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AN OLD-TIME NOMINATION.

BOB WHITE AND BILL STUBBS THE CANDIDATES.

Stubbs Badly Disfigured But Still in the Ring—A Fight at Mono Mills—Sir John Thompson as a Referee.

MONO MILLS, Sept. 26.—The fight goes bravely on. With acrimony, animation and animosity the unholy war continues, and the unnatural union of Liberals and kicking Conservatives has been consummated. The blood of the Irishmen of this stout old riding is being stirred by scenes the like of which have not gladdened their hearts since the good old days of bludgeon elections. This day has been bulging with bigness and is one from which future nomination days will be dated.

Bob White has been stumping the riding for the past ten days, flanked by Clarke Wallace, Secretary Birmingham and Bob Evans. At their meetings Doc Stubbs has mounted the platform and the two vets. have regaled the assembled audiences with wordy tiltings *a l'outrance*. They have not bothered themselves with delicate choice of expressions, and the feeling that has been fed by these meetings had risen to white heat. The pressure had become almost beyond their compressible powers when to-day there was a rumpus.

Nominations to-day were timed from twelve to two o'clock, and into our hill-girt valley came the flower of our yeomanry and wise men from the east and south east. The early morning C. P. R. train from Toronto was met at Mono Road by Bob White, and Clarke Wallace, whose head, by the way, it was afterwards discovered, exactly fits the hat worn by the Minister of Justice. They were surrounded by a delegation and headed by the Caledon East brass band, which, as the train steamed up to the depot, played a rollicking college air, the words of which go like this:

Hurrah for Mary, hurrah for the lamb,
Hurrah for the teacher who didn't care a ——
Where Mary went the lamb was sure to go
Shouting the battle-cry of freedom.

This preparation, this music, this display, was for the proper reception of Sir Sparrow Thompson, who, with the ubiquitous John Hewer Beatty, of Toronto, and the organizing peace-maker, Bob Birmingham, there stepped off overwhelmed by this fresh mark of their greatness. They from Mono Road turned hitherward. Then over the rocky hill-roads came many men of diverse views and opposite sympathies. From Caledon came the Stubbs faction and the redoubtable Stubbs himself with his nomination paper, signed, with few exceptions, by the farmers of the township of which he has been Deputy-Reeve for several years, and weighted with the nomination deposit money, which was to demonstrate his faith in the dark and doubtful ballot. There came W. H. Hammill, Cardwell's bumptious local member; Dr. Henry, ex-mayor of Orangeville; William McCulla, M. P. for East; imposing Sheriff Broddy, of Brampton; Fighting Bob Evans in the pink of condition; J. Baldwin Hands, the short campaign candidate, his pockets not filled with posters this time but with good cigars; Colonel Tyrwhitt of Simcoe; E. J. Hearn, Tottenham's blonde young lawyer; Colonel McBrien, Mono's champion; Went Willoughby, the coming local man, and scores of others. These were all here at the meeting, besides Capt. Patterson, Mr. Walsh from Orangeville; President Snell, R. Duggan, keeper of the Duggan house, commissioner, notary public, correspondent of three papers and the Pooh-bah of the hamlet; and the "London tailor" who lives "on the bosom of the village"—all were gathered to see and participate in the fun.

It began before scheduled time. The principals became impatient and precipitated the struggle. About a quarter past twelve o'clock Bob White, Sir Sparrow and many of their friends were gathered in the Allison Hotel, like certain good men of old, in an upper chamber. On the ground in front of the hotel by chance the local gladiators of the day met. They did not want to row and spoke each other fair. Mr. Evans wanted Mr. Stubbs to retire from the field, but Mr. Stubbs refused and presently told Mr. Evans he (Stubbs) could not be bought off for a fixed salary like Mr. Evans had been; this charge was denied most vehemently and was repeated with the clincher that proofs of the purchase by Dalton McCarthy of Mr. Evans could be furnished by President Jas. C. Snell and John Haggard.

This was too much for the lamb-like disposition of Bob Evans; Doc Stubbs was called a liar, but yet matters remained *in statu quo*, until the courtesy was returned by Mr. Stubbs assuring his friend of his disbelief in his truthfulness and in the precise language used toward him. The situation changed; something struck Mr. Stubbs on his neck and knocked him backward; something wound around his neck and put his head in chancery. While "dull sickening thuds" on his physiognomy waked the echoing hills. The dust slaked its thirst with the blood that flowed before the satiated spectators rescued Mr. Stubbs and took him to a doctor's office, there to repair the damage done his right eye and his other wounds. A big crowd had collected and all was excitement, the upper chamber meeting hastily adjourned to the balcony, there the better to view the aspect of political affairs; there, where hot words were being spoken, lusty blows falling and red blood running, calm and serene, imperturbable on the balcony, stood Canada's highest judicial authority, the Minister of Justice, an involuntary referee.

