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ALD. JOHN HIDES' BAD BREAK.

SAYS THE EQUAL RIGHTERS ARE SHEEP IN WOLVES' WOOL.

And Some St. Thomas Ward Reformers Make Wry Faces Therent—Mr. W. E. Wellington Nominated by the Conservatives of Monk—Among the City Wards—Peter's Pull Continues.

Col. R. B. Hamilton presided at the meeting of St. Thomas' Ward Reformers in McKay's Hall, King and Sherbourne-streets, last night. The principal feature of the evening was an address from John Leys, M.L.A., whose speech was summed up in his last sentence: "It would be base ingratitude to turn Mr. Mowat out, etc." Mr. J. J. Withrow moved a vote of thanks and Ald. Hallam in seconding the resolution delivered himself thus: "As to the Equal Righters; well, they are Tories in disguise; wolves in sheep's clothing." Here the speaker was interruhted by cries of "No! no!" and seeing that he had put his foot in it he remarked that such had been his experience with all those whom he had met. Hugh Millar, J.P., one of the original Equal Rights committee, scowled from his seat in the corner and the alderman subsided.

This little break on the part of Ald. Hallam will probably relieve him of any chance of the party nomination.

Mr. Leys bashfully hung his head and accepted the vote of thanks in a shy, modest manner, but regained his composure in a lengthy reply. He regretted that he would not be able to be their standard-bearer in the coming contest but he would work hard for the election of his successor. "I was sent," he continued, "to support the Mowat Government three years ago and I would have supported them right or wrong; it wouldn't have made any difference." He was glad to say, however, that his conscience had never been stretched a bit. (One of the old Reform war horses, Robert McLean, made a campaign speech, in which he impressed upon his hearers the fact that "it is going to be a big fight," and the meeting adjourned, notwithstanding the strenuous efforts of an intoxicated man to gain a hearing.

A large number of delegates to the convention were elected, but the list is as yet provisional.

VERY ANXIOUS TO MEET MR. ROSS.

Jim Hughes Would Like to Tackle the Wily Minister of Education.

Inspector Hughes is very anxious to meet the Minister of Education out in Peel, and the prospects are that such an arrangement may be brought about. It is understood that Mr. Ross would attend Mr. Hughes' meeting on Tuesday night next, but the minister made a double shuffle and called a meeting at Brampton for Monday night next and invited Mr. Hughes to attend. In reply yesterday Mr. Hughes wrote this letter:

TORONTO, May 1, 1890.

Hon. G. W. Ross, Minister of Education:

SIR,—Two weeks ago I publicly challenged you to meet me in Brampton at one of my meetings, and it has been announced for some time that I would hold a meeting in Brampton on May 6, and that you were specially invited to attend. I now receive notice of a meeting called by yourself for May 5, which I am invited attend. I have already agreed to go to another meeting on May 5, but if I hear from you before 12 o'clock to-morrow (Friday), I can change the arrangements and meet you. I am very anxious to meet you, and in order to do so I propose the following arrangement:

1. I will attend both meetings if you will do the same; and I will give you the same time at my meeting that you allow me at your meeting; you to close your meeting and I to close mine. If you agree to this arrangement and let me know before 12 o'clock to-morrow I will cancel my engagement for Monday night.

2. If you do not reply before the time fixed above, I still extend you a cordial invitation to my meeting on Tuesday evening. I will first reply to your Monday's speech and give you two hours to reply to it, after which I will close the meeting.

Hoping to hear from you and promising a fair battle.

JAMES L. HUGHES.

The minister's answer is anxiously awaited.

Solid for Their President.

These are the delegates to the Reform convention on May 10 from St. George's Ward: J. E. Verral, J. N. Ryan, J. B. Heaslip, Rob Darling, S. F. McKinnon, Daniel Rose, A. J. Robertson, Ald. Maughan, Colin Cockburn, William Thompson, James McGinn, Alexander Keith, Dr. Thorburn, C. H. Nelson, S. Boyd, J. R. Hay, John Scully, Joseph O'Hara, J. C. Smith, George Verral, Charles Rogers, jr., G. W. Verral, George McMurrich, Thomas Palin, F. Lewis, John Stermont, James Doyle, J. J. Doyle, Thomas Scully, C. Flanagan, J. B. Clarke, John Beers, Ruben J. Kennedy, J. J. Lauey, B. McMerney, J. Power, W. Power, W. Clarke. With the exception of the three Verrals and one or two personal friends of Ald. J. E. Verral, the delegation is solid for their president, George McMurrich.

Peter's Pull Continues.

Registrar Lindsey has found that Peter Ryan will not only divide his office with him but he encroachs a step further on the old gentleman's preserves, honors and emoluments. Ever since Mr. Mowat has been in power Mr. Lindsey has been the returning-officer for the city elections for the Assembly. This time, however, the honor and the emoluments go to Mr. Ryan.

