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OLD WORLD ITEMS

Honors For Ex-Speaker Peel - (China) Wants to Borrow \$125,000,000.

THE CABINET IN COUNCIL.
LONDON, April 23.—The Cabinet assembled in council at 11 o'clock this forenoon. Lord Rosebery presided. WILDE'S VALUABLES TO BE SOLD.
LONDON, April 23.—Oscar Wilde's valuable collection of prints, Moorish pottery, bric-a-brac, etc., will be sold at auction tomorrow. The articles to be sold include Carlyle's writing table.

TRUE BILL AGAINST WILDE.
LONDON, April 23.—A true bill has been found against Oscar Wilde. Wilde's solicitors denied that their client pleaded guilty to one offense. They declare that his case will be fought to the end.

A LORD APOLOGIZES.
LONDON, April 23.—The Earl of Lonsdale was summoned to court at Melton Mowbray today upon a charge of assault in having struck a gentleman named Leonard Boden upon the head with a hunting whip. Lord Lonsdale offered an apology to Mr. Boden, which was accepted.

THE HONOR ROLL.
LONDON, April 23.—The Right Hon. Arthur Wellesley Peel, ex-Speaker of the House of Commons, has been elevated to the peerage, with the title of viscount.

Rev. Archibald Farrar, D.D., canon of Westminster, has been appointed Dean of Canterbury.

CHINA BORROWING.
BERLIN, April 23.—The Cologne Gazette says that the Chinese loan of 30,000,000 marks at 6 per cent, which has been concluded with a syndicate of German bankers, is merely a provisional transaction which was arranged some time ago by the Viceroy of Nankin. The Chinese Government has opened negotiations for an indemnity loan of \$15,000,000 with a syndicate of British, German and French bankers.

OPPOSED TO THE TREATY.
BERLIN, April 23.—The Koelnische Zeitung says that the French, German and Russian Ministers in Tokio have addressed identical notes to the Japanese Government protesting in a friendly but energetic manner against the terms of peace.

THE INTERCOLONIAL CONVENTION.

MANCHESTER, April 23.—The Guardian says a conference will probably be held in London some time within the year 1895, with a view of putting into effect several proposals based upon the report submitted by the Earl of Jersey of his observations at the Ottawa Intercolonial convention.

THE ARISTOCRATIC SCANDAL.
LONDON, April 23.—In the suit of the Countess Russell for the restoration of her conjugal rights, Sir Henry James, on behalf of Earl Russell, contended in court today that the Countess was personally answerable for the foul suggestions made against her husband's character, and, therefore, not entitled to immunity from the consequences of her acts, upon the grounds that she had been ill-advised.

THE NEW SPEAKER.
LONDON, April 23.—Speaker Gully made an excellent impression in the House of Commons. He has a fine bearing, a stately manner and a good voice. He has, however, a good deal to learn in regard to his position, as was evidenced by his tripping up at the very outset. When Home Secretary Asquith moved the second reading of the Factory Bill in the usual dumb show way, by merely rising and putting his hat, the Speaker omitted to put the question, "Shall the bill be read?" until he was prompted by the clerk.

SKIN GRAFTING EXTRAORDINARY.

Over 16,000 Pieces of Cuticle Have Been Grown on a Montclair Boy's Body.

MONTCLAIR, April 23.—The case of Fred Griffith, the 12-year-old son of John Griffith, who was badly burned by firecrackers taking fire in his trousers pocket on July 4 last, is the subject of considerable interest here. The left leg was frightfully burned, and the left foot was so badly burned that the leg was not healed, and skin grafting was resorted to. The cuticle that has been placed on the boy has been placed on over 200 persons, principally men. Mr. Gibson, who has taken a great interest in the case, has contributed 1,000 grafts. Up to the present time 16,000 pieces of skin have been placed on the burned surface, and it is said by the doctors that it will take upward of 15,000 more. Three 500 pieces were taken from three persons and grafted. The grafts are hardly perceptible, each being about the size of a pin head.

