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EUROPEAN GOSSIP.

A Servian Bluebeard Suspected of Putting Out of the Way His Four Wives.

Discontent in France Over the Embargo on American Pork which Has Raised Prices.

Ilawarden Grounds Thronged with Visitors Anxious to Obtain a Glimpse of the Ex-Premier.

A SERVIAN BLUEBEARD.

LONDON, May 29.—A man, whom his neighbors call Bluebeard, has been discovered and imprisoned in the vicinity of Belgrade. His name is Buja. For the last twenty years he has been a considerable land owner and proprietor of the largest tavern in the suburbs of the Servian capital. Buja was living with his first wife when he made his first appearance at Belgrade in 1869. Two years after she vanished. Buja advertised for her, paid detectives to find her, and apparently mourned for her deeply. After all his efforts proved vain. Two years elapsed and he married again. The second Mrs. Buja lasted until the middle of 1874. Then she, too, dropped out of sight. Buja did as he had done when the first Mrs. Buja vanished, and was just as unsuccessful as before. With 1875 came another Mrs. Buja, who could not be found after July, 1876. In the spring of 1877 the fourth Mrs. Buja shared Mr. Buja's bed and board. She was young and pretty, and was as devoted to her husband as he seemed to be to her. After a ball one evening in 1878 she started for home alone in a cab. She was never seen alive afterward. Her husband ransacked the country for her, mourned with unusual vehemence and swore that he would never marry again. He remained single until 1884, when he took his fifth wife and has lived with her ever since. He has had three children by her. He had bad luck in land speculation eighteen months ago, and was obliged to sell the greater part of his farm. Six weeks ago the purchaser broke ground for a cellar. Two feet below the surface he came upon a sealed beer barrel. In it he found the skeleton of a woman attired in a ball dress. The wrists were tied and the legs were twisted against her body. Some jewelry that had dropped from the woman's neck and arms gave a clew to the fact that the skeleton was that of Buja's fourth wife. Buja was arrested and confessed that he had throttled her, packed her in a cask, and buried her on the night of her return from the ball. His only reason for the murder was that he was weary of her. Buja refused to say whether or not he killed his other three wives. The police are having Buja's farm carefully examined with pick, shovel and plow in the hope of finding the skeletons of the rest of the women Buja is suspected of having put out of the way.

EMBARGO ON AMERICAN PORK.

Much discontent exists in France in regard to the virtual embargo on American pork, which has raised the price of meat considerably throughout the country. The American product is discriminated against by vexatious and unnecessary inspection, on the pretence that disease may be lurking in the meat. The working classes in the cities are indignant over the discrimination, which they regard as intended for the benefit of the peasant farmers of France at the expense of the consumers in industrial centres. D la Haye, who was the French representative in the Berlin conference for the benefit of workingmen, expresses himself very plainly against the policy of excluding foreign meat, and he declares that it is one of the grievances that is likely to strengthen the Socialists, by promoting agitation. However, in this respect France is not alone, and Germany is preparing to increase instead of lessening the number of laws which are supposed to protect the public health, but really protect the farmers and cattle raisers.

A POOR SHOWING.

America makes a very poor showing in the Edinburgh International exhibition, a fact which is commented on in Scotland as showing the lack of appreciation for that energetic little country.

THE CHELSEA MILITARY EXHIBITION.

The military exhibition at Chelsea is attracting large numbers of foreign visitors. The absence of battle scenes from the picture gallery excites comment; but the English have never been great on battle scenes, few of England's great battles being represented on canvas by well-known artists.

MR. GLADSTONE'S POPULARITY.

All day yesterday and to-day the grounds of Hawarden Castle were thronged with visitors. Most of these people came from places within a radius of 15 or 20 miles of the residence of the Liberal leader, but a large number travelled a greater distance for the purpose of inspecting the place and, in the hope of getting a glimpse of the man who, though bitterly opposed in politics by a large body of his countrymen, is still England's pride, as he is Ireland's hope.

A NEW USE FOR BICYCLES.

It is stated that as a result of long deliberation and careful experiment, Postmaster-General Raikes has decided to introduce the bicycle as a means of locomotion for postal messengers in the delivery of telegrams, it having been demonstrated that fully one-half of the time now occupied in that work can be saved by the use of the wheel. In anticipation of the innovation many of the messengers have become expert wheelmen, and it is not impossible that the man who is destined to defeat the now invincible Howell, who won the bicycle championship of the world at Leicester yesterday, will receive his training in this service.

MRS. NUGENT CONVICTED.

Mrs. Nugent, the cabin passenger of the steamship City of New York, who was arrested at Queenstown yesterday for having a revolver in her possession upon landing, was arraigned before the magistrate at that place to-day. She reiterated her statement of yesterday, that the weapon was the property of a fellow passenger named Devine, who had requested her to carry it ashore for him, and Devine, who was in court, admitted the ownership of the pistol. Possession of the pistol, however, was a clear violation of the law, and the magistrate fined her £4, which sum Devine paid.

