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WEDDED TO A FRENCH COUNT.
Miss Longworth of Cincinnati Married
to Count Adelbert de Champrun.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 20.—At noon yesterday Miss Clara Longworth, daughter of the late Judge Nicholas Longworth, was married to Count Adelbert de Champrun of France at the old Longworth home on the Grandin road. About 150 guests, relatives and near friends of the Longworths, were present. Archbishop Ireland of St. Paul, Minn., came here especially to officiate and was assisted by Archbishop Elder of Cincinnati. The bride, wearing a gown of white, had a train of white ribbons. A round table of twelve covers was spread in the lower room for Mrs. Longworth and the two archbishops and her special guests. Palms and carnations were the decorations. The Duke and Duchess of Manchester were among the guests at the wedding.

DOWNS THE ZIONIST.
Thinks He Can Defy the Whole State of Illinois.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 20.—Representative Donoghue Saturday offered a resolution, which was passed almost unanimously, providing for the appointment of a committee of five to investigate the Zion City Bank of Chicago. If Speaker Sherman and his committee attempt to investigate the bank, John Alexander Dowse asserts, he will refuse to give them admittance

and hints at force if necessary in preventing an examination. Dowse says the legislature cannot enter his bank, will not be permitted to open the books and will be prevented from gaining any information regarding the bank's workings. He says his bank is private, and he will keep all investigators out. At this command are organized bands of defenders who carry shot-guns, and besides his army he has a united congregation that will block Michigan avenue at Twelfth street against a raid of military or civil authorities.

MORE GIFTS FOR HARVARD.
Half a Million Dollars and Two New Buildings.

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—The Harvard Club of New York held its thirty-fifth annual dinner at the Waldorf Astoria tonight. Dr. Henry Wolcott, acting president of Harvard in the absence of President Eliot, presided. President Eliot as the best head official Harvard ever had. Dr. Wolcott announced that a donor whose name must be unknown, had given half a million to the University for an architectural building. The building will be for architectural study. Dr. Wolcott also announced donations by Hiram Higginson of a building for Harvard Union, a social organization, by James Stillman, president of the City Bank of New York, who has sons at Harvard, of a Harvard infirmary and of a building for comparative zoology, by the Agassiz family. The donations were not named in figures.

SOUTH AFRICA.

Botha Tells the Burghers the
Lord Will Provide.

But Their Ammunition is Nearly
Gone and Provisions are
Hard to Get.

JOHANNESBURG, Feb. 20.—The Boers destroyed a culvert between Natal Spruit and Klip River on the railway just south of here at dawn today. They captured a trainload of foodstuffs, and, after taking all they could conveniently carry, set fire to the rest and disappeared over the veldt.

STANDERTON, Feb. 22.—A deserter, who arrived here, relates that Commandant General Botha assembled his men February 1, and addressed them from a Cape cart. He declared that they should never surrender so long as there were five hundred left, adding that he would always be ready to lead them.

Some of the Burghers replied that they did not see how they could fight much longer, as the British were destroying all the crops and capturing the cattle and sheep, while the ammunition was nearly exhausted, save about six rounds.

"When this is gone," they said, "where shall we get more?"

General Botha replied that the Lord would provide them with the means of fighting.

CUBAN CONSTITUTION.

Senor Cisneros Denies Any Obligation
to the United States.

HAVANA, Feb. 21.—The Cuban constitution, first submitted by the central committee to the convention at the public session of Jan. 21, was signed today. One copy was sent to Governor General Wood and the other placed among the records of the convention. At 5 o'clock the members affixed their signatures, the president and vice-presidents leading off and the delegates following, the two secretaries signing last.

