

THE TORONTO WORLD.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, JULY 2, 1884.

LOCAL NEWS PARAPHRASED.

The old windmill continues to grind.

A large number of drunks were run in by the police yesterday.

The King street arch is finished at last.

Last night it was illuminated with Chinese lanterns.

The "heaver" in the sea lion pond at the Zoo has commenced to build his winter quarters.

For the rest of this week fireworks will be set off from the crown of the King street arch each night at 10 o'clock.

A beautiful view of the bombardment and fireworks can be had from the balcony of Mackie's (Hawthorn) hotel on the Island.

Drummer Myers of the Queen's Own band fainted on Terrace street from the effects of the heat and the length of the march.

The police yesterday in several cases endeavored to take callopes, which resemble a constable's whistle, from visiting bicyclists.

A little girl was knocked down by a horse ridden by a cavalry officer on Church street yesterday forenoon. She was very badly hurt.

The electric lights on Queen street west from Brock street to Niagara will be lit tomorrow night from a new 60 light dynamo which the Canada company have set up.

A woman named Elizabeth Cochran announced herself throwing stones at her husband in Agnes street last night. For her diversion she was locked up in the Agnes street station.

A disorderly house kept by Sarah Brown at 11 Agnes street was pulled yesterday afternoon, and the keeper and Elizabeth Shiely, an inmate, were arrested.

James Englehart of 70 Adelaide street west was arrested by Inspector Johnston at King and York street yesterday morning. He assaulted an old man named William Dillon.

The island boats were crowded yesterday. Mackie's hotel was the principal resort. A vocal and instrumental concert from the balcony was one of the principal attractions. Thousands of our country visitors inspected the Hanlan trophies.

The "Bon" Marche has chartered the steamer Mazouza, and will tender its patrons and employes a complimentary excursion a week from to-night. Boat leaves foot of Church street. Six hundred tickets will be issued.

A woman who lives with a Chinaman named Sam Kee at 20 Queen street east got drunk yesterday afternoon and proceeded to make things lively. Sam called a policeman but no arrests were made.

The annual convocation of Trinity university will take place on Thursday next at 4 p.m. The result of the examinations in arts and matriculation, at which several women presented themselves, will not be known until Wednesday.

Arrangements have been made by Ald. Farley, chairman of the fire and gas committee, and Chief Arisag that the fire brigade should parade again to-day with the trades and labor organizations for the benefit of those visitors who were not in the city on Monday.

Last of the June Jokers.

"Her breast is like the spicy gale," warbles a love-sick bard. He must have been mistaken. It was the fellow's breath with her.

The giraffe has a tongue seventeen inches long—that is the male giraffe has. What must be the length of the tongue of the lady giraffe?

For Gloves and Hosiery go to the Bon Marche.

A young man earnestly enquires how success is attained. Our opinion is that perhaps the best way to attain success is to marry a rich wife.

While it is better to be born lucky than rich it is better to marry a poor girl with a sweet temper than a rich girl with a red-headed one.

Strangers visiting the city should not fail to take a walk through the Bon Marche.

Bjornstjerne Bjornsen has taken the editorship of an Icelandic monthly to be published at Copenhagen. The name of the monthly is not announced, but it will probably be Sjeanidjilnavian.

Gilmore, the famous band leader, has been introduced to the musical world into his Coney Island orchestra. He calls them the autoharp and the euphon-trombone. It is not known, however, whom Mr. Gilmore has a grudge against.

See the elegant Black Dress Silks that the Bon Marche are offering at Eighty cents, regular prices in many of the examinations \$1.40. Send for samples. No trouble to show goods. Farley & Co., 7 and 9 King street east.

At a party a few evenings ago, when the ladies and gentlemen were telling what they would like best, one young lady remarked that she would prefer being an opportunity, she was asked "Why?" by many, and naively replied, "Because the young men are so fond of embracing an opportunity."

The hot days have never yet been invented which would deter a woman from mounting a new silk dress. The air may be hot and crackle with the heat, but she will calmly and smilingly carry around with her a load of costly dry goods if only they are more stylish than those of her neighbors.

To-night come and take a walk through the Bon Marche by the electric light. Obliging clerks and sale ladies to conduct you through. No trouble to show goods. Everything marked in plain figures. The red mark is the Bon Marche's price.

"Shall I sing When the Robins Nest Again, darling?" she asked with a sweet smile as she moved towards the piano. "Yes, love," he replied; then after a moment's pause he added: "Allow me to call your attention to the fact that the robins nest again till next year. She did not sing and he doesn't go there any more. All kindred troubles. Also for rheumatism, neuralgia, paralysis, and many other diseases. Complete restoration to health, vigor and strength guaranteed. No risk incurred as thirty days trial is allowed. Write to us at once for illustrated pamphlet free.

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Supernumeration of Teachers Again.

To the Editor of The World.

Sir: I would like to ask through the medium of your independent columns what our new school authorities intend doing regarding the supernumeration fund of teachers.

It is about time, in the opinion of many, that this huge swindling dodge was done away with.

Are teachers of such an improvident, benighted class that means must be taken to keep them from starving in their old age? And for fear he might forget to subscribe to the fund, the amount is gracefully kept back out of his hard-earned wages, without a single "with your leave."

They take good care that the heathenish donation called the government grant is paid to the teacher, and whenever this interesting performance takes place he has it dined in his ears again about that everlasting "two dollars to be kept back."

This \$4 fund the teacher made to pay every year, and after a time, if he gets disgusted with the business, which he usually does, and quits the profession, he is informed that an "acc't" framed, mortgaged and erected for the purpose permits his receiving back one-half of the amount paid in. That is, he gets what is left of the other half, after writing the education office and waiting and writing some more, then waiting a couple of months longer his proposal is taken notice of. Then after passing through the circumlocution office, one worse than even Dickens dreamed of, he is informed that amount is made payable to his order.