WOMEN'S MEDICAL COLLEGE.

Close of a Successful Year—Forty Students in Attendance.

TORONTO, April 22.—The Ontario Medical College for Women has just closed a most successful session. In the various years about 40 students have been in attendance, and the results of the examinations, so far as can be ascertained, have been satisfactory. The summer session opens today. The diploma of the college has been awarded to Miss M. E. Allen, Fordwich, Ont.; Miss E. Hurdon, Toronto, Ont.; Miss D. M. Macklin, Stratford, Ont.; Miss M. L. MacMillan, Toronto, Ont.; Miss R. Pringle, Fergus, Ont.; Miss M. P. Symington, Brighton, Ont.

Third year examinations—First class honors and first prize, Miss T. G. Head, Guelph, Ont.; first class honors and second prize, Miss M. H. Irwin, Clinton, Ont.

First year examinations—First class honors and first prize, Miss M. A. Gould, Toronto, Ont.; first class honors and second prize, Miss W. M. Greenaway, Tottenham, Ont.

At Port Arthur the ice is still solid, and navigation will not open until May 8.

Harris Scott, about 21 years of age, committed suicide on Monday on the farm of his uncle, Charles Wilton, near Newmarket, Ont., by hanging himself in a fit of despondency over some fancied troubles.

CORNER IN CRUDE.

How the Oil Boom Was Worked—Russian and American Operators Combine.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., April 22.—The recent rise in oil, which is now generally attributed to speculation, began in the Orient. Japanese papers just received throw a curious light on the matter. They show that the whole movement was simply a speculative deal engineered by the Standard managers after they had made a compact with the Russian Oil Company. The proof of this is found in the fact that on March 23 the Japan Gazette records an advance in the price of oil from 190 yen to 225 yen per case, and it says that the rise took place after a cablegram was received at the Standard Company's office in Yokohama. It also states that many traders in Yokohama believe that the rival Russian and American companies have arrived at an agreement.

PITTSBURG, Pa., April 22.—The Standard Oil Company's price for Pennsylvania field oil this morning is \$2 10 a barrel, a reduction of 15 cents since Saturday. There was not a sale of oil on the local board this morning.

OIL CITY, Pa., April 22.—Oil, ruling price, \$2 10 at Exchange. Opened, \$1 95; highest, \$2 11; lowest, \$1 95; closed \$2 11, bid.

Late Canadian News.

Wm. Pike, a vagrant, died in the Hamilton jail Sunday morning. For the past 25 years Pike has lived most of the time in jail.

The Montreal cotton factory has closed again for a week. This is the third alternate week this mill has closed down, and the operatives are walking the streets.

The Ontario Medical College for Women at Toronto opened Monday afternoon for the summer session, when the diplomas and prizes were distributed. The attendance was large.

In North Oxford all bar-rooms are to be closed at 9:30 p.m. hereafter. President Louden concluded his evidence before the University Commission on Saturday afternoon. The charges against individual professors will probably be dropped.

A vagrant named Joe Rooney, who had spent six years in jail at Ontario, was recently found dead within two feet of the railway track. The coroner's jury on Monday found a verdict—"Died of epileptic fits, to which he was subject."

Live News in a Line.

It is stated that the life of the Prince of Wales is insured for £2,500,000.

Franklin Fairbanks is dying at St. Johnsbury, Vt. He is president of the Fairbanks Scale Company and extensively known in his many business relations and for his philanthropy.

The New York tax commissioners have decided to hold the Gould estate for \$10,000,000 of personal property this year, notwithstanding the fact that J. P. Gould, in whose name the assessment is made out, claims Lakewood as his residence.

The closing of the First National Bank of Williamstown, Conn., by National Bank Examiner Dooley on Monday created much consternation in that city. There are intimations that some commercial paper held by the bank is of doubtful value, but so far there are no assertions of a defalcation on the part of the cashier, who died April 12.