"What is the office worth?" asked The World of one who knows yesterday.

"Well, up to last election it was worth as high as $60. At the last general election, however, Mr. Lindsey could only squeeze $60 out of it. But Peter may give it a raise again."

This change of heart on the part of the Premier towards his father has caused Ald. Lindsey to resign the presidency of the St. Mark's Ward Reform Association.

The Radical Catholics.

Said a prominent Catholic yesterday: "I can give you names of a dozen Catholics who intend getting on the stump and declaring that Roman Catholics do desire the ballot, and that they resent more than the attack on their schools this attack of Mr. Mowat on their political manhood." "I am not a political hermaphrodite," exclaimed one of the gentlemen yesterday.

A Catholic, who by name and education will carry great weight, will have something to say before June 5 to his co-religionists on this question.

A Third Party Candidate.

A private meeting of the supporters of Canada's Third Party was held in Shaftesbury Hall last night, Mr. A. C. Steel presiding. There was a good attendance. It was unanimously decided to put an Assembly candidate in the field for Toronto and a meeting to select the standard-bearer will be held at the same place next Monday night.

Not Till After the Convention.

"You need not look for a great deal of life in politics in Toronto until after the conventions," said one of the party managers yesterday.

"When will the Conservative convention be held?"

"In a few days. Probably a day or so after the Reform, which is on the 10th. I don't think it will be before that date."

That Christian Man.

Ald. Fleming had a self-satisfied smile on his face when The World stopped him yesterday to ask if he was in the field for the party nomination. "I am not," he replied, "but the situation is just this. If that great Christian man, Oliver Mowat, who is now at the helm of state, were to come to me and say: 'Fleming, the boys feel that they could rally round you better than anyone else,' well, I would sink private feeling in order to do my part to save to the country a leader of such great, good qualities as the present one."

Some Bets on the Result.

The betting men have already started in and here are a couple of wagers that The World saw booked yesterday:

One hundred to $300 that Mr. Mowat does not form the next Cabinet in the Assembly.

One hundred dollars even that Mr. Mowat's majority (22) will not be increased in the next House.

A few minor bets were also heard of.

The Contest in West York.

The rival candidates are losing no time in placing their political views before the electors. On Wednesday evening they addressed a crowded meeting at Woodbridge. Each spoke an hour and a half, and as personalities were introduced there was a lively time. The other speakers were Dr. McLean, who presided, ex-Ald. Joseph Tait and some local men. The feeling of the gathering was for Clendenan.

YESTERDAY'S CONVENTIONS.

Monck Conservatives Name W. E. Wellington of Toronto.

WELLANDPORT, May 1.—The Conservative convention held in Johnston's Hall to-day was well attended with enthusiastic delegates. Nicholas Sheffley of Wainfleet occupied the chair. Addresses were made by Mayor Raymond of Welland, F. R. Lalor of Dunnville, Mr. Dalton of Pelham, W. Brown of Marshville and the chairman.

It was moved by F. R. Lalor and seconded by W. Brown that W. E. Wellington of the Fonthill Nursery be tendered a nomination to represent the Conservatives of the county of Monck in the next Ontario Assembly. The motion was carried unanimously. Messrs. Brown, Mabio, Ward and Sandy were appointed a deputation to wait on Mr. Wellington at his office in Toronto on Monday next and tender him the nomination. The meeting adjourned till May 7 at 1 o'clock when it is expected Mr. Wellington will be present.

The Equal Righters hold their convention to-morrow. It is believed that they will adopt Mr. Wellington's candidature.

Mr. Wellington Will Consider.

When The World called at Mr. Wellington's house in Gerrard-street east the gentleman had heard of his nomination in Monk against Mr. Harcourt. He had just been reading a telegram from Mr. John Browne of Dunville announcing the fact.

"Will you accept, Mr. Wellington," the reporter at once asked.

"I do not know yet, because my business is brisker in May than any other month of the year and no one can fill my place as well as myself in my business. I do not want the nomination, and wrote some time ago in answer to a request to stand saying that I would rather not take it. Our firm has 500 acres of nurseries in the township of Pelham, county of Monk, so that I am well known up there."

"What are the Conservative prospects in that county, Mr. Wellington?"

"Good. During a late business visit and while conversing with a number of leading Reformers they admitted that the Conservative party's chances were not at all bad."

The Provincial Secretary's Opponent.

HAMILTON, May 1.—It is pretty generally understood that Ald. S. Lyceman will get the Conservative nomination against Col. Gibson, the Provincial Secretary. It is believed that as Hamilton goes Conservative for the House of Commons so it can be made to do for the Assembly. The Conservatives think that it can be made to imitate Toronto in this respect.

West Hastings Conservatives.

BELLEVILLE, May 1.—Mr. G. W. Ostrom was unanimously renominated for the Assembly at a Conservative mass meeting this afternoon.

