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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

DIED

ERWIN—In London West, on July 20, George Vanderbilt, second son of George and Alice Erwin.

The funeral will take place on Tuesday, at 4 p.m. Service at 3:30 p.m. Friends will please accept this intimation.

Amusements and Lectures

Advertisements under this heading two cents per word each insertion.

50 CENTS SARNIA TO DETROIT AND return, via fast new steel steamer, City of Toledo, of Star-Cole Line, Wednesday, July 22. Leaves Sarnia 7:30 a.m.; office open 7:30 p.m. Monday and Tuesday evenings. FRANK B. CLARKE, agent, Richmond street, next "Advertiser."

IRISH BENEVOLENT SOCIETY ANNUAL picnic Port Stanley, Tuesday, Aug. 4. Choice programme games, dancing, etc. Open air concert. 63u

MOONLIGHT EXCURSION—TUESDAY, July 21. Steamer "City of Mt. Clemens," which has been secured at Port Stanley by Campers' Supply Company; hourly excursion trips, commencing 11 a.m., Tuesday, July 21st; moonlight excursion 7:30 p.m., returning to connect with last train. SIM FAX, general manager.

STEAMER THAMES LEAVES DUNDAS dock 10:30, 1:30, 3:30, 7:30, 9:00; leaves Springbank 11:15, 2:30, 5:00, 8:15, 10:00; stops Wharncliffe, Woodland and Wonderland. Bicycles and baby carriages free. Piano and rocking chairs. Fare, 5 cents.

BASEBALL—TECUMSEH PARK, WEDNESDAY, July 22, Alerts vs. Hamilton; Thursday, 23rd, Alerts vs. Genesco. Games called at 3:30. Admission 25c; boys 10c; ladies free. 62c

GREAT SCOTTISH DEMONSTRATION—United societies London and St. Thomas, at Port Stanley, Tuesday, July 21. Attractions: Famous pipe band Forty-Eighth Highlanders, Toronto, London Pipers, London Musical Band, baby show, Highland sports and dancing. Trains leave London 9:30, 10:05, 11 a.m., 1:30 and 2:30 p.m. Leave Port, 4:05, 5:45, 7:25, 9:35 p.m. Scotchmen and all friends invited. 5in wtywtz

SARNIA, $1—TWO DAYS—CHOSEN Friends' popular excursion. July 22. Special train 6 a.m. Electric cars will run early for patrons of this excursion. 50k-wtzy

PALACE DANCING ACADEMY, 476 Richmond street. Fall term will open early in September. DAYTON & MCCORMICK, residence 241 Oxford street.

Meetings.

One cent per word each insertion. No advertisement less than 10 words.

HEADQUARTERS LONDON FIELD Battery. The members will parade at the Seventh's drill shed on Tuesday evening, 21st, at 7:30 p.m., for pay for the 75th of May. By order, Major B. Shaw-Wood, commanding, L. F. B. C. A. b

EUREKA LODGE, NO. 30, I. O. O. F., meets Tuesday evening. Members are requested to attend the lodge meetings. Visitors welcome. z

Domestics Wanted.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS COOK—AT O'Neil House at once. 61c

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—APPLY NO. 7 College street, St. Thomas. b

DWYER'S EMPLOYMENT AGENCY—Reliable help always on hand; also wanting good generals, cooks, and girls for country; 59 Richmond street; 'phone 1122.

WANTED—DINING-ROOM GIRLS FOR summer resorts—Good wages; also cooks, generals, kitchen girls and girls for all kinds of housework in and out of city. ARMSTRONG'S Intelligence Office, 56 Dundas street. 'Phone, 386.

Male Help Wanted.

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WANTED—AN IDEA—WHO CAN think of some simple thing to patent? Protect your ideas; they may bring you wealth. Write JOHN WEDDERBURN & Co., patent attorneys, Washington, D. C., for their $1,800 prize offer and list of two hundred inventions wanted.

AGENTS—WANTED—$20 PER WEEK—Apply to GEO. MARSHALL & Co., tea importers, 258 Dundas street.

