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PART 1.

## THE BRITISH ELECTIONS.

No Change in the Tide—The Unionists Will Have a Large Majority.

Where Liberals Succeeded in Holding Seats Former Figures Are Greatly Cut.

London, July 22.—3 p.m.—The result of the elections up to the present is: Conservatives, 298; Unionists, 52; Total, 350. Liberals, 111; McCarthyites, 53; Parnellites, 7; Labor, 2. Total, 173.

Mr. Joseph Cowan, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, has received the following congratulations of your fellow-countrymen in Newcastle for Jailer Morley's defeat. Hurrah for the Conservatives! Signed, Wm. Redmond, J. Egan, J. C. Kent, R. J. O'Brien.

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## IN THE EASTERN PROVINCES

A Young Frenchman Leaps Over a Precipice at the Falls of Montmorency.

New Brunswick Thrown from His Carriage and Killed—Other Accidents.

Quebec, July 22.—Four young men named Francis Prevost, Paul Cote, J. Berthum and J. Caron started to descend a steep slope at Montmorency Falls, when Cote slipped and fell a distance of fifty feet and sustained serious injuries. Caron and Berthum started to assist him, when Prevost, who had been drinking, threw off his coat and hat and leaped over the precipice, landing on the rocks 20 feet below. He was terribly mangled and death must have been instantaneous. Cote cannot recover from his injuries.

Quebec, July 22.—The three-year old daughter of Alfred Thibault was fatally injured on Saturday. She was struck by a horse.

Toronto, July 22.—William J. Bains, stockbroker, died on Saturday afternoon, aged 52.

Bradford, Ont., July 22.—The twelve-year old son of Wm. Craig of West Gwillimbury was killed by a horse.

Montreal, July 22.—Andrew Boyd, of the late firm of Boyd, Gillies & Co., who went to Liverpool on the steamer Mariposa, will be brought back to Canada at the instance of Crown Prosecutor Quinn. He is wanted by the authorities in connection with the trial of Chas. Jenkins and John Hayes on the charge of incendiarism. The destruction by fire of the above named firm's warehouse a few weeks ago gave a clue to the detectives in running down the firebugs. It is reported that Jenkins will turn Queen's evidence. The police have failed to establish any connection between the men arrested and the New York firebugs.

Montreal, July 22.—Benjamin Gerroir, a retired farmer of Cote des Neiges, was crushed by an electric car on Saturday evening at Park and Mount Royal squares.

Toronto, July 22.—Wm. Hancock, a young man in the employ of Kilgour Bros., was drowned in the Humber river on Saturday by the upsetting of a boat.

Winnipeg, July 22.—Alex. J. Smith, late Manitoba government immigration agent here, died suddenly on Saturday night.

St. John, N. B., July 22.—Jas. Gibbon, postmaster of Collins, King Co., was thrown from his carriage on Saturday and instantly killed.

Lucille Palmer and Her Company Return on the Topeka.

Miss Lucille Palmer and her company of players arrived from Alaska yesterday on the steamship City of Topeka and are quartered at the New England. Their trip to Alaska was a most pleasant one in every respect. They played to very good houses, were treated with the greatest kindness by all, and saw the points of interest that draw thousands of tourists annually. They played an extended engagement at Juneau, but only appeared once at Sitka, and were very successful at both places. They had the honor of being the first regular company that ever played in Sitka, and the occasion was made a memorable one both by the citizens and company. At Juneau on July 4th H. H. Brook Blinn delivered the oration, and Mr. Hoyte read the Declaration of Independence. The company presented their entire repertoire and won applause in everything they gave. Miss Palmer was very highly praised for her work, as were Messrs. Blinn and Hoyte. A Times man saw Miss Palmer and several of her company at the New England last evening. They chatted very pleasantly of their trip, of which every one spoke in praise. They say they simply had a splendid time. The venture was considerably better than a financial standpoint than they had expected. It was quite an undertaking to jump from San Francisco to Juneau, with only the two towns to play in when they got there. The trip was more an excursion than anything else. Miss Palmer was brave enough to say that her glacier was a disappointment. She liked the scenery, as she does that of British Columbia. She is a bright woman who stands in the theatrical profession with more than the average ability and adaptability for it.

To-night the company play "The Yellow Curtain" with "The Setting Sun" for a certain raiser. "The Yellow Curtain" is by Mr. Hoyte, a member of the company, and is spoken of as a very bright comedy-drama.

Stambuloff's Murder a Crime of Yengeance.