STANLEY'S PHYSICIAN HONORED.

The Sultan of Zanzibar has conferred upon Surgeon Parke, Stanley's physician, the Order of the Star of Zanzibar.

REFUSED TO PAY INCOME TAX.

A few days ago a prominent lace manufacturer of Nottingham, named Cape, refused to submit to the imposition of the income tax assessed against him, whereupon the authorities seized a quantity of lace in his establishment, and sold it at auction. The refusal of Cape to pay the tax was for the purpose of raising a test case, and the local merchants have combined in publicly thanking him for his course, and promising to back him in any measure he may see fit to take to the end of demonstrating popular execration of the law imposing the tax.

THE FORTRESS OF MAYENCE.

Capt. Peterson, of the Swedish army, has arrived at Mayence, Germany, for the purpose of sketching the fortress at that place.

STANLEY BANQUETED.

LONDON, May 30.—The banquet given in honor of Henry M. Stanley at the American Legation, this evening, was one of the most notable of the many complimentary entertainments of which the explorer has been made the recipient since his return to England. Nearly 400 guests were present, including the entire American legation and consulate. Among the more prominent of the guests were Mr. James Whistler, Max O'Rell, Paul Du Chaillee, and five members of the New York and London banking family of Seligman. The remainder of those present comprised the leading American residents and sojourners in London. The special guest of the occasion was more prompt in arriving than has been his custom at previous gatherings in his honor, and appeared less reticent and exclusive than usual. In his speech in reply to the toast of the guest of the evening, Stanley disappointed many by making no mention whatever of the question of his citizenship, since everybody has evinced curiosity to know whether he will feel himself at liberty to accept any title or other mark of distinction which it may please the Queen to bestow upon him. Stanley is now an American citizen, though he has been a subject of the Queen, and no one is as yet informed as to whether he is at liberty to avail himself of Her Majesty's gracious intention toward him, or indeed whether or not he still regards himself as an American. Stanley's remarks as well as his manner were not particularly impressive until he proceeded to refer to the recent reply of Lord Salisbury to his accusations that the government was throwing away her chances in Africa through apathy, while Germany was improving hers. In refuting the allusions of the premier to himself, Stanley became enthusiastic in manner and forcible in speech. As a souvenir of the occasion each guest was presented with an album containing photographs and autographs of the explorer and the staff which accompanied him on his journey across the dark continent.

THE INTERNATIONAL TENNIS CONTEST.

At the conclusion of the international tennis contest at Dublin, to-day, Pelitit was publicly declared the champion tennis player of the world and awarded the stake money, $5,000, amid tremendous cheering. The American champion was also publicly congratulated by his English competitor, Saunders.

THE NORTH DONEGAL SEAT.

The selection by Parnell of Sir John Pope Hennessy, formerly governor of the Mauritius, to contest the parliamentary seat for North Donegal, made vacant by the resignation of James E. Doherty, is regarded as an ill-advised nomination by the nationalists generally. Sir John is a man of unquestioned ability and integrity, and an earnest advocate of home rule; but he is not and has never been in accord with the bulk of the Nationalist party, owing to his out-and-out condemnation of certain methods with which he was not in sympathy. Of course, there is no doubt of his election should he consent to stand, but Parnell's insistence upon his candidacy in the face of strong opposition within the party cannot be characterized as other than productive of friction difficult to relieve.

CAPITAL NOTES.

The Kimber Mystery to be Investigated and the Facts Submitted to England.

Principal Grant Elected President of the Royal Society—Imports and Exports.

(From our own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, May 29.—The department of justice does not accept the verdict of the coroner's jury in the Kimber case as conclusive. The department has ordered detectives to prosecute and investigate, and communicate the facts to the Governor-General for transmission to the colonial office, as Kimber's friends are very anxious.

Rev. Principal Grant has been elected president of the Royal Society.

Provincial nominations took place to-day. Two constituencies elected Wood, for Hastings, Conservative; Evanturel, for Prescott, Grit.

The imports for the past ten months show an increase of $4,300,000, the exports have increased $7,500,000. The duty has increased $400,000.

(From Our Own Correspondent).

OTTAWA, Ont., May 30.—The Canada Pacific officials have interviewed the premier relative to securing freight arrangements for the Pacific traffic passage over the Intercolonial to St. John and Halifax.

The war office has renewed its offer of six commissions in the regulars to the officers of the Canadian militia.

Official notification of the ratification treaty has reached the government, and a copy of the treaty has been sent the attorney-generals of all the provinces.

Mr. Wilmot, superintendent of fish culture, goes to Newfoundland next week to investigate the lobster hatcheries system.

RUSH FOR GRAY'S HARBOR.

Hunt's Line Being Rapidly Pushed From Centralia North.

CENTRALIA, May 28.—The second division of G. W. Hunt's grading outfit, consisting of 100 horses and four car loads of scrapers and wagons, arrived this afternoon. This gives Hunt 200 horses and a large grading outfit with which to push his work. Seven more carloads left Eureka this morning for Centralia.

