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AMERICAN ADMIRAL WOULDN'T HAVE IT.

German Threatened to Bring Warships to Bear, and Dewey Said He Would Fire on Them—Details of a Little Fight at Santiago de Cuba—Reported Capture by Spaniards of the Mangrove and Denial of the Same.

New York, May 25.—(Special to The Toronto World.)—A Manila, via Shanghai, special to The Journal says: Admiral Dewey has been threatened by the German Consul here, who, after an interview with General Augusti, commander of the Spanish army in the Philippines, tried to land food supplies from a German ship. Dewey intervened, whereupon the German Consul said he would force the landing with the aid of two German cruisers now here. Dewey replied that he would open fire on the German vessels the moment they attempted to carry out the consul's threat. The landing has not yet been made. The Germans and Spaniards here act like allies, and hold frequent conferences. Dewey is anxious for the arrival of troops.

It should be remembered Germany has not yet openly declared her neutrality.

A Shanghai special to The Journal says: Admiral Montejo, who commanded the Spanish fleet which was destroyed by Dewey, is to be court-martialled on the charge of cowardice.

A Key West special to The Sun says: Major Jova of the Cuban army, arrived to-day. He reports 300 Spaniards killed by the fire from the American ships at the bombardment of Cardenas. When the Cubans attacked Santa Clara, May 19, they found 1100 Spanish soldiers in the hospital. All had been injured in the fight with the blockading squadron.

SPANIARDS OPENED FIRE.

Details of a Little "Scrap" That Took Place at Santiago.

New York, May 24.—(Special to The Toronto World.)—A special cable despatch to The Sun from St. Thomas, Danish West Indies, says: The firing at Santiago de Cuba on Wednesday, May 18, was between the Spaniards there and two American vessels. Acting under orders from Admiral Sampson, the auxiliary cruiser St. Louis and the tug Wompatuck went to Santiago for the purpose of cutting the cable there. The cable was picked up within range of the guns of Morro Castle, and the Spaniards at once opened fire on the Americans. Two sand batteries and one mortar battery on the shore at the bottom of the height, on which the Morro is situated, joined in the firing, to which the Americans responded. The aim of the Spanish gunners was atrociously bad. The men who were detailed to cut the cable grappled for it from the deck of the St. Louis. They found it with little difficulty, and coolly lifted it to the forecastle of the St. Louis, where it was cut, the Spaniards meanwhile doing their best to disable the cruiser. The engagement was lively while it lasted. The St. Louis brought her total armament of four six-pounders into play, while the Wompatuck used her one three-pounder. With this small armament the Americans finally succeeded in silencing all but two or three of the Spanish guns.

Neither of the American vessels was seriously damaged. A topmast backstay on the St. Louis was shot away and the pilot house of the Wompatuck was slightly splintered.

One man on the St. Louis had a finger broken by a flying fragment of a shell while handling the cable.

When the Americans had completed their work at Santiago they proceeded some 20 miles to the eastward, where they entered the Bay of Guantanamo, they being under orders to cut the cable there also. While they were picking up the cable in the bay the Spanish batteries opened fire on them, but the guns being small and poorly handled were ineffective. Two well-placed shots from the St. Louis secured comparative quiet, and the work of further crippling Blanco's communication with the outside world was peacefully accomplished.

The Americans laugh at the gunnery of the Spaniards. They are highly pleased with the success of their task. The armament of the St. Louis and Wompatuck is ridiculously small for fighting purposes, and it is considered that more powerful vessels should be employed when it is necessary for them to run directly within range of shore fortifications.

THE BIG GUNS BOOMED.

Belief That a Great Naval Combat Has Taken Place.

