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TURRILL The Shoe Man

HIGH WIND

Storm of Last Evening Caused Considerable Excitement—No Serious Results

The east end of King St. was a veritable topsy-turvy land this morning. The many friends of E. R. Snook, the popular grocer, were surprised when they came down this morning to find a furrier's sign stuck up outside his popular establishment, and they wondered what new venture he was making. Dr. A. A. Hicks' sign also was not to be found in its accustomed place. An investigation, however, proved that Mr. Snook had not changed his stock from groceries to furs and Dr. Hicks is still to be found in his office extracting teeth without pain.

The high wind of last night and this morning was the cause of all the damage. For a time last night the wind travelled overhead at a rate of between 50 and 60 miles an hour. While nothing serious is reported as a result, several signs were blown over, broken off. The wind carried with it sleet and rain, and many pedestrians were almost blown off their feet in their attempts to reach home. In some places telephone and telegraph wires were broken, but no serious losses resulted.

GOOD WALK

His Honor Judge Dowlin Footed it From Blenheim in a Stiff Gale

Few pedestrians have the indomitable pluck and stamina of his honor Judge Dowlin. His honor is a firm believer in outdoor exercise and practices what he preaches. His long and hearty strolls have been the subject of many an admiring comment, but few have tested the Judge's prowess as did the walk he successfully tackled yesterday.

At the conclusion of the session of the Division Court at Blenheim the Judge learned that there was no returning train till evening and accordingly set forth over heavy roads and a stiff gale for the twelve mile walk into Chatham. This he accomplished in less than three hours, arriving fresh and vigorous for his duties here. Judge Dowlin is one of the halest pedestrians in Kent County.

MOTHER DEAR

On January 13th inst., deepest sorrow and affliction came to the home of Angus Glasford, when Louise, beloved wife and sweetest above at the age of 37 years and two months after an illness lasting about one week, Mrs. Glasford suffered from an attack of paralysis something over two years ago, but regained her usual health till on Sunday, January 7th inst., she was overtaken by a second attack just as she had returned to her home from attending morning service at the Victoria avenue Methodist church, of which she was a constant and active member while she lived in Chatham, she having formerly come from Dover, Mrs. Glasford was esteemed and loved by all who knew her for her beautiful Christian spirit. She will be greatly missed in the church in which she was worshipped for so long, and from which she was never absent except when sickness prevented her.

Mrs. Glasford leaves a family of five boys and three girls to mourn, deeply, her loss. John, of Chatham, representing H. Heintzman Piano Co., of Toronto; Miles, foreman of C. P. R. freight department, Chatham; Angus, of Windsor, with Bloomington Automobile Works, Detroit; and Archie and Sherman, druggists, with Gray and Worcester, Detroit; Mrs. R. Owen, of Baldoon; Miss Hattie, of Detroit, and Miss Lizzie, at home. Mrs. Glasford is mourned by a host of friends and many relatives. The funeral service, which took place this afternoon, was largely attended. The service was conducted by Rev. F. E. Malott, assisted by Rev. J. W. Hoyt. The service was deeply impressive. The remains were taken to Maple Leaf Cemetery for interment.

The pall-bearers were Jas. Holmes, Robert Milner, Jacob Colby, E. E. Parrott, J. W. Dyer and J. Burrows.

The husband and family of the deceased lady have the sympathy of a large circle of relatives and friends.

CASE DISMISSED

The liquor case against Wm. Morrill, of the Hotel Anderson, Ridgeway, was dismissed yesterday, the evidence being conclusive that no sales were made on election day as charged. O. K. Watson defended the accused.

ASK YOUR GROCER

—FOR—
RED FEATHER TEA

AN AWFUL AVALANCHE

Liberals and Laborites Continue Sweep of Britain.

Take 40 More Seats From the Unionists on Monday—Tory London Has Followed the Example of the Country—Lord Hugh Cecil Among the Fallen—Only One Unionist Gain—Big Vote Polled.

London, Jan. 15.—(C. A. P.)—With two days' polling over it now seems certain the Bannerman Government will be sustained by one of the largest majorities in history. Yesterday's returns duplicate, and even surpass, the tremendous Liberal and free trade sweep of Saturday, taking forty seats from the Unionist column and giving twenty-nine to the Liberals and eleven to Labor. Against this the Government lost but one seat. The net gains, therefore, to date, total sixty-one, equivalent on a division to a majority of seventy, with which the Unionists went to the country has been wiped out, and in addition the Government has fifty-two towards the eighty-two admittedly needed to be independent of the Irish party, while less than a quarter of the whole seats are yet filled.

Former Ministers Fall. Among the fallen are two former Ministers, Walter Long, who was defeated by 2,492 at Bristol; while Gerald Balfour, like his brother, went down at Leeds by 1,669. Arnold Foster, survives at Croydon, but with a greatly decreased majority.

On the other hand the new Ministers are being strikingly successful. Augustus Birrell carried the former Tory seat of North Bristol by 3,942, while Herbert Gladstone and Jas. Bryce increased their majorities by over 4,000. Big Vote Polled. An exceptionally large vote was polled, and the Liberal majorities are abnormally large, in especial contrast to the vote of 1900, when the Unionist majorities over the war issue were likewise exceptional. The alliance between Liberalism and Labor was again effective.

Of the eleven Labor members returned, none were opposed by Liberals, but a number who opposed Liberals were defeated.

