

THIRTY-THIRD YEAR.

A PERSECUTED PEOPLE.

Unfortunate Jews Butchered by Cossacks While Attempting to Escape From Slavery.

An Indiscreet German Who Wants No Second-Class Navy for Fatherland.

Sadler May Not Be Held, as the Chief Witness Against Him Is Dead.

Poor Unfortunates.

London, Feb. 27.—A scheme to smuggle Russian Jews by wholesale out of this empire for emigration to the United States has, according to a Berlin despatch, already resulted in bloodshed.

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CLOUDS IN THE SKY.

Of European Politics—Germany and France Measuring Their Respective Lengths.

Germany Inclined to be Tyrannical, and France Ready to Resist Oppression.

Gordon Cumming, the Lion Killer, will Fight for the Honor of His Name.

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BOULANGERISM IN PARIS.

The Franco-German Difficulty—An Incipient Crisis—France Ready.

Death of Prince Jerome Napoleon—Betting and Passport Regulations.

The Inter-Collegiate Boat Race to be Rowed March 21—General Information.

The Franco-German Issue.

The Oxford and Cambridge Race.

Paris, Feb. 28.—The chamber of deputies has decided to suppress every kind of betting on the races, including the Paris municipal bookmaking, etc.

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AMERICAN NEWS.

Left to Will.

New York, Feb. 28.—Present appearances indicate that Gen. Sherman failed to make a will. Since his death, his sons have made diligent search among his papers, but have failed to find any trace of one.

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DOMINION ELECTIONS.

Messrs. Prior and Earle, Templeman and Marchant Placed in Nomination.

Yale Electors Unanimously Endorse the Policy of the Present Government.

The political contest in this city has now fairly opened. Nominations were received, yesterday, by Messrs. MacMillan, and, as was expected, only four candidates were brought forward.

Messrs. Prior and Earle, the Conservative standard-bearers, were proposed by Mr. B. Gordon and Mr. F. Hickey, the nomination papers being signed by the following gentlemen: John Nicholson, James H. Gordon, D. Spencer, W. H. Bona, L. Goodhue, J. Christensen, W. McKelvie, J. R. McKeown, A. McGregor, J. W. Knight, Thomas Shaw, W. C. Coombs, George Wood, W. H. Wood, J. Madden, H. Douglas, R. Semple, Thos. B. Hall, John Frank, J. Townsley, Wm. Jensen, S. J. Pitts, M. Baker, E. R. Marvin, John Irving, J. B. Harrison, A. J. Smith, Angus N. Poirer, Charles Hayward, G. Coombs, George Thomson, G. Byrnes, Alex. McDonald, Wm. Clark, John Fullerton, J. P. Elford, Frederick Carre, R. Seabrooke, John McLean and A. Clearburn.

Mr. H. D. Halmgren, acting as Col. Prior's agent, and Mr. D. M. Elliott, representing Mr. Earle, Mr. W. A. Robertson and Mr. H. G. Hall are acting for Messrs. Marchant and Templeman respectively.

Mr. Marchant's nomination paper bears the following names: G. E. Benson, J. Meaton, Thos. Elliott, George E. Wood, D. Curran, M. J. Conlin, T. J. Barnes, H. G. Halmgren, M. Young, Wm. Wilson, J. Cameron, H. A. Mann, J. S. Yates, J. Holland, G. H. Brown, R. Hicks, J. C. Blackett, Wm. Templeman, H. G. Halmgren, J. H. Davis, David Ballantyne, Geo. Wilby, A. L. Campbell, John Grant, W. H. Harris, Geo. Phillips, W. J. Gosnell, W. C. Kerr, R. S. Campbell, Edward Bragg, A. Reid, G. McKeown, Saml. Barker, M. McDonald, F. S. Hunter and Alex. Wilson.

