

Presto, Change!

Talk of a British General Election in July.

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Arrangements for the Queen's Reception at Manchester, when the Great Canal Will Be Opened—Miles of Decorations.

Vanderbilt Rents a Deer Forest. LONDON, May 20.—Mr. Wm. K. Vanderbilt has rented Lord Lovat's deer forest at Brauden, Inverness, and will shortly visit that place with a shooting party.

Sudden Death of Edmund Yates. LONDON, May 20.—Edmund Yates, author and journalist, was stricken with apoplexy last evening at the Garrick theater where Lytton's "Money" was playing. He was removed to the Savoy Hotel, where he died this afternoon.

Sunk in Collision. COPENHAGEN, May 20.—The British steamship Horton, from Nava, to Zealand, is here. She collided with the German brig Emma Beng, from Hamburg, for Koka. The Emma Beng sank and four of her crew were drowned.

To Help American Women. BERLIN, May 20.—The American Women's League, whose object is to help American women in trouble in Germany, has perfected its organization, and will be known hereafter as the Women's Aid Association of the American Colony of Berlin. Mrs. Theodore Runyon is the president.

Will Protect Portuguese Citizens in Rio.

LISBON, May 20.—The Government of Great Britain has officially informed the Portuguese Government that Mr. Wyndham, the British Minister to Brazil, has been instructed to protect Portuguese citizens in Rio Janeiro. Most of the European powers have approved the conduct of Portugal in connection with Brazil. A large number of Portuguese and Italian laborers in Brazil are preparing to return to Europe.

The Cattle Embargo.

LONDON, May 20.—The Canadian authorities here have reason to believe that the period of special examination of Canadian cattle ordered by the Board of Trade will terminate in June. With cessation of the regulations concerning Canadian cattle the embargo on cattle from the United States will likely be raised. The Live Stock Journal says the United States Government has already brought pressure upon Great Britain upon the subject.

The Slave Trade Booming.

LONDON, May 20.—The Anti-Slavery Society has learned that the slave trade between West Africa and the islands of the Sao Thome and Principe continues despite Portugal's pledge at the Brussels conference to end it. No Portuguese steamer leaves Funchella or Novo Redondo without a partial cargo of slaves for Loando or Sao Thome. In most cases the slaves are sold to owners of coffee plantations. The trade in young children is especially large.

Rates of Discount.

LONDON, May 20.—The rates of discount last week were 1 for 3 months and 2 for 30 days. There was a ceaseless influx of gold, with no sign of withdrawal for export. The silver market was dull, with a downward tendency early in the week. During the last three days the price was somewhat firmer. Business on the Stock Exchange was comparatively limited, owing to the sinking of American and Argentine securities. Consols rose 1/4. Prices of American railroad securities were irregular.

Praise for Canada.

LONDON, May 20.—The London Times has another lengthy Canadian letter of much interest. It deals with the labor question, education and politics. Of the labor problem affecting other countries, the writer says, Canada has none of it to speak of, and credits the labor element in the Dominion with temperate action when dealing with difficulty. The standard of education in the country, he points out, is of high average, and instances as one of the remarkable results of an excellent school system the very prominent position which Canada has taken in recent years in matters affecting the empire.

Gladstone on the Status of Ireland.

Rome, May 23.—The Voice della Verita publishes a letter from Mr. Gladstone in reply to a communication from Mr. Tarabulini, an attaché of the Vatican, asking the ex-Premier's opinion as to the present status of Ireland. Mr. Gladstone sympathizes with the reasons actuating the inquiry and the sentiments expressed by Mr. Tarabulini, which he believes reflect the opinion of the Pope. The Irish, he says, are undeniably showing a great example of obedience to the law, but they are divided among themselves. He believes the fault lies with the Parnellites, and the result of the schism is deplorable, for discord is the principal obstacle to the progress of their cause.

Parliamentary Probabilities.