Hunt himself is expected here daily, when every effort will be made by him to reach Gray's Harbor ahead of the Northern Pacific.

The Northern Pacific also has a large force at work pushing for the south side of Gray's Harbor. Colonel Griggs said yesterday that he expected to complete his work and have a completed line to Gray's Harbor in four months.

WESTMINSTER POLITICS.

The Langley Convention Fails in Its Object to Nominate Independent Candidates.

(From Our Own Corresponent.)

NEW WESTMINSTER, May 29.—Apart from political matters, which absorbs all the public interest, there is little news. Hon. Jno. Robson is in town waiting for the nominations to-morrow, after which it is understood he will begin his canvass through the district.

Mr. Thos. Cunningham is in the field as a supporter of the present government on all but the redistribution bill; but of course he could not support that here and expect success.

Reeve Kitchen, of Chilliwhack, is out as an independent candidate.

The convention at Langley yesterday to nominate three independent candidates for the district failed in its object, and the meeting was postponed for a week, while choice will be made from the candidates nominated.

THROUGH A DRAWBRIDGE.

A California Train Plunges Into a Creek With Fearful Results—Many Lives Lost.

OAKLAND, Cal., May 30.—A local train of three cars ran off the drawbridge into the creek at 1:30 p. m. It is not yet known if anyone has been killed or drowned.

LATER—The engine, tender and two cars went through the draw. Engineer Dunn and Fireman O'Brien were drowned. Three bodies have been recovered so far.

Another dispatch says: Several more bodies have been recovered, and the list of the dead will probably be swelled to twenty-five.

VIRGINIA EN FETE.

Unveiling of the Lee Monument Erected by the Ladies of the South.

The Familiar Air of "Dixie's Land" Brings Tears to the Eyes of Thousands.

The Tattered and Smoke-Begrimmed War Flags Play a Prominent Part in the Ceremony.

RICHMOND, Va., May 29.—With blare of trumpets, beating of drums and booming of cannons, the monument to General Robert E. Lee, erected by the ladies of the South, was unveiled to-day in the presence of a great multitude of people. The streets of the city had been decorated very elaborately and tastefully for the occasion. From all the business buildings were hung streamers, in which the colors of the confederacy blended with the national colors. It was nearly half-past 12 o'clock when word was received by General Lee that the parade was ready to move. Turning to his marshalls, he gave the command to move, and the head of the procession moved down Broad street. Of no more interest to the throng that filled the streets and looked down upon the procession from the windows and house-tops were the tattered and smoke-begrimmed war flags carried by the veterans. Waving handkerchiefs and ringing cheers from thousands of throats greeted them as they passed. As the leading carriage passed down Broad street it was greeted with wild demonstrations by the enormous crowd. Fair hands flung roses from the windows, banners were waved from the fronts of buildings and tossed high into the air, and as the band struck up the familiar air of "Dixie," gray heads bowed low, and soft tears coursed down furrowed cheeks.

During the passage of the procession column through the principal streets of the city there was a continuous ovation. Its progress was much impeded by the crowd that filled the streets, and it was nearly two o'clock when the monument was reached. An enormous crowd was in waiting there. Col. Archer Anderson was the orator of the day. He delivered an eloquent tribute to the famous general, and at the conclusion of his address a wave of applause swept over the crowd until hands were tired and throats were hoarse. When in response silence had been secured, General Joseph E. Johnston arose from his seat behind the orator's stand, and leaving the platform he walked towards the monument. On it he stride walked a veteran ex-confederate from the Soldier's Home, Joseph Marion White and J. J. O'Neill. Reaching the foot of the monument he took in his hand the end of the long rope which held the great white veil about the statute. A gentle pressure and the veil parted, and falling on either side disclosed the beautiful outlines of the statute. As they came into view a shout went up from the assemblage in volume so great that it almost drowned the boom of the cannon. In a minute the whole crowd had broken from the ranks and were soon flocking about the base of the statue, cheering and tossing hats and canes into the air. The crowd on the platform responded with cheers and waving of handkerchiefs and flags. It was a long time before the crowd quieted down and offered Governor McKinney and other distinguished people on the platform an opportunity to regain their seats in the carriages which were to have borne them back to the city. To-night the city is gaily illuminated, and the streets are thronged with a good-natured crowd. There are numerous entertainments.

AMERICAN NEWS.

Not Proven.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 29.—Second Mate Preble and Quarter-master Smith, of the steamer Zealandia, arrested recently on a charge of smuggling cigars from the steamer, were examined before the U.S. Commissioner to-day and acquitted. The prosecution failed to procure any testimony to warrant the commissioner in holding them to answer.

Shipping.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 29.—Cleared—Steamer City of Puebla, for Victoria, and Haytian Republic for Port Townsend. Bark C. O. Whitmore for Nanaimo.

The President at Cleveland.

