

Births, Marriages, Deaths

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FOR SALE—FIFTY ACRES OF LAND—Good brick house, outbuildings, etc., in McGillivray township, con. 3, lot No. 8. Apply at 463 Talbot street, London.

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NOTICE IN THE MATTER OF THE guardianship of Llewellyn Davis, Gwendoline Davis, Evans, David and Llanarch, William Davis, infants. Take notice that after the expiration of twenty days from the first publication of this notice, an application will be made to the Surrogate Court of the County of Middlesex, for a grant of letters of guardianship of the above named infants to Archibald Davis, of the city of London, in the County of Middlesex, father of the said infants.

WILL BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION, by J. W. Jones, at his rooms, Dundas street, London, on Monday, the 17th day of December, at the hour of 2:30 p.m., the stock of Hewitt & Zimmerman, of Oil Springs, as follows:

General dry goods.....\$1,038 25
Boots and shoes.....203 28
Groceries, etc.....317 86
Crockery.....116 23
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Terms: One-quarter down, balance 2, 4, 6 and 8 months, with interest at 7 per cent per annum. Stock list on the premises and with vendors' solicitors, Messrs. G. Gibson & Harper, London, Ont.

AUCTION SALE OF HIGH-CLASS FARM stock, Dec. 11, 1 o'clock, at Ed. Seatcherd's, Winton.

POLITICAL POINTS

North Bruce Liberals Will Appeal Against Judge's Decision Regarding Ballots—Quebec Elections.

Hon. David Mills, minister of justice, has abandoned his proposed trip to Mexico for the present. He will not go until after the session of parliament.

North Bruce Liberals have decided to appeal against the decision of the county judge regarding the ballots, and, if necessary, to protest Mr. McNeill's election.

The return of the following members was gazetted Saturday: Hon. tenac—Hiram A. Calvin. Grey North—E. H. Horsey. Lambton East—Oliver Simmons. Victoria North—Samuel Hughes. Northumberland East—Edward Goodwin.

Later returns show that there will be only five Conservatives out of 74 members of the Quebec Legislature. Mr. Joseph L'Heureux, who has been elected in St. Johns, wires that he is not a Conservative, as has been reported, but a good Liberal supporter of the Parent Government. Mr. Napoleon Lemay, the successful candidate in Lotbiniere, says that he ran as an independent, not as a Conservative, and will give an independent support to the government.

INNOCENT MAN SEVEN YEARS IN PRISON.

Philadelphia, Dec. 10.—After serving seven years of a thirteen years sentence in the penitentiary here, James Parker, of Ellisdale, N. J., has been released as innocent. He was accused and convicted of stealing a woman's watch and a cheap suit of clothes.

BIG TIMBER LIMIT SALE.

Toronto, Ont., Dec. 10.—The interest of Turner & Fisher, of Bay City, in the timber limits and other valuable property sold on Saturday at auction by the Bank of Toronto, was bid in by the Turner Lumber Company of Midland, Ont., for \$441,000.

FELL FIVE STORIES.

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 10.—Fireman John Flynn, a marvelous escape from being killed, during the \$300,000 conflagration which destroyed the Baltimore Bargain House, on West Baltimore street, Flynn was on the roof of the building when, overcome by smoke, he lost his balance, toppled backwards and fell five stories. On the way down he struck three different spouts. Each action that he struck gave way, but each broke the momentum of his fall. As he struck the lowest piece of the rain spout his aluminum helmet dropped off. He fell upon the helmet, smashing it flat. When his companions picked him up he was unconscious, but revived shortly, when it was discovered that the only injuries he had received were a number of bruises on his shoulders and a broken ankle.

Brain workers and nervous people know the beneficial effects derived from the use of the genuine DR. SIEGERT'S Angostura Bitters.—Adv.

The body of Miss Kate Kellher, an attendant at the Mercer Reformatory, was found Saturday just within the gate of the grounds. She had gone for a walk and died of heart failure.

ALL HANDS LOST!

A Barge and Her Entire Crew Sunk in Lake Erie—Eight Persons Drowned.

Cleveland, Ohio, Dec. 9.—A special from Erie, Pa., says: In the midst of one of the most bitter gales that ever swept Lake Erie the iron ore barge Charles Foster, in tow of the Iron Duke, went to the bottom at 4 o'clock this morning, ten miles off Erie, and eight persons were drowned, as follows: Capt. John Bridge, of Cleveland; first mate, name unknown; second mate, name unknown; Seamen Robert Wood and Wm. Kelly, of Port Austin, Mich.; cook, Mrs. May, of Detroit; two unknown deck hands.

The Foster was one of the fleet of James Corrigan, of Cleveland. Capt. Ashley, of the Iron Duke, made Erie in safety. In an interview he said: "When we turned for the harbor a sea much heavier than any other experienced struck us. I ran to the stern. Just as I reached there the Foster plunged in an awful sea and dove nose first. There was not a cry from a been icy cold. Had there been a cry the storm was so heavy that I could not put about to hunt for anyone. There would not have been a particle of use, anyhow, because in those tremendous seas no one could have lived a minute, even if the water had not souled of the crew of eight she carried. For help I would have turned and risked my ship, but it was no use. I had all I could do to make port in safety myself."

There had not been a single signal of distress from the Foster up to the time she sank. She is in 80 to 100 feet of water. The Foster was valued at \$19,000, but there was no insurance. The life-saving crew could find no trace of the wreckage today.

