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EXCITING SCENES IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS.

The Parnellites Finally Squelched—Mr. Gladstone to be on Hand for the Debate on Mr. Parnell's Land Bill—Lord Randolph Churchill's Firmness.

LONDON, Sept. 18.—With the House of Commons sitting at 4 o'clock in the morning discussing the size of the cells in Irish prisons and the appointment of Protestant kitchen maids in Irish workhouses, it seems difficult to deny that obstruction has been practised. Matters went so far on Thursday that Lord Randolph Churchill protested against what he called the unprecedented and immeasurable protraction of the proceedings of the House. The House grew so impatient that a majority of the members silenced Dr. Tanner by groans and received Irishman after Irishman with derisive laughter. The discussion of the Fahey case threatened to become interminal. The excitement ran so high that the chairman constantly intervened to moderate the language.

Then came attacks on Capt. Plunkett, Special Resident Magistrate for the Cork District, whom Dr. Tanner described as occupying his leisure when not engaged in savagery with gambling, female society and German bands. Mr. Morley came to Capt. Plunkett's defence and declared that he had but done his duty. The chairman finally interrupted Mr. Harrington with the remark that he must see the necessity of observing the usual decencies of debate. Mr. Parnell, during these scenes, as during the earlier part of the week, was conspicuous by his absence.

Nothing sufficed to shake the determination of the Government to finish Supply before taking up Mr. Parnell's bill. Lord Randolph's announcement was decisive. The bill would come on Monday if Supply were out of the way; otherwise it must take its chance. Moreover a tacit agreement seems to have been reached that Mr. Parnell shall have two nights instead of one for the discussion of the bill. Mr. Gladstone's presence is now certain. He has notified his Liberal colleagues that he will arrive on Sunday morning. Nobody doubts that he intends to advocate, not, perhaps, Mr. Parnell's bill as it stands, but some measure for the relief of the tenant.

THINGS IN BULGARIA.

Russia's Reply to the Sobranje—A Demonstration in Honor of Alexander.

SOFIA, Sept. 18.—When the Russian agent here was presented with the Sobranje's telegram to the Czar praying for his friendship and protection, the agent said: "Prince Alexander's departure has removed the obstacle to good relations between Russia and Bulgaria, which was a source of great danger to the prosperity of Bulgaria, which Russia has at heart. Russia cannot admit even the idea of Prince Alexander returning to Bulgaria. This fact, therefore, is one guarantee of the happiness and internal independence which your telegram mentions. Russia desires harmony among you all, and she especially desires that your Government shall be above all party spirit."

The Russians in Bulgaria deny all complicity in the seizure and deposition of Prince Alexander, but have advised moderation in the treatment of those who were implicated, in order to maintain quiet and prevent discontent from spreading. The Russians say they "consider that now the object of the plot is removed, no one can proceed against the actors in the plot."

The Sobranje has approved the bill appointing a court martial to try Maj. Grueff and other officers associated with him in the coup d' etat on the charge of treason.

The Journal de St. Petersburg says it cannot reconcile the Bulgarian address to the Czar praying for his friendship and protection with the Sobranje's reply to the speech of the Regency opening the session. "This confusion," says the Journal, "justifies Gen. Kaulbar's mission. His counsel will extricate Bulgaria from the existing crisis. The disorganization in the Sofia Assembly and among those guiding it must be checked."

After the adjournment of the Sobranje to-day a number of Deputies met and formulated an address to Prince Alexander describing him as one of the principal heroes of the revolution of the 18th September, 1885, and expressing the hope that he would speedily return to Bulgaria. In the evening a banquet was given in celebration of the anniversary of the Roumelian revolution. A procession, headed by priests accompanied by bands, paraded through the town, and subsequently a grand review of troops was held. The day was observed as a national holiday. At public and private gatherings everywhere toasts were drank to Prince Alexander.

Russia Threatens.

SOFIA, Sept. 19.—The Russian agent here has officially threatened to suspend relations with Bulgaria if the Government yield to the Sobranje's demand for the punishment of the authors of the revolutionary conspiracy.

ENTERED DUBLIN IN STATE.

Mixed Cheers and Groans Greet Lord and Lady Londonderry.