The Combine's Hour Has Come.

[From The North Ontario Times.]

Of the downfall of Romanism and Mowat as a Government for Ontario there can be no doubt.

Political Projectors.

Halton Reformers meet at Milton Saturday to select a candidate.

His Hour Has Come.

BY EIGHTY MAJORITY.

The Land Purchase Bill Passed After a Speech by Balfour—The Fruits of Philosophy.

LONDON, May 1.—The debate on the Land Purchase Bill was resumed by Secretary Balfour. He approved Parnell's proposal in favor of fining down rents provided that this scheme be distinctly subordinated to the main scheme for establishing peasant owners and that the tenants where rents are fined down be permanent. Dillon's suggestions regarding congested districts largely coincided with the Government's plans. Mr. Balfour said the Irish members had made many speeches throughout Ireland but had they ever urged the inexpediency and unwisdom of early marriages? [Hear! hear! and laughter] Mr. Dillon had thrown the whole blame for the large west coast population upon the landlords. Some responsibility for their having children surely rested upon the parents. [Hear! hear! and laughter].

Tim. Healy (interupting): Send Mrs. Besant there.

The Speaker called Healy to order.

Mr. Balfour said the Parnellites had refrained from touching the evils of the sub-division of land in the west and from urging consolidation or emigration of those who could not earn a living at home. Their view was families ought to remain no matter whether they could earn a living or not. A more pernicious doctrine was never heard. [Cheers.] The Government dealt with the difficulty of congestion in good faith, hoping its plans would stimulate industries and improve agriculture. He did not believe the measure would endanger the British exchequer. Taken as a whole the bill was a great boon to Ireland, such as she never could confer upon herself and never could get except from the party now in power. [Hear, hear.] Mr. Sexton (Nationalist) said the bill was a landlord measure and a betrayal of the country.

The bill passed the second reading, 348 to 268.

A Brace of Prize Fights.

LONG ISLAND CITY, L.I., May 2.—Pete McCoy whipped Johnnie Reagan in a 10-round fight with 2-ounce gloves at the Puritan Club rooms here this morning.

NEW ORLEANS, May 1.—Jack Lawrence of Detroit whipped Louis Guilbean, a young New Orleanist, in 7 rounds for a $600 purse before the Columbia Athletic club to-night. Guilbean was green but proved a surprise, having matters his own way for four rounds.

Gossip from Guelph.

GUELPH, May 1.—Arbor Day was celebrated by the planting of many trees today.

The open season for trout fishing commenced to-day and many disciples of Izaak Walton took advantage of the occasion to put in a day's fishing.

Customs collections for April, 1890, were $7905, an increase of $1537 over the corresponding month last year.

Winners at Washington.

WASHINGTON, May 1.—The 2.27 race today was won by Suisan, Friday second, Richard Wilkes third. Best time 2.25¼.

The 2.37 race was won by Chester A., Susie S. second, Link third. Best time 2.30.

The first heat of the 2.30 pacer's race was won in 2.34 by J. R. S., Sagiva second. Rain postponed the balance.

Mysterious Drowning at Kingston.

KINGSTON, May 1.—The body of John Lee, a carter, aged 60, was found drowned at the foot of Princess-street at 2 o'clock this afternoon. His brother, Robert Lee, was drowned a few years ago. John was seen on the market at 10 o'clock this morning. The affair is very mysterious.

The Dead.

Rev. William Barnes, who preached the funeral sermon of Daniel Webster, is dead at Jacksonville, Ill., aged 74.

SHORTER HOURS, BETTER PAY

MAY DAY PASSES MORE QUIETLY THAN ANTICIPATED.

But There Was a Lively Row in Paris—Twenty Men Wounded and Five Hundred Arrested—Demonstrations of Workingmen in Europe and America—Strike Notes.

PARIS, May 1.—A deputation of workingmen went to the Chamber of Deputies this afternoon and presented a petition asking that the chamber make 8 hours a legal day's work. Large crowds gathered in the thoroughfares in the vicinity of the chamber completely blocking them. The cavalry cleared the way for the deputation to proceed.

A row occurred at 7½ o'clok on the Place de la Concorde. A body of workmen wished to pass down the rue de la Cinque toward the Elysee palace. The police barred the way and the paraders tried to force a passage. A squadron of guards charged upon the crowd wounding a large number of men. Many arrests were made on the charge of refusing to move on.

The municipal guards left the Hotel de Ville at 7 o'clock. Upon their departure the rowd began to sing the Marseillaise and were dispersed by the police after a brief scuffle. Another skirmish between the police and sightseers occurred in the Place de la Republique at 10 o'clock to-night. During the fracas a man fired at the police, but nobody was hurt.