London, historically almost as Tory as Toronto, returning only eight Liberals out of sixty-one members in 1900, yesterday returned but six Conservatives in twenty-two seats. A significant feature of the contest yesterday was the fate of the Unionist free traders. Lord Hugh Cecil, son of the late Lord Salisbury, and regarded as the most brilliant member of the Cecil family, was overwhelmed at Greenwich. He was openly attacked by Mr. Chamberlain, and was opposed by a tariff reformer. He secured 2,356 while the Chamberlain candidate secured 3,565. The split gave the Liberal an easy win.

Bowles Defeated. Thomas Gibson-Bowles, whose personal attack on Chamberlain was the feature of the campaign, was second in King's Lynn, but secured 1,154 votes, as compared with 772 for the tariff reformer, A. K. Rollitt, who ran on the same ticket, got 1,991. At Islington the tariff reformer, Hunt, got 879, and Bowles' son was elected as a free trade Conservative also, Lord Hugh Cecil's brother, Robert, not being opposed by the tariff reformers, Goschen and Seely, free trade Unionists, were defeated at Bolton and Lincoln.

One Unionist Triumph. The announcement yesterday afternoon of the re-election of Sir George Doughty, Unionist, for Great Grimsby, with a majority of 2,300, an increase of 550 over the result of the last contest, in 1898, proved a welcome "pick-me-up" to the Unionists, who were somewhat panicky after Saturday's landslide.

Standing of the Parties. The parties now stand: Liberals..... 96
Unionist..... 26
U. Free Traders..... 3
Laborites..... 16
Nationalists..... 18

Death to Protection. Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman at Glasgow interpreted the returns as death to protection all the time. He promised that the Government would seek to relieve the unsatisfactory condition of the people in other ways, by reforming the social, not the fiscal system.

Balfour's Worries. The tide in running, so swiftly against the Unionists that an unexpected difficulty is being experienced in finding a safe seat for ex-Premier Balfour. Some of those whom it was expected would resign their seats to Mr. Balfour refuse point blank to do so, while in other cases it is seen that the issue is so doubtful there will be the risk of subjecting the former Premier to a second defeat. Nothing, therefore, has as yet been decided.

Mr. Balfour himself seems to be giving way to irritation. In a speech at Nottingham last night, in which he criticized the new Government in a biting manner, he said: "The language used by one member of the Cabinet would do credit to a harem. It rather belonged to a 'slanging' match between rowdies, quarrelling over their cups, than to a Minister with great responsibility, and in the case of one of whom I am thinking, of great abilities."

Winter Wheat in Alberta.

Calgary, Jan. 15.—Reports from all parts of Alberta show that winter wheat is in splendid condition, and the outlook is for a record crop. The acreage is much larger than ever before, and fall wheat is gradually encroaching on the ranching district. Many sections hitherto considered of no value have a big acreage.

NEW COMMISSIONS

Officers of the 24th Regiment Receive Official Notice of Their Qualification

Lt.-Col. J. B. Rankin this morning received from the Militia Department the parchment commissions of all the officers of the 24th Regiment who have duly passed their qualification examinations at Military College.

The list of successful officers includes Major Scholfield, Capt. McLaren, Stone, Black and Coltart, and Lieuts. Harper, Smith, Lewis, Fraser and Anderson.

POPULAR C. O.

Officers of the 24th Regiment Unanimously Ask Col. Rankin to Retain Command

Owing to the fact that the active term of Lieut.-Col. J. B. Rankin, the popular and esteemed commanding officer of the 24th Regiment, is nearing its close, the officers of the Regiment have forwarded a unanimous petition to Headquarters asking for the retention of the services of their commanding officer.

It is felt that the new armories must be opened and inaugurated by the energetic gentleman who has done so much to secure them for our city.

POOR MAN'S COURT

A busy session of Division Court was held at Harrison Hall this morning and his honor Judge Dowlin listened to many a hard-luck story. A large number of cases of minor import were dealt with.

CURLING BONSPIEL

There will be a curling bonspiel in St. Thomas next Monday, a single rink competition, Chatham will like to be represented and, as there is no limit to any representation, any members of the club may form rinks or get on rinks for this occasion.

91ST BIRTHDAY

Capt. Geo. Stringer is celebrating his 91st birthday to-day. He was born in Selby, Yorkshire, England, and has lived in Kent County for over 70 years. The old gentleman is enjoying good health and his many friends are congratulating him. A gathering of his children will be held to-night.

A BIG HOUSE

The Devil's Auction, which played at the Grand last evening, was greeted by a bumper house. The show was a good one and interested and delighted the entire audience.

Just A Word

—ABOUT—

Toilet Paper

There are as many qualities and grades of Toilet Paper as there are of cloth or any other large articles of merchandise.

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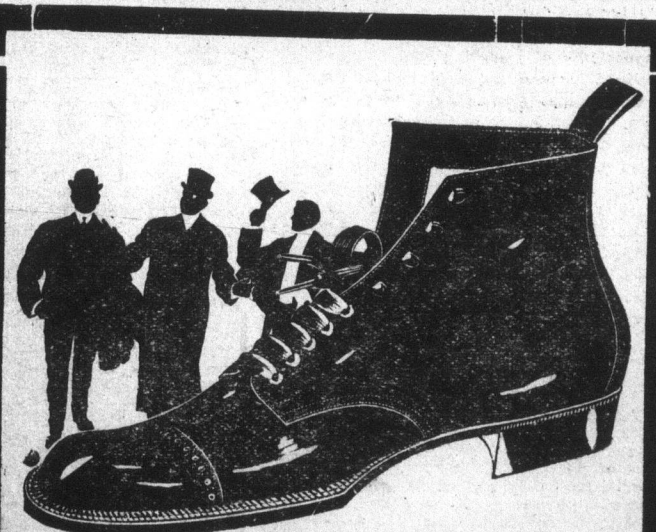
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