## ROYAL CITY NEWS.

Three Hotelkeepers at Steveston Arrested for Selling Liquor.

New Westminster, July 22.—A Chinese cook on the steamer City of Nanaimo attacked one of the deck hands yesterday with a knife and cut him badly. The trial comes off on Wednesday.

All three hotelkeepers at Steveston have been arrested for selling liquor without a license. There were no licenses at Steveston, but more liquor is sold there now than anywhere in the province.

The salmon catch last night was good, but not up to expectations. The average all round was close to 100 to a boat. Many boats are fishing half way across the gulf and the crowd of nets at the mouth of the river is great.

ARRIVAL OF THE ASILOU.  
A Pleasant Voyage of Seventeen and a Half Days From the Orient.

The steamship Asilou, of the O. R. & N. steamship line, docked at the outer wharf at 3 o'clock this morning, 17½ days from Yokohama. She had a remarkably smooth passage across, the water at all times being none too rough for a sea boat, but lots of fog was encountered. She has aboard 3,500 tons of cargo, mostly tea and silk. But 120 tons were discharged here. As passengers she brought 12 Chinese, all of whom were landed at this port.

For a tramp steamer the Asilou, whose registered tonnage is 1827, is an exceptionally fine craft. She was built in Glasgow a few years ago and has since been engaged in the tea trade between Assam and Hongkong. Her first charter was to carry a cargo of guns from Havre to Yokohama for the Japanese. She will likely be permanently employed by the O. R. & N. S. S. Co. Her officers are: Capt. Murray, Chief Officer Reid, Second Officer Wraith, Third Officer Gunn and Purser Gomez. Her crew is composed of natives of Manila.

The Asilou left Yokohama on July 5, and her crew have much to say of the grand way in which the "glorious" vessel was celebrated by the American residents and the crew of the U.S.S. Baltimore, which was in port.

FIGHTING IN CUBA.  
The Fierce Struggle Continues—Report of Insurgent Defeat.

Havana, July 18.—A detachment of the Second Battalion of Marine Infantry at San Diego de Llave, province of Santa Clara, engaged a band of insurgents. Gen. Lugue, having been informed that the insurgent leader, Bermudez, intended to break the village of San Diego de Llave, ordered a detachment of 630 men of the marine infantry and fifteen volunteers to defend the place. The troops, upon arriving at the scene of operations, found that the village was surrounded by about 300 insurgents, who had been keeping up a heavy fire on the little garrison. The latter resisted gallantly until the reinforcements arrived, when the marines, under Capt. Duenas, attacked, routed and dispersed the insurgents, who left twelve dead and twenty wounded on the field. Bermudez and his lieutenant, Limeres, were wounded. Capt. Duenas was slightly wounded in the hand, but kept on in pursuit of the insurgents, and the news of further fighting is expected at any moment.

The band of insurgents, commanded by the committee of autonomists, at Cienfuegos, in the Sagua district, have raised a band of insurgents. There was prolonged fighting on Sunday last at Cienfuegos, near Barrancas, three leagues from Manzanillo. Firing was heard from nine o'clock in the morning until five o'clock in the evening. Gomez is understood to have left the province of Puerto Principe, intending to unite his forces with those of insurgents at Corijo. There is said to be bad feeling between Masso and Maceo, and it is reported that the bands of the insurgents under these two leaders are almost ready to fight each other. The cause of this ill-feeling is said to be that Masso's whites are not willing to serve under the colored officers, and the whites are also reported to be opposed to burning property and killing defenceless people. It is added that Masso is desirous of leaving Cuba.

FIRE IN TORONTO.  
Pink & Co.'s Mills, on Jarvis Street, Burned—Loss, \$20,000.

Toronto, July 20.—Just before midnight a fire broke out in the watch-house of Pink & Co.'s mill, stock and marine store dealers, Jarvis street. The damage, which is partially covered by insurance, exceeds \$20,000.

NOT APPRECIATED.  
Nat Goodwin's Play not Appreciated in England.

London, July 22.—Nat Goodwin started to-day upon a five weeks' bicycle tour of England. Just before his departure Mr. Goodwin read the play "In Missouri," to William Terriss, who decided that it was unsuitable for English production. Mr. Goodwin said: "I have given up all hopes of acting in London. The English do not want American acting, and it is the height of folly to go against their wishes. England is a delightful place for Americans to visit and spend money, but not to act in."

