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TWELFTH YEAR. FRIDAY MORNING, APRIL 22 1892. ONE CENT.

A GRAND EQUINE DISPLAY.

4000 PEOPLE PAY HOMAGE TO THE HORSE.

A Gala Night in Old Upper Canada's Canvas Pavilion—The Brilliant Assembly of People Present—Capt. Morrow's Colonel is the Champion Hunter—Mr. Dean Wins the Queen's Hotel Cup.

Upwards of 4000 persons assembled under the big canopy at old Upper Canada last night.

They were all there to pay homage to man's noblest friend, the horse.

The superb steed galloped and pranced in a becoming manner to reciprocate for the great honor done him.

At 7 o'clock the King-street gates were opened to the early surging crowd and at 8 when the mounted policemen had finished their evolutions the vast throng were all seated around the tan-bark oval. Early in the evening the canvas stable was the centre of attraction. The well-groomed animals on the long sides faced the eager and friendly gaze of the moving throng. Many were the sympathetic strokes and endearing terms bestowed on the hunters and cobs.

"Isn't he a dear creature?" said the enthusiastic horsey-girl as she permitted a sleek black charger to press his nose against her rosy cheek.

"I could kiss the darling animal," said another bolder belle. "But you won't," said her little brother, "you generally smack those with longer ears."

All the nice people were there. And the dear ladies! How they were attired in their smartest gowns, as Lorna Doone would say! By the way, Lorna will tell you all about the richness of their lovely wraps in next Sunday's World. The boxes were all filled with gay parties, and here are the people who located in these favored places:

The People Who Were Present.

Capt. J. D. Hay and Mrs. Hay, Mr. and Mrs. William Hendrie, Miss Hendrie and Miss Gartshore, Hamilton; Mrs. Hugh Macdonald and Miss Macdonald, Mr. H. F. Wyatt, Mr. W. E. Burritt, Mr. A. P. Burritt, Mr. and Mrs. James Crowther, Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Beatty and the Misses Beatty, Mr. and Mrs. James B. Morrison, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Vankoughnet, Mr. J. H. Mead, Mrs. Bendelari, Mrs. E. S. Cox, Mr. and Mrs. James Carruthers, Mr. S. Green and the Misses Arthurs, Mr. and Mrs. H. Merritt, Mr. and Mrs. Jack King, Mr. and Mrs. Melford Boulton, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Nordheimer, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Janes and the Misses Janes, Mrs. G. R. R. Cockburn, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Tait, Mr. W. P. Thomson and Miss Thomson, Mr. George Stimson and the Misses Seymour (Pickering), Mr. and Miss O'Keefe, Mr. and Mrs. Cockshutt, Hon. Frank Smith and Miss Smith, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Fuller (Woodstock), and Mrs. Douglas Armour, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dickson, Judge Morson, Mr. A. McL. Howard, jr., and Miss Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Hume Blake, Mr. and Mrs. R. Northcote, Mr. Jack Small and party.

And dotted about everywhere were noticed: Col. Otter, Capt. McGee, Capt. Mutton, Dr. Nattress, Manager Buchanan, Major Harrison, F. Lightbourne, R. D. Gamble, Lt.-Col. Brophy, Hugh Hartshorne, George Higinbotham, W. Spratt, George Beardmore, H. J. Hill, A. Darling, Dr. J. W. F. Ross, Col. Pope, H. M. Blackburn, jr., A. R. Williams, Widmer Hawke, George Dunstan, R. N. Gooch, I. H. L. Watt, James Scott, James Edgar, Dr. Greenslees (Guelph), Justice Meredith, Frank Drake, W. Hendrie, jr., Jack Hendrie (Hamilton), Bob Matthews, Dr. I. H. Cameron, W. H. Milliman (Woodstock), Dr. I. H. Cameron, Billy Blake, Sol White, M.L.A., G. W. Monk, M.L.A., Mr. Medcalfe (Detroit), George Hendrie (Detroit), Colonel Gzowski, Charlie Brown (3), W. W. Vickers, M. M. Cabarl (Virginia), Mr. Tom Weld, Mr. Boycott (London), Messrs. Graham Bros. (Claremont), Robert Simpson and party.

Messrs. Spalding, Dr. Tremayne, Somerset and Baker were the Buffalo party.

Sergeant Goulding led his seven mounted subordinates in the ring at 7.45. A little later the Queen's Own band struck up "Tera-ra-boom-de-ay," and put the big assembly in a thoroughly good humor. The "finest" on horseback were liberally applauded for their kaleidoscopic manœuvres.

The Hunters on Parade.

