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### THURSDAY EVENING, APRIL 25, 1895.

Conflicting Views Regrading the Peace Treaty.

England Determined Upon Letting It Entirely Alone.

Nicaragua Likely to Learn a Long-Needed Lesson.

Second Reading of the Irish Bill to Close Saloons on Sunday-French Views on the Annexation of Newfoundland.

THE QUEEN AT DARMSTADT. Darmstadt, April 24.—Queen Victoria arrived here at 1:45 this afternoon.

TO AMEND THE B. N. A. ACT. London, April 24.—The House of Commons will soon be called upon to consider a bill amending the British North America Act so as to provide for a deputy Speaker in the Canadian Sen-

CANADIAN BUTTER IN ENGLAND. London, April 24.-Another consignment of butter shipped under the auspices of the Canadian Department of Agriculture has arrived in Liverpool. It is of rather high color and good quality, and brings higher prices than Australian butter.

A UNIONIST VICTORY.

London, April 24.--The Parliamentary election in the mid-division of Norfolk yesterday resulted in the return of Mr. Gurdon (Unionist) by a vote of 4,112 to 3,904 for Mr. Wilson (Radical). At the last election Mr. Higgins polled 4,069 votes, to 3,599 polled by Mr. Gur-

SUNDAY LIQUOR LAW FOR IRE-

LAND. London, April 24.-In the House of Commons today Mr. T. W. Russell's bill providing for perpetuation of the existing temporary regulation closing the drinking saloons in Ireland on Sunday, passed its second reading by a vote

FAMINE FOLLOWS FIGHTING. London, April 24.—The Times correspondent in Newchwang says: There is a famine in Southern Manchuria owing to the badness of the harvest in 1894, the presence of the rival armies, the stoppage of transportation from the north and the paralysis of trade here.

THE 'BUSMEN'S STRIKE. Paris, April 24.—It is now believed that the strike is approaching its end. The omnibus company has consented to the point made by the men that the minimum pay shall be 3 1-2 francs a day, and the men in consideration of this concession will promptly abate some of their claims.

A MERE DREAM.

London, April 24.-In an editorial on the Pope's encyclical letter to the English people and the Roman Catholic Churches, the Times says the document Churches, the Times says the document was, doubtless, intended to convey that on doctrinal points no compromise could be thought of. Lord Halifax and his friends, the paper adds, would do well to take this salutary lesson to heart. The reunion of the churches is a mere dream, and the Pope has done his best to make this perfectly plain. perfectly plain.

THE BRIDE'S DRESS.

LONDON, April 24.—At the wedding of ex-Speaker Peel's daughter, the bride's traveling dress was of blue silk, trimmed with old lace. She wore a black velvet cape embroidered with jet, and a bisquit-colored straw hat, trimmed with sprays of roses. The music consisted of full choral service by the choir of Westminster Abbey. Mr. John choir of Westminster Abbey. Mr. John Frederick Bridge, musical director of Westminster Abbey, presided at the organ, and Sir Arthur Sullivan conducted. In the course of the service an anthem especially composed for the occasion was rendered.

TO BE TRIED ON FRIDAY. London, April 24.—Counsel for Oscar Wilde made application in the Old Bailey court this morning for a postponement of his client's trial. Taylor's counsel, however, was desirous of proceeding, and the prosecuting lawyer argued in opposition to the postponement, saying Wilde had had ample opportunity to prepare for trial. The court refused to grant a postponement, and fixed Friday as the day for trial. The sale of Oscar Wilde's effeets by auction upon the order of the sheriff is regarded as indicating that his pecuniary means are exhausted.

RUSSIA'S DEMANDS. London, April 24.-The Daily Chronicle will say tomorrow: Russia is unable to enforce her demands upon Japan. Suppose she were able immediately to concentrate 30,000 men in the east; of what use would they be against the Mikado's 100,000 veterans, better drilled and equipped in every way. Russia might as well try to invade the moon as Japan. Every Russian landed would find ten Japanese awaiting him. Moreover, the Japanese might make a descent upon Vladivostock. Russia must consider such possibilities before decid-

back her protest with force. A LESSON FOR NICARAGUA. London, April 24.—The Daily Graphic will say tomorrow, under the caption, "A Martyr to Monroeism": That the soil of the republics of the two Americas is safe from the trespasses of European nowers, no matter how the subjects and interests of the latter may have been cutraged, has been Nicaragua's pride and solace throughout her tempestuous career, and even though she stand alone she will not desert so convenient a principle. Before sunset today perhaps counsels of a less heroic kind will by that time have taught Nicaragua and other states of Central and South and other states of Central and South

America a lesson long needed.