SENSATIONAL STORY SPOILED.
BOSTON, Mass., April 22.—Capt. Payne, of the British steamer Barnstable, which arrived here today from Port Antonio, Jamaica, states that the published report that his steamer had been fired upon by a gunboat on outward passage to Jamaica was erroneous.

COUNTERFEITERS CONFESS.
MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., April 22.—A counterfeiting plant has been found here which is thought to have sent out \$10,000 worth of spurious money in the last three years. Michael Crowley and Frank Lee have made a clean breast of the whole affair.

IN CUBA.
SANTIAGO DE CUBA, April 22.—The special correspondent of the United Press returned here today from an extended trip into the interior. He found the insurgents divided into small bands, mostly negroes. Their arms are poor and their leaders utterly incapable. The encounters between the Government troops and the rebels have not, thus far, been serious. There is an unconfirmed report that the insurgent general, Maceo, is dead.

FRANCE ASKED TO EXPLAIN.
WASHINGTON, D. C., April 22.—Secretary Gresham has directed Mr. Eustis, the United States ambassador to France, to ascertain from the French Government the reasons for the arrest and detention of John L. Waller, ex-United States consul at Tamatav, Madagascar, who arrived in confinement at Marseilles on a warship Saturday. Mr. Eustis has been investigating the matter, and it is said secured from the French Government a promise that Waller will be tried by a civil instead of a military tribunal.

The Prince of Wales is a gourmet, but he never ate better food than that raised with Dr. Price's Baking Powder.

RESULTS OF THE HORSE SHOW.
TORONTO, April 22.—The official returns of the attendance at the Canadian Horse Show show a total attendance of 14,500 for the three days, and a surplus of \$5,000. The success of the big show was complete.

BOWMANVILLE STATESMAN BURNED OUT.
BOWMANVILLE, Ont., April 22.—The office of the Canadian Statesman was completely destroyed by fire to-night. M. A. James was the proprietor. Loss very heavy. Insurance only \$3,000.

Easter Flowers.
We will have a very choice collection of plants and cut flowers that will be nice for Easter, namely, Roses, Carnations, Lily of the Valley, Violets, Easter Lilies, Tulips, Hyacinths, Spirea, and everything in the line of plants suitable for this festive occasion. We make a specialty of this. GREENWAY, florist, 248 Dundas street, Greenhouse, London West. ywt

Inspect H. Overmeyer's livery, formerly Tripp's, before you engage a conveyance for pleasure driving.

A NEW ELECTION.

Justice Falconbridge Declares Ald. McCallum's Seat Vacant.

The Effort to Oust Ald. O'Meara Fails—The Judgment in Detail.

A dispatch from Toronto received last night says: Mr. Justice Falconbridge today gave judgment in the case of Douglas vs. O'Meara, and Shaw vs. McCallum, on quo warranto applications to void the election of respondents as aldermen for the city of London. In O'Meara's case, the motion to unseat was dismissed with costs. In the case of McCallum, and order was made declaring the election void; respondent to pay the costs. **ALDERMANIC CASES.**
In the motions to unseat Ald. O'Meara and Ald. McCallum the decisions of Justice Falconbridge are in detail as follows:

O'MEARA'S CASE.
In the case of O'Meara it is claimed that the respondent had before polling day ceased to be a candidate by resigning his nomination in writing to the returning officer, and (2) that he was disqualified because the council of 1894, of which he was a member, had not raised the sinking funds required by section 373 of the Consolidated Municipal Act, as amended by 55 Vic., chap. 33, sec. 9.

The respondent, it appears, withdrew his resignation on the same day on which he resigned. The relator knew the facts of the case, and took steps to notify the electors that they were throwing away their votes, and in canvassing electors whom he knew to be favorable to the respondent he made no qualification or want of qualification. Held, that the relator was so concerned in the irregularity of which he complained as to prevent him taking a valid objection to the respondent's title.