It was now the hunters' turn. The well-known Irish face of Doc Wilson appeared. He was on the back of Capt. Morrow's entry at the head of the parade. Eighteen of the 24 entries participated. Once around they vacated for the hurdles. A brace of 4-feet jumps were placed on each side of the oval. The "Colonel" was first to try. The "Doc" gave a plantation whoop and a Dublin smile that caught the crowd as his mount tipped the hurdle. It was his only mistake and afterwards the chestnut cleared the obstacles in a perfect manner. Mr. Ballard was cheered for his clever handling of Mr. Howard's handsome black. Dr. Campbell doffed his cap in recognition of the applause that greeted him and his favorite Glenora. They all recognized Tim Blong on Dr. Smith's vivacious Surprise. Lieut. Laurie was recognized by his many friends as he appeared on his Carver Doone.

Ten of the Queen's Hotel Cup competitors appeared. Mr. D. L. McCarthy drove a spanking pair of blacks ahead of the lot into the amphitheatre. And nine of as fine pairs of horses followed as ever appeared in a body in any enclosure. They were a superb lot and the big assembly looked on with delightful amazement at the noble animals in their handsome harness and glittering trappings.

Mr. R. W. Dean was awarded the cup. He handled Richmond and Gloucester with remarkable ease, turned with either hand, snapped his whip at perfect leisure and sat in true harmony with the outfit. Bob Shanly took the red ribbon. Col. Otter and young McCarthy had a hard tussle for next honors, which, however, fell to the military man. Major Mead's friends entered a vigorous objection. On all sides they spoke out. If he was not entitled to the premium he should have at least been among the quartet, they thought.

The Q.O.R. musicians, under the direction of Bandmaster Bayley, rendered the Horse Show March during recess.

The only item on the program left was the tandem performance. It was a simple driving exhibition with no reward. There were four turnouts, and the animals were very difficult to manage. But the big crowd looked on with delight and not until Lally McCarthy drove out his two at 10.45 would they leave the seductive spot.

The Judges in the Ring.

After the police chargers left the ring the judges took their places. The hunters soon came out. Each horse was required to take six jumps, and conformation and general good manner while in the ring were considered. Prize $50; to 1st $25, to 2nd $15, to 3rd $10.

In response to the bugle callelighteen handsome horses entered the ring. It was a pretty sight. The animals were full of life and vim, and as the band struck up a lively tune they almost danced to the music. Each horse was given a trial, and considering the rather unusual surroundings most of them did exceedingly well. Some well-known jocks were seen in the ring, among them Tim Blong, Hamilton and Phair.

Capt. Morrow's "Colonel" is a fine big chestnut, 16 hands 1 inch high, by Baron Rothschild and weighs about 1150 pounds. Doc Wilson, who had the mount, did not succeed in getting him over the first two jumps in very good style, but after that he jumped well. He is a perfectly sound horse and goes along beautifully at the canter.

The next horse to attract attention was A. M. Howard's "Kate." She was ridden in excellent style by Mr. Ballard and cleared the six jumps without touching. Then came Dr. Campbell's "Glenora." She took all the jumps easily, approaching them at a slow canter, and many of the spectators expected that she would be awarded first place, but she roared a good deal and as conformation was taken into consideration in the judging she was debarred from a place. "Ethel," Mr. G. Baxter's pretty little bay mare, was ridden well by Paul Hostrauser, who appeared three times in the ring during the evening. "The Kid," C. Brown's horse, was full of life. Phair rode him, but the animal seemed to be a little too fat, and was a trifle lazy in getting over the jumps. George Gwatkin's "Mars" can jump well, but he was nervous and shied at the hurdles. Tim Blong came out on Surprise, and after the first round persuaded his horse to take the jumps very neatly. W. H. Stone's "Oliver B" did the best hunting jumping of any horse on the track, with the exception perhaps of Glenora. He took the hurdles in a matter-of-fact way, and would have been among the winners but for a lame knee, which the judges could not overlook in giving their decisions.

The judges stood in the centre of the ring during the performance and each horse was examined critically. Mr. Hamlin did not arrive from Buffalo in time and his place was taken by Dr. McLean of Meaford. The latter gentleman, together with Messrs. T. C. Patteson and George Torrance, constituted the judging staff for this class. The result:

Judging hunters and saddle horses. Best performance over six foot jumps. Conformation and general good manner also to be considered. Prize, $50; to 1st $25, to 2nd $15, to 3rd $10.