DUBLIN, Sept. 18.—The state entry of the Marquis of Londonderry into Dublin was made with the usual official demonstration, but was devoid of incident. The Marquis was accompanied by his wife Lady Londonderry. They were received at Westland Row by a crowd which cheered them. Both Marquis and Lady Londonderry rode thither from the station on horseback. Lady Londonderry, as a tribute to the Irish people, wore a dress of white poplin. When the couple departed from the railway station they were greeted with cheers followed by groans. The Marquis recognized the greeting by raising his hat and smiling to the crowd. The entire route from the railway station to Dublin Castle was lined with troops. Most of the buildings were decorated and the streets looked gay. The Hibernian Bank was conspicuous by its total lack of flags, bunting or decoration. The Kildare-street Club House was filled with people. In Nassau-street a banner with inscription "The Queen and the Constitution" was displayed. During the progress of the Vice Regal procession the cheers were nearly everywhere accompanied by groans.

The Vice Regal party was welcomed at the Castle by a large crowd of Loyalists, who cheered heartily. There was also a hostile crowd there which did its best to offset the welcome by cheering lustily for Parnell and "United Ireland." The hostilies attempted to follow this up as the Marquis and Lady Londonderry entered the Castle by singing "God save Ireland," but the people rallied and put a stop to this.

CABLE NOTES.

Mrs. Girling, the leader of the Shakers in England, is dead. Her sect are very destitute at present.

The hostile Arabs of the Soudan have assembled in force in Dorgulo and now threaten the Egyptian frontier.

Neubar Pasha, Egyptian Prime Minister, has, at the request of the British Government, started for London to assist in the settlement of Egyptian affairs.

The convention of Philosophers and Surgeons at Berlin is attended by delegates from all parts of the world, including America, numbering five thousand.

It is stated that the New Hebrides question, which has been the subject of negotiations between the English and French Governments, is on the eve of an amicable settlement.

The convicts employed by the Egyptian Government at the Djebiesceit Petroleum Works mutinied recently and twenty-four of the mutineers had to be killed before the others could be forced again into submission.

Succi, the faster, has successfully accomplished his task of subsisting thirty days without ordinary food on mineral waters and an extract from an African root. He finished his task without being at all exhausted.

The Republic Francaise of Paris urges the French Government to take advantage of the fact that England has her hands full to enforce the French protectorate over Madagascar, "Otherwise," observes the paper, "England when she becomes disengaged will become mistress of the situation."

THE TRIENNIAL CONCLAVE.

Arrangements Complete for the Reception of the Knights Templar at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Sept. 18.—All arrangements for the reception and entertainment of the Knights Templar who will attend the Triennial Conclave in this city have been completed. Quarters have been prepared for all visiting commanderies, and the Knights will suffer no inconvenience for want of room unless many come who have not notified the committee. To-day the Reception Committee of fifty from the various local commanderies will go into camp near the Union Depot, where they will be stationed until the list of the visitors arrive, giving the Knights a pleasant reception and furnishing each company with a band, which will escort them to their headquarters. Yesterday there left in a special car a delegation of Ivanhoe Commandery for Kansas City, where they will meet Sir Knight Robert E. Withers, Right Eminent Grand Master of the United States, and the California delegation, 1000 strong, and escort them to the city, arriving here to-morrow morning. The conclave opens Monday.

Robert E. Withers, the Grand Master of the Grand Encampment, will arrive Monday morning at the latest. He may reach the city to-morrow. A tender of an escort by the Grand Commandery of Virginia awaited him on his arrival in the United States, and he replied from Cheyenne, accepting it. He comes from his post in China on a three months' furlough for the special purpose of presiding during the encampment in St. Louis. The Grand Encampment will meet after the parade Tuesday afternoon. The only business transacted on that day will be the delivery of addresses of welcome by the Governor and Mayor and by Grand Commander Browne, of Missouri, the presentation of reports of grand officers and the appointment of committees. The first part of the exercises will be public. The topics for discussion will be the question of a permanent location for the Grand Encampment, proposed amendments to the constitution, and proposed amendments to the ritual.

At noon to-day the St. James Commandery of Philadelphia arrived. There have also arrived the following officers of the Grand National Encampment: Thos. S. Parvin, of Cedar Rapids, Ia., Grand Recorder; George C. Betts, of Louisville, Ky., Grand Prelate; Hugh C. McCurdy, of Corunna, Mich., Grand Captain General.

A Printer's Attempt at Suicide.

