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HE FINDS HIS POSITION STRONGER THAN HE ANTICIPATED.

Fifty-Two of His Followers Pledged Against the Home Rule Bill—A Letter From John Bright Denouncing the Measure—The Division Expected To-Morrow.

LONDON, May 31.—In the Commons this evening Mr. Gladstone, replying to a question by Mr. Heneage, said that the Government did not intend to proceed with the Land Purchase Bill immediately after the second reading of the Home Rule Bill.

The debate on the Home Rule Bill was resumed by Henry Fowler, who spoke in favor of the measure.

Lord John Manners (Con.) opposed the Bill.

Mr. Chamberlain moved the adjournment and will open the debate to-morrow when Mr. Bright is also expected to speak. The discussion promises to be of unusual interest.

The attention of members to-night centered more in the talk of the lobby than in the debate.

After Mr. Chamberlain speaks to-morrow, an effort will be made to induce Mr. Gladstone to reply and close the debate. The Ministerialists insist that the Government, if defeated, will appeal to the country, while the members of the Opposition assert that if the majority against the Bill be large, Mr. Gladstone must resign, in which event they expect that Lord Hartington will be summoned to form a ministry.

Home Rulers in Ulster.

LONDON, May 31.—Mr. Gladstone has received a letter signed by five hundred Protestant residents of Ulster in favor of Home Rule. They say they are convinced that a native parliament will be conducive to prosperity, contentment and observance of the law in Ireland. The letter has given Mr. Gladstone much gratification.

Chamberlainites in Conclave.

LONDON, May 31.—At the meeting of the Chamberlain party to-day 55 members of the House of Commons were present. Of these 52 resolved against the support of the Home Rule Bill, only three supporting Mr. Gladstone's Irish measure. Mr. Chamberlain read a letter from John Bright, in which the writer vehemently condemned the Bill, pledged himself to vote against it, and urged others to do likewise.

The news of the result of Mr. Chamberlain's meeting caused intense excitement in the lobby of the House of Commons. Mr. Chamberlain in the course of his speech assured the waverers that the result of the general election would be the defeat of the Gladstone candidates. Reports from every section, he said, indicated that the country was awakening to the fact that it was menaced with ruin.

Several members of the Hartington section spoke at the meeting. They referred to the plans of the Liberal Unionists to fight every disunion candidate.

The Division To-morrow or Friday.

LONDON, June 1.—The Standard says this morning that the division on the Home Rule Bill has been definitely fixed for Thursday night or the small hours of Friday morning.

Accidentally Shot Himself.

MADRID, May 31.—Count Xiquana, Governor of Madrid, while examining a revolver to-day, accidentally discharged the weapon, the bullet entering his side. He is in a precarious condition.

To Marry the Chief of a Clan.

Some days ago the departuao of Prince Nicholas, of Montenegro, from Paris for St. Petersburg, was announced. It is now reported that the Czarewitch has become engaged to the Prince's second daughter, who is 13 years of age, and who is at schoo in St. Petersburg. Surprise is naturally expressed at a potentate so great as the Czar seeking a matrimonial alliance between his family and that of the chief of a clan in the Black Mountains, for Prince Nikita is nothing more. But such a marriage would be in conformity with the traditions of the imperial house of Russia. Personal qualities have had greater weight than rank in the choice of brides by the Czars, either for themselves or their heirs. With the exception of the Princess Charlotte of Prussia, wife of Nicholas, no Czarine has ever belonged to a great reigning family, and some Czarinas rose from the humblest condition. Catharine I. was the last who did.

The Diet Treatment of Disease.

Milner Fothergill, one of the most charming and sensible of medical teachers, writes that the advocacy of dietetics in the treatment of disease is the absorbing topic of the present time. To him, indeed, it is the great the rapeutic matter of the day, and he feels in duty bound to lend it what aid he can. Of the necessity of some systematic teaching of dietetics in a course of medical education no one can entertain a doubt. It is surely as desirable that a medical man be taught how to feed a patient acutely ill as how to prescribe for him. If it be a pyrexia, it is as desirable to maintain the strength and call as little as possible upon the bodily reserves as it is to keep down the body temperature. To prevent exhaustion both matters must receive attention. Every sick person is more or less dyspeptic, and dyspepsia requires appropriate and suitable food. Many dyspeptics can alone perform their daily toil by a watchful attention to their food and requirements.

Preservative Action of Common Salt.

