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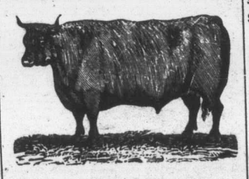
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## THE DISTRICT CAMPS.

Officers Who Will Constitute the Various Staffs.

### THE PERMANENT MILITIA FORCE

How the Reduction in the Strength Will be Effected—Establishment of Infantry Companies Reduced to Seventy-six Officers and Men.

Ottawa, June 10.—It is understood that Lieut.-Col. Smith, D.A.G. of No. 1 district, will command the Camp of Instruction which is to be held at London. The following officers will constitute his staff: Lieut.-Col. John Irwin, 26th Batt.; W. H. Lindsay, 7th Batt.; W. W. White, 30th Batt., and Major Vidal, permanent corps. Their precise positions have not been decided, but will be left to Col. Smith. Surgeon Major Hanavon will be principal medical officer of the camp.

No. 2 District Camp, Niagara, will be conducted by Lieut.-Col. Buchan, Acting D.A.G. The following is the staff: Major Pellatt, Q.O.R., brigade major; Major McLaren, 13th, supply officer; Capt. Cartwright, permanent corps, camp quartermaster; Major Macdonald, 48th Highlanders, instructor of musketry; Surgeon Major Strange, principal medical officer.

District No. 3, Kingston.—Lieut.-Col. Cotton, D.A.G., in command. The staff is as follows: Major Heron, G.G.F.G., supply officer; Major Biggar, 16th, camp quartermaster; Capt. Hora, 14th, instructor of musketry; Lieut. March, 8th Hussars, orderly officer; Surgeon Major Neilson, principal medical officer.

The successful tenderers for supplies are as follows: Camp at London, meat, John Lockyer; bread, R. McGinn; potatoes and groceries, Fitzgerald, Scandrett & Co.; foraging and straw, W. Percival; wood, T. S. Walls.

Niagara Camp—Meat, R. Bishop; bread, Patterson & Son; potatoes and groceries, T. F. Best; forage, E. A. Wood; wood, Cumpson & Green. All these tenderers reside in Niagara and vicinity.

Kingston—Bread, W. Pollitt; potatoes and groceries, Jos. Hiscock; forage, Jos. Franklin; straw, C. Donoghue; wood, D. Grimshaw & Co.

It is understood that in accordance with the decision of the Governor-in-Council to reduce the strength of the permanent corps from one thousand to eight hundred officers, non-commissioned officers and men, the reduction as affecting the corps in Ontario will be as follows: No. 1 Company, R.C.R.I., London, 76 officers and men, instead of 106 as at present; No. 2 Company, Toronto, 76 officers and men, in place of the present strength. The other corps will be reduced pro rata as near as may be to the two companies in Toronto and London. Owing to the fact that the cavalry at Toronto is proportionately smaller in that district than elsewhere, the Toronto troop will retain its original number of about fifty officers and men.

### WILL NOT INTERFERE.

Hendershott and Welter to Hang on the 18th of This Month.

Ottawa, June 10.—Miss Mary Hendershott has been here appealing for the lives of her father and affianced husband. The authorities, however, will not interfere, and John Hendershott and William D. Welter will suffer the extreme penalty for their crime on the 18th of this month.

**The Jack Tied Up.**

Port Huron, June 10.—The Canadian steamer Jack, which was wanted on a libel for $164,000 for the sinking of the steamer Norman off Alpena, and which got away from that port before the papers could be served, slipped past the folks at Port Huron on Saturday morning, still keeping in Canadian waters, but Deputy Marshal Petit chased after her in the fast tug Thompson. When she was finally compelled to get into American waters he was right at her heels, and clapped the libel on her. The Jack was brought to this port and tied up. Her owner, Calvin, of Kingston, is a wealthy man, and will undoubtedly have her released on bond.

**Nova Scotia Lieut.-Governorship.**

Halifax, June 8.—There is a rumor in circulation that Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper will succeed to the Lieutenant-Governorship of Nova Scotia for the next term. Mr. Daly's time expires next month. There has been an idea that Mr. Daly would be reappointed, as he has made a very popular official, but on the other hand it has been understood that there have been several claimants to the position, some extremely unsuitable. These would be likely to resent a second term, but perhaps it might be considered the difficulty would be solved by the appointment of Sir Charles Hibbert.

