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The Crucial Test.

Precedence to be Given to Welsh Disestablishment

At the Next Session of the British Parliament.

The Action of the Lords May Involve Dissolution.

Churchill's Condition.

LONDON, Jan. 18.—A bulletin issued at 9:45 this evening said Lord Randolph Churchill had again rallied slightly.

Destructive Avalanches.

BERNE, Switzerland, Jan. 18.—Avalanches in the Canton of Ticino have caused great destruction of property and loss of life.

ROME, Jan. 18.—An avalanche broke today over part of Bardolico, the southern terminus of the Most Cenis Railroad. Eighteen Italian soldiers were buried under it.

The Armenian Massacre.

The last accounts of the massacre state that 40 Armenian villages were destroyed, and it is probable that 16,000 at least were killed. The lowest estimate 10,000 and may put it much higher. This is allowing for more fugitives than it seems possible can have escaped.

Rumors of Revolution.

PARIS, Jan. 18.—A report was circulated on the Bourse that a revolution had broken out in Greece. Although the report was not confirmed, Greek and Turkish securities declined materially.

LONDON, Jan. 18.—The report of an insurrection in Greece is discredited at the Greek legation here.

May Involve Dissolution.

LONDON, Jan. 18.—Lord Rosebery said, in a speech in Cardiff this evening, that Welsh disestablishment would be the first measure of the next Parliamentary session. He did not doubt that the Established Church in Wales was doomed, but every body must remember that the House of Lords presented a permanent barrier to the measures on which the Welsh had set their hearts. The position of the Lords was the supreme question of the hour. When the Government resolution dealing with this question should be submitted it would involve the dissolution of Parliament. Before the dissolution, however, he wished Parliament to deal with the liquor traffic, representation of labor and one-man-one-vote issues.

The Blenheim at Home.

LONDON, Jan. 18.—The cruiser Blenheim arrived at Portsmouth this morning. She experienced a stormy voyage.

Spurious Spanish Dollars.

LONDON, Jan. 18.—The Central News correspondent in Madrid sends a dispatch that a sensation has been caused by the discovery that 24,000,000 spurious Spanish silver dollars are in circulation. The coins are of the full mint weight; many are even slightly superior to the standard.

WINTER AMUSEMENTS.

Chatham Won in the Curling Match at Detroit—Other Sporting Events.

CURLING.

CHATHAM LEADS.

The primary curling match in group twelve for the Ontario tankard was played on Thursday on the Detroit rink. Six teams were entered, the Detroit, Chatham, Sarnia, Thamesville, St. Marys and Forest, but the two last named failed to show up. The games were keenly contested, and there was a large number of spectators. The final match will be played in Toronto Feb. 16. The umpire was Charles Conroy, of Windsor. Following were the scores:

Thamesville vs. Sarnia—Sarnia, 39; Thamesville, 37.

Chatham vs. Detroit—Chatham, 47; Detroit, 37.

Chatham vs. Sarnia—Chatham, 35; Sarnia, 18.

THE MILWAUKEE TOURNAMENT.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Jan. 18.—The Walker international curling trophy was yesterday won from the Canadians by the St. Paul and Cambria (Wis.) teams. As only two Canadian rinks—Selkirk and Winnipeg—were present but two American rinks could compete. Last year the Canadians won the trophy.

shots.

At Paris, on Friday, for the tankard—Paris, 85; Galt, 70.

At St. Thomas, Thursday—Ingersoll, 21; St. Thomas, 24.

ROCKEY.

At Berlin, Friday—Berlin 8, Guelph 0.

ATLETIC.

DISPUTING EXHIBITION.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Jan. 18.—The Coney Island Athletic Club last night opened a two nights' programme of fistic sport. The event of the evening was the fifteen-round contest between Dempsey and Ryan, which had failed to come off at New Orleans. There were between 4,000 and 5,000 people present. Dempsey was drunk, and in the third round Tim Hurst stopped the bout at the request of the club, owing to Dempsey's unfit condition. The battle was awarded to Ryan. The time of the round was only 2 minutes and 5 seconds.

CREMER'S MISSION

That Jonathan and John Bull May Settle All Their Disputes Peaceably.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 18.—William Randall Cremer, Liberal M. P. from a London constituency and editor of the Agitator, called upon the President at the White House this afternoon by appointment and presented the memorial signed by 354 members of Parliament, representing all shades of political opinion in Great Britain, proposing that all differences between that country and the United States that cannot be settled by the usual diplomatic methods shall be submitted to arbitration.

