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EUROPE'S MAY-DAY.

Dynamite Was Not Queen of the May Sunday.

THE OMINOUS CLOUD AVERTED

Terrorism and Outrage Generally Absent.

BUT THE INCENDIARY'S TORCH FLARES

And the Bomb Blossoms with Its Flaming Fuse.

In France and Belgium the Sinister Disciples of Bakounin Make Their Presence Known and Metamorphose the Joyous Festival into a Day of Terror and Outrage—In London's Hyde Park the Labor Masses Go a-Maying in the Good Old Style of Henry VIII. With Flowers and Multi-Colored Bunting, and the Attempts of Anarchists to Inflame the Passions of the People Fall Flat — Little Trouble in Italy, Spain, Austria or Germany.

LONDON, May 1.—The expected and long prepared for labor demonstrations were held to-day in most of the large cities of the continent and the various manufacturing and mining districts. In many places the authorities had forbidden the holding of processions, and the workingmen observed the holiday by taking their families to suburban resorts or passing the day in a quiet manner. Thus far the advices received here show that in most places the day passed harmlessly if not quietly.

There were assemblies of workmen where speeches of a somewhat inflammatory character were made, but the police were generally on the alert and good order, if it was not absolutely preserved, was very easily restored when breaches of the peace occurred.

IN FRANCE.

Little Disorder and No Outrages of Any Account.

PARIS, May 1.—May-day was ushered in with the police on the qui vive and the strongly reinforced garrison of Paris ready for instant service. At 6 o'clock this morning the city wore its usual aspect and the police expected the day to pass quietly, except for scuffles.

Hitherto on May-day it has been customary for the workingmen to march to the Chamber of Deputies and present petitions. Delegates were also sent to the Hotel de Ville for the same purpose.

This year, however, the day falling on Sunday, the workingmen were debarred from following the usual custom.

A prominent feature of the election parade by the Socialists at the municipal elections throughout France to-day was the Socialist election program, and the addresses to workingmen, which were printed on red paper and carried conspicuously in the procession.

This program embraced these demands:

1. Establishment of school canteens at which children may obtain, at reduced cost, meat lunches between morning and afternoon classes.
2. Establishment of maternity hospitals and asylums for aged persons and invalid workingmen.
3. Eight hours in public contracts.
4. Labor exchange.
5. Suppression of taxes on articles of food.
6. Exemption from personal taxes for all citizens paying small house rents and heavier taxes for those paying higher rates. Proper sanitation and repairs of tenements.
7. The placing of the unemployed by municipalities.
8. Establishment of a gratuitous medical service and pharmacies with reduced prices.
9. Free public baths and lavatories.
10. Sanitariums for children of laborers at the expense of the commune.
11. Legal advice free of cost in the actions in which laboring men are interested.
12. Remuneration of municipal office holders cut down to the maximum pay of laboring men, so that the latter may not be excluded in future from the administration of the commune.
13. Workingmen acting as arbitrators between employer and employed to be paid.
14. Publication of a bulletin of the decisions rendered by the council.

The grand circus at Troyes was set on fire to-day, presumably by Anarchists, and burned to the ground. While the fire was burning a loud explosion was heard in the interior of the circus.

Reports From the Provinces Reassuring.

Reports from the Provinces are reassuring. At Fourmies, where the bloody riot of last year took place, the Socialists held a monster meeting, but everything was comparatively quiet.

At Tours early this morning a bomb exploded near the Guise Barracks. The noise was terrific, and for a time it was thought that Anarchists had attempted to blow up the national powder works.

Soldiers from the barracks at once ran to the spot and found a man lying senseless in a pool of blood. One of his hands had been blown off and he was otherwise injured. He was the victim of his own crime. He was taken to a hospital under arrest and at last reports had not regained consciousness.

Paris has been perfectly quiet. The streets did not even present the bustle that is usual on a Sunday. Many persons fearing conflicts between the police and workingmen passed the day at home. There is no display of police or soldierly, but everyone knew that the authorities were ready to put down, with a strong hand, any attempt at disorder that might arise.

A Riot at Marseilles.

MARSEILLES, May 1.—A meeting held in the outskirts of this city to-day led to a riot in which there was a free exchange of blows. The police dispersed the meeting and arrested some of the rioters.

Later detachments of cavalry cleared the crowded streets of the people.

IN ENGLAND.

Hyde Park Witnesses the Largest Gathering of Workingmen in Its History.

LONDON, May 1.—May-day was observed here in a very quiet manner.

A large procession formed on the Thames embankment and marched to Hyde Park, where monster meetings were held. A large number of speakers addressed the crowd, including Cunningham Grahame, the Socialist member of the House of Commons; Tom Mann, and Ben Tillott, the labor leaders, and Stepniak, the Russian Nihilist.

Resolutions were adopted declaring in favor of an eight-hour day and calling upon parliament to pass an eight-hour bill.