**Propose to Save $25,000.**

St. John's, Nfld., June 10.—One of the Whiteway Government's retrenchment proposals is the abolition of the Allan Line ocean mails between Philadelphia, Halifax, St. John's and Liverpool, and the substitution therefor of a special service between St. John's, Halifax and Boston by local steamers. This, it is estimated, will effect a saving of $25,000 and will largely increase the trade between Newfoundland and New England. This new scheme is strongly approved of by business people, because opportunities are offered for the development of mutual trade which will probably result eventually in a reciprocity agreement

**Charged With Killing Emily Hall.**

Detroit, June 8.—Dr. Dennis J. Seaman and Mrs. Alice Lane were arraigned in the Recorder's Court yesterday on the charge of manslaughter, in having by a criminal operation performed January 25 on Emily Hall of Halesowen, England, caused the death of the girl on February 3 following. The prisoners refused to plead, and a plea of not guilty was entered. The trial of Dr. Seaman was set for June 17. This is the case in which the English clergyman Bell was implicated.

**Caleb Hartley's Insurance.**

Brantford, June 8.—Mrs. Hartley, who was charged with the murder of her husband, Caleb Hartley, at the Fall Assizes here last year, has entered an action against the Canadian Home Circle for the amount of $2,000, which is the sum her late husband was insured for in that society. The Home Circle has paid the amount into court, and the son Fred will contest his deceased's father's right to alter the certificate to his (the son's) exclusion and in favor of Mrs. Hartley.

**Disciples of Wilde.**

London, June 10.—As a result of inquiries into the secret life of the great public schools, the investigation having arisen from the Wilde trial, one school has expelled sixteen boys whose conduct was not what it should have been.

**Hurt by a Falling Telephone Pole.**

Ridgetown, June 10.—A heavy telephone pole was being felled by a Bell telephone gang on Saturday, when it got beyond control and fell in a slanting direction across the sidewalk, crashing through the large plate glass front of R. Davidson's establishment, striking and severely injuring Amy McLean and Grace Ridley, two little girls, in its descent.

## THE PRESS ASSOCIATION.

An Annual Excursion Will be Held to Quebec and the Maritime Provinces.

Toronto, June 8.—At the meeting of the Executive of the Canadian Press Association, which was held yesterday in the Queen's Hotel, there were present:—Messrs. L. W. Shannon, Kingston, in the chair; J. S. Brierley, St. Thomas; Andrew Laidlaw, Galt; T. H. Preston, Brantford, and J. A. Cooper, Secretary, Toronto. A considerable amount of routine work was disposed of, and it was decided, if a sufficient number of members were disposed to take it in, to hold an annual excursion through the most picturesque portions of Quebec and the Maritime Provinces. The excursion will start on the 29th of the month.

A project for engaging a permanent counsel in cases of libel suits was talked over, and it was resolved:—"That the Executive Committee endorse the proposal that a solicitor be employed to defend actions for libel brought against members of the association; but, believing that the agreement for his services should be made between the solicitor and individual members, it recommends Mr. J. H. King, who is hereby nominated as such solicitor, to communicate with members, with a view to making contracts direct with them."

A resolution was also passed:—"That the Canadian Press Association views with alarm the decision recently given by the Quebec courts in the case of Pelland v. Graham, in which the principle is laid down that newspaper publishers are legally responsible for libellous matters that may be contained even in admittedly fair reports of public meetings; that it regards such a decision as a serious menace to the liberties of the press and to the public interests, and as a check upon the exposure of wrong-doing, and that it heartily endorses the decision of the defendant in this case, the publisher of The Montreal Star, to carry an appeal if necessary to the higest court in the realm."

### FIRED ON AMERICANS.

A Canadian Government Crew Brings Some Garbage Dumpers to Time.