Mr. Stubbs was worsted in the "rastle tastle"—there could be no doubt about it; but then he didn't want to fight; he sent for The World correspondent and explained this. It is only fair to state that Mr. Stubbs has "licked bigger men than Bob Evans"—yes, and can now "lick Bob Evans." Therefore, Mr. Stubbs' friends are exhorted not to let their suffrages be estranged from him by any doubts about his eligibility for parliamentary honors as a result of this "scrap."

This was the event of the day and it warmed the cockles of the hearts of the old settlers present as four fingers of mountain dew would, not. It was the sole topic of conversation, and while it was difficult to ascertain the precise effect it had on the men present there can be no doubt it will have much influence. If the story told by Mr. Stubbs and his friends, which is not true, that Mr. Evans kicked him in the face, is believed, a sympathy may be aroused for him, but without this sympathy there will probably be repulsion on the part of the better class of electors toward a common street fighter.

It was thought that perhaps Mr. Stubbs would, after the fight, withdraw his nomination paper and deposit, but, as The World has before remarked, Mr. Stubbs is a stayer from Stayersville. So, when at two o'clock stalwart Returning Officer John Kelly, of Athlone, declared the nominations closed, Bob White found himself pitted against an opponent who in a back sitting room was resting with one eye covered with a piece of raw beef and a lump on the side of his head that spoiled the set of his hat.

The nominations being closed the speaking began. The orators mounted the Duggan House balcony and an audience of about 150 men gathered on the road beneath. President J. C. Snell, with inward prayers for better order than attended the last meeting in this village, occupied the chair. He first called on Clarke Wallace, who on coming forward said he was sorry Mr. White had not been elected by acclamation. That Mr. Stubbs had no particular standing and that Mr. Evans was a patriot for retiring. He went on and showed the inexpediency of the policy of Unrestricted Reciprocity supported by Mr. Stubbs and brought figures to prove his contention.

The chairman announced that Mr. Stubbs would then be allowed to speak. Mr. Stubbs was hardly ready to come to time, so Thomas Swinerton of Bolton, reeve of Albion, came forward—a substantial farmer who many years ago left Albion, where he was at that time reeve, under a financial cloud but afterwards returned from British Columbia and paid off every claim against him. He got a little mixed in his remarks but he was there to speak for Mr. Stubbs, he said. He was not in favor of Unrestricted Reciprocity although that was Mr. Stubbs' platform, still he was there to speak for him. He talked disconnectedly for a time and closed with a query: "If one of us went to Montreal how many votes would we get?".

Bob White was the next speaker called and the chairman presented him simply as "the Hon. Tom White's son." He said he had come on invitation and had not expected, after Cardwell's ten years' experience, to have heard the local representation question raised. He made an appeal for support for "The maintenance of Canada for our people and the continuance of British connection" as represented by him. He said, in concluding a good speech delivered with much force and effect, he did not ask their support for himself, but for the "grand old party and the grand old flag."

Col. Tyrwhitt was introduced to the audience. He very much regretted the differences in the party and hoped they would heal.

Went Willoughby was the next orator to step cautiously along the treacherous rostrum that threatened to sink under the weight of the speakers yet unleashed. Wentworth was short and to the point. He had a mission; it was to impress upon Bob White that in 1891 he would not be wanted, and this done he retired. He said he felt sure Mr. White was too high spirited a gentleman to thrust himself on this constituency again. They had given him a stepping-stone to political honors and no doubt Quebec would open her arms to receive him at the next election.

Mr. McCulla spoke briefly and then Bob Evans came forward, amid applause, and gave the only genuine, true and accurate history of the Stubbs-Evans affair. Speaking of that portion of Mr. Stubbs' address that expressed his belief in the present being an opportune time to arrange a reciprocal treaty with the United States, Mr. Evans roused the risibilities of the audience by asking if Mr. Stubbs would think the present an opportune time to open negotiations for reciprocal favors with him. Mr. Evans made a rattling good speech and introduced Elgin Myers, a pale, spare-built, youthful looking barrister from Orangeville, who believes to the Liberal party and is strongly suspected of the authorship of Mr. Stubbs' gritty address. At the request, he said, of Mr. Stubbs advanced and made his bow. Mr. Myers is a clear, fluent speaker, and made so good a defence for Mr. Stubbs that the suspicion about the address was strengthened almost to a conviction. In fact it is a question in some minds whether that address did not go farther than Mr. Stubbs wished or expected. At all events Mr. Myers made a clever, plausible speech for his client, exerting the utmost skill in the effort to convince his audience that Mr. Stubbs was a Conservative. He was frequently interrupted, and when he referred to Mr. Stubbs' "noble and honorable aspirations" he was laughed at. One of his arguments was that if Mr. White represented Cardwell for two years he would so strengthen himself that they could not get him out.