New York, May 24.—(Special to The World, Toronto.)—A Port au Prince special to The Journal, dated yesterday (Monday), says: The cannonading heard at Port de Paix is throwing that town into a state of the wildest excitement. Despatches say heavy firing is going on to the northwest in the direction of the Windward passage. Twenty shots were counted at first; then there was a brief lull, following which the cannonading was resumed. There is no doubt in Port de Paix that the fleets of Sampson and Cervera are engaging in combat and that full details will soon be learned. It is believed that the shots heard Friday and Saturday were skirmishes between the scoutships of both fleets.

The Mangrove Captured.

A Key West special to The Journal says: A report reached there last night that the lighthouse tender Mangrove had been captured by the enemy while trying to cut the Santiago cable, and that her entire complement of officers and men had been butchered. The Navy Department at Washington had also received notification of the Mangrove's capture, but the officials refused to make any statement on the subject. Her crew, all told, numbered thirteen.

Roosevelt's Rough Riders.

A San Antonio special to The Press says: Late this afternoon Colonel Wood, commanding Roosevelt's rough riders, received a telegram from the Adjutant-General, asking when the regiment could move towards Cuba. He replied they could move at once, and it is stated that the "Gilded Gang" will leave for the front on Wednesday.

Spain's Reserve Fleet.

Madrid specials to The World and Herald say the Spanish reserve fleet at Cadiz has received instructions to be prepared to sail at a moment's notice. The fleet consists of the battleship Pelayo, armored cruiser Emperador Charles Fifth, protected cruiser Alfonso Thirteenth, the torpedo destroyer Proserpina, the auxiliary cruisers Patria and Rapido, and three large transport ships. Their destination is at present a profound secret.

ALL KINDS OF RUMORS

But No Definite Report of Any Fight Received at Washington.

By Associated Press.

Washington, D.C., May 24.—There was a lapse in sensational war rumors in Washington to-day after a week of comparative quietude. The rumors ranged all the way from the capture of the little Mangrove with a crew of thirteen men to the reported destruction of the entire Spanish fleet by Sampson's and Schley's combined forces. They were circulated with persistence, notwithstanding the denials, as soon as they could be brought to the attention of any official capable of passing judgment on their accuracy. As the day rolled along the officials themselves became apprehensive, as was shown by the frequency with which they called for the latest newspaper bulletins. At the close of the day, however, it was again announced in the most positive manner that the Navy Department had no information to warrant the report of any sort of engagement in the Windward passage.

When Secretary Long started for home he stated to a group of newspaper men that the Department has received no information of importance. In response to an inquiry as to where the Spanish fleet was located, Mr. Long replied that his belle was that it was still at Santiago de Cuba.

Concerning the reported capture of the Mangrove and the loss of other ships, the Secretary dismissed these stories as purely conjectured and not supported by facts.

Inquiries as to the whereabouts of the Oregon brought a reply this afternoon to the effect that the battleship was safe. Nothing could be learned of her location.

LORD WOLSELEY'S IDEA.

British Commander-in-Chief Gives Out Some Wholesome Advice.

London, May 24.—Lord Wolseley, the Commander-in-Chief of the British Army, in conversation with an American, to-day said:

"The United States would make a mistake in attempting to invade Cuba with volunteers, who are not fully drilled and disciplined. If that was done, the United States might expect heavy reverses when those troops encountered the trained Spanish troops on land. It would be a grave error to underestimate the strength of the adversaries of the American troops. It would cause me regret to see the Americans even temporarily beaten, as all my sympathies are with them.

"It is fortunate for the United States that this war is not with a first-class power, for it is evident that in such an encounter they would be badly beaten at the beginning, although I believe the Americans are able to beat any nation in the long run."

NEUTRALITY DECLARATIONS.

Russia, Greece, Venezuela, the Netherlands and Canada Added On.

Washington, D. C., May 24.—The Consular representatives to-day gave notice of the declaration of neutrality by five countries, Russia, Greece, Venezuela, the Netherlands and Canada.

Particular importance attaches to the declaration by Venezuela, because her ports would be of inestimable value to the Spanish fleet as places of refuge, and as possible coal bases in the event that the declaration of neutrality were withheld. The notice is dated Caracas, April 29, and expresses Venezuela's position in the one sentence: "The Republic will preserve the strictest neutrality during the contest."

