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Are You Moving This Spring?

Don't neglect to have the Evening Advertiser delivered to your new address. It's the brightest paper in the city.

Born, Married, Died.

DIED.

DICKEY—On Tuesday, May 11, at the family residence, North Dorchester, Robert Dickey, in his 78th year.

The funeral will leave his late residence on Thursday, at 12 o'clock, for Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

Amusements and Lectures

Advertisements under this heading, two cents per word, or ten cents per line each insertion.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE—TONIGHT—The hit of the season, Augustin Daly's New York Company in George Edwarde's Musical comedy success, "THE GEISHA." Prices: First two rows circle, $1.50; balance lower floor, $1; balcony, 75c, admission 50c; gallery 25c. Seats now on sale. 14k

SOUSA'S BAND WILL GIVE GRAND JUBILEE CONCERT, Princess Rink, Queen's Birthday (one evening performance only). Plan opens Saturday, 15th inst., at Bell Piano Warerooms, 167 Dundas street. Prices 50c, 75c, $1. No extra charge for reserving. Important Announcement—in order to avoid confusion numbered checks will be given out at 8 a.m. Saturday and seats will be reserved in rotation upon opening of plan. 16i

ZONE FETE—WESLEY HALL—THURSDAY and Friday evenings, May 13 and 14. Admission 10c. b

ZONE FETE—FRUIT FROM THE TROPICS, ice cream and water ices at market prices. b

TONIGHT—MISSIONARY ADDRESS IN St. James' Presbyterian Lecture Room by Rev. Jas. G. Stuart, South London. Collection. b

B. FAY MILLS, OF NEW YORK—IN Dundas Center Church, May 17, 18, 19. Everybody hear him. 7bg

$1.75 TO DETROIT—COURT MAGNOLIA excursion via Grand Trunk Railway, Queen's birthday; two full days. 12g wtxtzxt

HEAR LADIES TELL HOW THEY make talent money in King Street Methodist Church, Thursday evening. Collection. b

REV. B. FAY MILLS LECTURES IN Dundas Center Church, Monday, May 17, "The Social Perils"; Tuesday, May 18, "The Way Out;" Wednesday, May 19, "The Christianization of Christians." Tickets 25c. 17i

PROF. A. H. WELCH—The phenomenal Phrenologist and Character reader, will give two more entertainments in Y. M. C. A. lecture room, 8 o'clock.
Wednesday—Physiognomy.
Thursday—Love, Courtship and Marriage.
Illustrated by 50 portraits, busts, skulls, etc. Silver collection. Private consultation at the Grigg House, 10 a.m. till 10 p.m. Highest testimonials; excels wherever he goes. 16u

HO! FOR ENGLAND—VERY LOWEST rates to the Jubilee via the Allan Line. Tickets at FRANK B. CLARKE'S, Richmond street, next Advertiser.

VOICE CULTURE—EVA N. ROBLYN. Studio, 346 Dundas street. Concert engagements accepted. 1x

WE ARE TOO BUSY TO ADVERTISE. Look us up. DAYTON & McCORMICK, 476 Richmond street, upstairs.

Meetings.

ST. GEORGE'S SOCIETY—THE USUAL monthly meeting Thursday evening, 13th. All members requested to attend. B. J. Nash, president; R. Cadwallader, secretary. b

"B" SQUADRON, FIRST HUSSARS, will assemble at the armory, corner Hamilton road and Egerton street, on Thursday next, at 7:30 p.m.; a few recruits who can provide good horses will be taken on. J. B. SMITHERS, captain. 16u 57c

Domestics Wanted.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—GOOD GENERAL servant. Apply 549 Colborne street. 15c

WANTED A RESPECTABLE GIRL FOR general work. No laundry work. References required. Apply 288 Dufferin avenue. 12tf

GOOD GENERAL SERVANT WANTED—References required. Apply 501 English street. 17c

HOUSEMAID WANTED—APPLY 518 Queen's avenue. 15tf

NURSE GIRL WANTED—AT ONCE—References required. Apply 418 Queen's avenue. 15c

WANTED — GOOD GENERAL GIRL — Apply between 6 and 8 o'clock p.m. 487 English street. 16c

GENERAL SERVANT—NO LAUNDRY work; references required. 164 Albert street. 16c

RESPECTABLE GIRLS CAN FIND choice situations in hotels and private houses. Wanted cooks, dining-room, generals, girls for country and summer resorts; also men and boys for farm work. Lots of good places at the Osborne, 56 Dundas street. Phone 383.