CLEVELAND Ohio, May 29. — President Harrison and party arrived at noon. Although the bluffs were black with people in front of the depot very little enthusiasm was manifested. When the President and his associates made their appearance, Secretary Rusk, who was instantly recognized, received, perhaps, the heartiest welcome. In the business centres and along Euclid avenue the President received a hearty reception, crowds flocking about his carriage and endeavoring to shake his hands.

The Players League.

CHICAGO, May 29.—The Post this afternoon says: The Players League has tired of its fight with the National League and has issued a call for a secret meeting, to be held in New York, for the purpose of reconstructing its schedule so as to avoid all conflicting dates, or nearly all, with the older organization.

Forgers Sentenced.

ST. PAUL, MINN., May 29. — Gerhart Shaden and J. B. Talls, two of the three principals in the celebrated real estate forgery case, were to-day sentenced to the penitentiary for ten and eight years respectively. Partello, the third of the trio, sentenced last March, received eight years and five months.

A Big Deal Falls Through.

SIOUX CITY, Iowa, May 29.—The big stock yard deal at Ogden, Utah, in which Omaha and Sioux City parties were interested, and in which they were to invest about $20,000,000, has fallen through. The Sioux City and Omaha men who went to pool to buy some 2,200 acres of land, did not conclude their purchases, as their contracts and property were not found to be as represented.

A Clever Swindler Arrested.

NEW YORK, May 29.—John McDermot, alias Russell, was arrested last night at Delmonico's, where he was dining with Sir Robert Peel and another wealthy young Englishman, Clifford Talbot, who thought their friend was Inspector Byrnes, chief detective. That was what he told them when he made their acquaintance aboard the Aurania, and he impressed them as a very brilliant man. So he is in his way. He promised to introduce them to all the leading people of New York. They entertained him in style, and were surprised when two detectives walked into Delmonico's and arrested their stylish friend. McDermott was formerly a cab driver. After being arrested for swindling his employers, he changed his name to Russell, and, becoming an insurance agent, swindled the New York Life Insurance Company out of $2,000. His next exploit was to gain the affections of a rich widow named Mrs. Thayer, at Muncy, N. Y., whom he swindled out of $1,250. To escape arrest for this he fled to Europe. It was while returning that he met Peel and Talbot. They thought so much of him on short acquaintance that they made him some valuable presents, including a diamond pin and handsome bracelet. The Englishmen did not stay in New York to prosecute McDermott, but went on to Chicago. Mrs. Thayer will appear against him in the police court.

Wonderful Rich Gold Strike.

DENVER, Colo., May 29.—A report reached here this afternoon from Alamosa that a wonderful rich strike has been made in Golconda mine, which is owned by ex-Senator Tom Bowen. Ore has been taken from the mine, through which runs a solid streak of gold an inch thick. Ten days ago a pocket was opened, from which $200,000 has been taken. The strike has caused the greatest excitement in the southern part of the state.

Guilty of Embezzlement.

NEW YORK, May 29.—In the U. S. circuit court, to-night, the jury in the case of P. J. Claasen, on trial for appropriating the funds of the Sixth National Bank, while he was its president, returned a verdict of guilty. Claasen was taken to the Ludlow street jail. His wife shrieked and fainted when she heard the verdict, but the old general remained calm. Mrs. Claasen was unconscious for fifteen minutes. Her daughter was also in court. Sentence was deferred.

Escaped from Jail.

TRENTON, N. J. May 29.—Two desperate colored convicts escaped from the State prison last night. They are Tom Thomas and Henry Jackson, fire bugs from Monmouth county, serving thirty year terms. They sand-bagged Charles Parker, the front door keeper, took the keys from him and escaped. They took all the clothing they could gather, and robbed the unconscious door keeper of $800 in cash. Thomas was a runner in the front part of the prison, and Jackson was a waiter in the head turnkey's dining room. They made their escape while the deputies were at supper.

Obituary.

OMAHA, Neb., May 29.—Bishop James O'Connor, of the Catholic diocese of Omaha, died on Wednesday morning at the age of sixty-six.

The Flag of the Confederacy.

NEW YORK, May 29.—A Richmond, Va., special says that some one climbed the statue of George Washington this morning and put Confederate flags in the hands of the figure. Several protests have been entered against the flags being allowed to remain there, but the authorities refused to take them down. At noon they were still there.

Death of Father Nagel.

BUFFALO, N. Y., May 29.—Jacob Nagel, known as the oldest Roman Catholic priest in America, died last night in this city. He was 86 years old. He was born in the city of Travers, Prussia, and has been in Baltimore, New York and Chicago. For the past sixteen years he has been in this city. He was also noted as being the only clergyman who remained on Blackwolf's Island throughout the cholera scourge of 1848.

Tragedy in New Mexico.