Ever since the days of Lot's wife the antiseptic and preservative action of chloride of sodium, or common salt, has been generally known. Plates of salt have been placed on coffins and dead bodies from time immemorial, probably from some ill-understood idea of its sanitary virtues. The addition of a little vinegar to a dish of salt causes the disengagement of chlorida, which is a potent antiseptic and disinfectant. During the prevalence of epidemic diseases, or where the drinking water is liable to contamination with organic matters from any cause, it may be well to increase the amount of salt taken with the daily food, as the gastric juices would disengage a certain amount of free chloride in the stomach.

TABLE NOTES.

James Whelan, a Nova Scotian seaman, was hanged in England yesterday for murder on the high seas.

The steamer Lycomoon, running between Melbourne and Sydney, Australia, has been lost with seventy lives.

The Land Purchase Bill will not be taken up in Parliament until June 7, another postponement having been made.

Rev. Dr. Michelis, Bishop of the Old Catholics in Germany, who persistently refused to accept the decree of the infallibility of the Pope, is dead at Freiburg.

An epidemic has broken out at Chemnitz, arising from the eating of raw beef. One hundred and twenty-three victims are reported. The disease is still spreading.

A hundred Bonapartist deputies and journalists attended a congress at Paris yesterday. They did nothing except to show that a strong schism exists between the adherents of Prince Victor and Prince Jerome.

The business men read The World for its news and for its Business Advertisements.

ADONIS IN AGONY.

Dixey and His New York Success Hooted in London.

LONDON, May 31.—The Dixey Company appeared at the Gaiety Theatre to-night in Adonis. The house was full, and there were many Americans in the audience. The artists were well received in the first act, especially Mr. Dixie. The ballet and chorus, at the opening of the second act, were overlong, and there was some hissing and hooting with calls for Dixey. The burlesque of Irving was highly successful, and also the song "It's English, You Know." Afterwards almost everything except the efforts of Miss Somerville and Miss Grub, was hooted. Occupants of pit and gallery whistled airs from the "Mikado" and otherwise misbehaved themselves. The gallery gods complained vehemently because of the presence of eight policemen. The Americans in the audience were indignant at the reception given to the play. Among the English patrons of the audience the better class sympathized with Mr. Dixey, but the general verdict was that the piece was poor and altogether disappointing.

Come Over to the Minority.

PEORIA, Ill., May 31.—The Merchants' National Bank of this city has suspended, owing to the embezzlement of funds by J. F. Hoke, bookkeeper. Hoke fled to Canada last week. His defalcations have been going on for years, and he has systematically robbed the bank of over $100,000 by falsifying the interest accounts.

Life Not Worth Living.

INDIANAPOLIS, May 31.—Major H. C. Russell, who wrote a number of poems and sketches under the non de plume of "Old Timercocks" suicided yesterday by taking morphine and chloroform. He had been separated from his wife and left a note saying life was not worth living.

Visual Perception of Colors.

Sensations of vision require a definite time of exposure of the retina, which time Mr. J. M. Cattell of the university of Leipsic, finds to be considerably dependent on the nature of the object and the intensity of the light. It varies with the several colors. Orange gives the quickest impression on the eye, and yellow closely follows it; then comes blue, red and green; while the retina is least sensative to voilet light, the time for which is from two or three times as long as the orange. By lamp-light the eye works more slowly than by daylight, and the order of perceiving colors is changed to orange, red, yellow, violet and blue.

The Wedding Presents of Princess Amelie.

From the London Telegraph.

The wedding presents were on a table or stand, so arranged that persons at a distance could see them. The handsomest jewelry was the tiara of emeralds and brilliants, with other ornaments to match, which were the gift of the Comte and Comtesse de Paris. They belonged to the outfit which Louis Philippe gave to the late Duchess d'Orleans.

Next in value was a set of brilliants and sapphires. The donor was the Duc d'Aumale. Some very quaint old jewelry had a Hungarian origin, belonged to the Princess Kohary, who married Prince Ferdinand of Saxe-Coburg early in the century. Since her death they have been dispersed among her descendants, and so got into the possession of the Duc de Nemours and his sister, the Duchesse Clementine of Saxe-Coburg, who both agreed that the Duke of Brabant should have them. This Prince will be the head of the branch of the Coburg family descended from the Princess Kohary, inasmuch as the late Dom Fernando was her eldest son.

The gifts of the Royal families of Italy and Portugal will be presented at Madrid. Most of the jewels sent by imperial, royal and noble friends were what one will see at any wedding in high life. A striking feature of the exhibition was the number of objects having a religious significance. They consisted of missals, books of devotion, vessels for holy water and sacred images. In the latter category was a silver statuette of Saint Anne d'Auray, presented late in the afternoon by the ladies of Brittany.

