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THE TWO THOUSAND GUINEAS AT NEWMARKET.

Victory for A. W. Cox's Galeottia in the Great Event for 3-Year-Old Fillies—Croker and Dwyer Drop $30,000—Results at Washington and Chicago—Local Training Gossip.

London, May 1.—The principal attraction at Newmarket to-day was the race for the One Thousand Guineas for three-year-old fillies. It had 15 starters and was won easily by Galeottia, with odds of 12 to 1 against.

It is said that Messrs. Croker and Dwyer lost 6000 pounds on their horses yesterday. They twice laid 3000 pounds to 2000 on Montauk and afterwards made several bets at even money.

The One Thousand Guinea Stakes, of 100 sovs. each, h. ft., for 3-year-old fillies, to carry 124 lbs. each; Rowley Mile.

Mr. A. W. Cox's br.f. Galeottia, by Galopin-Agave, 124. 1

Sir James Miller's b.f. La Sagesse, by Wisdom-St. Mary, 124. 2

Lord Rosebery's br.f. Gas, by Ayrshire-Illuminata, 124. 3

Mr. L. Brassey's b.f. Butterfly, 124. . 0

Mr. Daniel Cooper's b.f. Float, 124. . 0

Mr. Leopold de Rothschild's br.f. Utica, 124. 0

Duke of Westminster's b.f. Kissing Cup, 124. 0

Mr. H. T. Barclay's ch.f. Excise, 124. . 0

Mr. H. McCalmont's ch.c. Pet of the Chase, 124. 0

Mr. Douglas Baird's br.f. Santa Palma, 124. 0

Lord Londonderry's b.f. Saintfield, 124 0

Mr. Houldsworth's br.f. Cherry, 124. . 0

Prince Soltykoff's b.f. Sati, 124. . . 0

Lord Zetland's b.f. Pastorella, 124. . 0

Mr. Jersey's ch.f. Bride of the Sea, 124. 0

Time 1.47 1-5.

The betting—7 to 2 against Float, 5 to 1 Utica, 6 to 1 Kissing Cup, 10 to 1 Butterfly, 12 to 1 each Galeottia, La Sagesse, Excise and Pet of the Chase, 16 to 1 Santa Palma, 20 to 1 each Gas, Saintfield, Cherry, Sati and Pastorella and 40 to 1 Bride of the Sea.

Galeottia won easily by two lengths, La Sagesse beating Gas a length for the place. Butterfly was fourth.

Vosburgh's Handicapping.

The N. Y. News says: Horsemen about town to-day were laughing at the asinine allotment of weights made by W. S. Vosburgh, the official handicapper of the jockey club in the Suburban Handicap. If Mr. Vosburgh desired to place a row of figures that would look nice in print he has been eminently successful. The weights scale down from 128 to 92 pounds, and one of the beauties of the handicap is that in Vosburgh's opinion there are few horses who stand on an equal footing. The weights make a very nice scale of figures, but as a handicap they are simply ridiculous. I do not think that Mr. Vosburgh either smokes or drinks, but he certainly must have had a whiff out of somebody's pipe just before dreaming these weights.

In the first place he honors Ramapo with top weight, 128 pounds; gives Sir Walter 125 and Domino 123. By what manner of reasoning this supercilious handicapper figures Ramapo and Sir Walter better horses than Domino, only a Bloomingdale tenant could guess. Domino is and always has been of higher class than either of these horses. He is practically an unbeaten colt, and his victims have been the very best horses in training. That Ramapo and Sir Walter should be allotted more weight than Domino, who is up to any weight and distance, is sufficient to justify an examination into Vosburgh's sanity. Domino is simply pitchforked into the race. There is not a lightweight entered that can make him run at any difference in weights, and if he goes to the post fit he will win the Suburban of 1895 in a gallop.

Mr. Vosburgh is to do the handicapping for the O. J. C. meeting.

Training Gallops at Woodbine.