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—Thomas Rogers, aged 26 years, formerly a printer on the World, returned to his boarding house at 5 o'clock this morning after a night's spree and set about ending his life. His first step was to soak a box of matches in a glass of water and drink the mixture. This was of no avail. He then took a picture nail from the wall and jabbed it twice into his left breast. Very little harm resulted, and he next smashed a wine bottle and sawed at his throat with one of the fragments. While thus occupied his landlady discovered him and had him taken charge of by a policeman. Rogers had not been working for three months, having, it is said, inherited a fortune of $30,000 from some relative in England which he was to receive in instalments of $10,000 every ten years. He will recover.

Murder of a Chicago Saloonkeeper.

CHICAGO, Sept. 18.—At 3 o'clock this morning a police officer heard cries for assistance from a low saloon at No. 315 Clark-street, kept by a man named Wm. Dwyer. The officer on entering a rear room found a disreputable woman named Minnie Ahern caressing Dwyer, who was lying on the floor, his head resting in a pool of his own blood. His skull was fractured in several places. The injured man was removed to the County Hospital, where he died an hour later. The woman was taken to the station, where she told the officers that a man named Billy Clark was one of the last persons seen about the place. Clark was arrested. The police will make more arrests to-day, and are confident of apprehending the murderer.

From St. Catharines via Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 18.—Mrs. Morris of this city has been stuffing a local reporter. Hearing of the death of her brother, Robt. Mabbatt Kitton, aged 38, by drowning at St. Catharines, she went to that place to investigate. Her brother had lived at St. Catharines 10 years. At 10.30 he was alive, she says, and at 11.15 he was taken out of the mill-race. His body was still warm, but no efforts were made at resuscitation, owing, so Mrs. Morris says, to the law insisting that the coroner shall be notified of the finding of a body before any such efforts are made. At 4 o'clock Kitton was sent to the poor lot for burial, none of his friends being notified, although a letter addressed to Mrs. Morris was found on his person.

Pleuro-Pneumonia Near Chicago.

CHICAGO, Sept. 19.—Pleuro-pneumonia has been found among the cows at an extensive dairy at Ridgeland. A number of the animals have been killed. The milk from this section is consumed in Chicago.

People, do not defraud yourselves by continually buying mats which fill up and become useless in a short space of time, but stay this reckless waste of money by procuring the mat of the age, viz., the steel wire door mat, which cleans itself and never wears out. 135

The Aged French Parrot.

A centenarian named Lenoir died recently in Paris at the ripe age of 103 years. Lenoir was a parrot. During the reign of Louis XVI. he was hatched out in the royal palace, and there he continued to live through all the vicissitudes that animated French governmental affairs. Since the reign of Charles X. it has been very difficult to teach any new phrases to Lenoir, but he possessed already many that he chattered with great volubility and often with singular inappositeness. They did get him to learn "Vive Gambetta!" and he used to alternate that pharse with "A bas Robespierre!" which was a memory retained from the time of the Reign of Terror. Lenoir's last words were "Grace pour Marie Antoinette." When events in the Reign of Terror and names of those then conspicuous were mentioned before him he would repeat "L'an est terrible."

UNITED STATES NEWS.

The death of El Coyote, the celebrated Mexican bandit, is confirmed.

New York striking plumbers have decided to start ten co-operative shops.

A concert with a chorus of 2000 children was given at the St. Louis, Mo., Exposition on Saturday.

Twelve cottages were burnt at the Johanna Heights Methodist Camp meeting, Reading Pa., Saturday. Incendiarism.

G. T. Seitner, Assistant Secretary of the Board of Public Works, Cincinnati, has been arrested for embezzling $6000.

A circular has been sent from Washington forbidding the words "United States Land Office" by land agents and others.

The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company has given notice that they will meet the trunk line cut to southern points on Monday.

A riot at Pittsburg, Pa., on Saturday between Irish and Italian laborers resulted in Patrick Constantine being killed and Padro Rocco being fatally injured.

A cyclone struck Joliet, Ill., on Saturday, leveling fifteen buildings, injuring a number of people, extinguishing the gas lamps and doing other damage.

Mrs. W. H. Hubbell, aged 35, of Brooklyn, N.Y., Saturday drowned her six months' old babe in a bath tub and then hanged herself. She had been in ill-health.

The chamber containing the miners imprisoned in a mine at Scranton, Pa., was struck yesterday, but the chamber was so full of gas that no man could live there three minutes. The gas will be allowed to escape and the search resumed probably to-day.

Two hundred sheep butchers employed in the packing houses at the stock yards in Chicago have gone out on a strike. The strikers have been receiving seven cents, and they want ten cents per head. If they secure the price they ask their wages will amount to about $10 a day. The packers are determined not to give the prices asked.