SILVER CITY, N. M., May 28.—Thomas Lyons, of this city, shot and instantly killed John R. McManigie last night. Lyons is a member of the firm of Lyons & Campbell, who are among the heaviest cattle owners in southern New Mexico. He claims to have found McManigie and Mrs. Lyons in a compromising situation. All the parties are prominent people.

A Bank Robber's Proposition.

ST. LOUIS, MO., May 28.—Mansfield King, who robbed President Moffat of the Denver bank of $27,000, says he made a proposition in writing to the bank officials to return the money and pay all the expenses they have incurred in the matter providing they agree not to prosecute him. Nothing has been heard from Denver in regard to the acceptance of the proposition as yet.

Whipped by White Caps.

LOUISVILLE, KY., May 28.—A band of White Caps, thirty in number, visited Corydon, Ind., at one o'clock this morning, and proceeded to a house occupied by Lucy Noyes and Jane Flay, two women of questionable reputation. The women were dragged from bed, taken to the edge of the town, tied to trees, and flogged until both fainted from pain. Their things were then cut and the White Caps departed, leaving their victims where they had fallen, at the foot of the trees, limp and insensible. Beside their general bad character, the women were suspected of having set the recent fire at the fair grounds near here.

Hope for Tacoma Yet.

NEW YORK, May 29.—The Tacoma terminus, said one of the new directors of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company this morning, is by no means an impossibility, or, in other words, we propose to make the Pacific Mail a live money-earning corporation again.

Robbed and Wounded.

DES MOINES, Ia., May 28.—G. W. Southwaite, an artist, was found in his studio this morning lying upon the floor unconscious with a dagger wound near the heart. The contents of his trunk were scattered about, and his pockets had been rifled, showing the incentive of the deed to have been robbery. No clue or suspicion exists as to the assaults. The wounded man will probably die.

Receiver Appointed.

CHICAGO, May 28.—Judge Collins this morning decided the case of Francis M. Charlton against the Chicago Gas Trust. He sustained the bill of plaintiff for a receiver for the trust, and enjoined the defendant and the four gas companies composing it from transferring any stock, money or assets to any person or corporation. The name of the receiver will be announced to-morrow.

A Students' Riot.

BLOOMINGTON, Ind., May 29.—A riot occurred here early this morning between members of the senior and junior class in the State university. Some fifteen or twenty seniors had hired a wagon and band and were driving about the city when attacked by the juniors. A young man named Hall was hit in the thigh; Jas. Simpson was struck on the head and is now in a critical condition, and twenty persons were more or less injured by clubs and stones.

The Baseball Schedule.

NEW YORK, May 29.—Regarding the dispatch from Chicago stating that the Players League had called a meeting to change the schedule, the World this evening publishes a positive denial of the truth of the statement, and adds that the meeting alluded to is for the purpose of a conference with two members of the National League who desire a change to be made. Meetings will be held Sunday next, and the Players will insist on any change be made that the Nationals shall make it.

A Cure for Toothache.

Gibbons' Toothache Gum is guaranteed to cure toothache instantly. Prepared by J. A. Gibbons & Co., Toronto, and sold by druggists. Price, 15 cents. jy20-12m-w

IN HONOR OF GARFIELD.

A Beautiful Tribute to the Memory of America's Second Murdered President.

Dedication of the Memorial at Cleveland, Ohio, Erected by a Grateful Country.

Two-Thirds of the States and Territories Represented—A Touching and Impressive Ceremony.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, May 30.—In the presence of a vast multitude, and with all pomp and ceremony, but albeit with solemnity fitting the occasion, the memorial ordered by the contributions of a grateful country in honor of James Abraham Garfield, canal boat boy, school-teacher, soldier, statesman and president, was formally dedicated to-day. Of the tens of thousands that were gathered upon the green sward of Lakeview cemetery, there were many that had journeyed from distant points to pay their last tribute of respect to the memory of the second of America's presidents to meet his end by the bullet of the assassin. Two-thirds of the States and Territories were represented in the throng upon the platform. The nation itself was represented in the person of its chief magistrate, and three of his constituent parts were lent recognition and countenance to the event, while over all, and as a pathetic side to the picture,

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of him whom all who had met to honor, looked down upon the scene with the feelings of pride and sadness which looked much, this morning, like a Quaker City at the dawn of the memorable celebration of July 4th, of 91 year. The already abundant [illegible] of yesterday had been largely added to during the evening and night, until flags innumerable and acres of bunting floated in the breeze. Those who had predicted fair weather upon the report of the signal service that a storm was inevitable, were not disappointed when the sun rose. The sky was cloudless, and there was every promise of a beautiful day. By 9 o'clock, pedestrianism on Superior street and Euclid avenue was next door to an impossibility.

BUSINESS SUSPENDED.