The Dutch proclamation cautions all citizens of the Netherlands from becoming in any way involved in privateering, and against the acceptance of any foreign privateering ships' papers, under penalty of prosecution. This provision may be of value to the United States in the event that Spain should resort to the issue of letters of marque. The same citizens are also enjoined to respect the blockades.

Touching the coal supply, the Dutch regulation is that this shall be supplemented only to the extent necessary to permit the ship to reach the nearest port of the country to which it belongs, or that of one of its allies in the war. Belligerents are forbidden to bring prizes into the Netherland waters.

The Canadian proclamation is in the same terms, mutatis mutandis, as that of Great Britain, except as to the preamble.

The British declaration has one important statement, not usual in such cases, as follows:

"The disagreements which have recently arisen between Spain and the United States

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NOT THE EASY THING THEY LOOKED FOR.

RECRUITING SERGEANT McKINLEY: You enlistted for two weeks, Sammy, but we may need you for two years, my boy.

ONTARIO HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

Re-Modeling the Constitution—Meeting at the Education Department.

A special meeting of the Ontario Historical Society was held Monday afternoon at the Education Department. The meeting, which was well attended, was called to remodel the constitution and make arrangements for the annual meeting to be held June 1st at the Brantford Reserves. It was decided to change the name of the society from "The Pioneer and Historical Association of the Province of Ontario" to a shorter name, "The Ontario Historical Society," and also to place the organization on a wider basis, so as to admit all lovers of history to membership, and several prominent persons were selected as ex-officio members, including the Governor-General and Lieut.-Governor.

The re-publish ng of interesting historical works now out of date and the publication of local histories, biographers, etc., will be looked after and a collection of manuscripts, maps, charts and documents of all kinds will be made to form a library and museum.

The resignation of Secretary J. B. Reynolds was accepted and Mr. David Boyle was appointed to act until the annual meeting. The president, James H. Coyne, was appointed to represent the society at the annual meeting of the Royal Society of Canada at Ottawa to-day.

Arrangements were completed for the excursion to Ohswekan, near Brantford, next Wednesday, when the Minister of Education, Hon. G. W. Ross, will preside. The guests will deliver addresses. An important matter in connection with this meeting is that at their own request the Six Nation Indians have been admitted as an affiliated society, which is probably the first instance of such an event.

Among those present were: President James H. Coyne, St. Thomas; Rev. Dr. Parker, Barrie; Very Rev. Dean Harris, D.D., St. Catharines; Mr. Ell Crawford, Brampton; Mr. Thompson and Rev. P. L. Spencer, Thorold; Rev. Canon Bull, Niagara Falls; Mr. Seymour, M.A., Niagara Falls; D. B. B. Reid, Q.C., city; W. H. Doel, Ezlington; Mr. David Boyle, city; James Bain, city; Dr. Blackstock, Mr. Murphy, Miss Sara Mickle, Miss Hellwell, Mrs. Clarkson, Miss Farmer, Miss Curzon and Miss Mary A. FitzGibbon. The following historical lodges were represented: York Pioneers, United Empire Loyalists, Thorold Historical Society, Simcoe Historical Society, Prescott Historical Society, Niagara Historical Society, Lundy's Lane Historical Society, Lincoln Historical Society, Elgin Historical Society and the Canadian Institute.

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Dined at Government House.

