WHY WE ARE PROSPEROUS

AS EXPLAINED TO THE WEST TORONTO WORKINGMEN

At St. Andrew's Hall Last Night—A Great Meeting of Mr. Beaty's Supporters—How the N. P. Cures Our Ills and Makes Us Smile.

add Beaty

The mass meeting at St. Andrew's hall last night in favor of Mr. James Beaty for West Toronto was very largely attended, the hall being crowded to the doors. The meeting was unusually orderly and the speakers were attentively listened to. Mr. Edward Gurney was voted to the chair.

A BOOST FOR THE N. P.

The chairman was the first speaker of the evening and he made a thoroughly protectionist address. He had given the reform party as fair a trial as any manufacturer could possibly do, and he had finally to come under the banner of the great conservative party, which, through its wise fiscal policy, had made the stove manufacturing industry, in which he had invested his money, a success, and one which could compete with outsiders. The speaker was loudly applauded at the close of his remarks.

PROTECTION AND TRUNKS.

Ald. Clarke then came forward amid much applause. He thanked the N.P. for the prosperity which had been showered upon him and his works. The abundant harvests of the past two years was also in a measure to be classed as a reason why we were prosperous. The present ministry should be accorded a great deal of credit for the skill exhibited when called in to prescribe for our country which had been for years prostrate from the effects of the unhealthy potions administered by Mr. Mackenzie's physicians. Was it reasonable to suppose that the workingmen of West Toronto, who were now so prosperous, would again trust their affairs to these same gentlemen, who would renew their doses of free trade pills and nostrums and leave them (the workingmen) with little work and low wages? [Cries of "No, no."] The invigorating tonic for our manufacturers was to be found in the N. P. They had now been taking that tonic for four years, and he did not think that any in the hall wanted to go back to the old doctors. [Cheers.] We did not want to make Canada a slaughter ground for American manufactures. Referring to the coal tax, he said he would not enter into a metaphysical argument as to who paid the 50 cents duty, but everyone admitted that the tax was very unpopular; and there might be here and there other items in the tariff which did not please us all; but as a whole it was the best that had yet been given to Canada. He had been a workingman once and he was yet, in a manner. He was glad to observe the improved condition of the mechanics of Canada. They were good coats now and were able to pay for them, too. [Loud cheers.] He went into figures and compared the state of affairs under the policy of 1878 and that of 1882. He would admit that house-rent and the cost of living had considerably increased, but then look at the higher rate of wages now received by workingmen. The increase in the price of living in 1882 averaged 12 cents more than it did in 1878. [He was speaking of the mechanics living]. The increase in wages was from 16 to 60 cents per day. He would take the average all round at 25 cents, but in reality it was 30 cents. Therefore every working man was better off by between $25 to $50 per year. He thought, however, that our mechanics were living rather extravagantly, but whether they spent their money or saved it, they were better off by between $25 to $50 per annum. In his (trunk) factory in 1878 he paid between $25,000 and $30 000 for wages, and the men were working on short time. But now, thanks to the N. P., $50,000, or nearly double, were paid in wages every year. This vast sum of money from one factory alone, wrs nearly all spent among retail traders of West Toronto, and were the workingmen of the division going to elect a man who would vote with party that would close up his factory ... wipe out this large pay list? [Cries of "You bet we wont."] Although the wages were much higher now than in 1878, he was selling goods 10 per cent lower than he was in that year. There was a nut for political economists to crack. [The speaker here held up two little books. One, a very miniature affair, represented his price-list in 1878, and the other, a book treble its bulk, represented the price-list of 1882.] Look upon this picture and then upon this. One represented Sir John Macdonald and the other Sir Richard Cartwright. [The large one was meant for Sir John—Rep.] He was a personal friend of Mayor McMurrich, and if he (McMurrich) went up to Oxford he would like to see him elected; but he could not swallow the idea of his worship seeking election in conservative West Toronto. [Cheers and laughter.] The speaker did not want the tariff reduced to 17½ per cent, while our neighbors over the line have theirs at 40. He closed with a confidential hope that the workingmen of the west would renew their confidence in a ministry that would not change the present fiscal policy and thus keep out a plithora of foreign capital that was ready to come in when those holding it were assured that our policy would not be changed. Renew your confidence in the present ministry and you renew your own prosperity. [Cheers.]

