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Born, Married, Died.

DIED.

PLEWES—At 191 Hazelton avenue, Toronto, on Saturday, Feb. 20, Nancy, beloved wife of David Plewes, formerly of Brantford, Ont., in her 66th year.

THOMAS—On Feb. 14, in her 98th year, at the residence of her son-in-law, Rev. A. de Morgan Hensley, Haileybury College, Hertfordshire, England, Frances, widow of the late Rev. Francis Wolferstan Thomas, rural dean and rector of Parkham, Devonshire, England, and mother of Francis Wolferstan Thomas, of Montreal, Canada.

FRASER—In Lobo, on Feb. 22, after a short illness, Florence E., infant daughter of Henry and Candace Fraser, aged 2 months and 19 days.

Funeral Wednesday at 10:30 a.m.

PACEY—In Chicago, on Feb. 20, George Pacey, aged 62 years.

The remains were interred at Oakland Cemetery, London West.

Amusements and Lectures

Advertisements under this heading, two cents per word, or ten cents per line each insertion.

LONDON VOCAL SOCIETY (W. H. HEWLETT, conductor) concert tonight, Auditorium. The executive regret to announce that owing to an unfortunate misunderstanding the supporting artists of Madame Albani will be unable to appear here tonight. They have strained every nerve to secure other artists who will give even better satisfaction to their patrons, and have secured Mrs. Clara Barnes Holmes, of Buffalo, contralto; Mr. George Fox, violinist, and Mr. Fred Warrington, of Toronto, baritone. Reserved seats, 50c and 75c, and 100 seats only will be sold at the door tonight at 25c. b

DETROIT-WINDSOR AND RETURN—Knights Templar excursion, Feb. 24, 25; good for two days; trains leave 6:45 p.m., Feb. 23, and 7 a.m., and 11:30 a.m. Feb. 24; everybody welcome; Knights Templar special leaves 7 a.m., Wednesday, Feb. 24. Tickets on sale at "The Clock Corner, depot, and H. Davis & Son, A. Morphy & Co., W. Stenberg and Jos. Dambra. 43c

PATRONIZE BENEFIT CONCERT AND Assembly under the auspices of Court Forest City, A. O. F., in the East End Hall on Thursday evening, Feb. 25. First-class programme. 48c tyx

SEVENTH BAND TONIGHT—PRINCESS Ice Palace; charming music; grand ice; skating enchanting. b

EAST END RINK—GOOD SKATING TONIGHT. Hockey match tomorrow night, Forest City Business College vs. Collegiate Institute; rattling game expected. b

AGENT ALLAN, BEAVER, AMERICAN, Cunard and Red Star Atlantic lines. FRANK B. CLARKE, 416 Richmond street, next Advertiser.

PALACE DANCING ACADEMY—476 Richmond street. Classes meet: Gentlemen Monday evening; ladies, Tuesday evening. Ladies and gentlemen (advanced class), Wednesday evening. Ladies and children, Saturday afternoon, 3 o'clock. DAYTON & MCCORMICK.

PRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING BY Mr. R. B. Millard, at his residence, 345 Princess avenue. Special attention given to the waltz, two-step, court waltz, two-step Jersey and the cycle. Satisfaction guaranteed. Lessons any hour.

Meetings.

One cent per word each insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

MASONIC—REGULAR CONVOCATION St. John's R. A. Chapter, No. 3, tomorrow evening (Wednesday), 24th, at 7:30 Work in Mark degree. ALEX. FINDLAY, Z.; J. MIDDONS, S. E.

SCHOOL OF COOKERY — "SOUPS," Wednesday, Feb. 24, 2:30 p.m., "Y" rooms. Admission 25c. b

Male Help Wanted.

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WANTED — A GOOD PENMAN TO write at home; either sex. Steady easy work. Send your own handwriting, and inclose 5c silver for our reply, and full illustrated particulars. A. W. KINNEY, L. A., Yarmouth, N. S. 45n

WANTED — AN IDEA — WHO CAN think of some simple thing to patent? Protect your ideas; they may bring you wealth. Write JOHN WEDDERBURN & Co., patent attorneys, Washington, D. C., for their $1,800 prize offer and list of two hundred inventions wanted.

