolution, except with the assent of the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council, and as the Municipal Act practically prohibits all monopolies it is not likely the assent will be given.

St. Margaret's Church was given a rebate of $5 on the rental paid for St. Andrew's Hall.

The Q.O.R. ambulance corps and A company of the Grenadiers were granted the use of St. Lawrence Hall for drill purposes, and the York Rangers will use St. Andrew's.

Jail Supplies Tenders.

T. S. Lobb was awarded the contract for drygoods for the jail: blankets $2.40 per pair, shirts and drawers $4.50 per doz., sheeting 17c per yd., shirting 10½c, blue Demim 14½c, toweling 8c, flannel 14½c, quilts 72 1-2c each. Groceries, John Lumbers: oatmeal $2.25, peas $1.20, salt 90c per bbl, potatoes 65c, straw 50c per 100 lbs, sugar $3.50 per cwt, pepper 10c, soap 4 1-2c, brooms $1.80 per doz., brushes $1 per doz., tea 30c per lb, coffee 15c per lb. Bread, Gad Heath, 4½c per three-lb loaf. Milk, John Gibb, 16c per gal. first six months, last six months 18c. Boneless beef, George Chesman, 3 1-2c per lb.

The Grens' Parade.

The Royal Grenadiers paraded last night 498 strong and marched to the new Armory, where the company drill was practised, after which they returned to the shed, where these orders were issued: Detail for week ending April 22—Orderly officer, Lieut. Boyd; next for duty, Lieut. Willis; orderly sergeant, Color-Sergt. F. Smith. Leave of absence on private affairs has been granted to Lieut. Pringle from April 4 to 20, 1894. The regiment will parade at the Armory in review order, with bearskin caps and leggings, at 2.20 p.m. on Sunday next, and march to the Western Congregational Church, Spadina-avenue, for divine service.

Fourteen men were taken on the strength of the regiment and three struck off.

The route to the church on Sunday will be: King, Yonge, Queen and Spadina, returning by Spadina, College, Yonge and King.

The story comes from Paris that a machinist who was placed in the same cell with a Belgian laborer in a drunken frenzy bit off the man's ears and part of one cheek. After discharge he visited the laborer in the hospital and the surgeons there shaped two new ears from the machinist's arm and they have grown on the laborer's head.

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are deeply interested in the sights. Smokers will be interested if they use the Student's Mixture Tobacco, which has no equal as regards quality and flavor. Be sure you get it.

Local Jottings.

A dangerous hole in the road exists at the corner of South-drive and Hill-street.

Vandals wrecked a number of lights of glass in the large colored windows of the First-avenue Baptist Church.

A consignment of 180 Barnardo boys arrived at the branch home in Farley-avenue yesterday.

The Trades and Labor Council will hold a special meeting to-night to protest against the Redistribution bill.

Mr. George Clay has been appointed secretary-treasurer of the Reform Club.

Mary Jane Hayes, 259 Sackville-street, is in custody charged with the larceny of goods from George Howard.

The Executive Board K. of L. completed arrangements last evening for the reception of General Master Workman Sovereign.

William Lonsdale, 95 Elizabeth-street, was arrested yesterday afternoon on a warrant charging him with assault on Mary Cameron. Lonsdale claims that his conduct was nothing unusual, it being merely a case of spite.

Frank Lombard, 189 Centre-avenue, was arrested last night by P. C. McGregor for the larceny of 48 newspapers from Albert Patterson, 112 Centre-avenue, a fellow-newsboy. Lombard was convicted once before for stealing papers from doorways.

P. C. McMillan considered that Joseph Loby, 83 Richmond-street east, was driving at a higher rate of speed than the law allows for Queen-street, and consequently took him into custody and sent him up to No. 2.

The ladies of St. Michael's Altar Society and Sacred Heart League elected these officers: Mrs. O'Keefe, president; Mrs. McConnell, vice-president; Miss Foy, treasurer; Miss Morrison, secretary; Miss Herson, chief promoter. During the past year the association spent some $900 on vestments, ornaments, etc., for St. Michael's Cathedral.

It is seldom that our attention is drawn to a sign, but the artistic eye cannot pass Mr. Joseph Rogers' new premises, 45 and 47 King-street east, without admiring the uniqueness of design and excellence of execution as something we seldom see.

I had a severe cold, for which I took Norway Pine Syrup. I find it an excellent remedy, giving prompt relief and pleasant to take. J. FAYNTER, Huntsville, Ont.