"You have heard some good speaking," said the chairman, "but now you will have a big blow," as he announced Sir Sparrow Thompson. His speech was along the line of Bob White's and had a "taking" ring of patriotism that drew repeated applause. This was not an election, he told them, that might take no heed of more important questions than of what side of the concession line the candidates came from. There were questions of grave moment on which the Cardwell election would be considered an opinion of the people. There were great questions touching the unity of the Dominion and British connection. He told the story of Canada's dealings with the United States and made the record a strong point against the proposal that Canada entrust Washington with the control of her fiscal arrangements. He talked on Unrestricted Reciprocity and Commercial union, showing their undesirability and impracticability. The policy of the Dominion Government—a policy of uniting the country, completing the railways and canals, building up industries and making home markets for the country's produce—this was the policy they should vote for. He told them Bob White would be as able a man as any in Parliament. Sir Sparrow's was a judicious, polished speech.

The crowd was moving away when Mr. Stubbs himself came out and crossed the balcony. A big white bandage covered his right eye partly hid his wounds, but the patches of blood that still smeared his face and dyed his shirt collar gave him a war-scarred appearance. The crowd divided, a part laughed, but a surprisingly large number cheered and continued cheering. The sanguinary candidate's first words were, "I'm badly disfigured but still in the ring," and the crowd cheered and hooted. Mr. Stubbs then distributed from the balcony a number of his printed addresses. As he stood there he was a picture, bandaged and blood-stained; leaning over the balcony he filled the air with his flying, fluttering addresses. He then told his story, the only genuine, true and absolutely accurate account of the Stubbs-Evans affair; he defended his cause amid mixed applause and opposition. After Mr. Stubbs concluded the meeting dispersed.

Bob Birmingham remained with Bob White, but the hon. Minister of Justice, who went on to Ottawa to-night and, the other outsiders boarded the first trains at Orangeville and Monroe-road stations.

There is a week of excitement, discussions and strife for Cardwell until next Wednesday.

THE SAWYERVILLE RIOT.

No Further Trouble Reported—The G. T. R. Refuse to Carry Ammunition.

MONTREAL, Sept. 26.—Advices from Sawyerville state that the 58th Battalion and Cavalry arrived at the scene of the riots this evening by special train. No further particulars about the laborers' attitude have been received but it is hoped the worst is over.

Col. Houghton, D. A. G., secured 10,000 rounds of ammunition from the St. Helen's Island armory this morning and had it taken to the G. T. R. depot to be forwarded by the 7 a.m. train, but the G. T. R. authorities refused to carry it and it had to be delayed until the 5.15 p.m. train by the C. P. R.

CHAT ACROSS THE CABLE.

The French Grain Congress reports that the harvest exceeds all expectations.

The Emin Relief Committee has invited Dr. Junker to a consultation.

The Ameer of Afghanistan reports that the rebels under Ishak Khan have retreated to Tashkurgan.

The British ship Earl Wemyss, from San Francisco for Queenstown, was sunk in a collision with the ship Ardencaple. A portion of her crew were saved.

Cardinal Lavigerie's Anti-Slavery Committee have appealed to the whole for donations in aid of the cause. An anonymous gift of 37,500 francs and another of 15,000 have been received.

Valparaiso (Chili) advices say that millions of dollars' damage has been done by a recent storm, many ships foundered and a number of lives lost.

An artificial pond, 800 feet above the level of Valparaiso, Chili, burst on Aug. 11, flooding several streets, causing the loss of 57 lives and doing over $1,000,000 damage to property.

UNITED STATES NEWS.

A northeast gale on the Massachusetts coast yesterday sunk many small pleasure boats and destroyed much green fruit.

Lombard & Ayer's oil refinery at Bayonne, N. J., has been sold to two Philadelphia companies which are controlled by the Tidewater Pipe Line Company. for $2,000,000.

"Billy the Kid," the terror of Southwestern Colorado ranchmen, has been captured.

Fire at Canton, Dak., caused a loss of $100,000 on Tuesday night.

Wm. Radaman, an Austin (Tex.) florist, claims to have discovered a microbe killer with which he can cure yellow fever in from fifteen minutes to one hour.

Bill Whitely, a Texas train robber and murderer, was killed by United States Marshals at Floresville last night.

At Waupun, Wis., yesterday Judge Bennett sentenced Mrs. Steinhauser and the hired man, Henry Boemster, for life for the murder of Steinhauser.

The Assistant Inspector was Ill.

The first case called in the Court of General Sessions yesterday was that of Alfred Peck an, the ex-letter-carrier charged with stealing registered letters. Before evidence was gone into, it was discovered that Assistant Post Office Inspector Birnham, who is an important witness, was too ill to appear, and the case was made a remanet to the next court.

IS TORONTO UNSANITARY?

THE MEDICAL PROFESSION SAYS IT IS AND SICKNESS PROVES IT.