The following gentlemen were invited to dine at Government House last evening in honor of Her Majesty's Birthday: The Archbishop of Toronto and his secretary, the Right Rev. Bishop Sullivan, the Hon. J. C. Aikins, Sir John Hagarty, Sir Frank Smith (president of the Ontario Jockey Club), the Attorney-General, the Chancellor of Ontario, Mr. Justice Ferguson, Mr. Geo. F. Marter, M.L.A., Mr. James J. Foy, M.L.A., Mr. William Lount, the Rev. Dr. Burwash, Mr. Reid (president Ontario Society of Artists), the Rev. Chancellor Wallace, Prof. Mavor, the Rev. W. J. McCaughan, Mr. W. R. Brock, the Rev. Wm. Clark, the Secretary Ontario Jockey Club, the Rev. Dr. Potts, Mr. W. D. Matthews, William Hendrie (vice-president Ontario Jockey Club), Mr. John S. Blaikie, Dr. James E. Graham, Mr. Robert Jaffray, Dr. Charles O'Reilly, Mr. Christopher Robinson, Q.C., Dr. Holford Walker, the Mayor of Toronto, Sir Casimir Gzowski, Mr. Peter Ryan, Major Clarence Denison, Mr. Byron Walker, Mr. Gzowski, Mr. Thomas C. Patteson, Mr. W. T. Jennings, the Hon. Geo. W. Allan, Mr. Cockburn, Dr. George B. Parkin, C.M.G., Sir George Burton.

A CARELESS JAGGIST.

He Went on a Holiday Spree in Very Bad Company With $3000 in His Pocket.

John Sayre of Philadelphia, a bookmaker at the Woodbine, went out for a good time on Monday night with Kate Finneau, a notorious character who lives on lower Sherbourne-street. The pair got on a spree and were drunk at noon yesterday, when they were arrested at King and Yonge streets by P.C. Sockett. When Sayre was searched at the police station $3,027 was found in his possession. He looked upon his arrest and separation from the Papineau woman as very lucky and did not bother counting his money when it was handed him on his release in the evening when he had straightened out. The amount was several dollars more than he thought he had.

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Slipped from the Car.

Mrs. Esther Cooper, an old lady of 80, who lives with her son-in-law, Thomas E. Braime, 284 Crawford-street, fell off a street car at the corner of College and Bathurst streets and had her shoulder bone broken. It was set by Dr. W. T. Parry, who, despite the victim's age, looks for her recovery if complications do not set in.

The office for the sale of seats for the Dan Godfrey concerts will be open at 12 King st. east to-day from 10 a.m. until 6 p.m. and every day this week.

Unwise Celebration.

Firecrackers have caused a thirteen-year-old lad named Philip, 142 Degrassi-street, some bad injuries. He was celebrating the Queen's birthday at about 10 a.m., when a bunch of his dangerous toys exploded and burned him severely about the hands, eyes and face. Dr. Fank of Carlton-street was sent for and relieved the little fellow's pain.

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A Fine Offer if True.

There was a report current among lawyers yesterday that B. B. Osler, Q.C., had been offered the position of solicitor for the Grand Trunk Railway at a salary of $20,000 a year.

The seats for the Dan Godfrey concerts are going very fast. They are on sale from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. at 12 King St. east.

BIRTHS.

LOWNDES—On Saturday, the 21st day of May, 1898, at 14 Glen-road, Toronto, to Mr. and Mrs. J. Mont. Lowndes, a son.

LOWNDES—On Monday, the 23rd day of May, 1898, at 42 Close-avenue, Toronto, to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. B. Lowndes, a son.

DEATHS.

ADDISON—At Grace Hospital, suddenly, of peritonitis, on Tuesday, May 24, Almira H. Willson, wife of John H. Addison, 14 Irwin-avenue.

Funeral notice later.

McKENNEY—At their late residence, 48 Ulster-street, on Monday, May 23, Margaret Louise, beloved wife of Albert G. McKenney, in her 26th year.

Funeral from above address on Wednesday, at 3 p.m., to Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Great Outburst of Patriotism All Over the Country.

UNIQUE DEMONSTRATION AT THE FALLS

Yankees Came Across the Bridge and Joined the Canucks in Honoring the Anniversary—A Spectacle Never Before Witnessed—Big Celebration at the Capital and All Kinds of Sports and Festivities in the Towns and Cities of the Dominion.