SOLICITORS ARE BARRISTERS

If They Pay an Additional Fee of $200—Meredith Calls It a Slap in the Face of the Law Society.

The proceedings in the Legislature yesterday afternoon were decidedly dull and uninteresting, the measures under consideration being of minor importance. The usual daily bill to amend the Assessment Act was brought in by Mr. Dack, and Mr. White introduced a bill to amend the act respecting executions.

Sir Oliver's bill respecting Councils of Conciliation and Arbitration was read a third time, and then the House settled down to committee work.

The Attorney-General's bill to erect Nipissing into a provisional judicial district provoked a desultory discussion, the principal objection raised by the Opposition being that the measure did not name the county town. Mr. Meredith protesting against passing the bill and leaving that matter unsettled, and charging the Government with want of backbone in keeping the question open lest they might alienate those interested in towns which aspired to the position. Mr. Hardy said it was not reasonable to expect the Government to name the county town in the bill, and that, though the Opposition might criticize, they did not appear at all anxious to arouse local feelings by indicating themselves the place which in their opinion should be selected. Finally Mr. Meredith moved an amendment that the choice of a county town should be decided by a vote of the electors, which was negatived by a vote of 21 to 39 and the bill reported.

A considerable portion of the afternoon was put in in considering Mr. Harcourt's bill to make further provision respecting voters' lists. The object of this bill is to provide for the striking from the voters' lists of the names of dead voters. Exception was taken by Mr. Meredith to any striking of names off the list unless it were done publicly. There should be ample public notice given of the intention to strike off names, as it was possible otherwise that injustice would be done and the names of living persons removed. The committee rose and reported progress.

The Attorney-General's bill in respect of the Queen Victoria Niagara Falls Park came up for a second reading. It provides for the issue of further debentures amounting to $75,000 for improvements and purchase of lands; and the extension of the electric railway two miles further South from Chippawa. The powers of expropriation vested in the Park Commissioners are extended to lands between the river and the chain reservation and to lands along the river covered with water. After some criticism the bill received a second reading.

The Attorney-General moved the second reading of the bill respecting the call of solicitors to the bar, which practically abolishes the distinction between barristers and solicitors and provides that solicitors shall be admitted to practice at the bar on payment of an additional fee of $200. Mr. Meredith strongly opposed the bill, which he characterized as a slap in the face of the Law Society, practically saying that their rules were so unfair that it was necessary to modify them in the Legislature.

Mr. Balfour observed that Sir Oliver did not represent the Law Society in the House, but the people, and that the change was in right direction.

The bill was read a second time.

Denounced a Gratuity.

Mr. Meredith vigorously denounced the proposed gratuity of $2000 to Dr. Carlyle and asserted that the Government had been actuated by political motives in the appointment of a successor. He alleged that the Provincial Secretary had used his influence in the matter. A strong denial of this charge was made by Mr. Ross.

Dr. Ryerson objected to the plan on which gratuities were given and also assailed the Government in connection with the dismissal of Miss Hagarty from her position in the Normal School.

Mr. Ross entered into a lengthy and detailed defence of the course of the department in the matter, the main feature of which was that in appointing Miss Scott to a position over Miss Hagarty he had been guided by the reports of Dr. McLellan and Dr. Davies, and that the reason of her dismissal was because she would not work harmoniously with Miss Scott.

Mr. Meredith said that what Miss Hagarty complained of was that she was refused an investigation and the opportunity of being heard in her own defence.

Mr. Hardy asserted that the doctrines of the Opposition were subversive of all educational discipline and would enable teachers to set the department at defiance. For six years Miss Hagarty had been more or less insubordinate, during which the "autocrat" at the head of the department had overlooked offences which would have justified her instant dismissal.

Dr. Ryerson said that Mr. Hardy was talking through his hat. Mr. Whitney followed with a serio-comic speech, and then Ryerson got up again and switched off the debate into the case of Mrs. Cullen. After more explanations from Mr. Ross the item passed.

Teachers Doing Outside Work.

In connection with the items for Normal School teachers Mr. Clancy protested against some of the staff doing outside work. Mr. Ross explained that though he was trying to discourage the practice in some cases where the teachers had long-standing engagements he did not feel disposed to make a positive prohibition of their adding to their salaries in this way so long as their work was well done.

The remainder of the educational items were then adopted.