Other ladies gave a silver effigy of the Virgin. There were also many little souvenirs from convents where the bride was personally known. There was no sign made by the Imperial families of Austria, Brazil, or by any member of the Imperial family of Russia other than the Grand Duke Vladimir, who is a cousin-in-law of the Comte de Paris, and who, with his wife, attended on Saturday night the reception. The ladies were in ecstasies at the beauty of the Alencon lace, the bridal veil, and the necklace and bracelet in diamonds and pearls sent by the Princess of Hohenzollern, nee Infanta of Portugal.

What a Professional Tattooer Says.

From the San Francisco Call.

"I have two men who came here every day whom I am tattooing all over the body, from the neck to the ankles. One of them will go to Australia after it is done, and the other goes in a dime museum here at $25 a week as the escaped shipwrecked mariner. They come here for three hours every day for four months, and pay me $100 each when done. Yesterday I had two ladies up here to be tattooed. On one I worked a star and a name upon her pretty arm," sighed the brawny artist. "No, I don't have many lady patrons, but some of the sea captain's wives have it done, for you know it is a cure for rheumatism and a sure preventive".

The Quaker City's Marble Pile.

From the Chicago Times.

Philadelphia's marble pile, the city hall, is still unfinished. Between $11,000,000 and $12,000,000 have been expended upon it since the laying of the corner stone in 1872. It is the largest building, finished or in course of complexion, in the United States, and is estimated to cover 2,800 more square feet than the capitol at Washington. The tower on the north side will be surmounted by a statue of Penn, and its extreme height when completed will be 535 feet. It has now reached a height of 270 feet.

An Unknown Work of Sallust's Discovered.

From the Pall Mall Gazette.

Dr. Hauler, an Austrian scholar, has just discovered in the Bibliotheque Nationale at Paris five fragments of an historical work of the Latin author Sallust, a work hitherto unknown. One of the fragments is part of a letter from Pompey the Great to the Roman Senate. Another fragment gives an account of the debate on this letter. The remaining three fragments consist of reports of hostilities in Spain and other countries. The five fragments are palimpsests over which had been written the text of the works of St. Jerome.

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Everything Smelt Sweet.

The other day some ladies were riding in the country enjoying the scent of the blossoms, when one of them said: "Oh, what is it that smells so sweet?" A little girl with them quickly answered: "Why, mamma, everything smells sweet."

THE DAY THEY DECORATE.

HOW YESTERDAY WAS CELEBRATED IN NEW YORK CITY.

A Grand Military Parade Before President Cleveland—Miss Folsom Leaves to Wash-ington To-morrow.

NEW YORK, May 31.—All business was suspended in the city, the banks, exchanges and courts being closed. The military procession was one of the most imposing and best disciplined public pageants ever seen in this city. The church bells rang out the opening salute, flags were displayed at half-mast on all the public and many private buildings. The President's reviewing stand was reached at 11 a.m. Then the march past began. He was much pleased with the appearance of the men and the parade. The Grand Army posts then wended their way to the cemeteries, where appropriate ceremonies were held and the graves of the soldiers were decorated. The Presidential party will leave for Washington about midnight by special train, and Miss Folsom and her party will be escorted to Washington on Wednesday morning by Col. Lamont. The centre of attraction in Riverside Park to-day was Gen. Grant's tomb. Soon after daylight the people began to come, and in the afternoon the throng could be numbered by thousands. The tomb in which the remains of the nation's hero lay was fairly hidden with floral offerings from all parts of the country.

On or about July 1st next W. Farley & Co., Trade and General Auctioneers, will remove to their large and commodious premises, 10 and 12 King St. East, near Yonge St.

Sixty Years Separated.

From the Kincardine Review.

John Humes, uncle of Mr. Wm. Reekie, has lived in this locality at least 33 years. He is now 80 years of age and lives in a house opposite the Walker House. Over 60 years ago he parted with his brother William, now 85 years of age. William has wandered all over the continent, and for years was employed by circus managers. Latterly, however, he has been living in the great state of New York. Little or no tidings of each other had been known to these brothers during their separation. Last week, however, John was surprised by receiving a visit from his long separated brother. Fancy, 60 years intervening since these two had clasped hands! What changes have evolved in that time. The meeting of these two tottering old men, standing on the brink of the grave, is said to have been most affecting. They are still engaged recalling youthful experiences and recounting the incidents of their respective lives, as well as they may, down to the present. Think of it! To be separated 60 years and meet in this life.

Orange Blossoms Odor.

Love may be blind, but in some way generally manages to get on to a man's bank account.

First love and first shave come but once in a man's lifetime. And neither usually has much result.

It must be glorious fun to go courting in Greenland. The nights are about three months long.

When a man falls in love he courts his sweetheart. Afterwards she sues for a breach of promise and courts her lover.

He—"What is your favorite flower?" She—"Well—I—I—don't—know. I—I think I prefer—orange blossoms."