RING UP THE OLD RELIABLE Dwyer's Agency, for housekeepers, cooks, nurse girls, housemaids, generals; also good smart dining-room girls wanting. Good generals for in and out of city. 391 Richmond street. Phone 1,121.

Female Help Wanted.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

WANTED — GOOD WAIST HAND — Apply to Miss LOGAN, at Smallman & Ingram's. b

FIRST-CLASS VESTMAKER WANTED at W. SLATER'S, opposite the V. None but first-class need apply. b

WANTED — THREE EXPERIENCED saleladies. WHISKARD'S fancy store, 232 Dundas street, London, Ont. 15k

Male Help Wanted.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

BARBER WANTED — WILKINS', 264 Dundas street. 15c

WANTED—AN IDEA—WHO CAN think of some simple thing to patent? Protect your ideas; they may bring you wealth. Write JOHN WEDDERBURN & Co., patent attorneys, Washington, D.C., for their $1,800 prize offer and new list of 1,000 inventions wanted.

Miscellaneous.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

PRIVATE PARTY HAS SEVERAL hundred dollars to lend on city property. Apply box 900, Advertiser office. 17k

WRITERS WANTED—TO DO COPYING at home. Law College, Lima, Ohio. 15c

FREE—TO ALL FARMERS—CATALOGUE and Sport Potato; best for market and table use. By mail for 6 cents. A. McLENIS, 283 Talbot street. xv 26h

DRUNKENNESS CURED IN NINE DAYS —Recipe for $2. Address JAMES HAINBIRD HOWE, 30 Emerald street south, Hamilton, Ont.

Articles For Sale.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

SMOKESTACK—NEARLY NEW, 44 FEET by 18 inches. PATTERSON & JOLLY. 17tf xt

THIRTY SIX FEET IRON FENCE, TWO gates. Apply T. L. BISSELL, after 6 p.m., 360 St. James street. 17c

FOR SALE—MACHINERY, WOOD AND iron working, pulleys, hangers, machinists' tools, blacksmith's tools, gas fittings and pipes, steam pipes and fittings, wood workers benches cheap. PATTERSON & JOLLY, Ridout street. 45tf xt

NORWAY SPRUCE—SURPLUS STOCK of very fine and extra large trees at half price. R. STEPHENS, South London. Telephone 1,135. 86xt tf

FOR SALE—CART—CHEAP—APPLY AT once. 494 King street. 15c

SODS FOR SALE. APPLY M. F. O'MARA, No. 1 Market Bazar. 15z

KEEP YOUR HAIR ON—BOTH OLD and young, for nothing looks worse than a bald head. When it comes first no man need be bald if he will use Cook's Sure Hair Restorer. Call and see what he has done for himself. Pork Shop, corner Hill and Wellington streets. Call and be convinced that he can do what he claims. zxv

FOR SALE—PONY (BAY)—QUIET AND sound; suitable for family use; also phaeton (by Gray, Chatham) and two sets harness; at a bargain, owner having no use for them. Address P. C., this office. 16i

SHEET RUBBER AND RUBBER HOSE, hose nozzels and reels and lawn hydrant, SMITH BROS., 265 Dundas street. x

FOR SALE—ONE 30 HORSEPOWER automatic "Brown" engine, built by Goldie, McCulloch & Co., Galt. Cylinder 16 inches, stroke 24 inches; can be run at 60 revolutions, or as high as 90 revolutions; also one tubular exhaust feed water heater. The engine can be seen at H. POHTER & Co.'s storage warehouse, Carling street, London, Ont. 6tf-3tf

REFRIGERATOR AND STOVES FOR sale cheap at Keene's furniture store, Masonic Temple, Market Square.

BICYCLES, BICYCLE REPAIRING, best work at moderate prices. D. McKENZIE & Co., 393 Richmond street, up stairs. Phone, 1115.

TWO EXECTRIC DYNAMOS FOR NICKEL plating, also several for electric lighting. Prices low. Address H. W. PETRIE, Toronto. 13ub

A FEW GOOD RANGES, TWO ORGANS and general assortment of furniture at the Ark, Market Square.

PIANOS, PIANOS—NEW AND SECOND HAND, also a beautiful assortment of music and musical merchandise, and two good organs cheap. Anderson's Book Store, Nordheimer's Piano Agency, 183 Dundas street.