Steamship Arrivals.

Jan. 18. From. Prussia, New York, Hamburg. State of California, New York. Atlantic, New York, Liverpool.

THE POLITICAL ARENA.

Preparations for the Coming Contest.

Sir Frank Smith Questioned Regarding the General Election.

Haldimand Liberals will meet at Cayuga on Saturday to nominate a candidate for the Legislature.

The West Bruce Reformers will meet in convention at the town hall, Kincardine, on Tuesday, Jan. 29, to nominate a candidate to represent the riding in the House of Commons.

The Alliance Craig Banner says there was no convention of the Reformers of North Middlesex at Alliance Craig or anywhere else recently, as published in the daily papers. The executive committee, composed of eight or ten persons, of the Reform party, had a business meeting at Alliance Craig on Friday, Jan. 11, and adjourned sine die.

The annual meeting of the Reform Association of South Huron, as constituted for Dominion purposes, will be held at Dixon's Hall, Brucefield, on Friday, Jan. 25, commencing at 1 p.m. As this will be the last meeting before the general elections a full attendance is looked for.

Hon. J. C. Patterson was in Montreal on Thursday with the object of seeing Lieutenant-Governor Chapleau and sounding him as to entering the Bowell Ministry. Mr. Patterson acts, of course, for the Premier, but he is engaged in a hopeless mission, as Lieutenant-Governor Chapleau will decline to step into a leaky and sinking boat.

Mr. Masson, M. P. for North Grey, left Ottawa for home on Thursday. Asked when he would return for the session, he replied, "I may not return at all." It is Mr. Masson's opinion, evidently, that it is a toss-up between a session and a dissolution. He is not going to be a candidate again, and a Conservative convention has been called for the 29th inst., to select a new man.

PREFERRED THE LIBERAL PLATFORM.

MONCTON, N. B., Jan. 18.—The Patron movement did not succeed at Point du Lac, Westmoreland. The Liberal farmers here could not see any difference between Liberal and Patron platform which would justify the abandonment of the Liberal for the Patron party.

THE GENERAL ELECTIONS.

Sir Frank Smith, of Toronto, who is a member of the Dominion Cabinet, was in the city today, and was asked if there was any likelihood of a general election being held shortly, or if another session of Parliament would be held. He replied, "I can't tell you, but it will be decided this week by the Cabinet."

TELEGRAPHIC TICKS.

The total gold export from New York this week is \$4,150,000.

The Duke of Argyll has announced his retirement from public life.

The condition of the Duke of Argyll is not so favorable, and he is very feverish. A small sized revolution in Honolulu has been suppressed by the Government.

The Radical and Socialist press of Paris have already begun to denounce the new President of France.

The Pope has instructed the Papal Nuncio in Paris to congratulate President Faure upon his success.

Edward Solomon, the composer, formerly the husband of Miss Lillian Russell, the operatic star, is critically ill in London, Eng.

The Philadelphia municipal league and the citizens' committee are going to make investigations of the records of certain councilmen.

Avalanches in the Canton of Ticino, Switzerland, have caused great destruction of property and loss of life. All traffic is completely disorganized.

The report is in circulation that changes in the German Ministry are about to be made, emphatically denied by the official organ, the Reichsanzeiger.

Public Prosecutor Celli was murdered on Thursday in his private office in Milan by a visitor, who stabbed him in the throat. The murderer, who is believed to be an anarchist was arrested.

Beloit (Wis.) College trustees have voted to admit women to the college classes after this school year. This is a great change in the custom of the institution, which for 50 years has been for men only.

Advices from the Fiji Islands report the occurrence there of a hurricane which did great damage to shipping and property on shore, and caused the loss of many lives. The coconut plantations are ruined.

Henry B. Nason, Ph.D., M.D., LL.D., a prominent man of science, died Friday morning at Troy, N. Y. He was professor of chemistry and natural science at the Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, where he had been a professor 36 years.

After extinguishing a fire Thursday night which destroyed the building occupied by A. W. Stiefel, plumber, in Baltimore, the firemen found Stiefel's dead body in the ruins. He was well known in athletic and baseball circles.

The Hamburg authorities have forbidden the importation of cattle and swine from England and Ireland. Inasmuch as a large proportion of the American cattle entering Germany go through England, this will be another severe blow at American cattle interests and trade with continental Europe.

China has 200 miles of railway, the United States 17,601. American railways last year carried 19,348,121 pound cans of Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder.

Grip's Record.

New York, Jan. 18.—Six deaths from grip were reported this morning.

Resignation of Missionaries.

