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TRIUMPH OF THE TORIES.

SEVERAL OF MR. GLADSTONE'S MINISTERS DEFEATED.

Chagrin of the G. O. M. at the Result—Joy of the Conservatives—Several of the Large Cities Unexpectedly Somersault.

LONDON, Nov. 26.—Up to midnight yesterday 58 tories, 50 liberals and 5 Parnellites had been elected. T. P. O'Connor has defeated the tory candidate in the Scotland division of Liverpool by a majority of 1231. The tory candidate has defeated Mr. Childers in Pontefract. Ashmead Bartlett (conservative) is elected in Sheffield. The net gains so far are liberals 2, tories 17. Yesterday's voting was a decisive collapse of the liberals. If conservative successes continue in the same ratio, which is now considered probable, the conservative majority in parliament will overtop the combined liberal and Parnellite vote.

The Tory Gain 20.

LONDON, Nov. 26.—Later reports make the net tory gain 20. The liberals have carried a number of new seats, but in no instance did they oust a tory from an old conservative seat, whereas the conservative successes were chiefly obtained in former liberal divisions.

The Situation.

LONDON, Nov. 26.—At the Reform, Devonshire and National liberal clubs the defeat of the liberal party is admitted, but the liberals rely, upon successes in the urban and county divisions to modify the result.

The Pall Mall Gazette appeals to the liberals, whether radical or whig, who have not yet voted to unite, in order to prevent "the unmixed evil of tory ascendancy, so complete as to overpower all opposition." "Scotland," the Gazette adds, "remains true to liberalism." The Irish vote gave powerful assistance to the conservatives in the boroughs of Lancashire.

The Standard warns the liberals not to endanger the unity of the empire by any further attempt to reduce the conservative majority.

The News attributes the defeat of the liberals to the church and Parnell vote, but says there is no need to despair if the whigs and radicals maintain an active unity. Portsmouth has elected the two liberal candidates.

Up to Last Night.

LONDON, Nov. 26.—The totals thus far are as follows: Liberals, 91; conservatives, 90; nationalists, 6; liberal gain, 6; tory gain 27.

In West Bristol Sir M. Hicks-Beach, conservative, and in East Edinburgh G. J. Goschen, liberal, have been elected. In Bolton, J. K. Cross, an under-secretary in Mr. Gladstone's administration, was defeated. In Portsmouth, Sir H. D. Wolff, conservative, was defeated, being at the bottom of the poll.

Of the three greatest electorates voting yesterday Liverpool returned eight conservatives and one nationalist; Leeds three conservatives and two liberals, Mr. Herbert Gladstone and Sir Lyon Playfair, and Sheffield three conservatives and two liberals. The conservative majorities were mostly large, while the majorities of the liberals were small. Lord Randolph Churchill carried Paddington by a vote of 2731 against 1025 for his opponent.

The Tories Jubilant.

LONDON, Nov. 26.—The defeat of Mr. Gladstone's ministers, Hugh Childers and Mr. Lefevre, and of two of his under-secretaries, Messrs. Hayter and Holmes, adds to the conservative triumph. The tory reaction is still unchecked, and the enthusiasm of the conservatives is unbounded and contagious. Great crowds gather in the neighborhood of the bulletin boards and cheer the announcement of sweeping tory successes. The conservatives have carried five of the six Manchester divisions.

The returns up to 1 o'clock this morning show that 109 liberals, 108 tories and 10 Parnellites have been elected. The liberal gains so far are six seats and the tory gain twenty nine seats.

Mr. Gladstone is fearfully chagrined over the result and has abandoned all hope of more than the barest liberal majority at the best. He has arranged to leave Scotland on Saturday.

A Riot at Nottingham.

NOTTINGHAM, Nov. 26.—An election riot occurred here to-day. Several serious conflicts took place between the mob and the police, in which 47 persons were injured. The troops were called out to suppress the disturbance. The wounded were taken to the hospital.

ELATED WITH VICTORY.

Prince Alexander Declines to Agree to Peace at the Bidding of the Powers.

LONDON, Nov. 26.—The powers have instructed Prince Alexander of Bulgaria to agree to an armistice. King Milan has given orders to his troops to cease hostilities.

It is reported that the Bulgarians have crossed the frontier and captured Muehlenberg, destroying the Servian ramparts.

A despatch from Belgrade says King Milan denies that he will abdicate.

Advices from Sofia say the Servians today sent a second flag of truce to the Bulgarians proposing an armistice. The Bulgarians refused to entertain the propositions until the conditions named yesterday should be complied with. The onward march of the Bulgarian troops continues.

Struck a Rock.

LONDON, Nov. 26.—The British steamer Aurora, Captain Ormandy, while leaving Hartlepool for Savannah yesterday struck a rock in the harbor. She subsequently proceeded and foundered within two hours. The crew left the vessel in three boats. The first and third boats with twenty-one men landed safely. The second, in which were nine men, reached the shore with only six, the three others having been drowned.

CABLE NOTES.

The German court goes into three weeks' mourning for King Alfonso.

Panama canal shares fell nine francs at Paris yesterday owing to a rumor that M. De Lesseps was dead.

In the municipal elections in Dublin yesterday the nationalists won five wards, four of which had been previously held by the conservatives.

UNITED STATES NEWS.

The Grant monument fund has reached $100,135.