LIGHT FROM LEGAL LAMPS.

The chairman announced that the meeting had listened to two manufacturers, and he would now call upon a lawyer to address them.

Ex.-Ald. Morris advanced to the front and said that Mr. McMurrich's only claim for election was his popularity. But he had not gained that popularity from any works of his, for he had never done anything to make him unpopular. [Laughter.] He could not believe that the level-headed gentlemen whom he saw before him would send Mr. McMurrich to Ottawa to represent them in parliament. He had scrutinized very closely Mr. McMurrich's record as alderman and he could not find one single thing that he had done for the good of those he represented at the civic board. Ald. Peter Ryan had told the speaker that they (the reformers) were going to make it an issue between the ex-mayor and the mayor. Well, then, Mr. Beaty's record would compare very favorably with the present incumbent's. The speaker read from the statutes defining the mayor's duties to prove that Mr. McMurrich had done nothing to recommend him to the electors. He (the mayor) had not looked after the health, comfort and ornamentation of the city as he was supposed to do. [A voice—"Did he not bounce Craig?"] The speaker then referred to the block pavement on Yonge street, and closed by asking what the mayor had done for the $2000 a year he received and why he (the mayor) laid so much stress on the fact that he had been called into prominence on nine different occasions.

THE CANDIDATE SPEAKS.

Mr. James Beaty was received with prolonged cheers. He would not enter into a discussion of the N. P., as Mr. Gurney and Mr. Clarke had done that subject full justice, but he would use as an argument in favor of our present prosperity the fact that from 1878 to 1881 the population of West Toronto had doubled itself, and this increased population was far better off, had more work and enjoyed more comforts than when it was just half. [A voice—"What about the soup kitchen."] He was happy to say that there were no need of soup kitchens now in this city. In 1878, when he was first elected mayor, it would have made any man's heart ache to see the swarms of people that came to him in the city hall and asked for aid of one kind or another. At the end of 1879, however, it was only the lame, the halt and blind that asked for help. He was glad to see by the report of the combined city charities that there was only one-half of the number now that went to the house of industry than there was formerly. [Cheers.] What we wanted at the present time was the N. P. so fostered and encouraged that every man, woman and child in the country who wanted work could get and receive their wages every Saturday night. [Cheers.] The speaker then referred at length to the boundary award, and made the deduction that it was Mr. Mackenzie, and Mr. Mowat who had robbed Ontario of her territory.

E. King Dodds, J. E. Rose and G. T. Blackstock closed the meeting with short speeches. Mr. Dodd's address was in a humorous vein, and he was loudly cheered.

THIRTY-TWO YEARS A REFORMER.

Robt. Ferguson said that he was a workingman and a reformer for thirty-two years, when he was finally compelled to shake the party. He had an arraignment for Mayor McMurrich, Hon. Adam Crooks and Mr. John Macdonald (wholesale merchant), but as the hour was late he would postpone his castigation of these gentlemen until next Monday night, when he would fire it out of him at Progress hall.

The meeting closed at 11:05, after a vote of thanks to Mr. Gurney and three cheers for the N. P. and Mr. Beaty.

ONTARIO MEDICAL ASSOCIATION.

The Convention Closed—The New Officers for the Ensuing Year.

The Ontario medical association re-assembled in Medical Council hall at Bay and Richmond streets yesterday forenoon, Dr. Covernton in the chair.

Dr. Palmer read a paper on "Lighting of Public Schools." He said that it was generally observed that school work frequently impairs the vision, and that it was an evil which should be specially guarded against. Most children up to five or six years of age have normal vision, and from this age up to fifteen is the period of development of myopia. From six to twenty—the school life of children—is the period when myopia becomes developed, and it is also established by careful and extensive statistics that the defect increased numerically as the pupil advanced through different grades of the school. A bad light is one of the most certain causes, situated as it often is in front of the pupil or at his side, shining with a glare on a level with his eye and producing great irritation. Badly constructed desks and seats, illy-heated and badly ventilated rooms, wet feet, cold floors, excessive study without interruption, all act deteriously to the pupil. The doctor concluded an able address by hoping that the provincial board of health would give attention to the matter and bring about such changes as were necessary to protect the health of juvenile scholars.