LONDON, May 20.—Parliament will resume its sitting on Monday under the shadow of dissolution. Sir William Harcourt, the Government leader in the House, has informed the leaders of the McCarthyite section of the Irish party that the next general election will probably take place in July, and other Liberal authorities have conveyed similar intimations. Mr. Richard Haldane, M.P., in his speech to his constituents yesterday also predicted an early dissolution. The coming anti-Lords conference in Leeds will sound the trumpet of battle. The Cabinet are resolved to make the question of the survival of the House of Lords, as it is at present constituted, the first plank in their election

programme. A London paper, which has been gleaming the ideas of a number of peers on the coming doom of their body, has elicited the opinion of the Duke of Fife, son-in-law of the Prince of Wales, who expresses himself as in favor of infusing popular elements into the Upper House without breaking the historic continuity of that body. The other peers who responded to the newspaper's invitation to express their views on the subject, are all opposed to any concessions on the part of the House of Lords and in favor of a determined fight for the integrity of that body.

The Queen's Visit to Manchester.

MANCHESTER, May 20.—The preparations for the reception of the Queen on the occasion of the formal opening of the Manchester ship canal on May 21, are complete. Several miles of streets are lined with stands, Venetian masts, etc., and profusely decorated with flags, banners and floral arches. The Queen will arrive at 4:30 in the afternoon. She will be received at the station by the mayor and his staff, and be escorted to the town hall by a detachment of cavalry. At the town hall an address will be read, after which her Majesty will be driven to Trafford wharf, Lancashire, the route being guarded by volunteers and yeomanry. At Trafford wharf she will embark on the yacht Enchantress, and after a short trip through the canal will return and declare the great waterway open to commerce.

The canal company have prepared an address for the occasion, a large number of copies of which have been printed. It is a beautiful specimen of the printer's art, and contains a number of illuminated pictures representing scenes along the banks of the canal. The text of the address declares that the canal ranks with the greatest engineering achievements of the reign of her Majesty Queen Victoria, and affords direct communication to the great commercial and manufacturing districts of the world. Upon returning to Trafford wharf the Queen will enter a carriage and be driven to Salford, where she will be presented with an address. At 7:30 o'clock in the evening her Majesty will leave for Balmoral.

The principal streets and squares of Manchester, Salford and other places in the vicinity will be closed to vehicles from 8:30 p.m. until midnight, during which time there will be a grand illumination.

Late Canadian News.

Serious Effects of the Freeman Failure at Hamilton.

A Hamilton Man Mangled by the Car—General Vaccination of Tyendinaga Indians.

Toronto has sufficient coal for the next three weeks.

The Indians on the Tyendinaga reserve are being vaccinated.

The Canadian Pacific Railway has a sufficient supply of coal on hand for all purposes to last six months.

At the semi-annual ordination of the students of Ottawa University on Saturday there were in all 55 candidates.

Thomas McKinnon, son of the late "Joe Beef" shot himself on Sunday in Montreal. He was 27 years old. Despondency was the cause.

The trial of John J. Noel and his son Herbert for the alleged attempt to burn the Globe Clothing House, Toronto, resulted in acquittal.

Jim Whitley, one of the sailors drowned on the schooner M. J. Cummings near Milwaukee, lived in Sombra, Ont. He was 21 years old and single.

Mrs. James Vanderburg, of Brantford who has been missing since Friday night, was found drowned in the Grand River at Dunville about 2 p.m. Sunday afternoon. It was no doubt a case of suicide.

Edward Weeks, 73 years old, suicided on Saturday morning by hanging to the cross pole in an unoccupied barn on the Nappan road a mile and a half from Amherst, N.S. Deceased for some time past was in poor health and occasionally quite despondent.

Wm. Ferguson, 38 years of age, tried to board a G.T.R. freight train at Hamilton bound east on Saturday morning. He fell under the wheels of the car and his left leg was cut off. He will not recover. He was partly under the influence of liquor when he tried to get on the train.

