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WHO'LL WIN THE FIGHT?

This is a Notable Day in Quebec Province.

THE ELECTIONS ARE ON.

And it is a Struggle for Life by Premier Flynn and Colleagues.

The Conservatives have put up a fair and honorable fight. Free from Race and Religious Cries, and They expect to win—Ottawa Government. Being All Possible Influence to Uprose the Flynn Government—The Shuttling Down of the Macdonald Tobacco Factory is a Hard One on the Liberals—Other News From Montreal.

Montreal, May 10.—(Special)—Tomorrow will be an important date in the Province of Quebec, and naturally the interest is intense to-night over the vote that is about to be taken, and which will decide the fate of the Flynn administration. The outlook this evening certainly indicates a surprise for the whole Dominion, for it does not appear at the time of writing that the Liberals can repeat their victory of June 23 last. Hon. Mr. Flynn and his colleagues have made the best fight in the annals of Quebec Conservatism, taking into consideration the task they had to undertake, and men as Flynn, Beaudin, Nantel, Pollock, Hallett, Chapuis and Arsenault, had been at the head of the Conservative organization of a year ago, the laurels of 1894 would not have been a great measure averted. Whether the race feeling which swept Quebec for some less than a year ago still exists a few hours will tell. There can be no doubt that the Conservative organization throughout the province is infinitely superior to that of their Liberal opponents. They have also a great heavy under-current not visible can prevent Hon. E. J. Flynn from coming back to power. Your correspondent is revealing no secret in announcing that members of the Ministry are confident that to-morrow will give them a new lease of power; yet Mr. Dandurand, the secretary of the Ministry, is not so confident. Hon. Mr. Flynn's chief organizer here, declared to The World to-day that the victory will be his. He is a man of great energy, but he had to admit that they were basing their calculations on a very great stock to possess. Your correspondent is revealing no secret in announcing that the Quebec Premier has made a magnificent defence of his Government and has from first to last conducted the campaign on strictly provincial grounds. The school question has once been alluded to, either by Ministers or candidates, during the campaign, but the limitation has been heard of, either in the press or on the platform, so it is not possible to conclude that the Quebec election will give to-morrow an absolutely final verdict on the school question.

Unjust to Manufacturers. Very frequently the Ottawa Ministers, while seeking to justify their tariff, are very unjust to the great manufacturers. As announced in to-day's World, Mr. Macdonald's tobacco factory closed down, throwing 1000 hands out of work, and, as might be expected, this evening Hon. Mr. Tarte writes from Ottawa to his paper, referring Mr. Macdonald, and calling him an "unfortunate Tory." This is untrue, for although W. C. Macdonald has subscribed to a Conservative election, he has never been known to contribute to the National Policy, and he has never been known to subscribe to a Conservative election. He has called upon Mr. Macdonald and asked him to give something to the St. John's Board of Commerce, and the latter has replied that he would not give a cent, but if they would build a free thought hall, he would assist them.

Other Montreal Notes. Mr. J. C. Sinter, manager of the Phoenix Insurance Company, was fatally injured to-day at St. Lambert, where he was struck by a train. He died this afternoon.

Mid and Shower. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Esquimaux, 40-58; Kamloops, 42-58; Calgary, 34-60; Edmonton, 40-62; Prince Albert, 35-55; Qu'Appelle, 42-54; Winnipeg, 42-58; Port Arthur, 40-58; Parry Sound, 44-52; Toronto, 54-71; Ottawa, 50-72; Montreal, 46-54; Quebec, 38-44; Halifax, 32-46.

PHOENIX: Moderate to fresh southerly to westerly winds; fair; stationary or a little higher temperature; showers in a few places by night.

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THE DISCOMFORTS OF HOUSECLEANING.



SIR CHARLES: If there's one thing more than another that disgusts a man it's to come back to the House and find everything changed and upside down—nothing where you left it and to have to eat cold victuals on a miserable bench.

WHAT SALISBURY SAID

Regarding Mediation Between the Belligerents. THINGS ARE INDEFINITE. Greece Has Not Yet Officially Requested the Powers to Mediate.

note of the powers has not yet been presented, but it has been drawn and left to the following effect: Greece has requested that she will recall her troops and be free to such an autonomous regime for the powers in their wisdom shall determine. It is believed that the powers will intervene in the interests of peace.

Another like Stefan. A bicycle belonging to James W. Stanbury, 487 Church-street, was stolen from the John-street entrance of the Arlington Hotel last evening. The wheel is an Antelope, No. 3008. Dunlop tires, black frame and square cranks and 1807 pattern and Chrisy saddle.