Dr. Holmes followed with a paper on "Tracheolorrhaphy," with more special reference to Dr. Emmett's treatment of the serive by stitching. Discussion on the question was kept up for some time, some very profitable remarks being made by Drs. Harrison, Temple, Zimmerman, McFarlane, Ryan, Canniff, Roseburgh, Gardiner, Gillies, Bray, Curry, Clemisham and Hamilton.

THE AFTERNOON SESSION.

At the afternoon session Dr. Ghent of Priceville read a paper on the "treatment of diphtheria." He recommended the use of biborate of soda and powdered sulphur.

The evening session commenced at 8 o'clock. A large proportion of the time was consumed in reading and adopting the reports of the different committees. A motion was carried that the association direct the committee on publication to allow any of the medical journals to publish any papers they choose.

Dr. Kenneth spoke strongly in favor of establishing a medical library and museum in Toronto, and on motion the following were appointed a committee to take the matter into consideration and report at the next annual meeting:—Drs. Canniff, Cameron, Holmes, Fulton, Dupois, Davidson and Powell.

The nominating committee recommended the following gentlemen as officers for the ensuing year:

President—Dr. Macdonald, Hamilton.

First vice president—Dr. Stewart, Bruce-field.

Second vice president—Dr. Daniel Clarke, Toronto.

Third vice president—Dr. Dupois, Kingston.

Fourth vice president—Dr. Harrison, Selkirk.

General secretary—Dr. White, Toronto.

Treasurer—Dr. J. E. Graham, Toronto.

Corresponding secretaries—Dr. Wm. Graham, Brussels, Dr. Burt, Paris, Dr. Coburn, Oshawa, Dr. McIntosh, Vankleek Hill.

The report of the committee was unanimously adopted, and a vote of thanks was unanimously tendered to the medical council for the use of the hall and to the different railways for having granted reduced fares to the delegates. A vote of thanks was also tendered to the secretary and retiring president. The meeting of the association was brought to a close by a speech by the president elect.

Toronto Baptist Association.

The eighth annual meeting of the Toronto association of Baptist churches will be held at Eversley June 15. The annual sermon will be preached at 10 a. m. by Rev. W. W. Willis of Collingwood. The chair will be taken by Moderator J. Denovan at the close of the sermon. A public platform meeting will be held in the evening at 8 o'clock, when addresses on home and foreign missions will be delivered by Revs. W. T. Tapscott, F. A. Holtzhausen and Prof. Newman.

Delegates will leave Toronto (city hall) at 7.50 a. m. and arrive at King station at 9.15, where they will be met by friends with carriages. Delegates from the north will arrive at 8.50 a. m.

Police Court Yesterday.

Nellie Why and William Broom were charged with assaulting Louisa Buckley at 69 Albert street. Adjourned till the 12th.

Marshall Graham, aged 12, pleaded guilty to stealing a number of articles from Mrs. Edwards. Sent to jail for a day.

J. E. Evans was up on remand for stealing articles from the American hotel. He was found guilty and sent to jail for ten days.

John Wilson got sixty days in jail for stealing two overcoats from C. H. Hallowell.

W. S. Essery, charged with leaving lumber on the street, was fined $1 and costs.

ONTARIO GRAND LODGE.

Close of the Seventh Annual Communication—Election of Officers.

The communication of the Grand lodge A. F. & A. M. of Ontario closed yesterday afternoon in the Masonic hall at Alice and Yonge streets. The officers for the ensuing year were elected and installed as follows:

THE OFFICERS.

M W Bro Stephen Bean, Toronto, G M; R W Bros Thomas Pinkerton, Pinkerton, D G M; T H McConnell, Toronto, G S W; Alex Robertson, Stratford, G J W; Rev H Hughes, Stratford, G C; J N Reid, M D, Thornhill, G T; E G Forknall, London, G R. M W Bro Jas Reith, P G M, Newtonbrook, G S; R W Bro H L Parkin, Chatham, D D G M, St. Clair district; Chas Depper, London, D D G M, London district; W T Rowland, Stratford, D D G M, Huron district; W T Clay, Thornhill, D D G M, Toronto district; W E Pethick, Bowmanville, D D G M, Ontario district; H Amor, Hamilton, D D G M, Hamilton district; V W Bro D J Bain, Paisley, G S D; V W Bro G E Hall, Whitby, G J D; V W Bro J Jacques, Oshaw, G S W; V W Bro J G Clayton, Aylmer, G D of C; V W Bro J T Mullin, M D, Brampton, G O; V W Bro J McLay, M D, Aylmer, assistant G S; V W Bro M Hossack, M D, Lucan, assistant D of C; V W Bro W T Bain, Aylmer, G P; V W Bro Wm J Williams, Chatham, G T.