PARIS, May 2.—At a late hour the boulevards were thronged with excited people. In the Place Chateau d'Eau the cavalry charged upon the crowd and several more arrests were made. The total number of arrests during the day approaches 500.

It is stated that in the skirmish in the Place de la Concorde 30 persons were injured but they concealed the fact in order to escape arrest.

An Austrian Riot Quelled.

VIENNA, May 1.—The Prater has been occupied all day by troops but the crowds that fill the streets have been orderly and there has been no necessity for official interference. Reports from Ostrau, Trappau and Bruenn say work has been proceeding as usual and no disturbances have occurred. At Prossnitz a number of workmen had been put in prison and when their fellow-workmen gathered on the streets this morning a plot was hat hed for their liberation. The result was that a mob of 4000 men made a desperate attack upon the prison. The authorities, however, had provided a strong guard for the prison and the rioters were repulsed and routed. At Trieste, Pola, and Cracow there was only a slight cessation of work and everything is quiet.

A Mild Holiday at Lisbon.

LISBON, May 1.—The day was observed with quietness by the workmen here. A group of workmen who were taking a holiday proceeded to the cemetery in which the remains of the Socialist Fontana are interred and placed a wreath upon his tomb. A manifesto has been issued by the workingmen declaring in favor of 8 hours as a legal day's work and it has received a large number of signatures.

Political Speculators Condemned.

OPORTO, May 1.—A manifesto was issued by the workingmen to-day in which they condemn political speculators for trying to control the labor movement in their own interest. The manifesto further says the men after holding their demonstration to-day will resume their work and will ask the king to see that legislation is adopted by the Cortes for the regulation of labor.

No Disturbance in Holland.

THE HAGUE, May 1.—No disturbance is reported in any part of Holland. Two orderly meetings of workingmen were held at Amsterdam. They were addressed by Socialists who advocated the 8-hour movement.

The Ottawa Strike.

OTTAWA, May 1.—About 400 bricklayers and masons are out here and all building operations are at a standstill. They demand the 9-hour day. The carpenters' organisation is not strong and they are not in a position to make a strong demand.

The Fight for Shorter Hours.

HAVERHILL, Mass., May 1.—The master carpenters here have all granted 9 hours at the old pay.

MINNEAPOLIS, May 1.—The 8-hour day agitation is not likely to cause much trouble here. The workingmen are well organised and several trades have already secured the 8-hour day without serious opposition.

POUGHKEEPSIE, May 1.—About 60 carpenters have struck here for 28 cents an hour and 9 hours a day's work.

PHILADELPHIA, May 1.—Six master carpenters, employing 200 hands, after holding out until noon conceded the demands of their men.

NEW LONDON, Conn., May 1.—Two hundred and fifty granite cutters struck to-day for 9 hours and no reduction in wages.

LYNN, Mass., May 1.—Owing to concessions made in the building and other trades there was no interruption of business here to-day.

TAUNTON, May 1.—All the boss masons here have agreed to grant 9 hours and 10 hours' pay.

BROCKTON, Mass., May 1.—A 9-hour and more pay movement was inaugurated here to-day by the masons and assistants and all contractors but three yielded.

CHICAGO, May 1.—About 35,000 men took part in the parade this afternoon.

DETROIT, May 1.—Two thousand carpenters are out on strike in this city. The strike is expected to be short as the principal contractors are conceding the men's demands.

Labor Laconisms.

The day passed without disturbance at Vienna. Over 60 workmen's meetings were held, at all of which resolutions were adopted in favor of an 8-hour day.

A tranquil state of affairs is reported in Silesia, Upper Austria, Styria, Carniola, Bukovina, Moravia, Galicia and Bohemia.

A few insignificant rows are reported at Milan and Naples. At Naples a police inspector was wounded.

A few workmen were arrested at Rome for trying to cross the Tiber against the orders of the military.

About 2500 Berlin workingmen paraded in an orderly manner.

The New York City end of the world-wide Labor demonstration was not a great success. In the procession that preceded the meeting there were about 5000 paraders.

Thirty thousand workmen paraded in Barcilona.

There are extensive strikes in Sanagossa, but no disorder has occurred.

Thirty thousand workmen at Pesth adopted resolutions in favor of a work day of 8 hours.

The workmen in Bologna, Pisa, Palermo, Lugo and other Italian towns, attempted to hold demonstrations, but were dispersed by the police.

A great Socialist meeting was held in a suburb of Copenhagen. There were 20,000 men present. Resolutions were adopted in favor of an 8-hour work-day.

Albert College Asks Aid.

BELLEVILLE, May 1.—Albert College has issued an appeal for aid to pay off its $30,000 debt.

Personal Mention.

Dr. Nattrass of Carlton-street has returned from his trip to New York and Washington.

Hon. Oliver Mowat left yesterday to visit his sister at Ottawa. He will be absent about a week.