Capt. Morrow's Colonel.....1
Mr. A. McLean Howard's Entry.....2
Mr. G. Baxter's Ethel.....3
Dr. Andrew Smith's Surprise.....4

Dr. Davidson's Pilot Queen, Dr. F. A. Campbell's Prince George, Glenora, Mr. C. Baxter's Evelyn, Mr. E. H. Bickford's Fauntleroy, Mr. C. Brown's The Kid, Dr. G. S. Ryerson's Petrovski, Mr. J. Sheppard's Clarence, Mr. George Gwatkin's Mars, The Laddie, Dr. A. Smith's Surprise, Mr. Andrew Darling's Roland, Mr. J. Sheppard's Orange Belle, Mr. J. H. Laurie's Carver Doone, Mr. W. H. Stone's Oliver B. also competed.

Judges—Messrs. T. C. Patteson, George Torrance and Dr. McLean of Meaford.

Mr. Dean Captures the Cup.

After the jumpers came the competition for the Queen's Hotel Presentation Cup. Best performance and most masterly handling by gentlemen drivers of a pair of horses in the ring. The judges were Dr Tremaine, Buffalo; L. Meredith, London. All the horses are owned by Mr. Grand, and the drivers drew lots for selection of teams. The competitors were: Colonel Otter, Major Harrison, Major Mead, Messrs. C. N. Shanly, J. H. Laurie, Albert Nordheimer, J. J. Dixon, Harton Walker, R. W. Dean and D. L. McCarthy. Each team was driven around the ring, and then each driver in turn circled around the judges displaying his skill with the reins. In a short time it was easily seen that only four men were in it. These were Col. Otter, D. L. McCarthy, R. W. Dean and C. N. Shanly. Many people thought that the colonel would take first money, but they were disappointed. R. W. Dean drove a sleek-looking pair of cobs. His position was perfect. No fault could be found with him and he was given first money. C. N. Shanly, who drove a high-stepping team, was awarded second prize. It took the judges a long time to decide which of the other two was the better driver. They were sent around the ring again and again, and many of the spectators thought that they were trying for first place. Then they changed teams, and after circling around a few times were called to the centre, and Colonel Otter was given third prize.

An intermission followed and after about 10 minutes had elapsed the tandems entered the ring. The drivers were Col. Otter and Messrs. Shanly, Stimson and McCarthy. It was a pleasing spectacle to see the well-groomed and stylish horses stepping around the ring, and many envious eyes were cast upon them by the spectators. No prizes were offered for this event, which saved the judges from a good deal of mental work, as all the tandems were handled in a masterly manner.

Tan-Bark Taps.

Many of the spectators were disappointed when Glenora was not given a place.

It is both fortunate and remarkable that during the whole evening there was not one single accident.

Mr. George Pepper watched the hunters interestedly. He says Queensberry will beat the record to-night.

Mr. Grand has built a special entrance on the south side for holders of reserved seats, who will thus be enabled to avoid the crowd.

Mr. Grand introduced a new feature. He allotted a blue roset for first prize instead of red, which was emblematic of second place. This is a Madison-street Gardien idea.

"Aren't they lovely?" was the expression many of the ladies were heard to use as they viewed Mr. Grand's magnificent display of horses in the first tent.

The attendants were all very polite, but the boy who sat on a pony at the end of the tent and swore for ten minutes in a loud key without stopping should be gagged.

Richmond and Gloucester, the sorrel team driven by R. W. Dean, are a remarkably well-matched pair. Their action is elastic, and they are full of life.

Dr. McLean of Meaford took the place of Mr. Hamlin of Buffalo on the judging staff, otherwise he would have had a good chance for the Queen's Hotel Cup.

Grace and Swallow, driven by Col. Otter, were the admired of all. They are beautiful drivers and travel along as smoothly as the Mississippi River.

Mr. Exhibition Hill was an interested spectator. He says the Industrial will have a larger permanent building for equine exhibitions than Grand's Pavilion as soon as the ground is acquired.

The Program for To-day.

To-day the program will be continued. Mr. George Pepper's world-famed high jumpers will be in the ring at night. The hackneys will appear in the afternoon and also the thoroughbreds. There will be displays of gentlemen's driving with pairs and fours, also riding. Here is to-day's complete program:

1.45 p.m.—Judging best hackney stallion, any age, three prizes.

2.15 p.m.—Driving ponies in single harness.

2.30 p.m.—Judging best gentleman's pair turnout. Entire outfit and general display to be considered. Competitors:

Mr. William Crowther's pair, Mr. J. Ross Robertson's pair, Hon. L. M. Jones' pair, Mr. J. H. Laurie's pair, Mr. Robert Davies' pair, Mr. E. A. Simpson's pair, Mr. James Crowther's pair, Mr. Henry Cawthra's pair, Capt. Hay's pair, Col. Davidson's pair, Mr. S. H. Janes' pair, Miss Cawthra's pair, Mr. L. O. P. Genereux's pair, Mr. G. A. Case's pair, Mr. F. G. Cox's pair, Mr. H. R. Walker's pair.