Situations Vacant.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

STUDENTS, TEACHERS AND AGENTS write us if you want profitable and worthy occupation for the summer. We don't promise $5 per day, but we guarantee more than $10 per week to workers. Get particulars immediately. NICHOLLS & Co., Wesley Building, Toronto. 3tf

Wanted.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE FIFTY OR hundred quart milk route. Apply this office. 62c

Articles For Sale.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

FOR SALE—ONE COW—¾ JERSEY—AND calf, and one Jersey cow with pedigree, due to calve middle of August. Apply B. CORNELL, Delaware. 62c

STOCK AND FIXTURES FOR SALE—Store Dundas street east. Apply box 11, "Advertiser." 62c

BATHS, SINKS, PUMPS, WATER-CLOSETS, steam and hot water boilers. SMITH BROS., 376 Richmond street. z

GOOD LARGE WORK HORSE—WILL sell cheap as I have no further use for it. Farley's Paper Box Factory, 80 Dundas street. 62c

"MEXICAN FLY EXTERMINATOR"—Stock will lie in pasture without annoyance from flies when applied. J. DARCH & SONS.

FOR SALE—YOUNG BLACK HORSE—gentle; tall and rangey; for family carriage or delivery wagon. Inquire 374 Central avenue. 58n

FOR SALE—TWO FOOT POWER JIG saw at "The Ark," Market Square.

FOR SALE—COUNTER, DESKS AND IRON Stair at Bank of Toronto. ltf

NEW AND SECOND-HAND PIANOS—Also a dozen slightly used organs by reliable makers. HEINTZMAN & Co., 236 Dundas street. H. W. Burnett, manager.

Dressmaking.

MISS TURNBULL—DRESSMAKER—412 Ridout street, has removed to 474 Colborne street. 61bu

Patent Barristers.

WETHERSTONHAUGH & CO.—PATENT solicitors and experts, Canadian Bank of Commerce building, Toronto; branch office, Ottawa. Patents obtained in Canada, etc.

Houses, Etc., To Let.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

TWO-STORY BRICK HOUSE—PRINCESS avenue; all modern conveniences; also 1½-story frame on King street. EDWARD TOWE, 490 Princess avenue. 62tf tzxw

HOUSE TO LET—11 ROOM RESIDENCE—with all modern conveniences. 366 Central avenue, near Victoria Park. Apply E. SHEA. 62c

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET—APPLY to Mrs. A. E. BRYANTON, Erie Rest, Port Stanley. 61tf

TO LET—HOUSE, YARD AND STABLE—separately or otherwise. Terms reasonable. Inquire Salvation Army Citadel. 60tf

TWO-STORY BRICK—NINE ROOMS, gas, furnace, bath; rent moderate. Apply GEORGE TAYLOR, 571 Adelaide street. 59n

TWO-STORY BRICK HOUSE AND stable, round corner of Dundas on William. Apply Mrs. WM. CAMERON, 531 Dundas street. 33tf

HOUSE TO LET—428 PARK AVENUE—5 bedrooms, parlor, dining-room, kitchen; city and soft water; bath, etc. J. C. TREBILCOCK, 235 Dundas street. 34tf

BRICK COTTAGE—173 LICHFIELD street—7 rooms, soft and city water. Apply next door, or 292 Central avenue. J. M. LOGAN. 24tf

OFFICE TO LET—DOUBLE ROOM WITH vault, first floor Albion Building; also front room on first floor; immediate possession. Apply T. H. CARLING, at the brewery. 33tf

Real Estate.

First insertion 1c per word. One-half cent each subsequent insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

S. CHADWICK & SON—REAL ESTATE Agents, homes, investments, speculation. Call Room 2 Albion Building.

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL COTTAGE—just completed; near Richmond; ten minutes walk from Dundas; 4 bedrooms; two mantels; latest improvements; first-class plumbing; electric light; don't miss it. J. F. SANGSTER, over C. P. R. ticket office.

Artists.

MRS. LAURA DOUGLAS HAS REMOVED to 159 Albert street. Pupils received in oil and pastel painting.

TENDERS.

WESTERN FAIR ASSOCIATION.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP TO Wednesday, July 22, 5 p.m., for the erection of frame boiler shed, platforms, runways, etc. Plans and specifications at office on the grounds. CAPT. A. W. PORTE, President; THOS. A. BROWNE, Secretary. 63u

TENDERS.

TENDERS FOR BRICKWORK, CARPENTER work, plastering, painting and electric lighting of the proposed City Engineer's Office will be received up to 6 o'clock on Thursday, 23rd July. ORMSBY GRAYDON, City Engineer; ALD. E. PARNELL, Chairman No. 2 Committee. 59c eod

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ONLY

Big Show

Coming to Canada This Year.

THE

Walter L. Main

Grandest and Best Shows.

3 RING CIRCUS,
5 CONTINGENT MENAGERIES,
TRAINED WILD BEAST SHOW
AND REAL ROMAN HIPPODROME.

"The only great rival of Barnum & Bailey in size and features."—Lowell, Mass., Sun, May 27.