A man in a narrow sulky never learns to drive with one hand. This one-hand practice comes from buggy riding where two is company.

"I wonder if he loves me," she mused. "I believe he does. Yes, I'm certain of it. Didn't he keep on kissing me the other night after he noticed my breath smelled of onions?"

Love is the liquid glue of the soul. It makes unlikely things stick together, but cannot be depended upon to hold fast under all circumstances. Getting into hot water plays the very deuce with it.

A Philadelphia lover had persuaded his girl to elope with him, and the night had been fixed, but the girl backed out, stating that if she waited until after Easter her pa might give her a new bonnet.

Although they claim that love is blind,
A sad experience will disclose
'Tis difficult to be resigned
To boils upon your sweetheart's nose.

Henry B. Stanton's 81st Birthday.

From the New York Sun.

Several of Henry B. Stanton's children and grandchildren, now residing in France and England, sailed on the America from Liverpool on May 26. They are expected to reach Tenafly, New Jersey, in time to celebrate Mr. Stanton's eighty-first birthday. There will be a grand family reunion at their residence on the blue hills of Jersey, with the French, English and American flags waving from their housetop.

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Our Correct Summer Hats.

From the Hatter and Furrier.

The summer hats shown follow the spring shapes without variation. Nutria mixtures and blue pearls continue to be the colors, but since last month maple color has come to the front, and at this writing bids fair to become very popular.

He Wanted it Stopped.

"I see they are trying to put a stop to all betting in New York."

"I'm glad of it. Betting is a pernicious practice. I hope they will stop it."

"But they can't do it."

"Can't do it! I'll bet you $50 they can."

He Was a Jew, but Liked Bacon.

From the Milledgeville (Ga.) Chronicle.

When our clever fellow-citizen, H. Adair, met Major Bacon Tuesday he made this happy speech: "Major, I am a Jew, but I like Bacon."

A Seven-inch African Caterpillar.

A spiny African caterpillar, seven inches long and of a steel gray color was exhibited at a recent meeting of the Linnean society of London.

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OUR OWN COUNTRY.

Items of General Interest Received by Mail and Wire.

Fire in the jail yard at Belleville yesterday destroyed a portion of the barn located therein.

Hearing of evidence in the Church trial of ex-Mayor Dunnet v. E W Bibbald and other members of Christ Church, Belleville, will be continued to-day.

A man named Abe Sharp was compelled to pay $13 into the treasury of the Belleville Police Court yesterday in fines and costs, for that he neglected to properly feed his horse. The animal dropped dead in the street from starvation.

CHARGES AGAINST MR. CAMERON.

Meeting of the Investigating Committee at Ottawa Yesterday.

OTTAWA, May 31.—The Privileges and Elections Committee met this morning to consider the charges preferred by Mr. Somerville (Brant) against Mr. Hector Cameron. The Chairman of the Committee was not present, and after waiting over half an hour for a quorum Sir Hector Langevin moved that Mr. Hall should take the chair. No opposition was offered, and Mr. Hall took the chair. Mr. Somerville repeated his charges, and asked that a summons be issued for Mr. E. O. Bickford of Toronto, with orders to produce all letters and telegrams received by him from Mr. Cameron in reference to the procuring of a subsidy for the Erie & Huron Railway. He also asked that Messrs. J. D. Edgar, M.P., Henry Smyth, M.P., R. M. Wells, M.P., George Laidlaw and J. J. Hawkins, be summoned to give evidence. The orders for the attendance of these witnesses were granted, and it was decided to call another meeting to-morrow, provided the attendance of Mr. Bickford could be procured.

BAIT BUYERS BUSY.

Canadian Police Boats Keeping a Sharp Look-Out for Trespassers.

HALIFAX, May 31.—The schooner Amos B., Captain Myers, which arrived here today from Canso, reports that the Dominion fishery police boat Houlett is cruising in the neighborhood. The American schooners James A. Garfield, Frederick Gering and Greenleaf have been officially reported as having purchased bait within the limits as well as others whose names have not been learned. It is understood that the cruisers will attempt to seize the vessels should they be met. The Garfield is stated to have procured bait or ice in Bras d'Or Lake, and the other two obtained theirs at Canso and Fox Island. Many American fishing schooners are believed to be hovering about the Nova Scotia coast, but their fear increases with the departure of each new fishery cruiser from the port.

PORTLAND, May 31. — The Canadian schooner Sisters was released from seizure by the Customs authorities on Saturday evening and immediately left the harbor.

THOROUGHBRED STOCK BURNT.

A Destructive and Costly Fire Near Guelph.