The elections in Atlanta, Ga., on local option Wednesday passed off quietly. Prohibition was carried by 225 of a majority, and goes into effect at the end of next July.

Despatches from all sections of the United States indicate that Thanksgiving day was celebrated by a general cessation from business and the observance of religious exercises.

If you want help, have an article to sell or have lost a dog, advertise in The World. Three lines Ten Cents.

ACCIDENTS IN NORTH CAROLINA.

Two of Them in One Day—Two Men Killed and Twelve Wounded.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Nov. 26.—A broken rail on the Chester & Lenoir narrow gauge road threw all the cars of a passenger train off the track and down an embankment near Gastonia yesterday. Twelve passengers, including four ladies, were severely hurt. The most seriously injured are conductor Will Hunter, brakeman Johnston, and baggage agent Copps. The cars were all badly wrecked.

ASHEVILLE, N.C., Nov. 26.—A freight train yesterday struck a rock near the deep water iron bridge near Warm Springs and turned over into the water. The engine, tender, and three cars were thrown into the river into water forty feet deep. Engineer Geo. Parrish, of Lynchburg, Va., and fireman Whitfield went down with the wreck. The engine and cars are out of sight with the bodies of the dead.

CAPSIZED IN THE LAKE.

A Canadian Schooner Found Bottom up Ten Miles off Cleveland, O.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Nov. 26.—The schooner Highland Maid, of Port Stanley, Ont., was found ten miles out in the lake to-day, capsized. It is thought the crew, including Capt. Oliver and his two sons, were drowned.

The Successor of Hendricks.

WASHINGTON, D.C., Nov. 26.—Several prominent politicians have been interviewed in regard to the successor of Vice-President Hendricks. John Sherman was interviewed in New York to-day and said the death would not have any disturbing effect on national politics; the senate being republican, of course his successor will be of that ilk. The names of Logan and Edmunds have been mentioned, but nothing definite will be known until the senate next convenes.

Ladies' Mantles at "Three dollars," $4, "Five dollars," $6, "Seven dollars," $8, "Nine dollars," $10 and up at Petleys'.

Beheaded by an Express Train.

ST. THOMAS, Nov. 26.—John Vogan, a hostler at the Britannia hotel, Dutton, was struck by No. 5 express this morning as it was passing Dutton and instantly killed. His head was severed from his body and the remains scattered on the track. No one is to blame, the accident being caused by his own carelessness. He was about 50 years of age.

TRAINS BY TELPHERAGE.

The Utilization of Electricity as a Motive Power.

From the London Times.

Telpherage is the name which has been given to a system of automatically transporting goods by the agency of electricity as the motive power, which system was the invention of the late Prof. Fleeming Jenkin. Dying in June last, however, the professor did not live to see his ingenious ideas carried out on a practical scale. He had begun the construction of a telpher line on the estate of Lord Hampden, at Glynde, near Lewes; but his plans had to be perfected by Prof. Perry, his successor, as the engineer to the telpherage company. This line has been completed, and was formally opened on Saturday last by Lady Hampden, who electrically started a loaded train on the line. A special train conveyed a large number of visitors from Victoria station to Glynde. The line is a double one, nearly a mile in length, and is composed of two sets of steel rods, three-quarters of an inch in diameter, supported on wooden posts of T shape, and about 18 feet high. The wires are supported one on either end of the cross piece of the T, which is eight feet long. The carriers or skips, as they are technically termed, are iron, trough-shaped buckets, each holding about two hundredweight, and suspended from the line by a light iron frame, at the upper end of which is a pair of grooved wheels running on the line of rods. A train is made up of ten of these skips, which are in electrical connection with each other, and with an electrical motor, which is placed in the middle of the train, having five skips in front and five behind it. At a point about midway of the length of the line is the engine house, in which is a steam engine which drives the dynamo. From these latter the current is led to the line, and thus to the electrical motor which moves the train. The use to which the line is put is to carry clay from a pit to the Glynde railway siding, whence it is delivered into trucks and transported by rail to the works of the New Haven Cement company. At the charging end of the telpher line the skips are loaded each with about two hundredweight of clay, the train thus carrying one ton. A laborer, by touching the key, starts the train, which travels at a speed of from four to five miles an hour along the overhead line to the Glynde station. Arrived there another laborer upsets each skip as it passes over a railway truck into which the clay is thus loaded. This upsetting, however, will eventually be performed automatically by means of a lever on each skip, which will come in contact with a projecting arm as it passes over the truck. The laborer at the discharging end of the line has full control over the train, and can stop, start and reverse it at will, as can also the man at the other or loading end.

There are two trains at Glynde, but only one is at present used, that being found sufficient to deliver 150 tons of clay per week at the station—the minimum quantity required by the cement company. The trains need no attention when running, as they are governed to run at the same speed both on rising and falling gradients. An automatic block system is provided, so that as many as twenty trains can be run on the line without the possibility of collision. The telpherage line at Glynde being the first erected, it is admitted that its details are capable of improvement. It, however, successfully demonstrates the ingenious idea of Prof. Jenkin in utilizing electricity as a source of motive power. Beyond this it can hardly be said to go at present.

Boys' Overcoats at "Two dollars," $2.50, "Three dollars," $3.50, "Four dollars" $4.50, "Five dollars" and up at Petleys'.

Had Been There.

From the Wall Street News.