Mr. Awrey presented the report of the Public Accounts Committee, to which Mr. Meredith objected on the ground that it should have been presented before.

The Attorney-General announced that Monday would be taken as a Government day, and the House adjourned at 10.30.

INCOME EXEMPTIONS.

A Deputation Heard By the Municipal Committee.

At the meeting of the Municipal Committee of the Legislature yesterday morning Mr. Bishop's bill repealing a clause in the Municipal Act, which provides that when a township builds a bridge over 100 feet in length it may call on the county to contribute was adopted by a vote of 20 to 16. Mr. W. B. Wood's bill to amend the General Road Act by providing for the commutation of tolls was adopted.

Mr. Monck's bill amending the Assessment Act by uniting the offices of treasurer and collector was lost. Another measure promoted by the same member, making it incumbent upon township treasurers to keep the same sets of books as town treasurers, was adopted without amendment, making its application optional with the municipality.

When Mr. McColl's bill extending income exemptions from $700 to $1000 came up a deputation of railroad employes, comprising George Mills of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, Toronto; L. D. Gillett of the same organization, St. Thomas; W. B. Hill of the Order of Railroad Conductors, R. Thompson of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen and T. R. Modeland of the Brotherhood of Railroad Firemen, were allowed to be heard in favor of the bill. The main argument urged was that as the law now stood they were assessed to the full amount of their nominal incomes, though their distant trips and long absences from home compelled them to spend a considerable proportion of what they received as expenses. The further consideration of the bill was postponed.

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MR. MORRISON'S OFFER RECOMMENDED FOR ACCEPTANCE.

Refreshment Privileges at High Park Leased for a Term of Three Years—Prince of Wales' Walk to Be Improved—An Offer for the Old Isolation Hospital.

The Parks and Gardens Committee yesterday discussed Mr. Morrison's proposition to furnish music in the parks. Mr. Morrison asks the city to give him $500 and allow him the privilege of roping off 30 feet of space around the bandstand for the purpose of placing camp-stools, which he will rent at five cents each.

Ald. Bates favored the idea, claiming that the $750 spent last year was purely a waste of money. He also maintained that band concerts drew the bad elements of the people to the parks.

Ald. Sheppard contradicted the man of grief by stating that bad people do not like music any more than they do the electric light.

Ald. Sheppard moved that Mr. Morrison's proposition be accepted, he to furnish a guarantee that he will give at least 20 concerts. The motion carried.

The Army and Navy Veterans' band made application for a slice of the band appropriation, but as they stated they would not go into Morrison's deal they are out of it for the time.

High Park Privileges.

There was a small tempest over the opening of the tenders for privileges in High Park. After the tenders were opened William Dutton, who had handed in his tender instead of sending it by registered letter as called for in the advertisement, objected because his offer of $3000 was not considered.

E. A. Andrews, 1117 Dundas-street, made the best offer, and the committee accepted it. His figures are for five years: First year $300, second $330, third $360, fourth $390, fifth $420, payable yearly in advance. He will also erect a large dining room, which will become the property of the city at the end of the term.

An offer of $160 was received for the old Isolation Hospital, but the committee refused to entertain it.

It was decided to make some improvements to the Prince of Wales' walk at the request of Ald. Hubbard.

A communication was read from Peter McIntyre advocating the canal and lagoon system of transportation instead of an electric railway.

The park commissioner will report.

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Presentation to the White Hat Shooting Club.

Mr. George Cooper, who has just returned from a visit to London, England, has succeeded in procuring a specimen of the celebrated Pyramid herring. Having presented this specimen to the above-named club the same can be seen on exhibition at Turtle Hall through the kindness of Mr. William Clow.

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Margaret Shepherd Sued.

Agnes C. Youmans, widow of the late John R. Youmans, 57 Maitland-street, has filed a claim in the Court of Chancery against Margaret L. Shepherd for $540 for salary and money loaned. Mrs. Youmans was formerly the manager of The British-Canadian, of which the defendant is the editor. The plaintiff is also the supreme president of the recently formed society known as the Loyal Protestant Women of Canada. Pending in the present assizes is a suit for $10,000 for alleged slander, in which Mrs. Youmans is defendant and the former secretary of The British-Canadian, Miss Rebecca Marrion, is plaintiff.

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The Gas Question.

Ald. Bailey has asked the City Clerk to write to Cleveland, Rochester and Buffalo in reference to the gas question.

The committee will meet early next week.

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