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WHY HE DIDN'T SIGN.

President Cleveland's Views On the Tariff Bill.

NOT AN HONEST REFORM MEASURE

The Bill An Improvement On Present Conditions—Supplementary Legislation In the Line of Democratic Aspirations Hoped For—Importance of Free Raw Materials Dwelt Upon—The Trusts and Combines Which Defeated Honest Tariff Reform Will Not Be Forgotten Or Forgiven.

Washington, Aug. 27.—President Cleveland has written the following letter to Representative Catchings (Miss.), in which he sets forth his views of the new tariff laws and gives his reasons for not approving the bill:

Executive Mansion, Washington, Aug. 27, 1894.

Hon. T. C. Catchings:

My Dear Sir,—Since the conversation I had with you and Mr. Clarke of Alabama a few days ago in regard to my action upon the Tariff bill, now before me, I have given the subject further and most serious consideration. The result is, I am more settled than ever in the determination to allow the bill to become a law without my signature.

When the formation of the legislation, which it was hoped would embody Democratic ideas of tariff reform, was lately entered upon by the Congress nothing was further from my anticipation than a result which I could not promptly and enthusiastically endorse.

It is therefore with a feeling of the utmost disappointment that I submit to a denial of this privilege.

Not In Line With Honest Reform.

I do not claim to be better than the masses of my party, nor do I wish to avoid any responsibility, which, on account of the passage of this law, I ought to bear as a member of the Democratic organization. Neither will I permit myself to be separated from my party to such an extent as might be implied by my veto of tariff legislation which, though disappointing, is still chargeable with Democratic efforts. But there are propositions in this bill which are not in line with honest tariff reform, and it contains inconsistencies and crudities which ought not to appear in tariff laws or laws of any kind. Besides there were, as you and I well know, incidents accompanying the passage of the bill through the Congress which made every sincere tariff reformer unhappy, while influences surrounded it in its latter stages and interfered with its final construction which ought not to recognized or tolerated in Democratic tariff reform counsels.

And yet, notwithstanding all its vicissitudes and all the bad treatment it received at the hands of pretended friends, it presents a vast improvement to existing conditions. It will certainly lighten many tariff burdens that now rest heavily upon the people. It is not only a barrier against the return of mad protection, but it furnishes a vantage ground from which must be waged further aggressive operations against protected monopoly and Governmental favoritism.

I take my place with the rank and file of the Democratic party, who believe in tariff reform, and who know what it is, who refuses to accept the results embodied in this bill as the close of thewar, who are not blinded to the fact that the livery of the Democratic tariff reform has been stolen and worn in the service of Republican protection, and who have marked the places where the deadly blight of treason has blasted the counsels of the brave in their hour of might.

Trusts and Combines Dictated the Law.

The trusts and combinations—the communism of pelf, whose machinations have prevented us from reaching the success we deserved—should not be forgotten or forgiven. We shall recover from our astonishment at their exhibition of power, and if then the question is forced upon us whether they shall submit to the free legislative will of the people's representatives or shall dictate the laws which the people must obey we will accept and settle that issue as one involving the integrity and safety of American institutions.

I love the principles of true democracy because they are founded in patriotism and upon justice and fairness toward all interests. I am proud of my party organization because it is conservatively sturdy and persistent in the enforcement of its principles. Therefore, I do not despair of the efforts made by the House of Representatives to supplement the bill already passed by further legislation, and to have engrafted upon it such modifications as will more nearly meet Democratic hopes and aspirations.

Importance of Free Raw Materials.

I cannot be mistaken as to the necessity of free raw materials as the foundation of logical and sensible tariff reform. The extent to which this is recognized in the legislation already secured, is one of its encouraging and redeeming features, but it is vexatious to recall that while free coal and iron ore have been denied us a recent letter of the Secretary of the Treasury discloses the fact that both might have been made free by the annual surrender of only about $700,000 of unnecessary revenue.

I am sure that there is a common habit of underestimating the importance of raw materials in tariff legislation, and of regarding them as only related to concessions to be made to our manufacturers. The truth is that their influence is so far-reaching that if disregarded a complete and beneficent scheme of tariff cannot be successfully inaugurated.

When we give to our manufacturers free raw materials we unshackle American enterprise and ingenuity, and these will open the doors of foreign markets to the reception of our wares, and give opportunity for the continuous and remunerative employment of American labor.

With materials cheapened by their freedom from tariff charges, the cost of their product must be correspondingly cheapened. Thereupon justice and fairness to the customer would demand that the manufacturers be obliged to submit to such a readjustment and modification of the tariff upon their finished goods as would secure to the people the benefit of the reduced cost of their manufacture and shield the consumer against the exaction of inordinate profits.