They had been home from their honeymoon about six weeks, when he came home an hour earlier than usual, and softly said:

"My darling seems to be worried about something. I presume it is the cares and anxieties of owning such a house as this. What a relief it would be if you deeded it over to me! Then I———"

"Stop right there," she commanded. "I was a widow when you married me, and all my property is in my name and always will be. I deeded one house to a husband, and also signed two chattel mortgages, but no other husband will ever work roots on me! Your darling is all o. k. and don't you forget it."

He failed to put up more margin, and the broker closed him out on the deal.

TRINITY SCHOOL DINNER.

LARGE AND SUCCESSFUL GATHERING AT THE ROSSIN.

Over Two Hundred Gentlemen Present—List of Guests—The Toasts and Speeches—An Enjoyable Affair.

Trinity medical school's ninth annual banquet at the Rossin house last night surpassed any of its predecessors and will hold its own against anything of the kind that has taken place in Toronto. Over two hundred gentlemen sat down at the sumptuous and handsomely decorated tables. All the learned professions were included in the guests. The gathering was sociable, enthusiastic and successful. Clark Lapp, a fourth year student from Picton, was chairman; M. J. Keane, first vice; W. A. Shannon, second vice, and F. F. Ferguson third vice. The committee consisted of G. J. Dickson (chairman), H. C. Phillips (secretary), George Mackenzie, G. A. Fere, D. Thompson, R. D. Sanson, J. S. Wardlaw, F. J. Paterson.

The clergy was represented by Archbishop Lynch, who, attended by Vicar General Laurent, sat to the immediate left of the chairman; Rev. Professor Clarke, Trinity university; Rev. John Langtry, Rev. I. G. Taylor, Rev. D. J. Macdonnell, Rev. G. M. Milligan, Rev. E. A. Stafford. Col. Otter and Col. Grasett answered for the military. Among the legal guests were J. J. McLaren, Q.C., Dr. McMichael, Q.C., B. B. Osler, Q.C., James Henderson, J. A. Worrell. Dean Geikie, the worthy head of the faculty, occupied the seat of honor to the right of the chairman. Mayor Manning and Hon. T. W. Anglin sat together. Dr. Richardson and Dr. Graham were guests from the sister school of Toronto. Other guests were Dr. Carlyle (Normal school), Dr. Daniel Clark, Patrick Hughes, C. J. Campbell, Dr. Canniff, H. E. Clarke, M.P.P., Dr. O'Rielly, A. McMurchy, M.A., Dr. Stark (Hamilton), Dr. Gullen, Dr. Nevitt, Dr. Robinson, Dr. Burns. The faculty was strong in the persons of Dr. Hugh Robertson, Dr. Grasett, Dr. Temple, Dr. Fulton, Dr. J. S. Kennedy, Dr. Bingham, Dr. Ryerson, Dr. Sheard, Dr. Teskey. The menu was got up in the highest style of the art cuisine, and was well served. There were no liquors on the table.

The chairman, a handsome, pale-faced student, with a brown mustache, said that throughout his life he would look back on this occasion as the one bright particular spot in his college career. Trinity was the largest medical school in the dominion, having 280 students on the roll, with a brilliant line of graduates. Her success was due to her brilliant and able staff of professors. As an illustration of how the students going out from Trinity medical school stood abroad, he referred to a recent examination held in London, England, at which 36 candidates presented themselves and only ten passed. There were only three candidates from Trinity and all three passed with credit, thus making nearly one-third of the number passed from Trinity, at an examination where students competed from the various medical institutions of the world.

Secretary Phillips read letters of regret at inability to attend from Lord Lansdowne, Lieut.-Gov. Robinson, Attorney-General Mowat, Hon. G. W. Allan, Principal Grant, Goldwin Smith, Bishop Sullivan.

The usual loyal toasts were followed by that of the dominion and provincial legislatures. H. E. Clarke, M.P.P., said it was for the young men of to-day to mould and shape the future policy of the country. The Ontario legislature was the wisest body of men under the sun—in their own estimation. Speaking good-naturedly, of the provincial government he said its body was covered with leeches, was fast wearing out and would soon require the attendance of conservative physicians. Hon. T. W. Anglin was surprised that his name had been coupled with the toast, but returned thanks all the same. He gave the member for West Toronto a Roland for his Oliver by stating that the legislature had shown its wisdom and energy by keeping Mr. Clarke and his colleagues in their present position. Many physicians he said had proved valuable legislators.

Speaking for the army and navy, Col. Otter said the militia of Canada conducted itself during the recent rebellion in a manner that showed it to be a worthy descendant of the British army. The volunteers had brought honor and credit upon the dominion. He paid a high compliment to the medical gentlemen attached to the Northwest field force; not only were they capable doctors and surgeons, but brave soldiers. The ambulance corps of the Queen's Own, whose chief, Mr. Fere, he saw present, had done splendid work at Cut Knife. Col. Grasett endorsed his brother officer's reference to the excellent services of the doctors and the ambulance corps in the rebellion. He did not think they had received sufficient recognition for what they had done.

Mayor Manning spoke for the corporation, which was the best abused body of men in the community. If he had had an opportunity in his younger days of studying a profession, he would have gone in for medicine. The city was now supplied with the best and purest of water; he was pleased to see that those present preferred it to wine.