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WANTED — FIRST-CLASS MILLINER for Manitoba. Apply DICKISON, NICHOLSON & Co. b

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WANTED—HOUSEMAID, FIRST CLASS references required. Apply after 7 p.m., at 245 Dufferin avenue. 56c

RING 1,121 FOR THE OLD RELIABLE Dwyer's agency, for cooks, housemaids, generals, nurse girls to assist in housework, housekeeper; wanting, dining room girls for city and out. Good help always wanted at 591 Richmond street.

15 GOOD GENERALS FOR IN AND OUT of city, also kitchen, dining-room, nurse and chamber maids, housemaids and cook. The only reliable in the city. The Osborne Intelligence Agency, 55 Dundas. Telephone 286.

Wanted.

FURNISHED ROOM WANTED — IN private family, by commercial traveler; central locality. Address box 19, Advertiser. 49c

WANTED TO RENT—MODERN HOUSE —Central. Address, stating particulars, box 1, Advertiser office. 45n

WANTED — 25 BICYCLE RIDERS TO get their low frames made high at HUTCHINSON'S, 651 Dundas street.

Jewelers.

SPECIAL ATTENTION TO REPAIRING—J. F. WESTLAND, Engraver and Manufacturing Jeweler, 340 Richmond street (up stairs), London, Ont.

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Evening classes are conducted in Shorthand, Typewriting, Penmanship, Bookkeeping, etc., every Monday and Thursday evening at

COO'S ACADEMY
76 Dundas Street.

We have a speed class and give our pupils two hours solid dictation.

WM. C. COO, C. S. R., Principal.

Situations Wanted.

DIPLOMAED NURSE DISENGAGED—Apply "Nurse" this office. 49n

Personal.

INFORMATION OF THE WHEREABOUTS of Laurence and Mary Hanlon, natives of Tynock, county Wicklow, Ireland, will be gratefully received by their brother James Hanlon, 183 West Eighth street, Covington, Ky. Local papers please copy. 48c tyw

PERSONAL — WILL "A. B." WHO wrote Boarder about a furnished house on Feb. 16, again write Boarder, giving address. Boarder, Advertiser. 49c

Articles For Sale.

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H. W. PETRIE OFFERS FOR IMMEDIATE shipment, two Peerless Rock Drills, one Air Compressor, several Gasoline and Oil Engines, and over 100 Steam Engines and Boilers. Send for descriptive catalogue. H. W. PETRIE, Toronto. 48g

FOR SALE—MACHINERY, WOOD AND iron working, shafting, pulleys, hangers, machinists' tools, blacksmith's tools, belting, gas fittings and pipes, steam pipes and fittings, cheap. PATTERSON & JOLLY, Ridout street. 48tf

IF YOU WANT TO INSURE YOUR house or furniture apply to FRANK B. CLARKE, Richmond street, next Advertiser. He will quote you lowest rates.

FOR SALE—ONE 30 HORSEPOWER automatic "Brown" engine, built by Goldie, McCulloch & Co., Galt. Cylinder 19 inches, stroke 24 inches; can be run at 60 revolutions, or as high as 90 revolutions; also one tubular exhaust feed water heater. The engine can be seen at H. PORTER & Co.'s storage warehouse, Carling street, London, Ont. 6tf-3tf

FOR SALE—FAMOUS ACTIVE RANGE —Nearly new, in perfect order; using gas only reason for selling. 512 Piccadilly street. 10tf-wty

HIGH CLASS MACHINE TOOLS FOR sale, lathes, planers, drilling and boring machines, bolt cutters, steam and power hammers, also large stock woodworking machinery, engines, boilers, etc. Address H. W. PETRIE, adjoining Union Station, Toronto. 38a ywt

A FEW GOOD RANGES, TWO ORGANS and general assortment of furniture at the Ark, Market Square.