There is no Reason Why This Should Continue—Efficiency and Energy only Wanted—Good will Result from Plain Speaking and Prompt Action.

With the proverbial exception which but proves the rule, The World has received well nigh universal thanks for the publication of its plain unvarnished tale of dirty lanes, impure yards, foul conveniences, and unsanitary surroundings in the poorer districts of the city.

Fortunately there is no increase in the number of cases of typhoid and smallpox, though some additional cases of diphtheria were yesterday received at the Hospital. There were also under treatment at that institution yesterday 45 cases of typhoid, and there have already been half a dozen deaths from the disease. In every case the patients came from home or boarding-house where it was officially ascertained that there was a foul yard privy or impure well water. These facts speak trumpet-tongued to our Health Inspectors and to the tenants and property owners to put their houses in order

The utmost is being done by the officials at both the General and Smallpox Hospitals in attending the sick patients, most of whom we are glad to chronicle are in a fair way towards recovery.

A Lesson from Buffalo.

Meanwhile the epidemic increases at Buffalo, and a lesson may be learned from what has transpired in connection with that outbreak. In July last it was tacitly agreed among the newspapers of that city to say little or nothing about the smallpox that was then prevalent for fear that the trade of the place might suffer. Through this public neglect of the matter the evil increased till now there is an epidemic. In such cases public attention should be aroused to danger, present or prospective, whereby preventive measures may be taken, and an incipient outbreak nipped in the bud.

The Council Should Act.

The subject in Toronto requires serious consideration and active measures, and no time ought to be lost in enforcing the sanitary laws rigidly and enacting others that would be a still greater safeguard to the health of the citizens. It is not the Local Board of Health, which must act, but the Mayor and City Council. Without commenting on the first mentioned body's usefulness or eagerness for duty, it must be patent that the problem to be solved has got beyond its control. Even if the members meet every day, and past experience shows that they are hard enough to bring together, they could do nothing but read reports and recommend. The Mayor, on the other hand, with the Council at his back, should take the initiative while yet there is time, and boldly inaugurate the needed reforms. Vaccination is one of the preventives, and perhaps the best for smallpox, but while seeing that this disease does not spread, the typhoid fever epidemic, the outbreak of diphtheria, and the recurring cases of scarlet fever, should not be overlooked. It is not the spasmodic appearance of the smallpox that does the injury, but it is the causes of the disease which are more or less constant, and which are now steadily gaining ground, that want attention.

The World has made it sufficiently plain that the City Council has to go to work, and not leave the lives of the citizens in the hands of a small knot of men, who seldom meet, and when they do give no results for their work.

The Water and Sewage Inquiries.

We hail the announcement that City Engineer Sproatt, by directions of the Mayor, has written to Messrs. Gray and Hering, the consulting engineers selected to report on the water works and sewage systems of Toronto, to commence operations without delay.

Free Vaccination Stations.

Another satisfactory announcement is that the arrangements made for the establishment of free vaccination stations are almost complete. There will be six of them, in the following localities: Boys' Institute, corner Queen-street and Carlaw-avenue; 176 Wilton-avenue; Mission chapel; 51 Centre-street; St. Paul's Hall; St. Andrew's Hall, and one to be selected in the northwestern section of the city. The hours of attendance will be from 8 to 9 p.m. on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Applicants may also secure free vaccination at the Medical Health Office, St. Lawrence Hall. 24

Sewer Ventilation.

Editor World: Your statements and remarks re the sanitary condition of Toronto induce me to call the attention of the public to the absurd and detestable plan prevalent by order of the City Fathers, I suppose, of ventilating the sewers into our streets. Did anyone ever hear of a more crazy scheme than that of letting out the foul gases of our foulest conveniences upon the air we breathe? No wonder we have typhoid, diphtheria, and all the other of the hosts of filth diseases under such a stupid arrangement of civic sanitary affairs as this. Nor is this all. What is our water front but a vast pool of seething filth! And what is our method of disposing of the waste of the city, the scavengering, but an insane pretence at cleaning! T. A. C.

Typhoid at Kingston.

Toronto is not the only place in Ontario where disease is now prevalent. At Kingston there have this month been eleven cases of typhoid fever (five in one house) and five cases of typhoid malaria, making a total of 16. The number of cases reported since July 1, is 23. This statement is made on the authority of J. Duncan Thomson, Mayor of Kingston.

Publicity the Best of Fumigants.

From The Montreal Gazette.

If a serious outbreak of small-pox occurs throughout the country—which there is no reason to think is at all likely—a large share of the blame will rest on the heads of the civic authorities of Buffalo. They have acted on the mistaken policy, of which Montreal had fatal experience, of seeking to hide the danger that existed in their midst; whilst inviting to their exhibition the population within a wide radius of territory. Toronto has already been infected, and other places may be, chiefly, it must be held, because of Buffalo's neglect. Cities, as well as individuals, apparently, prefer to buy in the school of experience the lesson that could at much less cost be learned by observation.