Rev. Brother Menolo, of De La Salle Institute, Kenilworth, took a dynamite cartridge from a pupil who was throwing it around carelessly. He pushed a penknife into it, which caused an explosion, injuring his left hand to such an extent that it was found necessary to amputate the thumb and first finger.

It will be a week or ten days before the liabilities of W. A. Freeman, of Hamilton, who assigned on Friday, are known. The assignees say they may go considerably above \$100,000. The assets are comparatively small. As a result of Freeman's failure Diehl & Co., of Toronto, who owed Freeman \$20,000, have also assigned, and John Mackenzie, wood dealer, Hamilton, has been closed on a chattel mortgage. The Bank of Hamilton will be a heavy loser.

IN A BAD WAY.

Coxeyites Starving and Suffering from Cold—Others Stealing Trains.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, May 20.—The condition of "Gen." Frye's army is pitiable. The men are suffering from cold and scanty meals.

MISSOULA, Mont., May 20.—A band of 450 Coxeyites of the Seattle-Spokane detachment captured a freight train yesterday morning on the Northern Pacific at Heron, a few miles from the Idaho line and 150 miles west of here. Twenty deputy sheriffs, heavily armed, have left here to intercept them.

A report comes from the Casar d'Alene county that the situation at that point is most critical. Commonwealers are gathering in large numbers and are being assisted by hundreds of unemployed miners. Serious trouble will probably follow.

THE UNITED STATES TARIFF.

A Possibility of Its Passage Before July 1.

WASHINGTON, May 20.—"The end is in sight," remarked Senator Jones, of the finance committee, "and we expect to begin gathering leaves under the willow tree." This statement was endorsed by Mr. Harris, Messrs. Harris, Voorhees and Jones (Ark.) assert that they have the 43 votes necessary to pass the bill.

In Labor's Field.

Powderly and Two Other Officers Expelled From the K. of L.

Many of the Pullman Strikers Said to be Destitute.

Close of the International Miners' Congress at Berlin—Labor No. 6.

BERLIN, May 20.—The International Congress of Miners has closed. At the final sitting yesterday Delegates Bailey and Johnson, of England, were present, but the other English delegates adhered to their resolution of Friday to absent themselves. The two delegates were present, however, with the approval of their colleagues. It was unanimously voted to hold the next congress in Paris in 1895. Benjamin Fickard, member of the British Parliament for Northampton division of Yorkshire, was elected permanent secretary of the congress.

CHICAGO, May 20.—Many of the Pullman strikers are destitute, and are receiving aid from the police. The distribution of provisions seems to be unofficial, and has already reached large proportions. Geo. Howard, of the American Railway Union, left to-night for St. Louis, where he will try to organize the St. Louis Pullman employees and try to defeat the company's presumed intention of using those shops for emergency repairs.

PHILADELPHIA, May 20.—Terence V. Powderly, ex-general master workman of the Knights of Labor, A. W. Wright, of Toronto, Canada, ex-member of the general executive board of the Knights, and H. S. Quinn, master workman of District Assembly 99, an ardent supporter of Powderly, have been unanimously expelled from the Knights of Labor. This action on the part of the new general executive board of the Knights has been forecast for several months. The fact that Powderly and the little band who clung to him after his defeat for re-election last November have been pulling wires, talking and otherwise endeavoring to bring about the downfall of the officials of the order, has been an open secret. Nearly every step taken by them has been exposed and the rank and file of knighthood all over the country have come to look upon their once loyal leader as a traitor to the order.