Judges—Mr. S. S. Spaulding, Mr. Harry Hamlin, Buffalo; Mr. L. Meredith, London, Ont.

3 p.m.—Recess—During which the "Horse Show March" will be played by the band of the Royal Grenadiers.

3.15 p.m.—Judging thoroughbred stallions best calculated to improve the breed of horses in Canada. Three prizes. Entries—Wyndham, Jaubert, Stripling, Old Ireland, Gamble Orr, Buffalo, Ranelagh 2nd, Mikado, Birnam Wood, Golden Lake, Dennison, Goldfellow, Wiley Buckles.

3.45 p.m.—Exhibition of Mr. George Pepper's noted high jumpers. "Maud," "Queensberry," "Charlie Stewart," etc.

4.15 p.m.—Exercise of saddle horses, park hacks, etc.

4.30 p.m.—Exhibition of four-in-hands by gentlemen drivers. These horses will be sold at the great annual spring sale commencing Tuesday next.

7.45 p.m.—Exhibition of Mr. Pepper's prize jumpers, Maud, Queensberry, Charlie Stewart, etc. Queensberry will try and beat the loose pole record of jumping 6 feet 6 inches made by Rosebery (the late champion high jumper) at Buffalo, 1890.

8.15 p.m.—Judging high-stepping cobs in single harness. Action and general conformation to be considered.

8.45 p.m.—Recess: During which the Queen's Own Band will render The Horse Show March.

9 p.m.—Judging best saddle horses. Conformation and general good manners to be considered.

9.45 p.m.—Driving tandems and four-in-hands by gentlemen drivers.

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On the Opposite Side of the Street.

J. F. Copland, the market grocer, is now located at his new stand, 154 King-street east (third door east of Jarvis), where he will be pleased to see all his old friends and customers. On Saturday first he will present to every caller a handsome calendar as a souvenir of the opening day. A promenade concert will be held at the store on the afternoon and evening of the same day. 56

Orphans' Home benefit, Academy of Music to-night.

RABID "RED" UTTERANCES.

THE ANARCHIST "COMMONWEAL" RAVES AT THE AUTHORITIES.

Home Secretary Matthews Styled "A Jesuitical Monster"—Justice Hawkins Is Said to Prey Like a Hyena on the Bodies of Hanged Men—Editor and Publisher in Jail.

LONDON, April 21.—The Commonweal, the Anarchist paper seized by the police yesterday, describes itself as a revolutionary journal of anarchism and communism.

Commenting upon the recent trial and conviction of the Walsall Anarchists, it calls the Home Secretary a Jesuitical monster, who murders men because of a few head of game (referring to the execution of two poachers who killed a gamekeeper). Justice Hawkins, who presided at the trial of the Walsall Anarchists, is termed a hyena preying upon the bodies of hanged men, and whose love of the gallows a few years ago won for him the title of "Hangman Hawkins."

Continuing, the paper asks: "What of the spy, Melville, who sets agents to concoct plots which he discovers? Are these men fit to live?"

Melville, whom The Commonweal terms a spy, is Chief Inspector Melville of Scotland Yard, who arrested the Walsall Anarchists recently sentenced to various terms of imprisonment.

Nichol, the editor, and Mowbray, the publisher, of The Commonweal, were arraigned in the Bow-street Police Court today on the charge of inciting to a breach of the peace. The judge remanded the prisoners, refusing to accept bail.

Nichol admitted that he wrote the article in question.

PARIS, April 21.—Anarchists have sent the following letter to Ravachol:

"You may be condemned, but your death shall be avenged on the very day of your execution. The infamous Deibler and his assistants shall pay with their lives for taking yours. We shall be present with bombs in our pockets and we will blow up the guillotine.

BERLIN, April 21.—The Vorwaerts, the organ of the Socialists, announces that 16 halls have been secured for the purpose of holding May Day manifestations.

Germany has requested Belgium to institute a search on Belgian soil for the Anarchists Heilman and Haller, who murdered Police Councillor Rumpf in Frankfort in 1888.

MADRID, April 21.—The well-known Italian Anarchist Malatesta, who has for some time past been carrying on an Anarchist agitation in many parts of Spain, is being looked for by the police on suspicion of having been connected with the plot to murder the King.

At Herrera de Rio Pisuerga, in Old Castile, a band of Anarchists to-day exploded a quantity of dynamite at a bridge and completely destroyed it. They were pursued by the Civil Guard, but made good their escape.

Another explosion occurred in Orense, in Galicia. Several arrests were made. The attack was on public property.

