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The Pinkerton Butchers.

The fight between Pinkerton men and strikers at Homestead, Pennsylvania, was a very deplorable occurrence from every point of view. While in fact the strikers had no legal right to oppose the landing of the Pinkerton men, their antipathy to these stormy petrels of labor disputes is quite natural and founded on historic reasons. This is not by any means the first time that these hired ruffians have ruthlessly used their deadly Winchesters on opposing strikers. The Haymarket butchery in Chicago grew from a seedling planted by these gentry. It will be remembered that there was a strike at the McCormick agricultural implement factory, Chicago. The Pinkerton men were in possession of the building, and without much provocation fired on a mob in front of it, killing and wounding several persons. The incident caused bitter feeling, and the subsequent bomb fusilade among the police on the Haymarket may be readily traced to it. No one would attempt to justify the course of the Anarchists or to support striking workmen in illegal acts, at the same time these black Hessians with their murderous Winchesters should be supressed. Their very appearance on a scene already critical from bickerings and misunderstandings goads to the use of physical force. The captain of this particular gang of sharpshooters acknowledges that he picked them up in the streets of New York and Chicago. It is not difficult to guess the class they belong to. The thugs, of which it was undoubtedly composed, would be disappointed if there were no trouble at the points to which they are sent. They are looking for fight and anxious to turn their rifles on the hard-working mechanics, with whom they are unworthy to be compared.

The New Engineer.

We regret that the City Council did not appoint Mr. Jennings last night, but that gentleman did not seem disposed to make any concessions or recede from the position that caused his resignation. The Mayor succeeded in landing the appointment for Mr. Keating, the candidate whom he has favored from the beginning. The citizens know little or nothing of Mr. Keating, and the Mayor has assumed a large responsibility in placing in so important a post a gentleman who is a stranger to our municipal ways. Let us hope that no mistakes has been made. The new engineer, although not our candidate, will receive nothing but fair treatment from The World. He has plenty of work cut out from him. Let us hope that he will show industry and zeal in mastering its various details and use his influence to get them under way as rapidly as possible.

The English Elections.

The returns from Great Britain to-day seem to indicate that Mr. Gladstone is reducing his rival's majority very, very slowly indeed. If his rate of progression does not increase he will have a majority of less than 20 when the House meets. This will be a very narrow majority to carry a Home Rule Bill through Parliament with and the Lords would certainly throw his meal sure out of the Upper House if it ever reached that stage. Unless the remaining constituencies show remarkable changes Great Britain will find herself at the beginning of a series of crises such as this century at least has not seen. Mr. Blake, our correspondent cables, will be opposed in South Longford by Miller, Conservative. Another despatch describes Mr. Miller as a Liberal-Unionist, but as our correspondent is on the spot he is more likely to be right.

Mayor Fleming, despite his many virtues, and despite the indisputable fact that he is, judged by the unerring standard of work done, the best Mayor Toronto ever had, is not the issue in this fight.—Telegram.

As a humorist the writer of the above is simply out of sight. The side-splitting jokes are after all those made unconsciously.

Andrew Carnegie presented New York with a million dollar music hall. It would have been a better idea for him to have erected a shooting-gallery.

Let us see the Council and its new Engineer get a move on.

ELECTRIC RAILWAY EXTENSION.

Residents in Northern Yonge-street Discuss the Proposal.

Mr. Lovell presided over a meeting of some 35 ratepayers in Jackson's Hotel, Yonge-street, last night. The meeting was called to discuss the extension of the electric railway from Glen Grove Park to York Mills.

The president of the Metropolitan Street railway was present. He said that for a bonus of $10,000 his company would agree to extend its line to York Mills and provide a 20-minute service between the hours of 6 and 9 a.m., and between the hours of 5 and 8 p.m., making no provision for the balance of the day.

Mr. P. W. Ellis, representing the Bedford Park Company, said he would have nothing to do with this proposition.

Several independent property-owners were, however, in favor of accepting it, but as nothing could be done without Mr. Ellis' acquiescence, he holding the balance of power, no decision was arrived at.

A Large Audience Greets Black Tom.