THE EASTERN STAR.

At the close of the Grand lodge communication the grand chapter of Ontario of the order of "the Eastern Star" held its meeting. There were about fifty ladies present.

THE CITY IN BRIEF.

The Montreal boat was four hours late yesterday.

Extensive improvements are contemplated in the decorations of St. Michael's cathedral.

Spadina avenue Methodist church congregation held a successful conversazione last night.

The stationing committee of the Methodist conference will meet to-day at Elm street church.

The sisters of the house of providence realized $1754.89 out of their picnic at Sunnyside on May 24.

The Young Men's association of the West Presbyterian church held a picnic at High park yesterday afternoon.

James Hardyman, who took an apoplectic fit the other day at No. 1 station, died on Wednesday in the hospital.

Henry Thompson of Lombard street is at police headquarters on a charge of stealing two shirts from Michael Sullivan.

The Ryerson memorial committee met at the education department yesterday afternoon and transacted routine business.

Toronto Tribune: We are pleased to learn that The World is rapidly increasing in circulation. It well deserves its success.

A large number of pupils of the public schools gathered in Shaftesbury hall yesterday afternoon for singing rehearsal for the examinations.

Dr. G. W. Strathy's pianoforte players' classical club will give two concerts at the Horticultural gardens, one to-night and the other to-morrow afternoon.

A largely signed petition of the city residents over the Don praying for police protection has been handed to Ald. Davies for presentation to the city council.

About 550 Norwegian immigrants, who arrived at Quebec per steamship Phœnician, passed through the city yesterday noon on the G. T. R. for the western states.

Winnipeg Sun: Kerr, charged with obtaining $2100 from Clark of Toronto, was before Col. Peebles again to-day. The Colonel ordered that he be sent for trial in York county.

Councillor Walker, of Parkdale, has given notice of a by-law for authorizing the sale of $15,000 waterworks debentures, for the purpose of laying mains on streets where they are required at present.

John Lee, a brakeman on the Occidental railway, has been arrested at Montreal on a charge of stealing goods from the freight office of the Credit Valley railway here in March last, and will be brought here for trial.

The festival of Corpus Christi was observed in the different Roman Catholic churches yesterday. Bishop O'Mahony will celebrate pontifical high mass at 10 o'clock on Sunday morning. The usual procession will also be held on that day.

John Bayley, late organist of Christ church, in this city, and leader of the Queen's Own rifles band, has been appointed organist in Wesley hall, Grace church, Winnipeg. He will also take the leadership of the Field Battery band of that city.

Yesterday Capt. Turner received the following note:

HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN, TORONTO, June 7.

DEAR SIR,—I received your kind donation and agree with you that it is a "great satisfaction to have it in your power to save life and ease pain." May God double the blessing to you in soul and body. Yours sincerely, A. E. TURNER, Treasurer, H. S. C.

Rev. J. Salmon has accepted an invitation to labor in Toronto among the sailors visiting this port under the auspices of the Evangelization society. Having been a sailor himself, and being largely imbued with the evangelistic spirit, there is no doubt that his labors will be acceptable and successful.

At McFarlane's yesterday 100 acres on Bloor street, immediately north of High park, and which was to be used as a cemetery, was sold by order of the liquidators of the Mount Hope cemetery company for $23,300 to ex-Ald. J. S. McMurray. J. E. Thompson bid up to $21,000 and J. E. Smith up to $23,200. The terms of the sale are one-half cash and the balance at the end of five years, with interest at 6½ per cent, payable half-yearly.

PERSONAL.

Rev. E. Bosworth, of Mount Forest sailed from New York for England yesterday.

The health of Dr. Samson, liberal candidate for Kent, has greatly improved, and he will be able to take part in the campaign next week.

V. Kercher has resigned the contest in North Perth in favor of Robt. Jones, reeve of Logan, who comes out on the same plat form that Mr. Monteith did.