FOR SALE—A VERY GOOD PIANO—OF excellent tone. Can be seen by calling at J. W. Jones' Auction Rooms, Dundas street. Can be had at a bargain. 43tf

TWO MANUAL PEDAL ORGAN CHEAP —Also Decker Bros. (New York) upright piano. Heintzman & Co., warerooms, 226 Dundas street. H. W. BURNETT, Manager.

GAS CHANDELIERS AND BRACKETS and globes. SMITH BROS., 265 Dundas treet. y

A FEW SECOND-HAND STOVES—MUST be sold. At Keen's, Masonic Temple, Market Square.

PIANOS, PIANOS—NEW AND SECOND HAND, also a beautiful assortment of music and musical merchandise, and two good organs cheap. Anderson's Book Store, Nordheimer's Piano Agency, 183 Dundas street.

RUBBER STAMPS, SEALS — RAZORS sharpened; guns, rifles revolvers and locks repaired. D. MCKENZIE & Co., 388 Richmond street.

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FOR SALE — GROCERY STAND AND dwelling cheap for cash, or will exchange for city or farm property. J. F. SANGSTER, 403 Richmond street. 59n

A FIRST-CLASS BOOT AND SHOE BUSINESS for sale in one of the best cities in Western Ontario (not London). Stock about $1,500, all new. Apply P. O. box 218, London, Ont. 42n eod

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$18 A WEEK EASY, YOU WORK right around home. A brand new thing. No trouble to make $18 a week easy. Write to us quick; you will be surprised how easy it can be done. Send us your address anyway. It will be for your interest to investigate. Write today. You can positively make $18 a week easy. Address Imperial Silverware Company, Box L. C., Windsor, Ont. ywt2

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WANTED—EXPERIENCED CANVASSER to call on private families, or lady or gentleman well acquainted in the city. State salary expected. Apply drawer 846 city.

Livery Stables.

STAR LIVERY—OPEN DAY AND NIGHT —Hacks, coupes, etc. Light livery a specialty. THOS. TREBILCOCK, 633 Richmond street. Phone 423.

LILLEY'S LIVERY—NO. DUNDAS street, East London, Ont. Telephone No. 666.

Hotel Cards.

ONEIL HOUSE—CORNER TALBOT AND York street; new and convenient; stables. WM. COLLINS, proprietor.

CITY HOTEL, LONDON—BEST $1 DAY house in Canada; good stables in connection. J. MCMARTIN, proprietor.

THE ST. LAWRENCE HOTEL, MONTREAL—Centrally located and first-class in every respect. H. HOGAN, Proprietor.

WESTERN HOTEL—ENTIRELY REFURNISHED—Farmers' trade solicited; best stables in city; boarders taken. J. B. JENNINGS.

"THE RICHMOND" — CORNER KING and Richmond streets. JAMES FALLAHE, new proprietor. A call solicited.

TECUMSEH HOUSE—LONDON, ONT. Largest and best hotel in Western Ontario. No charge for baggage or sample rooms. Rates $2 and $2 50 per day. C. W. DAVIS, proprietor.

Veterinary Surgeons.

J. H. TENNANT—VETERINARY SURGEON—Office, King street, opposite Market House; residence, corner King and Wellington. Telephone.

J. H. WILSON & SON—OFFICE 99½ KING street, London; residence, 346 Richmond street. Telephone.

Educational.

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MR. J. W. G. ANDRAS PREPARES pupils separately for all university and professional examinations, 308 Waterloo street. 30tf

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FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED rooms, with or without board. 251 Queen's avenue. 50n

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TO LET—LARGE COTTAGE, 188 SYDENHAM street. Apply on premises or 95 Maple street. 38 tf ywt

PREMISES TO LET—153 CARLING street, near Richmond; good cellar, shop and two flats above, each 40x20 feet; suitable for workshop or dwelling. Rent moderate. SPITTAL & CO., 153 Dundas street. 48n

TO LET — STORE AND DWELLING, corner Oxford and Waterloo streets. Apply on premises. 50c ywt

TO LET — STORE AND DWELLING — Good grocery stand, corner Byron avenue and Wharncliffe road. Apply next door. 48c

TO LET—A COTTAGE ON QUEEN'S avenue (No. 639), or for sale. It has been newly whitewashed and papered. Rent moderate. Apply at 521 Dundas street. 43tf

Real Estate.