The Daily Chronicle will say tomorrow: It does not appear that the United States are at all anxious to take a hand in the difficulty between Great Britain and Nicaragua. Everything is indeed well between us and the United

and the necessity of Great Britain's settling the questions at issue with France. It quotes Finance Minister Foster's statement that an understanding between Newfoundland and England on a basis acceptable to France was likely, and adds: "We hope Mr. Foster's expectations will be realized, but it will be necessary to French dip-plomacy to examine closely the details of the understanding. In any event, it must be understood that the question must be solved before Newfound-

land enters Canada."

London, April 24.—It is reported that a French syndicate has bought the Island of Anticosti in the St. Lawrence from the liquidator of the old company. REGARDING THE TREATY.

London, April 24.-A dispatch to the

Pall Mall Gazette from Berlin says advices have been received from Tokio that the Russian, French and German Ministers today made representations to the Japanese Government opposing the clause in the Chino-Japanese treaty providing for the cession to the latter of territory upon the mainland of China. The representations were received by Minister of Foreign Affairs Mutsu. London, April 24.—The Frankfurter Zeitung's correspondent in St. Peters-burg says: During the last few days Prince Lobanoff, the Minister of Foreign Affairs, has shown a more reserved attitude towards France's representations in favor of an energetic protest in Tokio. Everything indicates that Russia will play a passive part now, owing to England's attitude. The committee of Ministers has been charged to draw up a scheme to obviate the necessity that Russian warships use

London, April 24.—The Daily News will announce positively tomorrow that England will not act in concert with the continental powers regarding the Jap-Chinese treaty. It will say editorial-"England's refusal to co-operate with the other powers is due solely to the desire not to take part in matters which she has no immediate concern. We trust it is not the policy of any of the powers to do more than endeavor to persuade Japan. There is nothing to be gained worth even the remote risk of war."

Japanese ports in certain contingen-

From St. Petersburg the News learns that Russia has sent a note to Japan stating the various conditions of the treaty which she cannot allow.

#### GETTING CRITICAL.

Britain Gives Nicaragua Three Days to Pay Up.

Failing that, British Warships Will Blockade Her Ports and Troops Will Land.

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, April 24.— Great excitement exists Government, it is reported, will refuse here. The o pay the indemnity, and will abandon Corinto as a port of entry. The belief is general here that if Great Britain obtains possession of Corinto she will continue to occupy it as she has occupied territory in Egypt and other countries where she has obtained a foot-

LONDON, April 24.—At the Foreign Office it is specially stated that three British warships in the harbor of Corinto, Nicaragua, are there for the purpose of enforcing compliance with the demands of Great Britain set forth in the ultimatum.

WASHINGTON, April 24.—Secretary Gresham had a long interview with Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British ambassador, this morning, and also Minister Gurzman, of Nicaragua, who com-municated to him the intelligence he had from his Government. Very short-ly afterwards members of the Cabinet drove out to Woodley, the President's country home, where a special Cabinet meeting was held.

The outcome of the informal meeting at Woodley is understood to be that the United States Administration is disposed to use its good offices between Nicaragua and Great Britain so far as t consistently can. President Cleveland feels that as matters now stand, the United States can do nothing except to request Lord Kimberley not to force a settlement of the indemnity within the next 24 hours, but to permit a sufficient time to elapse, so that Nicar-agua may not be put in the position of being compelled to pay the "smart money" at the cannon's mouth. If the British Foreign Office shall agree to this the incident will probably be closed within the next fortnight by a compliance on the part of Nicaragua with Great Britain's terms.