GUELPH, May 31.—The barn and outbuildings of Mr. Harold Sorby, who lives five miles out on the Waterloo road, were burned to the ground at an early hour Sunday morning. The flames had made such headway when discovered that it was impossible to save anything. Mr. Sorby loses his fine herd of Galloway cattle, eighteen in number, some of which were imported stock. Three Hereford bulls, saved from the wrecked Brooklyn off Anticosti, were also burned, besides forty pigs and a lot of fancy poultry. Fortunately all the horses and milch cows were out in the fields and escaped destruction. The total loss is estimated to be between $11,000 and $12,000. The buildings were insured for $3000 in the London, Liverpool and Globe. The stock is well covered by insurance in the Guardian and Lancashire Companies. The origin of the fire is a mystery, but is attributed to tramps.

THE MISSING SIBERIAN.

Names of the Passengers on Board the Vessel.

HALIFAX, N.S., May 31.—Following are the names of those who took passage on the Siberian for St. Johns: Mr. Ely, Miss Saint, Capt. Mylins, Mr. Bingham, Mr. Webber, Mrs. Johnson and child, Bishop Jones; one intermediate and five steerage. She had also on board for Liverpool: J. R. Rudolf, J. Rudolf, jr., Mr. Ellis, Mrs. Dart, two children and nurse, Minnie Campbell, C. H. Fisher, Mr. Wallace, Major Picton and son; six intermediate and 35 steerage.

If you wish to dispose of your Household effects, call at W. W. Farley & Co.'s Auction Rooms. Temporary premises, 32 King St. East.

Fatal Accident and Embezzlement.

ST. THOMAS, Ont., May 31.—A man walking on the Michigan Central Railroad track, near St. Clair Junction, was struck and thrown from the track by No. 8 express this morning. The train was stopped and the man brought to St. Thomas and placed in the R. R. Y. M. C. A. hospital, where he received medical attention. He is unconscious and his recovery doubtful. In his pockets were found letters identifying him as Wm. E. Matteson of Caton, Steuben county, New York.

A young man named Cranston, formerly teller in the Traders' Bank here, was arrested by Chief of Police Fewings in Galt Saturday charged with embezzlement. He was brought to this city and bail accepted.

Solicitor McTavish's Assailant.

OTTAWA, May 31.—John L. Joyce, who recently stabbed in the neck City Solicitor McTavish, appeared on remand in the Police Court this morning charged with wounding with intend to kill. He was committed for trial at the Assizes. Mr. McTavish had so far recovered as to be able to appear in court. He will soon be quite well again.

Killed Instantly.

NAPANEE, Ont., May 31.—Edward Smith, who has been breaking on the N., T. & Q. R. R. for a couple of weeks, fell between the cars this afternoon while coupling. The cars passed over his abdomen, killing him instantly.

The Turn Verein's Closing Entertainment.

The Toronto Turn Verein last night closed their season with a gymnastic entertainment and ball. Over 200 couples were present. Members of the club gave a pleasing performance. A club swinging contest followed for a pair of silver-mounted clubs presented by J. Reilly. The competitors were George Dawson and Herbert Prince. The latter won. Messrs. Ristowe and Schwenker were judges, and John Zock referee. After the performance the floor was cleared and the fun commenced. When our German citizen turns out determined to have a good time, he has it. Last night was no exception to this rule. Dancing, singing and general enjoyment were kept up till a late hour. The success of this, the last entertainment of the season is largely due to the efficiency of the energetic members of the committee, Messrs. Holtman, Heintzman, Heitman, Schutz, Zock and Schadel.

A Widow's Suicide.

Mrs. Sheehan, widow of the well known Jerry Sheehan, put herself out of existence at her house, 51 Duchess street, yesterday afternoon. Her means of suicide was hanging. A twisted cloth attached to the bannister and encircling her neck did the work. Deceased's young son came into the house just as she was dying. The body was cut down warm. Coroner Duncan said an inquest was not necessary.

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THE STOCK SNAPPED UP.

ORGANIZATION OF THE CO-OPERATIVE 'BUS COMPANY.

About $5000 Subscribed for Yesterday—A Protest From the Street Railway Company—The Broadway Busses—Notes.

The solicitors of the Toronto Street Railway Company have filed an appeal against allowing the K. of L. to operate an opposition 'bus line. It is urged that the Company has paid $30,000 for right of way on roads on which their unlicensed rivals now run free, and it is intimated that failure to protect the Company's interests may be followed by suits for damages.

Meanwhile subscribing for stock in the new concern goes bravely on. Yesterday several prominent citizens invested, in some cases buying as much as $500 worth. The amount subscribed for yesterday is said to have reached $5000. The management expect the price of a single share of stock to be in a short time $250 instead of $5.