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FOR SALE — HOUSE ON WATSON street, $500; $100 cash, balance $5 per month. House in good state of repair. For particulars apply J. W. WINNETT, barrister, 420 Talbot street, London. ywt

FOR SALE—

Fine 100-acre farm, lot 70, E. T. R., Westminster, estate of the late James Garrick; extra good house and buildings, orchard and small bush.

For Exchange—Two stores (frame and brick), in the village of Springford, on the Brantford and Port Burwell Railway, for farm property in the London district. Full particulars of GEO. PRITCHARD, 9 Market Lane. yt

S. CHADWICK & SON — REAL ESTATE Agents. Homes. Investments. Speculation. Call Room 2 Albion Building.

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T. FOX, ORIGINAL PAWNBROKER lends money on diamonds, watches and jewelry; business strictly confidential; highest price paid for cast-off clothing. 383 Clarence street.

WANTED—300 SECOND-HAND OVERCOATS—Highest cash prices paid. A. P. SAINSBURY, 90 King street. Mail orders attended to.

Architects.

MCBRIDE & FARNCOMBE — ARCHITECTS and Surveyors, 213 Dundas street. H. C. MCBRIDE, F. W. FARNCOMBE, H.S., C.E.

MOORE & HENRY—ARCHITECTS AND civil engineers. Members Ont. Ass'n. Architects; members Ont. L. Surveyors' Ass'n.; members Am. Waterworks Ass'n.

HERBERT MATTHEWS—ARCHITECT—(formerly with C. C. Haight, New York), Carling Block, Richmond street.

Accountants

GEO. W. HAYES, ACCOUNTANT ASSIGNEE, Insurance Agent—Representing Northern Assurance Company, Keystone Fire Insurance Company, Equitable Loan and Savings Company. Agents wanted to canvass. Call on me for particulars. All business promptly attended to. Money to loan. GEO. W. HAYES, 5 Masonic Temple Building. ywt

M. A. DILLON, ACCOUNTANT 532 Talbot street. Telephone 163.

INSURE YOUR PROPERTY IN THE Liverpool and London and Globe Insurance Company. All classes of insurance at lowest rates.

Assets	$57,314,280
General Reserve	6,500,000
Average daily income over	30,000

EDWARD TOWE, general agent. Office 412 Richmond street, over Bank of Commerce, London. Money to loan on real estate at 5 and 5½ per cent. Phone 507. ywt.

To Contractors.

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of undersigned until Monday, March 1, for alterations and additions to a warehouse. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

McBRIDE & FARNCOMBE.
Architects.
213 Dundas street. 49c

INSURANCE AGENT WANTED.

A LEADING FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY wishes to obtain the services of an agent for London. Only those who can control a desirable line of business need apply. Address "Insurance," box 2193, Montreal. 49n

Valuable City Property FOR SALE.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP TO MARCH 1 for the purchase of that very desirable property, 531 Dundas street, having a frontage of 45 feet and a depth of 230 feet, with 10-foot lane in rear to William street. The present buildings will bring an immediate revenue, and the site is one of the most valuable in the residential portion of the city.

W. H. BARTRAM, Solicitor.
45tf 93 Dundas street, London.

A FARMER FINDS GOLD.

Port Arthur, Ont., Feb. 23.—Gold has been discovered in the township of MacGregor. James Murphy, of Fort William, has some men at work on a quartz vein, assays of which have gone $2, $4 and $40.

HER NECK BROKEN BY A PIGEON

Sharon, Pa., Feb. 23.—Mrs. Cora Strenchard, of Kremis, Mercer county, had her neck broken by being struck in the face by a flying pigeon. The physicians have encased the woman's neck in a plaster of paris mold, and hopes are entertained for her recovery. The pigeon was killed.

A DINNER PILL—Many persons suffer excruciating agony after partaking of a hearty dinner. The food partaken of is like a ball of lead upon the stomach, and instead of being a healthy nutriment it becomes a poison to the system. Dr. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are wonderful correctives of such troubles. They correct acidity, open the secretions, and convert the food partaken of into healthy nutriment. They are just the medicine to take if troubled with Indigestion or Dyspepsia.