Tariff Reform Not Ended.

It will thus be seen that free raw materials and a just and fearless regulation and reduction of the tariff to meet the changed conditions would carry to every humble home in the land the blessings of increased comforts and cheaper living.

The millions of our countrymen who have fought bravely and well for tariff reform should be exhorted to continue the struggle boldly, challenging to open warfare and constantly guarding against the treachery and half-heartedness in their camp.

Tariff reform will not be settled until it is honestly and fairly settled in the interest and to the benefit of a patient and long-suffering people.

Yours Truly,
GROVER CLEVELAND.

Instructions To Collectors.

Washington, Aug. 27.—A telegram was sent to collectors of internal revenue at 4 o'clock this afternoon directing them after to-day to collect tax on spirits at $1.10 per gallon and proportionate rate on all fractions of one-tenth or more.

According to Secretary Carlisle's instructions, all wool now in bonded warehouses at any port of the United States comes in free of duty after to-morrow. It amounts to 63,799,321 pounds of the value of $7,719,672.

Paid Over Half a Million Whisky Tax.

Peoria, Aug. 27.—The whisky trust today paid $568,106.70 tax on goods at the Great Western Distillery, with $60,000 in general receipts. The revenue office remained open until 4 o'clock this afternoon.

Nothing Done In Either House.

Washington, Aug. 27.—The Senate was in session to-day only an hour and a quarter, and that time was spent behind closed doors, so as not to expose the fact that the number of Senators in attendance was twenty short of a quorum—an actual but unofficial count showed the presence of only twenty-three Senators. The Senate adjourned at 1.15 p. m.

The expiring hours of the House were marked to-day by an immense concourse of visitors, drawn to the Capitol by the Knights of Phythias gathering in Washington this week. The gallery accommodations were more than exhausted by the crowds that swarmed to the Capitol, while on the floor only about one-fifth of the seats were occupied by members. Mr. Haughton announced the death this morning of his late colleague, Representative George B. Shaw, at his home in Wisconsin. After the appointment of a committee to represent the House at the funeral, the House at 1.30 o'clock adjourned until to-morrow.

U. S. Tariff Hand Book.

We have received from F. B. Vandegrift & Co., Philadelphia, a copy of the Tariff bill passed by Congress on Aug. 13, fully digested, with over 12,000 articles, giving the rate of duty, paragraph of the law and decisions of the courts, general appraisers and Treasury Department: also a complete list of articles on which drawback has been allowed, with the amount of wastage. Also a table of foreign coins, with values as proclaimed by the Director of the Mint; a foreign express tariff; the administration law and other law on the administration of the customs service.

Had a Wonderful Kit.

Detroit, Aug. 27.—Eddie Mines, the well-known confidence man, was arrested at the Michigan Central Depot on suspicion. When searched at the station, a complete outfit of disguises was found on him. There were false shirt bosoms which could be put on in a minute and that would give the person wearing it the look of a farmer or railroad man. Various caps, from the little peaked ones worn by bicycle riders up to the wide, soft-brimmed ones worn by farmers, were also found, besides false whiskers, bandana handkerchiefs to be worn about the neck, pant guards such as worn by bicycle riders. An immense roll of counterfeit money was taken from him. Marked cards, loaded dice and other things used by gamblers and confidence men were also found.

Henry Ward Beecher's Brother Retires.

Elmira, N.Y., Aug. 27.—After a pastorate of 40 years the Rev. Thomas K. Beecher, brother of the late Henry Ward Beecher, has retired from the active duties as pastor of the Park Church, preaching his farewell sermon yesterday. Mr. Beecher's new assistants, Rev. Samuel Eastman and his wife, the Rev. Annie F. Eastman of Rochester, will succeed to the duties of the pastorate, although Mr. Beecher will remain the head of the church, which he founded and fostered, as long as he lives.

ARE YOU PARENTS?

Look For Boiler Iron Shoe Soles For Your School Children.

Now the children are going to school our people are thinking of the wear and tear this fall. Howell has prepared for this and has the best goods for the future men and women who are kicking their parents' purses to pieces. The soles are not exactly cast iron, nor are the uppers made of boiler iron; but they will wear just as well, and when the children grow out of them they can be handed down to posterity to wear them out if they can.

Howell, the boot and shoe man, 542 Queen west, 112 Queen east.

Dropped Dead in Sight of Italy's Queen.

Rome, Aug. 27.—Queen Margaret went to the Gressoney Valley, in the Province of Turin, several days ago to visit the Baron and Baroness Pecoz. On Saturday her host gave in her honor an excursion into the Alps. During the ascent he dropped dead before the Queen's eyes. She was nearly overcome, and became hysterical several times before reaching home. She still suffers from extreme nervousness. The King was summoned to her early yesterday morning. An examination of Baron Pecoz's body showed he died from heart disease.