A large and appreciative audience greeted Blind Tom at the Grand Opera House last evening. Although unacquainted with the theory of music he rendered some of the most difficult classical selections with good effect. A feature of the evening was the analyzing of chords and the reproduction of music after being once played. "The Battle of Manassas," a descriptive solo of the great pianist's own composition, was greeted with rounds of applause, as was also his imitations of banjo, guitar and an old-time violin player. The program was interspersed with songs by Tom, and by request he sang "Resignation," a sacred solo, which was well rendered and greatly appreciated by the large audience.

Local Jottings.

C. M. Hamilton, a former excise officer at Toronto, is dead at Kingston.

Nearly 300 children of the Lakeside Home were given an outing at Island Park yesterday.

Alfred Harris of 221 Borden-street was arrested last night on a warrant charging him with assaulting his wife.

As Andrew Dixon, a laborer living at 186 Adelaide-street west, was walking down George-street yesterday afternoon he made a misstep owing to a defective sidewalk and fractured his ankle. He is at present at the Hospital.

Sacred Heart Court 201, Catholic Order of Foresters, held their semi-monthly meeting last evening in Temperance Hall. There were two initiations and three applications for membership.

The annual moonlight excursion of Toronto Typographical Union, which takes place Saturday night per steamer Chicora, promises to be highly successful. A good program of vocal and instrumental music has been prepared and there will be dancing.

"Citizen" and "Vox Populi," who send in communications in regard to the Parkes case, should know that anonymous letters are not published.

On the application of George Ford, Belmont-street, a writ has been issued against the city for $200 damages, alleged to have been sustained through sickness in his family owing to the unsanitary state of Tannery P

TWO REMAIN FOR THE CUP.

AND ONE OF THESE WILL BE LEFT TO-MORROW.

The Rinks of Messrs. Scott and Lightbourne Win the Semi-Finals—The Victoria Tennis Tourney Drawing to a Close—Twelves For Championship Lacrosse Matches—All the Sporting News.

Play was continued yesterday at the Island Lawn in the Dominion Lawn Bowling Tournament. The events of the day, of course, were the semi-final competitions for the Walker Cup.

A. P. Scott of the Granites defeated J. G. Gibson of Prospect Park after a sharp struggle. E. T. Lightbourne of the Vics won from W. Badenach of the Granites by 20 to 14. This was the second scalp Mr. Lightbourne secured from Church-street.

The final between the rinks of Messrs. Scott and Lightbourne will take place on Saturday, when a great crowd of Granite and Victoria enthusiasts are expected to be present. The Walker Cup scores:

Semi-Final.

GRANITE.		PROSPECT PARK.	
J. Saunders.		F. B. Lockwood.	
J. Galt.		R. Watson.	
T. M. Scott.		E. L. Forbes.	
A. P. Scott, skip	22	J. G. Gibson, skip	16
VICTORIA.		GRANITE.	
A. J. Williams.		John Aird.	
S. J. McNally.		Alfred W. Smith.	
W. B. Smith.		William Merritt.	
E. T. Lightbourne, sk.	20	W. Badenach, skip	14

The Consolation Competitions.

The consolation competitions were continued yesterday when the second draw was completed and the third commenced. The results:

Second Draw.

C. E. Maddison, skip; J. Crerar, skip. Maddison won by default.

C. E. Ryerson, skip 17; A. M. Cosby, skip 13.

C. Dempsey, skip 25; G. De C. O'Grady, skip 11.

W. O. Thornton, skip 24; Joseph Lugsdin, skip 21.

J. H. Horsey, skip; J. Harvey, skip. Horsey won by default.

Third Draw.

C. E. Ryerson, skip 21; W. O. Thornton, skip 11.

In the Singles and Doubles.

The single and double events were also begun. Here are the scores:

Singles—First Draw.

E. L. Forbes, P. P.	12	L. A. Tilley, Vic.	14
P. M. Scott, G.	15	C. E. Maddison, Vic.	13

Doubles—First Draw.

Gibson and Arnoldi	17	Lessile and Joseph	18
Robertson and Cayley	15	Dalton and Creelman	13
Maddison and Baines	11	McCulloch and Patterson	10
Carlyle and Forbes	12	Horsey and Davidson	10

Second Draw.

O'Grady and Baird	15	Lugsdin and Corcoran	12
Carlyle and Forbes	11	Maddison and Baines	9
Tilley and Biggar	13	Ryerson and Hargreaves	9

The Program For To-Day.