"The only way to prevent what's past," says a famous Irish maxim, "is to put a stop to it before it happens."

Greece Aggressive.

Persists in Her Policy Regardless of the Powers.

40,000 Greeks Notify the King They're Ready to Make Any Sacrifice.

Queen of Greece Asks the Czar's Support for Her Country's Cause.

Mussulmans Being Armed by Turkish Authorities for an Attack Near Arta.

Canea, Feb. 23.—The British, Italian and Russian consuls, who recently went to Selino to inquire into the situation there, returned yesterday, bringing with them 170 Mussulmans, who feared to remain in the town. The consuls state that they were unable to negotiate with the combatants, who were resolved to fight to the end. Both sides, Moslems and Christians, refused to be hampered with prisoners, and therefore massacred their enemies who fell into their hands. Two hundred civilians and Turkish troops, with three guns, are still holding Selino against the Christians, but their position is critical.

CONSULS FIRED UPON.

When attempting to approach Cadano the consuls were fired upon by the Christians, despite the fact that they were bearing a white flag. As they returned to Sélino the Christians there fired on their boats. Nobody is reported to have been injured.

The insurgents at Halepa have again hoisted the Greek flag, but have not renewed their fire on the Turkish ports, which are about 1,600 yards distant from the town.

No insurgents were killed by the bombardment of the warships. The French and Italian vessels did not open fire, because the Greek flag was lowered by the insurgents before their turn came. It is feared that fifteen Christians were slightly wounded during the bombardment. Three nuns in a convent, adjacent to the insurgents' position, were injured. The Greek warship Hydra landed surgeons and obtained permission to embark the wounded.

WARNING UNHEEDED.

Paris, Feb. 23. — Admiral Pottier says that before the firing of the foreign warships began, the admirals made repeated protests to the insurgents against their attacking the town of Canea. The insurgents, paying no heed to the protests, advanced upon the town, whereupon the British, German, Austrian and Russian warships opened fire, and continued the bombardment of the insurgent position until the Greek flag was lowered.

The Gaulois says the powers have agreed to intrust to Italy the authority to pacify and administer the affairs of the Island of Crete, pending the establishment of constitutional autonomy for the island.

GREECE WILL DECLARE WAR.

London, Feb. 23.—The Athens correspondent of the Chronicle telegraphs that Greece will instantly declare war if the Turkish troops give provocation. He adds that it would be impossible to exaggerate the intensity of national feeling. Greece cannot and will not draw back. If she did there would be neither a crown nor a government in 24 hours. The correspondent admits that the opposition in the Greek Parliament is partly answerable for the warlike demonstrations.

GREEKS INDIGNANT.

Athens, Feb. 23.—The indignation caused by the bombardment of the insurgent position near Canea by the foreign warships has increased, and the action of the powers is denounced on every hand as a gross outrage and a wanton disregard of the rights of Greece. A very largely attended indignation meeting was held yesterday, at which strong protests against the interference of the powers were made. Prime Minister Delyannis addressed the meeting. He declared that the Cabinet was in perfect accord with the nation. The Government knew its duty fully, and would perform it in face of every obstacle. There is no denying the fact that the whole Hellenic people are in a temper which would make war welcome, even against overwhelming odds. They are determined to uphold Greek rights and honor, and will persist in helping the Christians in Crete, notwithstanding the attitude of the powers in supporting the Turks.

Korakos, a Greek, at the head of 5,000 Cretans, has invested the town of Heraklion. He has cut off the water supply, and has summoned the place to surrender, promising protection to those who do so.

A dispatch to the London Times from Athens says: "The Greek Government has decided to send a part of the fleet on a cruise along the Sporades Islands, while another portion of the fleet will proceed to Amrbacia to prevent the Turks attacking the Greek frontier from Prevesa. Troops from all parts of Greece are hurrying to the Turkish frontier. The call for naval volunteers has been more than amply answered. The policy of Greece will be defensive by land, but aggressive by sea."