Smoke Derby Plug Smoking Tobacco—5, 10 and 20-cent plugs. Take no other. Union make.

T. M. Harris Seriously Ill.

Brantford, Aug. 28.—A message from Mrs. T. M. Harris, New York, states that Mr. T. M. Harris is seriously ill, having had a relapse. He has been in New York for the past 11 weeks being treated for Bright's disease by an eminent specialist. His brother, Rev. Elmore Harris, of Toronto, has left for New York.

Smoke Derby Plug Smoking Tobacco—5 10 and 20-cent plugs. Made only by D Ritchie & Co., the only organized union plug tobacco factory in Canada.

Seventy-Six Hoboes Working For Buffalo.

Buffalo, Aug. 27.—Count Rybakowski and fourteen members of his staff were tried to-day in a local justice's court, and convicted of being tramps. The Count was sentenced to six months in the penitentiary and the others each three months. The Countess is still at large. There are now 76 members of the Count's late army serving sentences here.

Alive Bollard's Bargain Day every Friday.

103 and Alive.

Rochester, N.Y., Aug. 27.—Nancy M. Walker celebrated her 103rd birthday in this city Saturday. Her maiden name was Nancy Hill, and she was born 16 miles from what is now Burlington, Vt.

Chautauqua is Closed.

Chautauqua, N. Y., Aug. 27.—To-day marked the close of the assembly season for 1894, this being the 21st year of Chautauqua's existence.

Cigarette paper, new line, permeated with tar to destroy effects of nicotine. Alive Bollard.

The "Empress."

The "Empress" Hotel, corner Yonge and Gould-streets, R. Dissette, prop. Large, airy bedrooms, private parlors, excellent table, every convenience. Electric cars pass every few minutes. Rates $1.50 per day. 246

NO WATER WITHIN 8 MILES.

HAVOC WROUGHT BY DROUGHT IN NEW YORK STATE.

Many Towns Almost Without Water Supply—Farmers Carrying Water Eight Miles—Forest Fires Raging—The Delaware Canal Drying Up—In Ohio Fish Lie Rotting In the River Bed.

Newburgh, N.Y., Aug. 27.—The drought in this part of the State has become very serious. There are parts of Orange, Ulster and Dutchess Counties in which not a drop of rain has fallen since May. In these counties the crop of corn, oats, potatoes and wheat will be the lightest known in many years.

The fruit crop has also suffered materially from the same cause, and there will hardly be any grapes or apples. There is no pasturage for cattle, and the farmers are compelled to give feed to their animals. The water supply at Highland, Malborough and some other small towns in this vicinity has almost given out. At some of the summer boarding houses in Orange and Ulster counties men are employed in carrying water from 3 to 8 miles. Wells, springs and private reservoirs have given out. Forests were burning last night on North Beacon.

Delaware Canal Going Dry.

Kingston, Aug. 27.—The drought has lowered the water in the Delaware and Hudson Canal so much that boats are being run with great difficulty. Unless rain falls soon and plenty of it, too, navigation on the canal will stop entirely. All the reserve water has been used. Fires along the line of the Ulster and Delaware Railroad from Wet Hurley nearly to Phoenicia are doing great damage, and many acres of pasture and brush have been burned. All vegetation along the road is as dry as tinder, and burns freely when ignited. In one place this afternoon the heat from the fires was so great that passengers in a passing train had to move away from the windows.

Fish Rotting in the River Bed.

Tiffin, Ohio, Aug. 27.—The continual drouth has reduced the water in the Sandusky River to such a low stage that the fish are dying by the thousands and are rotting upon the rocks of the river bed right in the heart of this city.

FARMERS FIGHTING FIRE.

Serious Bush Fires Near Stratford—A Car of Bonded Goods Burned.

Stratford, Ont., Aug. 27.—Bush fires are prevalent in this neighborhood, especially as in the Ellice swamps near Gadshill, to the north, and considerable damage and loss is the result. Yesterday and to-day a bad fire had been in progress in Southeast Hope near the little lakes, and large quantities of cordwood and valuable standing timber have been destroyed. The farmers in the vicinity are kept busy taking measures for the protection of their houses and barns, in which they are assisted very materially so far by the absence of wind.

A through car of freight, consisting of general merchandise from Boston to Chicago in bond, took fire when near Tavistock yesterday afternoon, and there being no means at hand for extinguishing the flames the car was detached from the train and allowed to burn, resulting in the total loss of the car and contents.

FIRE IN A TRUNK FACTORY.

Flames Occasion $1500 Damages In King-Street Premises.