At the House of Commons. Mr. C. E. Clarke, stationery clerk of the House of Commons, is tonight nursing a broken arm. He has just taken to the bicycle, and while getting creeling round the corner of the Commons building, collided with a buggy. Mr. Clarke fell on his arm, fracturing it just above the wrist.

BOOMING AT RAT PORTAGE.

Navigation is Now Open—Mine Centre a Busy Arrangement for the Mining Convention.

Rat Portage, May 10.—(Special)—Those people who have, like an army of Micawbers, been waiting for something to turn up, or in other words, waiting for the opening of navigation, are at last satisfied and business has taken a sudden spurt, consequent upon the opening of navigation here to-day. The steamboat heading at the foot of Second-street, presented an unusually busy scene this afternoon, when the steamer Edna Brydges and Shamrock left for Fort Frances, loaded up to their greatest capacity with passengers and each carrying a large cargo with mining machinery and supplies.

The Edna, now bound for the mine Centre in the Selkirk country. Everybody seems to be making up his mind to settle in the thriving little town on the mine, and Wabigoon is for the moment forgotten.

The Second-street wharf is piled up with mining machinery waiting to be transported to places which we knew last fall as prospective. About three-quarters of the mining machinery is here, as are also the outfits for the Minto Jack, and Golden Gate mine, on the property. Capt. Macdonald, who recently bought this latter location, took out a crew of men yesterday to start work on the property. Capt. Macdonald will have charge of the Golden Gate this summer.

Manager Campbell of the Ontario Prospecting and Developing Company, has returned from Andrew Bay, bringing back with him some very rich-looking samples of ore, which were found in the vicinity of some of the properties owned by the company, which, by the way, administers the John Lake location of the Bullion Mining Company. It was at first given out that the two odd specimens which Mr. Campbell brought in with him were from some of the locations owned by the company, but Mr. T. R. Ferguson, a director, and also local agent for the Ontario Prospecting Company, informed your correspondent that the specimens were from a new discovery, but the management did not care to make known the fact until they had sent in their application for the property.

The Mining Exchange people are leaving no stone unturned to get the most out of the mining convention, to be held here on June 2, 3 and 4. All have been appointed such advertising agents, and arrangements have been made with several railways companies whereby single fare may cover the traveling expenses of the many delegates. When the convention arrives here, they will be taken in hand by the various committees, whose duty it is to entertain the visitors. Steamboats have already been chartered to carry the visitors to the different working mines in the vicinity, also to make pleasure trips to points of interest on the Lake of the Woods.

The convention will not take on the form of the ordinary investigation of its kind, but will be more in the line of a regular three-day picnic. Of course, the question of where and how to find gold, and how to extract it from the lodes in the rocks, but the session will by no means be taken up by a series of lectures on "The best trading method," "Indefinite limits," or by a profuse research into unworkable stamps, frequently met with in the study of a new mining country.

FRIGHTFULLY BURNED.

The Result of a Four-Year Old Child Playing With Matches.

St. John's, Nfld., May 10.—A young child, whose name is not given, but who is about 4 years of age, was severely injured by burning himself with matches. The child's mother went to see a sick sister on Devoe-street, and left the child with Mrs. Wright, who lives at No. 132, next door. Mrs. Wright was upstairs when her little son went to her and said "Mamma, I'm burning." She rushed downstairs and found the child lying on the floor, his clothes singed and his face blackened. He was taken to the St. John's Hospital, where a physician said that the child was playing with matches when her clothes caught fire.

EXPLOSION AT LEAD MINE ON THE ISLE OF MAN AND FATAL RESULTS FEARED.

London, May 10.—An explosion has occurred at the Scafell lead mine on the Isle of Man. Twenty miners were employed and it is feared that they have been killed.

FRENCH HEARS ENTERED IN GREECE.

Paris, May 10.—Caroline Richard, the Archbishop of Paris, has written to President Poincaré, thinking the Government for having taken the funeral of the late Count of Paris, where a quarter of the sons of the victims of the chaotic Lazarus fire, and expressing his confidence that the ceremony will mark an epoch by the union of all Frenchmen, and that hereafter there will be no more discussion of a separate French Republic.

MEMBER'S TURKISH BATHS—LADIES 75c. 125c. 150c.

Ice Encountered Off Newfoundland.

St. John's, Nfld., May 10.—The Dominion Line steamer Kennon passed Cape Race to-day, having encountered a mass of ice about 240 miles east of St. John's.

IT'S WOOD, NOT COAL.