Another fine morning greeted trainers at Woodbine Park yesterday and a large crowd journeyed to the track to watch the horses put through their paces. With the exception of the Seagram string, however, no fast work was recorded, the other stables giving their representatives slow gallops. Johnny Walker brought over 8 of the Waterloo thoroughbreds from the old Newmarket course, including Victorious, Stonemason, Silk Gown, Bonnyfield, Spring, Donald Dinny, Moreland and Waterflow, the other members of the string being worked at the old track. Victorious worked a mile in 1.49 1-5, while Silk Gown covered the same distance in the same time. Bonnyfield negotiated a mile and a quarter in 2.25 1-2.

Moreland, accompanied by Donald Dinny and Spring, reeled off a half in 54 seconds, while Stonemason led Waterflow five furlongs in 1.05 1-2.

The jumpers Max, Maid of Ellerslie, Hanover and Eppleworth were sent through the field.

The steeplechase ground is in excellent condition and the "going" to all the jumps except the "double" and the board jump is good. Should the ground in the vicinity of those obstacles not dry out in time, they will be moved to other parts of the field.

It is said that the entries for the stakes which closed on May 1, and will be made public on Monday next, have filled remarkably well, far beyond expectations, and surpass any previous year. Many American owners are represented both on the flat and through the field.

On the Hamilton Track.

Hamilton, May 3.—The track was in fine condition this morning and the weather was delightful. The rain was most acceptable, as the track was hard in spots. The best work was done by the Hendrie string. Nancy Lee and the Kiltie went a mile and a furlong in 2.06. The latter had 13 pounds over his plate weight—103 pounds. Bonnie Dundee was ridden a mile in 1.51 3-4. The Piper did excellent work. With Flint up, he went a mile and a furlong in 2.06, being eased up the last half. Coquette went the same distance in 2.09, held hard, and Royal Bob galloped it in 2.05 1-2. Roslna Vokes was sent a mile and a furlong in good time.

The Boyle horses were given slow gallops.

Dyment's Susquehanna and Orkney were given a mile, the latter going the distance in 1.54. The boy on Susquehanna lost his stirrup. Mayblossom and Barbara negotiated the same distance in 1.52, the former finishing several lengths ahead. Barbara was ridden out. Strong gallops on the flat were given old Lucy Lightfoot and Blackbird.

O J C. Executive Meet.

A meeting of the executive committee of the Ontario Jockey Club was held yesterday, when it was decided that schooling over the jumps at Woodbine Park should not be allowed after next Tuesday. A dressing room for gentlemen jockeys will be added to the new secretary's office that will be built in the grand stand side of the track near the finish. On top of this building the bugler will blow his horn. The committee decided that the tariff of fees for luncheons for members should be reduced and that Harry Webb should get the privileges free.

The Hendrie Steeplechase.

The Hendrie Steeplechase, about 3-4 mile, was run yesterday over the course north of Upper Canada College. R. G. Henderson, head boy of the school, won, with R. G. Parmenter second. There were 19 starters. Among the spectators were Mrs. Dickson, Mrs. Edgar and Mrs. Jackson.

NOTES OF THE WHEEL.

Chairman Gideon's weekly L.A.W. racing bulletin of yesterday said: The quarter mile, half mile and two mile national championships have been assigned to the Asbury Park wheelmen July 11, 12 and 13.

The Wanderers will this Saturday travel again to Weston to meet their old friends of the T. B. C. on the diamond in a friendly game of baseball. The officers expect a large turnout, and have made special arrangements for a very enjoyable outing. The run will leave the club house at 2.30 p. m.

The St. Alphonsus Bicycle Club men will leave the clubroom this morning at 10 o'clock for Cooksville.

The Queen City Bicycle Club's run, May 18, will go to Thornhill instead of Lorne Park.

The R. C. B. C. will have a run to Hamilton this afternoon, leaving the club house at 2 o'clock and returning on Sunday evening. A large turnout of the members is expected.

The Royal Canadian Bicycle Club will hold its regular monthly meeting on Monday evening, May 6, at 8 o'clock. A large attendance is requested. Business of importance.

Bicycling Briefs.

The Wingham Bicycle Club has organized. Officers: Hon.-president, B. Willson; president, J. A. Morton; secretary-treasurer, M. R. Morden; captain, R. R. McLeod; 1st lieut., W. H. Wallace; 2nd lieut., R. Cornyn; bugler, Thomas Dodds.