LUMBER.
DOORS,
FINISHING.
DYMENT-BAKER LUMBER CO
Corner Wellington and Bathurst Sts.
London. xt

Agents Wanted.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

SALESMEN WANTED IN EVERY DISTRICT to handle reliable goods, new season, samples free, salary from the start. For particulars write Luke Bros. Company, Montreal. zxv

LIVE MEN AND WOMEN WANTED everywhere to take orders for gold plated badges and medals commemorative of Queen Victoria's Diamond Jubilee. Full line of samples 75c. C. M. ROBBINS, Attleboro, Mass., U. S. A. 16c

AGENTS NOT MAKING $10 PER WEEK and not asking $50 (no idlers wanted), write for particulars. J. L. NICHOLS & Co., 23 Richmond west, Toronto. 88tf-d&w

FOUR GOOD AGENTS—TO SELL THE Canister Coffee Mill. Sells in every house. 50 Dundas street. 15c

AGENTS WANTED TO REPRESENT the Farmers' and Traders' Life and Accident Assurance Company, Limited. For particulars address the secretary, box 1,254 St. Thomas, Ont. 93tf

Wanted.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

WANTED—STAVE AND HEADING machinery; must be in good order and prices low. Address H. W. PETRIE, Toronto. 14n

WANTED—TWO BOSS SHINGLE MACHINES; send full particulars. H. W. PETRIE, Toronto, Ont. 55h

WANTED — GENTS SECOND-HAND clothing; highest cash price paid. A. P. SAINSBURY, 90 King street. Mail orders attended to.

IF YOUR BICYCLE NEEDS CLEANING or repairing take it to HUTCHINSON'S, 651 Dundas street.

Real Estate.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

TWO BUILDING LOTS 52 FEET 8x110 feet, Ridout street, next Fullarton street. Apply on the property. PATTERSON & JOLLY. 14tx tf

FOR SALE HOUSE, 865 DUNDAS street; all modern improvements. Apply on premises. 15m

FOR SALE—NICE CONVENIENT BRICK cottage, with large well stocked garden and grounds, one of the prettiest sceneries in the city; must be sold, owner leaving for England. Apply on premises. Inspection invited. JOSEPH KNOWLES, Weston street, London South. 12tf

GOOD BUILDING LOTS IN NORTH END, Central avenue, Wellington street, and near car shops. First buyer will get a bargain. J. F. SANGSTER, 403 Richmond street.

Lost and Found.

Advertisements under this heading, one cent a word each insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

LOST—YORKSHIRE TERRIER BITCH, answers to the name of Dot. Reward if returned to C. BRENNAN, barber. 17c

LOST ON CLARENCE STREET, BETWEEN King and South, a lady's ring, with stone missing; also a ruby, which fitted it. Will finder please leave address at Advertiser office. 17u

LOST—ON WEDNESDAY EVENING last—Between St. Andrew's Church and the Memorial Church, by way of Dundas street, a feather boa. Finder please return to 167 Queen's avenue. 14tf

Insurance.

THE WESTERN ASSURANCE COMPANY of Toronto; capital $2,000,000.
Caledonia Insurance Company of Scotland; assets $10,000,000.
London and Lancashire Assurance Company of London, England.
Canada Accident Assurance Company of Montreal.
JOHN STEPHENSON, Agent,
Office, Huron and Erie Loan Building. xt

Furnished Rooms.

WELL-FURNISHED LARGE FRONT room in new house, modern conveniences, in central locality. Address J. R., this office.

Situations Wanted.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

SITUATION WANTED IN OFFICE, store, warehouse or any place of trust by young man; first-class references. Address W. J., Advertiser office. 13n

Houses, Etc., To Let.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

TO LET—BRICK COTTAGE, ALL MODERN conveniences, with large lawn and fruit trees, corner Oxford street and Thornton avenue. Apply next door north. 17k

TO LET—FINE CORNER RESIDENCE, with stable, on Queen's avenue, near Wellington, suitable for a physician; also second door east, all first-class new conveniences. J. F. SANGSTER, 403 Richmond.

TO LET — TWO-STORY BRICK HOUSE 434 Dufferin avenue; all modern conveniences. Apply 537 Colborne street, or ANDERSON & NELLES, druggists. 14h

TO LET—BRICK HOUSE—ON KING street; nicely situated; rent moderate. Apply 409 King street. 11m

TO RENT—457 PICCADILLY STREET, large modern brick cottage. P. WALSH, 110 Dundas street. 10tf

Tenders for Coal 1897.