Senor Cisneros created a sensation by refusing to sign. He said: "Cuba is now independent and I can see no reason for sending this constitution to the United States for acceptance. The United States government has no right to pass upon it, for it is a distinctly Cuban document, and was drawn up by this convention, which has assumed the responsibility of establishing the republic." Several delegates crowded around him and endeavored to dissuade him from his course, but he was immovable. As the delegates retired Senor Tamayo remarked: "We are all Cubans, Senor," and Senor Cisneros replied: "Yes, when the time comes to fight the Americans, we will fight them together." Then shaking his fist at the American newspaper men, he said: "The Americans are like the monkey. When the monkey closes its paw on a thing it never wants to let go."

Subsequently he said he would sign the copy of the constitution that had been filed with the records of the convention, but would wait until the other had been sent to Washington in order to avoid any possibility of his name being attached to that also.

Senor Capote, president of the convention, delivered the document this evening to General Wood. The special committee on relations has not yet decided what report it will make.

HAVANA, Feb. 22.—Governor General Wood has informed the authorities at Washington that the Cuban constitution was officially presented to him this morning, and that he was giving instructions whether to forward the document immediately or hold it until the relations between Cuba and the United States shall be decided upon.

The special commission on relations is holding a meeting today. Senor Tamayo, chairman of the commission, will submit to the committee General Wood's letter referring to the relations.

ITALIAN TREACHERY.

CHICAGO, Feb. 22.—A murder believed to have been the result of a vendetta was committed near Grand and Milwaukee avenues, this city, late last night. Salvadore Giovanni was found shot through the heart, with Carlo Battista, who recently arrived from New York standing over him. Battista says he and the murdered man were warm friends and that while on the way to Giovanni's home they were attacked by three men. Battista was not injured, but carried a revolver which had not been fired. In the dead man's coat pocket, however, was a revolver from which three shots had been fired. Giovanni's wound would have prevented him from restoring the weapon to a place of concealment, so Battista was held. Giovanni, one of the most prominent Italians in Chicago, was a member of several secret societies. He came here from New York seven years ago. Within five hours after the murder the police raided a house at 1411 Madison avenue and arrested nine Italians, said to be sympathizers of the Chicago branch of the Mafia society. One of the men arrested, Mario, was suffering from a severe bullet wound in the mouth. In the room were found numerous dirks, stilettos and revolvers.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Feb. 22.—The steamship Rio de Janeiro sank outside the golden gate this morning. The Rio de Janeiro was due from Yokohama and Hongkong with a number of passengers and a valuable cargo. There was a dense fog all night and this morning in the bay and outside the heads.

It is believed passengers and crew were saved.

A GREAT CRIME.

The Stuffing of the Rothessay
Voters List.

The Supreme Court Judges Very
Emphatic in Denouncing the
Outrage.

At Fredericton today the supreme court delivered unanimous judgment, quashing the Rothessay voters list. The chief justice spoke very emphatically declaring that a crime had been committed almost unparalleled in enormity in such a matter. It was the duty of the officers of the crown to bring the guilty parties to justice. The crime involved perjury, forgery and attempted theft. It was very strange that the letter had been registered in Mr. Milligan's name. He had denied all knowledge of it, but it was the duty of himself and others to do all in their power to bring the guilty parties to justice.

Judge McLeod and Landry spoke in very strong terms of the crime and the necessity of discovering and punishing the guilty. The court held that it had every right to deal with the matter.

The judgment was unanimous and the judges very emphatic.

In the Restigouche election case the court held that Judge McLeod was quite right in extending the time for serving the notice.

RAILWAY COLLISION.

Ten Dead Bodies Taken from the
Wreck—Twenty-Six in
Hospital.

TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 22.—Ten bodies have been taken out of the wreck of the "Nellie Bly" express and the Camden local, both of the Pennsylvania road, which met head-on and at Ten Mile creek on a curve in the bank of the Delaware and Raritan canal, three miles south of here.

More dead bodies are supposed to be in the debris of the wreck, which was afterwards swept by fire. In the hospital at Camden and Trenton are twenty-six injured persons, many of whom will die, and many less seriously hurt were taken by special trains to Philadelphia and Atlantic City.