The Stouffville Cycle Club has reorganized. Officers: Hon.-president, Dr. I. A. Freel; president, Dr. D. C. Smith; vice-president, E. F. Defoe; captain, W. J. Mertens; 1st lieut., George Smith; 2nd lieut., H. Hastings; bugler, Bert Bray; sec.-treas., E. F. Defoe. The club decided to affiliate with the C.W.A.

GIRLS ON THE CAMPUS.

Owen Sound's Fair Athletes Play Cricket Baseball and Football.

Owen Sound, May 3.—The young ladies of the Collegiate met to re-organize their cricket club, says The Times. There was quite a large attendance and a lively interest was taken in the discussions. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Miss Smith; vice-president, Miss Kate Andrew; sec.-treas., Miss Annie Wilson. Two sets of captains were elected, whose duty it will be to choose the sides in the evening practices. They are Misses McNaughton and Hale, and Misses Boddy and Large. Misses O'Reilly and Strain were appointed a committee to purchase a bat and was fixed at 10 cents. The ladies are ready to receive challenges from any similar club in Western Ontario.

Who says the Collegiate students do not know that part of healthy exercise aids study? They have already two football elevens, a baseball club, girl's cricket club, and now want lawn tennis. They are all good institutions and tend to stop the pernicious system of incessant plugging, so injurious to health.

Blyth Lawn Tennis Club.

At a meeting for the re-organization of the Blyth Lawn Tennis Club, the following officers were elected: Honorary president, Reeve N. H. Young; president, Dr. Ferguson; vice-president, Mr. A. E. Bradwin; secretary-treasurer, Capt. H. Torrance; captain, Mr. J. S. McKinnon; Executive Committee, Messrs. J. M. Hamilton, A. S. Dickson, James McMurchie, Frank Metcalf and Dr. Milne. During the past three years the club has not lost a match, and has won the undisputed claim to the championship of Northwestern Ontario. The prospects for the coming season are even brighter than they have been in the past and the lovers of this favorite pastime may look forward to seeing some good matches played. The secretary will be pleased to hear from other clubs to arrange dates.

CHAMPIONSHIP FOOTBALL.

Opening of the Toronto League Season To-Day at Rosedale.

The first of the series of the Toronto Football League matches commences this afternoon at Rosedale. The Huron-Gore Vale match will start at 3.30, the Riverside-Scots match to follow. These clubs have been practising hard for the last four weeks and should attract a large number of spectators. Great interest has been evinced, and there is a growing feeling in favor of football. The Hurons have the strongest team that they have ever yet placed upon the field and their match with the Gore Vale champions should be one of the most exciting and hottest contests for some time. The Scots-Riverside match ought to draw a large crowd, they being very evenly matched and are in good trim.

Football in England.

The deciding games for the English Football Cup and league championship were played April 22. About 45,000 people saw Aston Villa defeat West Bromwich Albion by 1 to 0 in London in the cup final. Sunderland defeated Everton before 20,000 people at Sunderland by 2 to 1, and won the first place in the league.

Football Kicks.

The Huron team for the afternoon will be: Goal, Peters; backs, Mott and Bowman; halves, Jackson, Goulin, and Bradley; forwards, Buckingham, Harvey, W. A. Macpherson, Hilbon and McKay; spare man, O'Toole.

The Gore Vales and Athletic football teams will play their league match on the Baseball Grounds this afternoon. The following will battle for the Vales: Goal, Brown; backs, Maddigan, and Young; halfbacks, Little, Taylor and Franks; forwards, Humphrey, Willard, Orr, Jenner and Braund.

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THE SAME OLD BASEBALL STORY

Toronto Made Two Runs at Providence, While the Champions Scored 11—Syracuse Wins.