Amherstburg, Ont., June 7.—Captain Dunn, of the Government steamer Petrel, manned the small yacht Ranger with ten of his men well armed and looked for garbage boats last midnight. Soon he spied the tug Grace E. Ruelle, of Detroit, and her dump-scow dumping garbage in Canadian waters. He ordered the captain of the tug to stop, but the latter declined. Capt. Dunn's men fired on the Americans, who immediately surrendered and they were brought here and locked up. The people here are greatly excited and demand that the severest penalty be imposed.

**The License Fee will not be Exacted.**

Ottawa, June 8.—The deputation of Americans who came here some weeks ago to protest against the imposition of a license fee of $5 charged American anglers on the Canadian side of the St. Lawrence River had a successful mission. Mr. John Hardie, acting Deputy Minister, has written the Americans that the Department of Fisheries will instruct Dr. Wakeham or other officers of the department to meet a commissioner or commissioners appointed for that purpose by the Senate of the State of New York to discuss the details of the proposed scheme and will instruct the Canadian fishery officers that the angling permit license fee of $5 established by order in Council is not exacted during the present season within the limits referred to.

**Canadians for Henley.**

Toronto, June 10.—The Argonaut four-oared crew, G. H. and R. G. Muntz, and F. H. and E. A. Thompson, will leave today by the 2 o'clock steamer across the lake, to sail on the Britannic from New York on Saturday. They go with the highest credentials, the champion four of Canada and the United States. They have been in strict training for some time and are certain to give a good account of themselves in the race for the Stewards Cup at the Henley Royal Regatta next month. The Thompsons are also entered for the Diamond Sculls, and if "Bush" turns out as good as he has been he should be pretty near the front in that event.

**A Remarkable Cure.**

Montreal, June 10.—La Samaine Religieuse, the organ of Mgr. Fabre, publishes the remarkable story of the Rev. Sister Lucain of the Providence Community. This reverend lady declares that she took sick in the year 1888 and continued along until 1893, when she began to grow worse and last month was given up by her doctor as incurable. Then the reverend lady states she made a novena in honor of the Rev. Mother Gamelin, the founder of the Providence Nuns, and while at mass she felt herself suddenly cured of a disease that had baffled the skill of the ablest doctors. Dr. Leblanc confirms the truth of the lady's recital.

**Overloaded With Pig-Iron.**

Cleveland, O., June 8.—The large new passenger steamer Macnus sank in the Cuyahoga River off the custom house docks last evening. The Macnus was partly loaded with pig-iron, and had tied up for coal. When the lines were loosened she listed to starboard and gradually sank, settling in 30 feet of water, leaving only the tops of her masts above water. The Macnus was about to make her first trip, her destination being Hamilton. No passengers were on board, and the crew was easily rescued. The cause of the accident is said to have been overloading.

**Revenue Returns for May.**

Ottawa, June 10.—The revenue for May shows an increase of $434,000, accounted for chiefly by an increase of $180,000 in customs and of $200,000 in excise, due to the ex-warehousing of spirits and sugar during the first three days of May, just prior to the tariff increases on May 3. The total revenue to date for the eleven months of the fiscal year falls short of the previous year by $2,868,000. The total expenditure for the eleven months is about half a million in excess of that of 1894.

## FINANCE AND COMMERCE

**Toronto Breadstuffs Market.**

Toronto, June 10.—Wheat—There is a fair demand and the market is steadier, in sympathy with the advance in the western markets. Cars of red and white sold, high freights west at $1. Manitoba wheat is firm. There have been sales of No. 1 hard afloat Fort William at $1, and cars west are quote at $1.05, and Montreal freigs at $1.08.

Flour—There is very little inquiry and the market is unchanged. Cars of Ontario patents are quoted at $5, and straight roller at $4.75 to $4.80, Toronto freights.

Millfeed—Is quiet. Cars of shorts are quoted at $16.50, and bran at $12.50, west.

Barley—There is nothing being done in malting grain. Cars of feed are quoted at 32c to 34c outside.

Rye—There is some demand and the market is firm at 49c for cars east.

Oats—The offerings are fair, the demand is slow and the market is about steady. Holders of white wait are asking 40c, with 39c bid for mixed and 39c for white. Cars on the track here are quoted at 42c.

## AN ARMED CRANK.

Arrested Near Balmoral With a Loaded Revolver and a Bag of Cartridges.