Those who understand the sentiment of the Nicaragua people respecting this matter predict that Nicaragua will not pay the indemnity unless Great Britain pursues a more conciliatory course. The disposition of President Zelaya and his advisers is strongly against paying the money under compulsion. To do will, it is said, result in the overthrow of the present Administration by the Nicaragua people, who would even prefer that Corinto should be occupied by the British rather than that they should be compelled to make a humiliating surrender.

#### THE OIL OCTOPUS

Has Gathered in Assets Stated at \$10,-000,000-Latest Quotations for

New Work, April 24.—William Rocke-feiler, the president, and a majority of the directors of the Standard Oil Company, of New York, have filed with the county clerk the annual report of the company for the present year. They state the amount of the capital stock of the corporation to be \$7,000,000, and the amount of capital stock actually prid in also \$7,000,000. The amount of dobts due by the company do not ex-cored \$3,000,000, and the amount of existing assets are at least equal to \$10,-

Pittsburg, Pa., April 24.—The price Prittsburg, Pa., April 24.—The price paid this morning by the Zep agencies, who represent the Standard Oil Company is \$2 10 for Pennsylvania crude cdl. The speculative market here and Oil City is firm, with offerings at

Berlin, April 24.—The Handel's Zietung's St. Petersburg correspondent says the Russian Finance Minister has not approved the agreement between the Russian and American petroleum

DEATH OF MRS. FRANK LESLIE. Kingston, N. Y., April 24.—After an illness of a year or more, Mrs. Frank Leslie, who was divorced from the NATURALLY ENOUGH.

Paris, April 24.—The Temps commends the speech made by Hon. Wilfrid Laurier, the Liberal leader in the Canadian Parliament last Friday regarding the French shore of Newfoundland Laurier, the Liberal leader in the Canadian Parliament last Friday regarding the French shore of Newfoundland Shokan. One son, Alfred, survives her. SIX FARMERS SHOT

In the Course of a Wrangle About a

Kalkaska, Mich., April 24.-Loon Lake, six miles from here, was the scene of a shooting affray last night, in which P. M. Lossing and his son, Milford Lossing; Oscar Long and his son, Clarence Long; Hiram Drake and Ben Jackson, all well-to-do farmers of this county, received the contents of a double-barrelled shotgun in their faces and abdomens. The farmers were pre-paring to spear fish from a boat, when Bradford Luister claimed the boat and accused the farmers of attempting to steal it. They would not give it up, and Luister retired to the woods near by and fired at the party. All six were seriously wounded, and P. M. Lossing may die. Luister has been arrested and

#### PARADIS' PARADISE!

Repatriated French-Canadian Colonists

in a State of Semi-Starvation. Marquette, Mich., April 24.-Joseph Croze, a wealthy French-Canadian business man of Houghton, who has just returned from the colony in Vernor, Ont., says he found the colonists in a state of semi-starvation. None of them had taken more than enough prothem had taken more than enough provisions for their journey, expecting to find suplies there all ready for them, which they had been told would be advanced upon credit and be repaid from the proceeds of the first crop.

There were no supplies, and markets
were so remote that it would take days

to procure even a small quantity. No teams were available, and railroad transportation was very expensive. The subsidy has not yet been granted by the Government, nor was there

to general agriculture. Life at best would be exile, for it must be many years before that country will develop sufficiently to make Vernor other than an isolated station.

Upon hearing Mr. Croze's story and witnessing the suffering too plainly written upon the faces of the returning colonists, several French citizensamong them Peter Primeau, registrar of the United States Land Office—have decided to actively oppose the efforts that are being made to induce others to emigrate to Paradis' col-

#### DURING LUNCH HOUR

Crooks Robbed a New Jersey Bank of \$22,765. Plainfield, N. J., April 24.-The di-

rectors of the First National Bank of this city today announced the theft of \$22,765, of which the vaults were rob-bed on Monday last. Frank S. Runyon, cashier of the bank, first discovered the loss when closing the vaults Monlay evening.

Two packages, one containing \$20,000 in new bills of various values from \$1 o \$1,000, and another of \$2,765 in mutilated bills were missing.