The meeting was the largest demonstration of workingmen ever held in this city. The workingmen began to assemble on the Thames embankment at 10 o'clock in the morning. Each contingent was headed by a band of music, and every band of paraders carried banners, while the men themselves were bedecked with rosets and flowers.

Altogether the procession made a bright spectacle, and the applause was frequent as the men marched along in perfect order and with almost military precision.

The procession occupied nearly three hours in entering Hyde Park. The number of persons who took part is variously estimated at from 300,000 to 500,000. A large force of mounted and foot police and a contingent of the St. John's Ambulance Association were present. The assemblage dispersed quietly.

The Woman's Trades Union passed a resolution in favor of co-operation to secure fewer working hours.

The Anarchists had an improvised platform in Hyde Park, from which Louise Michel and others spoke, but they failed to attract much attention.

May-day meetings were held in most of the principal towns of the Continent and were largely attended. Some violent Anarchist speeches were made, but there was no real disorder.

The Only Lawlessness.

A black bag was found to-day in a secluded street beside the Woolwich Arsenal. It contained a quantity of gun cotton, dynamite and gunpowder and some documents.

IN BELGIUM, THE HOTBED.

Attempt to Blow Up the Foreign Office—Many Outrages.

BRUSSELS, May 1.—A tin cylinder with a fuse attached was found between the colonnades of the Foreign office to-night. This discovery created great alarm, which was intensified by news from Liege, where two dynamite cartridges were exploded this evening, one in the residence of Senator Deslys and the other in the residence of his son.

These explosions caused serious damage to property.

Enormous crowds collected at the scenes of the explosions.

Later another explosion occurred in the choir of St. Martin's Church, by which stained windows valued at $20,000 were shattered into fragments. A fourth cartridge with a spent fuse was discovered later. A feeling of panic prevails there.

Reports from all other parts of Belgium speak of labor parades and meetings as remarkable for the display of the greatest good humor.

IN ITALY.

The Day Will Be Memorable for Its Peaceful Character.

ROME, May 1.—As a result of police precautions the May-day celebrations have passed without trouble of any kind. Similar precautions were taken in all the large cities and towns, and despatches from all parts of the country show that the day will be memorable for its peaceful character. Not a single act of rioting has been reported and none is anticipated.

During the evening a bomb was thrown into a casino in Sinigaglia. The missile exploded with great force. The windows of the building and all the furniture in the casino were demolished. Several arrests have been made.

IN GERMANY.

Cold and Rain Dampen the Ardor of the Throng.

BERLIN, May 1.—The day was ushered in with cold weather and rain. A number of excursions left the city, but they were sparsely attended.

A large number of Socialists attended the meetings arranged by the leaders, but there was no disorder.

Furs in the Fan Season.

"Do people wear fur in summer?"

A World reporter tried to solve this conundrum after reading W. & D. Dineen's fur advertisement the other day.

"There are frequent occasions during the summer when ladies wear them with comfort," explained the manager of the fur department at Dineens'. "Evening trips on the lake, for instance, bring the sealskin jacket or shoulder cape into grateful requisition, and there are cool days and cool nights enough through the season to suggest furs quite often.

"But our trade in sealskin garment sat this time and through the summer is not due so much to these things as it is to our present low prices. We have a number of sealskin jackets and capes that were made last winter which we are anxious to clear out at the actual cost of the material and the bare cost of manufacture. People will buy seal garments anytime if the prices are low enough to be a real inducement, and the ladies who can be suited with the sizes of the made-up seal jackets and capes that we have left over will be sure to regard these as exceptional bargains.

"We also intend to keep our fur tailoring staff busy all through the summer," added the manager at Dineens', "and we have made the prices for ordered furs so extremely low that our patrons will recognize a specialadvantage for giving their orders for sealskin garments now. We have about $20,000 invested in new sealskins that were bought at a much lower price than furriers will be able to do again for some time. The close season which has gone into effect in Alaska seal fields, where the finest skins are taken, will advance prices for next winter higher than they have been in many years."

People who are posted will consider these facts and when they happen to be in the vicinity of the store, corner King and Yonge streets, they would find it quite profitable to get posted on Dineen's current low cash prices for the finest furs.

The zero prices at Dineens' make furs popular no matter how hot the weather may be.

The Cream of The Havana Crop.

We beg to notify the trade, and more particularly those customers whom we have kept waiting for several months for our La Cadena and La Flora brands of cigars (owing to the Havana crops not having been at that time in fit condition to use), that we are now commencing to manufacture the above mentioned brands, our buyers, who has just returned from Havana, having purchased several lots of Tobacco, which were picked from the cream of the crops regardless of price. We make no idle boast when we state that our clear Havana cigars are equal in every respect to the highest class of imported Havana cigars and at much less figures. We wish particularly to impress upon smokers the fact that these brands are not made in competition with the great majority of rank, cheap Havana cigars that are offered to the public as fine goods. S. DAVIS & SONS, Montreal. 136

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St. Matthew's Ward, East York. Maclean meeting at Dingman's Hall to-night.

