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EDWARD HARRIS,
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London, May 2,1874 d-tf

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London, July 14, 1873. d-ly

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London, Oct. 15, 1873. d-tf

THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE.

Dividend No. 14.

Notice is hereby given that a Dividend of Five Per Cent. for the current half year, being at the rate of Ten Per Cent. per annum upon the paid-up Capital Stock of the Bank, has this day been declared, and that the same will be payable at the Bank and its branches

ON & AFTER THURSDAY, JULY 2.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 16th to the 30th day of June, both days inclusive.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Of the Shareholders of the Bank will be held at the Banking House in Toronto

On Tuesday, 14th day of July next,

When, in addition to other business, certain amendments to the by-laws will be submitted under the provisions of Section 23 of the 34th Vic., cap. 5, relating to Banks and Banking.

The chair will be taken at 12 o'clock noon.

By order of the Board,

W. S. ANDERSON, Cashier.

June 4, 1874. d-23aw

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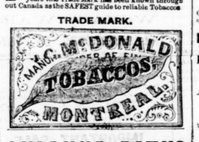

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THE DOMINION
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SOCIETY.

DIVIDEND NO. 4.

Notice is hereby given that a Dividend of Five Per Cent. has been declared on the paid-up Capital Stock of the Society, for the

HALF YEAR ENDING 30TH INST
payable on and after Wednesday, July 5th next,
AT THE OFFICE OF THE SOCIETY,
Richmond street, London, Ont.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 15th to the 21st inst., inclusive.

Notice is also given that the

Annual General Meeting
will be held on
WEDNESDAY, 5TH AUGUST,
At 7 o'clock p.m. at the Office of the Society, for the Election of Directors and other business.

By order,

F. B. LEYS,
Sec.-Treas.

London, June 5, 1874. tf

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CANADIAN NEWS.

HAIR-BREADTH ESCAPE.

A Balloon Wrecked on a Church Steeple.

A PERILOUS SITUATION AND HEROIC RESCUE.

Brockville, July 2.—Professor Squires, the celebrated aeronaut, attempted to make an ascension from this town yesterday. The square from which the ascension was made is very contracted, there being several large buildings around it, among them the Wesleyan Church.

When up about 80 feet from the ground, a current of air struck the balloon and drove it with much force against the spire of the church. It struck on the spire, and was completely torn in twain. The netting of the cords caught on the spire, and the Professor hung down by it, alongside the steeple, not daring to move lest he should be hurled to the ground, in which case certain death would have been the inevitable result.

The excitement was intense—the ten thousand spectators holding their breath, expecting every second to see the man lose his hold and be killed.

Ladders were brought out, and every conceivable plan was tried to rescue the man from his impending fate. At last a young Englishman named Ormont gained access to the steeple, and passed a plank out of a hole in it—about five feet from the basket of the balloon. Telling a man inside to hold it, he stepped out and told the now almost powerless Professor to take courage, at the same time steadying the basket so as to allow him to relax his hold on the rope.

In the meantime another brave fellow named Stephenson had reached a hole in the steeple, just above the balloonist's head, and reaching out, succeeded in catching him by the arm and hoisting him in, amid the deafening cheers of the multitude.

The aeronaut was not seriously hurt, but upon regaining *terra firma* thanked his deliverers.

A collection was taken up on the ground for his benefit, and a considerable sum raised.

The remains of the balloon were removed from the spire in the evening. Such an exciting event has never before occurred in Brockville. Mr. Squires left town this morning for Troy, N. Y., where he will make an ascension in another balloon on the fourth inst.

KINGSTON

News Items.

Kingston, July 3.—The Kingston firemen to-day left for Cobourg on a friendly visit, to take part in the celebration there.

The tug "Active," with twelve barges and one schooner, and 175,000 bushels grain has left for Montreal; a very large tow.

The County of Frontenac Agricultural Society is to hold a two days' show this year.

The camp broke up yesterday.

Mr. Rosseau has arrived here to carry out the Government plans of blowing up the rocky shoals in the harbor.

TORONTO

Subscription list has been opened to raise a sum of $8,000 to purchase an illuminated clock for the spire of St. James' Cathedral, which is rapidly approaching completion.

The Twelfth.

The Orangemen are going to celebrate the 12th in a more than usually imposing manner this year. The Toronto Societies have fifteen new banners, several of them being remarkably fine and expensive.

The Yorkville Burglary.