Business in the city was entirely suspended, and it seemed as if two-thirds of the quarter million inhabitants of the city had turned out en masse to fraternize with the fifty thousand or more visitors from outside points. At twelve o'clock Congressman James Barnett gave the word for the head of the vast procession to move from Erie street at the trumpet blast, and on the moment a hundred veterans, ten abreast, wheeled around the corner and up the avenue. Some were in Grand Army uniforms and some in civilian attire. At their head they carried two torn, tattered and faded battle flags. Meanwhile the various divisions of the parade had begun to form on the streets running east of Euclid avenue and west from Erie. Two hours later the head of the column, (Garfield's old regiment, the 42nd Ohio) passed through the arch of the entrance to the cemetery. Along the line the veterans were enthusiastically cheered.

A NOTABLE EVENT

of the parade was when the carriages occupied by the President, the cabinet, General Sherman and other dignitaries, came into Euclid avenue. The enthusiasm was unbounded. Cheer after cheer went up for the President. Directly a strong-lunged enthusiast caught sight of General Sherman and called for cheers for "Uncle Billy Sherman." When the cheering ceased some one struck up the opening notes of "Marching through Georgia," and in a moment thousands of voices were joining in the refrain. General Sherman sat back with a stolid look on his countenance until the refrain was reached, and then he stood up in the carriage, and baring his head, bowed again and again to the right and the left. It was 2:20 when the head of the column reached the monument, and when the carriage occupied by the President reached

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there were fully 30,000 already assembled, and it was long past three when the ceremonies began. After the singing of "America," by five hundred voices, ex-President Hayes made a few remarks, and prayer was offered by Right Rev. Bishop Leonard, of the Episcopal church, and then came the presentation of Hon. Jacob D. Cox, orator of the day. In a clear and distinct voice which could be heard far into the throng, the ex-governor spoke eloquently, eulogizing the murdered president, and tracing his life from cradle to grave. The oration was repeatedly punctuated with applause, and at its conclusion General Cox was called again and again to the front of the stand. The President was then introduced and made a few remarks. The cheering was so great that people could hear him but a short distance away. After the remarks by the Vice-President and members of the cabinet, the choir sang the hymn

"OH, WEEP FOR THE BRAVE."

As the last notes died upon the air, the officers of the Grand Commandry mounted to the four corners of the upper balcony of the monument, and as many buglers blew a ringing blast to the north, south, east and west. Every head was bared, and many bowed when Sir Knight L. F. Vancleve, from his position at the entrance of the memorial chamber, delivered a fervent invocation. At its conclusion, a proclamation was then made by Grand Generalissimo Sir Huntington Brown, that the memorial of Sir Knight James Abraham Garfield had been dedicated to the uses designed. With the pronouncing of the benediction the exercises were brought to a fitting conclusion. The presidential party were at once driven back to the city and will leave for Washington to-night.

CABLE NEWS.

The Tenants' Defence Fund.

DUBLIN, May 29. — Archbishop Walsh writes to Freeman's Journal to say that £50,000 have been raised for the tenants' defence fund. He asserts this fund represents the association of the fundamental principle of Christian morality. The property right of the poorest of tenants is as sacred as that of the wealthiest landlords.

Another Nihilist Plot.

PARIS, May 29.—The police have discovered a formidable nihilist plot and arrested 55 persons involved in it. Criminating documents and a variety of explosives were discovered at the house of the leader, a man named Mendleshon, at Fontenay Aux Roses. The frequent purchase of explosive material from the chemists furnished the police with the clue which led to the apprehension of the prisoners.

The Charge Against Prof. Bunce.

GLASGOW, May 29.—The general assembly of the Free Church of Scotland rejected to-day by a vote of 362 to 237 the proposal to prosecute Professor Bunce of Glasgow for heresy. The result of the vote was announced amid great excitement and cheers.

A Conversation with Bismarck.

PARIS, May 29.—The morning papers print what purports to be reports of a conversation with Prince Bismarck, in which he is alleged to have said that he would return to office if asked to do so. Among other things he is reported to have said that Germany would never attack France. The real enemy of Europe is Russia, who has been friendly with France only because it has united her purpose. Prince Bismarck said he might re-enter the reichstag, not with a view to hamper Caprivi, but to uphold his own ideas.

Many Lives Lost.

SHANGHAI, May 29.—The steamer Poo Ching, plying on the Woosing river, has been burned. Twenty-two persons are missing; the number lost is unknown.

The Emperor Frederick Memorial.

BERLIN, May 29.—The Emperor has forbidden the Berlin magistracy to receive any money for the purpose of erecting a memorial of the late Emperor Frederick. This order is given, the Emperor states, for the reason that he himself intends to defray the expenses of erecting the memorial.

Fifty-Mile Yacht Race.

LONDON, May 29.—The Yorana won the fifty-mile race of the Royal Thames Yacht Club to-day; the Thistle was second, and the Valkyrie third. Mr. Jameson's new crack boat, the Iverna, made a very poor showing, and was unplaced at the finish. She did not use her sprit-sail.

Interests of Government Employes.

LONDON, May 29.—A meeting of the delegates representing all of the government employes engaged in manual occupations was held to-day, at which it was resolved to organize a council to agitate the advancement of the interests of those so employed.

Captured by Brigands.