At 8.15 last evening Night Watchman John Culdeck discovered fire in the premises of Lauder & Co., trunk manufacturers, 140 King-street west. The alarm was given from box 13 and the firemen quickly responded. The damage by fire and water will be about $1500, with insurance of $2000. Cause unknown.

A fire in a clothes closet at 80 Queen-street west, the bakery of James Taylor, last night at 9.10 did $200 of damage. No insurance. Cause unknown.

Barn Burned by a Bush Fire.

Wellesley, Ont., Aug. 27.—This morning David Hergott's barn was, with all this year's crop, outbuildings, some hundreds bushels of thrashed grain, one horse and three calves completely burned to the ground. Loss upwards of $3000; insured for $2300. Cause: A spark from a bush fire lodging in the straw stack.

$3000 Grand Stand In Ashes.

White Plains, N.Y., Aug. 27.—The grand stand on the Westchester County Fair grounds was burned at 3 o'clock this morning. Loss $3000.

$15,000 Fire in Durham.

Durham, Ont., Aug. 27.—Fire in McKechnie's sawmill and lumber yard tonight caused a loss of $15,000 to $20,000. No insurance.

Barns Lost By Lightning.

Carp, Ont., Aug. 27.—This evening the great barns of Adam Hodgins, Reeve of Huntley, were struck by lightning and, together with all outbuildings in the block, were entirely destroyed. Mr. Hodgins and others in the barn at the time were stunned by the electric shock. The stables and barns were full. The loss will be $7000.

Watertown Match Factory Burned.

Watertown, N. Y. Aug. 27.—Watertown Factory was burned this morning. Loss $10,000 to $15,000. No insurance.

Russia's Largest Wool Works Gone.

Charkov, Aug. 27.—Alexiejeffs wool cleaning works, the largest in Russia, have been burned with a large stock of wool. Loss 1,500,000 roubles.

Montreal's Plan For Economy.

Montreal, Aug. 27.—The Civic Water Department has cut off the water at the public drinking troughs in Point St. Charles and St. Ann's Wards. The man in charge of the public baths at Point St. Charles has been discharged on account of lack of funds. There is great indignation among the citizens affected.

"Oxford Press," G. Parker, proprietor late Timms & Co., removed to 33 Adelaide west. 35

North American Life Assurance Company.

The North American Life Assurance Company has had a successful year's business and improved its position in several particulars in 1893.

There is an increase of no less than $803,000 in reserve from the business of 1892, a circumstance which has a direct bearing on the earning power of the company. The growth of the surplus by over $70,000 is a pleasingly suggestive fact for policyholders in this company.—Monetary Times. 246

Alive Bollard's special cigar, 5c. equals any 10c cigar.

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Quality absolutely unequalled. Four Crown Scotch Whisky. Same as supplied to H.R.H. the Prince of Wales and H. H. Prince Bismarck of Germany. Ask your dealer for it and accept no other until you have tried it. Canadian Agency 13 Front-street east, Toronto. 246

A delightful remedy for indigestion—Adams' Tutti Frutti. Refuse imitations.

"Kennethene" extracts grease, oil and paint from all clothing. 246

CHARGED WITH STEALING COWS.

County Constable Thompson Arrested In Peterboro On Charges of Stealing From York Township Farmers.

A couple of weeks ago Robert Pender of the second concession of East York had a cow stolen. A few weeks previous Fred Piper of the same concession also reported one stolen. Pender made a search on Wednesday, and found his cow at R. Drury's place, St. Clair-avenue, near Toronto Junction.

Drury said he had bought it from County Constable Thompson.

Hearing of the above circumstance Frank Lawrence of North Toronto thought he would make a search in the same direction for a cow he lost about a year ago. The animal was traced to Drury's, and afterwards found near Lambton Mills.

Last week Constable Thompson went away on his wedding trip to Peterboro, and upon the information obtained the Chief of Police was wired, and Thompson arrested, charged with stealing the cows. He was brought back, and his case will come up before Squire Paxton, J. P., at Bracondale on Thursday next. Drury will also be up, charged with receiving stolen animals.

TANNER OUTDOES SAM BLAKE.

Notes On the Anti-Lords' Demonstration On Sunday.

London, Aug. 27.—The Westminster Gazette this afternoon fairly voices the Government's opinion when it says that the demonstration in Hyde Park yesterday afternoon of the National League for the abolition of the House of Lords was a "damp political squib."

The Westminster Gazette adds: "The feeling against the Lords in all centres of Liberalism is as strong as ever, but the moment is inopportune."

The Conservatives are delighted with the feebleness of the Radical first gun, and are making much of the fact that some of the banners carried in the procession bore obscene mottoes. The speech of Mr. O'Brien was as much an attack upon the Government as upon the House of Lords.