ASKS THE CZAR'S ASSISTANCE.

London, Feb. 23.—A dispatch to the Daily Mail from Berlin says: "The Queen of Greece recently sent a message to the Czar, requesting his support for the national cause of Greece. The King also wired the Czar, stating that he would declare war on Turkey and himself lead the army before he would yield to European coercion. Princess Marie of Greece also telegraphed her fiance, Duke George of Russia, that the action of the powers against Greece was infamous."

TO ATTACK GREECE.

Constantinople, Feb. 23.—A dispatch from Janina says that the authorities are arming the Mussulman population for a descent upon the Greek frontier near Arta.

The Norddeutsche Algem Zeitung asserts that the Turkish Cabinet last week decided to declare war on Greece, but the Sultan vetoed the decision on account of the finances of Turkey.

Eight hundred Turkish troops will leave for Heraklion and Canea today. The transports conveying them will be convoyed by British and Italian cruisers to prevent interference by the Greek warships.

STATEMENTS IN THE BRITISH HOUSE.

London, Feb. 23.—When Mr. Labouchere (Radical) moved to adjourn with a view of discussing the situation in Crete. Right Hon. A. J. Balfour, Government leader in the House, opposed the motion, and said there was absolute unanimity among the powers to avoid war. When they saw the masters of the colossal armies of Europe moved with the deepest anxiety lest war should be declared, surely it was not for authorities upon international affairs like Mr. Labouchere and Mr. Dillon, to say that such fears were illusory. (Cries of "Oh, oh!") The united forces were responsible for peace, and the naval action which they took at Canea was forced upon them in the interests of peace. Mr. Balfour expressed the hope that the debate on Mr. Labouchere's motion would stop where it was, as it would not serve the interests of Europe, nor would it benefit Greece or Crete.

Sir William Harcourt said that the country ought to know whether the Government were acting upon their old formula, the integrity of the Ottoman Empire. To detach Crete from the rule of the Turk was the only policy worthy of Great Britain, and he hoped that such a policy would be pursued. To take up arms against a people who were rightly fighting for their freedom would not be tolerated by the country.

Prior to the introduction of Labouchere's motion to adjourn, Mr. Curzon, Under Foreign Secretary, stated that the international squadron had no option but to forcibly prevent the insurgents from making an attack upon Canea. (Opposition cries of "Oh, oh," and "Shame.") Mr. Curzon further said that the presence of the Greek troops in the Island of Crete so far appeared to have added to the disorder. The powers, he continued, did not intend to delegate to the Greek forces the duty of keeping order in the interior of the island. He denied that the warships had attacked the Greeks.

Sir Charles Dilke (Liberal) said the Greeks had reason to believe that Great Britain had twice led the concert of Europe to prevent them from getting what they otherwise would have obtained. The feeling of the country, he declared, was almost unanimously on the side of the Greeks.

Mr. Labouchere's motion was rejected by a vote of 243 to 125.

IN THE FRENCH CHAMBER.

In the French Chamber of Deputies the Government was sharply questioned by the Socialist leaders regarding the situation in Crete. Replying to the interpellations, M. Hanotaux, Minister of Foreign Affairs, read the obligation of France to co-operate with the other nations of Europe. Crete, he declared, had been placed in the hands of the powers, who would not restore the authority of the Sultan in the island, but who would not infringe the integrity of Turkey. The will of Europe will be forcibly imposed upon Greece, and also upon Turkey. In conclusion, M. Hanotaux, said it would be necessary to effect reforms in the entire East without the co-operation of the Sultan.

King Drunami a Fugitive.

Terrible Scenes in the Captured City of Benin.

Korea's Hermit King Goes to His New Palace.

Hon. Wilfrid Laurier Will Attend the Colonial Premiers' Banquet.

Lieut.-Gov. Kirkpatrick Has Almost Entirely Recovered—Blondin Dead.

VENTURED OUT.

London, Feb. 23.—The King of Corea, who has been at the Russian embassy at Corea for protection ever since the murder of the Queen several months ago, has again taken up his quarters in his new palace.