New Smallpox Cases at Buffalo.

BUFFALO, Sept. 26.—And still the smallpox epidemic grows. Two cases were reported today, one of the variety known as the dreaded black smallpox. A mild case is reported on Seneca-street at 957, but the place is a boarding-house and the 15 or 20 inmates have been exposed.

FIRE AND GAS COMMITTEE.

Discussion on Underground Wires and the Queen-street Subway.

There were present at yesterday's meeting of the Fire and Gas Committee, Chairman Shaw, and Ald. Swait, St. Leger, Bell, Ritchie, Galbraith, Dodds, Maughan, and Chiefs Ardagh and Ashfield. Mr. E. E. Wragge, local manager of the G. T. R., appeared before the committee and succeeded in having the question of the company obtaining permission to erect a wooden building on the Esplanade, referred to the City Solicitor and City Commissioner. It was decided to enforce the By-law forbidding the use of telegraph poles as advertising mediums. A lengthy discussion took place on the question of underground wires, the secretary being directed to glean all information possible from those cities adopting the new system. The condition of the Queen-street Subway drew some strong remarks from Ald. Ritchie. There was no light and the result was dangerous to the people. After some discussion it was resolved to ask the City Solicitor if the city could fix up the Subway without prejudicing its dispute with Parkdale. Ald. Shaw showed a large map he had drawn up, giving the location of every lamp and hydrant in St. Patrick's ward.

THE WHITECHAPEL MYSTERY.

A Strange Statement Made Before the Coroner's Jury.

LONDON, Sept. 26.—The Coroner in summing up at the inquest in the case of the last woman found murdered in Whitechapel stated to the jury that shortly after the details of the last sitting of the jury had been published the sub-curator of the English pathological museum had informed him that some months ago an American had visited him and asked him to procure a number of specimens of the uterus. The visitor stated that he would willingly pay £20 each for specimens, his object being to issue an actual specimen with each copy of a book upon which he was engaged. The sub-curator promptly informed the applicant that it would be impossible to comply with his request. The American still urged the possibility of procuring the specimens and said he wanted them preserved in glycerine instead of spirits, in order to keep them flaccid. The request had been repeated at another institute. The sub-curator had promptly informed the Scotland Yard authorities of the facts in his possession. The coroner expressed the hope that greater publicity would tend to elucidate the mystery, and that the publication of these facts in the American press would assist in throwing light on the subject.

Another Irish M. P. Sentenced.

DUBLIN, Sept. 26.—John Redmond, M. P. for Wexford, was today found guilty of offences under the Crimes Act and sentenced to five weeks' imprisonment without hard labor.

Mormon Immigrants Sent Back.

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—Collector Magone this afternoon decided that 22 detained Mormon immigrants must be returned. Among these are 15 English children, who had no idea of where they were going.

See East's Illuminated G. T. R. Baggage Train, the best thing yet, showing the superiority of East's Unbreakable Trunks—326 Yonge-st.

The White Packs.

LONDON, Sept. 26.—Advices from Khartoum by the Emin Relief Committee confirm the report concerning the presence of a white man in the Bahr El-Ghazel country. In reply to a request for information regarding this person the Mahdi sent an insulting refusal. The roads between Berber and Khartoum are fairly safe, and news may arrive at any moment.

Reported Without Recommendation.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 26.—At a meeting of the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations this morning a report without recommendation was ordered on the resolution offered by Senator Sherman instructing the committee to investigate the relations of the United States with Great Britain and Canada.

Hot Air Furnaces, of our own make, guaranteed to give satisfaction. Get an estimate. Wheeler & Bain, King-street East.

Disheartened York State Farmers.

TROY, N.Y., Sept. 26.—Farmers all through this section are much disheartened by the partial failure of the potato crop, due to a large proportion of it rotting by reason of the recent rains. Oats, also, are light, while the buckwheat crop is an utter failure owing to the frosts.

New curtains in brocades, damasks, chenilles and all the novel effects. Artistic Draperies a specialty. Table covers and piano covers; effective mantle draping. W. A. Murray & Co.

Fire in an Iron Mine.

HUDSON, N. Y., Sept. 26.—At an early hour yesterday morning fire broke out in the Burden iron mines below this city and still continues. The flames are 300 feet from the opening and are fed by scaffolding, railroad ties and lumber supports. The loss will be large and the damage will cause the suspension of all work at this point for several days. No report of injury to any of the employes has been received.

Visitors' expenses paid by taking advantage of the great tea sale now going on at Brazill & Co.'s, market grocers, corner of King and Jarvis-streets. 10 lbs. tea and upwards at wholesale prices. Also a call is solicited at their vaults, 163 King east, where the choicest brands of fine whiskys, wine, &c., are selling at reduced prices.

