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# IF YOU ARE IN FAVOR OF SUNDAY CARS, RECORD YOUR VOTE EARLY TO-DAY.

## Fight for Sunday Cars

Bitterest and Most Demoralizing Contest in the History of the Canadian Queen City-Fight Ends To-Day.

## BASE TACTICS PURSUED IN THE NAME OF MORALITY.

Bankers, Manufacturers and Merchants of Irreproachable Integrity and Dominion-wide Business Reputation Abused and Accused of Questionable Motives by the Anti-Sunday Car Advocates-Some of the Election Methods Commended by Ministers Who Are Likely to Suffer for Their Immoderation

Toronto, Ont., May 14.—To-morrow sees the end of the bitterest and most demoralising election contest which has ever taken place in the City of Toronto, and one which will have far-reaching effects. The extreme lengths to which respectable people—ministers even—will go in the name of morality and religion, has been brought home to Torontonians in a manner and with a force which have shocked the community and dealt religion itself a severe blow.

From pulpit and platform the clergy (the Roman Catholic alone excepted), and their supporters have vilified and traduced the advocates of Sunday cars. Citizens of the highest standing and most irreproachable conduct and character have been abused, and the public has been told that these men were actuated by questionable motives in their support of the Sunday cars.

Men like W. R. Brock, the leading wholesale drygoods merchant in this city; E. C. Gurney, president of the Board of Trade; Byron E. Walker of the Bank of Commerce, one of the foremost financial authorities of the Dominion; George Bertram, ship-builder and wholesale hardware man, have been assailed and blackguarded until the public has become disgusted and has swung around to their support out of sympathy.

Nor is this all. The tactics pursued by the Sabbatarians have brought much obloquy upon them. Letters have been sent to the manhood suffrage voters, telling them that if they vote they will be terminally prosecuted; pseudo drunken men, pretending to act as agents for the Street Rallway Company, have canvassed for votes in order to bring the Sunday service advocates into disrepute; collections have been openly taken up in churches during service for the purpose of defeating the cars, and employers of labor have threatened their employes with dismissal and dire vengeance if they don't vote as the Sabbatarians dictate.

These practices have been commended and sanctioned by the ministers, actively and passively. Rev. C. O. Johnston of Bathurst-street Methodist Church at one meeting said: "I know a Christian employer who told his employes that if they voted for Sunday cars he would deprive them of their half holiday. Thank God for

seting said: "I know a Christian eniployer who told his employes that it they ted for Sunday cars he would deprive them of their half holiday. Thank God for the men!" The reverend gentleman was loudly applauded. And this is taking place in the same city where, only a few months ago, pulpit i press thundered against the Quebec Roman Catholic hierarchy, because they orted their parishioners to vote against Premier Laurier and his settlement of the control of the contro Manitoba school difficulty. Whether the cars carry or not, the campaign has been a bad thing for the ministers, for their conduct and speeches have engendered a bitter, hostile and dangerous feeling, which will lessen their inducence for good to a great extent in Toronto. More than one minister in this city will find his relations with his congregation somewhat less pleasant than they have hitherto been.

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# O'Donoghue's Statements REEKS ATTACKED TURKS. Giflore were largely reinforce night (Thursday) and received of the Greeks this morning to a terrible fire. The Greeks

Are Denounced as Wholly Untrue by the Toronto The Battle Was Bloody and The Times at Athens and The Condon, May 15.—The Railway Employes' Union and Benefit Society.

The following letter is self-explanatory: TORONTO, May 14th, 1897.

W. H. Nix, Esq., Head Roadmaster Toronto Street Railway Co., City : "DEAR SIR,—I am instructed by the Executive of the Toronto ailway Employes' Union and Benefit Society to communicate Their Assailants Fought Furiously with you and confirm the statements already made by several of the members of our union to you personally, to the effect that the statements made by D. J. O'Donoghue were wholly untrue and without, in fact, the shadow of a foundation therefor. Much annoyance has been created amongst the members and officers of our union by reason of Mr. O'Donoghue's misrepresentations.

"I have the honor to be "THOS. HOGG, "Secretary Toronto Railway Employes' Union and Benefit Society." 