The undersigned will receive tenders, to be addressed to them at their office in the Parliament Buildings, Toronto, and marked "Tenders for Coal," up to noon on Tuesday, 25th May, 1897, for the delivery of coal in the sheds of the institutions named below on or before the 15th day of July next, except as regards the coal for the London and Hamilton Asylums and Central Prison, as noted:

ASYLUM FOR INSANE, TORONTO.

Hard coal, 1,050 tons large egg size, 200 tons stove size, 75 tons nut size; soft coal, 425 tons lump, 100 tons hard screenings, 100 tons soft screenings.

ASYLUM FOR INSANE, LONDON.

Hard coal, 1,800 tons small egg size, 300 tons egg size (Scranton coal), 205 tons stove size, 70 tons chestnut size; soft coal, 40 tons for grates. Of the 1,800 tons 1,000 may not be required till January, 1898; also 50 tons Scranton egg.

ASYLUM FOR INSANE, KINGSTON.

Hard coal, 1,100 tons large egg size, 225 tons small egg size, 35 tons chestnut size, 400 tons hard screenings, 400 tons soft screenings, 6 tons soft lump, 20 tons stove size (hard).

ASYLUM FOR INSANE, HAMILTON.

Hard coal, 3,150 tons small egg size, 174 tons stove size, 196 tons chestnut size; Straitsville, for grates, 74 tons; for pumphouse, 130 tons soft screenings, 50 tons hard screenings. Of the above quantity 2,192 tons may not be required until January, 1898.

ASYLUM FOR INSANE, MIMICO.

Hard coal, 1,950 tons large egg size, 175 tons stove size; soft coal, 75 tons lump, 150 tons hard screenings, 75 tons soft screenings; 50 cords hard wood.

ASYLUM FOR IDIOTS, ORILLIA.

Screenings, 1,500 tons, 100 tons stove size, 200 tons large egg size.

ASYLUM FOR INSANE, BROCKVILLE.

Hard coal, 1,600 tons large egg size, 130 tons stove size, 20 tons grate.

CENTRAL PRISON, TORONTO.

Hard coal, 50 tons nut size, 60 tons small egg size; soft coal, 1,500 tons Reynoldsville screenings, 100 tons lump. The soft coal to be delivered in lots of 150 tons monthly.

INSTITUTION FOR DEAF AND DUMB, BELLEVILLE.

Hard coal, 650 tons large egg size, 90 tons small egg size, 15 tons stove size, 22 tons No. 4 size; soft coal for grates, 4 tons.

INSTITUTION FOR BLIND, BRANTFORD.

Hard coal, 425 tons egg size, 150 tons stove size, 20 tons chestnut size.

MERCER REFORMATORY.

Hard coal, 500 tons small egg size, 100 tons stove size.

Tenderers are to name the mine or mines from which they propose to supply the coal, and to designate the quality of the same, and if required will have to produce satisfactory evidence that the coal delivered is true to name.

Delivery is to be effected satisfactory to the authorities of the respective institutions.

Tenders will be received for the whole quantity above specified or for the quantities required in each institution.

An accepted check for $500, payable to the order of the Honorable the Provincial Treasurer must be furnished by each tenderer as a guarantee of his bona fides, and two sufficient sureties will be required for the due fulfilment of each contract. Specifications and forms and conditions of tenders are to be obtained from the Bursars of the respective institutions. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

R. CHRISTIE,
T. CHAMBERLAIN,
JAMES NOXON,
Inspectors of Asylums, Prisons and Public Charities.
Parliament Buildings, Toronto, May 10, 1897. 17k xvyt

Pawnbrokers.

T. FOX, ORIGINAL PAWNBROKER lends money on diamonds, watches and jewelry; business strictly confidential; highest price paid for cast-off clothing. 383 Clarence street.

WILL BE SOLD BY J. W. JONES, AT his auction rooms, Dundas street, London, on Tuesday, the 18th, of May, inst., at 2:30 p.m., the stock in trade of G. W. Smiley, St. Thomas, as follows:

Hardware, paints, oils, etc.	$1,628 09
Tinware	305 74
Stoves	253 00
Tinners' tools	221 50
Shop furniture	29 35
Chattels	178 00
Total	$2,595 68

Terms: One fourth down, balance 2, 4, 6 and 8 months, with interest at 7 per cent approved indorsed paper. Stock list on the premises, and with the undersigned. GIBBONS, MULKERN & HARPER, solicitors for trustee, London, Ont.; C. B. ARMSTRONG, trustee. 14u tx

THE CANADIAN SAVINGS AND LOAN Company of London—Notice is hereby given that a dividend at the rate of six per cent per annum on the capital stock of the company has been declared for the current half year, payable on and after the 1st day of June next, at the office of the company, 410 Richmond street, London. The transfer book will be closed from the 15th to the 31st May, both days inclusive.