Providence, May 3.—The Providence champions again defeated Toronto to-day in a dashing game. Aside from the two muffs by Lake the Torontos played ball in magnificent style. In the 4th and 6th innings the champions had great batting streaks and hammered the ball all over the lot. Rudderham pitched well for Providence and only in the 3rd inning could the Canadians get more than one hit in an inning. Then Casey and Congalton rapped out doubles, and Gray followed with a single, making two earned runs. Attendance 1000. Score:

PROVIDENCE.	R.	H.	E.	TORONTO.	R.	H.	E.
Lyons, cf.	4	2	0	Mears, lf.	0	1	0
Bassett, 3b.	1	2	0	Sippi, 2b.	0	0	0
Knight, lf.	0	0	0	Lutenberg, 1b.	0	0	1
Rogers, 1b.	0	2	0	Smith, 3b.	0	1	1
Cooney, ss.	0	0	0	Lake, rf.	0	1	2
Stricker, 2b.	0	0	0	Demont, ss.	0	0	0
Murray, rf.	0	2	0	Casey, c.	1	1	0
Dixon, c.	3	1	0	Congalton, cf.	1	1	0
Rudderham, p.	3	3	0	Gray, p.	0	2	0
Total.	11	14	0	Total.	2	7	4

Providence . . . . . 1 1 0 3 0 4 0 2 0—11
Toronto . . . . . 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0—2

Earned runs—Providence 7, Toronto 2. Two-base hits—Rogers, Dixon, Casey, Congalton. Stolen bases—Lyons 3, Bassett, Rogers, Dixon, Congalton. Double plays—Stricker and Rogers, Cooney, Stricker and Rogers. First base on balls—Off Gray 4, off Rudderham 2. First base on errors—Providence 2, Toronto 1. Struck out—By Gray 2, by Rudderham 3. Time of game—1.45. Umpire—Hurst.

TO-DAY'S GAMES.

Toronto at Providence.
Buffalo at Springfield.
Rochester at Scranton.
Syracuse at Wilkesbarre.

EASTERN LEAGUE STANDING.

	W.	L.		W.	L.
Springfield	5	0	Syracuse	1	2
Providence	4	0	Rochester	1	3
Wilkesbarre	3	1	Buffalo	0	4
Scranton	2	1	Toronto	0	5

Baseball Galore To-Day.

The local baseball cranks will be able to see baseball galore on the old U.C.C. grounds this afternoon, where four of Toronto's crack amateur nines are to face each other, namely, the champion Wilmots v. Dukes at 2.15 p.m. and Crescent Athletic Club v. Parkdale Beavers at 4.15 p.m. The fact that the keenest rivalry exists between these teams ought to ensure a hard fight and interesting game of ball.

The Wilmots are greatly strengthened in the signing of several good men. The Dukes are more than determined to retrieve the defeat of a year ago.

The Crescent Athletic Club will choose from the following players: McMahon, Ward, Young, Chambers, Lawson, Trowbridge, Synge, King, Stone, Crews and Crane.

The Parkdale Beavers will be: Humphrey, 1st b.; Shepherd, 2nd b. and captain; Nethery, s.s.; Donovan, l.f.; Carley, c.f.; Snow, r.f.; Sykes, p.; Holden, c. Doc Shepherd and Jack Nethery both have decided to play this year with the Parkdale Beavers.

Syracuse, Springfield and Rochester Win.

At Springfield—

Springfield . . .	320014300—	13	15	5
Buffalo	300012004—	10	16	9

Batteries—Gruber, Leahy; McGinnis, Urquhart. Umpires—Swartwood and Snyder.

At Scranton—

Rochester. . . .	200110010—	5	7	5
Scranton. . . .	000000102—	4	10	4

Batteries—Harper, Wente; Fox, Hickey. Umpire—Doescher.

At Wilkesbarre—

Wilkesbarre . . .	000000110—	2	9	8
Syracuse	01000210x—	4	9	1

Batteries—Meekin, Diggins; Day, Hess. Umpire—Gaffney.

Two Games in the National.

At Boston—

Washington . . .	130200500—11	10	9
Boston	241063xx—27	18	6

Batteries—Mercer, Anderson, McGuire, Mahony; Sullivan, Dolan; Tenney, Warner. Umpire—Keefe.

At Philadelphia—

Philadelphia . . .	100012103—8	15	4
New York	000000212—5	6	2

Batteries—McGill, Buckley; German, Schriver. Umpire—Campbell.

Four Clubs in the Toronto League.