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The Toronto Lay Platform Religionist Part Owner in a Railway That Does More Business on Sunday Than Any Other Day.

Niagara Falls, Opt., May 14.-(Special.)-The Sunday car issue in Toronto is causing considerable interest in Niagara Falls, and words of World. Here, where the running of cars on both local railways has become a routine of the Sabbath, there is no anti feeling exposed, and the views of the prominent men are that they certainly have no demoralizing effect. The majority of the ministers, when interviewed, declined to give their views for public use, although they generally admitted Sunday cars had no ill-effect on the morality of the town. One reverend gentleman, who requested that his views or name be not published, stated during a conversation, in which he upheld Sunday cars, that he did not think it consistent of Sam Blake to so bitterly oppose the Toronto issue, when he was a shareholder and frector of the Ningara Falls Park and

River Railroad, a road that does more business on Sunday than any other

The Citizens' Anti-Sunday Car Association are in no way responsible for and utterly repudiate a poster headed "This is the day which the Lord hath made," and signed "Young Men's Committee, and also a circular headed "Choose you this day whom ye shall serve." There is no foundation whatever for the sussertion that these, or either of them, cmanated from said association.

A. L. O'Meara, secretary.

Inder the superintendence of Miss R.

J. Barrett and a proficient staff of teachers, are giving free lessons in art needlework for a limited time in Cumberland that corner of Yonge and Cumberland streets. Lessons commence daily at 16 o'clock. All ladies interested in decorative art needlework are welcome. ed. o'Meara, secretary.

Pember's Turkish baths, 129 Yonge.

Baseball - Toronto v. Hamilton to-day.

The Citizens' Anti-Sunday Car Asso- under the superintendence of Miss R.

Offices to let in the Janes Building.
best location, moderate prices. Apply to First Smith, room 31.

Bicycles by Annieston to day.
In order to close by anniestate we will sell on Thursday, May 20, at 3.30 p.m., a consignment of the celebrated "America" bicycles. C. J Townsend & Co.



Lasted All Day.

TURKS WERE FORCED BACK.

Right to the Cannon's Mouth.

Twenty-Five Officers and Four Handred

Men of the Greek Forces Rendered Hors

de Combat - Fighting Ceased at 9 p. m.

to be Resumed in the Morning-Micopolis

Attacked by the Greek Flotilla -Turks

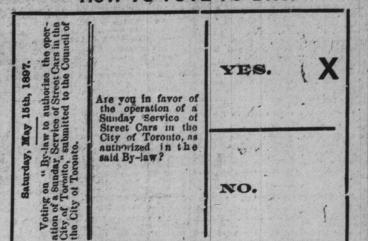
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Pharsalos-Serious News From Bulgaria

Fighting Ceased for the Day

Turks Retired From Domokos

Dean Swift, in "Gulliver's Travels," has light. I attempted to rise, but was not this passage, which may be adapted to deale to stir, for, as I happened to lie on ed my eyes. I heard a confused noise back. In the meantime I felt at least 40



If you are in favor of Sunday cars mark your ballot as above.

The Tug Ida Ran Ashore. But There Was Montreal, Que., May 14.-(Special.)-There Pharsales—Serious News From Bulgaria was a bad scare in the city to-day, caused by the report that the tug Ida had gone ting has been in progress all day near wore, on the road to Filippiada. Two ades of Greeks with finny guns, two SLAUGHTER OF SOLDIERS.

Grand & Toy's Snaps.

Fighting Ceased for the Bay
9 p.m.—The fighting at Griboro has ceased
and the Greeks have occupied various
heights in the neighborhood. Twenty-ave
officers and 200 men are hors de compat.
The battle will be resumed to-morrow.
Since 4 o'clock p.m. the gunboat flotilita
has been attacking Nikopolis from inside
the Gulf of Ambracsia, with a simutaneous attack proceeding from the landaide.
The Turkish batteries replied vigorously,
and firmly resisted the attack. The coming on of darkness stopped the engagement.
All the Greek efforts are now concentrated upon capturing Nicopolis and Prevesa
before advancing to Penteplyhadia. " Salada' Ceylon Tea is soothing.