Burglary at Essex Centre.

WINDSOR, Sept. 26.—The store of J. O. Peck in Essex Centre has been burglarized for some time past at regular intervals. The biggest haul was made last night. A woman living across the street saw four men driving away from the store at 2 o'clock this morning with a wagon loaded with goods. When Mr. Peck got down he found that burglars had attempted to get access through the back door, which would not yield and had then pryed the front door open. A lot of silks, overcoatings and clothing of a total value of $500 were missing.

The Elliott House, Church-street,

Is now open for guests. Terms $1.50 and $2 per day. Special rates for permanent and family boarders. John Elliott, proprietor. 246

A Woodstock Man Arrested in Detroit.

DETROIT, Sept. 26.—Thomas H. Thompson of Woodstock, Ont., was arrested at the Michigan Central depot this forenoon by Officer Walpole on a dispatch from Big Rapids, Mich., charging him with forging a check and stealing $40 in money.

A LETTER FROM BAXTER.

The Broker Explains to Magistrate Denison why he Doesn't Come to Toronto.

MONTREAL, Sept. 26.—Yesterday morning Mr. James Baxter decided to proceed to Toronto in accordance with the subpœna which had been served upon him in the case of the Central Bank against Barnett. Arriving at Ottawa he left the train to consult his Montreal counsel, Mr. MacMaster, Q.C., who had in the meantime received a lengthy communication from Mr. J. J. Maclaren, Q.C., Mr. Baxter's Toronto counsel, telling him that, as far as he could discover, Mr. Baxter's presence was not required in Toronto in the Barnett case, but that the subpœna had been served upon him merely as a trap to entice him there, when other proceedings in connection with the bank case would be taken against him. Mr. Baxter therefore returned to Montreal and addressed a letter to Police Magistrate Denison, n which he says:

I wrote you on Monday, Sept. 24, that I would be in Toronto to-day. Relying upon the protection of the court, I left Montreal last night, but being advised by counsel that no protection of court was promised, have returned. Personally I was and am willing to go to Toronto to meet my accusers face to face. But I cannot disregard the advice of my counsel and the warnings of my friends that the attempt of the prosecution in the Barnett case to get me to Toronto as a trap for them for other proceedings. If the prosecutors wish to bring me simply as a witness in the Barnett case let them get me an order protecting me against processes of all kinds and I will go. If they won't do this, they are knowing something in mind. If they desire to fight me I am here to meet them. I will not go to Toronto until I am protected or legally bound to go. At present writing I am advised I am not legally summoned. JAMES BAXTER.

G. T. Denison, Toronto.

This afternoon Chief Hughes received a telegram from Chief Greaves stating that a detective had left Toronto with a warrant for Baxter's arrest, and requesting the Montreal Chief to have the famous broker arrested. This Chief Hughes refused to do, and says if Baxter is to be arrested here it will have to be by a Toronto officer.

SMUGGLED BLANKETS.

A Big Seizure of Canadian Wool in the Quaker City.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Sept. 26.—United States Special Treasurer Agents Marcus Hanlon and John O'Neil yesterday seized a shipment of 91 bales of wool consigned to Thos. Lee & Co., wool merchants, and upon examining the bales, several of them were found to contain a couple of fine English blankets. The wool had been shipped from Hallam and Leadley, of Toronto, Canada, to Thos. Lee & Co. over the Lehigh Valley Railroad by way of Niagara. The duty on wool is 10 cents per pound, while the duty on woolen blankets is 24 cents per pound and 35 per cent. ad valorem. The Government officials seized the entire cargo and notified the District Attorney to bring action against Thos. Lee & Co.

[It appears that an agent for Lee & Co. while in Toronto recently purchased the wool from Messrs. Hallam and Leadley for his firm, and if there is any smuggling in the case, he alone is responsible.]

Schooners Ashore.

WORCESTER, Mass., Sept. 27.—Two vessels are ashore on Long Beach. One is a large three-masted schooner, and the other a two-master. The crew of one are in the rigging, but no assistance can be rendered owing to the heavy sea.

Fine Watch Machinery.

E. Beston, watch specialist, opposite the Post Office, has over $500 worth of delicate machinery for making or duplicating any part of a fine watch. 246

Forty Nihilists Arrested.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 26.—Forty persons suspected of being concerned in the murder of the woman whose body was found in a box have been arrested. The woman was a police spy in the guise of a Nihilist.

It Was Bismarck's Work.

VIENNA, Sept. 26.—The Neue Freie Presse says that in a recent interview with Dr. Frane, President of the Austrian Evangelical Council, Prince Bismarck, speaking with reference to the Austro-German alliance, said: It was my work exclusively. When in 1878 I went to Gastein with the treaty still unsigned I was quite resolved to resign unless the Emperor ratified it. The alliance has ever since aided my policy.