The single competition is very popular as shown by the program for to-day. Here are the draws:

R. C. McHarrie, G., v. George Harvey, P.P.; C. R. Cooper, P.P., v. F. O. Cayley, R.C.Y.C.; T. Mounce, P.P., v. D. Carlyle, P.P.; C. Dempsey, G., v. J. Galt, G.; George Furness, V., v. E. T. Lightbourne, V.; G. O'Grady, G., v. G. F. Sproule, V.; F. J. Joseph, R.C.Y.C., v. Q. D. McCulloch, P.P.; A. J. Williams, V., v. R. M. McClain, G.; J. Baird, G., v. Dr. Lessile, R.C.Y.C.; G. R. Hargraft, G., v. G. G. Biggar, R.C.Y.C.; A. C. Gibson, V., v. R. K. Sproule, R.C.Y.C.; F. J. Lighthourne, V., v. D. H. Snelgrove, G.; B. Jennings, R.C.Y.C., v. J. C. Forbes, Y.; C. E. Ryerson, bye.

ORILLIA DEFEATS BARRIE.

The Score was 4 to 1 in the Northeastern C.L.A. Match Yesterday.

BARRIE, July 7.—The second match between Orillia and Barrie in the Northeastern District took place here to-day. About 2500 people witnessed the game. Before the game commenced the Barrie club protested McGuire of Gravenhurst, Chaplin and the Downie Brothers of St. Catharines, who played with Orillia, for having played with other clubs during the season.

Orillia scored the 1st, 2nd, 4th and 5th games and Barrie the 3rd. Thus Orillia won by 4 to 1.

Both teams played well. The Downies, Chaplin, Williams and Thomas played well for Barrie. J. S. Garvin acted referee. and J. M. McDonald and S. Martin of Toronto were the umpires.

IN THE CENTRAL DISTRICT.

The C.L.A. Championship Match at Rosedale This Afternoon.

The Toronto Intermediate twelve have practised steadily for their championship match with the Ætnas of Georgetown that takes place at New Rosedale to-day. Play will commence at 4 p.m.

The visitors will object to Toronto playing several of the first team, but as there is no rule against the seniors their protest will be valueless. The teams will be:

Ætnas: Goal, Robert Irwin; point, John Scott; cover, J. Watson; defence, J. Thompson, G. Guthrie, T. Wheeler; centre, B. Barber; home, W. Freeman, B. Irwin, C. Watson; outside, G. Reid; inside, J. McKenzie; captain, C. C. Roe.

Toronto: Goal, Davis; point, McConaghy; cover, Knowles; defence, Allen, Rundle, Hartley; center, Livingstone; home, Gale, Hartley, Mason; outside, Wheeler; inside, Warbrick; captain, Fred Thompson.

Tecumsehs v Canadians.

A championship Toronto Lacrosse League match takes place at new Rosedale at 5 p.m. to-morrow between the two clever teams the Tecumsehs and Canadians, whose twelves will be:

Tecumsehs: Goal, Pringle; point, Irwin; cover, Revell; defence, York, Douglass, Brunnell; centre, Lyons; home, Bilton, Langley, Burns; outside, Lugsdin; inside, Clemes; Captain, W. Keith.

Canadians: Goal, Perkins; point, Chandler; cover, Burt; defence, Allen, Schell, Sullivan; centre, Ellard; home, Waghorne, Walker, J. Chandler; outside, Drury; inside, Spence; Captain, A. Hyder.

Standing in the District

Following is the standing of the clubs in the Central District:

	Won.	Lost.
Brampton	3	0
Torontos	2	1
Toronto Junction	3	2
Ætnas	1	2
Milton	1	2
Athletics	0	3

In the last match between the Torontos and Ætnas each team secured two goals and the match ended in a draw.

Toronto Cricket Club Averages.

The averages of the Toronto Cricket Club members in matches played so far this season have been made out. Goldingham leads with the willow, having 25.50 runs for 13 innings. Then come Saunders 22.33, Terry 19.28, Fleury 18.12 and Stokes 18.05. In bowling Jones' average is 4.80, Wood 5.03, Leigh 5.37 and Wilson 5.56.

THE RUNNING TURF.

Prohibition Wins at Gloucester Park—All the Racing Results.

GLOUCESTER, July 7.—The weather was favorable and the track in good condition at the Park to-day:

First race, 6½ furlongs, selling—Congress 1; Dousman 2; Ribail 3. Time 1.26½.

