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THE DOMINION IN BRIEF

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The liberals of East Peterboro meet on the 28th to choose a candidate for the Legislature. Montreal volunteers are trying to arrange a monster military review for next Queen's Birthday.

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The plans for the proposed bridge over the St. Lawrence, from Longueuil to Montreal East, representing a bridge very much like that recently completed over the Firth of Forth.

The young man James McIntosh, reported being drowned at Spirit Lake, Iowa, is supposed to be the son of Mr. David McIntosh, the well known cattle drover of St. Thomas.

An action for slander for \$5,000 is threatened against Joe Hess, temperance lecturer, by Mr. Thomas Dunn, of the Palace restaurant Peterboro, whose place he scathingly denounced.

The dead body of a newly-born infant was found this afternoon on the steps of the door of the Jesuit church in Quebec city. It is supposed to be a case of infanticide and the detectives are working it up.

The license commissioners of West Elgin have adopted the rules of last year clause by clause and decided that no holders of a shop license should be either directly or indirectly concerned in any other business.

Richard Wickett, son of John Wickett, Orwell, aged 17, arrested some days ago on several charges of obtaining goods from merchants by false representation at St. Thomas pleaded guilty to three indictments.

Louis Laroche, a rich farmer of St. Charles de Bellechasse, and a municipal councillor, suicided by running a sharp pointed stick several times into his abdomen. He had been partially insane for some time past.

J. Huich, a farmer living near Minnedosa, Man., left home three weeks ago and has not been heard from since. It is thought he is lost, and his neighbours are searching for him.

It is stated that the work of laying the double track on the Grand Trunk railway between Hamilton and Toronto will be commenced this week, and that the intention is to complete twenty miles this season.

The remains of Alex. Brodie, Jun., son of Alex. Brodie, of Kintyre, were found on the Michigan Central Railway track one mile east of Rodney, horribly mangled. On the person of the deceased were found two whiskey bottles.

Early on Saturday morning the residence of Mr. Livingston, a farmer of St. Raymond, Que. was burned to the ground. Mr. and Mrs. Livingston were absent from home at the time, but their two children, who were in the house, were burned to death.

NEWS OF THE WORLD.

The Berlin Labor Conference was opened on Saturday. Italy will establish a smokeless powder factory at Terzi. Cretan refugees are returning to assist their friends in Crete.

Intense excitement prevails through the Transvaal Republic. A new Methodist University is to be built at Sioux City, Iowa. The Pope has announced the formation of a hierarchy in Japan.

Rich gold discoveries have been made in the State of Durango. King Humbert has given \$200,000 to erect a monument to Mazzini. Lord Harrington expects to return to England shortly after Easter.

The coal miners of Yorkshire, Lancashire and Derbyshire have struck. A landslide at Troy, N. Y., demolished a house and killed three people. Evangelist Moody is conducting a series of successful revivals in New York.

Financial reverses have overtaken the Larned State Bank of Larned, Kas. Several members of the family of the Shah of Persia are prostrated with la grippe. Mr. Whitlaw Reid, United States minister to Paris, has left Havre for New York.

Holzman & Deutchberger, manufacturers of cigars in New York, have failed; liabilities \$20,000. Lady Manderville is said to be the comtesse who recently advertised to present ladies at court for \$100.

Twelve thousand Nottinghamshire miners have joined in the strike for an advance of three pence. Frank Grady, of Allegheny City, Pa., murdered his two children at an early hour Saturday morning.

The Pan-American Conference have arrived at no decision yet with reference to the New York jail on Saturday after considerable difficulty. At Batesville, Ark., the White River rose 33 feet in 24 hours, and all the lower part of the town is flooded.

William H. Stayner secured his release from New York jail on Saturday after considerable difficulty. The distress along the Mississippi among the blacks on account of the rising of the river is increasing daily.

Col Sellers, a Pittsburg capitalist, declares that he has purchased all the street railroads in Buffalo and Rochester. Congress will be asked to subsidize one or more steamship lines between the U. S. and Brazil and Rio de la Plata.

The strike of the yard switchmen and brakemen in the Pittsburg & Lake Erie yards has been completely broken. A boiler explosion caused the death of two men near Scranton, Pa., and injured many others so that they may die.

There is a good prospect of the Bill authorizing the construction of a tunnel under the Detroit River going through the U. S. Congress. Negroes from the Arkansas side were discovered cutting the wires near Roseton, Miss., Friday night and were shot and killed by the guard.

A Charleston despatch says Mrs. Harrison made a most favorable impression on the people there. The presidential party were warmly received. The executive of the United Brotherhood (the Clan-na-Gael) has issued a call for a national convention, but the place and date are not indicated.

A movement is on foot to erect a monument to Major Short and Sgt. Wallick, who died while fighting the flames at the St. Sauveur fire in May. Charles W. Ladue, of Germantown, has suicided by hanging himself. He had been depressed by the explosion in the Moska colliery. An unlocked lamp beside the corpse of a workman explains the explosion.

Representative Flower has given notice that he will move to make the guarantee fund in the Chicago World's Fair Bill \$10,000,000, instead of \$5,000,000. At Brown, Clinton county, Iowa, Henry Nurse, a wealthy farmer, was found murdered in his home, and his wife was seriously wounded. The murderer is unknown.

It is estimated that nearly 100,000 miners are on strike in England. The price of coal is rapidly advancing and it is expected a number of factories will have to shut down. The body of Rowland Leach, a New York drummer who had been mysteriously missing for several days, was fished out of the river near Market street, Chicago. He was no doubt murdered.

The levee at New Orleans broke, and the portion of the city upon the river is entirely submerged. The water is all through the streets, and being pumped out at the back part of the city into Lake Pontchartrain. There is now a strong probability that the divorce suit of Captain O'Shea against his wife and Mr. Parnell will not reach trial before the fall. Mr. Parnell has asked and obtained further and fuller details of the times and places of the alleged adultery.

John Lin, a Chinese landman, drew a \$15,000 prize in a lottery. He entrusted the money to another Chinaman, Joe Tighe, to deposit for him. It is now learned that Joe did not deposit the money and his whereabouts are unknown. It is supposed he has gone to Frisco. The United States steamer Dispatch went ashore at 4 o'clock Saturday on Cedar Point shoal. The steamer Suse pulled on the Dispatch until 3 1/2 this morning but failed to move her. It is thought the vessel will remain ashore until a lull in the northwest wind permits the water to rise in the river.

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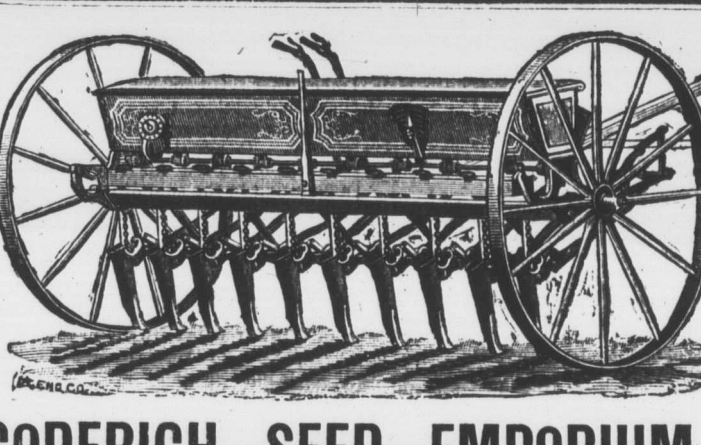
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