Niagara Falls, Ont., May 24.—The anniversary of Queen Victoria's birthday was celebrated to-day as it has never been before in the history of the Anglo-Saxon race, and the Niagara Falls Athletic Ground Association has placed its name in history in a way that time will never efface. The arrangements were in every particular carried out without a single hitch. The town was covered with gay bunting and "Old Glory" of the United States and the Union Jack of Old England hung in the breeze from every housetop. The Mayor and Council, with the civic authorities and American guests, every member carrying a miniature Stars and Stripes, at the American end of the steel arch bridge, with the 42nd Separate Company Band playing an American air, with the Stars and Stripes in the lead, marched out to the middle of the bridge, while at the same time the Mayor, Town Council, and town authorities, executive officers and guests of Niagara Falls, Ont., with the Union Jack and Niagara Falls Brass Band at their head, playing the "British Grenadiers," entered on the bridge at the Canadian end and marched out and met the American visitors. When the two parties met, Mayor Hill of Niagara Falls, Ont., and Mayor Hastings of Niagara Falls, N. Y., exchanged greetings, the American band playing "God Save the Queen" and the Canadian band playing "The Star-Spangled Banner." The enthusiasm was tremendous. Men threw their hats in the air, and the applause was so loud that it completely drowned the roar of the rapids below.

The two contingents merged together, with the Union Jack and the Stars and Stripes, side by side, in the lead. When the party reached the Canadian end of the bridge they entered 25 carriages, in waiting, profusely decorated, and paraded the principal streets, each individual waving either an American flag or Union Jack. The Americans gave cheer after cheer for the Queen, while the Canadians cheered for President McKinley as the procession advanced up the street. The thousands of spectators that lined the streets picked up the keynote and cheered alternately for the Queen and President until the enthusiasm became a continuous cheer along the route. Flags of both nations were waved by the thousands above the heads of the spectators, the bands playing "The Maple Leaf Forever" and American airs.

Cheered Until Tired.

When the party entered the athletic grounds, both the American and Canadian guests marched to the front of the grand stand, where there were fully 7000 people packed in and around it, and when the Union Jack and Stars and Stripes were planted in front, the cheering again burst forth, and lasted fully 15 minutes.

When Mayor Hill stepped forward to speak the band played "God Save the Queen," after which Mayor Hill, in a neat speech, welcomed our American cousins and, in a few choice words, alluded to the present friendly feelings existing between the people of the United States and Great Britain, and wished them the fullest success in their struggle with a foreign power. He afterwards introduced Mayor Hastings of Niagara Falls, N. Y., who thanked the people of Niagara Falls, Canada, who had given them an opportunity to come across and help their Canadian friends to do homage to their good sovereign, Queen Victoria, who was loved and cherished wherever the English language was spoken. The American Mayor received an ovation for his complimentary remarks, that, no doubt, he will never forget.

William M. German, M. L. A., Welland, was the next speaker, and paid the Americans a fitting tribute for being present on Her Majesty's birthday, assisting Canadians, on Canadian soil, to celebrate the seventy-ninth anniversary of the birth of their sovereign, and alluded to the struggle there with a foreign power, and wished them every success, with a speedy termination of the struggle to put down the misrule of a foreign government on this continent.

Eloquent and Humorous Speech.

Hon. Thomas V. Welch of Niagara Falls, N. Y., followed in an eloquent and humorous speech, and, without doubt, paid Queen Victoria the most fitting tribute of the day, when he called upon the Americans present to revere her name, if it was for no other reason than she kindly ace bid the people of the United States when, before she allowed Lord Palmerston to send the ultimatum of the Government of Great Britain to the United States during the Trent affair, she sent after it, good and noble woman as she has always been, and so modified the reading of that document with her pen that, without a doubt, she prevented a war between her people and those of the United States, and, therefore, for that act alone Americans should love and cherish her natal day. Mr. Welch, like his predecessor, received a record breaker of an ovation, that almost lifted the roof of the grand stand.