Denman Thompson has purchased a home at West Swanzey, N.H. It will be a new homestead for the hero of "The Old Homestead."

CLEMO ACQUITTED.

The Jury Find Him Not Guilty of the Murder of David Lawrie.

CAYUGA, May 1.—"Not guilty." Such was the verdict that at 9 o'clock to-night freed Joseph Clemo from custody on the charge of murdering old David Lawrie at Dunnville in November, 1888. The jury were by no means unanimous when they first retired, but after a long consultation in view of the spotted character of some of the material witnesses against the prisoner it was decided to render a verdict of acquittal.

Detective Murray's work on the case meets with general commendation. The prisoner's able defence by C. G. Snyder, Q.C., no doubt had a good deal to do with the result.

History of the Crime.

In November, 1888, the dead body of a man, subsequently recognised as a Toronto harness-maker named David Lawrie, was found floating in a feeder of the Welland Canal at Dunnville. He had $800 in his possession when he disappeared and the pockets had been rifled and the money abstracted. An autopsy proved that he had been murdered before being thrown in the water. Joseph Clemo, a worthless character who had "done time," was ascertained to have made a number of admissions as to the crime and it was learned, that although penniless prior to the murder, he was immediately thereafter quite flush with funds. His arrest at Essex Centre followed the succeeding April. The evidence against Clemo was exclusively confined to the admissions he had made, the circumstances of the sudden possession of money, and several of the principal witnesses were worthless characters.

The Convict Witnesses Going Home.

Deputy-Warden Sullivan of Kingston Penitentiary passed through the city last night with three convicts who had been taken to Cayuga to give evidence against Joseph Clemo. Two of the convicts, who were handcuffed and shackled together, are 10-year men who held up a farmer at Canfield Junction. One of them escaped from the penitentiary some five other convicts a few months ago but was recaptured. In jumping from the wall he injured his hip and is permanently lamed as a result. The convicts were objects of considerable curiosity at the depot.

NEWFOUNDLAND'S GRIEVANCE.

The Halifax Board of Trade Passes Strong Resolutions of Sympathy and Support.

HALIFAX, May 1.—The Halifax Board of Trade having heard the delegates from Newfoundland on the French shore question adopted these resolutions:

"Resolved, that the Board of Trade of Halifax, having heard the delegation from Newfoundland on the question of French rights and claims on the coast of Newfoundland, desire to express their warmest sympathy with the people of Newfoundland in the efforts they are now making to assert their constitutional rights.

"Resolved, that the Board of Trade desire to express their concurrence with the resolutions passed at a mass meeting of the citizens of St. John's, Nfld., held on March 26 last, and feel convinced that it is the duty of the Imperial authorities to relieve the colony of Newfoundland from a condition of affairs which has become so anomalous and intolerable.

"Resolved, that in view of the important trade relations existing between Nova Scotia and Newfoundland, which are seriously prejudiced by the manner in which French rights and claims are enforced on certain parts of the coast of Newfoundland, particularly in relation to the lobster canning industry, this Board of Trade hope that the Dominion Government will carefully consider the matter and take such action as will be most calculated to conserve the interests of the trade of this province."

FOR A DOUBLE MURDER.

A Wealthy Michigan Lumberman Sentenced to State's Prison for Life—The Story of the Crime.

BENZONIA, Mich., May 1.—Arguments in the Wright murder trial were finished yesterday afternoon and the jury retired at 3 o'clock. At 5½ they returned a verdict declaring Charles J. Wright guilty of murder in the first degree. Wright did not move a muscle but his face flushed and then became deadly pale. This morning he was sentenced to state's prison for life.

Charles T. Wright, the murderer, was president of the Otter Creek Lumber Company and worth nearly $60,000. The crime was brought about by an attempt of the county authorities to levy on a lot of logs in payment of back taxes. Wright tried to replevin the logs so as to keep the mill running, but his bonds were not accepted. Wright threatened to take the logs anyway and officers were sent to see that he did not. Under Sheriff Neal Marshall and Dr. Frank E. Thurber went to the mill site and arrived while Wright's men were in the act of rolling the logs into the river. Wright, who was armed with a repeating rifle and revolver, met the men and after a few moments of heated argument, raised the gun and deliberately shot Marshall through the heart. Dr. Thurber seeing that his life was in danger spring upon Wright, who drew a revolver and blew the doctor's brains out. The murderer then fled to the woods, where he was captured the same night. The double murder was one of the most atrocious in the history of the state.

At the Gardens.

Mr. A. J. M. Watkins, head gardener at the Horticultural Gardens, has a large gang of men at work placing affairs in order for the season. Extensive improvements will be made this year. A score of men are busy resodding the diagonal paths and repairing the damage occasioned last fall when the fences were torn. Work will be commenced in a few days on the new $5000 conservatory which is to be erected in the southwest corner of the gardens. It is proposed to throw this open to the public certain days in the week during the cold weather, to convert it into winter gardens in fact. It is also the intention to extend the pavement considerably this year.