The Kaiser's Diary.

BERLIN, Sept. 26.—The interview between Emperor William and Prince Bismarck yesterday lasted only half an hour. The Chancellor submitted to the Emperor a report of his recent conference with Count Kalnoky.

Several adherents of the Empress Victoria who have been privileged to compare extracts from the late Emperor Frederick's diary published in The Deutche Rundschau with the original diary state that they agree.

The Switchmen's Association.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 26.—The Switchmen's Association adjourned to meet next year at Columbus, Ohio. The plan of federation as proposed by the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen at Atlanta, Ga., was unanimously adopted. The Knights of Labor will be taken, but only so far as they can identify themselves with the various organizations. They will not be taken as Knights of Labor, but as railway employes only, and the Order of Railway Telegraphers will be admitted on the same terms.

Solid Comfort.

If you want solid comfort use Cashmere sox—these sox will not irritate, yet you get same warmth as a light wool and three times the wear. We have in stock a beautiful assortment of Black and Colored which cannot be excelled in value (50c) or make; they were (and are yet in some places) sold at 75c. We will send to any of our friends in the country these goods post paid to any part of Canada on receipt of price 50c per pair; send size of boot worn to A. White, 65 King-st. W.

Committed for Trial.

HAMILTON, Sept. 26.—Frank Osborne was brought up for preliminary examination today on the charge of committing an aggravated and indecent assault on Margaret Ferguson, a married woman. The prisoner elected to be tried by a jury. Mrs. Ferguson repeated the same story that she told on Monday about the brutal manner in which she had been assaulted by Osborne and a man named Peter Burns, who had so far escaped arrest. According to Mrs. Ferguson's evidence she was shamefully treated by the men. After dragging her along the road into the ravine they assaulted her, and went so far as to try to maltreat her. The woman admitted that she had three glasses of beer at Poole's hotel, and said that it took more than that quantity of beer to intoxicate her. The magistrate committed Osborne for trial. Bail was fixed at $100 and two sureties in $100 each.

Caution to Smokers.

We beg to call the attention of the public to the fact that the market is being flooded with cheap cigars, packed in fancy boxes, which are foisted upon the public to the detriment of the consumer. The quality of our celebrated brands, "Cable," "Mungo," "Madre E' Hijo," and "El Padre," have been, and always will be maintained, and we would advise the public to insist upon having them, if they wish to obtain value for their money. We do not manufacture a cheap article, and we pride ourselves upon the superior quality of our make. Our sales in the years 1886 and 1887 were more than the total amount of cigars manufactured in the cities of Toronto and Hamilton combined, as shown by the government books of the Inland Revenue Department, thereby demonstrating that our brands have lost none of their original merit, but on the contrary are increasing in public favor. S. Davis & Sons, the largest cigar manufacturers in the Dominion. x

Chemical analysis shows Adams' Tutti Frutti Gum to be pure and healthy.—The American analyst. Sold by all druggists and confectioners, 1 cents. Fancy trays no less than 50 singular shapes.

MONTREAL EAST ELECTION

MR. LEPINE RETURNED BY A LARGE MAJORITY.

Less Than 7000 Votes Polled—The Protection Candidate's Majority 685—Telegraphing Largely Resorted to by the Rouges—A Labor and Conservative Demonstration.

MONTREAL, Sept. 26.—Montreal East has spoken in a manner which the country will not mistake. After one of the most exciting election contests in the history of Canada the candidate of law and order as opposed to demagogism and of protection to native industries as against the surrender of Canada's markets to foreign merchants has triumphed by a big majority in a very small vote. The day was a busy one in political circles, and up to the close of the poll the excitement grew, until when the result was made known it reached fever heat.

Out of 19,000 names on the lists only 6973 were polled, of which Lepine, the Labor and Protection candidate, received 3829, and Poirier, (Nationalist) 3144, leaving Lepine's majority 685.

The smallness of the vote is ascribed to many causes, but the real reason is believed to be that Lepine's declaration in favor of Prohibition alienated the friends of the liquor interest, who would not vote against the Conservative party and didn't vote at all.

Telegraphing was largely resorted to on the Rouge side and two operators were sought in the act and will appear before the Police Magistrate to-morrow.

After the poll was declared the friends of Lepine, Workingmen and Conservatives, assembled by thousands in Jacques Cartier square and amid the firing of guns and intense enthusiasm, listened to speeches from Hon. J. A. Chapleau, Messrs. Lepine, Curran, Taillon and others.

Fulljames' Funeral.

WINNIPEG, Sept. 26.—The funeral of Fulljames took place to-day. The man who struck the fatal blow was Brennan, a former resident of this city. Parties who saw the wound in Fulljames' temple are of the opinion that it could not have been caused by a blow with the face flat.

Jacksonville's Death Roll.