Aberdeen, June 7.—An unknown man was arraigned in court here to-day charged with having fired a revolver on the Ballater road, near Balmoral. The hearing was adjourned pending inquiry for additional evidence. The man is suspected of being a crank, and of loitering about Balmoral watching his chance to make an attack upon some member of the royal family.

The man proved to be Thomas Don, son of a farmer living at Crieff. When he was arrested he said he was on his way to Balmoral to obtain an interview with the Queen. He had in his pocket a paper headed, "To the Queen," and a letter addressed to Mr. Gladstone, in which the writer said he was about to become King of Britain. He also had letters addressed to Mr. Vanderbilt, offering to marry the millionaire's daughter. The numbers of his revolver were filed, and he had besides fifty cartridges in his pocket. His arrest was due to information laid by two men who met him on the road to Balmoral, and observed him practising with his revolver. He resisted arrest and fought desperately before he was overpowered.

## ESCAPED THE GALLOWS.

Edwards Was Proven Insane—He Killed His Sister

Montreal, June 4.—Edwards, who killed his sister at Outremont by a blow on the head with a hammer in March last, was brought up in the Court of the Queen's Bench yesterday morning for trial. The governor of the jail, Mr. Vallee, stated that he had no doubt whatever but that Edwards was insane. Other witnesses corroborated this testimony, and the judge ordered the jury to bring in a verdict accordingly.

**Methodist Ministers and the Book Room**

Hamilton, June 4.—In the Methodist Conference Rev. Dr. Briggs of Toronto, book steward, fired a bomb by announcing that members of the conference were hundreds and thousands of dollars behind in their accounts with the bookroom. He intimated that unless some of them settled up right speedily action would have to be brought in the courts. Some of the ministers expressed the opinion that Dr. Briggs had no right to bring such a thing up at the conference. Dr. Briggs replied by stating that a minister then on the floor of the house owed $460. He had been dunned for it and had written a reply stating that he would remember the account in his will.

**Tornado in Prince Edward County.**

Picton, June 4.—A tornado of wind and hail, lasting fifteen minutes, passed over the northern portion of this county yesterday afternoon, and apparently expended its force on Cornwall Point and Big Bay, in the Bay of Quinte. Three schooners in Big Bay were stripped of their canvas. Cornwall Point is a summer resort on the Bay of Quinte, opposite North Port. All the cottages are more or less damaged. One cottage and a large boathouse were blown out in the bay, and floated away. Crops are probably damaged with the hail, but to what extent cannot be ascertained yet.

**General Rivera Assassinated.**

Madrid, June 4.—Major Clavijo, an infantry officer, walked into the office of Gen. Primo Rivera, Captain-General of Madrid, drew a revolver, and without a moment's warning fired two shots at the General, both of which took effect in the chest. Gen. Primo Rivera fell to the floor mortally wounded, and his assailant attempted to fire again, but Gen. Aymerich, who was present, struck the assassin down with his sabre and summoning the guards had him taken to prison. He will be executed to-day.

**The Fleet at Beyrout.**

Constantinople, June 4.—Seventeen British warships are now lying at Beyrout. The Porte denies that anything has happened at Beyrout, and declares that the visit of the British fleet to that port is made in connection with its ordinary evolutions.

**The Newfoundland Loan.**

London, June 4.—The Times says: We understand that the Newfoundland loan is £550,000. The rate of interest will be 4 per cent. The subscribed stock will be issued this month. The price has not been fixed. Glyn, Mills, Currie & Co. will receive tenders.

**Niagara Falls a Lake Port.**

Buffalo, June 5.—United States Engineer Maj. E. H. Ruffner announces that the third cut has at last been finished in the dredging operations at Connors Island, and Niagara Falls has thereby entered the list of lake ports.

**Kincardine Has a Blaze.**

Kincardine, June 4.—A fire yesterday destroyed Laird's barber shop, Denning & Clark's large frame block, and a building owned by the McPherson estate. The loss is over $3,000, with about $1,500 insurance.

**Upset in the Canal.**

Ottawa, June 10.—Hon. J. F. Wood, Col. Tyrwhitt and Col. Denison were out boating on the canal on Saturday, when the craft upset and immersed the three gentlemen in a mixture of muddy water and oil.