Dr. Charles K. D. Tanner, M. P. for the Middle Division of Cork, and anti-Parnellite, emphasized his remarks by waving a shillelagh which he had brought with him. While flourishing this stick above his head Mr. Tanner asserted that the Lords composed "a house of bastards." "Not all of them," he explained, "and to those who are not bastards I apologize."

RUSSIA IN BULGARIA.

Attempt To Bribe Ex-Premier Stamboluff To Depose Ferdinand.

Berlin, Aug. 27.—The Frankfurter Zeitung publishes an interview with Stamboluff, Bulgaria's deposed Premier. Before his retirement Stamboluff said he received from St. Petersburg an offer of a 500,000 rouble bribe to depose Prince Ferdinand. The Czar was as stubborn as an ox, he continued, and would never make friends with the Prince, although the latter was now inspired with the single idea to Russianize Bulgaria and her Assembly. The return of the Zankoffists was imminent. The power of this group lay in intrigue and assassination. Should Ferdinand be recognized by Russia he would bring back with the Zankoffists the very men who would murder him.

Anarchists Locating in Rural Towns.

London, Aug. 27.—The Anarchists of the London colony are said to be migrating to the Provincial cities, where they expect to run less risk of interference from the police. Nearly all the bomb makers have gone already and are supposed to be already at work in their new laboratories. Home Secretary Asquith has sent out a circular warning the chiefs of police throughout the country that they must carefully watch the sales of certain chemicals.

Mahdists Preparing to Attack Kassala.

Cairo, Aug. 28.—It is reported here that the Mahdists are concentrating their forces to attack Kassala and wrest it from the Italians, who recently occupied it. The provinces of the Eastern Soudan, Berber and Dongola have been stripped of Mahdist troops. The Mahdist rendezvous is Omdurman.

$75,000 For Evicted Tenants.

London, Aug. 27.—The total amount subscribed to the Irish Evicted Tenants' fund is £13,000. To this the United States and Canada contributed but £384.

Wants the Jews Exterminated.

Berlin, Aug. 27.—The police dissolved an Anarchist meeting in Rixdorf last evening because the chairman, an Anarchist anti-Semite, urged those present to use guns and dynamite to exterminate the Jews.

Nicaraguan Conspirators Jailed.

New York, Aug. 27.—The Nicaraguan Government sends the following to The Herald from Managua: Evidence is accumulating to convict the instigators of the recent revolt among the Mosquito Indians. Several foreigners are among those who have been arrested for the conspiracy, and the most deeply implicated of them all is Hatch, the so-called British Vice-Consul for the Mosquito coast. He thought his position would screen him from arrest, but Nicaragua had never recognized him officially, nor granted him an exequator. His appointment is, therefore, void, as far as Nicaragua is concerned, and with his accomplices in sedition he will be punished to the full extent of the law.

British Minister Gosling has wired from Guatemala a protest against the imprisonment of Consular Agent Hatch.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Big Fall Hat Opening at Dineens'—Ahead of New York.

On Friday, a day before the big hatters on the other side of the line hold their fall openings, W. and D. Dineen will open up the new styles for the benefit of Torontonians.

This well-known firm is sole agent for the famous Dunlap hats, as well as for those made by Stetson and the other well-known American makers, and the designs of these manufacturers in silks, derbys and fedoras—fall styles—will be shown at Dineen's a day before New Yorkers can see them.

Friday and Saturday are opening days at Dineen's, King and Yonge.

Branch—254 Yonge.

Boodling Aldermen At Lansing.

Lansing, Mich., Aug. 27.—A boodle sensation is brewing here in connection with Lansing's new $125,000 City Hall, and the arrest of the city aldermen, it is said, will occur to-morrow. Affidavits were sworn to this afternoon that a prominent alderman agreed for $1000 to get through the Common Council a certain architect's plan for the new City Hall, worth $7500 to the architect. The disclosures are the result of the work of a Citizens' Committee.

Clarets—Only One Profit From Vineyard to Consumer.

We are agents for one of the largest firms in Bordeaux. The Claret is bottled in our vaults, and we sell them at $3.50, $4, $4.50 and $5.00 per dozen quarts. Only one profit from vineyard to consumer. Wm. Mara, Wine Merchant, 79 Yonge-street.

Bishop of Coventry Dead.

London, Aug. 27.—The Right Rev. Henry Bond Bowlby, suffragan Bishop of Coventry, died to-day.

PULLMAN ON THE STAND.

He Tells of His Object in Establishing the Town of Pullman.

Chicago, Aug. 27.—Edward F. Bryant, cashier and manager of the Pullman Loan and Savings Bank, was the first witness to testify before the National Labor Commission to-day.