ROME, May 29.—A despatch from Palermo says Signor Arigo, a wealthy merchant, has been captured by brigands near that city, and is held for ransom in the sum of $80,000.

The Duc Will Go to Rome.

PARIS, May 29.—The Duc D'Orleans has written a letter to the Pope, who has replied through the medium of a special messenger. It is stated that the Duc will pay a visit to the Vatican after his liberation from his present confinement.

Chamberlain Coming to America.

LONDON, May 29.—Joseph Chamberlain and wife have decided to pay a visit to America in the fall.

Dr. Peter's Enters Uganda.

ZANZIBAR, May 29.—It is reported that Dr. Peters has entered Uganda.

The Publican's Endowment.

LONDON, May 29.—Cardinal Manning has published in the Contemporary Review an article denouncing the government's proposal to endow the retiring publicans.

CANADIAN NEWS.

Nomination Day in Ontario.

TORONTO, May 29.—To-day was nomination day in Ontario. The elections by acclamation were: London—Meredith, conservative. At North Oxford—Mowat, liberal. At North Hastings—Wood, conservative. At Prescott—Evanturel, liberal.

The Royal Party in Toronto.

TORONTO, May 29.—The royal party arrived here this afternoon. They will have a busy day to-morrow, receiving addresses from various bodies and making inspections. They leave for Niagara Falls on Saturday.

Lord Stanley's Visit.

QUEBEC, May 30.—The Governor-General visited Laval University this morning. He was received by the faculty and subsequently the degree of Doctor of Law was conferred upon him.

A Vein of Gold Quartz.

WINDSOR, Ont., May 30.—People who have been boring for gas near Blenheim, have struck what they think is a vein of gold quartz.

The Duke at Toronto.

TORONTO, Ont., May 30.—This morning a civic committee called at the Queen's hotel for the Duke of Connaught and party, and drove to Osgoode hall, where they were received by the benchers and presented with an address, when he took in the education department and general hospital, and finally paid a visit to the Ontario Society of Arts. This afternoon a reception at the pavilion took place. In the evening, the Duke reviewed the Queen's Own and Grenadiers, and then passed an hour with his fellow masons in the Masonic lodge.

A Printer's Strike.

MONTREAL, May 30.—Montreal Herald this morning appeared in only half its usual size, owing to a strike of the compositors.

W. C. T. U. Convention.

MONTREAL, Que., May 30.—The third annual convention of the Women's Christian Temperance Union concluded here today. Mrs. Tilton of Toronto was elected president for the coming year.

VANCOUVER SPECIAL.

Fatal Accident at Hayden's Logging Camp—Plan for Harbor Improvements—Political Notes.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

VANCOUVER, May 29.—Charles Daggett, the well-known logger, was killed at Hayden's logging camp, Gambles Island, yesterday. He was crushed between two huge logs above the waist. He lived two hours after being rescued from his perilous position. Deceased was an old-timer and highly respected by all who knew him.

A plan for harbor improvements has been submitted to the board of trade by English capitalists, involving an outlay of three million dollars. The matter will be made public in a day or two.

The convention at Langley yesterday was a fizzle. A meeting was afterwards organized. All candidates except Mr. Robson addressed the meeting, which lasted till 6 o'clock. Mr. Robson's election is assured by an overwhelming majority.

Couldn't Resist Temptation.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 29.—Joseph Nolan, collector of the Hibernia bank, while coming out of the post office this afternoon with a sack containing over $1,100 on his shoulder was attacked by a man who grabbed the sack and ran. He was captured after an exciting chase. The man fainted when captured owing to exhaustion. He says he was cook on the ship Persia from Liverpool, but lost his situation and has been wandering around almost starved for some time and could not resist the temptation.

Schaefer an Easy Winner.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 29.—Jake Schaefer, the champion billiardist of the world, and J. A. B. McCleary, champion of the Pacific Coast, started to play a 3,000 point game for $2,000 a side to-night at the Metropolitan hall. One thousand points are to be made each night. Schaefer won the first thousand easily. McLeary only running 159, while Schaefer run 1,000. The odds are two to one for Schaefer.

Poisoned by Ice Cream.

SALEM, Or., May 29.—Several of Salem's young folks are lying very ill, the result of eating ice cream which was poisoned—the poison resulted from the cream having stood too long in a rusty freezer.

IN NOMINATION.

Candidates for the Provincial Parliament Named by the Electors of the Districts Yesterday.

The Government Sure of Victory and the Opposition Without a Standard-Bearer in Several Districts.

The electors of British Columbia, in all the districts throughout the province, excepting Cassiar, were called upon yesterday to place in nomination fit and proper persons to represent them in the Sixth Provincial Parliament.

Nomination of representatives of Victoria city took place at noon in Philharmonic Hall, when the returning officer, Mr. Sheriff McMillan, had placed in his hands the following propositions, together with the required deposit of $200 from the agent of each candidate:

HON. J. H. TURNER—Proposed by R. P. Rithet, seconded by Wm. McKay. Assenters to the nomination—Thomas Shaw, A. J. Langley and A. J. Smith.