Second race, 4½ furlongs, selling—Wang 1; Plevmar 2; Clinkumbell 3. Time .58.

Third race, 7 furlongs—Torchlight 1; Illspent 2; Lost Star 3. Time 1.31.

Fourth race, 5 furlongs, special—Maid of Blarney 1; Blackburn 2; Benjamin 3. Time 1.02.

Fifth race, 5 furlongs, selling—Prohibition 1; Annie C., 2; Captain Swift, 3. Time 1.04½.

Sixth race, 4½ furlongs, beaten—Arizona 1; Fearless 2; Mamie B. 3.

On Monmouth's Excellent Track.

NEW YORK, July 7.—On Monmouth's excellent track to-day in warm and clear weather the races resulted:

First race, 7 furlongs—Madstone 1, Strathmeath 2, Sleepner 3. Time 1.28½.

Second race, ¾ mile—Cactus 1, Maud 2, Mutiny 3.

Third race, 2-year-olds, Hopeful Stakes, 6 furlongs—Dr. Rice 1, Hammie 2, Elsipo Colt 3. Time 1.15¼.

Fourth race, Monmouth Oak Stakes, 3-year-old fillies, 1⅛ miles—Yorkville Belle 1, Anna B 2, Alliquipa 3. Time 2.8¼.

Fifth race, 1 mile handicap—Picnicker 1, Candelabra 2, Judge Morrow 3. Time 1.41½.

Sixth race, 1 1-16 miles, selling—Gertie D. 1, Mr. Sass 2, Snowball 3.

OVER THE NETS.

Boys and Choppin Defeat Matthews and Moreton in the Double Finals.

The Victoria lawn tennis tournament was continued yesterday, when the gentlemen's doubles were closed. Boys and Choppin beat the Toronto pairs. Here are the complete results:

MIXED DOUBLES.

Mr. Jones and Miss Whitehead beat Mr. Kerr and Miss Gooderham, 6—1, 1—6, 6—0.

Mr. Matthews and Miss Osborne beat Mr. and Miss Pope, 8—6, 6—2.

Mr. Moreton and Miss Hagarty beat Mr. Jones and Mrs. Whitehead, 8—6, 6—4.

GENTLEMEN'S DOUBLES—SEMI-FINALS.

Boys and Choppin (Barrie) beat Swabey and Noxon (Victoria), 6—4, 6—4.

Matthews and Moreton (Toronto) beat Pope and Pope (Yale), 7—5, 6—2.

FINAL—Boys and Choppin (Barrie) beat Matthews and Moreton (Toronto), 6-4, 9-7, 6-2.

The program for to-day is as follows:

FINAL MIXED DOUBLES—11 a.m.—Mr. Matthews and Miss Osborne v. Mr. Moreton and Miss Hagarty.

FINAL GENTLEMEN'S SINGLES — 3.30 p.m. — Matthews v. Boys.

FINAL LADIES' SINGLES—4.30 p.m.—Mrs. Whitehead v. Miss Osborne.

AT THE TRAPS.

Several Matches Yesterday at Stark's Grounds—To-morrow's Shoot.

In a friendly shoot at Stark's grounds last evening, the following scores were made from four traps, unknown angles, gun below elbow:

No. 1—Leaming 10, Forest 10, McDowall 10, Norris 8.

No. 2—Forest 10, Norris 9, McDowall 8. Leaming 7.

No. 3—Norris 10, Leaming 10, Forest 9, McDowall 9.

No. 4—McDowall 9, Norris 9, Leaming 8, Forest 7, Shaw 8.

No. 5—Norris 9, Shaw 9, Forest 8, McDowall 8, Leaming 8.

No. 6—Norris 10, Shaw 10, McDowall 9.

The Torontos Shoot.

The Toronto Gun Club's fortnightly shoot, which was postponed last Saturday, will be held at Stark's grounds to-morrow afternoon, commencing at 2 o'clock.

THE GREEN DIAMOND.

Program of Championship Games in the Toronto League.

Toronto Baseball League championship games will be continued to-morrow at the Toronto grounds. The program will be:

First game—Dukes v. Dauntless.

Second game—Nationals v. Excelsiors.

In the evening the band of the Royal Grenadiers will give a concert in the pretty baseball park.

Brooklyn Whitewashed.