LIEUT.-GOV. KIRKPATRICK.

London, Feb. 23.—Hon. Geo. A. Kirkpatrick, Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario, who recently had a painful operation performed upon him in this city, has almost entirely recovered, and will spend a few weeks at Brighton before returning to Canada.

BLONDIN DEAD.

London, Feb. 23.—Blondin, the celebrated tight-rope walker, who was the first person to cross Niagara Falls on a tight-rope, which feat he performed on Aug. 17, 1860, died from diabetes today at Ealing, a suburb of London.

BANQUET TO THE COLONIAL PREMIERS.

London, Feb. 23.—Hon. Wilfrid Laurier, Premier of Canada, has consented to attend the banquet which is to be given by the London Chamber of Commerce to the Colonial Prime Ministers upon the ocasion of the Queen's diamond jubilee in June.

27,000 MOSLEMS KILLED.

A dispatch from Constantinople says that official reports from Crete say that the total number of Moslems, men, women and children, who have been killed during the present troubles in that island is over 27,000, and that 25 Moslem villages have been pillaged and burned.

The Port has received information that the total number of Greek troops now in Crete is 3,000. Rhotiades Pasha has again been offered the governorship of Crete, and has finally accepted the position.

Five Austrian warships sailed from Pola for Canea on Saturday.

The powers have agreed that the granting of autonomy to the Island of Crete must be preceded by a complete cessation of Greek hostilities.

CHARGED WITH EMBEZZLING OVER $220,000.

Berlin, Feb. 23.—Ferdinand May, a merchant of Strasburg, Germany, has been arrested in New York. May is one of the defendants in a suit brought by the Allgemeine Elsaessich Bank Gesellschaft of Strasbury, and the order of the arrest was procured on an affidavit made by Carl Woeffel, imperial bank inspector of Germany. He is charged with the embezzlement of $222,310 50

CABLE NOTES.

While out riding at Melbourne today Lord Brassey, Governor of Victoria, was thrown from his horse and severely injured.

The Rome correspondent of the Times denies that any decision has been given there by the Vatican on the subject of the Manitoba schools.

DRUNAMI ON THE RUN.

Benin's King a Fugitive — An Awful Scene.

Brass, Niger Coast Protectorate, Feb. 23.—The expedition which was formed to punish Drunami, King of Benin, for the murder of the members of a peacable British expedition, which was attempting to reach Benin City, has been entirely successful. The expedition captured Benin City and the king is a fugitive. He fled northward, but it is expected that he will be taken prisoner.

When the expedition entered the town it was found that it well deserved its name of "City of Blood." Many victims of Ju Ju, or fetish priests, were found crucified, having been sacrificed to the various gods. The Ju Ju houses and their compounds were reeking with the blood of those who had recently been beheaded in the religious ceremonies.

In the fighting that took place before the town was captured 17 European and 23 native members of the expedition were killed or wounded. No trace was found of Mr. Campbell, a consular official, who was captured by the Beninites at the time of the massacre. It is supposed that he was killed by his captors shortly after he was made a prisoner.

THE OCEANIC.

Largest Steamer Yet Planned—25 Feet Longer Than the Great Eastern.

London, Feb. 23.—The new steamer Oceanic, being built at Belfast this year for the White Star Line will be 704 feet long, or 25 feet longer than the Great Eastern, and 17,000 gross tonnage. It is expected she will be as fast as the crack Cunarders, but there will be no attempt to get 27 knots, which has been reported as the expected speed. The company announces that a much higher speed than that now contemplated is quite practicable from an engineering point of view. It has been determined to afm at a regular Wednesday morning arrival both in New York and Liverpool, making Queenstown by daylight and enabling passengers traveling to places beyond the port of arrival to reach their destination during the day.

It is calculated that the Oceanic will be able to steam round the world without recoaling, at 12 knots, if necessary, as a reserve vessel of the British navy. It is expected to launch the vessel next January. The White Star Line now has no less than 105,000 new tonnage under construction at Belfast.

THE SEATS FELL.

Disaster at a Circus—200 People Thrown Down—Six May Die.