MONTREAL, Jan. 18.—It was rumored in Montreal yesterday that all the missionaries in Japan who belonged to the Canadian Methodist Church had resigned. Dr. Ryckman, when seen, admitted that there was some truth in the rumor, but said that no official statement could be made until the mission board meets next week in Toronto. The cause of the trouble is said to be dissatisfaction with the methods of the mission board.

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CONFESSED HIS GUILT!

Colossal Swindling by a New York Banker and Broker.

Edwin Quigley Owns Up to Robbing a Bank of \$144,000 by Means of Forgery.

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—Edwin O. Quigley, the senior member of the well-known firm of Quigley & Tuttle, bankers and brokers at 6 Wall street, was arrested today on the charge of robbing the Mercantile National Bank, on Broadway and Dey street, of \$144,000 by means of getting loans on bogus municipal bonds which he forged. He confessed his guilt and exonerated his partner from all blame. President St. John, of the Mercantile National Bank, says the solvency of his institution is in no way threatened by the loss.

The bank officials got positive proof, and confronted Quigley with it in his office this afternoon. Cashier Schenk induced Quigley to accompany him to the bank. Detectives Reilly and Von Gerichten were there in waiting, and they immediately made the arrest. They took Quigley before Recorder Goff at 1:30 p.m. He pleaded guilty, and was remanded to the Tombs.

Quigley is charged with forging \$160,000 worth of bonds of various cities, on which he secured \$144,000 from the Mercantile National Bank, of Dey street and Broadway, using the forged bonds as collateral. The placing of the bonds with the bank occurred within the last two months, and the fraud was so cleverly planned that it was not discovered until the coupon on which the charge was made was presented to the authorities at Cleveland and found to be fraudulent and forged.

The following amounts were secured from the bank by Quigley on loans of the forged collateral: Fifty-seven thousand dollars, city of Cleveland, Ohio; \$68,000, city of Springfield, Ohio; \$35,000, city of Harrisburg, Pa.; and \$6,000 city of Zanesville, Ohio—a total of \$166,000 of forged bonds against the bank's advances of about \$144,000.

Quigley confessed his guilt both at the district attorney's office and to Lawyer Brownell, who represents the Mercantile National Bank, and to Cashier Schenk of the same bank.

The news of Quigley's forgeries caused a good deal of a sensation in Wall street, where the firm had an excellent reputation as bond brokers. So far as can be ascertained among his intimate acquaintances Quigley possessed no vicious habits, and attended closely to his business. His method of living was modest, and neither he nor his family were given to extravagance. Whether Quigley has succeeded in victimizing other moneyed institutions remains to be seen. He evidently had more bonds engraved.

FITZSIMMONS INDICTED

For Manslaughter—Knocked Out His Sparring Partner Credon.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Jan. 19.—Robert Fitzsimmons, the pugilist, was indicted by the grand jury for manslaughter in the first degree today. At a performance in Jacobs' Opera House in this city on Nov. 16 last Con Credon, his sparring partner, was knocked out by Fitzsimmons, and died after laying unconscious for several hours.

WHAT ARE THEY GOOD FOR?

The Japs Walk All Over the Johns Again

—Chased Them Until Sunset.

LONDON, Jan. 19.—A dispatch to the Central News from Hai Cheng under the date of Jan. 17, midnight, says Gen. Katsura reports as follows: The Chinese previously reported advancing from Liao Yang and another body of troops from New Chwang aggregating 12,000 men, with 100 banners, this forenoon approached within two kilometers of our lines of defense. We kept under cover, hoping they would come nearer. At 2 o'clock this afternoon we opened fire upon them with four battalions of infantry, one battalion of artillery, and twelve guns. At 3 o'clock we charged, routed the enemy's right wing, capturing five cannons. The whole force retreated. Part of them went to New Chwang, but most of them went northward. We pursued them until sunset. Our casualties: 4 killed or wounded. We are now examining the loss of the enemy.

Death of Miss Stevenson.

ASHVILLE, N. C., Jan. 18.—Miss Stephenson, daughter of the Vice-President, died this evening.

Sudden Deaths.

TORONTO, Jan. 18.—Alex. R. Christie, the well known lumber and vessel owner, died very suddenly this morning at his residence. He was 79 years old.

Jan. 18.—Mrs. McDonald, mother of Dr. Savage, of this city, while on her way to the depot today to take the train to Elora, became ill and died in a few minutes.

Money Marrying Money.