Levitt is again before the Police Magistrate this morning. Dain is also in attendance to give evidence respecting the Yorkville burglary, but as Levitt's council is not ready, the case has been remanded till the 6th inst.

OTTAWA.

Personal.

Ottawa, July 3.—J. D. Edgar is in town.

The Postmaster General returns to Ottawa next week.

Hon. Messrs. Ouimet and Archambeault, of the Quebec Government, are in town.

Hon. Mr. Burpee has telegraphed to his department that he will return to Ottawa on Wednesday next.

The Hon. Mr. Fournier leaves to-morrow for Quebec.

Colonel Plecher left town yesterday to join His Excellency at Tadousac.

Rosa d'Erina will sing in Ottawa next week.

Elections.

The election writs for Provencher, Napierville, Vercheres and West Elgin have been sent to His Excellency for signature.

Leaving for a Tour.

His Excellency the Governor General, accompanied by Lady Dufferin, will leave Quebec immediately after the swearing in of the new Ministers for a tour through the western part of the Dominion.

Tried and Sentenced.

Last evening a private of No. 5 company of the 59th Battalion was committed on act of insubordination, and was tried by court-martial and sentenced to 30 days' imprisonment in the county jail.

PRESCOTT

The Races.

Prescott, July 3.—The attendance at the races here to-day was good, and the track was in a capital condition.

Flynn's Carleton and Blanchard's Saturn arrived from Hamilton last night to compete for the open race.

The Dominion brought out two competitors, viz., Clip, owned by Mr. Geraldi, of Kingston, and Claret, owned by Mr. Johnson, of Prescott. Clip took the first money, winning the first and third heats.

The trotting race for horses that never won public money was easily taken by J. P. Wiser's Hartford in three straight heats, Robert O'Mulligan's Bay Dolly getting the second money.

For the open to all race Carleton and Saturn were the only entries, and the race was a neck-and-neck one. Carleton sold as the favorite, and took the first money, although Saturn came in ahead the second heat. The rider of the latter it seems kept the former back by grasping his bridle when about to pass.

Nothing occurred to mar the pleasure of the meeting, and it is believed by all that the races were in every respect fair trials of speed.

HAMILTON.

Hamilton Races.

Hamilton, July 3.—The [illegible] case off as follows:

First Race, [illegible]
Girl [illegible]

WALLACETOWN.

THE GRIT GATHERING.

Special to the Free Press.

Wallacetown, July 3, afternoon.—A political mass meeting under Grit auspices has just been organized in the Drill Shed here. Hodgins, McKellar and Dr. Wilson are present for the offensive; and J. C. Rykert for the defensive. There was a long procession, from Dutton Station on the Canada Southern to the town, composed of both political parties. A grand field day is expected between the rival generals, but it is more than probable that an attempt will be made to choke Rykert off with his formidable scrap-book, and prevent him from speaking. If any attempt of the kind is made there will be hot work, as the Conservatives are in strong force, and will not be put down.

CODERICH
I. O. O. F.

Goderich, June 3—At a regular meeting of Huron Lodge, No. 62, I. O. O. F., the following were elected officers for the ensuing term: Bros. Geo. F. Stewart, N. G.; Neil Campbell, V. G.; Fred. W. Johnston Permanent and Recording Secretary; J. H. Colborne, Treasurer. Bros. Lawrence and Johnston were duly elected representatives to the Grand Lodge.

RONDEAU
Wilful Murder.

Rondeau, June 3—Jas. and Joseph Smith have been found guilty of the wilful murder of Wm. Custard. It appears that Custard was annoyed at being left behind in a party of pleasure on the bay, and watching for their return, insulted two girls of the party and assaulted Joseph Smith, who expostulated with Custard and another negro who was with him, on their conduct. On perceiving the gun they followed Custard, and without scarcely any warning, coolly shot him.

EAFORTH
Cheese Fair.

Seaforth, July 3.—At the Cheese Fair to-day there was a good attendance of both buyers and sellers. Eleven factories were represented. 1,890 boxes were offered; 1,550 were sold, at prices from 10½ to 11¼. Quite a large quantity of butter was offered, but very little sold, sellers holding too high.

BARRIE
Races.

Barrie, Ont., June 3—Third day—First Race, Northern Railway purse handicap, hurdle, Purse, $350; half forfeit; two and a quarter miles; nine hurdles; top weights, 156 pounds. Three started. Mitchell won; Lightbody second. Time, 4.55½.