The general annual meeting of the shareholders will be held on Wednesday, June 30th, at 2 p.m.

M. H. ROWLAND, Acting Manager. 15czxt

TENDERS WANTED — UNDERSIGNED will receive tenders to 2 p.m., May 29, for construction of street bridge 60 feet long over Bear Creek, lot 29, con. 2, Plympton township; bridge to have stone abutments and four wings. Tenders received for work separately or en bloc as desired. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. HUGH MONTGOMERY, Reeve of Plympton township, Wyoming P. O. 17c

TENDERS WANTED FOR TAKING down buildings. Specifications and all information on the premises. Tenders received till 5 o'clock, Friday 14th. PATTERSON & JOLLY, Ridout street. 7u

Winding Up the War.

Text of the Powers' Joint Note to Greece.

Immediate Steps Taken to Stop Hostilities.

The Evacuation of Crete Begun — Turkey Wants $25,000,000 From Greece for War Expenses.

Athens, May 12.—The note of the powers, presented at 4:30 a.m. yesterday, says:

"The representatives of France, Italy, Great Britain, Germany and Austria charge M. Onou, the representative of Russia, and the doyen of the diplomatic corps, to declare, in the name of their respective Governments, that the powers are ready to offer mediation with the view to obtain an armistice and smooth the difficulties actually existing between Greece and Turkey, on condition that the Hellenic Government declares it will proceed to recall its troops from Crete, adhere formally to autonomy for Crete, and accept unreservedly the counsels which the powers give in the interests of peace."

The reply of the Greek Government was:

"The Royal Government, in taking the note and declaration of the Russian representative, acting in the name of the ministers of the powers, declares it will proceed to recall the royal troops from Crete, adheres formally to the autonomy for Crete, and confides the interests of Greece to the hands of the powers."

M. Skouloudis consulted all day long with the premier, M. Ralli, and the king. All the officials of the Foreign Office were up all night long in anticipation of the action of the German minister, Baron von Plessen, who sent his secretary to inform the Greek Foreign Office that he had received instructions to join in the representations of the powers and to proffer mediation. As soon as the reply of Greece to the note of the powers was handed to the representatives of the powers, the latter telegraphed the Greek decision to the representatives of the powers at Constantinople, with the request that they obtain and armistice with the view of arranging permanent peace.

There is a sense of relief in Athens at the prospect of an immediate end to the calamitous war. There is no excitement, and no popular demonstration is anticipated.

Canea, May 12.—The Greek troops are already leaving Crete on board three steamers. Two Greek steamers will embark 400 Greek soldiers at Platania tomorrow.

A Constantinople dispatch says: The expenses of the war with Greece are extimated at £5,000,000, which Greece will pay as an indemnity, in annual installments, guaranteed by the Thessalian revenues.

The Porte has given a positive denial to the statement that the Sheikh Ul Islam has issued a circular to the imams in Constantinople and the provinces, foreshadowing a holy war.

SAD SCENES.

A dispatch to the Daily News from Larnia, dated Sunday, says that 8,000 Thessalians are herded there and in the neighboring villages after the successive flights from Tyrnavo, Larissa, Pharsalos and Domokos. The most pitiful scenes are to be witnessed on every hand. Thousands of women and children are exposed to the continuous heavy rains. Fires are of nightly occurrence, and villages are burned wherever the Turks can be seen. The Greek authorities have endeavored to supply bread to thousands of the homeless, but their efforts are almost unavailable.

TURKISH ATROCITIES.

Arta, May 12.—It is reported that the Turks have severed the arms and legs of all the Greeks found in the village on the plain of Louris and left the mutilated bodies by the roadside to terrorize the population.

The Athens correspondent of the Daily Chronicle says: M. Ralli, the Premier, showed me today dispatches and reports from Col. Manos and various civil authorities in Epirus, showing that fourteen villages between Houlcar and Kastrosicka have been burned by the Turks after all the women and children had been massacred, except a few who hid in the fastnesses of Mount Zalongos, and a few more who concealed themselves in the marshes along the shore, and finally managed to get aboard the Greek ships. The men fought like lions in defense of the women, who sought refuge in the woods and caves of Mount Zalongos, and when chased by the Turks jumped from precipices to avoid capture and dishonor.