The Toronto Senior Baseball League circuit was rounded up at a special meeting of representatives at Harry Power's Hotel last night. There were delegates present from the following six clubs: Wilmots, Maple Leafs, Stars, Parkdale Beavers, Dukes and Metropolitans. It was decided to form a four-club league, with two eastern and two western teams, viz.: Wilmots and Stars in the east and Stars and Parkdale Beavers in the west. Thus the Dukes and Metropolitans were refused admission. The schedule will be drawn up next week.

Baseball Brevities.

Proprietor Peter Ryan does not take kindly to the fact that the Torontos are a losing aggregation, and has instructed Manager Maddock to strengthen up at all hazards. As a result Pitcher Mason, late of St. Louis, has been signed, and Shaw released. Barney McGarry has been troubled with one arm, or at least one victory would be in Toronto's list ere this.

Athletic and General Notes

Joe Choynski and Jem Hall are to fight on June 17. The contest will be 20 rounds at catch weights.

Hamilton is hot-foot after the L.Y.R.A. rendezvous, and it is necessary to raise $2000.

The Independent Lacrosse Club started practice last evening on their grounds, corner Front and Cherry-streets.

A cablegram from London states that Bubear, the ex-champion sculler of England, is anxious to come to America to row Gaudaur for the championship. Bubear announces that he would sail at once on receipt of $250 for expenses.

On Saturday afternoon the Stanley Gun Club will commence a series of blue-rock shoots for a medal presented to the club by Mr. Alex Elliott, the jeweler. The club prizes will be shot for as usual at the new grounds, which the club enjoy through the kindness of Mr. Albert Ashbridge.

The Ottawa Fisheries Department has issued notices regarding the close season for fish. Bass cannot be caught or sold between May 10 and June 30, maskinonge from April 15 to June 15, pickerel from April 15 to May 15, speckled trout from Sept. 15 to May 1, salmon trout and white fish from Nov. 1 to Nov. 30.

Good men are not needed in Congress more than good food is in the household. The best food is made with Dr. Price's Baking Powder.

No Closed Door.

The difference between the Chinese and Europeans is brought out by this extract from the Rev. Arthur Smith's book, "Chinese Characteristics." In China, private houses are surrounded by a wall, and have no windows looking on the street. Nevertheless, there is no domestic privacy in China. No one thinks of objecting to the entrance of perfect strangers through the ever-open door. To close the door would provoke the inquiry:

"What is going on within, that they are afraid to have every one see and hear?"

And from that moment the social doom of the family would be sealed. The Occidental question to an intruder would be, "What business have you here?"

The Oriental reply would be, "What business have you to keep me out?" The Chinese adage covering this matter is, "If you would not have it known that you do it, do not do it."

The Canoe.

The canoe has rapidly gained favor as a pleasure craft, and being easily transported is largely used by pleasure parties. All who are contemplating a trip this year should obtain their complete supplies from Michie & Co. ed

POOR MAN.

With a Crying Baby in His Arms He Was Compelled to Hear Himself Called a Brute.

Shortly before 9 o'clock this morning there came near being a panic at 14th Street and 6th Avenue. At that early hour these Easter days the street is crowded with shoppers. A tall man with rough clothes stood on the corner with a baby in his arms. There was a look of anxiety in his eyes as he walked up and down in front of a big store. Suddenly the infant began to cry as if in pain.

Two women stopped.

"What's the matter with that child?" asked one of them.

"I dunno," said the man.

"Well, you ought to," she retorted. "It's a shame to let the little thing cry so. I b'lieve you're hurtin' it."

"Tain't your'n said the man, gruffly.

By this time there were 10 women watching the scene. The baby never ceased crying an instant and the crowd kept gathering. Men began to stop, but they only stood and wondered. The women did all the talking.

"What's the matter?" asked a woman who was standing on the edge of the crowd.

"Oh, I don't know," said another, "but they say there's a man in there with a dying babe in his arms. Terrible, isn't it?"

"Don't sound much as if it was dying," said the other.

Then a man shouted: "Let it have a little air," and the women crowded a little closer to the object of their interest.

"You are a brute to treat that child so," shouted one of the women. "You ought to be arrested.