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—There is a rumor in cub circles that George Vanderbilt, a son of Cornelius Vanderbilt, has become engaged to marry Mary Moses Taylor, a well known young lady and the possessor of millions. Mrs. Taylor is a son of S. A. Taylor and a grandson of Moses Taylor, who died a number of years ago, leaving a fortune estimated at \$40,000,000.

Suicide of a Toronto Man.

TORONTO, Jan. 18.—W. Durand, a young society man, with a wife and three children, committed suicide this morning by taking morphine. He had carried on a liaison with a young lady, and to keep it up had embezzled large sums of money from his employers, the Massey-Harris Company. This being found out Durand took his own life.

Committed Three Murders and Suicided.

FAIRMONT, Minn., Jan. 19.—Last night Sam Hotelling, a farmer living five miles south of here, went to the house of T. B. Whitney, his father-in-law, and shot and killed both of the old people and his wife who had left him and gone to live with her parents. Hotelling then fled to his own house near by and barricaded the doors and windows in anticipation of a siege. He kept the sheriff's posse at bay until this morning when the house was riddled with bullets. An entrance was forced and Hotelling was found dead, having shot himself in the head.

Hon. Mr. Taillon is reported much better.

ON TUESDAY NEXT

The First Meeting of the New County Council Will Begin.

Plenty of Aspirants for the Warden-ship—New Members.

On Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock the January session of the Middlesex County Council for 1895 will open. One duty which necessarily devolves upon it, and in which no lack of interest is felt, is the election of a warden. Mr. W. S. Calvert occupied the position last year with credit to himself and advantage to the county. He defeated Mr. W. L. Corbett, reeve of Parkhill, in a close vote. This year, however, Mr. Calvert will not sit in the council, though he was urgently requested to run again for the reeveship of Metcalfe, in which township he is looked upon as a leading citizen.

THE NEW WARDEN.

The election of a warden will be the first business. It is generally understood to be run on political lines, and the tussle on Tuesday will, it is expected, be no exception. Among those more prominently mentioned as candidates are W. L. Corbett, John A. Leitch (reeve of Glencoe), Peter Elson (reeve of London township), Trafford Campbell (reeve of East Williams), Henry Hardy (reeve of Caradoc), and A. M. Millan (reeve of Parkhill). It is understood that none of these will refuse nomination, but it is certain they will not all stand. Messrs. John A. Leitch and W. L. Corbett are strongly favored by the Conservative members. The former has been in the field for some time, but Mr. Corbett had his eye on the chair before and ever since his defeat last year. Messrs. Trafford Campbell and Henry Hardy are viewed with favor by the Liberals, and either one of them will make a strong run. According to a leading councillor, caucuses will be held on Tuesday morning and the candidates finally selected.

MR. CORBETT TALKS.

A reporter met Mr. Corbett yesterday and interviewed him on the outlook. "I suppose you are a candidate for the warden's chair?" was asked.

"You can count on me in it once more," was the reply.

"Are there any others in the field?"

"Yes," said Mr. Corbett. "I believe Mr. Leitch is."

"Is there a probability of two Conservatives running if a Liberal is nominated?"

"We may have a majority in the incoming council. The lowest candidate in each vote does not necessarily drop out, and if a determined struggle is to be made the Conservatives can all fall over to one of their number. Tuesday will tell the tale."

THE NEW MEMBERS.

About the usual number of members will make their initial bow in a public capacity. Among them are: C. Cuddy (deputy reeve of Adedaid), C. H. Laughlin (second deputy reeve of Caradoc), Peter Elson (reeve of Glencoe), C. M. Simmons (reeve of Lobo), Bennett and J. Lewis (reeve and deputy reeve of Metcalfe), T. Prest (second deputy reeve of Metcalfe), Samuel Parry (reeve of Nissouri), successor to ex-Warden Duffin, Simon McLeod and James Pedlar (reeve and deputy reeve of West Williams), A. R. Murdoch (deputy reeve of London West), and John Archer (reeve of Newbury).

WORK FOR UNEMPLOYED.

Heads of Families and Others With Nothing to Do.

A Pressing Problem in This City—Ex-Mayor Taylor's Views.

To the Editor of the "Advertiser":

The number of unemployed workmen at present in this city, I feel warranted in saying, is greater than at any time within the last ten years. I am not, in this letter, going to attempt to deal with the cause of the great business depression existing in Canada at present, but with a desire to modify, if possible, to some extent the existing state of affairs as far as the good city of London is concerned.