It appears that most people do not like to buy coal at this time of the year, wood being principally in demand just now. John Kent & Co., who supply the city with wood, is the best hardware store in the city, and would advise the people to try it. Head office, 78 Yonge-street, near King.

ALICE DISAPPEARED WONDERFULLY—ADAMS TUTTI FRUITI, IS ON EACH FIVE CENT PACKAGE.

Discoveries of Iron Ore.

St. John's, Nfld., May 10.—English experts who have been inspecting the large iron deposits in the vicinity of Conception Bay, report that the quality of the ore is very good, and it is probable that the tract will be extensively worked during the summer by an English syndicate.

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EIGHTEENTH YEAR

Private Members' Day and Vacant Seats.

ANY QUESTIONS HELD OVER

Nevertheless Considerable Information Was Given by Ministers.

Mr. Henderson Wanted to Know About the Existence of Comblines. But Mr. Fielding Could Not Supply Cases—The Wharf at Diana Has Been Chartered for Hudson Bay Expedition at \$8000—Liberal British Columbia Salmons—Sir Charles Tupper Brought Up a Question of a Duty on Paup Wood—An Early Adjournment.

Ottawa, May 10.—(Special)—This was private members' day in the House, and the proceedings were very dull. There was quite a string of questions, but many of them stood over, owing to the absence of members.

Mr. Laurier informed Mr. Macdonald (Huron) that the report of the Kingston Penitentiary Commissioners is now engaging the attention of the Minister of Justice.

Mr. Sifton told Mr. Davin that "Dr. Walton Jones was not to be appointed Canadian commissioner to the exhibition at Stockholm."

Mr. Davin asked what Mr. Sifton meant when he said that he had received a deluge of letters from people stating they had written letters to his department from one to five years ago and had not received any reply. Mr. Davin wanted to know how many letters the word "deluge" represented.

Mr. Sifton said the word "deluge" was a common English word which a person of ordinary comprehension could readily understand. It did not require any explanation of its meaning. He said to a gentleman of the high literary attainments of Mr. Davin. [Laughter.]

Some of the other questions which Mr. Davin had put on the order paper were in his (Mr. Sifton's) opinion, extremely frivolous and did not call for answers.

Mr. Laurier told Mr. McInnes that the Government had notified the Imperial authorities that they did not propose to be bound by any such existing treaty.

Mr. Laurier informed Mr. Cassin that the Government had appointed a local Agent of Admiralty of the Exchange Court.

Are There Any Combinations? Mr. Henderson asked if the Government was aware that there exists at present in Canada a combination, association or agreement of any kind among the manufacturers of any article of commerce, which, in the dealers therein, or any portion of them, to enhance the price of such article, or in any other way to unduly promote the advantage of such manufacturers, or is facilitated by the customs duty levied on a like article imported.

(2) If so, in what manufactures does such a combination exist? (3) Is it the intention of the Government to reduce the duties on such articles affected by any such existing trust or combine?

Mr. Fielding applied, from general information obtained, that the Government believes that there is in Canada some association of the character mentioned in the question, but the information in their possession is not sufficient to call for a reduction in duties at present.

Hudson's Bay Steamer. Mr. Davin, answering Mr. Davin, said that the steamer Diana, which runs between the Hudson's Bay Expedition, from May 1 to Dec. 1, for a period of \$8800, or \$1400 monthly in advance. She was to be insured for \$40,000, and in the event of loss or abandonment the Government should be responsible for the proportionate share of the amount of the charter.

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The Premier informed Mr. Oliver that the present strength of the Northwest Mounted Police was 711, of which 47 were officers and 664 non-commissioned men. A scheme was under consideration for reducing the number of the force without impairing the efficiency of the service.

New York Sun's Scurrilous Attack. Mr. Mills (for Mr. Maclean) asked if the attention of the Postmaster-General had been called to a scurrilous attack on Her Most Gracious Majesty the Queen in the New York Sun for Tuesday last, and whether it was the intention of the Postmaster-General to allow that journal to circulate through Canadian mails.

Mr. Mulock: The attention of the department has not been called to that article in question, nor has it been seen. I have enquired from the secretary of the department, Mr. Leavitt, who informs me that the Government has never yet suppressed any foreign newspaper coming to Canada simply because it might contain an attack on any members of the Royal family.

Mr. Mills: I may say that I have read the article and I consider it a most scurrilous one.

Mr. Rutherford introduced. The new member for Macdonald, Man., Mr. Rutherford, was introduced between the Premier and Mr. Sifton, and took his seat amid Liberal acclamations.

A Tissue of Lies. A few motions for correspondence having passed, unopposed, Mr. Maxwell

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