Cleanliness is next to godliness. Observe this practically by obtaining at once the celebrated steel wire door mat. 136

TOUCHED FOR OVER $300.

PHILIP JAMIESON'S SAFE CRACKED BY EXPERT BURGLARS.

A Neatly Executed Job Performed on one of the Most Frequented Corners in Toronto—Nonplussing the Police—A Model "Jimmy."

Another cleverly-executed burglary was added to the list during Saturday night. At 11 o'clock Philip Jamieson's clothing house at Queen and Yonge streets was closed up as usual. Yesterday morning it was discovered that the safe had been cracked and over $300 in cash carried off. The burglars, judging from the manner in which they went about their work, are experts. Entrance was gained by a skeleton key to the hallway leading from Queen-street to the flats over the store. The door opening into the workroom from this hallway was forced open after considerable hard prying. Nearly a whole box of matches was used in giving light for this operation. From the workroom the burglars made an easy descent to the store via the elevator. All the blinds were drawn and no lights were left burning when the store was closed.

The safe stands in a small room or office in the northwest corner. A large hole was drilled near the combination, which is fastened to the back of the inner plate of the door. The combination was evidently easily displaced with handy tools and fell down to the bottom between the outer and inner plates. The door was then opened and all of the contents of the safe secured. These were carried up to the third story and carefully examined. None of the papers, which consisted of deeds and other private papers, were taken. Over $300 in cash was secured. When leaving the building the Queen-street hall door was left open.

The job was systematically and quietly executed. The corner of Queen and Yonge is one of the most frequented in Toronto, and is the terminl of three or four police beats. In case of being surprised, the burglars had made provision for leaving the building through the cellar. The grating in the basement on the Queen-street side had been removed, leaving sufficient room for a man to crawl through. A revolver cartridge and the handsomest and strongest two-foot "jimmy" that ever a cracksman carried was left behind as a souvenir of the visit for the detectives to weep over. From other traces of the steal, there is no doubt that the same party who did the street car office job paid their respects to Mr. Jamieson's safe and are now pointed the shooter in every direction, until Policeman Noble, in plain clothes, came along and stopped the fun. Before being locked up the gentleman from China told the sergeant that "Me no intendee to shootee, only wantee to scaree."

Fortune-Telling Birds.

"It's a dead shame," said a York-street hackman on Saturday, "that them canaries are starved the way they are." The indignant Jehu had reference to a couple of fortune-telling canaries which were being exhibited by a gentleman of the Jewish persuasion. The birds are confined in cages, in front of which are a number of folded pieces of paper containing fortunes to suit almost any taste. When a customer comes along the fakir opens the cage door, invites the bird to take a look at the gentleman or lady and then pick out his fortune. The bird, as soon as the door is opened, picks up one of the papers referred to and is immediately returned to his perch. It is said that it is hunger makes the little creatures pick at the white and blue colored papers, mistaking them for food, of which they are deprived.

Notes From the Ontario Gazette.

"The Listowel Agricultural and Exhibition Association," is applying for incorporation.

"The Horse Breeders' Association of Welland" increased their capital stock from $3000 to $7000.

The capital stock of the "The Oil Exchange Financial Association of Petrolea" is increased from $150,000 to $300,000.

Henry E. Nelles, London; John W. White, Toronto, and Arthur A. Mahaffey, Bracebridge, are gazetted notaries public for Ontario.

County Court and Sessions.

In the County Court Saturday the jury in the case of Clark v. Smith, commenced Friday night, awarded the plaintiff $70. Boyle v. Gibbs, an action to recover $125 for wages, was the next case. Verdict for plaintiff. To-day's list: Goldstein v. Crowell, Hewlett v. Saunders, Canonahan v. Boslon.

In the General Sessions Elizabeth Duncan and Alfred Smeaton were found guilty of stealing a lot of furniture, clothing, etc., the property of James Beckett. Sentence was deferred.

A Valuable Trophy.

An immense vase, four feet high, made of solid metal (by some cruelly said to be tin), filled with rare and sweet-smelling flowers, and said to have cost $300, stood all day yesterday in the Rossin House lobby. It was the trophy which the Toronto Commercial Travelers' Baseball Club wrested from their Hamilton rivals on Saturday. If the Toronto club is not careful some one will steal that vase. The town is full of crooks at present.