The true inwardness of all this measly business is hard to get at. The principles of the thing seem to be generally misunderstood except by a few clerks who get more of it no doubt than ever comes to the teacher.

And yet some of the older teachers, who expect to draw from the pockets of their brethren soon, have had the check-book in some association of teachers lately to express their "disapproval" of any money being returned to any teacher quitting the profession before twenty-five years' age.

The old fogies want the whole hog or nose, you see.

Surely a young man who fits himself for teaching owes the profession nothing, and it is nobody's business how soon he gets out. In place of getting but one-half of the amount he is swindled out of, or one at all as the £ want, he should receive the whole amount with compound interest.

A man who will stand this sort of thing twenty-five years deserves to starve. In the meantime if a teacher applies for his money to the authorities why do they not give it to him immediately, and not keep him waiting two or three months? It seems that there is some hogwash which characterized the thing in the beginning, and the same amount of grasping all and keeping all, too, if they can.

WELLINGTON.

National Bank Notes.

From the Hamilton Spectator.

The present time may not be inopportune for discussion of the currency question.

A while ago the Exchange bank came to grief. Its notes have been or will be redeemed at par; but noteholders have been put to a good deal of inconvenience, have felt a good deal of anxiety, and some of them have submitted to some loss.

We have not the slightest doubt that the Federal bank is solvent, and that not only noteholders but depositors will receive every dollar due them. But already noteholders have become anxious. Some of them, we know, have been put to inconvenience, and possibly sharp business men will take advantage of the ignorant and the timid to charge them a per centage for taking Federal bills off their hands.

As it has been in the past so will it be in the future: no private corporation can invest its paper with absolute security; and so long as banks or other corporations are permitted to issue currency, so long will the public periodically suffer anxiety, inconvenience and loss.

If the government were to issue all paper money, the first thing would be to invest the currency of the country with absolute security. The man who takes a dominion note has no anxiety about it. He knows that it is worth its face anywhere within the dominion. If it were possible that any business man should refuse to take it, he knows that he can get a gold dollar for it. A great gain would be secured if all the paper money of the dominion were raised to this level.

Another great gain would be in interest. The notes issued, less the gold deposit, would be practically loaned to the public bearing no interest. This would reduce the interest account by a million or a million and a half yearly.

The Square yard embroidery worth \$4 a yd for \$3 at the Bon Marche.

There is a great deception in the manufacture of upholstered goods for purchasers should be careful and buy from a reliable house. T. F. Cummings & Co., 349 Yonge street, are manufacturing none but first-class work; the prices are very reasonable for the inducements they offer. We would recommend our readers to give them a call.

A Big Lead to Take.

From the Berlin Daily News.

The editor almost had his breath taken away this morning.

Some Styles in Hair-Dressing.

From the Hour.

A competitive exhibition of hair-dressing was recently given in London. From the names of the competitors and their own coiffure and general bearing, it could be seen to be Frenchmen, or of French extraction. As an illustration of their skill some live models were employed, whose hair was well adapted to the needs of the occasion—neither too thick nor too thin. The former disability is oftentimes an inconvenient, and more so than the latter. The "prix d'honneur" was accorded to a close, flat arrangement of the hair, more nearly resembling a powdered Pompadour wig than a modern style of dressing. A low fringe of tendrils shaded the brow, and then tier above tier of crisp, short curls ascended to the apex of the head, where an aigrette placed at the back displayed its light tuft amongst the colors in front. The hair was drawn up from the nape of the neck to the crown of the head, simply, and without ornament, save a few little curls which clustered around the nape, the rapidity with which this feat of hair-dressing was accomplished was doubtless one of the chief causes of the honor bestowed on the performer by a crowd of silent and admiring colleagues, as the complications of coiffure are not so great in this as in many other cases.

A Great Picnic for the Boys.

The new baseball straw hat, a great novelty for boys—it is very pretty and durable. A baseball with each hat, price 75c, for sale at Dismen's hat store, corner King and Yonge streets.

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AMERICAN EXPLORATION.

Argument in Favor of English Prosecution of the Work.

From the London Spectator.

Why do Europeans, and especially we English, who spend so much time in ransacking the history of the past, do so little toward the investigation of the early history of America? That work has hardly begun; it is, as M. Reville has pointed out, of extreme interest, not only to the historian and antiquarian, but to the thinker; and yet we do nothing to advance it. We explore Palestine foot by foot, chiefly to discover perfectly useless evidence that the historical portions of the bible are substantially true—as if anybody would have invented the cave of Machpelah; we are deeply and wisely interested in M. Marrett's researches in Egypt; we explore, after some kind of fashion, the antiquities of India, forgetting in every new decade what we learned in the previous one; and we have measured the clam-mounds in Australia, to see how long fish-eating Aborigines have lived on her coast. But we like our, or Mida, or the old capital of Cambodia, dead, but we do not discover the Indian city with its still unbroken native civilization of which so many legends tell, and which may yet be found, not indeed alive—that seems impossible, though the exploration of many Spanish-American states has been most imperfect—Mitha, with its monolithic halls, the photographs of which look as old as Stonehenge, is really 3000 years old, or only about 300.

Why the Old Man Weeps.

They sit no more in the parlor, where they used to sit, and talk in the twilight. As they swing on the old front gate, and the old man weeps, but his bitter tears bring never balm to his soul! It will not last much longer, he fears. That it will last much longer, he fears.

—Eugene Field.

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