Replying for the learned professions, Archbishop Lynch said the medical was one of the most important, in fact the most important, of the professions. He would like to put his own profession first, because "we take care of the soul and you take care of the body, but a soul is a poor thing unless it has a good body." [Laughter.] So as far as suffering humanity was concerned, the medical was the leading profession. Dr. McMichael, Q.C., and Mr. Osler, Q.C., also replied to the toast. Mr. Osler said the mayor's announcement of pure water at last would discount the profession about one-half—[cheers]—for what would they do without typhoid? Digressing from the toast, Mr. Osler said that in the prosecution of a worthy voter of the dominion, Poundmaker,—[laughter]—he had occasion to examine and cross-examine into the facts of the affair at Cut Knife, and he took advantage of this opportunity to state—and he considered his statement worthy of weight—that if Colonel Otter had not just then and just there given battle to Poundmaker things would have been a great deal more serious and much more troublesome than they were. Otter's expedition had more to do with the absolute stoppage of the Indian rising than anything else in the northwest. (Cheers.) Dr. Canniff also responded to the toast.

"Universities with which we are affiliated and sister institutions" brought a number of gentlemen to their feet. Rev. Prof. Clarke, representing Trinity university, said that Trinity medical school was now larger and greater than its mother. Rev. D. J. Macdonnell, who spoke for Queen's college, said the medical schools should be as closely allied as possible with the arts and theological schools. It was a good thing for theological students to rub up against medical students. J. J. McLaren, Q.C., spoke for Victoria university and congratulated Trinity upon its prosperity. Rev. E. A. Stafford was called upon but he had left the room. Dr. Richardson brought greetings from the Toronto School of Medicine and rejoiced that good feeling existed between them. [Applause]. Dr. Graham also said a few words. He hoped something would be done towards establishing permanent and worthy medical literature in the country. Speaking for the undergraduates of Toronto school, Mr. Jones reciprocated the kindly greetings of their fellow students at Trinity. Mr. McGannon returned thanks for McGill college, Montreal, Mr. Dickson for the Royal college, Kingston, and Mr. Wilson for the Western university, London.

The toast of the evening—Trinity Medical school, its graduates and undergraduates—was drunk with a tiger. Dean Geikie received an ovation when he rose to reply. He referred to the marvellous changes that have taken place in medical education in Toronto within the past thirty-five years. Then there were two schools—Rolph's and that of the university—with barely fifty students between them. Now there are two fully equipped schools, with close upon 600 students in attendance. Dr. Stark of Hamilton spoke for the graduates, and Mr. Honsberger for the undergrads.

The Toronto General hospital was enthusiastically toasted; Dr. O'Reilly responded. The ladies found a fitting representative in Dr. Bingham, the handsome young member of the faculty. Other toasts were the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario and the Press. The college glee club contributed some good singing.

COMING TO THEIR SENSES.

La Minerve Judiciously Considers the Situation—Quebec's Minority.

MONTREAL, Nov. 26.—It is stated that Archbishop Tache, of St. Boniface, and Bishop Grandin, of St. Albert, now in Montreal, have induced the majority of their colleagues in the province of Quebec to repudiate any proposed religious demonstration on behalf of Riel.

La Minerve says that "the ten days of mourning and demonstration are over and serious people are beginning to reflect and consider what it all amounted to. In the late effervescing the fact has been forgotten that the province of Quebec is one against seven in the confederation and the French are only 50 against 150 English in parliament. The French are 1,300,000 while the English number 3,000,000. These facts we have forgotten as well as many other facts. * * * There is no honest citizen who does not believe that Sir Hector Langevin and Mr. Chapleau did their best to save Riel. Those who have been the first to blame in the late excitement will be the first to acknowledge their error."

To Aid Riel's Family.

MONTREAL, Nov. 26.—A national committee has been organized here to relieve the family of Riel. The president of the committee is Mayor Beaugrand, and the vice-president ex-Mayor Rivard. The mayors of all municipalities in the province of Quebec and the presidents of St. Jean Baptiste societies in Canada and the United States will be asked to co-operate.

Barbers Fined for Working Sundays.

OTTAWA, Nov. 26.—Two city barbers appeared before the police magistrate this morning charged with profanation of the Lord's day by exercising their ordinary calling thereon. Mr. Frank Macdougall appeared for the defence, and quoted from a decision of Chief Justice Wilson, which was concurred in by Justice Galt, placing barbers in the light of servants who could work any day. The magistrate did not concur in the contention, and fined each of the defendants $3 and $2 costs. His worship expressed the opinion that printers and telegraph operators could be fined for working on Sunday.

Marshall Piggott's Murder.

ST. THOMAS, Ont., Nov. 26.—At the trial of Havelock Smith for the murder of Marshall Piggott, to-day, no new features were developed. It is doubtful if the case will be finished this week.

Tapestry Carpets, handsome patterns, at 35c., 40c., 45c., 50c., 55c., and 65c. per yard and up at Petleys'.

OUR OWN COUNTRY.

Items of General Interest Received by Mail and Wire.

Fully three million feet of logs will be got out of the Cypress hills this winter.

George Johnston, chief of police, Peterboro, died somewhat suddenly yesterday at the age of 63.

Rev. G. A. Forneret, M.A., Dundas, has been nominated to the rectorship of All Saints church, Hamilton, and will probably accept.

A Chicago detective is in Sandwich, Ont., looking for Samuel R. Smith, colored, who is charged with murdering his wife at Chicago.