At Cleveland, first game:		R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	0 2 1 2 0 0 0 1 0 —	6	10	0
Brooklyn	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 —	0	6	5
Cuppy-Zimmer; Foutz-Hart-Con Daily. Hunt.				

At Pittsburg:		R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg	1 1 1 0 1 0 0 1 0 —	5	8	3
Philadelphia	3 0 1 3 0 0 0 0 x —	7	12	2
Terry-Ehret-Mack; Keefe-Carsey-Cross. Mitchell.				

At Cleveland, second game:		R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	2 1 0 0 2 0 0 0 2 —	7	11	3
Brooklyn	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 x —	0	6	4
Rettger-Young-O'Connor; Haddock-Kinslow. Hurst.				

At Cincinnati:		R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	3 8 4 2 2 1 1 0 0 —	21	26	1
Baltimore	0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 —	2	5	4
Dwyer-Vaughn; Foreman-VanHaltren-Gunson-Hallagan. Emslie.				

At Louisville:		R.	H.	E.
Louisville	0 3 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 —	4	11	1
Boston	0 0 1 1 1 0 0 2 —	5	12	3
Viau-Grim; Nichols-Kelly. Sheridan.				

At Chicago:		R.	H.	E.
Chicago	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 —	0	4	1
Washington	0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 x —	2	8	0
Gumbert-Schriver; Duryea-McGuire. Lynch.				

At St. Louis:		R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	0 2 1 0 0 0 1 0 0 —	4	11	1
New York	0 0 1 1 0 0 2 0 1 —	5	12	3
Gleason-Moran; Crane-Boyle. McQuaid.				

Close Games in the Eastern.

At Albany:		R.	H.	E.
Albany	2 0 2 0 1 0 1 1 2 —	9	14	7
Elmira	0 1 0 0 1 4 0 0 1 —	7	13	7
Doran-Hess; Dolan-Boyd. Jones.				

At Syracuse:		R.	H.	E.
Syracuse	1 2 0 1 0 1 1 2 1 —	9	12	3
Troy	0 0 2 0 0 0 1 0 0 —	3	9	6
Fournier-Myers; Clarkson-Cahill. Hoover.				

At Buffalo:		R.	H.	E.
Buffalo	1 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 —	2	6	3
Binghamton	2 0 0 2 1 0 0 0 x —	5	8	3
Schellerman-Fields; Inks-Murphy. Casey.				

At Rochester:		R.	H.	E.
Rochester	0 0 0 0 3 0 1 0 2 —	6	5	0
Providence	3 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 x —	7	8	6
Goodall - Callihan - McKeough; Kilroy - Gray. Powers.				

THE TRACK WAS SHORT.

Kingston's Road Course Said to Be Less Than 24 Miles—Cycling Notes.

KINGSTON, July 7.—It has been found that the course here on which the 25 mile bicycle road record was said to have been broken on Saturday is from one to two miles short.

Palmer Comes to Toronto.

H. P. Davies & Co., whose place of business is most centrally located, being next door to this office in Yonge-street, has induced A. W. Palmer to leave the Ambitious City to enter their employ. Thus Hamilton loses her bicycle pride. Palmer will become a member of one of the local clubs.

Two More Century Bars.

Nelson R. Butcher and Henry T. Smith made the run from Toronto to Trenton on Wednesday, the 6th inst., a distance of over 100 miles on bicycles and won century bars.

The Wanderers' Road Race.

A meeting of the Wanderers' Bicycle Club was held last night, President W. J. Darby in the chair.

It was decided to hold a club 10-mile handicap road race on Saturday, July 16, over the course on the Kingston-road. Ten valuable prizes will be given.

A Long Bicycle Race.

PARIS, July 7.—The great bicycle race from Paris to Nantes and return, a distance of 622 miles, was won by Allard in 88 hours 28 minutes. Meyer was 1 hour and 52 minutes behind. There were 67 entries for the race. The contestants started from Paris on Sunday.

No Challenge For the Cup.

LONDON, July 7.—Secretary Grant of the Royal Yacht Club at Cowes was questioned concerning the report that a challenge for the America Cup had been sent to the New York Yacht Club by the Royal Yacht Squadron on behalf of the Earl of Dunraven.

The secretary replied that he had not previously heard of such a challenge being issued.

Sporting Specialties.

Yale and Harvard football men have begun practice for their fall intercollegiate games.