JACKSONVILLE, Sept. 26.—New cases 103 (whites 31, negroes 72), deaths 8, is to-day's bulletin. Total cases to date 2237, total deaths 229.

Dollar Wheat at Portage in Prairie.

WINNIPEG, Sept. 26.—Wheat is quoted at $1 at Portage la Prairie.

New York Excursion.

Van Every's New York excursion which leaves Toronto on Saturday next at 3.40 p.m. will be first-class in every respect, the return fare being $7 for the round trip. Tickets are good to return on any day or train up to the 9th of October. Wagner sleepers will run through without change with this excursion. Those wishing sleeping car accommodation should call on Mr. Van Every at his office, 5 Adelaide-street east, and secure them as four sleepers are filled and he has secured three more which, we have no doubt, will be filled very rapidly, this being the last excursion to New York season and the best time to visit New York City. We have no doubts but that there will be a large number taking advantage of it.

JOTTINGS ABOUT TOWN.

Complaint is made of the dangerous condition in which the temporary bridge over the Don at Gerrard-street is in at night, owing to the absence of lights. The temporary rails, as well as the bridge, are left in complete darkness.

Court Toronto, No. 167, I. O. F., held their first meeting in their new court room in Shaftesbury Hall Monday evening last, when two new members were initiated and one admitted by card. The members were all highly pleased with their new "Forest Home," which is quite luxurious in its furniture and appointments. Bro. Powell, C. D., H. C. R., reported the receipt of a claim for $2000 from the Supreme Court in payment of the endowment on the life of their late Bro., H. J. Montgomery, who died in Toronto in August, which amount has been handed to the deceased brother's widow. Court Toronto is rapidly increasing in numbers.

Albert Griffiths, the Union Station news agent who has cleared out with several hundred dollars of his employers' money, did the business in Toronto as a shipping his furniture openly and taking his wife with him. It is said he refused to settle for $200.

Next Friday afternoon at 1.15 Mayor Clarke will distribute the prizes to the successful students of the Collegiate Institute.

The annual sports and games of the students of the Collegiate Institute will be held on the Rosedale grounds on Friday, Oct. 5.

The Crown has dropped the other larceny charges against the two McCances and S. Fenwick, who were tried with the verdict of guilty obtained in the first case.

Parkdale Art School has elected the following officers: Major Carlaw, President; Miss Ida, Secretary; Executive Committee, J. Inglis, Geo. Edwards, James Stevenson, Hunter, W. H. P. Clement. The executive were instructed to secure suitable accommodation and to open classes at once.

Yesterday morning Miss Lillie, eldest daughter of Mr. Robert Platts, merchant tailor, of this city, was married to Mr. John B. Tinning, eldest son of Mr. John Tinning, of St. Mary's street. The ceremony took place at the residence of the bride's father, Sherbourne-street, Rev. Dr. Thomas, pastor of Jarvis-street Baptist Church, officiated. Mr. and Mrs. Tinning left yesterday afternoon for the Western States, where they will spend their honeymoon.

The marriage of Miss Emily Way, to Dr. E. Reynolds, of Chicago, was solemnized in St. Mary's Church yesterday morning. A large and fashionable gathering witnessed the event. Rev. Father Rooney officiated, and was assisted by Father Garvin and Rev. Father Cunningham, of Chicago.

It is understood that the proposed college for women in affiliation with Trinity University will be opened in October. Miss Patterson has been engaged as principal.

Solemn Requiem High Mass will be celebrated at nine o'clock on Sunday morning in St. Michael's Cathedral for the suffering souls in Purgatory, in obedience to the Pope's Encyclical. At 10.30 Solemn High Mass will be celebrated in honor of St. Michael, the patron Saint of the Cathedral.

Through an inadvertence it was stated in Tuesday's World that Andrew Henderson was fined for breach of the liquor bylaw. On the contrary he was discharged.

Jubilee Council, No. 40, Order of Chosen Friends, met in Shaftesbury Hall on Tuesday. The Vice-Council lor, Mrs. J. M. Mulvaney, who has been at Niagara Falls, and Miss C. Moore, who is also a member of Jubilee Council, were welcomed on their return. Reports of the illness of some of the friends were given in.

The remains of the late Mrs. M. A. Trotter, relict of Charles Wesley Trotter, formerly of Toronto, were brought from Chicago and interred in the Necropolis yesterday afternoon.

Mr. H. H. Ragan will give a series of illustrated lectures at the Grand Opera House in Toronto. They will commence to-night with "Paris the Magnificent," and he followed nightly by "The Rhine and Switzerland," "Here and There in London" and "Picturesque London." The press speaks in very high terms of Mr. Ragan's lectures, and they will doubtless be most interesting.

A very pleasant event took place in the ware house of Jno. Macdonald & Co. on Monday evening when Mr. W. S. Rough, who is about to be married, was made