A Small Vote. Street car enthusiarts will find when the poil closes to-day that the vote has been a small one. And why? Because of the contra attraction of our eighty-nine cent. window—See display ad. for particulars. Sword, 55 King-street east.

Baseball Toronto v. Bamilton to-day.

Cook's Turkish Baths, 204 King W.

When you csk for Adams' Tutti Frutti tee that you get it. Some dealers, to obtain a big profit, try to paim of imitations. Serious News From Bulgaria

St Petersburg, May 14.—Following upon the intimation that Russia would not be opposed to the administration of Thessaly by Turkey, it became known semi-officially this evening that the diplomats are greatly concerned at the news recently received from Bulgaria. During the past week much agitation against Turkey has been reported both among the people of Bulgaria and up the Bulgarian atmy, and fears are expressed that the popular feeling thus aroused may force the hands of the Government of Bulgaria.

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Every Wheelmen Should Have One Flannel neglige shirts, in Scotch plaids, to be worn with white collars, are the vogue for the season of '97. When the cyclers get to wearing these shirts on tractiveness to the landscape that will make the rose trees blush with envy. Quinn, of 115 Kfng-street, is now show-bulgaria. Serious News From Bulgaria ing these American novelties in un-shrinkable flanuel at one dollar each.

London, May 15. — The Constantinopa correspondent of The Daily Telegrapi says: The Sultan, acting upon the advice of Emperor William, has declared to M Cambon, the French Ambassador, that he cannot agree to granting an armistic until the basis of peace has been decided upon and approved by him.

Fighting Flercely This Morning Lordon, May 15.—The Athens correspondent of The Daily Chronicle says:

"The resumption of offensive operations in Epirus greatly complicates the situation and tends to hamper the negotiations for peace. The evident intention of the Greek commanders is to capture the Turkish positions there in order to show that they have not been defeated.

"In an interview to-day, M. Ralli, the Premier, repeated his statement that humane motives are responsible for the advance on Epirus, but he did not deny the advantages which might be hoped for from the capture of Prevessa and the occupation of the adjoining Turkish territory.

"We are still at war,' he said, and until an armistice 4s concluded. Greece retains her liberty of action. We cannot allow our activity to be confined to Thessaly, where the Turks are predominant. The powers have hindered us from acting in Crete, but Greece cannot be barred everywhere nor compelled to restrict her operations to a limited area." THERE WAS A BAD SCARE.

Railway Disaster More Destructive Than The Greeks forced the author resistance at the second. In several places the baryonets were so close to the cannon that they (the baryonets) could not be used. Already 500 of the Greeks are horse de combat. The hattle continues as this despatch is being sent.

Cheap Typewriters.

St. Petersburg, May 14.—A terrible railway disaster befell a military train last evening between Rockenhof and Eliva, on the Valki-Jurjev line. Sixteen and 4; Bar Lock, New Franklin, Dausand 500 of the cannon that they (the bayonets) and 4; Bar Lock, New Franklin, Dausand 500 of the cannon that they (the bayonets) and 4; Bar Lock, New Franklin, Dausand 500 of the cannon that they (the bayonets) and 4; Bar Lock, New Franklin, Dausand 500 of the cannon that they (the bayonets) and 4; Bar Lock, New Franklin, Dausand 500 of the cannon that they (the bayonets) and 4; Bar Lock, New Franklin, Dausand 500 of the cannon that they (the bayonets) and 4; Bar Lock, New Franklin, Dausand 6; Smith last evening between Rockenhof and Eliva, on the Valki-Jurjev line. Sixteen as their location at this address will last evening between Rockenhof and Eliva, on the Valki-Jurjev line. Sixteen as the below King-street in their location at this address will last evening

of Queen and George-streets, with ma-chinery and plant, in complete run-ning order, is offered for sale or lease on very easy terms. J. L. Troy, 5 King-street west.

Pember's Turkish Baths-Ladies 75c. 123

Central location, well equipped, electric elevator, steam heating, bicyclyroom. Most modern and desirable offices in the city. Offices fitted up to suit tenants. Apply J. T. Reeve, Agent, McKinnow Building.