Hon. Lucius Robinson died at Newport, Vermont, yesterday, after several weeks of intense suffering. He was engaged in many financial and commercial enterprises, holding among other positions, the vice-presidency of the South Eastern railway of Canada.

A Big Bet.

A bet of $1000 was made at Oshawa last night that F. W. Glen would be re-elected for South Ontario.

How Ex-Alderman Henderson Will Vote.

Ex-Ald. Henderson called into this office yesterday morning and said that the rumor which stated that he had turned conservative was incorrect; that he had always voted reform, and could not see any reason why he should turn now.

THE IRISH CATHOLIC VOTE.

A Manly Protest Against Its Being Bartered by So-Called Leaders.

The Toronto Tribune this week publishes a manifesto to the Irish Catholic electors of Ontario in the shape of a protest against the barter of the Catholic vote, extracts from which are appended:

Your franchise is treated as a separate article of barter and sale in the political market, as unlike any other "vote," as unaffected by principles of government or public policy, and as purchasable by the political party which will give office or the promise of office, or other consideration, to certain men who impudently place themselves before the public as your leaders; and who, irrespective of every consideration of principle, in defiance of all regard for sound public policy, and in utter contempt of political consistency and personal independence, have the hardihood to call upon you to go to the polls and cast your ballots for the party to whom they have unblushingly pledged your votes, without once saying: "By your leave, gentlemen!"

Again, as before the last general election, the shameful negotiations go on, and again the thing to be captured is your "vote." Is it flattering to Irish Catholics to find that they alone should be sing'ed out and set apart from the rest of the community? That they alone should have no convictions on the merits of public questions, or on the claims of public men to popular confidence, which they may dare to express at the polls? Rather is it not high time that this insulting folly on one side, and shameless presumption on the other, should be indignantly stamped out? Is it not time that the politicians and the whole people of Canada should know that the Irish Catholics have not placed their franchises in the hands of any man or clique, as a marketable commodity to be traded off for a personal consideration.

Since the Tribune has taken its place in the field of political journalism, it has steadfastly upheld the freedom and independence of the Catholic electors, alike from trickery within and cajolery without. It has discussed the public issues of the day on their merits, and considered the claims of political parties to the confidence of the Catholic elector in the light of their actions. It has insisted, wherever there was a reasonable opportunity of doing so, that Catholics should have a fair share of representation in the party with which they are politically associated, and that their claims to a just proportion of the offices of honor and emolument at the disposal of the government should not be ignored by either party with impunity. It has endeavored in all frankness, and without even an attempt at "trimming," to convince its readers, that the principles embodied in the political creed of the great liberal party in this Dominion are those most in harmony with the best interests of our young and rising Canadian nationality; most in sympathy with the great struggle for the deliverance of the people from the curse of class oppression in the old land, and the most antagonistic to the establishment in this new country of the system of class tyranny and sectarian ascendancy, which have worked so many and such great injuries to the masses of the people in Europe. How far we have been successful our readers must judge; but we should certainly consider that our efforts had been in vain were we to permit it to go forth to the world uncontradicted, or were you to let it go at the polls unrebuked, that your votes had been bartered, in defiance of sound policy, in contempt of sound principle and merely for the sake of a few paltry offices more or less, to those who have done rather less than more to deserve them!

On the contrary, we believe that on the 17th Sept. 1878, and on the 5th June 1879, you exercised your electoral privileges,—or let us say rather discharged your duty as electors—in the spirit of personal independence and according to your individual judgment on the merits of the issues at stake; that you voted for the good of the country, according to your appreciation of the principles involved, and your estimate of the honor, the honesty and the ability of the parties who sought your confidence. We believe that you will follow the same course in the present contest; and that your self-constituted leaders and their purchasers will alone be the victims of the base and dishonoring transactions now being carried on in your name.

The Executive Committee.

Ald. Boswell occupied the chair at the executive committee meeting yesterday afternoon. A petition was read from the Toronto silver plating company asking for exemption from taxation. The matter was referred to the city commissioner to get further information. The by-law in accordance with the petitions regarding the public library was discussed. Ald. Hallam asked the committee to recommend it to the council and he would bring it up on Monday night. He would pay the expenses which will amount to $300. The committee concurred with Ald. Hallam. The matter of taxation of the Toronto lacrosse grounds was laid over to get information from the chairman of the court of revision. The property committee asked authority to construct a well and pumps at High park; and also to widen the road from the eastern entrance into the park to cost about $300. The committee wished further information regarding the improvements and sent for Commissioner Coatsworth, who explained the position of matters. The clause was struck out and the committee rose.