The scene of still another explosion was in the town of Ergobia. A public fountain situated in one of the most prominent parts of the town was blown to fragments by a charge of dynamite. No one was arrested.

ROME, April 21.—Reports having reached the chief of police that attempts would be made by Anarchists to blow up the Quirinal and the palace he at once set men to work walling up the lower windows, the openings into the areas and the underground passages. When King Humbert first learned of the progress of the work he was highly indignant.

"Thank God!" he is said to have exclaimed, "the time has not yet come when the King of the Italian people must fortify his home against them."

He sent for the chief of police at once and not only ordered the work already done demolished, but also cautioned him against taking measures likely to manifest distrust of the people on the part of the working people, the people.

A PERSISTENT PERSECUTOR.

Alexander Sharp Committed For Threatening an Actress' Life.

LONDON, April 21.—A crank named Alexander Sharp was arraigned in the Bow-street Police Court to-day on the charge of threatening to kill Miss Louie Pounds, the actress and sister of Courtice Pounds, the tenor, and remanded for trial. Miss Pounds has been annoyed for several years by Sharp.

In November, 1890, he attempted to shoot Miss Pounds with a revolver. For this he was sentenced to a year's imprisonment. Shortly after he was released he began to write letters to her requesting her to meet him.

He declared that if she did not meet him he would either shoot her or spoil her beauty by throwing vitriol in her face.

Fell From the Observatory's Summit.

LONDON, April 21.—John Hartnup, the chief astronomer of the Birdstone Observatory, Birkenhead, was killed to-day. He went to the summit of the observatory to examine the apparatus, and while there lost his balance and fell the whole distance to the ground. His neck was broken.

Legislative Elections in Victoria.

MELBOURNE, April 21.—The results of the elections for members of the Legislative Assembly are known in 65 out of the 95 districts, and indicate a victory for the Government, which has gained 39 seats. The Opposition have won 16 seats and the Labor party 10.

The Fire Was Soon Extinguished.

Watchman Burrows and P. C. Sodden discovered an incipient fire in the grating in front of the Army and Navy clothing store, Yonge and Temperance-streets, at 1 o'clock yesterday morning. The end of a lighted cigar was thrown down the grating and it ignited the paper and rubbish which had been allowed to accumulate. Moral: Don't throw lighted matches or tobacco down gratings and see that the latter are clear of inflammables.

Madame Vermilyea's Artistic Corsets to order, fitted to the form while you wait, 338 Spadina-avenue.

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O'Malley's Sale To-Day.

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Orphans' Home benefit at the Academy to-night.

The weather prophet says we are going to have a long siege of rainy weather. Now is the time to buy a rubber coat or umbrella at 20 per cent. less than other dealers. Richardson, the men's furnisher, 65 King-street west.

CALIFORNIA HAS ANOTHER SHAKE.

San Francisco and Various Cities in the Golden State Visited by Numerous Earthquake Shocks.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 21.—A slight earthquake shock visited San Francisco at 9.48 this morning. The vibrations lasted 20 seconds. The disturbance was felt at Sacramento, Biggs, Woodland and Chico in this state and at Reno, Nev.

At Biggs eight distinctive vibrations were felt; clocks stopped and plaster fell.

In Woodland the shock caused 50 feet of wall of the capitol to fall to the sidewalk. Other brick buildings were damaged.

At Chico lamps in buildings all over the city were set swinging. Ceilings in some places were cracked and clocks stopped.

At Benicia windows rattled and buildings swayed.

At Vacaville some shaky walls were demolished and a number of ceilings cracked.

At Winters the Masonic Hall, a two-story brick building; Bertold's two-story stone building and Humphrey Bros.' one-story stone building were thrown down. One man was badly hurt and others were more or less injured.

Dixon, Cal., reports that only two or three brick buildings in town are safe. The occupants of brick buildings who remained after preceding shocks moved out to-day. There were many narrow escapes. The people are panic-stricken and believe the ruin of the town will be complete. Every available laborer is at work to clear away the wrecked buildings, tearing down walls, etc.

LAID TO HIS REST.

Funeral of The Late Hon. A. Mackenzie at Sarnia Yesterday.

SARNIA, April 21.—There was an immense attendance at the funeral of the late Hon. Alexander Mackenzie to-day, prominent and representative men from nearly every city and town in Western Ontario being present, while the influx from the surrounding country was very great, despite the downpour of rain which lasted till noon. St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, where the remains of the honored dead lay in state, had been draped in mourning. Business houses, public buildings, private residences all expressed in different ways the respect and esteem in which the deceased had been held and a sense of the loss which the country had sustained.