The City Mission Directors.

The directors of the Toronto City Mission held their monthly meeting in the Y.M.C.A. building yesterday afternoon, President Dr. W. B. Geikie presiding. The treasurer reported a balance on hand of $355. The missionaries have distributed 1300 tracts during the month and have relieved several poor families, besides the regular visits. Arrangements are being made for the carrying on of open air meetings during the summer. As the present income is only $800 it was decided to make a special appeal to the public for $1500.

Ogden and Harvie.

Editor World: I notice that you take an interest in the campaign. The names mentioned — McMurrich, Young Mowat, Tait—are good enough men, but if Doctor W. W. Ogden or ex-Ald. Harvie have any desire for the honor of nomination, both of those gentlemen are surely more entitled to it than them, as they have both carried the standard of the party and borne the brunt of the battle in times gone by. I merely throw out this hint to you as the feelings of many in the WEST END.

Dividing the World.

The world, which was of old divided into saints and sinners, is now separated into those who wear quinn's perfectly fitting shirts and those who don't; only it is to be noted that the saints never looked upon the sinners with half the pity with which the aforesaid wearers look upon those who yet remain insensible to the measureless comforts derived from these garments.

A QUESTION OF RIGHT AND WRONG.

The greatest question before the people of Canada within the time of the present generation was that of the tariff or the N. P. But even that was principally a question of values, measured by dollars and cents. The issue substantially was whether one fiscal policy or its opposite would make the people richer or poorer. The appeal was to the pocket and not to the moral sense.

The issue now before the people of Ontario is on a higher plane. It is a question of morals; a question to which there is a right side and a wrong side, and in which there is no middle course. It is not a question of the pocket. In this issue, then, every voter must be on the right side or the wrong side. He must make a choice, as did Hercules between Virtue and Vice.

Can anyone doubt that Mr. Meredith is on the right side and that Mr. Mowat is on the wrong? Take the items:

1. The secrecy of the ballot.
2. The right of Catholic electors to the ballot.
3. The thumb-screw and partisan administration of the license law.
4. The separate schools and the French language in the public schools.

No reasonable man can fail to see at a glance that on these and on a score of questions Mr. Meredith is pledged to securing rights that are denied by Mr. Mowat, because *he has sold himself to the hierarchy.* Mr. Mowat has deliberately done wrong for a consideration—power.

Get it clearly in your head as to right conduct and wrong conduct on these questions and you must vote with your conscience.

In a word, against what has Dr. Caven and thousands of other good men been protesting if it is not the wrong conduct of Mr. Mowat? Think this over with your conscience.

And it is these thousands of good, moderate-minded men, who say little but think much, who will go quietly to the polls on June 5 and vote for Mr. Meredith.

THIS COMES FROM BOSTON.

The Canadian Pacific to Issue $20,000,000 of New Four Per Cents.

BOSTON, May 1.—A despatch to Messrs. Lee, Higginson & Co. says the Canadian Pacific Company proposes to issue $20,000,000 four per cent. bonds on the Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic and the Marquette, Houghton & Ontonagon roads and to guarantee the bonds. They will retire all the U. P. R. & O. bonds and stock, leaving only the Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic fives ahead of the fours. They will use the additional money in betterments and acquire new mileage in the way of spurs. The $1,500,000 U. P. R. & O. sixes of 1923 may be called at 105 and the $576,200 sixes of 1908 may be paid at par from the proceeds of land sales.

Importers Oppose McKinley's Bill.

NEW YORK, May 1.—Four hundred importers of New York, representing almost every important firm and line of trade, irrespective of party associations, attended a meeting at the Metropolitan Hotel yesterday afternoon to take organised action against the passage of the McKinley Tariff Bill. This memorial to Congress was signed by all present:

"The undersigned merchants and importers do hereby protest in the strongest terms against the enactment of the McKinley Tariff Bill or of any other tariff administrative or otherwise, by which the duty on any single article of merchandise is advanced beyond present rates."

Kemmler's New Songs.

AUBURN, May 1.—There is a new song today in Kemmler's steel cage, and "Little Sallie Waters" and "Where Did You Get That Hat" have taken the place of the sombre and pious hymn tunes which had been his erstwhile favorites.

He has thrown aside his bible and dances wildly around the steel cage and the rope beside it, and for a time at least religion takes a back seat with him.

The Peach Crop all Right.

GRIMSBY, May 1.—If the weather continues as favorable for peaches as it has up to date, Grimsby stock will go up in the market. There is at present prospects for the greatest crop of the decade, and there were many who regarded the cold wave of last week with anxiety, but we think it passed over without doing any serious damage.

World's Fair Officers.