Judge Cromatry of Niagara Falls followed in a very patriotic international speech, and alluded to the day's doings as the first practical act of an Anglo-American alliance, and now he could call his Canadian friends fellow-citizens, although having two different emblems floating over us, they meant the same kind of government. The same blood ran through our veins, and he hoped the two flags would always float over this entire continent, side by side, in harmony, as to-day, and with his fullness of heart he would place the Union Jack of Old England beside that of "Old Glory" in respect for good Queen Victoria, and, as these words left his lips, he held the two flags in his hands, and held the Union Jack over that of the Stars and Stripes, which brought tremendous cheering.

Sports of the Day.

When Judge Cromatry finished, the following program of sports was carried out: Baseball match between Niagara University and North Buffalo, which was won by the former by a score of 4 to 2.

The following bicycle races were also carried out:

Road race, 10 a.m., five miles—James McConnell, scratch, won; Wm. Roll, 2; H. Heximer, 3; B. Pattinson, 4; W. Strange, 5; R. Coulson, 6; James Mampfield, jr., 7; A. Barge, 8; H. Pattinson, 9; R. Boyle, 10; T. Fraser, 11; A. Woodruff, 12; ——, 13; David Smith, 14. Time prize, James McConnell.

Mile novice—Thomas McConnell, 1, Niagara Falls, N.Y.; B. Coulson, 2, Niagara Falls, Ont.; H. W. Rees, 3, Niagara Falls, N.Y.

Boys' race—F. Heximer, 1, Niagara [illegible], Ont.; W. Jepson, 2, Niagara Falls, Ont.; W. Strange, 3, Niagara, Ont.

One-quarter mile, open—H. Gardner, Tonawanda, N.Y., 1; E. E. Denniston, Buffalo, 2; W. E. DeTemple, Tonawanda, N.Y., 3.

Matched race between W. Binkley, Niagara Falls, Ont., and F. G. Webster, Buffalo, was won by the latter. First heat dead heat; second, Webster by a length; third heat, Binkley by two inches; fourth, Webster by one and a half lengths.

Half-mile open—A. A. Kaliska, Buffalo, 1; N. Gardner, Tonawanda, N.Y., 2; W. E. DeTemple, Tonawanda, 3.

Mile open—E. E. Denniston, Buffalo, 1; N. Gardner, Tonawanda, 2; C. H. DeTemple, Tonawanda, N.Y., 3.

Two-mile international handicap—B. Cole, Niagara Falls, Ont., 1; Wm. Roll, Niagara Falls, N.Y., 2; G. W. Catley, Niagara Falls, N.Y., 3; H. W. Rees, Niagara Fals, N.Y., 4.

AT THE CAPITAL.

Fine Military Turnout—Their Excellencies Were Kept Busy.

Ottawa, May 24.—(Special).—Taken on the whole, the citizens of the Capital have spent an enjoyable Queen's Birthday. A couple of slight showers fell, but neither was sufficient to spoil any public function. In the morning the re-organized fire department made its first appearance. The new jubilee eninge got up steam on Parliament Hill and drenched the visitors on the top of the tower of the Parliament Building, who thought they whould be safe there. The brigade made a most creditable showing. Later in the morning His Excellency the Governor-General reviewed the Ottawa brigade of troops on Cartier Square. There was a splendid turnout, and it it to the credit of the visiting battalion, the 8th Royal Rifles of Quebec, that they more than held their own with the local corps. In the afternoon and evening Lieut. Dan Godfrey's band again played to large and delighted audiences. There was an exhibition lacrosse match at Landsdowne Park between the old-time rivals, the Capitals and the Shamrocks, in which the local team were victors by 5 to 3.

Busy Day for Vice-Royalty.