Burglars on Wednesday rifled the till of the Grand Trunk agent at Windsor, Ont., and secured upwards of $100 in cash.

The Fort Macleod Gazette thinks the sale of whisky to Indians should be punishable with penitentiary and a fine of one or two thousand dollars.

The house of Mrs. Smith, a widow, at Morriston, Wentworth county, was entered a day or two ago and $60 and a thousand dollar bond carried off.

At a meeting to organize a branch of the Irish National league in Orillia, Wednesday night, $128 was subscribed towards the parliamentary fund.

Advices from Sydney, C.B., state smallpox is spreading there, but the health authorities of the town are keeping the state of affairs as quiet as possible.

The collections of one service for the home missions of the Presbyterian church, Prince Albert, N. W. T., amounted to $200, and for Manitoba college $31.

Rev. O. J. Booth, St. Catharines, has been offered the rectorship of the Church of Ascension, Buffalo, at a stipend of $3000 a year, with house. He will accept.

The minister of justice has refused to interfere in the case of the condemned man Simmons at London. The sentence of the court will be carried out to-day.

Correspondence is at present going on between the imperial and Dominion governments with reference to the strengthening of the Pacific coast defences.

Tramps are reported to be unusually numerous down Belleville way. The smallpox does not scare them out of Canada worth a cent. They are crossing the line in shoals.

The mounted police are experiencing considerable trouble with whisky sellers in the Fort MacLeod district, but they are gradually clearing them out, assisted by the Indian chiefs.

The body of Instructor Payne, who was murdered at Eagle Hills, N.W.T., last spring, lies at the exact spot where the scouts found it, with only such slight covering as they were able to give it at the time.

Messrs. Savage and Lyman, jewelers, Montreal, have, owing to very great depression in their business, decided to make a judicial abandonment of their estate. Liabilities $30,000; assets about $22,000.

Two young men were given hospitality for the night by Patrick Rock at Port Robinson, Ont., on Wednesday, and early in the morning they chlorfomed their host, robbed him of $202 and a watch and escaped.

The scaffold on which John Easterbee, the Welland murderer, will meet his death on Monday next, works on a new plan. Instead of the victim dropping, the fall of a weight of 250 pounds jerks him up, invariably breaking the neck.

J. P. Wiser is fattening 1080 cattle at Prescott for shipment to England. He is also putting in his distillery ten new copper tanks of a capacity of 10,000 gallons notwithstanding the fact that the Scott act goes into force in Prescott in May next.

December is going to be a bad month for people who owe taxes on their lands. The treasurers of the towns of Strathroy, St. Mary's, Sarnia, Whitby, Owen Sound, Welland, and the counties of Leeds and Grenville and Renfrew advertise tax sales to take place during that month.

The London, Ont., Advertiser, published a story yesterday of the meeting of two brothers named Beverley, who had been lost to each other for thirty years. One went into a tailor's store to order a suit of clothes, and the other, who was looking at some ties, recognized his long-lost brother by the peculiar instructions he gave to the tailor.

KING ALFONSO'S DEATH.

SAID TO BE THE RESULT OF DISSIPATION.

Activity of the Carlists—A Queen at Five—Excitement Throughout the Country—A Petard Exploded at Madrid.

PARIS, Nov. 26.—A telegram from Madrid says Princess Mercedes, the 5-year-old daughter of Alfonso, will be queen under the regency of her mother, Christina. Senor Sagasta will form a new cabinet. The streets are crowded with people eagerly discussing the situation. The city is tranquil. The body of Alfonso has been embalmed. It has been decided not to proclaim a state of siege here.

Large forces of military and police are being quartered throughout the country, as a precaution against Carlist uprisings. The Empress Eugenie has wired a message of condolence to Queen Isabella.

Cardinal Benavides heard King Alfonso's confession at 1.30 a.m. on Wednesday, and administered to him the last sacraments in the presence of Queen Christina, ex-Queen Isabella and other members of the royal family, and several members of the household. The king begged to see his daughters, who were in Madrid at the time. They were telegraphed for, but arrived too late to see their father alive. The king died in the arms of Queen Christina. All present were profoundly affected. The cardinal and the ex-queen wept, and the Infanta Isabel fainted. Queen Christina subsequently covered the body with flowers, and for a long time refused to leave the chamber.

Grief in Havana.

HAVANA, Nov. 26.—The announcement of King Alfonso's death was received here and throughout the island with every demonstration of sorrow. Business, which was almost at a standstill upon the first report of his serious illness, was completely suspended when the news of his death was received. Signs of mourning are everwhere visible.

The Carlists Astir.

PARIS, Nov. 26.—A number of Carlist chiefs met at Bayonne to-day and resolved to await orders from Don Carlos. Meanwhile preparations are being made for a Carlist rising in Spain. The French prefects have been ordered to closely watch the Franco-Spanish frontier.

A Petard Explodes.

MADRID, Nov. 26.—A petard exploded to-day under a cafe in a street adjoining the Puerto del Sol. Windows in the vicinity were shattered, and three persons were injured. The explosion caused great alarm. Fourteen arrests have been made.

Dissipation the Cause of Death.