DR. JOHN TAYLOR—Proposed by Charles Williams, seconded by S. L. Kelly. Assenters to the nomination—J. G. Mann, T. J. Burnes and John Mortimer.

SIMON DUCK—proposed by E. G. Prior, seconded by Lawrence Goodacre. Assenters to the nomination—H. Saunders, William Lowther and William Grimm.

WILLIAM DAMMY—Proposed by Lawrence Goodacre, seconded by Thomas Earle. Assentors to the nomination—John Oliver, D. McPhadden and Samuel Clay.

Charles Wilson—proposed by W. J. Andrews, seconded by T. Earle. Assented to by J. D. Helmcken, C. E. Redfern and John Robertson.

Hon. Robert Beaven—proposed by A. J. Langley, seconded by William Denny. Assented to by—A. Wilson, B. H. West and George Powell.

John Grant—Proposed by Lawrence Goodacre, seconded by H. Brown. Assented to by Col. Redfern, M. J. Conlin, and George H. Cavin.

George Lawson Milne, M.D.—proposed by Wm. Denny, seconded by John Mutton. Assented to by—T. G. Rayner, D. E. Campbell and J. R. Hett.

Frank G. Richards, jun.—proposed by Richard Hall, seconded by Hugh McDonald. Assented to by D. W. Morrow, Jas. Russell and W. H. Burkholder.

The following were named as their agents by the respective candidates:

Hon. J. H. Turner—Mr. R. Byrnes.
Capt. John Irving—Mr. F. W. Vincent.
Simeon Duck—Mr. Wm. Duck.
William Dalby—Mr. F. J. Claxton.
Hon. Robert Beaven—Mr. H. Brown.
John Grant—Mr. D. E. Campbell.
Dr. G. L. Milne—Mr. W. J. Gospel.
F. G. Richards, Jr.,—Mr. R. T. Williams.
Charles Wilson—Mr. Percy Brown.

At one o'clock the returning officer announced that the time for receiving nominations, had expired, and proceeded to read the lists received. Mr. Helmcken and Mr. Helmcken entered a formal protest to the nomination of Mr. Charles Wilson, objecting to his candidature upon the ground that his name appeared upon two voters' lists, and he was, therefore, debarred, by statute, from offering himself as a candidate. Mr. Helmcken also announced that he had communicated with Mr. Wilson, personally, requiring him to make oath to his qualification in the matter named.

As four seats only require to be filled for the electoral district of Victoria City, a ballot is rendered necessary by the nominations received, and it was announced that the votes of the electors will be received on Friday, the 13th day of June. The nominations passed off very quietly, and with the exception of candidates and their friends, very few presented themselves at the hall.

ESQUIMALT'S CANDIDATES.

In accordance with the general expectation, only three candidates—two government and one opposition—received nominations in Esquimalt district. They were:

Hon. C. E. Pooley,
Hon. D. W. Higgins,
Hans Helgesen.

COWICHAN STANDS FIRM.

DUNCAN'S, May 30. — Hon. Theodore Davie, Mr. Henry Croft, and Mr. Joseph Macdonald were to-day nominated on the government ticket for Cowichan district. There were no opposition candidates to run.

VICTORIA DISTRICT.

Enthusiastically for the government were those who attended the nominations in Victoria district, the result of which were as follows:

D. M. EBERTS,
G. W. ANDERSON,
J. W. Carey.

VANCOUVER CITY.

VANCOUVER, May 30.—Nominations in this city were as follows: J. W. Horne, R. G. Tatlow, F. C. Cotton, J. M. Fox, Sam Greer and G. S. McConnell: James McGeer did not feel like losing his $200, and so did not toe the mark. Speeches were afterwards made by some of the candidates, and all passed off peacefully.

YALE DISTRICT.

Punctual to the minute, Government Agent Hussey, appeared on the steps of the Court house at noon, to-day, and read the Lieutenant-Governor's proclamation, dissolving the provincial parliament and calling for the nomination and election of members for a new parliament, after which the following candidates were nominated for Yale district: Hon. F. G. Vernon, G. B. Martin, and J. Wardle, government supporters; and C. E. Semlin and Alex. Irvine, opposition candidates. From this it will be seen that Yale district is not in immediate want of aspirants for parliamentary honors. Still, it is generally conceded that Hon. F. G. Vernon and G. B. Martin will be returned by large majorities, and that the contest will be between Messrs. Semlin and Wardle. The former being an old timer and very popular, will naturally poll a good vote. Still it is believed that Mr. Wardle would make a good representative, and the government supporters being so strong and the government so popular in this district, it is quite possible that three government supporters will be elected on the 13th of June, instead of two. As for the fifth candidate, it would seem as if he were of a benevolent disposition, and is desirous to enrich the provincial exchequer to the extent of two hundred dollars.