Last Monday but two clerks remained

noon lunch hour. David N. Bunyon, a a relative of the cashier, attended to the tellers' window, and Adelbert Vail, a young clerk, was at one of the wickets. A strange man with a long list of notes written upon a large sheet of paper entered and engaged Vail in conversation. Vall recalls that the paper was held in such a manner as to com-pletely shut off his view of the passage by his wicket, and it is thought that he bank thief passed under cover of the paper into the inner rooms and thence obtained access to the vault, or else that he entered by a rear hallway door which is known to have been left open. There is no clue to the thief.

#### OVER \$500,000 SHORT.

Why Marie Wainwright's Lover Committed Suicide.

Tacoma, Wash., April 24.—Instead of a few thousand dollars, as first sup-posed, the defalcation of the late Paul Schulz, who was land agent of the Northern Pacific Railway, will amount to \$500,000, and may be \$700,000, according to the report of the experts who are engaged in examining the accounts of the suicide. This shortage and dispointment in love are believed to have led to his suicide. A farewell letter to Marie Wainwright, the actress, was found on his person, and the statement is made by his friends that he had been n love with her for some time, but the collapse of her divorce proceedings placed an insuperable obstacle in the way of the marriage of the actress and Schulz, who obtained a divorce from his German wife over three years ago.

#### NO LEGAL STANDING.

Grand Trunk Company Couldn't Prose cute Hardiker's Case.

Detroit, April 24.—The trial of Geo. E. Hardiker was commenced in the Re-corder's Court this morning. Hardiker was brought from Mexico some months ago on a charge of having embezzled \$3,878 77 from the Grand Trunk Railway while employed as an assistant

cashier.

The original complaint was made by the Grand Trunk Company. When they came into court it was discovered that as the Grnd Trunk is not a company incorporated in this State they have no legal standing, and the Detroit, Grand Haven and Milwaukee Railway was substituted. The later company claim to be the collecting agents of the Grand Trunk. The defense will make all they can out of this change of

Some 3,400 Spanish troops will sail for Cuba next week. The Official Gazette of Madrid publishes a call for 20,-000 more to enter active service. At the Bordeaux exhibition, which will be opened shortly, will be exhibit-

ed the largest bottle ever made. It will be no less than 35 meters, or 115 feet How to Cure All Skin Diseases

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Easter Flowers.

## Late Canadian News.

Plenty of Oil in Pelee Island-The Ottawa Carnival Executive Had a Surplus of \$700.

David McPherson was elected mayor of Halifax on Wednesday.

The Royal Templars' annual prohibition camp will be held this year in Hamilton, probably in August. A deputation will wait upon the On-

tario Premier re the appointment of a lady inspector of factories. Advices from Fort William state that the wind has broken up the ice a great deal, and that boats will be safe in

reaching that port by May 1. The executive of the Ottawa Winter Carnival decided to give over the surplus it had from the carnival (over \$700) to the city treasurer.

Rev. Dr. Gregg, who for 23 years has been one of the professors of Knox College, having latterly filled the department of church history, has resigned his position. He is now 78 years of age. Mr. Wm. Maynard, jun., manager of the Bank of Commerce, Stratford, has received notice of his removal to the Guelph branch, which was deprived of its manager by the recent death of Mr. McConkey.

Letters from England convey word of the acceptance of the provostship of Trinity College, Toronto, by Rev. Edward Ashhurst, vicar of the Church of the Venerable Bede, Gateshead, Diocese of Durham.

Mary Starke, the little daughter of Wm. Starke, the fittle daughter of Wm. Starke, of Montreal, was sick, and the mother yesterday, intending to administer an ordinary medicine, gave her a dose of carbolic acid. The child afterwards died in great agenty.

a favorable prospect that one would be granted. At the very best, it would be months before it would be available. In the Essex election case on Wednesday. He refused to set aside the election of Dr. Dewar as mayor, without the property of Dr. Dewar as mayor, which we have the property of Dr. Dewar as mayor, which we have the property of Dr. Dewar as mayor, which we have the property of Dr. Dewar as mayor, which we have the property of Dr. Dewar as mayor, which we have the property of Dr. Dewar as mayor, which we have the property of Dr. Dewar as mayor, which we have the property of Dr. Dewar as mayor, which we have the property of Dr. Dewar as mayor, which we have the property of Dr. Dewar as mayor, which we have the property of Dr. Dewar as mayor, which we have the property of Dr. Dewar as mayor, whic Judge Horne announced his decision costs. One case of bribery was proven but neither of the candidates had anything to do with it.