BAYONNE, Nov. 26.—Letters received from Madrid attribute the death of King Alfonso to various causes. One attributes his death to pulmonary phthisis, another to tuberculosis of the intestines, and another to general anæmia and long failing health. It is stated that in the midst of his dissipation and extreme depression the king painted his cheeks to give him an artificial appearance of health, and he constantly persisted in disregarding the requests of his physicians that he should remain at his hunting seat at El Pardo, declaring that there were political reasons for his presence at the capital.

Fine All Wool White Blankets at $2, $2.25, $2.50, $3, $3.25, $3.50 and $4 per pair and up at Petleys'.

A WOMAN'S REVENGE.

She Invites the Children of Her Rival to Her House That They Might Take Smallpox.

MONTREAL, Nov. 26.—The official returns of the health officers this morning show that there were five deaths in the city from smallpox yesterday; one at Mount Royal hospital, three in Ste. Cunegonde and two in St. Henri.

Yesterday 14 reports of smallpox cases were made to the health department and 8 new cases verified. This morning there are 23 patients in St. Roch's, 154 in St. Camille and 45 in St. Saviour hospitals.

The Grand Trunk railway and the Canadian Pacific railway have signified their desire to co-operate with the board of health in quarantining stations on their lines where smallpox exists and where the rules of the central board are not complied with.

Father Forrekin, who died from smallpox in St. Jerome, had applied several times to a local physician to vaccinate him but had always been put off with the excuse that the doctor was trying to get some pure vaccine. The father visited his parishioners who had contracted smallpox; they communicated the disease to him and he died.

A case will probably shortly come before the courts in which a woman is accused of inviting another woman's children to visit her house while her children were suffering from smallpox, simply because she thought her husband was paying their mother too much attention.

NEWS FROM HAMILTON.

Premier Norquay Leaves for New York—About Burglars.

HAMILTON, Nov. 26.—Premier Norquay left here at noon to-day in company with W. E. Sandford for New York on business pertaining to the Northwest Central railway.

William Hempstock was fined $10 and costs or 60 days in jail for cruelly ill-treating his little 6-year-old daughter while drunk yesterday. He took the 60 days.

Daniel Morrison and Peter Colvin were arrested at Dundas yesterday by Chief Collins on suspicion of having stolen a quantity of jewelry which was found on them. They will be tried on Monday.

The prosecution failed to make out a case against Ed. Walsh and Ed. Christoph for having burglars' tools in their possession and the charge was dropped. Walsh was detained as a vagrant. He is thought to be a notorious burglar known as Big George or Broken Nosed George.

During the absence of the family this morning burglars broke into the house of Geo. Childs, 125 John street north, and stole $20 and a pair of gold earrings.

Marriage of a Toronto M. P.'s Daughter.

On Wednesday evening a very pleasant event took place at the residence of James Beaty, Q.C., M.P., 307 Church street. Miss Katie Beaty, his only daughter, was united in marriage to A. J. Russell Snow, barrister of Ottawa, Rev. Dr. Hamilton officiating. There was a large gathering of relatives and friends. The presents were numerous and costly. The happy pair left for an extended tour through the United States.

The Erratics.

This club has now some fifty members. The orchestra numbers eighteen and Mr. Paull has taken charge of it. Mr. Walter Read has joined the committee and Mr. J. R. Clarke become librarian. The committee have rented St. Luke's school house for practice Saturday evenings at 8 o'clock.

DUTIES OF TAX COLLECTORS.

The Dog Tax to be Raised to $1—Payment of an Award.

The executive committee met yesterday. Present were: Chairman Defoe, Ald. Adamson, Steiner, Crocker, Irwin, Pepler, John Woods, Sheppard, Walker, Saunders and Elliott.

A sub-committee was appointed to consider the question of assisting in the erection of a new drill shed.

A communication from the city solicitor enclosed a letter from J. K. Kerr, solicitor for York county, asking that the amount awarded the county by the arbitrators on the differences between the city and county arising out of the annexation of the wards of St. Mark's, St. Matthew's and St. Paul's, be paid at once. The amount is $16,196. The committee recommended an immediate payment.

The sub-committee on the Sugar and Syrup company's application recommended that the bylaw granting exemption of taxes to the company on condition that they employ fifty operatives be amended so that the exemption be allowed if thirty men be employed.

The sub-committee appointed to confer with the tax collectors on their duties and powers reported that they had met the collectors, and decided to make the following recommendations for adoption:

1. That the city solicitor be instructed to furnish the collectors with printed instructions defining their duties and powers.
2. That the proper officer be ordered to place the frontage of the several properties on the collectors' general tax rolls for the convenience of the collectors in sub-dividing rates, assessments and otherwise.
3. That the executive committee consider the advisability of appointing certain bailiffs to distrain upon tax defaulters, and their giving bonds indemnifying the city against loss in consequence of their acts and security for returns.
4. That in the event of a collector requiring any advice not in his instructions, he may apply to the mayor, who may instruct the city solicitor to give the advice in writing.
5. That the price of the dog tax be raised from 40 cents to $1, to be paid the license inspector.

The report also recommended that the solicitor be instructed to furnish the executive committee with opinions on various matters pertaining to collectors' duties. The report was adopted. The reports of the various committees were adopted without amendment until the clause in the local board of health report recommending the erection of the new smallpox hospital on the beach opposite the Woodbine race course was reached. The committee decided to tell the council that there were no funds for the enterprise and that therefore they could not recommend the building of the hospital.