LONDON,

Monday July 27th

The Mighty Bovlapus.

The rarest, strangest and awfulest of all the monstrous mammals of the deep.

A Hippodrome Giving All Kinds of Races.

By fearless horsemen and horsewomen on one-third mile track.

PERRIER, the World's Highest and Longest Diver.

WALLACE, the celebrated horse riding lion.

Original European Wild Beast Show.

Trained beasts in huge circular steel cages. Lions, Tigers, Elephants, Jaguars, Panthers, Leopards, Russian Boar Hounds, and scores of other animals.

Most complete, inexhaustive, all-comprehensive Three Ring Circus the world has ever seen.

100 renowned home and foreign stars in 150 great acts.

Menagerie of hundreds of zoological surprises, Baby Lions and Baby Hippopotamus, Birds, Beasts, Reptiles.

Grand, Glorious, Unparalleled, Free, Gorgeous Street Parade in the morning sure, at 10 o'clock.

Cheap Excursion Rates on all Railroads.

One ticket admits to all.

Doors open at 1 and 7 p.m. Performances commence at 2 and 8 p.m.

Tickets on sale at C. P. R. Ticket Office. T. R. Parker, city agent, corner Dundas and Richmond streets. bw 62c tst

Sir Richard Cartwright.

Sir Richard Cartwright, Minister of Trade and Commerce, has come west to prepare for re-election on taking a seat in the new Liberal Cabinet. It is not believed that he will be opposed in North Oxford. Opposition, indeed, would but cause expense and trouble to the electorate, for the new Minister would be returned by a large majority. In the recent general election contest, the generalship of Sir Richard was exhibited in a marked degree in the constituencies east of Toronto which the member for North Oxford had under his charge. It has been remarked by a number of our contemporaries, and with truth, that the Liberals did extremely well in Eastern Ontario, and it is freely conceded that not a little of the success achieved was due to Sir Richard. Occasionally we see odd criticism of this able statesman. Sometimes the Conservative writers pitch into him for putting too much wax on his mustache; again disappointment is expressed that he is not funny enough in his public utterances, and once more it has been alleged that his views in regard to trade are too British to suit a certain class of Canadians. Sir Richard has strong views on many subjects, and some personal peculiarities, as have most eminent men; but it cannot be disputed that he is an able statesman, a convincing public speaker, a good friend of the people of Canada. There is much in the story which a noted opponent of Sir Richard Cartwright used to apply to himself. "It is invariably beneath the tree on which grows the best apples that the most stones can be found."

It was significant that when the Hamilton coterie endeavored to turn down Hon. Geo. W. Ross in the recent convention at Toronto, they were routed, horse, foot and artillery. First blood for the Hardy-Ross Government.

Salmon for Britain.

A delegation of wealthy Englishmen have come to Canada to investigate the propriety of opening up a large export trade for British Columbian salmon. Hitherto, salmon caught on our Pacific coast have, in small quantities, been conveyed to the British markets by way of the Cape of Good Hope, but the time taken in reaching the market, and the expense of the freight have been so great that an increasing trade by that route is out of the question. The proposal now is to ship the salmon in refrigerator cars over the C. P. R. to Montreal, in the summer, and to St. John, N.B., in winter. When necessary the salmon would be put in cold storage on shipboard, and thus it would reach the market in prime condition. Scotch salmon is preferred by the British trade, but its price always rules high, and the season ends in September, whereas the trade in Canadian salmon could be carried on into the winter, Mr. Bosworth, the freight manager of the C. P. R., who has communicated with the visiting capitalists, expresses the belief that with the facilities which his line can give, and with a study of the needs of the British markets, this trade can be firmly established.

Canadian salmon are second to none, and in the average season they are so plentiful that it should not be difficult to make the fish as popular with British buyers as is Canadian cheese. There seems to be no end to our resources as a country if they are properly developed.

In connection with the twaddle talk of reading a man like Hon. George W. Ross out of the temperance ranks, one is reminded of the reply of Sir John Macdonald, when asked to read somebody out of his party. "Why, bless my heart!" he said, "what I want to do is to read men into my party, not out."

Those Q. C.s.

The extraordinary list of Queen's Counsel, given to the press some time ago, though not gazetted, still remains in abeyance.

It has been reported that the men designated for the titles were selected by Hon. John Haggart and Dr. Montague, and this is given as the excuse why the late Government conferred, or attempted to confer, the title of Queen's Counsel on men who were not qualified for it. Men who are not even barristers figure in this remarkable list.