Dixon has signified his willingness to again meet Johnson, his vanquished opponent, this time to weigh 120 lbs. at the ring side.

The Dominion Day sculling race at Port Arthur was won by Plaisted over McDonald of Ottawa by ¼ of a length.

Trainer James Rice left yesterday for Erie, Pa., where he rows Chris. Shaw July 16.

The Orients and Baysides will play their baseball game in St. Michael's College grounds on Saturday at 3 o'clock sharp.

The Chicago club has drafted Connors and Decker, the second and first basemen of the Joliet club. Decker will be used at second and Connors at short.

The Western Stars defeated the Bellevue Football Club 4 goals to 0. They would like to hear from any junior clubs. Address W. Mackey, 105 Lippincott-street.

Pete Woods' Tilsonburg Blues defeated the St. Thomas Browns at Tilsonburg yesterday by 23 runs to 1. The Blues claim the championship of Canada and are prepared to defend the title.

A full attendance of the members of the Park Nine Baseball Club is requested at tonight's practise in Stanley Park, as the team for the game with Galt will be picked.

There will be a big crowd at the Exhibition grounds on July 12 to see the games and 10-mile handicap bicycle race, entries for which close with J. Faucett, 12 Johnson-street, Saturday night.

A challenge for the American Cup has arrived in New York from England and will be presented to the New York Yacht Club as soon as the present deed of gift is so modified as to do away with the objectionable "dimension clause."

Everett C. McClelland of Wheeling, W. Va., has issued a challenge to run Peter Priddy of Pittsburg five miles for $250 up to $500 a side, the medal and the championship of America, the race to take place four weeks from signing articles at Wheeling, W. Va. McClelland states Priddy must run or give up the medal and the championship.

The Belmont Cricket Club team of Philadelphia visited Staten Island Wednesday as the guests of the Staten Island Cricket Club and played a match with the second eleven of the Staten Island club. The home team were outclassed by the visitors, both in bowling and batting, who won easily. The game was witnessed by a large number of spectators. The score was 298 to 72.

The Law and Order League made their threatened raid on the Monmouth Park race track Tuesday afternoon. President Walcott, Secretary Crickmore and Starter Rowe were arrested and bailed in $100 each. Ten bookmakers were also hauled in and promptly furnished bonds. The latter were not particularly alarmed, and no one will leave the ring on account of the warrants. The Law and Order people threaten to keep up the raids from day to day until the meeting is over.

Charles E. Courtney, the ex-champion oarsman of America, who has trained the famous Cornell Navy eight-oared shell crew, whom both the Yale and Harvard crews refused to meet, has signed a contract with the Atalanta Boat Club to train their racing men at the close of each collegiate rowing season. Courtney will go to Newark on July 10 and will train the Atalanta's entries and form the crew for the eight-oared shell race in the forthcoming National championship regatta on Saratoga Lake on July 16 and 17.

NIAGARA BIBLE CONFERENCE.

Opening of a Seven Days' Session at Niagara-on-the-Lake.

NIAGARA-ON-THE-LAKE, Ont., July 7.—The Niagara Bible Conference opened its 16th annual session this morning at the pavilion in the grounds of the Queen's Royal. It will continue for seven days. Several hundreds of people are here in attendance from all parts of the continent. The attendants are of all denominations, the only common bond being study of the scriptures.

Rev. Dr. James H. Brookes of St. Louis and Rev. Dr. Ermann of Philadelphia were the principal speakers to-day on bible topics. Rev. Dr. Parsons made the opening prayer. Hon. Captain Morton of Hamilton also assisted at the services to-day.

The Queen's Royal has over 300 guests attending the conference, while all the boarding houses and other hotels are crowded.

Of more local interest is the centennial services of St. Mark's Church, beginning on Saturday, when a brass tablet commemorative of the 100th anniversary of the parish will be unveiled with befitting ceremony and religious observance.

On Sunday Bishop Cox of Western New York will preach an appropriate sermon. Archdeacon McMurray, who is the third rector of the parish, is in good health 83 years of age and will take part in the ceremonies. There is no other church in America of a 100 years' history, in which there have been only three pastors in that time. There will be visitors, including clergymen, from all over the province to take part in the commemoration. On Monday the services will be continued and a paper prepared by Dr. Scadding will be read by Rev. Arthur Baldwin.

Other Conventions.