It has been decided to secure for use as a stable part of the building used as a look works at Front and Sherbourne streets. Four hundred busses can be accommodated there.

Saturday's receipts were $400.

The strikers' representative sent to New York to inspect the Broadway 'busses has almost completed arrangements for the purchase of a dozen. There are over 100 to pick from, and each will hold 35 persons.

The Executive Committee has contracted for five teams from Port Perry.

When the new company has got fairly running, and a better class of 'busses has been put on, it is intended to apply for a regular license and exact a minimum fare of five cents. The strikers will contest at law, if necessary, the Street Car Company's appeal against allowing the new line a franchise.

If you have Household Furniture, or any kind of Merchandise to sell, send it to W. W. Farley & Co.'s Auction Rooms. Temporary premises, 32 King St. East.

THE POLITICAL PRESS.

A Presbyterian Clergyman Denounces the Globe and Mail.

Rev. G. M. Milligan has for some months past been delivering Sunday night lectures on the Book of Matthew. Last Sunday evening the rev. gentleman chose for his text Matthew xv., 10 to 20. In expounding this subject it was shown that Christianity emphasized personal conviction in religious matters. False religions magnified institutions. Believers made the Church. The Church in the shape of an outward organization did not make the believers. The tyranny of mere outward machinery was then touched upon. The whole system of Pharisaism was cited as an instance of this tyranny. Men should beware of such tyranny at the present day, in educational, industrial and religious matters. They should be on their guard lest they should become the slaves of organizations. Workingmen might find such organizations more tyrannical than capital itself.

In politics we saw this tyranny. The Globe spoke of a dumb pulpit, but was it not itself dumb in regard to this machine system in politics as manipulated among us by the Romish hierarchy and priesthood? There was no popular suffrage unless each man cast his vote as the result of his own personal conviction, for if 10,000 men voted at the bidding of one man there was properly speaking no popular government so far as those 10,000 were concerned. The bane of our land at the present time in the matter of political interests lay here, and every true citizen should exert himself to secure for the country deliverance from organized action, whether religious, industrial or political, and to denounce the press and political parties which attempted to gain the largest number of votes out of such organization, as the Globe pandering to Romanism and the Mail exerting itself in favor of Orangeism, were trying to do.

The reverend gentleman in discussing the question of this organized tyranny that menaced individual liberty, whether proceeding from the corporate action of Church or State, said that the freest religion or polity was that which secured the most personal liberty combined with unity of action. This would be found in the mean between the organized despotism of Roman Catholicism and the rope of sand of individualism.

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PROBABLE STRIKE OF PLUMBERS.

The Men and their Bosses Cannot Agree—Steamfitters Also Agitating.

The Plumbers' K. of L. Assembly had a meeting last night in Temperance Hall to consider what action should be taken in regard to the demand recently made on employers. The men ask that nine hours and five on Saturday should constitute a day's labor, and that the minimum rate of wages should be 25 cents per hour. The employers offered to give ten hours' pay for nine hours' work, an increase of ten per cent., which the men think is not sufficient. So far as could be learned it is probable that the men will go on strike, as neither party is disposed to yield.

The steam fitters are still negotiating with their employers for an amicable settlement.

Doings of Young Liberals.

At the meeting of the Young Men's Liberal Club last night, presided over by Second Vice-President McPherson, a resolution denouncing members of Parliament who use their position to further their own interests contrary to the spirit of the Independence of Parliament Act, was carried unanimously. A resolution against the interference by the Imperial authorities with the Canadians in their attempt to protect their fisheries, was left over. Mr. John Crerar of Hamilton will read a paper Monday evening next on the Origin, History and Functions of Money.

Merchants, if you have a surplus stock of any kind of Merchandise, turn it into cash by sending it to W. W. Farley & Co.'s Auction Rooms.

Royal Black Knights.

The Grand Royal Chapter of British North America Black Knights of Ireland opened its annual session in the new Orange Hall last night. The hall is not yet finished and furnished, but the local brethren made it as comfortable as possible for their guests. Over one hundred delegates were present. After Grand Master J. T. Jones of Toronto had delivered his annual address, a committee on credentials was appointed and the Executive Committee went into session. The meeting will be continued to-day.

Curious Epitaphs on Tombstones.

—Here lies a man who did no good,
And if he'd lived, he never would.
Here lies my husband, who was good to me,
A model for all was my *Wife*.

The former was a man who had no care for his wife, and so pride for his home. The latter put "wife and home" before everything else, and made his home a "little palace" by getting all his *housefurnishings* refrigerators, lawn-mowers, garden hose, etc, from Stratherns, 179 Yonge street. edx

THE COMING OF THE SAMUELS.