About 11 o'clock the remains were taken from the residence of Charles Mackenzie, M.L.A., where they had remained during last night, to the church. Besides the floral tributes which had accompanied the remains from Toronto there were many from local friends and admirers and also from different associations. The casket was completely surrounded with such tributes.

From 12 o'clock to 2 o'clock the body lay in state and the general public was allowed to pass through the church and take a last look at the face of the deceased. During the two hours probably 5000 people viewed the face of the dead.

At 2 o'clock the services commenced with the church crowded with thousands on the outside. The immediate relatives of the deceased occupied the first pews. The services were conducted by Rev. Professor McLaren and Rev. Professor Gregg, both of Knox College. The choir of the church rendered appropriate hymns and an anthem.

Rev. Professor McLaren offered up prayer, and an eulogy of the deceased was delivered by Rev. Professor Gregg.

The remains were then taken to Lakeview Cemetery for burial in the family plot, and the procession to the cemetery, about a mile and a half from the church, was a very large one.

CHEESE AND BUTTER.

Better Butter Wanted for the British Market—Economy in Cheese Making.

OTTAWA, April 21.—At a meeting of the Committee on Agriculture and Colonization to-day, Professor Robertson, Dominion Dairy Commissioner, gave evidence in regard to the season's work. Since his appointment two years ago, he said, there is a growing interest taken in dairying throughout the Dominion. Cheese had been sent from the stations at Perth and London, Ont., to England, and sold well. Referring to some experiments made in connection with feed, he showed that the milk could be altered in richness and color, but not in regard to solids. Farmers in the vicinity of Mount Elgin dairy station had received 15 cents monthly for their butter on account, and the butter on being sent to England and British Columbia had yielded them 24 and 25 cents net per pound. In the course of a few years he estimated that $5,000,000 worth of butter might be sent to England. In the meantime England imported $56,000,000 worth of butter, and 40 per cent. of this came from Denmark. The Danish butter realized 10s. more per 112 pounds than the Canadian article. Our butter was equal to the Danish in every respect, with the exception of the rosy appearance and flavor, which seemed to take better in the English market.

What is the Occasion?

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Try the Hub Restaurant; smoking room upstairs.

Bartram's Cream Horse.

BRANTFORD, April 21.—The cream horse which played so important a part in the Bartram alibi at the Heslop murder trial has been acquired by Mr. L. F. Heyd. It is said the horse was turned over to him in part payment of lawyer's fees for the defence.

Orphans' Home benefit to-night, to-morrow night and matinee.

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It's a Way They Have.

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., April 21.—Mr. David Morrice, assistant superintendent G.T.R., London, and late station agent here, was presented with a purse of gold containing $215 and an illuminated address from the citizens and employes of the G.T.R. at this place this evening.

"A Russian Honeymoon" at the Academy to-night.

Only the Kernel of the News.

Dr. Thomas, dentist, is dead at Erin.

S. S. Applegate of Camden, N.J., inventor of the electric floor mat, is dead.

Mrs. Martin, relict of the late A. Martin and stepmother of Henry Martin, artist, Toronto, died in Guelph yesterday, aged 78 years.

In a fight between union and non-union longshoremen at Chicago last night several persons were seriously injured by flying missiles.

BIGELOW IS THEIR CHOICE.

THE REFORMERS SELECT N. G. AS THEIR CANDIDATE.

A Big Meeting—Lots of Nominations—Those Who Retired—A Scene of Enthusiasm—A Four-Cornered Fight—No Alternative Was Their Cry—A Labor Man in the Field.

N. GORDON BIGELOW, Liberal.
H. A. E. KENT, Conservative.
E. A. MACDONALD, Annexationist.
PHILLIPS THOMPSON, Labor Radical.

These are the four entries up to date for the political race to be run on the 29th for the vacancy in the Local Legislature.

At Temperance Hall.

The Reformers held a successful convention last evening, which was as enthusiastic as 800 men, most of whom are ready for a contest, could make it. E. T. Malone, President of the Toronto Reform Association, occupied the chair, and on the platform were two rows of young and old politicians, including Malcolm Gibbs, J. J. Withrow, W. B. McMurrich, Joseph Tait, M.L.A., W. T. R. Preston, Charles Burns, B. B. Hughes, W. H. P. Clement, Frank Pedley, E. Schoff, P. Jamieson, A. E. Wheeler, R. S. Baird, N. G. Bigelow and F. G. Inwood.

After the chairman had regretted the cause of calling the convention by reason of the death of Mr. H. E. Clarke, Dr. Ogden moved and Frank Pedley seconded, on behalf of the Young Liberals, a resolution respecting the death of the Hon. Alexander Mackenzie.