The Grand Lodge of Orange True Blues is in session at Belleville.

The International Christian Endeavor Association opened in New York yesterday. There are 17,000 delegates, including New York societies, many from Europe, Asia, Africa and Australia, besides Canada.

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30,000 in Line.

Grand Encampment of Uniformed Knights of Pythias at Kansas City in August. The Wabash Railway will sell excursion tickets at lowest first-class fare for the round trip. Tickets to be sold Aug. 19 to 22 inclusive, good up to Sept. 15. The Wabash is the shortest and best route to Kansas City, and the only line that can take Knights from Canada through St. Louis and return them via Chicago and (vice versa) finest equipped train on earth, passing through six states of the Union. Further particulars from any Railway Ticket Agent, or J. A. Richardson, Canadian Passenger Agent, Toronto, Ont. ed

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Personal.

Mr. S. F. McKinnon has returned from England.

Robert Herron, New York; F. W. Cane, H. E. Ridley, W. G. Warner, A. L. Lyon, Mrs. Dr. Doolittle and family, G. Harvey and family, W. B. Stewart and family, Thomas Watson and family are at Hotel Louise, Lorne Park.

The following are the latest arrivals at the Queen's Royal, Niagara: Lady Ida Leigh-Hare, London, Eng.; Dr. and Mrs. H. M. Parsons, H. C. Parsons, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Morgan, Lockport, N.Y.; Mrs. J. Turnbull and children, Hamilton; B. W. Robertson and wife, Miss Robertson, Kingston; E. A. Wilson and family, Springfield, Ill.; Charles H. Potter, Cleveland, O.; Mrs. A. A. Thompson, Mrs. W. F. Miller, Buffalo; Mrs. Williams, St. Louis; Mr. and Mrs. George Fleishman and family, Buffalo; J. G. Bristow, London, Eng.; Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Vredenburg, Springfield, Ill.; Rev. W. I. Erdmore, Mrs. W. I. Erdmore, Mrs. H. T. Collins, Mrs. C. Pardee, Ashville, N.C.

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LIBERAL GAINS SLOW.

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this was reduced to 1378. Mr. Trevelyan was one of the Liberals who opposed Mr. Gladstone's Home Rule bill when it was introduced in 1886, and at the ensuing general election he was defeated. He subsequently became satisfied with Mr. Gladstone's Irish policy, and in the bye-election of 1887 he was returned from the Bridgeton division of Glasgow.

QUIPS OF THE CAMPAIGN.

Incidents of the Battle of Ballots, Amusing and Otherwise.

LONDON, July 7.—Fleet-street, the Parkrow of London, and the neighborhood of the National Liberal Club, of which Mr. Gladstone is president, are daily crowded with shouting Britons up to midnight. Boys are selling extras on the streets far into the west end, and the liveried servants of the big clubs in Pall Mall, Piccadilly and St. James-street are continually rushing out to buy newspapers containing the latest returns.

As the Most Rev. Conway, Bishop of Killala, was driving in the direction of Crossmolina, Ireland, a woman ran out of a cottage and threw a pail of slops into his face.

George Frye, the biggest bookmaker in England, to-day performed an unprecedented electioneering feat. He drove from his residence at Beula Hill, voted at Wimbledon at 8 o'clock, then was off to London Bridge and on to Tottenham, where he possesses property. After voting there he journeyed to Ealing, where he was also entitled to a vote, and reaching Paddington in time to catch the Flying Dutchman reached Porlock, West Somersetshire, in time to record the vote he possessed there.

BROKEN HEADS IN IRELAND.

A Priest Shows Scalp Wounds and Makes Many Votes.

DUBLIN, July 7.—While an anti-Parnellite meeting at Ballina, County Mayo, today was being addressed by Mr. John Dillon and Mr. Daniel Crilly, candidate in the North Mayo district, Rev. Father Conway, who was on the platform, bared his head and showed severe scalp wounds that had been inflicted by Parnellites. Thereupon over 100 Parnellite voters who were present declared that they would desert the Parnellites and cast their ballots for Mr. Crilly.

BALFOUR WELL PLEASED.

The Unionists, He Says, Are Unconquered and Unconquerable.

LONDON, July 7.—After the result of the polling in the East Division of Manchester had been announced, Mr. Balfour, the successful candidate, made an address to an enthusiastic assemblage of his constituents and others at the Manchester Conservative Club.