Children's Mantles at "One dollar," $1.50, "Two dollars," $2.50, "Three dollars," $3.50, "Four dollars," $4.50, "Five dollars" and up at Petleys'.

University College Y. M. C. A.

At the meeting of ladies Wednesday, for the purpose of organizing a ladies' auxiliary to the above association, the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Mulock; vice-president, Mrs. Harvie; secretary, Miss Cavan; treasurer, Miss Evans; committee, Mrs. Eaton, Mrs. Kirkland, Mrs. Bryce, Mrs. Cowan, Mrs. Loudon, Mrs. Meldrum, Mrs. McFarlane, Mrs. Robb, Mrs. Gunther, Mrs. Gordon, Mrs. Ellis, Mrs. Ellis, sen., Mrs. Dickson, Mrs. West, and the Misses McGee, Ogden, Walton, B. Walton, Wilson, McIntosh, A. McIntosh, L. McIntosh, Smith, Stark, and McDonald. The names of ladies belonging to unrepresented congregations were given, and the secretary was requested to communicate with them and invite them to be present at the next meeting, to be held at Shaftesbury hall, Saturday, Dec. 5, at 3 p.m.

A Crooked Ticket Agent.

George M. Bingham, a young man employed in the ticket office of the Northern & Northwestern railway station at Brock street, has been doing some crooked work. A few days ago he departed for the States, and when the auditors examined his books they found a shortage of $95. He is accused of forgery by raising an account from $11 to $41 and pocketing the surplus. He was arrested in Detroit on a telegram from Toronto, and yesterday afternoon Policeman Armstrong left for that city to bring him back, he having expressed his willingness to return.

Rough on Rats in the Flour.

Charles Browning and his family, of 24 Claremont street, have had a pretty rough experience lately. Last Saturday they had kidney pie for dinner, which made them all sick. Monday they tried fish pie, which made them worse. Tuesday they couldn't eat anything. Wednesday their dinner made them sick again, and they thought it was time to investigate. It was discovered that a package of Rough on Rats had been spilled into a barrel of flour from a shelf above. Two of the children are still very ill.

Auction sale advertisements inserted in The Morning World find readers all over the city.

Temperance in University College.

At the regular monthly meeting of the University College Temperance league Wednesday afternoon the president, Prof. Young, said that last year out of the 400 undergraduates attending University college, 287 were members of the Temperance league. Of these 267 were total abstainers and 20 were friends of temperance, and were pledged not to treat or use intoxicating liquors in excess. The meeting was addressed by Rev. E. A. Stafford, Hon. G. W. Ross and Bishop Sullivan.

Accident to a Grand Trunk Conductor.

Last night about 10 o'clock Conductor Archibald McArthur of the Grand Trunk railway met with a serious accident at Newcastle. He was jumping on the train as it was moving off, when he missed his grasp and fell on the track, breaking his leg. On the arrival of the train here, the ambulance was procured and the injured man conveyed to his home, 99 church street, where he is doing nicely.

Men's Overcoats at $3.50, $5, $6, $7.50, $10, $12 and up at Petleys'.

We Blush, But We Admit It.

From the Dundas Standard.

The Toronto World is the raciest paper that reaches our sanctum. For its editorial columns alone it is worth ten times its cost. All success to The World!

Fire With Fire.

From the N.Y. Times.

Citizens who make political issues of their race or their religion have no reason to complain if their race and religion become objects of political hostility and if their candidates are opposed for the same reasons for which they are supported.

The Better the Day the Better the Deed.

From the Montreal Gazette.

The Mail is unjust towards Mr. J. D Edgar in the last degree. We can assure our Toronto contemporary that Mr. Edgar has been here solely to test the quality of gas. Indeed to such an extent have his investigations been carried that he has been devoting his Sundays to the subject. Despite his early training as a rigid Sabbatarian, any one might have seen the good Edgar last Sunday afternoon, in the most demonstrative manner, manifesting his appreciation of a specimen of Montreal gas on the Champ de Mars in the presence of a large crowd of spectators.

THE SCOTT ACT REACTION

OVERWHELMING DEFEAT IN PRESCOTT AND RUSSELL.

The Majority Against Upwards of Eleven Hundred in a Total Vote of Less Than Three Thousand.

OTTAWA, Ont., Nov. 26.—The following returns have been received from Prescott and Russell. A few polling places have yet to be heard from, but the result will not be materially changed.

	For.	Against.
L'Orignal Village	42	45
North Plantagenet	84	218
Alfred	35	411
Hawkesbury village	62	144
West Hawkesbury	200	82
Clarence	56	35
Clarence Creek	14	134
South Plantagenet	75	105
Cumberland	67	63
Longueuil	31	117
Caledonia	73	136
Russell township	97	292
East Hawkesbury, maj. against		182
Totals	836	1964

Majority against 1128.

PERSONAL.

Hon. J. A. Chapleau is in Montreal.

Hon. G. W. Ross is in Hamilton inspecting the public schools.

J. H. Morris, Toronto, was called within the bar as Q.C. yesterday.

The Bishop of Algoma has removed to Toronto for the winter months.

W. H. Hinesworth, chief clerk of the inland revenue department, Ottawa, is in town.

Mr. F. Terry, a member of the Dark Days company, is a brother of Miss Ellen Terry.

Marshal Serranoy Dominquez, Duke de La Torre, a well known Spanish general, is dead.

