

DOMINION NEWS NOTES

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Mr. Justice Robertson yesterday handed down a judgment for \$70,381 and interest from September, 1888, and the writ against the Grand Trunk Railway in favor of the County of Halton. This sum represents the bonus given by that county to the Hamilton & Northwestern Railway, and is claimed back because of violation of the condition under which it was given, namely, that the road should not be transferred to or combined with any other road. It afterwards became and is now a part of the Grand Trunk.

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ELOPED WITH A DOMESTIC.

A Rochester Man's Escapade with a Hagerstown Girl. HAMILTON, Jan. 20.—Last night a well-dressed man about 30 years of age, accompanied by a woman mostly dressed in black, entered the Grand Trunk Railway at the N. E. W. station in King-street. The man registered in a large, bold hand, "Robert Gibson and wife, Bradford." They were assigned a room and their baggage (consisting of two trunks) was taken to their room. A few hours later word was received by the police from Hagerstown asking them to locate a runaway couple. Gibson, however, kept out of the way and it was not until this morning that it was discovered that he and the woman who was with him were the runaways. Enquiry developed the fact that Gibson was from Rochester, N. Y., and that the girl was formerly a domestic in his home there. About five weeks ago he came to Hagerstown to visit friends. He found his former domestic living with her parents there and they decided to elope. They accordingly took the train yesterday and came to this city. Gibson is supposed to be only an assumed name, but the man's real name is not known. The runaways took the early morning train for Toronto.

Mr. Robert Ferguson of Beverly, was elected warden by the County Council this morning, the balloting resulting in a tie and Anagar giving the casting vote. No settlement was reached at the conference between the aldermen and the officials of the Grand Trunk Railway. Robert O. Fielding, a well-dressed Englishman, is under arrest charged with giving a forged note of \$245 as security for a board bill at the Victoria Hotel.

SOUTH PERTH REFORMERS.

Messrs. Fry and Ballantyne Chosen as the Party's Standard Bearer. MICHIGAN, Jan. 20.—At a convention of Reformers of the South Riding of Perth, held at Pullerton village, Mr. W. C. Macgregor was elected president and T. H. Race, secretary-treasurer. There was a large representation from all parts of the riding. James Fry, M.P., was unanimously chosen to represent the Reform party for the Commons, and Thomas Ballantyne, M.L.A., for the Assembly.

Death of a Venerable Man.

BELLEVILLE, Jan. 20.—Joseph P. Huyck, the oldest inhabitant of the city, died this morning in his 97th year. Deceased, who was a veteran of 1812, was for upwards of 70 years a Freeman, being the oldest member of the craft in Canada and the oldest but one on this continent. He will be buried on Friday.

A ROW IN WASHINGTON.

The Wild Scenes of Reconstruction Days Revived at Washington.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—The wildest and most tumultuous scene since reconstruction times was enacted in the House to-day over the motion to take up the Smith-Jackson West Virginia election case. After the House had passed the bill relieving the political disability of D. C. Smith of Texas, Mr. Dalsell (Rep., Pa.) called up the West Virginia contested election case.

Mr. Crisp (Dem., Ga.), raised the question of consideration, and filibustering at once began. On this the Democrats generally refused to vote. While the role was being called Speaker Reed noted the names of those present and not voting. When the vote was announced it was found that 161 votes were in the affirmative and 2 in the negative.

Mr. Crisp at once raised the point of "no quorum" and Speaker Reed directed the clerk to record the names, a list of which he had kept, of members not voting but present. A loud shout of approval was raised on the Republican side. Then as the names of the Democrats were read by the Speaker the members got up in their places and protested against their names being recorded against their will.

Mr. Breckenridge (Dem., Ky.) when his name was called took the floor and denounced the action of the Speaker as "revolutionary." With this the Democrats stood up and cheered him, or shouted their protests by cries of "Clear" which the Republicans characterized as the "rebel yell."

The scene at this moment on the floor of the House was one of tumult and riot. When quiet was partially restored Speaker Reed said he was simply announcing a fact, not voting for members. Subsequently he made a long statement in justification of his course, quoting precedents to maintain the correctness of his position. Other speakers followed and Mr. McKinley (Rep., O.) had the floor when the House agreed to adjourn without a division. The matter will come up again to-morrow.

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When She's Engaged.

Have you ever noticed what a difference there is in a girl's manner when she gets engaged to be married? writes one of the fair correspondents. She firsts as much as ever, of course, and even a little more, for it seems as though a semi-appropriated name had more charms for the male first than those whose hearts have not captivated. The difference lies in the manner to others girls of the engaged one. Even the gentlest and nicest assume slight airs of superiority, as though the problem of settlement in life having been settled for them they were now competent to guide and advise all other young women.

If the fiancé be young and handsome, they are generally too much absorbed in him to pay much attention to any one else; but if he be middle aged and very rich they find abundance of leisure to place at the disposal of their friends. This they employ principally in discussing their own prospects, settling what color their liveries shall be and in arranging the various details of their establishment. But a little spot is pardonable at such a time, and they are seldom so wholly occupied with their own concerns as to forget to quietly ask their girl friends, "You must stay with me, and we will see what can be done." Or, "Mary, you must give up your carriage for years and years, if ever. I shall have dark, tan colored liveries, picked out with crimson, etc."

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To Beat an Egg.

Any child knows how to beat an egg, which is true so far as that any one by dint of patience and a fork can beat an egg to a froth, but one person will take fifteen minutes and have it less light than another in five. The one will beat fast, arming the fork back and forth, but will lift the egg, as it were, with each beat and throw it over the fork. This is the proper way and does the work in half the time. Acquire the habit of beating eggs, or anything else, from the elbow, or using the whole arm; the fatigue will be lessened. The use of eggs is not to imply they are better for cakes, such a formidable task in our mothers' days, a very light one in ours, but for "beating just one egg a fork, even now, is often more convenient. Even with a beater, however, the best results are obtained by observing certain rules. In hot weather leave the eggs in ice-water or on ice for some time before using. It is not a good plan, however, to keep all your eggs on ice, because they then become so thoroughly chilled that in boiling them you can not estimate the time required, and should they become frosted they are inferior for all purposes. In beating the whites of eggs a tiny pinch of salt will tend to facilitate the work.

The prisoners of the Michigan State Penitentiary have hit upon a new scheme to show to their visitors the degree of esteem each one is held in by the prison authorities. They have petitioned for the privilege of wearing a gray suit as a badge of good behavior. The conditions were prepared by the prisoners themselves, and have been accepted by the officers. To entitle a prisoner to don the gray, he must sign a special agreement to implicitly obey all the rules and regulations of the prison, in spirit as well as in letter, and must for six months have received the highest possible rating for good behavior. With these conditions fully met the convict becomes entitled to implicitly obey all the rules and regulations of the prison, in spirit as well as in letter, and must for six months have received the highest possible rating for good behavior. With these conditions fully met the convict becomes entitled to implicitly obey all the rules and regulations of the prison, in spirit as well as in letter, and must for six months have received the highest possible rating for good behavior.

A Gentleman.

A true gentleman is as courteous and kind in his manner to the lowliest as to the greatest—to those at home as to those abroad. His kindness and courtesy are not for the purpose of earning a good impression on others, but the offering of a good impression to satisfy the demands of the gentlemanly spirit in his own heart. A man whose heart is filled with true kindness is a gentleman everywhere. He is kind and gentle to all.

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