George M. Pullman took the stand this afternoon. He stated the Pullman Palace Car Company was organized July 31, 1867, with a capital of $1,000,000. The town of Pullman was established in 1880.

Commissioner Wright conducted the examination of Mr. Pullman. He asked the president of the Pullman Palace Car Company to tell in his own way the objects of the company and why the town was built. "The plan was," said Mr. Pullman, reading from a typewritten manuscript, "to establish a community for workingmen which would enable them to live in harmonious relations with the company. The relations of the Pullman Company are, however, simply those of a landlord in regard to its employes, which it treats as tenants. The basis of profit was 6 per cent. per annum, which at that time was a fair profit on the investment. The cost of establishing the streets and improvements was of course considered in making this calculation. This does not include the cost of the plant.

"The Pullman Car Company," Mr. Pullman stated, "did not sell property within the limits of the town of Pullman because the company did not wish objectionable characters to establish themselves in the town. There were in consequence no saloons or houses of ill-repute in Pullman, as there might otherwise have been."

Mr. Pullman then proceeded to explain the Pullman lease.

IT KILLED OVER 30 CATTLE.

Polish Tenants Fight When Seizure is Made For Rent.

Warsaw, Aug. 27.—Count Tyszkeewics, whose estates are near Krottingen, in the Government of Wilna, has been on bad terms with his tenants for several months. Several tenants refused to pay rent. On Saturday the Count seized 30 head of their cattle as security. The peasants let the cattle go only after having been driven with clubs from the sheds. Early yesterday morning 100 of them, armed with old muskets, scythes and pitchforks, marched to the Count's estate. They demanded the cattle back. Some 20 servants and foremen ordered them to leave the neighborhood. In the fight which followed four of the Count's employes and six or seven of the peasants were killed and many others were wounded. The peasants remained near the park all the morning, but did not renew the attack. They threaten to burn the castle.

Tournament Week at Niagara.

Tournament week at Niagara-on-the-Lake is the great period of the Queen's Royal season. The tennis begins on Tuesday and continues for the remainder of the week. The program of gaieties includes a tennis ball on Wednesday evening, a grand concert on Thursday evening and a tournament hop on Saturday. 246

New York Tickets.

Charles E. Burns, tourist agent, is issuing through tickets via Niagara River line to New York over any road, or down one way and back another. Apply 77 Yonge-street, third door above King. 246

Ask your druggists for Gibbons' Toothache Gum, the acknowledged remedy for toothache. 246

A Signal From Mars.

According to Prof. Wiggins, the people on the planet Mars are now signaling the inhabitants of this gravelly speck. In the absence of any interplanetary flash-light code we are led to infer that they are endeavoring to get some of those 25 cent necktie plums which quinn is now showing. d

Ask for Dewar's Scotch Whisky as supplied to Her Majesty Queen Victoria.

A Diamond Display.

The magnificent diamond stock of the J. E. Ellis Co., Ltd., will be exhibited in their window Monday and Tuesday.

Ask for Dewar's Scotch Whisky as supplied to Her Majesty Queen Victoria.

"Kennethene" will not injure the finest fabric or most delicate color. 246

Local Jottings.

Ald. Hallam has ordered two pairs of swans—black and white—which he will place on the long pond at the Island.

88 King-street east. Watson the tailor is making up suits cheap and nobby styles. Give him a call. ed

Hansel Spraggan, charged with the theft of $1000 from a guest at the Hotel York-street, was yesterday sentenced to three months in the Central Prison.

John O'Connell and James Burk, the men arrested while burglarizing the store of Miss McLean, 47 St. Clarens-avenue, were yesterday sent to jail for four and two months respectively.

Leopold Kurtz, a York-street second-hand dealer, was yesterday committed for trial on a charge of receiving a pair of tailors' shears, stolen from J. C. Duggan of Mutual-street.

Oliver Quinn, 31 Beaconsfield-avenue, reported missing three weeks ago by his widowed mother, has been located by Detective Verney at Black River Falls, Wis. He left Toronto with the Kickapoos.

Some citizens spoke to Alderman Lamb, Chairman of the Board of Works, yesterday with reference to the occupation of part of Long Pond on Saturday last by the Island Amateur Aquatic Association. The Association inclosed part of the pond and charged an admission fee to those who were anxious to see their sports. The City Solicitor will answer the question.

This morning at 11 o'clock A. O. Andrews will sell by auction the entire furniture and contents of the residence 73 Spadina-road. Brussels carpets, drawing-room furniture, water colors, etchings, engravings, library furniture, dining and breakfast services, old blue china tea sets, and dining-room furniture, range and kitchen goods, elegant bedroom sets, hair matresses, etc., also a Wesley-Richards breech-loading gun, New Williams sewing machine, and other goods. Mr. A. O. Andrews will conduct the sale.