This was a busy day for Their Excellencies. The morning was taken up with the military review and the afternoon the Vice-Regal party attended the lacrosse match. In the evening there was State dinner at the Government House in celebration of Her Majesty's birthday, to which the following ladies and gentlemen had the honor of being invited, although some were unavoidably prevented from atteding by illness or other causes:

Right Hon. Sir Wilfrid and Lady Laurier, Sir Richard and Lady Cartwright, Hon. W. R. and Mrs. Scott, Sir Louis and Lady Davies, Hon. F. W. and Mrs. Borden, Hon. Wm. and Mrs. Mulock, Hon. S. J. Fisher, Hon. J. I. and Mrs. Tarte, Hon. R. R. and Mrs. Dobell, Hon. W. S. Fielding, Hon. A. G. and Mrs. Blair, Hon. C. and Mrs. Geoffroin, Hon Clifford and Mrs. Sifton, Hon. David and Mrs. Mills, Hon. Wm. and Mrs. Paterson, Sir Henri Joly de Lothinere, the Speaker of the Senate and Lady Pelletier, the Speaker of the House of Commons and Lady Edgar, Hon. Charles and Mrs. Fitzpatrick, Hon. the Chief Justice and Lady Strong, Hon. Sir Mackenzie Bowell, Hon. Sir John Carling, Hon. Geo. E. and Mrs. Foster, Hon. John and Mrs. Costigan, Sir A. and Lady Caron, Hon. W. and Mrs. McDougall, Hon. J. Haggart, Hon. W. Miller, Hon. W. H. Montague, Hon. J. F. Wood, Major-Gen. and Mrs Gascoigne, Capt. MacLean, Hon. D. Ferguson, Hon. G. W. Allan, Hon. J. Aikins, Hon. Lieut.-Col. Tisdale, The House party consisted of the following: Lady Thompson, Rev. Prof. Clark of Toronto, Mr. Gilbert Parker, the well-known novelist, Dr. Tait McKenzie, Mr. Erskine, Major Denison, A.D.C., Capt. Thorp, A.D.C., Dr. Hewitt. Subsequently from 10 p.m. until midnight there was a state reception by their Excellencies at which nearly 1000 guests were present.

GREAT TIME IN HAMILTON.

Military Display and Baseball Made the Day a Notable Success.

Hamilton, May 24.—Hamilton celebrated the 79th anniversary of the birth of Queen Victoria in royal style to-day, and, owing to the many big attractions here, nearly all of her citizens remained at home. The principal feature was the grand military celebration at the Hamilton Jockey Club grounds during the day and at Dundurn Park in the evening, at which the Royal Canadian Dragoons, No. 4 Hamilton Field Battery, 10th Royal Grenadiers of Toronto, 13th Battalion of Hamilton and A company of the 77th Wentworth Battalion took part.

At the Jockey Club grounds several thousand citizens and visitors witnessed the sham battle, the royal salute, feu de joie and other military movements by the different military corps, and a tremendous crowd was at Dundurn this evening to hear the

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Fine Weather.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Esquimalt, 42—68; Kamloops, 40—70; Calgary, 36—68; Qu'Appelle, 54—76; Winnipeg, 50—82; Parry Sound, 48—66; Toronto, 56—74; Ottawa, 58—72; Montreal, 54—70; Quebec, 54—60; Halifax, 40—68.

PROBS.: Fine, not much change in temperature.

Oak Hall, Clothiers, Toronto, are showing the best kind of high grade suits and overcoats for race week at ten, twelve and fourteen dollars.

Steamship Movements.

May 24.	At	From
Koenigin Luise	New York	Bremen
Westernland	New York	Antwerp
Pomeranian	Father Point	Glasgow
Halifax City	Halifax	London
Assyrian	Father Point	London
Chemnitz	New York	Hamburg
Labrador	Liverpool	Montreal
Furnessia	Glasgow	New York
Noordland	Antwerp	New York
Fremona	Leith	Montreal
Rotterdam	Boulogne	New York
Oldenburg	Bremerhaven	New York