**Mrs. Pope Sent Down for Life.**

Detroit, June 5.—The jury in the case of Mrs. Nellie Pope, charged with the murder of her husband, returned a verdict last night of guilty. She was sentenced to life imprisonment.

**Maltreated Their Patients.**

Berlin, June 10.—The Aachen Court sat all last week in the trial of an action for libel brought against a journalist named Max Scharre and two others for defaming the characters of monks of Marizberg, in accusing them of maltreating lunatics confined to their institution. The defendants succeeded in proving that the accused monks were most illiterate workmen, and that they had resorted to the old methods of controlling their patients by torture, confining them in chains, beating them, and even exposing some of the inmates in a semi-nude state to the heat of intense fires. The entire scandal arose from the case of a Scotch priest named Forbes who went to the monks' asylum to be cured of intemperance. Forbes succeeded in getting away from the place, and immediately disclosed the practices of the monks and their attendants. The case was closed on Saturday by the acquittal of Scharre and his associates. The National Zeitung of Munich, The Allgemeine Zeitung, and other papers are clamoring for the prosecution of the monks, and public feeling against them is so strong that the police are obliged to protect them from mob violence.

**Wrecked on Brigg's Reef.**

Belfast, June 9.—The tug Ranger in an attempt to float the British steamer Deliverer, before reported ashore on Brigg's reef on the coast of County Down, Ireland, struck the wreck of the steamer Emily, which was lost on the reef some years ago. The tug was so badly damaged that she sank immediately. The crew were saved. It is now feared that the Deliverer will become a total loss, as the sunken tug and three wrecks block the only direction in which she can be hauled off the reef.

## THE VARSITY EXAMINATIONS.

The Results at Last Made Known to the Students.

Toronto, June 10.—The results of the Varsity examinations for 1895 are at last known to the students, although incompletely as yet in the third and fourth years of the Department of Political Science. The Senate will meet to-night and pass the complete results in time for Convocation to-morrow afternoon. The successful men so far are:

Masters of Arts.—W. G. Armstrong, J. H. Brown, A. Budge, A. Carruthers, E. Coombs, J. N. Dales, E. B. Horne, C. J. James, H. T. Kerr, W. J. Knox, W. S. Milner, H. R. A. O'Malley, G. B. Wilson.

The following candidates have passed their examination for the degree of Bachelor of Laws: W. M. Boultbee, J. H. Brown, W. P. Bull, F. D. Davis, J. A. Giffin, W. A. Gilmour, V. G. Hughes W. M. Lash, G. E. McCraney, P. E. McKenzie, S. J. McLean, C. A. Moss, D. Ross, H. E. Sampson, J. A. Scellen, W. A. Smith, G. B. Wilson, P. E. Wilson, S. B. Woods.

Scholarships, medals and prizes. First year—The Moss scholarship in classics, Miss Kirkwood. The Fulton scholarship in mathematics and physics, H. J. Dawson. The Fulton scholarship in natural sciences, J. W. Wells. The Fulton scholarship in chemistry and mineralogy, V. Kitto.

Second year—The Alexander Mackenzie scholarships in political science, G. C. Sellery 1, A. W. Hendrick 2. The William Mulock scholarship in mathematics, G. F. Colling and T. E. McNab, equal. The Blake scholarship in natural sciences, H. M. E. Evans. The Blake scholarship in chemistry and mineralogy, W. Smeaton. The geology prize to F. C. MacDonald.

Third year: Scholarship in physics—Miss Laird 1, A. M. Scott 2. Daniel Wilson scholarship in natural science, B. A. Bensley and J. A. Ferguson, equal. The Daniel Wilson scholarship in chemistry and mineralogy, J. E. Hodgson. The geology prize to J. A. Ferguson.

Fourth year: The McMurrich medal in natural sciences to W. H. Piersol. The Cawthorne medal in natural sciences to C. J. Lynde.

Degree of Civil Engineer—A. M. Bowman, A. E. McAllister.

Degree of Bachelor of Applied Science—A. T. Beauregard, W. A. Bucke, J. A. Ewart, W. J. Herald, H. E. Job, S. M. Johnson, A. C. Johnston, J. E. McAllister, A. L. McTagart, W. Minty, J. D. Shields.