Second Race, running; $500; two mile dash.—Four started. Moor, first; Galt Reporter, second; Hollen Bennett, third. Time, 3.49½.

Third Race, 2.40 Trot; $350—Four horses started. St. John, 1, 1, 1; Bailiff, 2, 2, 2; Toronto Boy, 0, 3, 3. Time, 2.37, 2.35, 2.38.

Last Race, Kemperfeldt Plate; value, 60 guineas; $10 entrance added to Plate; open to Dominion bred horses, that have never won public money; mile and a half dash.—Nine started. Emily, 1st; Irish Girl, 2nd; [illegible]

QUEBEC
Accident to a Bishop.

Quebec, July 3.—Bishop Horan, of Kingston, fractured his arm by falling, when disembarking from the steamer at Liverpool. Notwithstanding the accident the Bishop proceeded en route for Rome.

Eight miles of the Levis & Kennebec Railway is completed. The rails arrived by the Amelia will enable the contractors to finish the road to St. Mary's. It is expected that trains will be running to that place in about six weeks hence.

MONTREAL
Nearly an Accident.

Montreal, July 3.—Something very like an accident occurred last evening as the Abyssinian, of the Union Company, was leaving the dock. The water is very high, and her station being on the windward side of the pier, made it difficult to get in or out. As she cast loose last night she canted to port, and her starboard paddle-wheel catching on the wharf, the novel spectacle was presented of moving along with one paddle in the water and the other on dry land. Fortunately she did not capsize, and on reaching the end of the pier righted easily.

SARNIA
The Manitoba.

Sarnia, July 3.—The steamer Manitoba left here this evening crowded with passengers, principally pleasure parties, going for the round trip. There were also on board several farmers with horses, cows, agricultural implements, &c., for Manitoba. The excursion season has fairly commenced, and the hot weather of the last few weeks has induced many to avail themselves of the cool breezes of Lake Superior.

THE MILL RIVER FLOOD.

VERDICT OF THE JURY.

Springfield, Mass., June 3—The verdict of the coroner's jury in the Mill River disaster investigation is published. It censures the Legislature for inadequate and defective legislation on the subject of reservoirs; the mill owners for their parsimonious disregard of life and property, the engineers for ambiguous and insufficient specification, the contractors for manifest delinquencies and want of thoroughness in their work; and finally, the County Commissioners for accepting a dam so shabbily built, when they had the power to order its entire reconstruction.

The Centennial Exhibition.

Cincinnati, July 3.—Henry Pettit, Engineer of the main hall of the Centennial Exhibition building to be erected at Philadelphia, presented the plans of the main hall to Director General Goshorn to-day for approval. Goshorn approved the plans, and telegraphed the fact to the Finance Board at Philadelphia, so as to enable the Board to let the contracts immediately. The building covers 18 acres, and resembles in general plan the London Crystal Palace, and, like it, is constructed of iron and glass, very little wood being used, and it is about twice as large. Estimated cost, $1,200,000.

INDIA.

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EUROPEAN NEWS.

HOUSE OF COMMONS

Butt's Home Rule Motion.

DEFEATED: 61 TO 345!

London, July 2.—In the House of Commons last night discussion of Dr. Butt's home rule motion was resumed. Daniel Benaghen, member for Tralee, said the home rule movement was a miserable compromise, concocted by those who did not dare face the penalties of Fenianism. He acknowledged the desire of England to conciliate Ireland, and said that perseverance in this agitation would be in defiance of gratitude, justice and common sense. He said the ultimate object of the leaders of the movement was to incite Irishmen to force the repeal of the union, and this success would plunge Ireland into civil war and annul the recent progress in that country.

Robert Lowe, member for the University of London, said the establishment of a local Irish Parliament would involve the necessity of similar bodies in Scotland and England, and the result would be constant disputes.

Darach was unable to agree that Ireland had a right to a greater amount of self-government than Scotland or England. He demonstrated the groundlessness of the complaint that Irishmen were not appointed to high offices of the Government, and denied that Ireland was treated as a conquered country. He said that two separate Parliaments would be always appealing to the Imperial Parliament. He opposed the motion because it was injurious to both countries. At the great crisis of the world, which was nearer than some supposed, he wished the people to be united. To accept this motion would produce disintegration in England, and might result in the destruction of the empire.