Methodists and Baptists Preparing to Receive Revivalists Jones and Small.

Rev. Sam Jones and Rev. Sam Small will be here in October. The Methodist and the Baptist bodies will take the revivalists under their wing and arrange for the services. A meeting to discuss arrangements was held in the large parlor of Shaftesbury Hall yesterday afternoon. It was attended by about thirty ministers and laymen, almost all of whom were Methodists. Rev. E. A. Stafford was Chairman and Rev. Hugh Johnston Secretary. The discussion turned on the best place to hold the meetings. The Mutual Street Rink, the Granite Rink and the Shaw Street Roller Rink were suggested. Some gentlemen proposed that a temporary building should be erected in a central part of the city, a guarantee fund to be raised to meet the outlay. The feeling of the meeting however was that two buildings should be engaged—one in the east end and the other in the west end—as the most satisfactory way of accommodating the public. A Place Committee was appointed in the persons of Rev. Hugh Johnston, Rev. C. Cook, Robert Awde, W. H. Orr, R. I. Walker, W. H. Pearson, Warring Kennedy, J. N. Lake, Commissioner Coatsworth. The Executive Committee consists of W. H. Orr, J. B. Boustead, B. Westwood, J. Douglas, W. Y. Crown, J. Berge, J. N. Lake, B. J. Hill, Enos Hellett, M. A. Shipley, Commissioner Coatsworth, Ald. Galley, R. I. Walker, J. Kent, D. J. Bradley, Geo. Hastings, Warring Kennedy, W. J. Gage, Robt. Awde, J. T. Moore, — Bates, R. N. Shepherd, C. P. Paull, W. S. Wild, T. Hardy, J. R. Yeomans, E. Lee, John Barron, E. Terry, J. S. Stewart and the pastors of the Methodist and Baptist churches.

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An Engineering Excursion.

Engineer McAlpine, accompanied by Kivas Tully, Alan Macdougal, City Engineer Sproatt, Chairman Carlyle, of the Board of Works, Miss McAlpine and Miss Tully boarded the tug Conqueror at Lorne street at half-past seven yesterday morning and proceeded to inspect the city water front. Soundings were taken in the eastern gap, outside of Ashbridge's Bay and at a point a little west of Victoria Park, opposite a ravine down which it is intended to run the main outlet of the proposed sewer. The tug then turned back and examined the harbor improvements along the Island, samples of water being taken at the crib-work. A run was then made to the Humber. Mr. McAlpine will carry back to New York the information gleaned on his several tours of inspection and report at his leisure on the questions submitted to him.

Sunday Funerals and Military Parades.

The Ministerial Association met yesterday, the President, Rev. John Burton, in the chair. Rev. Dr. Pendecost of Brooklyn was introduced. The Committee on Sabbath Funerals reported having waited upon the trustees of the various cemeteries to urge the advisability of doing away with Sunday funerals. The trustees promised to give the matter due consideration. Ald. Boustead, John Harvie, H. J. Clarke, E. G. Wood, J. A. Patterson, D. E. Thompson, E. G. Woods, J. J. Woodhouse and E. Potts were a deputation from the Sabbath School Association, deprecating Sunday military parades, and asking the assistance of the city ministers to have them stopped. A special meeting will be held to-day for a fuller discussion. It was decided to postpone the social evil meeting until the autumn, owing to the near approach of the holidays.

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An Unsafe Dwelling.

The new pumping engine is again heard from. Engineer Venables is afraid to live in his house. Superintendent Hamilton, Engineer Sproatt and Commissioner Coatsworth report that the house is not safe for occupancy, and Mr. Hamilton attributes the cracked up condition of the house solely to the vibrations of the new engine. Some Aldermen are considering the advisability of having the engine stopped before it shakes the pump house down. It might be interesting in this connection to know that the old Worthington engine No. 1 started running in November, 1874, and ran until the beginning of this year without overhauling. The pistons were found to be in first-class order, the jackets, pipes, etc., alone requiring renovation.

Exorbitant Rates for Excavation.

The Court House Committee held another informal discussion yesterday with Architect Lennox on the internal arrangements of the new building. Judge McDougall was present to urge the claims for space of the County Law Association. It was decided to make room for the library by removing the Division Court clerks' rooms to the basement. It was also decided to recommend for payment the amounts of the premiums due the second, third and fourth competitors and of the experts' fees. The experts ask $100 each. Two tenders for excavation were received at 38 and 40 cents per cubic yard respectively. The Committee considered the rates exorbitant and resolved to ask for new tenders.

Not Drinkable Waters.