A Speculating Divine.

It is said that Rev. B. B. Keefer, of Wingham, has cleared $9000 by speculating on the market in the town during the past year. Potatoes is his hobby, and so much does he delight in that, that the other week he started off with a car load on Saturday and did not return to fill his pulpit jon Sabbath. He evidently likes the root.

Political Executions.

HAVANA, June 8.—Fourteen persons were recently executed at Gonaives and fourteen in St. Marie, Hayti, for political crimes.

American Ladies who have Married Titles.

The most intimate friend of Queen Victoria for the last thirty years is an American lady, Mrs. Vander Weyer; Lady Randolph Churchill, Lady Mandeville, Lady Anglesey, Lady Harcourt, Lady John Lister Kaye, Lady Fermor-Hesketh and Lady Colin Campbell are all Americans; the Princesse De Lynar of Berlin came from Columbus, Ohio; the Princesse De Noer, a cousin of Victoria by marriage and sister-in-law of the Dowager Queen of Denmark, was a Miss Lee of New York; the Duchesse Laute Della Novere was a Miss Davis; the Princesse Louis De Bourbon, the Duchesse De Praslin and the Roman Princesses Ceni, Brancaccio and Giustiniani are also Americans; while the crown of Holland, in the person of the late Prince of Orange, was refused five years ago by an American lady in Paris.

..... Two of the four horses which the emperor of Russia has just given to the German emperor are the identical ones that drew the late czar's carriage when he was assassinated.

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SPORTING TALK.

THE ASCOT MEETING.

ASCOT, June 8.—St. James' palace stakes, three-year-olds. Battlefield won, Garrett 2d, Lorillard's Sachem 3d; eight starters. Rous memorial stakes—Retreat won, Wolseley 2d, Carlyle 3d; Lorillard's Gerald and five others started. Twentieth new diennial stakes, two and three-year-olds, Tyndrum won, Lilac 2d, Red Spectre 3d; Lorillard's Massasoit also ran. Keene's Foxhall won the race for the gold cup valued at 1000 sovereigns, Faugh-a-Ballagh 2d and Petronel 3rd; only three ran. At the start Faugh-a-Ballagh led Petronel by almost twelve lengths, Foxhall being far behind. The leader made the running from Petronel, while Foxhall gradually closed up the gap, and coming round the last turn a quarter of a mile from home, went to the front and won easily.

CHALLENGE FROM THE CHAMPION WRESTLER.

John McMahon of Hot Springs, Ark., the champion collar-and-elbow wrestler, challenges any man in the world to a wrestling match for from $500 to $1000 a side and the championship of the world. In a letter to the Police Gazette—accompanied with $250 forfeit money—he states that he is ready to wrestle any five wrestlers in America, collar-and-elbow, Police Gazette rules, for $1000 a side; and proposes to arrange a match and wager $1000 that he can throw all the five, one fall each, inside of ten hours.

RACING AT JEROME PARK.

JEROME PARK, June 8.—First race, $500, 2 year-olds, half mile, Soubrette won, Parthenia 2d, Vintage 3d; time 49 seconds. Second race, Belmont stakes $300, 3-year-olds, 1⅛ miles, Forester won, Babcock 2d; time 2.43. Westchester cup, 2¼ miles, Thorah had almost a walk over, Grenada distanced; time 4½. Fourth race, 1¼ miles, Clarence won, Girofla 2d, Itasca 3d; time 1.59¾. Fifth race, one mile, Dank won, Mark 2d, Clarence 3d; time 1.46¼.

THE ST. LOUIS RACES.

ST. LOUIS, June 8.—First race, 1¼ miles, Lizzie S. won, Maggie Ayr 2d; time 1.56¼. Jockey club stakes, one mile, Ascender won, Bondholder 2d; time 1.46. Third race 1¼ mile heats, Pope Leo won, Rochester 2d; time 1.56¾, 2 minutes. Fourth race, one mile, Ranger won, John Henry 2d; time 1.45.