Mr. Templeman has the following signatures: H. A. Mann, John Grant, D. Campbell, Wm. Wilson, J. Hutchinson, F. Bourchier, Richard Hall, F. G. Richards, J. C. E. Benson, Henry Howard, E. J. Barnes, John Meaton, John Doherty, C. H. Brown, Thos. Elliott, R. S. Cavin, E. Bragg, D. W. Morrow, Jas. Hattie, Jas. Anderson, John Hawkins, R. T. Williams, S. C. Lewis, William Denny, W. J. McKoon, N. Sabie, W. A. Robertson, George E. Wood, H. Halmgren, T. H. Jones, John Fullerton, G. H. Brown and A. B. Eakin.

The poll will take place at the usual stations on Thursday next, March 6th, and the result will be officially announced the day following.

In Nanaimo, as had been predicted, Mr. D. W. Gordon, Conservative, was returned by acclamation, Mr. A. J. Dixon, who published an election card, very original and decided in its bearing, was also returned, and the loss of the money spent for advertising was enough for him, without the \$200 deposit.

In New Westminster, Mr. Corbould was nominated on the Conservative ticket, and Capt. Scouler to oppose him as an Independent.

KAMLOOPS, Feb. 26.—The following telegram has been forwarded to the Rt. Hon. Hon. Sir John A. Macdonald, as evidence of the strong feeling in the district in favor of the Conservative party and the policy which they advocate:

KAMLOOPS, Feb. 26, C. O. Feb. 26. The Rt. Hon. Sir John A. Macdonald, Kingston.

Electors of Yale unanimously endorse the policy of your government, and I have pleasure in expressing our confidence in you and your administration. We have no doubts as to the success of your administration, and we will be re-elected for Kingston by a handsome majority.

(Signed) JAS. McNEILSON, W. MARSHALL, W. BULLIVANT, J. McNEILSON, J. McNEILSON, J. McNEILSON.

OTTAWA, Feb. 26.—First blood for the Government! Up to this time, eleven o'clock, despatches from all parts of Canada show the elections by acclamation to be in favor of the Conservative party, and the policy which they advocate.

AMERICAN IN CANADIAN POLITICS.

AMSTERDAM, Ont., Feb. 27.—Several captains who sail American boats, have started a committee here, and are taking an active part in Canadian politics. They are accused of inducing sailors to sacrifice their franchise, and the United States consul here has been requested to refer the matter to Washington at once.

EVERYONE KNOW AND LIKED HIM.

THOROLD, Ont., Feb. 27.—John Battle, proprietor of the cement works here, died this morning. He was a resident of Thorold for forty years, and was highly respected.

A NARROW ESCAPE.

BREXITON, Ont., Feb. 27.—A dwelling house here occupied by E. S. Wilson, was burned this morning. Mrs. Wilson was overcome by the smoke and had a narrow escape.

FLOODS IN ONTARIO.

TORONTO, Ont., Feb. 28.—The ice in the Seneca river has broken up and carried away the iron bridge at Walkerton. The freshet has also carried away the mill dam at Milford, Ont., and caused other damage in that neighborhood. The Conestoga river has overflowed and the docking for was carried upon the road, between 1000 and 1500 feet, causing a complete blockade, so that stages cannot pass with the mails for Elmira, Ontario.

THE FIRST C. P. R. STEAMSHIP.

MONTREAL, Q., Feb. 28.—The C. P. R. steamship Empress of India called from Suez, yesterday, Feb. 25, at seven o'clock in the morning. All the passengers are delighted with the trip to Cairo and the Pyramids.

THE SPRING HILL HORROR.

SPRING HILL, N. S., Feb. 28.—At 4 o'clock this afternoon, the body of Manservant Swift was taken up by the searching party. His body was found face downwards, under four feet of stone, 10 feet from the face of the level. He is not disfigured. This is the last body to come out, making 113, including three who have died from their injuries. There are 66 widows, 122 fatherless children, and seven widowed mothers bereft of