THE QUEEN TO KING CARLOS.

Much Touched by the Portuguese Monarch's Kindly Message.

Corps of 10,000 Colonists May Be Formed for British Army Service—Two Disastrous Railway Accidents—The Philippine War.

Lisbon, Dec. 9.—King Carlos has received from Queen Victoria the following telegram, in response to one sent by his majesty yesterday:

"I am greatly touched by your kind telegram. I sincerely thank you, my dear nephew, for it, and the good wishes you entertain toward me and my people. It is again with the greatest pleasure that I recognize the cordial and friendly understanding between Portugal and England."

After cordial farewells to the Portuguese officials and an exchange of salutes the British squadron sailed at noon.

AN ALLIANCE.

At Saturday's banquet on board the British battleship Majestic, when King Carlos, Queen Marie Amelie and Prince Louis Philippe, together with the members of the cabinet and other dignitaries, were entertained by Vice-Admiral Sir Harry Holdsworth Rawson, the Portuguese premier, Senator J. Luciano de Castro, toasting "Queen Victoria and Great Britain," said: "The alliance that had long existed in treaties and has been confirmed in recent acts." He said the significance of the alliance was an "assurance that our rights will be respected and our dominions maintained."

Sir H. G. McDonnell, the British minister, in responding, thanked the government of King Carlos for the friendly attitude maintained with such cordiality toward Great Britain during the government of Queen Victoria. "The confirmation of the alliance which unites us indissolubly," continued the British minister, "is there in the presence of the channel squadron. Ancient ties are drawn closer by recent events. The British Government desire that a firm and durable alliance may be ever maintained." In conclusion, he proposed "The prosperity of Portugal and the happiness of the royal family."

SALUTES THE OLD FLAG.

Senator Villaea, minister of marine and the colonies, who responded, said: "We welcome our allies. There (pointing to the British flag) is the British flag. Let us salute it with respect and affection, as the Portuguese flag was saluted at Komati Port. These two salutes are a public affirmation of the alliance."

Senator Villaea toasted the British squadron.

Sir Henry Rawson, replying, said: "I welcomed with enthusiasm my instructions to come to Lisbon where our union and alliance are now being celebrated. I thank you for the reception and I drink to our sister navy, which has gloriously maintained Portuguese traditions."

COMING ACROSS.

London, Dec. 9.—Lloyd's weekly London newspaper says it learns that the Duke and Duchess of York will visit the United States on their return journey from Australia, via Canada.

CARLOS PLAYS TENNIS.

Lisbon, Dec. 8.—The officers of the British fleet today played football and lawn tennis. The king was among the tennis players. This evening a banquet was given at the naval arsenal, at which 200 guests, mostly British and Portuguese naval officers, were present. The British squadron will sail for home tomorrow.

TWO DISASTROUS ACCIDENTS.

Madrid, Dec. 8.—A collision occurred today between Ovejo and Vaca, on the railroad from Cordova to Belmez. As a result of the accident seven persons are dead and twelve are suffering from injuries sustained.

Cologne, Dec. 8.—A bridge at Differdingen in the Grand Duchy of Luxemburg, collapsed today as an

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ing Emperor Nicholas, possibly on the Riviera.

CABLE NOTES.

The Countess de Castellane, says a dispatch from Paris, is reported to be seriously ill as the result of worry caused by Count Boni's creditors.

The Boxers are disturbing North and Western Korea, says the St. Petersburg correspondent of the Daily Mail, and the Russian troops are preparing to scatter them.

T. Ackland-Hood (Conservative) has been elected to the House of Commons from the west of Wellington, division of Somerset. He had no opposition.

It is announced, says a New York Herald dispatch from Buenos Ayres, that the next wheat crop will not be inferior to that of 1899.

A Hobart Town, Tasmania, dispatch says: The crew of the British steamer Harlech Castle, which recently brought 600 Australians from South Africa to Adelaide, mutinied today. A number of policemen are now on board of her.

With reference to the American contracts for bridges along the line of the Uganda Railroad, Sir Henry Johnston, the commissioner for Uganda, says that owing to the disastrous strike of British engineers the railway officials were compelled to send orders to America, owing to the British firms being unable to supply their wants in reasonable time.

A Brussels telegram says: Owing to recent heavy rain the River Senne has overflowed the suburbs and inundated a portion of the city. The Rue Du Cercle is under water. The inhabitants are imprisoned in their houses.

England is negotiating for a cession of the Balearic Islands, the seaport of Ceuta, a port in Galleia, and extension of territory at Gibraltar, says a New York Journal and Advertiser dispatch from Madrid.

Napoleon's launch and other historical relics have been destroyed by a fire at the Cherbourg, France, arsenal.

Admiral Kautz, in San Diego, Cal., has received a hurry order to sail for South America with the United States warship Iowa and Philadelphia.

New Zealanders are talking of a federation to embrace their own islands and those of Fiji, Tonga and the Cook and Savage groups.

Stockholders of Stratton's Independent mine in Colorado met in London to discuss the \$2,000,000 shortage in the ore reserve recently discovered. The meeting was riotous and broke up in disorder.

Fifty-two prisoners were captured in the suburbs of San Antonio and San Bulfo in the Philippines last Wednesday by a detachment of the 37th Regiment. Many escaped, but a portion of these were overhauled and captured by the gunboat Lagunada de Bay.