HOW THE GREEKS FOUGHT.

London, May 12. — A correspondent who saw the battle of Velestino, where Gen. Smolenski hurled back Edhem Pasha, telegraphs: Velestino has proved that the Greek soldiers, when well led, can cope successfully with the Turks, even though outnumbered. This battle has proven them good fighters, long fighters and stayers. To be sure, the army retreated from Velestino, but it was no fault of the army. The commander bit his fingers and cursed when the order came to retreat. He knew that his army had victory within its grasp. For three days he had been holding the Turks beautifully in check, killing them as fast as they fell upon him. In the middle of the intoxication of victory came the orders to fall back. Why? Eight charges the Turks made on Saturday, and they were repulsed each time. The desperate Turkish cavalry even attacked their enemy on a steep, rocky hill. The Turks were in great numbers and fought according to the precepts of their religion. But the Greeks were never daunted, and whipped them well.

TURKISH PREPARATIONS GOING ON.

London, May 12.—A dispatch to the Standard from Constantinople says: It is reported that orders have been sent out for the mobilization of the fifth and sixth army corps reserves stationed at Bagdad and in Syria, and for the immediate dispatch of 50 battalions to Konieh, from which point they will be taken to Ismeed, in Asia Minor. These preparations, which involve an expense that Turkey is quite unable to bear, cannot be required against Greece, and they excite anxiety, as indicating that Turkey is preparing either to confront a more formidable foe or to place herself in such a strong position that she will be able to ignore the powers and their plan of mediation. Three staff officers have been sent to the depots of 40th army corps at Ezeroum and Erzingen, to report whether there is a sufficient supply of arms and equipments to mobolize the reserves of that corps. Six officers of the Turkish troops stationed at Janina, together with the commandants at Louros, Philiopiada and other stations, have arrived here in chains. They will be tried for neglect of duty in face of the enemy.

The correspondent of the Daily News at Rome says: It is reported here that Russia and Austria have concluded an agreement to maintain the status quo in the Levant, and to divide influence in the Balkans, giving Russia a free hand in the eastern portion and Austria in the western.

THEY WANT PEACE.

London, May 12.—Up to the present there is no sign of a revolution or of a definite anti-dynastic movement at Athens. The people appear to be relieved at the prospect of mediation, and will be only too glad to see peace restored. The powers are using their influence to persuade Turkey to cease hostilities, though there are some doubts as to whether they will succeed. The reports that fighting occurred yesterday at Domokos and at Myros are not confirmed. M. Ralli, in the course of an interview at Athens, intimated that the acquiescence of Greece in the conditions proposed by the powers was due to the belief that they would not allow Turkey to retain an inch of Greek territory. This appears to be the general opinion of European diplomats, who also consider that Turkey should be satisfied with a moderate indemnity.

COMPLICATIONS LOOKED FOR.

Constantinople, May 12.—The ambassadors met yesterday for an exchange of views on the subject of mediation. Meanwhile the Turks were advancing in Greece, Edhem Pasha's original orders being to march upon Athens. Uneasiness prevails here on the subject of the peace negotiations. It is feared that the reported conditions will render an agreement difficult and cause further complications.

Constantinople, May 12.—The Turkish military commander at Janina telegraphs that all the Greek forces in Epirus have fled to Arta, abandoning 3,000 rifles, 300 cases of ammunition, and a mountain gun.

Quebec Stands Solid!

Great Liberal Victory in the Sister Province.

Premier Flynn Gets In by the Skin of His Teeth,

But the Liberals Carry the Province by an Overwhelming Majority.

Five Seats Out of Six in Montreal Gained by Hon. Mr. Marchand.

Tremendous Turnover in the Provincial Legislature.

The Liberal Majority Now 32 and May Be Greater.

Montreal, May 12.—The Liberal wave, which swept over the Dominion last June, is flowing stronger than ever in this province. The Flynn Government, which went before the electors with a majority of 20, has been left in a minority of 32 as a result of yesterday's general election. It is the greatest victory the Liberal party ever won here.

MONTREAL'S MEMBERS.