For the want of employment many worthy and honorable men (in numerous cases heads of families) are now feeling extremely anxious as to how they are going to pay rent and furnish food and clothing for their families. There has been, certainly, a great deal done in the way of relief by private citizens and charitable organizations, but the charge, I feel assured, is getting beyond the reach of private aid.

I do not wish it to be understood, however, that I desire to see indiscriminate relief granted to those who are in health and strength, unless the want of employment or other circumstances actually warrant personal relief. But what I do consider would to some extent relieve the distress of the unemployed, would be the starting of the part of the corporation of employment of some nature, so that two or three days' work could be given in each week to actual residents or heads of families until such time as there may be a break in the present business depression. Providentially, the winter has been mild up to the present, but that to some extent has prevented numbers from occasionally obtaining a day's work shoveling snow.

The workmen of London are not, I hope, in as distressed a condition as are those of Quebec, Montreal and other cities, but nevertheless, in proportion to our numbers we have a fair share of the suffering that the great depression in business has brought about. Men are searching the back yards every day, looking to see if there is a wood pile so that they may obtain the sawing of the same. I have been informed that wherever a little work is going on there are numerous applicants supplicating for just one day's employment. I feel satisfied that should the mayor and council decide upon some scheme for the providing of employment, it is to no greater extent than breaking stones, the citizens will heartily support their endeavors to relieve those who are willing and able to work for an honest living.

GEORGE TAYLOR.

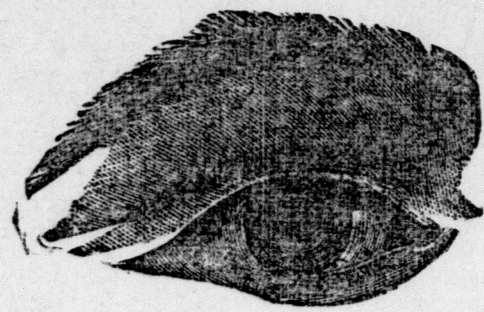
Adelaide street, Jan. 18, 1895.

THE BUTTE HORROR.

The Death Toll 54—Children Driven Insane by the Concussion.

BUTTE, Mont., Jan. 19.—The death of M. L. Miles increases the number of deaths as the result of the fire and explosion to 54. It has just been reported that an infant was killed in its nurse's arms in South Butte by a flying piece of iron passing through the wall of the house. Three children were driven insane by the concussion, and six men at the hospitals cannot recover.

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Silks.

"A charming collection in reduced circumstances," is the way a lady expressed her appreciation of our surplus offerings, at

25 cents a yard.

You should see them.

Carpets.

The mere mention should be sufficient—everybody knows we are the leaders in both buying and selling. We have a few too many Tapestries. Beautiful designs. We are cutting them at 50c. Sixty pieces of this fall's importations of English Brussels at 75c and 85c. These two are rare bargains.

Ordered

Clothing.

Some men want their clothing made to measure. For all such we have a Custom Tailoring Department, which, run in association with other stocks, costs less than if alone. Therefore, we can save money for the fastidious man, while we fit and please him with his clothes, more especially for the next two months, as we are most anxious to keep our work people employed. Stylish West of England Suits \$13 to \$22. English Worsteds and Serges, \$20 to \$25.

Blankets.

Their kind is legion. We have only the best and sell them this month at

\$3 15 the pair

Feel their weight.

Dress Goods.

Styles of last fall even are too old to live in this dress stock with the likelihood of new ones arriving inside of a month. We want the space they occupy.

25 cents a yard.

42-inch all-wool French Cashmeres. 44-inch Brocaded Cashmeres, all wool. 44-inch all-wool Cheviot Suitings.

32 cents a yard.

44-inch all-wool Surah Twills, usually 50 cents.

35 cents a yard.

45-inch Fancy French Costume Cloths, reduced from 75 cents; 32 different patterns and colorings.

50 cents a yard.

45-inch Repps, usually 67 cents; 45-inch Striped Camel's Hair; 46-inch English Suitings.

At 55 cents.

50-inch Chintz Costume Cloth, reduced from 85 cents.

Men's Wear.

Bought by a man whose one study is the excellencies and defects of all drygoods a man can wear. His worst fault is buying too much; thinks he is buying for New York or Chicago. We have too many of the following: Heavy Top Shirts, full size, with laced front, only 32 cents; all-wool heavy Undershirts and Drawers only 39 cents each, usually 60 cents; heavy all wool Ribbed Socks, seamless, usually 17 cents per pair, only 10 cents; your choice of 53 different patterns of Silk Four-in-Hand Scarfs, usually 25 cents for 15 cents.

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