COLLAPSE OF THE WINNIPEG REGATTA.

WINNIPEG, June 8.—There will be no professional sculling races here except that between Hanlan and Ross. There will be amateur single and double scull races, and a consolation race. In the Hanlan exhibition and champion purse, the citizens have not responded as expected. The regatta will collapse through Hanlan's illness.

PREPARING TO PREVENT A PRIZE FIGHT.

WHEELING, W. Va., June 8.—The authorities have learned that a prize-fight is arranged to take place in Brook county on Monday morning between Jim Weedin and Owen Maloney of Pittsburg, for $1000 a side. The sheriff is preparing to prevent the fight.

TROTTING AT MYSTIC PARK.

BOSTON, June 8.—Mystic park. 2 38 class, $500 divided, Jack Sailor won, Frank 2d; best time 2 26¼. 2.29 class, $500 divided, Don won, Brandy Boy 2d, R. P. 3d. Stephanus of Utica 4th; best time 2.25¼.

BASEBALL GAMES YESTERDAY.

At New York—Detroits 4, Metropolitans 3.

At Louisville—Athletics 5, Louisville 4.

At New Haven—Worcesters 9, Yales 3.

At Troy—Cleveland 4, Troy 1.

FAST PACING.

REDWING, Minn., June 8.—In the races of the Northwestern circuit yesterday the pacer, Little Brown Jug, made the fastest time ever paced on a half-mile track, time 2 16¼.

NOTES.

Duncan C. Ross won the first prize in the Canadian games at Cleveland.

Eight four oared crews are in training for the club races of the Argonauts.

The Prince of Wales has been elected commodore of the royal yacht squadron.

Quincy has three female base ball nines and St. Louis and Moline have broom-brigades.

The Toronto press lacrosse club have challenged their Montreal confreres to play a match in Toronto on or about July 8.

The Grand Trunk rowing club has twelve men in training for the crew which will be sent to the regatta of the Canadian association of amateur oarsmen.

At Cincinnati Tuesday a duel occurred between Major and Prince, two well-known dogs, for $300. They fought desperately for nearly two hours. Prince was killed.

The Shamrocks are to play the Montreal club for the championship in Toronto on July 1. It is expected, also, that they will play the Torontos in the same city some time during the same month, but no date has been fixed upon.

A Scene on the Nile.

(Cincinnati Saturday Night.)

How does the little crocodile
Improve his shining tale,
And pour the waters of the Nile
On every golden scale.

How cheerfully he seems to grin,
How neatly spreads his claws,
And welcome little fishes in
With gentle smiling jaws.

Jumbo.

He is a mastodon,
For all the world has said it;
And it's greatly to his credit
That he is a mastodon!
For he might have been a monkey,
A Jackass or a flunky,
Or mayhap a unico'n!
But in spite of all temptations,
He preferred his grog and rations,
And remains a mastodon!

RAILWAY NOTES.

The G. T. R. R. company asks for a new trial in the suit brought against it by the Northern Transit company at Milwaukee. The motion for a new trial has been in argument for two days.

Traffic over the Great Western Railway of Canada for the week ending June 2 1882:—

Passengers	$39,696 00
Freight and live stock	42,351 00
Mails and sundries	3,613 00
	$85,660 00
Corresponding week of last year	90,397 00
Decrease	$4,737 00

AMERICAN DESPATCHES IN BRIEF.

The democratic state convention of Alabama yesterday nominated E. A. O'Neil for governor.

The supreme lodge of the Ancient Order of United Workmen hold their next year's meeting at Buffalo.

The Chicago glucose and grape sugar association has decided, in consequence of the probable suspension of a large number of manufactories throughout the country, to consolidate all the factories.

The shingle mill of the Grand Haven lumber company, at Grand Haven, Mich., was totally destroyed by fire last night. Loss $180,000; insurance $30,000. The mill was the largest in the world.

While suffering from delirium tremens at Cohoes, New York, yesterday, a man tried to drown his wife aged 67. A desperate struggle ensued and the woman was thrown in the river but was rescued by a young clerk.

The body of Dennis Gallagher has been found in the river at Pennsville, N. J. Three bricks were fastened to the arm. On Friday he was reported drowned by the capsizing of a boat. He had three companions. The matter is being investigated.

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