Messrs. Wheeler and Jamieson next gave a certificate of character by another resolution to the Mowat Government, the members of which were duly eulogized by the speakers.

Messrs. Clement and Inwood spoke to the third resolution, which was a strongly-worded eulogy of the late Mr. Clarke, who was declared to be a man of integrity and honesty in public as well as private life.

Choose Ye a Champion.

Then came the direct business of the meeting, when F. G. Inwood moved, and A. E. Wheeler seconded a motion "that in the opinion of this convention it is not expedient to place in nomination a candidate to contest in the interest of the Liberal party an election to complete the unexpired term of two sessions in the Legislative Assembly."

This set the ball rolling in earnest and it was soon evident that the motion did not voice the feeling of a majority of the delegates. Mr. Malcolm Gibbs strongly opposed the motion, as did R. S. Baird, J. Gallagher, Joseph Tait, Stewart Lyon, W. B. McMurrich and others.

School Trustee Baird held that a contest would keep the party together and would not leave them to divide their vote between a candidate like Kent and an annexationist.

Brother Joe's Advice.

Mr. Tait favored running a candidate in view of the intense enthusiasm displayed by the large convention, even though there might be difficulties in the way. On the other hand the opposing candidate was not a strong man. There could be no more innocent individual sent to the Legislature, in his opinion, than Mr. Kent. There was no alternative but to fight and fight successfully. [Loud cheers.]

Stewart Lyon favored educating the electorate by public meetings on such an occasion instead of letting the election go by default. The Liberal party in England owed much of their success to the constant advocacy of Liberal principles.

Mr. McMurrich's speech consisted of three words: "Get to work!"—advice which was loudly applauded.

On the other hand A. F. Jury and Bryan Lynch supported the motion, while declaring their willingness to work if a candidate were chosen.

Mr. Inwood's motion was then decided by a standing vote, but the result of about 700 against it to 100 for it effectually snowed it under.

At 10 o'clock the chairman began to receive nominations.

Plenty of Choice.

They were:

S. F. McKINNON.
CHARLES BURNS.
N. G. BIGELOW.
DR. OGDEN.
E. T. MALONE.
DR. JOHN KING.
J. J. WITHROW.
FRANK PEDLEY.
ALFRED MACDONGALL.
W. T. R. PRESTON and
W. B. MCMURRICH.

All withdrew excepting Mr. Bigelow, whose nomination was thereupon made unanimous amid prolonged applause, to which he replied by urging them to work to their utmost, as he would, and he felt confident of a successful result on the 29th.

A Labor Candidate.

It was announced at the meeting that Phillips Thompson had decided to enter the lists.

The Executive Committee of the Reform Association held a meeting after the adjournment to arrange for the battle. The Young Liberals will meet to-morrow afternoon at 5 o'clock in Richmond Hall to arrange for a public meeting.

Arranging For the Fray.

Mr. H. A. E. Kent is not allowing the grass to grow under his feet. The work of organization commenced yesterday. An influential committee has been appointed, and an energetic canvass will at once commence.

This evening meetings of the Liberal-Conservative Associations of three of the wards will be held as under at 8 o'clock:

St. John's Ward—Coffee House, corner Elm and Terauley-streets.

St. Matthew's Ward—Dingman's Hall, Queen-street east.

St. Paul's Ward—Severn's Hall, Yonge-street.

All friends of the Conservative party are expected to be present to perfect organization.

On Monday evening there will be a grand rally in the interest of Mr. Kent in the Auditorium.

The Central committee rooms are at 10 King-street east.

The Reformers will meet to-night in several of the wards for organization.

So will the labor party, with Mr. Phillips Thompson, their henchman.

Mr. E. A. Macdonald will paddle his own canoe.

Mr. Phillips Thompson in the Field.

A meeting of representative labor men was held last night in Richmond Hall to consider the interests of labor in the forthcoming election.

Mr. John Francis presided and reviewed the state of politics in this city. He urged the direct representation of labor.

Other speeches to a similar effect were made, the outcome of which was that Mr. Phillips Thompson was adopted as a labor candidate.

Mr. Thompson gave his consent and said he would poll to the close and assert the rights of the working classes. The following he announced as his principles:

1. Abolition of contract system in public works.
2. Payment of union wages on works under public control.
3. Abolition of grants for immigration.
4. Better supervision of factories.
5. The appropriation of the rental value of land for public purposes.
6. The initiative and referendum.
7. Public control of public franchises, with a view to the ultimate nationalization of industry.
8. Increased powers for municipalities.

These officers were appointed provisionally, but the list will be supplemented at a meeting for organization to-night in the labor committee room, 98 Church-street.