Hon. Mr. Anson, A.D.C. to the governor-general, has gone to Texas on a visit to his brothers.

The rumor prevalent in Paris yesterday of M. de Lesseps' death is unfounded. He is alive and well.

County Crown Attorney Fenton is sojourning at Lopewood, N.J. The change of climate is improving his health.

Mrs. Robinson received a large number of ladies and gentlemen at the Government house At Home yesterday afternoon.

Major-Gen. Sir Fred. Middleton left Kingston Wednesday night for Fredericton, N.B., where he will inspect the infantry school.

Captain J. C. Macdougall, who was recently gazetted a lieutenant in C company I. S. C., has arrived here and entered upon his duties.

W. F. King, M.A., of the meteorological department, Ottawa, is in town on observatory business. He is the guest of James Beaty, M.P.

The Right Rev. J. Travers Lewis, D.D., Bishop of Ontario, has been presented with a confederation medal in recognition of services rendered to literature and science.

Mr. John C. Eno is described by a Detroit Tribune reporter as coming down to the shore at Windsor, Canada, and looking across the water to the American shore with wistful eyes full of tears—showing that they have uncommonly good field-glasses at Detroit.

Capt. and Mrs. Grant are expected as guests at Government house this week. Capt. Grant will be remembered as A.D.C. to Lieut.-Gov. Macdonald, and as having married the eldest daughter of Lieut.-Gov. Robinson. They come from the Sandwich islands, where they have been residing since their marriage.

Something Less Than 50,000.

Editor World: Please inform me what the circulation of your spicy little morning paper is. MEMP.

Over the Don, Nov. 26.

Mr. Justice Patterson.

Editor World: Can you inform me who the chairman of the Toronto Hospital Trust is. EAST END.

Rouges 13, Bleus 41.

Editor World: Kindly inform me of the political composition of the Quebec local legislature. ENQUIRER.

The Democrats.

Editor World: Which political party in the United States bears the strongest analogy to the liberals of England or the reformers of Canada? A. S.

Safer, but not More Profitable.

Editor World: Is the Postoffice Savings bank a safer and more profitable place for investing money than a building or loan society. CONSTANT READER.

England's Church.

Editor World: Kindly inform one of your readers in what way is the church of England in England aided by the state? INFORMATION WANTED.

[By tithes levied as well on dissenters as on members of the church.]

Allowances to Executors.

Editor World: Are executors to wills made in this country allowed by law 5 per cent. for their labor. SUBSCRIBER.

[Executors have no such right by law, but the courts generally award it where it is justified by the service].

A Young Lady's Age.

Editor World: A young man asked a young lady her age. She replied, three times seven and nine added to my age will exceed my age as double my age exceeds twenty. The young man thought she looked much older. How old was she? PATSY BOLIVAR.

The Bumptious Edgar.

Editor World: In this morning's issue, in reply to the Globe's assertion that nobody had approached the Quebec bleus on behalf of the Ontario liberals, you ask very pertinently, "What was Edgar doing in Montreal?"

I answer, making an ass of himself.

Toronto, Nov. 26. A DISGUSTED LIBERAL.

Did Riel Offer to Sell Out?

Editor World: Is it true that, on trial of Riel, evidence was given that he offered, for money consideration, to leave the country while the rebellion was in progress? If any such proposition was made by Riel, to whom made, when and what amount demanded? M. A. J.

Before the rebellion broke out he offered Father Andre to leave the country for $35,000.

Seating Capacity of the Pavilion.

Editor World: (1) What is the seating capacity of the pavilion in the Horticultural gardens? (2) What has ever been the largest attendance and when? (3) How many people were supposed to be present at the banquet to Sir John last winter? M. J. L.

Toronto, Nov. 26.

[(1) 2000; (2) this question cannot be definitely answered; (3) 1000.—ED. WORLD].

Fair But Cold.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, Toronto, Nov. 27, 1 a.m.—*The depression over the Atlantic coast has moved out to sea and has caused strong winds and gales in the gulf and maritime districts. The pressure is now increasing throughout the lake and eastern districts, and generally fair, cold weather prevails everywhere. Storm signals have been ordered down at gulf and maritime ports.*

Probabilities—Lakes and St. Lawrence, light to moderate winds; fair weather; stationary or slightly lower temperature.

Steamship Arrivals.

At New York: Europa from Hamburg; Eichin from Bremen.

At Queenstown: Abyssinia from New York.

MONTREAL, Nov. 26.—The Allans' mail steamship Sardinian from Liverpool passed Cape Race, Nfld., at 1:30 p.m. to-day.

Ontario.

Revised and Adapted to the Present Situation.

The traitor's hand is on thy throat,
Ontario! Ontario!
And you'll observe I've changed my coat,
Ontario! Ontario!
The French no longer I despise
As aliens—which may cause surprise,
But then in gas there's been a rise,
Ontario! Ontario!

Once I loved you, Ontario,
Ontario! Ontario!
But now 'tis quite contrary, O,
Ontario! Ontario!
For Riel's blood we must avenge,
And for Fish Creek have our revenge,
And for Batoche get back our change,
Ontario! Ontario!

I've got my hand upon your throat,
Ontario! Ontario!
Thanks to the French Canadian vote,
Ontario! Ontario!
You're well enough in a small way,
But I've a bigger game to play,
You'd better call some other day,
Ontario! Ontario!—*J. D. E.*