Messrs. McCarthy, Mitchell, The O'Connor Don and others spoke in support of the motion. At a late hour the House divided, and Dr. Butts' resolve was rejected by a vote of 61 yeas and 345 nays.

FRANCE.

A Manifesto from Chambord

Paris, July 3, midnight.—The Count de Chambord has issued the following manifesto:—Frenchmen, — You have required temporary expedients of safety. The country now seems to be on the eve of fresh dangers; France has need of loyalty. My birth made me your king. I would be wanting in the most sacred of duties if I neglected to make a supreme effort to overthrow the interposing barriers of prejudice. I am aware of the accusations against me; I have remained silent in order not to add to the difficulties of the illustrious soldier who protects you. Because of accumulation of errors and falsehoods, silence is no longer permissible. Persons have pretended to understand from previous declarations, that I placed Royal power above the laws and dreamed of unheard of Governmental combinations based upon absolutism and arbitrary ideas. The French Christian Monarchy is a limited Monarchy, in its very essence it borrows nothing from Governments of fortune which promise boundless prosperity and lead to ruin. This limited Monarchy admits of the existence of two Chambers, one nominated by the King and the other by the nation, accounting legally established suffrage. The union of the people and the King enabled the ancient Monarchy to frustrate for centuries the calculations of those seeking to dominor over the people by contending against the king. It is untrue that my policy is at variance with one aspirations of the country. We both desire the strong reparative powers which a durable alliance with a monarchy alone can give. I wish the representatives of the nation to be vigilant auxiliaries for the examination of questions submitted to them, but will not have a barren Parliamentary struggle from which the sovereign often issues powerless and weakened. In rejecting foreign and imported formula with its king [illegible] necessity recognize, we unite in a truce to our divisions. Is it not time to restore prosperity and grandeur to France with the venerable royalty.

GREAT BRITAIN
The Brussels Congress.

London, July 3.—In the House of Lords to-night the Earl of Denbigh asked whether England was to be represented in the Brussels Congress. He said the papers relating thereto had an underhand appearance. The programme of the so-called Universal Society indicated that it was primarily designed to promote humanity, particularly in relation to the treatment of prisoners of war. It now appeared that the Emperor of Russia fathered the whole affair. The programme contained articles dealing with every contingency of war. Some of the proposed rules might cripple naval action.

The Earl of Derby, Foreign Secretary of State for the Foreign Department, replied that the feeling of uneasiness was not all unnatural or unfounded, and he was glad of an opportunity to say something to dispel it. The British Government had deferred its answer to the invitation to participate in the Congress until the latest moment. It had given no particular encouragement to the project, but as all the great European Powers had consented to take part in a congress which aimed at the mitigation of suffering, it was thought that an absolute and unconditional refusal would be liable to misrepresentation, and the Government had therefore decided to accept the invitation, stipulating that England was not to be required to discuss the rules of international law governing the relations of belligerents, or undertake any new engagement in regard to general principles. The scope of the Congress did not include matters relating to maritime warfare. England would not send a representative unless she was distinctly assured on these points, and especially on the last. In any case her representative would not be empowered to consent to the adoption of any new rules. He would simply watch and report the proceedings, the Government reserving full liberty of action.

AMERICAN NEWS.

NEW YORK
Five Per Cent. Bonds.

New York, July 3.—Leading New York bankers this morning received a circular from the Secretary of the Treasury inviting proposals for the remaining $179,000,000 of new five per cent bonds.

The Canadian Champions.

Watertown, N. Y., July 3.—In the base ball tournament here to-day the Maple Leaf Club, Guelph, Canada, beat the Ku Klux Klan, Oneida, by a score of 13 to 4. The excitement was high, and an immense crowd in attendance.

Mad Dogs.

New York, July 3.—Ten mad dogs were killed in the city yesterday, and about the same number in Brooklyn. Seven persons were bitten in the two cities.

UTAH
Stage Robber.

Salt Lake, July 3.—The Montana stage was robbed last night at Big Dry Creek, by four masked men, who were armed with shot guns. The south coach was stopped first, ran into the brush side of the road, and held until the north coach came along. T. C. Jackson and a passenger named Billings, on the north coach, were robbed. Billings lost $360, and the robbers recognizing Jackson, [illegible] him his money. A passenger [illegible] on the south coach, [illegible] the treasure box of [illegible] Wells, [illegible] broken open, and [illegible] Loss is not [illegible]