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FRIDAY MORNING MAY 24 1895.

DOOMED TO BURN WHEN BUILT.

ELGIE'S BOX FACTORY AGAIN GUTTED BY FLAMES.

Costly Fire in Alice Street Last Evening—The Loss is Estimated at \$25,000—R. B. Elgie, T. Crowder, H. Millicamp, G. Schack & Co. and Bailey & Leumet the Losers.

"I never, in my life, saw a church turned into a business place and escape the flames. This place has been burned four times now." This remark was made to a World reporter by a prominent insurance man last evening, as he stood in Alice-street and watched the forked flames and huge billows of smoke rolling from the windows in the upper flat of the building at 17 and 19 Alice-street, owned by Robert G. Elgie.

The building is an old brick structure, built as a place of worship by the congregation now occupying Carlton-street Methodist Church. The ground floor is occupied by the Elgie Box Manufacturing Company, run by Elgie & Leumet, manufacturers of toys, slights, etc., and G. Schack & Co., whose case and store fittings, destroyed by the Interior Woodworking Company, H. Millicamp, proprietor, and the third and upper floors are occupied by the picture-frame manufacturer and glider.

The fire broke out about 7 p.m. in the upper flat, and was caused, it is supposed, by spontaneous combustion of oil waste. The interior of the building was a tinder box, and before the firemen had reached the scene in response to a call from box 34, the flames were creeping over around the roof and spreading over the entire flat. The water pressure was good, and under the leadership of Chief Graham and Assistant Chief Davis and Villiers, the fire was worked hard and intelligently. The Ronald engine was run out, but her services were not required.

An hour and a half the firemen fought before they mastered their antagonist. The heavy clouds of dense smoke drove the venturesome fellows from the building several times, and many had narrow escapes from falling bricks and lumber. The flames were kept within the flat upon which they had originated, but here they completely destroyed everything. Other than Mr. Crowley, the losers are altogether by water, which was almost as destructive where it impinged with shells. His own impression was that Shelley's intellect was deranged as regarded his accusation of Mr. Elgie.

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NOTES ON BRITISH POLITICS.

No Announcement Made as to the Program For the Rest of the Session.

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Dissolution Means a Catastrophe.

The Sun ascribes the speeches of Lord Salisbury, Mr. Chamberlain and the Duke of Devonshire to the fact that the Government is anxious to precipitate a catastrophe. It would be such to the country in the present demoralized state of the Liberal party.

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RAISING CONSIDERABLE DUST.

OPPOSITION ATTACK ON COCKBURNS EX-PENDITURE DURING WORLD'S FAIR AT CHICAGO.

The dignified gentleman from Centre Toronto is receiving almost as much attention at Ottawa now as he did at Chicago two years ago.

THE SUN SHINE ON THE BRIDE.

Bedeckings at the Nuptials of Miss Love and Rev. J. Maxwell.

Yesterday afternoon a happy event was celebrated at the residence of Mr. John A. Love, 353 Davenport-road, when his eldest daughter, Miss Isabel Smart Love, was married to Rev. John Maxwell, pastor of the Presbyterian Church at the Head, Bruce County, Ont., Toronto, Judge MacCarthy officiated. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Beattie Love, and Miss Minnie Crozier of Grand Valley assisted the groom. The bride costume was hand some and the gifts many. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Willson, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wallace, Mr. W. J. Walsh, G.C., Mr. R. J. Wallace, Mr. Oliver Perce, Mr. John Adamson, J. A. Allen, Miss McKittrick and Frank McKittrick of Orangeville, Mr. and Mrs. John Hally, the Misses Hally, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dunlop, the Misses Dunlop, Miss Walton, R. J. Robinson and Miss Robinson, Miss Henderson, S. J. McLean and Hugh Watson, New Lowell.

Anglicans, Presbyterians and Unitarians Unite For the First Time.

That is, they unite to make to-day's issue of the Western a most notable one. The Jarvis-street Unitarian Church is described with brilliancy and insight, the Rev. Louis H. Jordan, D.D., of St. James' Presbyterian Church, writes with spirit on Froude's Erasmus, and Rev. Herbert Symonds, rector of Ashmole, contributes a scholarly article on the "Mind of Dean Church." The Welsh, which can, as usual, be had at J. McKenna's, 80 Queen-street, also contains a brainy and timely article on the "Manitoba School Law," by Mr. E. Douglas Moore, M.P., and a review of an array on Dual Languages by Rev. George A. Low, "Diogenes," among other matters, makes some interesting remarks about gold-grubbing in the Rainy River district.

Boys Torn to Pieces by Alligators.

Chicago, May 23.—A special from Crockett, Texas, says: While two young men were fishing in Neches River, 27 miles from here, their canoe was attacked by alligators and broken up. The young men were torn to pieces by the reptiles. The mother of one of the boys witnessed the tragedy from the bank.

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Visitors to Toronto.

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The very highest medical authorities endorse every preparation of this Scotch water.

For May Start.

Queen's Birthday generally marks the opening of the yachting and boating season. Supplies for all kinds of holiday excursion—groceries, provisions—and liquors—have long been a specialty with Michie & Co.

Arlington Hotel.

Every elegant, comfortable hotel offers every convenience to those desiring permanent water accommodations.

CHERRIED BY THOUSANDS.