Symbols of Freshness and Brightness.

Although the spring zephyrs blow coldly, the voices of the vernal season speak plainly in the fresh light-colored neckwear that is now being worn. We are prepared to believe that a display like quinn's at fifty cents each cannot be found in America today. These ties are dreams of delight and beauty.

"Nada the Lily" is the title of Rider Haggard's latest and best story. It is issued to-day.

Old Chum Plug.

There is no "Surprise Party" in this brand of tobacco. The Filler is as good as the wrapper, and the quality unequalled by any other brand in the market. D. Ritchie & Co., Montreal. 136

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MR. MACLEAN'S PLATFORM

OPENING OF THE EAST YORK CAMPAIGN ON SATURDAY.

Enthusiastic Meeting in St. Paul's Hall—Speeches by Mr. Humberstone, Mr. Sheppard, Dr. Nesbitt, Mr. Laidlaw and the Candidate—The Meeting Gave Forth No Uncertain Sound.

The Conservative campaign in East York opened on Saturday night with an enthusiastic meeting in St. Paul's Hall, when the candidate, Mr. W. F. Maclean, placed his platform before the electors with their hearty approval, if the applause excited is any criterion.

The rostrum contained a good array of speaking talent. Among those present were Messrs. W. Laidlaw, Q.C., E. E. Sheppard, Dr. W.B. Nesbitt, E.E. Smallpeice, J.P. Murray, George Severn, John Schone and Edward Meek.

Mr. Thomas Humberstone, Reeve of York, was in the chair, and after a few introductory remarks called on Mr. Emerson Coatsworth, M.P., who straightway addressed himself to the task of dissecting the opposite party—a task in which his practical knowledge of proceedings at Ottawa stood him in good stead. He began by showing the soundness, loyalty and unity of the Conservative policy, and then passed in scathing review the unsound policy, the tendency to disloyalty and the lack of union of the Liberals. In the House of Commons they have practically three or four leaders and resort to obstruction tactics. Their trade policy is a theoretical one, looking very fine on paper, but proving impracticable; while the Conservatives have a practical policy, which has at its back the merchant, the farmer and the workingman, the whole country in short.

Then Mr. Coatsworth turned to the practical aspects of the election, and exhorted his hearers to work for the Conservative candidate. [Applause.] The electors must show their disapproval of unrestricted reciprocity. [Applause.] Take up the work with a will, and the polling day will see Mr. Maclean the member. [Applause.]

The coming member was then introduced, and was received with hearty cheers, which were often repeated in the course of his address.

The Candidate's Speech.

Mr. W. F. Maclean explained that it had not been intended to open the campaign till Monday night, and only on Friday had it been decided that that meeting should be held. Consequently it had not been advertised as it ought to have been.

At the last Dominion election he had only lost by 26 votes, and considering the opponent by whom he was defeated and the circumstances under which he ran, he had good reason to believe that in the coming contest he would be successful. There had been a change in the Conservative party since a year ago. The venerable leader had gone, but his place had been taken by one just as astute and just as popular.

The trade policy of the Reform party had ended in failure and now they were resorting to scandal, but anyone who took the trouble to follow the matter in the newspapers would know with how little success.

The speaker then went on briefly and concisely to enunciate his platform. It was indeed a popular platform, for as each plank was mentioned the speaker was forced to pause till the applause had ceased.

He believed in strengthening the N.P. That it was which had made Toronto a great city and York and Scarboro prosperous townships by reason of a first-class home market. This country must have an iron industry. The vast mines of this mineral in each of the provinces lay awaiting the time when capital and industry would come to bring it into use and to make this Canada of ours rich and prosperous. But this great industry could not be expected to burst forth spontaneously. It had to be encouraged. The great republic to the south had proved this. Nothing but a high protective tariff had made their iron industry what it was.

This country needed also a railway commission—one above the exigencies of party—to which could be referred all those great vexed questions which had existed so long between the different railways. Such commissions were found to be of great use both in England and the States.

He would encourage settlement of the Northwest. The C.P.R. must be assisted in getting a population into those rich prairie provinces. Probably nothing would tend more to make Canada a place among the nations than a speedy settlement of the Northwest.

A fast Atlantic service was also in his platform. The Americans talked of shutting us out from their ports; the best policy for Canada would be to compel them to use ours by instituting a four days' service between here and Europe. In that way New York and Boston would have to use Canadian ports.

He would like much to see a Canadian agent at Washington. Sir Charles Tupper at present represented us in England, and there was no doubt that Canadian interests could well be served by a Washington agent also.