Rev. Arthur Herbert Manning, Queen's College, Cambridge, formerly curate of St. Jame's Cathedral, and now curate of St. Luke's Church, has received a unanimous call to the vacant rectorship of St. Paul's Cathedral, Vancouver City, B.C. The reverend gentleman has a host of friends in this city, who will with sorrow learn of his contemplated departure from their midst. The best wishes of his parishioners here will accompany him when he leaves for the scene of his future labors on Oct. 15.

The Long Branch Cottage Owners' Association will hold a concert in Pavilion, Long Branch, this evening. The choir of Carlton-street Methodist Church, assisted by Miss Jennie Houston, elocutionist, will furnish the music.

The Army and Navy Veterans will offer a medal for tent-pegging at their picnic at Oakville to-morrow. All excursionists should board the boat at the Yonge-street wharf, as water being low at Queen's wharf it is doubtful if the Majestic will be able to call there.

"Kennethene" sold by live druggists, grocers. 246

JAPAN JUST BOILING OVER

WITH ANXIETY TO KNOCK OUT "THE PIGTAILS."

Nothing But An Invasion of China Will Satisfy Them—China Declares Corea's King Proclaimed His Independence Under Pressure—The Steamer Cam's Violation of the Neutrality Laws.

London, Aug. 27.—Despatches from Yokohama say that the Japanese war fever is at a white heat, and that the people are demanding a quick hard blow at the heart of China. Everybody there is eager to see all Japan's land forces concentrated and marched against Pekin.

Central News advices from Shanghai state that Gen. Yulai, the military governor of the Province of Shing King, is supposed to have been appointed High Commissioner of the North and Governor-General to assist the Viceroy, Li Yuna, formerly Chinese resident in Corea, has been given command of the Chinese forces and will at once proceed to the seat of war.

One hundred more Japanese have left Shanghai for their native country and the United States Consul is using his utmost endeavors to persuade those remaining to depart, fearing their presence may cause complaint and endanger the safety of the city. Capt. Hanuckin, formerly aide on the staff of Viceroy Li Hung Chang, has been appointed assistant to Admiral Ting, commander of the Chinese fleet. Six thousand Japanese troops were landed at Chemulpo on the 22nd instant. The Chinese fleet left Port Arthur for Wei-Hai-Wei on the 22nd inst.

Battle At Ping Yang Discredited.

The despatches received by the Chinese Legation up to noon to-day have contained no mention of a Chinese victory at Ping-Yang. At the Japanese Legation the officials say the report of such a victory was circulated probably by the Pekin Government to facilitate the war loan.

Proclaimed His Independence Under Pressure.

London, Aug. 27.—A special from Berlin to The Standard says China is about to address a note to the powers protesting against the King of Corea declaring his independence. Several of the powers are likely to recognize the justice of the protest, because they are certain that the declaration was made under Japanese compulsion after the King was captured, and that it was antedated to make it appear voluntary.

British-Built Jap Cruiser Seized At Aden.

Aden, Aug. 27.—The cruiser Tatsuta, which recently left the Tyne, England, presumably to join the Japanese fleet in the east, has been detained here by English authorities.

ABOUT THE STEAMER CAM.

She is Said To Have Violated the Neutrality Laws.

Washington, Aug. 27.—The Chinese Government may want some explanations relative to the clearance of the steamer Cam from the port of New York last week A reckoning with England may come later.

For the past month shipments of arms have been made from the United States via the port of Vancouver, B.C., to somewhere. The Chinese Government has followed its usual rule of vigilance and silence. It knows the number of small arms it purchases across the seas, the consignor and the consignee. But these transshipment consignments were awkward matters. They did not in themselves constitute an unfriendly act or violate the neutrality laws so far as the United States was affected. The munitions of war referred to were simply sent to Montreal. There they were reshipped in bulk by way of the Canadian Pacific and the line of steamships carrying the mail from Vancouver to ——— well, some port in Japan, Nagasaki most probably. All this and more has been well known to Mr. Yang, the Minister here, But never have the neutrality laws as agreed upon by the United States, England, Germany, France and Austria been openly violated, as the Chinese Legation believe they have been in the clearance of the steamer Cam. The Chinese Minister has telegraphed for specific instructions. When he gets them he will act.

Attorney-General Olney's View.