Held, as to the second ground, that the complete case required where a penal clause is invoked was not made out, and also that as the relator did not show that at the time of the nomination and polling he was ignorant of the objection, he was prevented from making a relator and impeaching the title of the respondent.

Motion dismissed with costs. Holmuth for the relator; Gibbons, Q.C., for the respondent.

McCALLUM'S CASE.
In the case of McCallum it was alleged that he had not the requisite property qualification. Held, overruling a preliminary objection to positions may be taken under rule 378, for use of proceedings in the nature of quo warranto.

Held as to the merits that the assessment commissioner had no right to make an alteration in the roll of 1895 after the final revision by the county judge by striking out the name of one Spence and writing that of the respondent; and as the respondent had not the property qualification outside of the property for which Spence was assessed, his election was void.

Order made declaring accordingly with costs, and that a new election be held. Essery for the relator; McKillop for the respondent.

The odor of apple blossoms is not more delicate than pastry into which Dr. Price's Baking Powder enters.

READY FOR ACTION

British Warships Arrive at Carinto, Nicaragua.

To Blockade the Ports of the Country if Nicaragua Doesn't Pay Up.

NICARAGUA, April 23.—The Government is advised of the arrival there British war ships at Carinto to enforce the British ultimatum. President Zelaya has cabled Lord Kimberley, British Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, asking him to send a hostile demonstration until the proposition of a loan promise sent by Nicaragua through the Salvadoran Minister in London can be considered. Much surprise is expressed that there is no American war ships at Carinto.

MAD FRENCH-CANADIANS

Returning from Quebec to Michigan—Claim They Were Duped.

HOUGHTON, Mich., April 23.—Over a dozen French-Canadians have returned from Vernon, Canada. They now vengeance on Father Paradis for deceiving them. They say the land is all rocks and swamp, and the swamps are covered with water. They report that some of their comrades, who had no money left, are going to walk back. A hundred French-Canadians are now waiting at Vernon for the waters to subside so that they can locate there.

GREAT ENGLISH RACES.

LONDON, April 23.—The Epsom spring meeting opened today. The first race was that for the Westminster plate of 300 sovereigns, for 2-year-olds, penalties and allowances; 5 furlongs. It was won by Mr. Douglas Baird's filly, Mr. Barclay's Balbirnie was second, and Lord Houghton's Fillmore third.

The race for the Great Metropolitan handicap, 3,100 sovereigns, for 2-year-olds and upwards, winning penalties, about 2 1/4 miles, was won by Sir Duke's Cornbury, 4-year-old; Lord Ellesmere's Lady Normantine, 4 years, finished second, and Mr. R. Lebaudy's Barbary, 4 years old, third.

LONDON, April 23.—The Great Surrey handicap of 500 sovereigns, for 2-year-olds and upwards, 5 furlongs, was won by Mr. J. Jewitt's Peck, 3 years old; Lord Ellesmere's McNeil, 3 years, second, and Mr. Leopold De Rottnach's Grig, 2 years, third.

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Their New Church.

Complete Description of the Proposed Dundas Center Building.

The Sabbath School Will Be Completed by September and the Church by New Years.

The trustee board of the Dundas Center Methodist Church met last night at the parsonage and decided to call for tenders at once for the erection of the new church. The school room must be ready for occupancy by September, and the church by New Year's. Mr. G. W. King, the Toronto architect whose plans were accepted, was present at the meeting. In a midnight interview at his hotel afterwards he kindly gave a thorough description of the new building. It will have a frontage on Dundas street of 80 feet and a depth on Maitland street of 144 feet. The auditorium is practically square, and will measure 76x76 inside. The school house will be 70x32 feet. The building will be of Romanesque style of architecture, and the interior will be treated in a semi-classic manner. The foundation walls will be of rubble stone to the ground line. For the first six feet above that it will be a crossing of Cleveland and red Credit Valley stone. Above this the building will be faced with mottled purple brick, set in colored mortar and trimmed with buff Ohio stone. The roof will be of slate, and the largest tower will be 112 feet high.