There must be an extension of Canadian trade with those countries whose products differ from Canada's, especially the West Indies and South America. The United States had taught us the desirability of doing this by doing the same thing already.

Mr. Maclean promised that during the course of the campaign he would have some of the Ministers down from Ottawa to give a reason for their existence, which he was sure they would be most successful in doing.

Mr. Maclean wound up by saying that according to the Reform party Canada had no future but what was conditioned "by the continent to which we belong." On the contrary he contended that the continent belonged to us and that we would make its destiny and that it would be Canadian, and that the Conservative party having taken this position was the national and patriotic party and ought to be supported.

Edmund Was Popular.

Mr. E. E. Sheppard was introduced next and was met with indubitable marks of the meeting's favor. After a tribute to the late Mr. Mackenzie Mr. Sheppard touched dexterously upon the Liberal lack of a policy; the Tories had for years been trying to teach them one and had failed so far. [Laughter.] The Conservatives have a patriotic policy, and to it is due nearly everything that has been done to better Canada's position. The talk about corruption comes with an ill grace from the party which is manipulating provincial office-holders and drawing away with all its might from the common centre.

Then, after commenting upon the Opposition's obstructionist tactics and maintaining that Canada, as having the shorter line of communication, should have a fast Atlantic steamship line, Mr. Sheppard urged that Mr. Maclean is the proper man for the place as being a man of undoubted ability and indomitable pluck, and as having interests in Toronto such as few men have. [Applause.] He then returned to the question of policy, and dubbing the Liberal policy an "unrestricted rotten policy" showed the barm its adoption would do Toronto. From the standpoint of policies and leaders alike the Conservatives are superior; the Liberals have Mr. Laurier, the poetic dreamer, and Sir Richard Cartwright, the desperate schemer. He wished to see greater patriotism, and therefore wanted to see everybody support Mr. Maclean, not merely by passively voting, but by working heart and soul. They might talk of the voters' lists—but what lists could be worse than the provincial ones? [Great applause.] Then Mr. Sheppard took leave of a well-pleased audience who wanted to hear Mr. Tait in reply; but that warrior saved his fighting for other audiences.

Good Endorsations.

Dr. Nesbitt then appeared and strongly endorsed Mr. Maclean's candidature as a man whose ability and perseverance in the past prove his thorough fitness for the post He wished to see Mr. Maclean elected and wanted every man to turn out and work with a will.

Mr. William Laidlaw, Q.C., then addressed the meeting, commencing with a reminiscence of his last meeting with Sir John A. Macdonald, which aroused much enthusiasm. He then reviewed the history of reciprocity, showing the disposition of the Americans to try to force Canada into annexation, and that the Liberals with their cry for unrestricted reciprocity were truckling to this bullying attitude. But Canada would do no such thing! [Applause.] Since 1867 the Conservative party had been welding together and moulding a great nation, a nation possessing the noble C.P.R., a railway built by Conservatives. [Applause.] What is the fair thing to do in this contest? To those who believed in the National Policy and believed in Canada he would say that the Chieftain who had founded this policy had found the candidate's father his right-hand man. [Applause.] East York, the banner constituency of Ontario, will be honored by having Mr. Maclean as member. [Applause.]

Mr. Laidlaw was the last speaker, and the audience accordingly dispersed with hearty cheers that showed they were thoroughly satisfied with the statements and arguments they had heard.

The Reform Convention.

The delegates appointed at the Liberal meetings in the constituency meet this afternoon at Markham to nominate a candidate. It is generally expected by the Reformers that Ald. Leslie will be unanimously chosen as their standard-bearer.

"SAID CALVES AFORESAID."

The Graceful Curves Were Spoiled and a Lawsuit Resulted.

NEW YORK, May 1.—Annie Kelly, a domestic in the family of Arthur Bender, the publisher of The Maritime Register, of No. 406 East Fifty-first-street, was bitten by a St. Bernard belonging to her employer two months ago. The dog bit out a piece of flesh weighing an eighth of a pound from the graceful curve of that part of her lower extremities which figures in the legal papers as "the said calves aforesaid."

The jury, after careful deliberation, decided the "said calves aforesaid" had sustained $380 worth of injuries, and Mr. Bender will pay up.

SEARS SENT TO JAIL.

A Toronto Young Man Gets Into Trouble in Buffalo.

BUFFALO, May 1.—Harold J. Sears of Toronto was recently divorced from his wife. Since then Mrs. Sears has been running a candy store at 69 Niagara-street. Saturday night Sears climbed the fire escape on the Women's Union building, and got up on the roof. He then crept along the building to his wife's store, got into the place through the hatchway, and was trying to get into his wife's room when Sergeant Ryan of No. 3 station caught him. This morning he was sent to jail for 30 days.

News From Over the Border.

Revolutionist Garza is said to be in Canada.

Another earthquake shock in California. No damage done.

