

IN BRITISH SPECTACLES

America is Not to be Congratulated in Her Choice of McKinley as a Candidate.

Republican Victory Means an Era of Exclusive Tariffs, Powerful Monopolies.

Platonic Gold Plank and Barricade Protection are Impossible Together.

London, June 18.—Nearly all the morning papers comment upon the results of the St. Louis convention yesterday.

The Chronicle says: "Yesterday's ballots show a high tariff and sound money to be the watchword of the Republican party."

The Graphic says: "Mr. McKinley will have his hands full if he conscientiously tries to realize the platform adopted in favor of gold side by side with a solemn profession of ultra protectionism."

The Times says: "Mr. McKinley won the first heat in the presidential race hands down, but the battle is not finally won."

The financial article in the Times says: "Speculators in the American railroad market yesterday were disappointed."

The Standard says: "The important fact is, not Mr. McKinley's nomination, which was generally anticipated, but that he was compelled to stand on a gold platform."

The Standard says: "Mr. McKinley's victory was a triumph of wire-pulling. McKinley has no fixed opinions on any political question under the sun that we can discover except protection."

Mr. McKinley's victory over his rivals, the Standard continues, was a victory of a commonplace, well-organized, but not distinguished man in any sense, or learned or wise, but who made himself popular as governor of Ohio and knows how to manage a political machine.

The gold standard platonic affirmation and protectionism of the barricade order are impossible together on the same programme.

A WAR CLOUD DISPELLED. The Latest Venezuelan Scare Only a Very Trivial Matter After All.

London, June 19.—The Daily News this morning claims to have authority for stating in connection with the latest reports regarding the trouble over the Venezuelan-Guiana boundary dispute, that the Venezuelan troops were near the junction of Acahuast Creek with the Cuyuni river.

DEPENDENT UPON B. C.

Tupperites Look for the "Solid Six" to Avert a Complete Waterloo on Tuesday.

But British Columbia Will Disappoint Her Badly by Breaking Her Bonds.

Victoria Post Office Clerks' Particular Friend Secures a Constituency.

Ottawa, June 20.—Reports received here from all over the Dominion go to show that the government will be badly defeated.

In Toronto, last night, although the crowd was admitted to Massey hall by ticket, they refused to listen to Sir Charles.

Mr. McVeity gave the name of Mr. Stewart, government contractor, a well known supporter of Tupper, and now actively engaged in this campaign.

The government are hurrying up the Goodwin case so that a judgment favorable to Goodwin may be reached to-night in the exchequer court.

Montreal, June 20.—Sir A. P. Caron is now the Conservative candidate for the county of St. Maurice, Desaulniers, the second Conservative nominated, having been appointed clerk of the legislative assembly of Quebec.

The clerk of the crown in chancery has received returns to three of the writs for the general election.

The imports and exports for May show an increase over those for May, 1895. In eleven months of the current fiscal year the exports increased six millions and the imports increased six and a quarter.

Winnipeg, June 20.—A very large amount of money is being wagered on the contest between Macdonald and Laurier. Yesterday one man took no less than \$2,100 over his counter, he being stakeholder for a number of betters, each of whom wagered anything from \$500 downward at even money.

If you are tired taking the large, old-fashioned, gripping pills, try Carter's Little Liver Pills and take some comfort.

Mr. H. S. Law, having decided to give up his business in Wellington, has purchased the stock of G. A. Huff, merchant, Alberni.

POLITICAL BISHOPS

Francis Episcopal Effort to Help the Tupper Family Back to Power.

Clergy are Instructed to Read the Mandement and Comment on it Strongly.

The Church Deliberately Lowered to the Level of a Political Instrument.

Ottawa, June 19.—Archbishop Duhamel has issued a circular letter to all clergy in his diocese asking them to again read the mandement on Sunday next.

It is understood that the bishops elsewhere in Quebec and Ottawa diocese will do the same thing. It has been discovered that the reading of the mandement on the 17th of May last, without comment, had not the desired effect.

The lines on which their comment is to be made are laid down by his grace. He says that after reading all the mandement they are to read the printed leaflet which sets forth the right of bishops to instruct their clergy on matters of a religious character.

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BRIGHTEST PROSPECTS

Evidences of a Sweeping Victory for Liberalism, Liberty and Laurier.

Canada Awakening to a Sense of Her Degradation Under Tupper Family Rule.