Two courses are open while the list remains ungazetted. One is to let it stand as an example of how the Government was conducted in the Tupper regime. Then a list, properly drawn up, could be issued in due course by the new Administration. Another way of remedying the injustice, and to rescue the profession from the ludicrous position in which it has been placed, would be to wipe out the recent list entirely, and issue one to do justice to the legal men, without regard to political proclivities.

The whole matter, it is satisfactory to know, is in the hands of the Minister of Justice, and Sir Oliver Mowat will doubtless reach a proper conclusion.

Is it not about time that Liberal papers, using plate matter, should see that their service is not purposely hostile to their friends? One of the services, used by some of our Liberal contemporaries, has been so flavored as to convey false views of the policy of Mr. Laurier and his chief supporters. The moral is obvious.

WILL BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION at the auction rooms of J. W. Jones, 242 Dundas street, London, on Wednesday, the 22nd day of July, instant, at the hour of 2:30 in the afternoon, the stock in trade as per inventory of the Erie Iron Works Company, of the city of St. Thomas, amounting to $9,599 04, as follows:

Iron castings and partly manufactured goods	$4,467 29
Plows, scufflers, harrows, etc., complete	404 75
Patterns (iron, brass and wood)	850 00
Machinery	3,485 00
Office furniture, horse, buggies, etc.	3.5 00
Total	$9,599 04

Terms: One-fifth cash, balance, 2, 4, 6 and 8 months, approved security with interest at 7 per cent. Stock sheets on the premises and with GIBBONS, MULKERN & HARPER, assignee's solicitors, London, Ont.; C. B. ARMSTRONG, assignee, London. 56t-tywtz

Jameson's Raid.

The Cape Assembly Says Rhodes Knew All About It.

Arthur Balfour Tries to Excuse His Bungling.

Britain Is Not Inclined to Evacuate Egypt.

Franco Piling Up the Duty on Sugar—British Steamer Wrecked.

WRECKED.

London, July 20.—The British steamer Crane has been wrecked through the bursting of her boilers at Ceuta, Morocco. There was no loss of life.

THE CHOLERA.

Cairo, July 20.—There were on Saturday in the military posts between Assouan and Kosheh 266 cases of cholera and 165 deaths from that disease.

INCREASED DUTY ON SUGAR.

Paris, July 20.—The Government is about issuing a decree increasing the custom duties upon all foreign sugars. The decree, which will go into effect on Aug. 1, concurrently with the new German sugar act, raises the duty from 7 francs to 12 1-2 francs upon refined sugars.

A VETERAN SOLDIER.

London, July 20.—Sergt-Major Robt. Elliott, who is attached to Queen Victoria's personal guard, is on a 60 days' leave of absence, and will spend that time in visiting his sister in Montreal. He has seen 55 years of continuous service, and carries six decorations for bravery on the field. Among them are the Crimean, Turkish and Jubilee medals.

ANGLO-AMERICAN ARBITRATION.

London, July 20.—The Daily News publishes an interview with the Right Hon. James Bryce, M.P., the well-known author of "The American Commonwealth," on the subject of Anglo-American arbitration. Mr. Bryce says that the dispatches exchaged by Lord Salisbury and Secretary of State Olney show that each side is sincerely desirous of an agreement that will be satisfactory to both. Lord Salisbury, he holds, is over cautious.

WILL SHE OR WON'T SHE?

A dispatch from Valparaiso says: The foreign minister at Santiago has received an important dispatch from the Chilian minister in London stating that Queen Victoria consents to act as arbitrator in the boundary dispute between Chili and Argentina.

It is officially announced at Berlin that Queen Victoria will not act as umpire in the arbitration in the frontier dispute between Chili and the Argentine Republic.

HEAT IN BRITAIN.

London, July 20.—A welcome change of weather has come after a week of tropical heat and humidity. The long drought which has burned the lawns and meadows throughout England has been broken by showers, and in favored localities by a steady downpour of rain. While the temperature has not been above 87 degrees, the protracted burst of heat has caused great discomfort to man and beast. Cab horses have fallen constantly on the streets and omnibus passengers have sweltered. The fall in temperature was 30 degrees in 24 hours.

WALES' MASONIC RECORD.

London, July 20.—To commemorate the 21 years' grand mastership of H. R. H. the Prince of Wales over the United Grand Lodge of England and Wales, Provincial and District Grand Lodges under the Grand Lodge of England are empowered, through their provincial and district grand masters, to appoint to past rank one eligible brother for each ten lodges in a district or province, and one for each portion of ten when more than five. Quite a number of appointments are likely to be made.