Crowds of Citizens Witness the Departure of the Brave Volunteers.

An immense crowd of people thronged the downtown streets last night to witness the departure of the Queen's Own Rifles for their three days' trip to Niagara. The regiment paraded at 9 o'clock at the new Armouries, Lt.-Col. Hamilton in command and marched via University, Queen, Bay, King and Yonge-streets to Geddes' Wharf, where they embarked on the steamer Chisora at about 9:30. All along the route the boys were cheered lustily by their admirers, many of them waving a natty handkerchief and many a sweet voice bidding a fond, but in some cases rather reluctant, "good-bye."

The parade strength was 537 of all ranks, including brass and bugle bands, pioneers, signal men and ambulance corps, the latter turning out three full stretchers. A large number of men who were expected to get away last night, but to-day and to-morrow. The advance guard which went over yesterday morning held a review at the camp and everything ready for the regiment on their arrival.

Double review will be held at Niagara, and to-morrow an advance party will leave early in the morning and will be at the review at 9 o'clock at Queenston. The attacking force will leave Niagara an hour later and will be at the review at 9 o'clock at Heights. Lt.-Col. Buchan, D.A.G., and a staff of military experts will decide upon the order of the review and the troops will return to camp by train.

On Sunday morning divine service will be held at the old camp where one of the regiment will leave for home at 9 p.m.

Arrangements have been made by which men who are compelled to be at business in Toronto to-morrow can leave home leaving Niagara at 9 o'clock to-night and return to-morrow, leaving at 2 or 10 p.m. without extra charge. Double trips will be made by the boats to-night and to-morrow, so that Toronto friends of the regiment may be able to witness the review and field day.

When the Chisora was moving out last night a bandman stepped from the gangway into the water, and he climbed up a ladder at the side of the boat, and the last seen of him from the wharf he was hanging to the engine room.

4th Highlanders.

The ever-popular "Kitties" were ordered to parade at the Armouries at 9 o'clock, preparatory to their journey to Windsor. The call for "markers" was not sounded until 9:10, and the "fall in" five minutes later. Some little time was necessarily taken up in calling the rolls proving the companies, but at 9:45 Major Macdonald called the battalion to attention and reported "all correct" to Col. Davidson, and to the strains of the "March Home" the troops were ordered to march to the review and field day.

Exactly 50 minutes elapsed from the time the regiment left their quarters until they halted inside the station. There a train of 10 colonist sleeping cars was waiting them, and the entraining was effected without the slightest noise or confusion. Lt.-Col. Davidson was in command with Major Cosby and Major Macdonald. The Queen's color was borne by Lieut. Catto, the regimental flag by Lieut. Baines. The total strength on parade was 24 officers and 460 N.C.O. and men, including band, drum, pioneers, ambulance and signalmen. The train left for Windsor a few minutes past 11 o'clock.

Ask your shoe dealer for Corol Russet Dressing. Price 15 cents.

BIRTHS.

ELLERY.—At 1 St. Vincent-street, May 21, wife of Thos. Ellery, of a daughter.

DEATHS.

ELLERY.—At 129 University-street, the residence of her sister, Mrs. Jeffrey, May 23, Martha, beloved wife of T. D. Ellery, aged 21.

Funeral services 2:30 p.m., at St. James' Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

ROYAL WEATHER.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Calgary, 34-50; Edmonton, 34-50; Prince Albert, 46-62; Qu'Appelle, 50-72; Winnipeg, 42-59; Pelly Sound, 28-46; Toronto, 47-76; Montreal, 46-62; Quebec, 40-56; Halifax, 38-48; Chattanooga, N.B., 40-58.

PROBS.—Southerly and southeasterly winds, fine and warm.

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CONGRATULATING HER MAJESTY.

Lord Aberdeen Cables an Appropriate Message.

SIR C. H. TUPPER RETURNS HOME.

His Return Due to the Manitoba School Negotiations.

Mr. Greenway Absolutely Declines to Say a Word on the Matter—Fast Dominion Line Steamers are to Carry Atlantic Mail—Bringing Prince Edward Island Within Twenty-Four Hours of Montreal—Wholesale Business Liable for the Budget Debate Agency—Two Laborers Asphyxiated.

Ottawa, May 23.—His Excellency the Governor-General, on behalf of the Royal Society, to-day sent to Her Majesty a loyal and congratulatory message on the occasion of the anniversary of her natal day. The official observance of Queen's Birthday in England takes place on Saturday, so that possibly the announcement of Queen's birthday honors may not take place until then.

Sir C. H. Tupper, Minister of Justice, arrived somewhat unexpectedly from New York to-day. Although the Minister's health is slightly improved, he is far from well, the object of Sir Charles' visit to Gotham, as previously stated, was to consult a specialist in regard to his lung trouble. He was not expected home until next week, and his earlier return is supposed to be due to the negotiations now going on in Manitoba school matters.

Archbishop Langevin has returned to the city, and, celebrating mass in the Gloucester-street convent the morning.

The Atlantic Mail Service.

Although a definite conclusion has not yet been reached respecting the shipping of the Atlantic mail service by the Dominion Line with the Allans, the Postmaster-General informed me to-day that he had determined to determine this week's mails by the Vancouver, and will insist upon it that the Allans must use the two fast boats of the Dominion Line, as such are mentioned in the contract.

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