The schemes of Powderly and his coterie to break up the order came to a climax at a general labor conference held in this city at their instigation, and for the purpose of handing the order to the Federation of Labor. In his utterances before the conference and elsewhere, before local and district assemblies and to individual Knights, by speech and letter, Powderly was supported by his old friend, A. W. Wright, of Toronto. Meanwhile P. H. Quinn, of Providence, district master workman of district 99, had been widely circulating through assemblies in his own State and Massachusetts, making the statement that the present general officers of the Knights were only holding their positions for the purpose of gobbling up the property of the Knights, and that, in fact, there was nothing left of the order except the brown stone building at 314 North Broad street, this city. The charges against Powderly and his companions are based on the following laws of the Knights, contained in article 31 of the constitution: Any member of the order advocating its dissolution or the withdrawal of any local assembly or other assembly from the order shall by that act be expelled from the order. Any member of the order who shall make any officer or member, and who shall fail to sustain his assertion by preferring, within fifteen days, charges against said officer or member, and who shall fail to prove the same, upon conviction of the offense, shall be expelled.

Whenever a member of the order uses the public press or talks to the public platform to name an officer or member in such a manner as to reflect on the name, character or reputation of that officer or member, upon satisfactory proof of such act to the general executive board, said board shall declare the offending member expelled or fix such other penalty as the majority of the order may warrant, subject to appeal to the General Assembly.

With these sections of the constitution as a basis, Messrs. McGuire, French and Martin, constituting a quorum of the general executive board, met in Boston, and after an investigation of the charges expelled the three members as stated. General Secretary-Treasurer Hayes was at once notified, and the letters notifying the delinquent members of their expulsion were at once mailed from this city.

CONSIDERING THE SCALE.

CLEVELAND, O., May 20.—After three hours' hard work yesterday, Secretary Kilgallen of the miners' convention, reported that the convention had practically concluded the consideration of the scale. There has been practically no change in the puddlers and finishers.

Johnstown in Danger Again.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., May 20.—Heavy rains caused the Conemaugh River and Stony Creek to overflow their banks. The Cambria iron works are threatened, and there is a possibility that the main portion of the city will be submerged.

ALL MEN.

Young, old or middle-aged, who find themselves, either weak and exhausted, who are broken down from excess or overwork, resulting in many of the following symptoms: Mental depression, premature old age, loss of vitality, loss of memory, bad dreams, dimness of sight, palpitation of the heart, emissions, lack of energy, pain in the kidneys, headaches, pimples on the face and body, itching or peculiar sensation about the scrotum, wasting of the organs, dizziness, spots before the eyes, twitching of the muscles, eyelids and elsewhere, bushiness, deposits in the urine, loss of will power, tenderness of the scalp and spine, failure to be rested by sleep, desire for solitude, excitability of temper, swollen eyes, surrounded with LADEN CIRCLES, oily looking skin, etc., are all symptoms of nervous debility that lead to insanity unless cured. The spring or vital force having lost its tension every function wanes in consequence. Those who through abuse, neglect, or ignorance, may be permanently cured. Send your address and 10c in stamps for book on diseases peculiar to man, sent sealed. Address M. V. LUBON, Canada.

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The General Elections

A Preacher's High Opinion of Ontario's Premier.

Prince Edward Temperance Workers Nominate John Laird.

North Waterloo Patrons Select a Candidate—Political Notes.

[Special to the Advertiser.]

A PEACHER'S OPINION.

OTTAWA, May 20.—The Rev. R. E. Knowles, pastor of the Stewart Presbyterian Church, preached this evening on "The Greatest Philanthropists," and in the course of his remarks said that the world rewarded those who rendered good service in any department of life, whether science, art or literature, and even in politics the public man who rendered valiant service would be enthroned in the hearts of the people. If the people of Ontario sustained the veteran Premier next month, as he believed they would, it will be because of a conviction that Sir Oliver Mowat had rendered valiant service to his country, and that though his sword has been kept bright with untiring industry, nothing has ever soiled his escutcheon.

PRINCE EDWARD TEMPERANCE CANDIDATE.