Brownsville, Texas, Feb. 23.—At a circus here last night a section of the seats collapsed, precipitating three hundred persons to the ground. Six may die. Many were more or less bruised.

A CALF'S COSTLY MEAL.

Chewed Up $210, Which Uncle Sam Kindly Redeemed.

Washington, Feb. 22.—Treasurer Morgan today received a little wooden box from Texas containing a wad of what appeared to be fragments of United States bills. Later in the day a letter from J. Blacingame, of a small town near Galveston, Tex., arrived at the Treasury Department, which explained the contents of the box. The wad of green paper is all that is left of $210 owned by Mr. Blacingame, which he rescued from the stomach of a yearling calf. It seems that the Texan recently sold a herd of cattle, for which he received $470 in bills, as follows: One $100, one $50, and sixteen $20 bills. He placed the money in an ordinary memorandum pocketbook, but the bills were in such a position that the ends stuck beyond the edge of the book. Blacingame carelessly threw his coat on the ground in a cow lot, and a yearling coming along saw the green bills and proceeded to devour them. The animal took in the entire bunch at one mouthful and was discovered in the act of chewing Blacingame's $470. The Texan, with the assistance of his brother, succeeded in recovering from the mouth of the calf thirteen of the $20 bills in a comparatively uninjured condition. This money was afterwards passed off by Blacingame in payment for some cattle. The calf was shortly killed, and from its stomach was taken a mass of chewed bills, stained and discolored. The fragments were boxed and sent to the redemption divison of the Treasury Department. Blacingame prepared a sworn statement of the disappearance of his money and forwarded it to Treasurer Morgan. The latter had the case examined, and found the facts to be as stated. Accordingly $210 in crisp, new bank notes were today sent to the cattle dealer to replace the money masticated by his calf.

John Berthon, a Toronto land surveyor, died on Monday from the effects of a night's exposure. A couple of weeks ago, when overcome by the cold on the lake front, he lost consciousness, and was found in a half frozen condition.

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Charges of Personation Against Three Londoners Dismissed.

A Magistrate Comments Strongly Upon People Swearing Out Informations.

The charges of personation against Messrs. Cooper, O'Gorman, and Fitzhenry, of London, were called at the Brantford Police Court yesterday in accordance with the terms of adjournments. Neither Mr. S. Adams, who swore out the information, nor his lawyer, put in an appearance. Magistrate Woodyat dismissed the charges against the three young men, and in doing so took occasion to remark that it was a piece of gross impertinence for any man to swear out an information charging respectable young men with a very serious offense, and then to fail to put in an appearance to explain the proceeding. He promised to look up authorities and see if there was no recourse against the parties to recover costs in the matter.

Ontario Legislature.

Important Measures Brought in Yesterday—Premier Hardy and Government House.

Toronto, Feb. 23.—In the Legislature yesterday afternoon an important bill was introduced by Hon. Mr. Hardy, providing for the auditing of the accounts of municipalities. The bill, in its present shape, will insure a thorough supervision of the operations of municipal treasurers.

Legislation relating to the administration of justice in those portions of the province which are outside of county organizations, and to so amend the Municipal Act as to enable county councils to separate farm lands within towns and villages from these municipalities and to annex them to adjoining municipalities, was introduced.

Mr. Gibson, Huron, introduced a bill, which was read a first time, to amend the Municipal Act, to enable the County Council to pass bylaws for separating farm lands within the limits of towns and villages from the town and village, and annexing the same to the adjoining municipality, and to define by bylaw the new limits of the town or village.

Premier Hardy gave notice of his motion "That a select committee of this House be appointed to consider all questions relating to Government House and Government House property, and the further question of the future maintenance or the discontinuance of the maintenance of Government House by the province or otherwise, and to report thereon, and that such committee consist of the Attorney-General and Messrs. Beneon, Dryden, Ferguson, Stratton, Haycock, Howland, Macnish, McPherson, Marter and Whitney."

A petition was submitted by Mr. Pardo (Kent) from the Chatham City and Suburban Railway Company, asking for an extension of two years of the time within which construction must be finished, in view of a proposed extension of the line.

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