There were 18,628 immigrants landed in New York during the past week, the highest number in one week on record.

During a quarrel in St. Louis over a difference of 5 cents in the price of a shave, William Callahan was fatally shot by Charles Crotzer.

While picnicing on Chickawauga Creek, Chattanooga, Tenn., Saturday, three high school students, each 16 years of age, were accidentally drowned.

Three more bodies have been recovered from the Philadelphia fire ruins. This completes the list of missing members of the "Devil's Auction" Company.

Dwight Carter, instructor of physics at Lehigh University, Bethlehem, Pa., has become insane as the result of being burlesqued by the students.

The Colorado Bar Association has resolved to disbar many lawyers in Denver who make a specialty of obtaining divorces without publicity and in short order.

Hamilton Bee, aged 87, of Dalhonega, Ga., has petitioned for a divorce from his wife Sarah, whose age is 82. He alleges as a reason for his application that Sarah does not love him as she used to do.

Lee Kay, a member of a Chinese firm of importers, with places of business in Hong Kong and New York, has taken out a license to wed Miss Catharine S. Borff, a missionary of Philadelphia.

Saturday's fires: The postoffice block at Orange, N.J., loss $55,000; wholesale houses in Pittsburg, Pa., loss $250,000; five south side residences in Chicago, loss $15,000; cotton sheds at Little Rock, Ark., loss $55,000.

Armed men raided the Nashville, Tenn., jail to obtain possession of Eph Grizzard, a negro ravisher. They attacked the doors with crowbars. Meantime Governor Buchanan had been apprised of what was going on and arrived with a posse. After parleying with the mob a fusilade of bullets was directed into them, two being killed. The mob then dispersed, but later returned with reinforcements, stormed the jail, secured Grizzard and hanged him from Cumberland bridge.

Old Man Boiled Alive.

OTTAWA, May 1.—While an old man named Cailler, living at Greenville Bay, was engaged in boiling sap he accidentally fell into the boiling fluid. Although fearfully burned, he managed to get out and make his way to his home, on reaching which he became unconscious. When his clothes were removed the whole flesh from the neck downwards came off with them, leaving all the bones of the body exposed. The old man lingered in terrible agony for a few hours and then expired.

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Sent to Toronto for Analysis.

BELLEVILLE, May 1.—The Attorney-General has, on affidavit of Mrs. Cronk, Whitfield Cronk and Dr. Curlett, decided to grant an enquiry as to whether the late Jacob Cronk came to his death by foul play.

Detective Greer and a posse of doctors visited the cemetery, where the body of Mr. Cronk was dissected, when the stomach, liver and kidneys were removed and taken to Toronto for analysis.

Madame Vermilyen's Artistic Corsets to order, fitted to the form while you wait. 338 Spadina-avenue.

Finest in the World.

Ivory finished photographs at Herbert E. Simpson's, 143 College-street. Persons desiring to test the superiority of this finish to all others may do so by procuring cards of the same at $1, for a short time only. Telephone 2357. 136

A Well-Deserved Promotion.

Mr. C. V. Ketchum, for sometime past discount clerk at the Bank of Toronto, has been appointed manager of the bank at Gananoque. He is succeeded here by Mr. Begg.

Try the Hub Restaurant; smoking room upstairs.

East York Liberal-Conservative Committee Rooms.

Central—125 Yonge-street Arcade.
St. Paul's Ward—Red Lion Block, 763 Yonge-street.
St. Matthew's Ward—726 Queen-street east. Telephone 2977.

The Election.

The people are not interested half as much in the election as they are in Richardson's black cashmere socks, full fashioned, double heel and toe, 3 pairs for 75c. Acknowledged the finest on earth, also umbrellas and rubber coats. 65 King-street west.

BUT ONE TO TELL THE TALE

LOSS OF A STEAMER EN ROUTE TO AUSTRALIA.

Of All on Board But One Member of the Crew Survives—Continuation of the Deeming Trial—Brigandage in Egypt—Henry Irving Fully Recovered—Two Fashionable Weddings.

LONDON, May 1.—It is reported that the German bark Thalia, which sailed from Hamburg for Adelaide, Australia, has foundered at sea and that every one of the officers and crew with only a single exception perished.

The news of the disaster was learned through the sole survivor of the ill-fated bark, who was landed at Blythe by the vessel which rescued him. No details have been received.

THE DEEMING TRIAL.

General Belief That the Prisoner Will Be Hanged in Australia.

MELBOURNE, May 1.—The Deeming trial was resumed in the Central Criminal Court Saturday. The court room was crowded, the majority of the audience being women. Deeming looked pale and haggard. The keeper of the prisoner says he slept little last night and asked several times if there was any chance that he would be found guilty. He has become exceedingly nervous and is startled by every noise in the jail corridor. In court Deeming tried hard to preserve his usual appearance of indifference, but it is evident that he is losing confidence.