Daniel Brooke, one of Brantford's oldest and most respected citizens, died Wednesday morning. Deceased went to Brantford some 48 years ago and opened a law office, which he had carried on there ever since. He leaves a family of grown-up children.

There is trouble in the Nor'wester newspaper office at Winnipeg. A private sheriff's sale was held on the property for Millar & Richards' claim on Friday afternoon. Several directors now charge that the sale took place without their knowledge, and several of the largest creditors are left out in the

Wm. Smith, aged 22, a Grand Trunk brakeman, met with a serious accident in the west end of the Stuart street yard, Hamilton, on Tuesday. While coupling cars he was knocked down by shunting engine, and a portion of the tender went over the upper part of his body, causing internal injuries in the head and back. His parents live in Oakville.

Peelee Islanders believe there are limitless quantities of oil in the earth beneath the island. It is said the oil oozes out of the ground in many locali-ties, that it is difficult to have a surface well with water fit for household use, as it become so impregnated with The Kingsville Pelee Gas and Oll Company have contracted for the drilling of several oil wells, work to commence May 1.

#### MR. SIFTON EXPLAINS

His Reference to the Action of Orangemen in Haldimdnd. Toronto, Ont., April 24.-An enthusi-

astic gathering of 3,000 people was held in Massey Music Hall this evening, the occasion being a public reception tendecasion being a public reception tendered Hon. Clifford Sifton, Attorney-General of Manitoba. The chair was taken by Rev. Chancellor Burwash. Mr. Sifton, in reply to the address presented to him, explained that he had intended in his reference the other day to the part played by Orangemen in the Haldimand election to say that the Orangemen had all supported the Government. What he had said was that many of them had not kept their promise of voting for McCarthy.

Mi. Sifton then gave a history of the school question from the Manitoba stand point, and once more plainly stated that Manitoba would not accept a remedial order, and that the Dominion would have to use coercion if it attempted to re-establish separate schools in that Province.

Mr. Dalton McCarthy said he was there because he wanted to show he was not downhearted because of the Haldimand defeat, and did not intend, as suggested by the paid newspaper press of Toronto, to abandon his position.

#### WORK AND WAGES.

The Detroit Railway Has a Strike on Its Hands. Detroit, April 24.—The Detroit Railway has a full-fledged strike on its hands today,

which threatens to assume serious propor This morning about 80 employes, who were engaged in excavating for the new power house at the foot of Riopelle street, refused to proceed with the work unless their wages were raised from \$1 25 to \$1 50

per day. The Citizen's Company, who are building a power house in close proximity, are paying laborers \$1 50 per day, and the unfavor able comparison caused the dissatisfaction. As soon as the strike occurred the manager ordered the men paid off. The strikers refused to allow a couple of dozen who were willing to go ahead to resume work.

Toronto, April 24.—At the meetings of the Bricklayers' Union and the Builders' Laborers' Union last evening the question was discussed what action should be taken them in consequence of the fact that agreement with the employers, by which the bricklayers have been paid 36 cents per hour, and the builders' laborers 21 cents an hour during the past five years, expires on May 1. The employers refuse to renew the old agreement on the old terms, and the men are desirous that some understanding should be arrived at at once. The discussion at both meetings was quite lengthy, but nothing definite was arrived at.

BUCHANAN'S HOPE. Sing Sing, N. Y., April 24.-Dr. Buchanan told his wife last night that he did not expect to be executed next week, and he still had strong hopes of

escaping the death penalty.

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We will have a very choice collection of plants and cut flowers that will be nice for Friendless Children at Chestnut Ridge was destroyed by fire last night. No lives were lost, Building and contents insured for \$30.000, but loss exceeded that sum by several thousand. The home was conducted by an Episcopal fraternity known as the Brothers of Nazareth.