In the city of Montreal the Conservatives carried only one seat, namely, St. Lawrence, by 281 majority. Mr. Cooke, the Liberal candidate there, was elected at the last general election as a Conservative in Drummond county, but left the party on account of the scandalous loan floated in Paris by the Taillon Administration. His conversion to Liberalism was too recent, and if a straight Liberal had run in that division Hon. A. W. Atwater, the Provincial Treasurer, would have been defeated. In St. Mary's division Dr. Lacombe, Liberal, was elected by 914, whereas Mr. Martineau, his opponent, had a majority of 456 at the last election. In St. James' division Mr. Lomer Gouin converted a Conservative majority of 132 into a Liberal majority of 779. In St. Louis division Ald. Rainville converted a Conservative majority of 301 into a Liberal majority of 615. In St. Antoine division, Mr. Robert Bickerdike converted a Conservative majority of 2,201 into a Liberal majority of 23, and in St. Ann's division, Dr. Guerin, Liberal, was again returned, although by a reduced majority.

As went Montreal, so went the province. Premier Flynn only succeeded in squeezing in in Gaspe, which he has represented for 20 years, by a majority of 7. His brilliant opponent, Mr. Charles Marcil, a rising young Montreal newspaper man, may get the seat on a recount. Mr. Flynn's majority at last general election was 702. Next on the list of defeated is Hon. Louis Beaubien, Minister of Agriculture, who is at least 300 behind Mr. Bisson in Beauharnois. Hon. M. F. Hackett, Provincial Secretary, had a narrow escape in Stanstead, his previous majority of 600 having been reduced to 73. Hon. Thos. Chapais, another Minister, could not be defeated, because he is a member of the Upper House. Taking the campaign as a whole, it was one of the dullest on record. There was no great issue and no excitement. The Liberal sweep is, therefore, all the more remarkable. It cannot be attributed to the influence of the Ottawa Government, because there was a general complaint among the Liberal candidates that their friends at Ottawa would do little or nothing for them. One reason for the great change is the desire of the people to have an improved system of public education, on the progressive lines laid down by the Liberals. Mr. Flynn, in the last days of the campaign, made a desperate effort to retain power by bribing the counties along the south shore with a guarantee of $8,000,000 bonds for the Atlantic and Lake Superior Railway from Montreal to Gaspe. But this completely failed through the good sense of the electorate. The counties which he tried to bribe nearly all went Liberal, and, on the other hand, the reckless use made of the credit of the province alarmed the capitalists of Montreal and contributed to his overwhelming defeat here.

LIBERALS REJOICE.

The Liberals were jubilant last night over the great victory that they have gained throughout the province, and they celebrated the victory by processions and speeches. Thousands of people gathered in front of The Patrie office and were addressed by Liberal speakers.

One election, that for Magdalen Islands, takes place in June. It will go with the Government.

THE MAJORITY.

The new Legislature will stand:

Liberals	53
Conservatives	21
Total	74

Liberal majority, 32.

After last general election in 1891, the Legislature stood:

Liberals	20
Conservatives	54
Conservative majority	34

THE RETURNS.

The following are the returns:

Argenteuil—Weir, Lib., by 200; former majority, Con., 37.

Arthabasca—Girouard, Lib., 600; former majority, Lib., 97.

Bagot-Blanchet—Lib.; former majority, Con., 82.

Beauce—Beland, Lib.; former majority, Con., 420.

Beauharnois—Bisson, Lib., 300; defeated Hon. Louis Beaubien; former majority, 827, Lib., with two Conservative candidates.

Bellechasse—Turgeon, Lib., 400; former majority, Turgeon, 18.

Berthier—Chenevert, Lib., 100; former majority, Con., 131.

Bonaventure—Lemieux, Lib.,; former majority, Lib., 273.

Brome—Duffy, Lib., 350; former majority, Con., 394.

Chambly—Rocheleau, Lib., 12; former majority, Hon. L. O. Taillon, Con., 164.

Champlain—Grenier, Con., 100; former majority, Con., 789.

Charlevoix—Danteuil, Con., 100; former majority, Lib., 81.

Chateauguay—Hon. J. E. Robidoux, Lib., 500; former majority, Con., 152.

Chicoutimi—Petit, Lib.; former majority, Con., 591.

Compton—Hunt, Lib., 108; former majority, Con., 688.

Dorchester—Hon. L. P. Pelletier, Con.; former majority, Con., 1,171.

Drummond—Watts, Lib., 280; former majority, Con., 6.

Gaspe—Flynn, Con., 7; former majority, Con., 702.

Hochelaga—Decarie, Lib., 1,500; former majority, Con., 2,352.

Huntingdon—C. W. Stephens, Lib., 200; former majority, Stephens, Lib., 55.

Iberville—Gosselin, Lib., 712; former majority, Lib., 552.

Jacques Cartier—Chauvest, Lib., 12; former majority, Con., 107.