BALFOUR EXPLAINS.

London, July 20.—Mr. Arthur Balfour made a speech Friday night at the banquet of the United Club, in which he touched upon the difficulties the Government had encountered in securing the passage of the Irish Land Bill and the Educational Bill. Mr. Balfour contended that there was nothing exceptional in the present state of the Government business, and that no Government ever succeeded at the first session of a Parliament in passing more than a sixth part of its programme. The moral he drew was that until the method of procedure was fundamentally reformed, it would only be possible to pass short bills, and that great questions could be dealt with only by short bills in succeeding sessions.

JAMESON'S RAID.

Cape Town, July 20.—The committee of the Cape Assembly which has been engaged in investigation of the circumstances of the raid by Dr. Jameson and his followers into the Transvaal last winter have presented a majority report, declaring that Cecil Rhodes was aware of the intention of Jameson to invade the Boer country, but that the directors of the British South Africa Company in London were not aware, though they ought to have had their suspicions aroused, seeing that large payments of money were being made for alleged purposes of flotation, which really amounted to revolution.

London, July 20.—It is stated that President Kruger, of the Transvaal, has telegraphed to Colonial Secretary Chamberlain saying that he has no vindictive feeling towards Dr. Jameson, the leader of the raid into the Transvaal, and that he hopes his trial in London will not result in severe punishment for him.

BLUEJACKETS TO THE RESCUE.

London, July 20.—A dispatch from Canea, Crete, reports that a panic occurred there on Sunday, owing to the breaking out of a fire. The conflagration was mistaken for a signal for the beginning of a massacre of Christians by the Turks, and the houses of the inhabitants were immediately barricaded. Marines from the British and Austrian warships lying off the port were landed before the error was discovered. Confidence was quickly restored among the alarmed people.

BOGUS BUTTER.

London, July 20.—A select committee of the House of Commons, which has long been considering certain proposed restrictions of the Oleomargarine Trust, has presented its report. It recommends that the coloring of oleomargarine, either in imitation of butter, or otherwise, be prohibited, and that the selling of mixed oleomargarine and butter be held illegal, even if sold as a mixture. There are other restrictions as to registration of dealers in oleomargarine, labeling, packing, etc. The committee was composed mostly of agricultural members, who carried out the ideas of the Central Chamber of Agriculture for fostering the English dairy trade.

DR. JIM ON TRIAL.

London, July 20.—The first trial at bar since the famous Tichborne claimant case began today, when Dr. Jameson, Major Sir John Willoughby, Col. R. Grey, Col. H. F. White, Major R. White and H. F. Coventry were arraigned before Lord Justice Russell, Baron Pollock and Mr. Justice Hawkins. The charge against the defendants is violation of the neutrality laws by invading the territory of the South African Republic. Most of the leading members of the bar of Great Britain have been engaged either for the prosecution or for the defense. Long before the hour had arrived for the beginning of the trial every nook and corner in the court room allotted to spectators was thronged. There were many ladies among the audience.

Sir Edward Clarke, for the defendants, made a motion to quash the indictment on the ground that it was indefinite in its allegations, and had not been proven the Foreign Enlistment Act had been proclaimed where the offense alleged had taken place. Sir Richard Webster, Q.C., the Attorney-General, replied on behalf of the Government. When the Attorney-General had closed his argument the court adjourned.

THE SOUDAN.

England Will Not Abandon Egypt—Salisbury Urged to Say So.

London, July 20.—A remarkable article in the Edinburgh Review, demanding the frank avowal that we never mean to abandon Egypt, probably written by Sir Alfred Milner, is exciting plentiful abuse in European capitals of "Perfide Albion." Lord Salisbury's equally remarkable speech on the Soudan expedition in the House of Lords strengthens the belief that despite its solemn pledges to Europe, the Government is not concerned so much with the Dervishes as with the creating of a strong British interest in North Africa, from which no European jealousy can dislodge them.

The Spectator strongly urges the Government to tell the simple truth, and say plainly that "conditions have changed since we pledged ourselves to evacuate Egypt, and that we mean to stay and make Egypt a self-supporting part of the Empire." It says that Lord Salisbury probably will not accept this advice, because European diplomats urgently desire England to keep silence. They know that England cannot, and will not, leave Egypt, but fear that the frank avowal of her intention to stay would lead to popular outbursts, compelling war.