CHICAGO, May 1.—The directors of the world's fair last night elected Lyman J. Gage president and Thomas Bryan and Potter Palmer first and second vice-presidents. Mr. Gage is vice-president of the First National Bank. Mr. Bryan is a lawyer and capitalist, Mr. Palmer, the millionaire owner of the Palmer House.

Grand Trunk Earnings.

MONTREAL, May 1.—The traffic returns of the Grand Trunk Railway for the week ending April 26 were:

	1890.	1889.
Passenger train earnings	$124,854	$124,713
Freight "	264,653	220,122
Total	$389,507	$344,835
Increase		$44,672

Five London Liquor Sellers Cut Off.

LONDON, Ont., May 1.—The License Commissioners of the city of London met yesterday and granted licenses to sell liquor for the ensuing year. A great deal of pressure was brought to bear to have the board largely curtail the number of licenses this year and they cut off four taverns and one shop. No new licenses were granted.

A Gloucester (Mass.) Bank Suspends.

GLOUCESTER, N.J., May 1.—The Gloucester City National Bank suspended to-day. The bank was closely connected with the Bank of America of Philadelphia, which suspended yesterday. The bank did not do a very exclusive business. The president of the institution declined to make any statement as to amount of liabilities.

Toronto Chinamen in a Hostile Country.

LOCKPORT, May 1.—The Chinamen arrested for smuggling themselves over at Lasalle have turned out to be Ching Chew and My Ching. They have been brought back here and are now in jail. They left Toronto Monday for St. Catharines via Hamilton, drove to Chippewa, Ont., where they crossed the river.

The Champlain Canal Opened.

TROY, N.Y., May 1.—The Champlain Canal opened at Whitehall at 1 o'clock this morning. About 35 loaded boats cleared at once, 30 of them being loaded with ice. Their cargoes approximate 4450 tons. Six more iceboats cleared during the day.

Postingal's Punishment.

OTTAWA, May 1.—At the assizes to-day Dominique Postingal, convicted of placing with intent to do grievous bodily harm an explosive on the premises occupied by his wife, was sentenced to three years in the penitentiary.

Colorado.

The Denver "Limited" of the Chicago, Union Pacific & Northwestern Line is a vestibuled train of coaches, free reclining chair cars, Pullman and Wagner sleepers and dining cars, leaving Chicago at 5.55 p.m. daily and running through solid to Denver in 38½ hours. The Pacific "Limited" giving similar service leaves Chicago daily at 11 p.m. and makes the run in 38½ hours. Full information from J. H. Morley, Canadian Passenger Agent, 37 Yonge-street, Toronto. 135

Adams' Tutti Frutti Gum cures dyspepsia and purifies the breath.

25 Leader Lane.

Ed Beston, the high grade watch specialist, has removed to 25 Leader-lane

THE ARCHITECTS ALL KICK.

THE WAITE-FRASER DEAL WAS A SHAMEFUL JOB.

It Will Draw Off Many Votes from Mr. Mowat and His Party—Another Reason Why the Objectionable Government Should Go—What Another Batch of World Interviews Developed.

"The World hit the nail squarely on the head," was the remark universally made by architects yesterday concerning the article published respecting the Waite-Fraser manipulation of the Parliament buildings plans. Many and pronounced are the comments against the Government for its unjustifiable insult to the architects of Canada. The consensus of opinion is that it is high time the curtain should fall, and fall forever, on a Government capable of such conduct. Mr. Fraser is condemned by Grit and Tory alike for his indecent haste in rushing to do the bidding of plausible Mr. Waite. The instinct of the architects has also divined the true cause of the failure of the Government to produce the written official report alleged to have been sent in by Mr. Waite prior to the session of 1886. Their object in withholding it was that it would prove that no satisfactory reason existed for throwing out the plans of the prize winners. It was the cowardice of guilt!

It is not a question of politics with the architects at all. They look upon the affair purely from a question of equity and fair and honorable dealing and will vote in a solid phalanx against the Government for its action in attempting to impair and injure the reputation of professional men without giving reasons therefor. Neither can it be urged that professional jealousy is responsible for the outcry.

Here are a few samples of the way the deal is viewed:

It Was a Shameful Job.

George W. Gouinlock: "The manner in which Messrs. Darling & Curry were euchred out of their just dues was a shameful piece of jobbery. There are architects in Toronto quite as capable as Mr. Waite or anybody else. The shabby conduct of the Government is sufficient to induce me to change my vote."

M. R. Aylsworth: "I feel so strong on the question that I shall adopt the first chance of changing my politics and voting against Mr. Mowat and Mr. Fraser, and there is a unanimity of opinion among the architects in this same direction."