Meantime Attorney-General Olney is reported to have told a great cartridge-making concern in Connecticut that the United States laws were not violated by sending munitions of war to Japan via Canada, "though it would be just as well for you not to know of their final destination," added our highest law officer. The steamer Cam was openly loaded with a cargo of arms and some pistol cartridges, and Hotchkiss batteries are said to make a portion of her cargo. She was openly cleared for somewhere, and her destination is undoubtedly known to the collector of the Port of New York. China will make her case—if she makes any—upon the evidence of United States officials, and if a case is made it will be a bad day for the Americans doing business in the Celestial Empire, like Russell & Co., and the big ten houses of Shanghai. China seems to have just awakened to a sense of her power. She knows that the sympathy of the United States, France, and probably Russia is with Japan.

"The Western nations—viz., America and England—have insisted upon a compliance of China with their laws. We have done so. Now let these nations obey the laws they themselves have made," said an attache of the Chinese Legation to-day.

But whatever may be the views of the Chinese Government regarding the departure of the steamer Cam with munitions of war, the State Department does not consider that there has been any violation of the neutrality laws. The right of American merchants to sell munitions of war to either of the belligerents is not questioned, now that war has been formally declared by both Japan and China. If she had been fitted out as a fighting ship and officered and manned by Americans, the case would be different, and steps would doubtless be taken to prevent her departure.

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A SOMNAMBULIST'S FALL.

Walked Out of His Window, Fell Forty Feet and Lives.

London, Ont., Aug. 27.—Last night William Sprague, porter of the Walsh House, got up in his sleep and walked out of his bedroom window on the third floor and landed on a shed at the back, rolling from there to the ground. The whole distance of Sprague's fall must have been 40 or 45 feet, and while he received some pretty severe injuries his escape from death was a narrow one.

Blew His Brains Out By Mishap.

Albany, Aug. 27.—Hon. A. B. Abbott, ex-member of the Assembly and a prominent citizen of Glenfalls, accidentally shot himself this morning, while cleaning a gun preparatory to going hunting with his son. The charge blew off the top of his head.

Fatal Runaway Accident in London.

London, Ont., Aug. 27.—A fatal runaway accident occurred in King, near Clarence-street, this afternoon, whereby Charles Healy of the 5th con. of London Township received fatal injuries.

20 Injured By Collapse of a Bridge.

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 27.—By the collapsing of a bridge over a ravine at Fairmount Park last night, 50 persons were precipitated to the ground, a distance of 15 or 20 feet, and 20 of them were injured.

Accidentally Shot By a Small Boy.

Schenectady, N.Y., Aug. 27.—Maud Capron, aged 14 years, while visiting her uncle, Henry Dunbar, near Scoharie, was accidentally shot by her cousin, a boy about her own age, and died in a few hours.

Ten Injured In a Street Car Collision.

Hammond, Ind., Aug. 27.—In a street car collision this morning ten persons were seriously injured. Motorman Mashine and a passenger named Faulkner were fatally injured.

Accidents of a Day.

Conductor J. S. Waldon, 10 Balmuto-street, fell off a trailer at King-Jordan-streets, and received a bad cut on the head. Adam Harkness, 97 Agnes-street, was knocked down by a bicycle at King and Peter-streets and painfully cut about the head.

James Ellis, 1088 Yonge-street, was struck on the knee by a brick which fell from R. Simpson's new building at Queen and Yonge-streets, and had to be taken home in the ambulance.

George Craig, 895 Manning-avenue, accidentally slipped while scuffling with a companion in the Russell House last evening and sustained a fracture of the right ankle. He was attended by Dr. Edmund E. King and sent to his home in the ambulance.

SERMON ON HELL.

Mrs. Lines Listened To It, Began To Grow Moody and Finally Became Insane.

New York, Aug. 27.—Mrs. Lines, the wife of a well-known business man of Plainfield, N.J., is confined at her home in a strait jacket suffering from a sudden attack of insanity.

She went to church on Sunday and listened to a sermon on future punishment. She began to grow moody in spite of all attempts to cheer her.

The next that was noticed of her trouble was when she picked up her child, six weeks old, and violently threw it on the floor. She then attacked her five other children, but was hindered from doing them harm. Arrangements have been made to put her in an asylum.

Biggest Wheat Crop Minnesota Has Harvested.

St. Paul, Minn., Aug. 27.—All the threshers' representatives concur in the statement that the wheat and all the small grain crops are turning out much better than was expected when the harvest commenced. Taken as a whole the wheat crop of Minnesota and North Dakota this year is one of the largest ever harvested. That of Minnesota will come fully up to the estimate of 50,000,000 bushels. This is not far from equalling the big crop of 1892.

D'Alton Down By the Sea.

Halifax, Aug. 27.—D'Alton McCarthy, it is understood, has consented to address a meeting in New Glasgow Saturday afternoon next on political issues of the day. An effort is also being made to arrange for a meeting in Truro. McCarthy is going to Cape