Marvellous Enthusiasm for Laurier—Careful Forecast of the Situation.

Toronto, June 20.—Day by day the prospects of an overwhelming Liberal victory in Ontario grow brighter.

All over the country the Liberal meetings are crowded to overflowing and the enthusiasm unprecedented in any election since confederation.

In Western Ontario the Government will scarcely carry a seat, with, perhaps, the exception of Hamilton and of East Middlesex.

Private advices from Quebec are to the effect that there is marvellous enthusiasm for Laurier all over the province, and that no power can prevent him from carrying Quebec by at least 12 or 15 of a majority.

Reports from Nova Scotia give the Liberals eleven seats, Conservatives six, and three doubtful.

Advices from Prince Edward Island are that the Liberals will carry every seat.

In New Brunswick at least six seats are conceded to Laurier. Everywhere the sweep of victory is with Laurier and Mowat. Never before have the Liberals thrown such energy into the fight.

The tragic occurrence caused a painful sensation throughout the city, where it was more generally known than in the meeting, as the news of Mr. Robinson's death was kept from Sir Charles till he had concluded his speech.

As a party the Liberals were never so thoroughly united as they are at present. The McCarthys and the Pattons are working hand in hand with the Liberals to overthrow the Tupper government.

The action of some of the Quebec bishops and their clergy in their relentless hostility to Mr. Laurier and the cause of Liberalism in general is having the opposite effect of what was intended.

Winnipeg, June 20.—Hugh John Macdonald will be snuffed under. A thousand Conservatives in Winnipeg will vote to abolish Tupperism.

If you once try Carter's Little Liver Pills for sick headache, biliousness or constipation, you will never be without them.

Mothers will find Chamberlain's Cough Remedy especially valuable for croup and whooping cough.

Admitted at the World's Fair. AYER'S PILLS make the Bowels.

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CANNERS ALARMED.

Sir Charles Tupper's Reply to Mr. Mc Bride Affects Them.

The following telegrams have been made public in New Westminster.

New Westminster, June 17. To Sir Charles Tupper, Ottawa: British Columbia canners putting fish traps in American waters and bring salmon into British Columbia. Will you favor protection to British Columbia fishermen?

(Signed) RICHARD McBRIDE. Coburg, Ont., June 18. To Richard McBride, New Westminster, B. C.: Yes, I favor protection to our fishermen. (Signed) CHARLES TUPPER. The Victoria canners who have put in the traps are somewhat alarmed over this correspondence, as it may mean heavy loss to them. Several canners here are interested.

TEN THOUSAND DROWNED. In the Great Tidal Wave off Japan a Few Days Since.

Yokohama, June 19.—It is now estimated that ten thousand persons were drowned by the tidal wave on the island of Yesso, in the northern part of Japan, which was accompanied by a succession of frightful earthquakes, lasting about twenty hours.

WALLING WILL SWING, TOO. With Scott Jackson for Pearl Bryan's Cowardly Murder.

Newport, Ky., June 19.—The trial of Alonzo M. Walling, jointly indicted with Scott Jackson for the murder of Pearl Bryan on January 31st, ended today with a conviction, the penalty being fixed at death.

TURKISH TROOPS MASSACRED. A Revolt Near Damascus and Its Frightful Results.

Constantinople, June 20.—Advices received from Damascus say Druses have revolted and have annihilated four companies of Turkish troops.

American News. Rochester, N. Y., June 19.—Alex. McDonnell, holder of the American road records for five, ten, fifteen, twenty, twenty-five, fifty and one hundred miles, will go to Australia to race for the records of that country.

MATABILES ARE UNEASY. The Latest Uprising Very Serious—The Drummond Castle.

Cape Town, June 20.—Despatches received here from Bulawayo show that the revolt of natives in the Umfolozi district of Matabeleland is of a most serious nature.

London, June 20.—A long interview is published here with Marquardt, the only surviving passenger of the steamship Drummond Castle, wrecked off Lisbon during the night of Tuesday last.

Paris, June 20.—Mme. Demores has no confirmation of the reported massacre of the Marquis de Mores and party near Gadames, in the Desert of Sahara.

—Wm. J. Clarke, the well-known dairyman of Richmond road was gored about the back and chest by a vicious bull early this morning.

J. W. and W. H. Mellor were passengers from the Mallard last evening.

Advertisement for Ayer's Sarsaparilla, featuring a portrait of a man and text describing the medicine's benefits for various ailments.

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