The basement, which will be excavated over the whole, will contain a practically fire-proof furnace room, off this will be a large kitchen, china closet, etc. On the east side will be the ladies' toilet, on the west side the gentlemen's toilet, with separate staircases leading to each. There will be a large coal room off the furnace, and the height of the ceiling will be eight feet six inches.

The ground floor will contain the church, 76 feet square inside, brought up in octagonal form at the ceiling. The ceiling will be grained, and there will be four large arches, with four inside arches, heavily enriched, starting from a five-foot ornamental frieze with corbels and caps. The arches will be heavily enriched, and the main ones will have arched soffits. In the center of the ceiling will be a large stained glass dome, lit from the four sides by dormers. The entrance to the church is the center and one in each tower. They lead into a vestibule the whole width of the church, and will have lobbies formed so as to stop the draughts. The entrance into the church from these lobbies will be by curtain arches. In each tower there will be a staircase running to the gallery. The choir gallery is about five feet above the floor of the sittings, with ample space left for the organ, which will have a frontage of 26 feet, and be about the same height.

The gallery of the church will be carried on cantilevers, and the whole church will be entirely free from columns. There will also be an entrance leading up to the gallery at the corner of the gallery, making four staircases from the gallery.

The main entrance to the Sabbath school is also on Maitland street. It leads into a vestibule and thence into a hall twelve feet wide, from which the staircases run to the side to the gallery of the school. The school will contain a ladies' parlor and seven classrooms on the ground floor, the rooms being of an average size of 12x15 feet. These will be divided off by doors so that the whole ground floor can be thrown into one at any time. The gallery will be divided up into nine classrooms, radiating from an imaginary center, and a perfect view can be obtained from the speaker's platform. There are also two rooms on the first floor which can be used as extra classrooms and choir vestry.

The roof of the church will be carried on four steel trusses, each weighing about twelve tons. From these the ceiling will be hung and the roof supported. Provision is made for the top of the glass dome will be 48 feet. The height of the Sabbath school dome from the floor will be 33 feet.

The finish of the church will be in oak, with quarter cut oak panels. The gallery will have ornamental cast iron railings, and the walls of the church up to the height of the frieze will be in stucco. Ornamental plastering throughout will be of staff and fibrous plastering. The plain surface of the groined ceiling will be of adamant.

Ample summer ventilation is already provided for, but the method of heating is not yet decided.

The walls of the Sabbath school will also be of stucco, with adamant ceiling. Provision is made for two large vent stacks, 72 feet in height, to which four air ducts will be run.

The church will cost 1,200 or 1,300, and the Sabbath school over 1,000 persons.

Altgether Dundas Center will have a building second to none in Ontario.

AFTER THE ELECTIONS.
The Liberal Majority in Vercheres Was 161.
Mr. Molisac, Member for Antigonish, Receives Ovation All Along the Line.

MONTREAL, April 23.—The returning officer's count of the Vercheres election shows that Mr. Geoffrion's official majority was 161.

HALIFAX, N. S., April 22.—Colin McIsaac, the newly elected representative for Antigonish, on his way to Ottawa, arrived here this evening. At the various towns en route he was warmly received, and at Truro he was presented with a gold-headed cane by the Liberals of Colchester county. To-night the Liberals of Halifax are tendering him a reception and dinner at the Queen's Hotel.

ANOTHER UNFORTUNATE.
RODNEY, Ont., April 23.—The body of a man about 25 years of age was found on the Michigan Central Railway track a short distance west of here this morning. From papers found on his person he is supposed to be Charles Schneider, of Detroit. He was about 5 feet 7 inches in height, weighed 165 pounds, and was dressed in check tweed suit and black derby hat. Index finger of left hand is cut off at the middle joint. He has dark sandy hair and mustache.

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