He congratulated his hearers that the attempts of their opponents during the past six years to discredit their policy and to vilify the less intelligent portion of the waverers who had abstained from voting in 1886.

The polls were now as great as at any crisis in English history. Against an enormous voting power the Unionists had shown that they stood unconquered and, he ventured to say, unconquerable.

Mr. Balfour concluded by declaring that this night's work augured well for the future of the country.

FROM MANY STANDPOINTS.

Casting the Horoscope From Returns Already In.

LONDON, July 7.—The Daily News says: The more cheering progress made by the Liberals yesterday strengthens the inference in favor of the return of Gladstone by an absolute if not substantial majority.

Gladstone addressed a meeting in the town of Corstorphine, Scotland, yesterday. He said he was satisfied with the result of the polling in London, but confessed that "the classes" were against him. He deplored the Liberal defeat in Perth, but rejoiced in having a majority of the Scottish votes. He was confident Scotland desired justice for Ireland.

The Edinburgh correspondent of The Daily Telegraph says: Mr. Gladstone's reception in Midlothian has been far less enthusiastic than usual. His friends admit that the vote in 1885 may be reduced by thousands of votes. The indications are there will be far greater reductions than his friends concede, if his majority is not entirely wiped out.

The Freeman's Journal and The National Press, anti-Parnellite, commenting on the elections, say the smashing victory of O'Brien and Healy in Cork over the combined forces of Unionists and Redmondism is a splendid beginning. The heaviest blow Home Rule has yet sustained was the defeat of Thomas Sexton in West Belfast.

The Chronicle, after again reminding the Liberal party that their losses are due to disregard of the claims of labor, calls the Battersea victory the prize result of the London elections. "Nothing equals it," says The Chronicle, "in significance and social value. John Burns is the Premier-elect of London."

The Times says: "Weighed as well as counted in the balance the Gladstonian gains do not amount to much. * * * The most striking phenomenon on the Unionist side is the imposing Unionist vote in Birmingham. The Liberal-Unionist would remain a power in the state, even if they disappeared from the rest of the country, so long as Joseph Chamberlain is able to marshall such an imposing array."

The Standard (Conservative) considers that the Liberal attack on London failed, whilst it will take many minor advantages to console them for Birmingham's demonstration. It adds: "Mr. Burns is likely to prove a thorn in the flesh of his nominal allies. Unless the Lsberals do much better than yesterday their enterprise is doomed to disastrous failure."

A CONFLICT OF LUNGS.

Gladstone Encounters a Brewer With a Huge Manuscript.

GLASGOW, July 7.—Mr. Usher, a brewer, "heckled" Mr. Gladstone at Corstorphine yesterday. Usher was armed with a huge manuscript, from which he read question after question. Finally Gladstone turned to Usher and pointing and shaking his finger, said, "I am not responsible for this gentleman's understanding."

This retort brought forth vociferous cheering that continued for three minutes.

"I am responsible," continued Mr. Gladstone, "for the understanding the Almighty has been pleased to lodge here," tapping his head as he spoke, "but I am not responsible for the understanding Almighty God has been pleased to lodge in that skull of his," pointing to Mr. Usher.

Mr. Gladstone next replied to a question about boycotting, when Mr. Usher demanded, "Would you accept an alliance with the Parnellites if you could get it."

Mr. Gladstone trembled with indignation. He paused for a moment and then began: "I wish, my friend, that—"

Here the crowd shouted "Don't answer." The chairman of the meeting declared that the question was impertinent and said he would not allow it.

Mr. Usher, undaunted, continued his questioning. He asked: "Who have been the supporters of law and order hitherto in Ireland."

Mr. Gladstone replied: "Not the present Government for in 1887 they shot down by constabulary and soldiers three innocent men who were engaged in a Liberal and peaceable meeting, and this gentleman supports them," concluded Mr. Gladstone, emphasizing his words with resounding thumps upon the table.

A resolution of confidence in Mr. Gladstone was proposed. Farmer Gray moved a counter-resolution. Mr. Usher's son seconded Mr. Gray's motion, and seven votes were cast in favor of it. Mr. Gladstone replying to this vote, said he was glad the amendment was moved, as it tested the sentiment of the meeting. While Mr. Gladstone continued, one of his supporters kept shouting, "Five hands and a stick"