Dr. Rudall, one of the experts appointed to examine Deeming as to his sanity, testified that the prisoner was perfectly sane. He thought that such fits as Deeming had suffered from since his incarceration might be feigned.

The conviction is general here that Deeming would be found guilty even if the prosecution would rest its case now. He will never be taken to England, it is believed, to answer for the Rainhill murders, but will be hanged here.

Brigands in Egypt.

CAIRO, May 1.—During the nights of Wednesday and Thursday a strong band of brigands attacked the Boulat Drakour Railway station, where the line to Upper Egypt begins, with the object of capturing the money in the station.

The arrival of the police defeated the object of the brigands, who, after a determined fight, retreated, leaving one of their party mortally wounded.

Sparks From the Cable.

Lord Randolph Churchill has issued a manifesto in which he sets forth his attitude on the labor question.

Miss Katherine Arnold, daughter of Sir Edwin Arnold, was married in London Saturday to Capt. Earl, surgeon in the British navy.

Wilkinson's lace mills in Beeston, the largest in Nottinghamshire, were burned. The loss is estimated at £100,000, and over 1500 hands are thrown out of employment.

Trinity Church, Chelsea, was the scene Saturday noon of a brilliant wedding. The contracting parties were Viscount Chelsea, eldest son and heir of the Earl of Cadogan, and the Hon. Mildred Sturt, a daughter of Lord Alington.

The Duke of Edinburgh is writing the music of a German opera, the libretto of which is the work of a "Carmen Sylva," Queen Elizabeth of Roumania. The opera will be produced at the Court Theatre at Coburg, on a date yet to be fixed, in the presence of the Grand Duke and Grand Duchess of Saxe-Coburg.

Paderewski, the pianist, will revisit America, and will begin a tour at San Francisco, on Nov. 8. He will give 60 concerts and play 100 compositions.

Henry Irving has entirely recovered the use of his voice, and his visit to the seaside has resulted in a general improvement of his health. To-day he resumes work at the Lyceum Theatre, appearing at a matinee as Cardinal Wolsey in "King Henry VIII."

The backbone of the disastrous strike in Durham has been broken by the action of the miners themselves, who have voted in favor of the resumption of work by all the men who are not connected with pits owned by members of the Mine Owners' Association. Twelve thousand men will thus be enabled to go back to work at once.

The pressure of snow and water in the Puster Valley, Eastern Tyrol, has so loosened the earth on the mountain sides that an enormous landslide is in progress. The land moves slowly in some places, but quickly in others, and falls into the River Drave, which threatens to dam up and cause great damage.

The reduction in the Bank of England rate made during the past week did not affect the money market. While without quotable change discount was easier. The abundance of money made the stock exchange settlement rates very easy. The depressed tone of the market at the beginning of the week greatly improved toward the close.

DROWNED WHILE AT PLAY.

The Raft Upset and Two Little Boys Perished.

SUTTON, Ont., May 1.—A number of boys were playing on a raft Saturday in the river, when the raft upset and Fred Daley, aged 10, and George Deering, aged 8, were drowned. The bodies were recovered.

Mr. Deering had another son killed by a falling tree four months ago.

Compulsory Voting in Quebec.

QUEBEC, May 1.—At the meeting of the Quebec Legislature Saturday, bills were presented and read a first time to prohibit lotteries and to provide for compulsory voting. A resolution of condolence with Her Majesty in the death of the Duke of Clarence was passed and the Legislature adjourned until Monday.

Island News.

Islanders, remember that the cheapest and quickest way to get moved to and from the Island is by employing W. A. Clark, the Island Grocer, who will supply you when you get there with the following goods at city prices: Groceries, bread, milk, ice, vegetables, fresh and salt meats, coal oil, wood, coal, etc., all guaranteed of the best quality. W. A. Clark, 631 Yonge-street. 136

A Quebec Murder.

QUEBEC, May 1.—At Montmorency Saturday night two brothers named Beaudoin undertook to thrash Edward Belanger, when the latter suddenly drew a knife and plunged it into the body of Cleophas Beaudoin, inflicting injuries from which he died in a couple of hours.

St. Matthew's Ward, East York. Maclean meeting at Dingman's Hall to-night.

The great German actor, Herr Possart, writes: "I take pleasure in testifying to the fact that after the use of Tutti Frutti Gum I find my voice much strengthened, and cheerfully recommend it to my professional friends."

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The East York Voters' List may be seen at Maclean's Committee Rooms, Yonge-street Arcade, near Victoria-street.

EAST YORK.

Dates of the Conservative Meetings Throughout the Riding.

MONDAY, MAY 2.

St. Matthew's Ward—In Dingman's Hall corner Queen and Broadview-avenue, at 8 p.m. Speeches by A. F. Campbell, M.P.P., E. F. Clarke, M.P.P., W. F. Maclean and others.