Joliette—Tellier, Con., majority, 50; former majority, Con., 67.

Kamouraska—Roy, Lib., 49; former election, Con.; acclamation.

Lake St. John—Girard, Con., 300; last majority, Con., 55.

La Prairie—Cherrier, Lib., 100; former majority, Con., 226.

L'Assomption—Marion, Con., 204; former majority, Con., 279.

Laval—Leblanc, Con., 130; former election, Con., by acclamation.

Levis—Lemieux, Lib., 1,058; former majority, Con., 295.

L'Islet—Dechene, Lib., 200; former majority, Lib., 2.

Lotbiniere—Lallberte, Lib.; former majority, Lib., 179.

Maskinonge—Caron, Lib., 345; former majority, Lib., 25.

Matane—Pinault, Lib., 200; former majority, Con., 103.

Megantic—Smith, Lib., 252; former majority, Con., 474.

Missisquoi — McCorkill, Lib., 300; former majority, Con., 447.

Montcalm—Bissonnette, Lib.; former election, Con., by acclamation.

Montmagny—Lislois, Lib., 12; former majority, Bernatchez, Lib., 110.

Montmorency—Bouffard, Con., probably elected; former election, Con., 212.

Montreal, St. Ann's—Guerin, Lib., defeated Connaughton, Con., by 78; former election, Guerin defeated C. A. McDonnell, Con., by 461.

Montreal, St. James'—Gouin, Lib., defeated Ange, Con., by 779 majority; former election, Ange, elected by 132.

Montreal, St. Mary's—Dr. Lacombe, Lib., defeated Mr. Martineau, Con., by 700; former majority, Con., 456.

Montreal, St. Louis'—Ald. Rainville, Lib., defeated D. Parizeau, Con., by 615; former majority, Con., 301.

Montreal, St. Antoine—R. Bickerdike, Lib., defeated Hon. John S. Hall, by 16; former majority, Con., 2,201.

Montreal, St. Lawrence—Hon. A. W. Atwater, Con., defeated J. P. Cooke, Lib., 281; former election, Atwater, by acclamation.

Magdalen Islands—New constituency, election in June.

Napierville—Doris, Lib., 204; former election, Ste. Marie, Ind.-Lib., 176.

Nicolet—Ball, Con., 350; former election, Hon. Louis Beaubien, Con., acclamation.

Ottawa—Major, Lib., 758; former majority, Con., 465.

Pontiac—Gillies, Lib., acclamation; former election, Lib., 398.

Portneuf—Tessier, Lib., 200; former election, Lib., 22.

Quebec Center—Robitaille, Lib., 400; former majority, Chateauvert, Con., 147.

Quebec East—Hon. Joseph Shehyn, Lib., 957; former election, Lib majority 531.

Quebec West—Carbray, Con., 254; two Liberals running; last election, Con., by acclamation.

Quebec County—Garneau, Lib., 1,000; former election, Lib., by acclamation.

Richmond—Bedard, Con., 188; former election, Con., 179.

Richelieu—Cardin, Lib., 130; former election, Con., 273.

Rimouski—Tessier, Lib. elected; former election, Lib., 53.

Rouville—Dufresne, Con., 5; former majority, Lib., 25.

St. Hyacinthe—Dessoules, Lib., 840; former majority, Con., 62.

St. John's—Hon. F. G. Marchand, leader of the Liberals, 387; former majority, Marchand, 167.

St. Maurice—Duplessis, by acclamation; former election, Con., by acclamation.

St. Sauveur—Parent, Lib., 1,385; former election, Lib., by acclamation.

Shefford—DeGrosbois, Lib., 275; former majority, Con., 45.

Sherbrooke—Panneton, Con., former majority, Con., 12.

Soulanges—Bourbonnais, Lib., 228; former Lib. majority, 50.

Stanstead—Hon. M. F. Hackett, Provincial Secretary, Con., 73; former majority, Mr. Hackett, 600.

Temiscouata—Talbot, Lib., 500; former majority, Con., 89.

Terrebonne—Hon. G. A. Nantel, Con., 294; former election, Con., by acclamation.

Three Rivers—Normand, Con., 224; former majority, Con., 3.

Vaudreuil—Lalonde, Lib., 337; former election, Con., 75.

Vercheres—Blanchard, Lib., 182; former election, Lib., 54.

Wolfe—Chicoque, Con., 560; former majority, Con., 160.

Yamaska—Mondon, Con., 3; former majority, Lib., 136.

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