Instantly the word was taken up by every woman in the crowd. Meanwhile the man stood still, looking madder and madder. Then one woman, bolder than the rest, ran across the street for a policeman. She could not see any, and came back and announced that a policeman would be there in a minute. Then a small, determined-looking little woman with her arms filled with bundles pushed her way through the crowd to the man and the baby. Instantly the bundles and the babe changed places.

"What's she been crying for, John?" said the little woman, as with a final sob the infant settled into its mother's arms and was quiet.

"I dunno," said John.

"What's all them wimmen doin' here?" was the next question.

"I dunno," said the man, as he and his wife and babe walked away.—N. Y. Sun.

Glasgow Irish.

This is an extract from a Parliamentary report during the session of 1876:

Sir George Campbell said he had some experience of the Glasgow Irish.

Major O'Gorman (indignantly)—Mr. Speaker, Mr. Speaker, I rise to order, sir! I wish to know, sir, whether the honorable member is justified in stigmatizing my beloved country people as "the blasted Irish."

Sir Ge. Campbell—Mr. Speaker——

The Speaker—Order, order! I did not catch the expression of the honorable member.

Sir G. Campbell—Will you allow me, Mr. Speaker——

The Speaker—Order, order. But if the expression was used it is certainly unparliamentary and most improper, (Hear, hear.)

Sir G. Campbell—Mr. Speaker, it is an entire misconception of my remarks on the part of my honorable and gallant friend. What I said was "Glasgow Irish," and not "blasted Irish." (Much laughter and cheering.)—MacMillan's Magazine.

The Last Word.

"The ostrich is a queer bird," said Mr. Blykins. "There's no excuse for its behaving in the way it does. When it sees an enemy coming it sticks its head into the sand instead of running."

"That's its nature," replied his wife. "I know it. But just the same it isn't logical."

"Oh, yes it is, dear."

"How do you make it out?"

"It's ornithological."

Would Have Its Uses.

"Poets use some absurd phrases," said the sentimental youth, between the acts of the play.

"Yes," replied the sensible girl.

"One whose works I was reading to-day refers to a girl as having a 'swan-like throat.' Did you ever observe a swan's throat and think what a human being would look like if she had it?"

"Yes," she said. "It wouldn't be nice ordinary. But it would be very handy to have at the theatre sometimes. It might enable one to see around some women's hats."

Not Much Difference.

She was our own Mrs. Malaprop, and she said to her visitor: "Oh! I know it's true, saw it in the paper, and to make it more ecstatic it was printed in hysterics."

It was two days before it occurred to him she meant "emphatic" and "italics."

DIDN'T MIND THE FIRE.

A Man Who Preserved His Politeness While the House Was Burning.

"The coolest man I ever saw," said a veteran fireman, "I met at a fire in a dwelling house. We found him in an up-stairs front room dressing to go out. The fire by this time was b'lin' up through the house a at great rate.

"'Hello, there!' we hollered to him when we looked in at the door, 'the house is afire!'

"'Would it disturb you if I should remain while you are putting it out?' he said, lifting the comb from his hair and looking at us. He had on a low waistcoat and his dress coat lay across a chair.

"Seeing us staring at him he dropped his comb into his hair again and went on combing. But as a matter of fact he was about ready. He put down the comb, put on his coat and hat and picked up his overcoat.

"'Now I'm ready, gentleman,' he said.

"We started, but the stairway had now been closed up by fire. We turned to the windows. The boys had got a ladder up on the front of the house.

"'Now then,' we said to him, when we came to the window.

"'After you, gentlemen,' he said, standing back and I'm darned if we did not have to go down the ladder first and let him come last."

Mr. A. M. Wright, Chicago, says he finds St. Leon indispensable. Trouble—torpid liver and indigestion. 36

Wilde Admitted to Bail.

London, May 3.—Baron Pollock, one of the judges of the Queen's Bench Division of the High Court of Justice, heard in his private chambers in the High Court this afternoon the application of counsel to admit Wilde to bail. Judge Pollick agreed to accept bail.

THE HUDSON BAY RAILWAY

GOVERNMENT NOT COMMITTED TO ITS CONSTRUCTION.

The Papers in the Matter Presented to Parliament—A Loan Was Promised, But a Change of Contractors Was Made and the Government Will Not Recognize Them.