Degree of Bachelor of Science of Agriculture—The following have passed: A. H. Christian, M. W. Doherty, W. A. Kennedy, G. A. Robertson, G. F. Rowe, E. T. White, A. T. Wiancko, J. W. Widdifield. The following are starred: D. F. Kidd, A. A. King.

Degree of Bachelor of Pedagogy—J. Waugh.

Pharmacy—The following candidates have passed the examination for the degree of Bachelor of Pharmacy: T. Allen, C. H. Amys, J. A. Anderson, W. E. Bauer, W. J. Bauld, J. R. Y. Broughton, A. T. Brown, N. H. Brown, E. J. Bryson, G. F. Campbell, J. M. Cavanagh, D. A. Dickson, W. Faulds, J. M. Fisher, J. S. Fraleigh, A. F. Gledhill, J. C. Grosh, T. Hatton, A. E. Hotson, G. A. Ionson, W. J. Kirkland, C. T. Laird, S. C. Lamb, J. W. Little, A. I. McCall, F. T. McMaster, A. E. Marett, W. Mitchell, W. H. Pearson, H. A. Raney, A. W. Roberts, A. C. Rosebeck, H. Rowland, B. P. St. John, N. Smith, H. Taylor, G. E. Thatcher, W. W. Turner, J. N. Woodward. The following candidates in pharmacy have been starred: A. Cundle, H. G. Radcliffe, T. L. J. Wynn.

## PARNELL'S POLITICAL PAPERS.

A Proposal to Destroy Them Calls Forth Strong Protests From His Friends.

London, June 10.—The executors of the will of the late Charles Stewart Parnell have decided to destroy his political correspondence. The decision called forth vehement protests from friends of the deceased statesman against wiping out valuable historical records. The letters cover the time from the rising of Fenianism to the Home Rule agitation, and include reports of interviews with and communications from Mr. Gladstone, Lord Randolph Churchill, the Earl of Carnarvon and Archbishops Walsh and Croke. The friends maintain that the letters would be certain to reveal many state secrets which would justify the executors in sealing them up for fifty years, but they hold that they have no right to destroy them. Mr. Parnells' estate promises to pay 10s. in the pound.

## MASSACRED BY THE CHINESE.

English, French and American Missionaries Slain at Cheng-Tu.

London, June 10.—The Telegraph publishes a Shanghai despatch saying it is almost certain that all persons connected with the English, French and American missions at Cheng-Tu have been massacred. The Chinese admit that telegrams have been stopped by Government orders. A French gunboat has gone to Wu-Chang on the Yang-Tse-Kiang to inquire into the matter. Virtually the whole Province of Canton is in a state of anarchy, the rival factions raiding each other.

**$5,000 for a Foolhardy Trip.**

New York, June 10.—A 19 foot sloop was moored at the Battery Saturday by Capt. Robert McCallum, a 19-year-old lad who proposes to start on Tuesday next in a trans-Atlantic voyage. The boat has a keel and draws 2 1-2 feet of water. She is 4 1-2 feet beam and is made of cedar. Her deck is flush, and the lone sailorman will have a space below 4 by 6 for living quarters. He will heave to in the daytime for a six-hours' sleep and man the helm 18 hours of the 24. He expects to take 45 days to Queenstown. Richard K. Fox will give him $5,000 if he accomplishes the voyage.

**Object to the Taking of Fry.**

Windsor, June 10.—The Essex County Council passed a resolution unanimously on Saturday petitioning the Hon. Minister of Marine and Fisheries to take necessary action to prevent the fish hatcheries sending enormous quantities of white-fish from the Detroit River to Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and other places, to be placed in lakes owned by private persons, as no proof can be produced that a single white fish fry the product of a hatchery ever arrived at maturity.

**Wrecked at the Long Salt Rapids.**

Winnipeg, June 9.—The steamer Monarch, bound from Rat Portage to Port Frances, Rainy Lake, loaded with passengers and freight, was wrecked last evening at Long Salt Rapids. The passengers were rescued after some difficulty, but the freight was lost and the vessel wrecked. This is the third vessel wrecked at the

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