PICTON, Ont., May 20.—A mass meeting of temperance workers was held in the Royal Temperance Hall here yesterday to select a candidate to contest the constituency of Prince Edward in the approaching Provincial election in the temperance interest. Mr. John Laird, mayor of Picton, was selected. Mr. Laird is a staunch temperance man, has had considerable experience in municipal matters, having served the town as councillor. He is a Liberal in politics, but will seek election as an independent supporter of the Mowat Government, pledged to promote and support all legislation looking to the suppression of the liquor traffic.

NORTH WATERLOO PATRONS.

BEELIS, May 20.—At the meeting of the Patrons of Industry, held here to-day, Mr. D. M. Shoemaker received the unanimous nomination for North Waterloo.

POLITICAL NOTES.

The Howard Liberals met at Ridgeway on Saturday to elect delegates to Tuesday's convention.

Mr. Watson publishes a card in the Ridgeway Standard declining the nomination tendered him by the East Kent Conservatives on the 4th inst.

Ridgeway Plaindealer: East Kent is safe. Mr. Ferguson has not refused to stand. No Reformer but wants him nominated. No man in the world can run him out.

The Hamilton Spectator is hard at work working up religious prejudices against the Mowat Government. In its last issue it says: "The kind of Christian statesmanship that Ontario wants is the kind that acknowledges that there are other Christians besides Roman Catholics."

The London Free Press is asking opposition to the Mowat Government because the Government did not erect a normal school in London. If the Mowat Government put all the institutions in Ontario in London the Free Press would not support it.—[Chatham Banner.]

The Liberals in Lambton are organizing rapidly. The officers for Sarnia township are: President, John McFarlane; first vice-president, Wm. Ingraham; second vice-president, Robt. Morrison; secretary, John Lowrie; Moore township has just elected these: Thomas Hayne, president; D. McKellar, secretary; John A. McLean, first vice-president; Wm. Scott, second vice-president.

The Reformers of East Hastings will meet at Compton on Tuesday to choose a candidate for the Commons.

CONCISE CULLINGS.

The commercial treaty between Austria and Russia has been formally ratified and signed.

Laporte, Ind., reports a cyclone near Kingsburg, which did much damage and killed Hy. S. Prygel.

Thos. Niles, one of the oldest book publishers in Boston, and a member of the firm of Roberts Bros., is dying. It is thought his defalcation is \$30,000.

A fire that started in Dietz's livery stable, Akron, Ohio, on Saturday, burned a block and caused \$500,000 loss.

The Mississippi River is on a tear at Minneapolis. The river has risen four inches in the last 24 hours and is still on the rise.

The city of Tours (France) and vicinity was visited by a hail storm Friday night, which did great damage to fruit trees, grape vines and growing grain.

A Huntingdon (Pa.) dispatch says: To-day's great flood has been exceeded only once in the history of the Juniata Valley, and caused great destruction to property. Mrs. Jacob Miller was drowned at Saxton while trying to save some property.

Four More.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 20.—Four more victims were added to the death list from the Lake Michigan storm, which has not ended yet, by the finding of a row boat on the beach this morning. The dead men were young mechanics who were out of employment and hired the boat to go fishing Thursday afternoon before the great gale came from the north.

Four Life-Savers Drowned.

PORT HURON, Mich., May 20.—The lives of four volunteer life-savers were sacrificed yesterday in an attempt to save the crew of the schooner Wm. Shupe, which was drifting helplessly off the shore, eight miles north of here. Those drowned were: Capt. Barney Mills, married; Angus Kirk, married; Capt. Henry Little, single, nephew of Capt. Nelson Little, of the Shupe; Wm. Lewis, married.

Sleighing in May.

ALPENA, Mich., May 20.—A wild snow storm raged here Friday night and eight inches of snow fell on the level. Several sleighs and cutters were out on Saturday morning.

Telegrams from St. Joseph, Mo., and from points in Kansas and Nebraska show that fruit and vegetables were injured by Friday night's frost.

In Northern Iowa, Southern and Central Minnesota and Western Wisconsin corn and garden stuff were cut to the ground.

At Galesburg, Ill., and Dec Moines, Iowa water was frozen.

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