COSTLY FIGHT.

Young Men Pay $200 for Thrashing Their Sister's Slanderer.

Hamilton, July 20.—Having heard that Harry Lawry had slandered their sister, William and John Passmore hunted him up and thrashed him so soundly that a doctor had to remain with him all night, and attend him for a week. They were each fined $100 and costs, and paid it willingly.

GIRLS ON STRIKE.

Object to Having Their Wages on Shirt Making Cut in Half.

Berlin, Ont., July 20.—The girls employed at the W., G. and R. shirt manufactory are out on strike. The girls used to receive 18 cents per dozen for starching all grades of shirts. Last December the firm introduced a machine which did the starching in the rough, leaving the shirts to be finished by the young women, who received 10 and 12 cents per dozen therefor. The machine has since been discarded, and now the firm proposes to pay the girls only 9 cents a dozen, hence the strike.

A Bald-Headed Fact.

Oriental Rum and Quinine Hair Tonic will make hair grow. If the hair has become thin and weak through illness or any cause, use the Tonic. It is a pleasure to sell this article, it gives the greatest of satisfaction.

Price, - - 25 Cents.

Cairncross & Lawrence,
CHEMISTS, ETC.,
216 Dundas St., London, Ont.
Branch—Cor. Richmond and Piccadilly.

Today at Ottawa.

Mismanagement Already Revealed in the Departments.

The Ex-Deputy Speaker May Be Unseated and Disqualified.

A BAD STATE OF AFFAIRS.

Ottawa, July 20.—The condition of the departments as left by the outgoing Ministers illustrates their utter inability to manage the affairs of the country. They were simply neglected shamefully. Matters that should have been attended years ago are still unsettled. No wonder that business men lost all confidence in the late Administration and its predecessor. One man tendered for a contract amounting to a large sum, and deposited as security $6,000. The work was not let. There was no appropriation for it, and yet the man could not get his deposit back. It lay in the Minister's office month after month. Last week the new Government returned him his money, the locking up of which had needlessly embarrassed his business. The work of paving the walks on Parliament Hill was given out without tender, and when the new Ministry came in they found about $5,000 worth of work done. The contractor proceeded to tear up the main walk, intending to go on, though there was no authority or appropriation for it. He has been stopped, and it was well for more reasons than one.

TO BE PROTESTED.

The return of Mr. J. H. G. Bergeron, M.P. for Beauharnois, is to be contested, and, it is stated, the disqualification of the late Deputy Speaker is to be asked for.

REPORTED ARRANGEMENTS.

A Quebec dispatch says: It is stated here that the Manitoba School Commission will be composed of Sir Oliver Mowat, Sir Henri Joly de Lotbiniere, and Hon. R. W. Scott, and that as the Laurier Government intends dealing at once with the fast Atlantic service question, Sir Richard Cartwright and the Hon. R. R. Dobell have been entrusted with the task of completing arrangements with the Messrs. Allan.

A FOOLISH CRY EXPOSED.

The Ottawa correspondent of the Toronto Mail-Empire says: With reference to the dismissals from the Public Works Department, Mr. Tarte said to your correspondent tonight that there had not been a single dismissal from the departmental staff or the workshops. Some workmen and laborers for whom there was no more work at present had been dispensed with. That is all. Mr. Tarte has ordered a list prepared of all the employes in the Public Works Department, with details of appointment, duties, salaries, etc., but this, he intimates, does not by any means indicate an intention on his part to order any wholesale dismissals, but is for the purpose of his getting some personal information with respect to the working of his department.

THE PREMIER'S MOVEMENTS.

A Montreal dispatch says: Mr. Laurier is expected to be in Montreal today to make arrangements in connection with Mr. Tarte's election in St. Johns-Iberville. He will visit the constituency, and will then proceed to Arthabaska and Quebec East to look after his own election. The Premier will deliver speeches at Brome, Port Neuf, Quebec county, and Quebec East, and is expected to make some important announcements.

Steamship Arrivals.

July 18.	At	From
Umbria	New York	Liverpool
July 19.	At	From
La Gascogne	New York	Havre
Schiedam	New York	Amsterdam
Spaarndam	New York	Rotterdam
Saale	Bremen	New York
La Touraine	Havre	New York
July 20.	At	From.
Allier	New York	Bremen

You need Hood's Sarsaparilla to enrich and purify your blood, create an appetite, and give sweet, refreshing sleep.

It is harder to unlearn than to learn.

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MAKE A SPECIALTY OF WELL-FITTING . . . .

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