TUESDAY, MAY 3.

Scarboro Township—At the big hall in Malvern at 8 p.m. Speeches by A. F. Campbell, M.P.P., W. F. Maclean and Hon. Mr. Tupper.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 4.

Little York—1 p.m., nomination meeting.
Markham Township and Markham Village—At the Town Hall, Markham, at 8 p.m.

THURSDAY, MAY 5.

Thornhill—Yonge-street at 8 p.m.

FRIDAY, MAY 6.

North Toronto Town—At the Town Hall, Eglinton.

SATURDAY, MAY 7.

East Toronto and Coleman's Corners—Place of meeting later on.

MONDAY, MAY 9.

St. Paul's Ward—In Town Hall at 8 p.m.
St. Matthew's Ward—Dingman's Hall at 8 p.m.

East York—Markham Meetings.

Public meetings in the interest of W. F. Maclean, the Government candidate, will be held in the Township of Markham as follows:

Markham Village—At the Town Hall, Wednesday, May 4.

Thornhill—At the Town Hall, Thursday, May 5.

Unionville—At Webber's Hall, Thursday, May 5.

Richmond Hill—At Town Hall, Friday, May 6.

Brown's Corners—At Orange Hall, Friday, May 6.

Stouffville—At the Town Hall, Saturday, May 7.

Victoria-square—At the Schoolhouse, Saturday, May 7.

These meetings will be addressed by two or more of the following speakers:

James S. Fullerton, Q.C., William Laidlaw, Q.C., Charles H. Ritchie, Q.C., E. King Dodds, A. F. Campbell, M.L.A., William Smith, M.P., David Henderson, M.P., George Taylor, M.P., N. C. Wallace, M.P., and the candidate, W. F. Maclean. Meetings will commence at 8 o'clock p.m.

The Reform candidate or representatives invited.

The Kernel of Canadian News.

James Lowles died in the Township of Arran, Ont., aged 98.

Brantford's electric railway will be in operation by July 1.

The majority of Mr. Lowell, the Liberal candidate in Welland, is 286.

The Winnipeg painters' strike has collapsed, the men returning to work.

Edward Bell of Waterford has been fined $20 for practising dentistry without being qualified.

Samuel Davis of Brantford was fined $1 Saturday for exposing for sale meat unfit for food.

Thirteen-year-old Martin Maloney of Roxborough Township, Ont., was kicked to death by a horse.

P. Morrison, private secretary of Railway Contractor Ross, died in Montreal from a stroke of apoplexy.

During April 4237 actual settlers arrived in Manitoba, and during four months of the year 9294.

Isaac Fraser, C.P.R. conductor, died in Winnipeg hospital Saturday from injuries received while shunting cars.

Robert Shipman, a young Englishman just arrived from Coventry, Eng., died at Salt Coats, Man., Saturday.

The Grand Central Hotel and Douglass' general store at Elkhorn, Man., were burned to the ground Saturday.

Two Chinamen were cremated in a fire which destroyed the "Joss" house in the Celestial quarter of Union, B.C.

Peter Walker, employed in Raymond's sewing machine factory, Guelph, had his hand frightfully mangled by a grindstone.

In digging for the foundation of the new Board of Trade building in Montreal the skeleton of a man buried many decades since was unearthed.

William Jones, lighthouse-keeper at Sand Heads, B.C., has become a raving maniac, the solitude of the lighthouse having affected his reason.

Mrs. Alex Macaulay of Lindsay, Ont., died suddenly while on a visit to her sister-in-law, Mrs. W. P. Macaulay, at Victoria, B.C.

William Armstrong, C.P.R. brakeman, fell under the wheels of a freight train at Winnipeg yesterday, losing both legs. He died in the General Hospital later.

For publishing an article which a jury thought insinuated that Mrs. Isaac Durocher was responsible for her husband's death The Montreal Star has to pay the widow $250.

While playing with a companion a son of David Kelly of Dummer, near Peterboro', had the tine of a hayfork driven into his head below the eye, and is fatally injured.

The first conviction under the new law limiting the catch of black bass by an individual was secured at Amherstburg Friday, when George and Lewis Goodchild were fined $10 each.

Johnston, the Aldborough farmer against whom Miss Love, a domestic, obtained a verdict for $1200 damages at the recent Elgin assizes, last week married the girl and thus saved the damages.

The double-tracking of the Toronto branch of the G.T.R. is under way again, over 100 men being at work. It is expected that the line will be completed into Hamilton in about six weeks.

Alfred Linten came over from Buffalo Saturday and surrendered to the St. Catharines police, having learned that he was suspected of robbing C. A. Kendall's residence in St. Kitts. He protests his innocence.