## WON THE QUEEN'S PRIZE.

A Canadian Sharpshooter Wins the Great Prize at Bisley on Saturday.

Great Enthusiasm Among Canadians—First Time Prize Won by Canada.

London, July 20.—Private T. H. Hayhurst, of Hamilton, Canada, won the Queen's prize at Bisley to-day, this being the first time the prize has been won by Canada.

First stage, 200, 500 and 600 yards, 7 shots, 55 points.  
Second stage, 600 yards 10 shots, 600 yards, 15 shots, 102 points.  
Third stage, 800 and 900 yards, 10 shots, 82 points.  
Total, 239 points.

Hayhurst and Private Boyd, of the Third Lanarkshire Regiment, tied with 273, and to decide the tie they fired three shots at 900 yards range. The two marksmen shook hands, and by agreement each had a sighting shot. Boyd firing first made a bulls-eye, and Hayhurst followed with a magpie. Then the score commenced. Boyd led with an inner, 4 points, to an outer, 2, for Hayhurst. When Boyd fired again the target did not move, and the shot being challenged the spectators waited in breathless silence while in response to a challenge the target was lowered for examination. The challenge did not avail, however, as the shot was found to be a miss—which would be the outcome of even a slight tremor at this range. Hayhurst with his second shot got an inner, and as the men laid down to fire the third round, it was known that Hayhurst had only to make another inner to win. This he did. Boyd with his third shot found the bulls-eye, but his total was only 9, to 10 for the Canadian sharpshooter.

Hayhurst was carried in triumph to the enclosure, where his rifle was tested and found correct in pull, and the gold badge was pinned on his breast. Boyd is one of the leading marksmen of Scotland. He made 103 out of a possible 105 at the Darnley meeting.

The Queen's prize consists of £250, the annual gift of Her Majesty Queen Victoria ever since the first N. R. A. meeting in 1860. With it the association present a gold medal and gold badge; and the winner is entitled to have the highly honorable distinction bestowed (G. M.) placed after his name whenever it appears in a rifle shooting prize.

Private T. H. Hayhurst came to Canada a few years ago, and joined the Thirteenth Battalion of Hamilton. He intended to buy one of the Canadian rifles, and at the D. R. A. meeting at Ottawa last fall secured first place on the team for 1895, having been fourth in the grand aggregate and moving up to the front by his score of 94 in the government's general's match. His Excellency's prize being taken with 95 on that occasion. Before coming to Canada he was a member of the 1st Volunteer Battalion of North Lancashire and represented that corps when in 1891 (the only occasion previous to this year) he secured a place in the final stage of the Queen's.

Mitchell T. Ward, a large, distinguished-looking man who palmed himself off here some months ago as a wealthy railroad contractor with extravagant tastes, is being searched for by the San Francisco police for swindling a widow named Mrs. McLellan, who also lived in Toronto. Mrs. McLellan followed Ward to San Francisco and found that he had just married a woman in Alameda. Ward is an all around swindler, so the American papers say, and has done everything from selling gold bricks that were not gold to beating hotels for his board.

Mrs. Fanny Russell, wife of Louis Russell, an employe of the Tramway Co., died yesterday at her home, corner of Craigflower road and Katherine street, as the result of an operation performed several months ago. The deceased was 24 years of age. The funeral will take place at 2 o'clock to-morrow afternoon from the residence and at 2.30 from the Victoria West Methodist church.

## SEND TO-DAY.

Ladies and gentlemen, be alive to your own interest. There has recently been discovered and is now for sale by the undersigned, a truly wonderful "Hair Grower" and "Complexion Whiteners." This "Hair Grower" will actually grow hair on a bald head in six weeks. A gentleman who has no beard can have a thrifty growth in six weeks by the use of this wonderful "Hair Grower." It will also prevent the hair from falling. By the use of this remedy boys raise an excellent moustache in six weeks. Ladies, if you want a surprising head of hair, have it immediately by the use of this "Hair Grower." I also sell a "Complexion Whiteners" that will in one month's time make you as clear and white as the skin can be made. We never knew a lady or gentleman to use two bottles of this Whiteners for they all say that before they finished the second bottle they were as white as they would wish to be. After the use of this Whiteners, the skin will forever retain its color. It also removes freckles, etc. The "Hair Grower" is 50 cents per bottle, and the "Face Whiteners" 50 cents per bottle. Either of these remedies will be sent by mail, postage paid, to any address on receipt of price. Address all orders to R. RYAN, 350 Clarendon St., Ottawa, Ont.

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