Cook's Turkish Laths, 204 King W, venings, 50c.

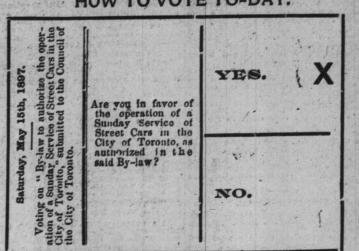
The matchless beauty of Dunlop's roses will charm you. They are selling now from \$1 a dozen up, and there is also a wealth of all the other favorite flowers at his stores, 5 King west and 445 Yonge-street.

Pember's Turkish Raths - Evening 50c, 120 Youge.

Steamship Movements, At From Lucania, Openstown New York Strong leather corners, and filled with the best quality blotting, at 15c, 25c, 40c, 50c, 60c, and 75c each. Scribbling

May 14. At From Lucania. Queenstown New York. Oevenum Fayal New York. Aachen Baltimore Bremen. Switzerland Philoadelphia Antwerp. Bonn. Bremen Baltimore, P.R'nt Luitpold.New York Bremen. Palestine Liverpool St. John, N.B.

## HOW TO VOTE TO-DAY.



The head office of John Kent & Co., busy. the well-known coal importers, is re-

Rare Business Opportunity.

The old established manufactory and planing mill on the southwest corner of Queen and George-streets, with machinery and plant, in computer with the computer of the computer of the computer of the computer with the computer of the computer of

WARD-SEGSWORTH-At Toronto, on Wednesday, February 10th, 1897, by the Rev. John Pearson, of Holy Trinity Church, Robert B. Ward to Ethol S. Church, Robert B. Ward to Ethel Segs-

worth, youngest daughter of Thomas Segsworth, Esq., of Barrie.

PRESTON-At his late residence, Danforth-avenue, York Township, on Thursday, the avenue, York Township, on Thursday, the 13th, Jonathan Preston, in his 72nd year. Funeral on Saturday, the 15th, at 2 3

Funeral on Saturday, the 13th, at 2 p.m.

TOLFREE—At Rosedale Villa, Oakville, in his sixty-seventh year, Joseph James Tolfree, passed into rest on May 13, 1897; for many years a resident of Toronto.

The funeral will leave Rosedale Villa, Oakville, on Saturday, May 15, at 12.30 p.m., arriving Union Station, Toronto, 1.50, thence to Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

WOODLAND—At the residence of his sonin-law, Dr. W. R. Walters, East Toronto, on Friday, May 14, George Woodland, in his seventicth year.

The Hamilton Divine Speaks of His Slanderers.

## HE SIMPLY TOLD THE TRUTH

Sunday Cars in the Ambitious City

ter. Mr. Young Imputed Wrong Motives Human Mind With Their Dogmatism-A Toronto Goody-Goody Writes an sulting Letter, One the Like of Which

Hamilton, May 14 .- (Special to The bath. Now, there is not a single reference

n favor of Sunday cars, see that your men get an opportunity to vote, even if you are

Minimum and maximum temperatures; Esquimait, 46-64; Kamloops, 44-62; Prince Albert, 28-72; Qu'Appelle, 34-66; Winni-peg, 28-54; Port Arthur, 38-54; Parry, Sound, 42-54; Toronto, 44-64; Ottawa, 50-68; Montreal, 48-72; Quebec, 44-684 Halifax, 50-56.

PROBS : Fresh west to northwest winds; fair ; stationary or a little lower tempera-

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## A VOICE FROM BOSTON.

Sunday Cars Do Not Increase Immorality in That City

Dr. J. Murray McFarlane yesterday telegraphed the Superintendent of Police in Boston, Mass., and asked if Sunday cars increased immorality in that city and led to Sabbath desecration. In a short time the doctor received this reply:

Boston, Mass., May 13.

Dr. J. Murray McFarlane,

32 Carlton-street,
Toronto:

In my opinion they do not.
Joseph R. Burkitt,
Supt. of Police. Dr. J. Murray McFarlane yes