Mr. McMinn, of the Waterworks staff, went up to The Ridges a few days ago and took samples of water from Musselman, Island, Rescor's, Bond, Wilcox, St. George and McLeod's Lakes. The samples were submitted to Dr. Ellis, who reported to the Waterworks Committee yesterday that the waters were all below the level of drinkable waters, and that, judging from the small quantity of chlorides and solid matters present, they were surface waters. The Mayor has expressed a desire that the Committee should go up to the lakes with Mr. McAlpine some day this week. Chairman Walker will fix the day.

Pawning their Medals.

A World reporter was yesterday informed on the best authority that more than one volunteer in this city had been guilty of pawning or selling his Northwest medal. In Montreal on Saturday three medals, belonging to members of the 65th Battalion, were found in a pawn shop. A militiaman who thus disposes of his trinket of honor, while he is open to court-martial, should be held up to the ridicule of his fellow-volunteers.

A General Manager Resigns.

It is announced that Frederick Broughton, at one time General Manager of the Great Western Railway, but of late Manager of the Chicago & Atlantic R. R., has resigned his position, and it is said will return to Canada to engage in mercantile pursuits.

An Increase of Customs Receipts.

The receipts of customs for May at this port were $258,048, being an increase over the same month last year of $71,719.

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THE WATER WORKS COAL.

MR. BURNS WILL SUPPLY SCRANTON INSTEAD OF LEHIGH.

Superintendent Hamilton Complains About Secretary Morris—The Latter Resigns—The New Engine Going Again—Pipe Laying.

The Water Works Committee met yesterday. Present: Chairman Walker, Ald. Barton, Boustead, Elliott, Hunter, Hall, Lamb, Saunders and Low. P. Burns, contractor, for the year's coal supply at $4.21 per ton, wrote refusing to supply Lehigh coal as ordered by the committee. The specifications provided for the supply of Lehigh, Scranton or Pittston. Mr. Burns understood that he had the option of supplying either of the three, and declined to be bound by the Committee's order. Much talk was indulged in. It was decided on motion of Ald. Hall that the Council be asked to alter the Committee's report on the question so as to read Scranton instead of Lehigh, it being understood that Mr. Burns thought he had the option.

The contract for pipe laying was awarded to Rose & King. The Superintendent reported that repairs to the new engine had been completed on Tuesday, May 18, fourteen days after breakage. The engine had since been doing 48 strokes to the minute. The cost of the repairs on the Worthington engine No. 1 had been $1021.

The Superintendent asked for an order that the clerks in the Waterworks office be not bound by the 9 till 4 rule. The cash books should be balanced every night. He also reported that G. B. Morris, receiver in the office and Secretary of the Committee, had of late been performing his duties in a most unsatisfactory manner and requested that a change be made as soon as possible. A communication from Mr. Morris contained his resignation, to take effect in 30 days. Mr. Morris stated that he had been able to better himself elsewhere, and that he had resigned before he became aware of the existence of the Superintendent's charge. The charge was referred to the sub-Committee and a recommendation sent to the Committee to the effect that Mr. Morris's resignation be accepted.

JOTTINGS ABOUT TOWN.

The Grand Orange Lodge of British North America opens its annual session here to-day.

The adjusted loss in the Mail building caused by the recent fire is $4092. Mr Durand of London was the adjuster.

Acting Detective McGrath yesterday arrested George Foster for embezzling money from Chapman Symons & Co., his employers.

The last roller carnival of the season is fixed for to-morrow night at the Princess rink. Each lady in costume will be presented with a fan.

This morning Messrs W W Farley & Co will offer an immense stock of new and second-hand furniture, show cases, counters, etc, etc, without reserve.

Ionic Lodge, No 25 G R C, will entertain R W Bro J H Widdifield, M.D, M P P, Deputy Grand Master of the district, at its regular meeting to-night. The occasion is the first official visit of the D D G M.

The harbor arrivals yesterday were the M A Hall, North West and Helen with stone, the Dundee with coal and the propeller Percie. Clearances: Maud S, Ocean Wave, Highland Beauty, Lone Star, Lillian, M E Ferguson, Sepria, Speedwell.

The late George Morphy left personal property to the amount of $24,326 to his wife for life, for the maintenance of herself and children, and directed the estate to be divided equally among his children, the shares of his daughters to be independent of their husbands.

Rev. Dr. Pentecost, of Brooklyn, lectured last night in Zion Congregational Church on the Reasonableness of Christianity. The church was well filled. The lecturer was introduced by Mayor Howland. A collection was taken up in aid of the Western Congregational Church.

A young man named George G. Foster was yesterday arrested by Detective Burrows for stealing a lot of essences, oils, etc, the property of Bertram Maitland, 112 Mutual street. The goods stolen were valued at $