Chairman—John Francis.
Secretary—George A. Howell.
Financial Agent—Felix Belcher.
Committee—T. W. Banton, F. C. Cribben, William Holmes, S. T. Woods, D. S. Macorquodale, G. A. Reid, S. M. Jones, F. E. Titus, R. L. Thompson, D. J. Howell, Sydney Jones, John Thompson, J. L. Dawkins, A. Hopburn, G. H. Carson, G. Pursey, R. F. Riley, R. L. Simpson, George W. Dower, G. A. Brown, Dr. A. D. Watson, Charles Thompson.

The active business of the campaign will commence immediately after to-day's nomination.

At the Eleventh Hour.

In justice to Mr. E. King Dodds it is only fair to say that his name was brought before the Liberal-Conservative Convention without any effort on his part. It was only after a number of his friends had met at the hall that it was decided to nominate him. There was no organization nor had any of the delegates from the various wards been canvassed to support Mr. Dodds.

The Vacancy in East York.

A Liberal-Conservative convention for East York to select a candidate for the Commons will be held in the Y.M.C.A. Hall, Little York, on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The delegates to the convention are being selected in the various municipalities of the riding within the next two or three days. A special train for the convenience of the city and York township delegates will leave the Union Station at 1.30, and stop at intermediate points.

DULL DAY AT OTTAWA.

The Militia Estimates Passed—Sir John Thompson's Bill Respecting Evidence—Two-Rowed Barley.

OTTAWA, April 21.—This has been a dull day in the House. The attendance was slim, for although the Ministers who attended Mr. Mackenzie's funeral returned from Toronto this morning, quite a number of members are still away and probably will not be back until Monday.

Sir John Thompson introduced his bill respecting evidence which allows a person accused of a criminal offence to testify in his own defence.

A small discussion sprang up this afternoon on Mr. Tupper's bill to amend the Steamboat Inspection Act on the question relative to the merits of metal and wooden lifeboats and buckets on steamboats. The present act requires metal boats and buckets, but the evidence favoring wooden boats, on account of the great ease in repairing, was so strong that the amendment was agreed to, leaving the question to be settled by the Governor in Council.

The House got into supply about 4 and two hours were wasted on the vote for the permanent force, most of the criticism being by Messrs. Casey and McMullen.

After recess Messrs. Casey and McMullen were inveigled into the smoking room to see Ansbach do some of his sleight-of-hand tricks and while they were absent the House played the trick of passing the balance of the militia items.

The House then got to work on the vote for experimental farms and the annual threshing out of the two-rowed barley question took place.

THE LIEUTENANTS ALSO.

Pacaud and Langelier Served With Summons on a Charge of Conspiracy.

QUEBEC, April 21.—High Constable Gale to-day served summons on Messrs. C. Langlier and Pacaud to appear before Judge Chauveau on April 28 on a charge of having conspired with Mr. Honore Mercier to defraud the Province.

Election Appeals.

QUEBEC, April 21.—The following election appeals are inscribed for hearing at the session of the Supreme Court which begins on Monday next: South Grey, Pontiac, L'Assomption, Rouville and Bagot. These seats are held in the meantime by Landerkin, Murray, Gauthier, Brodeur (Liberals), and Dupont (Conservative).

PROBABLY FROZEN TO DEATH.

The Bodies of Two Decomposed Men Found in Canadian Wilds.

RAT PORTAGE, Ont., April 21.—George Peters, who has been looking up lands near the boundary line on the Canadian side of the river, reported to-day that where the river ran into Rainy Lake he came across the bodies of two dead men in a terribly decomposed state.

From papers found one of the dead is believed to be Henry Matthews of Cincinnati. The other is unknown.

A short distance from the bodies were a Winchester rifle and two small axes. About $12 were found on one of the men, with two ordinary silver watches.

As far as could be ascertained the remains were those of men about 30 to 35 years old. They were probably frozen to death.

Reading Face to Face With a Big Tie-Up.

NEW YORK, April 21.—The labor situation on the four great railroads allied under the Reading deal last night resembled a smouldering volcano; it may break forth at any time, and if the issue comes Jersey Central, Lehigh Valley, Delaware-Lackawanna and Reading will all be blocked. The cause for dissatisfaction is wholesale discharges "in the interest of cheap coal" and antagonism between President McLeod and the Brotherhood.

From the Cloister to Comic Opera.

HARTFORD, Conn., April 21.—Lulu Wilcox has withdrawn from Mount St. Joseph's Convent to join a comic opera company. This step has caused even greater surprise than when she renounced Protestantism 15 years ago, took the veil and adopted the name of Sister Mary Celesta. She belongs to one of the most aristocratic