The authorities in Orangeville have complied with Mr. Justice Falconbridge's suggestion about having the coat of arms painted in their court. "Scotty" McPherson, a painter, was filled full and sent to jail for 30 days. During his incarceration he was put to work to paint the arms. The Advertiser says the work is beautiful. The same job cost Owen Sound $150. All it cost Dufferin was "Scotty's" bed and board for 30 days.

One Doz. oysters and a glass of ale, 25c, at the Hub.

Send us a post card and have sent home a dollar's worth (6 crates) of dry kindling-wood. Harvie & Co., 20 Sheppard-street. Telephone 1570. ed

St. Matthew's Ward, East York. Maclean meeting at Dingman's Hall to-night.

BIRTHS.

THOMSON—On April 16, 1892, at 715 Spadina-avenue, Toronto, the wife of John I. Thomson of a daughter.

DEATHS.

DUNN—At 52 Dunn-avenue, Parkdale, on April 30, Louisa Langel, relict of the late James Murison Dunn of Welland.
Funeral private. Interment at Fonthill.

HAMMOND—At Toronto, on Saturday, April 30, William Hammond, father of W. J. Hammond.
Funeral from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. T. C. Stegman, 229 Carlton-street, on Monday, May 2, at 3 o'clock. Interment at Churchville, leaving by the 4.40 C.P.R. train.

BOOMER—At her residence, 60 Murray-street, on the evening of April 30, Charlotte M., widow of the late A. R. Boomer, in her 71st year.
Funeral on Monday at 3 o'clock to St. James' Cemetery. Friends will please not send flowers.

WAGNER—April 30th, 1892, at the residence of his grandfather, R. M. Persse, 18 Triller-avenue, David Cyril, aged 1 year and 1 month, only child of Frances E. and the late D. C. Wagner, Toronto Junction, and grandson of J. F. Wagner, 79 Murray-street.
Funeral private Monday, May 2nd.

GREAT FIRE AT WINNIPEG.

EIGHTEEN OR TWENTY BUILDINGS DESTROYED.

A Space Covering Nearly Three Acres Reduced to a Mass of Smouldering Ruins—The Opera House, Salvation Army Barracks and Many Stores Destroyed—A Theatrical Company's Loss.

WINNIPEG, May 1.—The most extensive fire in the history of Winnipeg occurred about 2 o'clock this morning, and before it was got under control 16 or 18 buildings were totally destroyed, a space covering nearly three acres now being a mass of smouldering ruins.

The fire started under the stage of the Princess Opera House and was burning, it is supposed, about an hour before being discovered, as the members of a theatrical company playing there left their dressing rooms and locked up about 1 o'clock.

At 2 o'clock people in the Grand Union Hotel opposite heard a loud explosion in the theatre, and almost immediately the place was filled with flames.

When the fire brigade arrived it was found that the Waterworks Company had closed down for repairs, and as the hydrants were useless hose had to be laid to tanks some distance away.

Before the water was turned on the opera house and four or five stores in the opera house block were completely wrapped in flames, and so quickly did the block burn that not a single dollar's worth of stuff was recovered.

The flames spread with terrible rapidity, and 15 minutes after the alarm was sounded had crossed an alleyway and caught McGregor's large livery stable, in which thousands of dollars worth of carriages, etc., including all the wagons of the Dominion Express Company, were stored; so hot was the fire that none of these were saved. Then in spite of all efforts of the firemen the flames seized upon the buildings on the opposite side of the street, Frost & Wood's agricultural implement house, Green's extensive feed store, the Salvation Army barracks, a carriage repairing shop and three private residences across the street being all on fire at the same time and all being burned to the ground with contents.

Three residences and two large stables in Ross and Jemima-streets, back from the opera house, were also destroyed and little or nothing saved. The Grand Union Hotel was in imminent danger, but was saved.

Ruscoe & Swift's "Uncle Tom's Cabin" Company lost everything, including scenery, wardrobes, wearing apparel, etc.

The proprietors of the opera house are heavy losers. They carried only $8000 insurance, which would barely cover scenery and properties. The total losses are very heavy, with insurance exceedingly light.

A WATCHMAN CUT IN TWO.

A Sombra School Teacher's First Trip Cost His Life.

SAULT STE. MARIE, Ont., May 1.—The steamer Pasadena caught Watchman George F. Ford against the dock at the canal Saturday as he was climbing down the keel rope and literally crushed him in two. The lower part of the body dropped into the canal and has not been recovered. The upper part, with the heart forced between the neck and chest, fell over the dock. Ford's parents reside near Courtright, Ont. He had been a school teacher at Sombra, near Sarnia, and this was his first trip.

"Hotel Vendome," New York.

Toronto people visiting New York should make their home at the well-appointed and handsome "Hotel Vendome," corner of Broadway and Forty-first-streets. The "Hotel Vendome" is a short distance from the Grand Central depot, and has also direct car service from the West Shore and Erie Railway ferry docks. The "Vendome" is almost opposite the Metropolitan Opera House,