Messrs. Dick & Wickson: "The affair is scandalous beyond utterance," said Mr. Dick. "Waite was allowed to retain possession of the plans and then scooped in the job. The architects have felt sore ever since, but of course it was a thing they could not take up. I am glad The World has done so." "Although I have prided myself upon being a Reformer," put in Mr. Wickson, "I will have to oppose the Mowat Government on June 5. I cannot stomach such an iniquitous and swindling piece of business as this, and the entire profession to a man will similarly show their disapprobation. The original plans were of beautiful design and provided for a building costing less than one-third of the amount which will have been vastly different from the $2,000,000 or $3,000,000 barn-like structure now going up."

Coulter & Fraser: "The Government ought to go. Their conduct was simply atrocious. The selection now going up is far inferior to the original plans."

Langley & Burke: "It was a disreputable piece of jobbery. I have cast my last Reform vote. The whole architectonic fraternity of Canada was insulted. There is a colored man on the fence somewhere and I believe the nigger's name is Fraser. Notwithstanding the commissioner's promise that he would keep the cost of the building within $750,000, it will cost between two and three millions." Mr. Langley also felt and spoke strongly on the question. "The building now going up," he said, "is not 50 per cent. as attractive, architecturally speaking, as that designed by Messrs. Darling & Curry."

The Government Should Go.

Gibson & Simpson, Adelaide-street: "It does not require an architect to see through the shamefaced job. The Government should be ousted."

D. B. Dick: "The general opinion of censure is well understood."

S. H. Townsend, King-street: "It is a most rascally piece of business and a disgrace to the whole country. Not only Waite but Mr. Fraser and his colleagues are open to the suspicion of jobbery."

And so the story could be continued ad libitum. Not one of those spoken to, whatever his political leanings heretofore have been, but denounced the treatment of the Canadian architects and pronounced the action of the Government, in attempting to make Darling & Curry scapegoats for their own mistakes, as cowardly and dishonest. As for Waite he seems to share the odium to a certain extent, but the Government are regarded as the principal sinners. Waite may have slurred over the good points of the other plans, belittled their merits and magnified and exaggerated any faults which existed, but if he could professionally reconcile the acceptance of the job with the fact that he had been acting in the capacity of professional adviser to the Government, his fellow-scientists have no comments to make.

Turn the Tricksters Out.

[From The Guelph Herald.]

In its news columns to-day the Toronto World makes a complete exposure of Mr. Mowat's tactics in connection with the new Parliament buildings at Toronto. The leading architects of the city were shamefully ignored by the Grit Premier. There is no doubt the electors will tell Mr. Mowat by their votes at the approaching election that they will not countenance such trickery as was practised in this instance.

To Users of Power—Comparison of Single and Double Belts.

[From a Treatise on Belting, by John H. Cooper.]

"Thirty-four-inch pulley on a line shaft running 200 r.p.m. drives a 45-inch pulley on a grindstone shaft. The grindstone is 72 inches diameter, its shaft nearly on same level as line shaft, and 7 feet 4 inches away. About midway between the pulleys a ten-inch diameter tightener weighing 90 lbs. rests upon the top fold of belt, bearing it down 14 inches from straight line of pulley faces. This tightener is carried by a horizontal swinging frame, having radius arm 4 feet 6 inches long. A 7-inch single leather belt, of best make, was completely worn out in four months, another lasted 7 months, while 7-inch double oak-tanned leather belt lasts about 4 years." George F. Haworth & Co., manufacturers of pure oak-tanned leather belting, 11 Jordan-street, Toronto. 135

Watch out for to-morrow night. Any suit in our store from 7 to 10 p.m. goes for $6.90. The Model Clothing Store, 219 and 221 Yonge-street.

Umbrellas.

W. & D. Dineen have just received a case of very superior silk and alpaca umbrellas direct from the great firm of Welch, Margueson & Co., London, England. Those wanting a really stylish and durable umbrella should not miss seeing this lot. The Messrs. Dineen claim to sell them on a very small profit. Several are mounted in sterling silver and gold, others in buckhorn and ivory. Dineen's store is on corner King and Yonge-streets.

Biggest Bargain Sale ever started in Toronto. Any suit in our store Friday night from 7 to 10 for $6.90. The Model Clothing Store.

Reduction in Cabin Rates to Europe.

The Allan line have reduced their cabin rates by all their steamships except the Parisian and the Sardinian on their trips May 7 and June 11, after which the reduced cabin rates will also apply to the Sardinian. The intermediate rate by all steamships of the line will be $31.65 Toronto to Liverpool, Derry or Glasgow, with first-class rail tickets to Montreal. The steerage rate from Toronto will be $26.65. See advt.

THE DEAL IS COMPLETED.

An English Syndicate Has Purchased the Bell Organ Works.

The negotiations which The World reported some time ago as going on between an English syndicate and W. Bell & Co.'s organ and piano manufactory, Guelph, have been completed. Mr. J. W. Scott, the local manager, pleaded ignorance when approached by a World reporter yesterday, but it is understood that the price was $750,000 and that the