Ottawa, May 3.—The long-expected papers in connection with the Hudson Bay Railway were presented to Parliament to-day. They extend over a period from May, 1891, up to the present time. On Oct. 23 last Mr. Hugh Sutherland wrote to Mr. Daly, pointing out difficulties which the company had met with in the money markets, and representing that the company could commence the construction with a temporary loan of $6000 per mile. On Nov. 12 following Mr. Sutherland wrote Mr. Haggart requesting a straight loan of $2,500,000 to enable the company to construct the road. Then follow a lot of papers indicating what the company had been doing during the past few years.

A Contract Entered Into.

On May 12, 1891, a contract was entered into between the company, on one part and James Ross, Montreal; Donald D. Mann, Winnipeg; H. B. Holt, Montreal, and William McKenzie, Toronto, for the construction of the line, provided the necessary financial arrangements were made. H. D. Lumsden of Toronto was to be the company's engineer, and the contractors were to build the railway from the end of the 40 miles already constructed. The company was to pay the contractors $11,500 per mile. Between 1891 and 1894 there is nothing to show how Messrs. Ross & Holt dropped out of the syndicate and Mr. James Isbester of Ottawa came in, but on Nov. 8, 1894, Messrs. McKenzie, Mann & Isbester wrote the Department stating that if a loan of $2,500,000 were granted to the company it would be satisfactory to them and warrant them in proceeding with the construction.

On Jan. 22 this year Deputy-Minister Schreiber wrote to Mr. Haggart giving his opinion of the estimate of construction filed with the Government. With the data before him he thought the first 200 miles could be built for $11,500 a mile.

The Order in Council.

Then follows the famous Order-in-Council, for which the Opposition have been clamoring. It is dated March 5, 1895, and starts out by giving an elaborate history of the road details, all already given and the request for the loan on which the Minister is reporting.

The Minister says that from the standpoint of the general interest of Canada the construction of the section to the Saskatchewan would prove beneficial to the whole country, as tending to develop resources of high commercial importance, and which, at the present time, were crippled through the absence of means of communication. Mr. Haggart thereupon recommends that $10,000 a mile be loaned to the company to enable them to build to the Saskatchewan from the present terminus of the road, for forty miles out of Winnipeg, the Government to retain all the subsidies hitherto voted by Parliament as security for repayment.

A Change of Contractors.

On Wednesday of last week Mr. Hugh Sutherland wrote to the Minister of Railways from Winnipeg, stating that owing to the refusal of Messrs. McKenzie and Mann to proceed with the construction of the railway, the company had, on the advice of B. B. Osler, Q.C., entered into a contract with Donald Grant of Faribault, Timothy Foley of St. Paul, and James Isbester of Ottawa. These, he said, were men of undoubted ability, and if necessary the company would furnish evidence of the competency of the contractors to carry out the contract as required.

New Contracts Not Recognized.

An immediate acknowledgment was sent from the department, under date April 27. The Minister, after acknowledging the receipt of Mr. Sutherland's letter, says:

"In reply, I may inform you that the Government cannot recognize these contractors in the matter."

On the day previous Mr. William McKenzie had written to the department from Toronto, setting forth his and Mr. Mann's position with the company, and protesting against any interference with their rights. They would regard it as a gross injustice if the Government were to assist the company to repudiate their solemn agreement. The memorandum enclosed in Mr. McKenzie's letter showed that there is a judgment on their behalf outstanding against the company for $150,000, with interest at six per cent, from May 12, 1891. Mr. McKenzie states that a formal notice had been served on Messrs. Grant and Foley, notifying them not to enter into a contract with the company.

A Lull at Winnipeg.

Wimipeg, May 3.—The Hudson's Bay Railway Company contractors are expected to return from their drive over the route of line to-morrow or Monday. Meanwhile there is a lull in the situation. It is rumored that Sutherland will buy the Northern Pacific branch from Winnipeg to Portage la Prairie, then build onwards.

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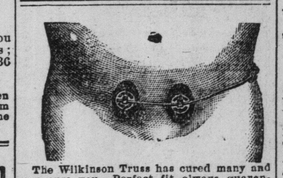

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