On the Nellie Bly express were many New Yorkers bound for Atlantic City for the holiday. They had a narrow escape. None in the parlor cars were injured.

The cause of the wreck is said to have been a misunderstanding of orders.

The engineer of the local train said he had received no orders to wait for a third section of the express. General Superintendent Shepard says that such orders were issued.

There are eight bodies in the Trenton morgue and Coroner Bower went to the scene of the wreck to bring two more bodies to Trenton that had been taken from underneath the wreckage during the early hours.

The only dead persons yet identified are Engineer Earle, of the Nellie Bly express, Baggage Master James Birmingham, of the local train, and J. W. Nale, of Trenton, who was a passenger on the local train. Engineer Thompson, of the local train, who is at St. Francis hospital, is still in a very precarious condition, and it is not at all certain that he will recover.

Frank Bolden, a passenger on the local train, who had both legs taken off, was weaker today, and his recovery is considered doubtful. Fireman Garwood, of the local train, who is at the Mercy hospital, is credited with having made the statement that the orders of Engineer Thompson, of the local, was to take the siding at Rustings and await the passing of the second section of the Nellie Bly. As it was the third section of the train which crashed into the local, there appears to have been a misunderstanding of orders.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Feb. 22.—Supt. Abercrombie, of the Amboy division of the Pennsylvania R. R. said today that there is no doubt that the local train, which crashed into the Camden local last night, was a conductor Ward Sapp, of the accommodation train. He said that Conductor Sapp had disobeyed orders.

Three bodies were found today in the Raritan canal, they were those of Italian laborers and were not identified.

CHINESE AFFAIRS.

BERLIN, Feb. 22.—It is announced in a despatch from Peking, dated Feb. 21, that Count Von Waldersee has postponed the expedition he planned as China has conceded the demands of the powers for the punishment of guilty officials.

COAL COMES HIGH.
"The trouble with the average farmer," the weather," remarked Binks, "is that it doesn't draw."

"If that's your experience," replied Houskeep, "you're in luck. Mine draws too much; draws nearly my whole salary, in fact."—Philadelphia Post.

THE LAST RESORT.
(Brooklyn Life.)
Superintendent—These goods won't sell at 11 cents a yard.
Dry goods man—Mark them up to 14 and put them on the bargain counter.

GOT A SHILLING'S WORTH.
(Tri-Hill.)
Young lady—What? I shall only have one husband all my life?
Gypsy woman—Well, what can you expect for a shilling, miss?

IN ENGLAND.

The King is Very Active in
All Public Affairs.

Speculation as to Lord Salisbury's
Retirement and His Successor.

NEW YORK, Feb. 22.—King Edward's activity and interest in his work continues unabated, says the Tribune's London correspondent. Every detail receives his attention, and he insists upon having accurate knowledge of everything, and forming an independent opinion. Those in touch with the court assert that all the important addresses and messages to the nation, army, navy and foreign rulers have been written by the King himself, and that the phrasing of all royal communications, except, possibly, the King's speech in parliament, is his own. He rises early, works late, sleeps little and his health already reveals the effect of this close occupation.

Rumors about the retirement of Lord Salisbury are persistently circulated, says the Tribune's London correspondent, but are clearly premature. His health, is not materially worse, but his interest in public life has lapsed since he abandoned the foreign office. He seems to have relegated to Mr. Balfour already the prime minister's duty of waiting upon the sovereign, and this is considered by some political experts as a sign that the nephew will succeed the uncle. The strongest leader on the unionist side is Mr. Chamberlain.

LONDON, Feb. 22.—Proceedings have been started in behalf of Viscount Hinton, who at one time was an organ grinder in London streets, to eject the youthful Earl Poulett from Hinton house, pending the trial of the question of his right to the earldom. An injunction will be asked for to restrain the present occupant of the family estates from using the title of Earl Poulett.

WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY.

NEW YORK, Feb. 22.—Of the experiments in wireless telegraphy recently conducted off Brown Head, Ireland, on board the steamship Georgic, one of the experimenters, Alexander W. Sharman, who has arrived here, said: "The system adopted is that invented by Col. Henry Montague Hosiery, secretary of Lloyd's, and Nevil Maskell, of London, a well known astronomer and electrician. The apparatus used in this system is altogether different from that employed by the Marconi syndicate."

"Our apparatus is simple in construction and easy to manipulate, so that the ordinary marine signal man is able to use it after a day's instruction. The steamer was ten miles from Brown Head, and signals were exchanged as the Georgic continued on her regular course at usual speed, until she was twenty-five miles from Brown Head, when the tests were discontinued. The messages were easily read."

Mr. Sharman said that the greatest advantage of his system was that it worked equally well in all kinds of weather. Mr. Sharman will return on the Georgic and the experiments will be resumed as the steamer approaches the Irish coast.

THE FRENCH SHORE.

LONDON, Feb. 21.—In an interview with a representative of The Associated Press Mr. Robert Bond, premier of Newfoundland, said:

"I am here at the express wish of Mr. Chamberlain, to confer with him on the question of the French Shore, with a view of an early settlement. The proposals will come from Mr. Chamberlain. What form they will take I do not at present know."

THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—Eastern states and northern New York—Snow this afternoon or tonight; Saturday, fair, except snow in western portions; fresh southwest to west winds.

TORONTO, Feb. 22.—Moderate southwest and west winds, fair and moderately cold. Saturday southwesterly winds, fair, not much change in temperature.

FRESH FISH FAMINE.

NEW YORK, Feb. 22.—A pronounced fresh fish famine marks the opening of the Lenten season. Fulton market is almost bare of fresh fish. There is no immediate prospect of relief and official wholesale prices quoted there are at an advance compared with this time last year of from 50 to 100 per cent.

NIKOLA LESLA.

NEW YORK, Feb. 22.—According to the Tribune's London correspondent Nikola Tesla will test his system of trans-Atlantic wireless telegraphy along the fortieth parallel, from the coast of New Jersey to the coast of Portugal. James Galbraith, of New York, left London last night for Lisbon with the electrical apparatus to be used in connection with the trial.

FIFTEEN BODIES RECOVERED.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Feb. 21.—The bodies of seven of the three score miners who were killed in the Cumberland mine explosion last Friday, were recovered today. Eight were taken out yesterday.

FIVE MEN CUT TO PIECES.

SHARON, Pa., Feb. 22.—An Erie and Pittsburgh freight train ran into a crowd of men on their way to work. Five men were killed outright, being cut to pieces.

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NOTICE.

By Order of the Common Council of the
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PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that a
Bill will be presented for enactment at the
next session of the Provincial Legislature to
amend the Act of Assamby, 1897, cap.
10, entitled "An Act to amend the Law for
the better prevention of contagion in
the City of Saint John." The object of
the Bill is to amend the Act so as to re-
vise the several building districts within the City
of Saint John, so as to relieve the detached
dwelling district of the City of Saint John,
in the northern part of the City, from re-
strictions in said Act. To amend the first
district in said Act defined, so as to include
the north side of Hammond street, both sides
of Main and Mill streets, the north side of
Union street from Colborne to Carmichael
streets, the south side of Union street from
Carmichael to Sidney streets, and the terri-
tory between Charlotte, Germain, Princess
and Queen streets; to extend the second dis-
trict to include all the remainder of the
built up part of the City and on both sides
of the Harbour.
And to amend The Saint John Building Act,
1877, so as to provide that the Inspector of
Buildings must construe section 7 to prevent
the erection of any building contrary to the
provisions of the Act, and the by-laws of
the City.
Dated 21st January, 1901.
HERBERT E. WARDROPER,
Common Clerk of the City of Saint John.