Got Nothing but Abuse.

License Inspector Dexter and his deputies, Messrs. Wilson and Hastings, made an extensive circuit Saturday night of suspected unlicensed liquor dives. Mr. Dexter was at Police Headquarters last night, and was asked by The World what he got during his nocturnal visits: "We got nothing but abuse," replied the amiable inspector.

An Old Lady Asphyxiated by Gas.

Saturday morning Mrs. Williams, an elderly lady from Meaford, was found dead in her bed at Stroud's Hotel on Bay-street. At 11 o'clock Friday night she retired, and evidently blew out the gas, as the stopper was found turned on at full force in the morning. Coroner Johnson did not deem an inquest necessary.

The Italian Faster.

For centuries alchemists have sought the elixir of life and the philosopher's stone. The stone still rests among the mists of imagination. If the herb liquor which Succi the Italian faster has discovered should prove to be the elixir then the demon of poverty will lose half its terrors and everybody will buy quinn the shirtmaker's llama wool underwear at cost bottom prices.

AMUSEMENTS.

A Good List of Attractions at the Theatres this Week.

The great comedian Benj. Maginley opens a week's engagement at the Toronto Opera House this evening. Mr. Maginley is supported by a company which is well spoken of by the press of other cities. "May Blossom," the name of the comedy to be produced, is said to be well written and admirably acted by Mr. Maginley's company. With this evening's performance begins the reign of popular prices at the Toronto. Matinees on Wednesday and Saturday.

"Fantasma" at the Grand.

A great production is predicted for this week at Manager Sheppard's Grand Opera House. The Haulon Brothers, who have always been great favorites in Toronto, will present a spectacular bill-of-fare which is said to eclipse anything yet seen on the road. It is spoken of as the acme of stage ingenuity. If "Fantasma" bears out the kindly reception it has received elsewhere, it should have a great run of business all week. There will be matinees Wednesday and Saturday.

Prof. Reynolds at Temperance Hall.

A big house greeted Prof. Reynolds at the Temperance Hall on Saturday night. He will remain four nights longer.

The Yonge-street Opera House.

Mr. J. C. Conner has assumed the management of this theatre, and promises to keep continually on the boards first-class attractions at very popular prices. Commencing this afternoon May Adams' Chinese and Japanese Burlesque will open a week's engagement.

THE REPORTERS REMAINED.

An Incident in the Trial of the Case Against the D. J. Adams.

HALIFAX, N.S., Sept. 18.—Upon the hearing in the case of the seized fishing schooner David J. Adams being resumed to-day before Commissioner McLellan the newspaper men who were subpoened yesterday as witnesses were found in their seats. Mr. Meagher, counsel for the United States, demanded that any witness in the court except the one under examination be ordered to withdraw. The Commissioner was powerless to grant the demand and Counselor Russell said the witnesses referred to had come to stay. A dispute lasting twenty minutes between Meagher and Mr. Russell followed, during which the former threatened to retire unless an adjournment was granted, but the newspaper men remained in their seats. Mr. Meagher consented to draw one of the witnesses to be examined, and Samuel D. Ellis of Victoria Beach being called swore to having sold bait to the captain of the David J. Adams. At the close of Ellis' statement the court adjourned until Monday.

BRIBING A CUSTOMS OFFICER.

Walters Found Guilty in the Case of Ayer & Co. at Montreal.

MONTREAL, Que., Sept. 18.—Walters, charged with attempting to bribe Custom Officer Brosseau to deliver up the books of Ayer & Co., was found guilty to-day of bribery under the common law. Walters has made a declaration declaring he never directly or indirectly offered Brosseau, for himself or any one else, any sum of money, either as a bribe or for any purpose in connection with the Ayer & Co. customs seizure. It was Brosseau who had brought the matter into their conversation.

LEE CHENG'S SUNDAY ESCAPADE.

He Attempts to Disperse a Crowd at the End of a Big Bull Dog.

Lee Cheng runs a laundry at No. 124 Church-street. Last night Mr. Cheng was a prisoner at Police Headquarters, and on the sergeant's desk lay a formidable looking five-chambered revolver, loaded with bullets big enough to blow a man into eternity at 100 paces. At 2.30 yesterday afternoon two men called at the laundry and asked for their washing. They brought no checks with them, and to his patrons the Celestial linen mangler bawled out, in pigeon English, the well known "No checkee, no washee." The visitors proceeded to take their linen by main force, when Mr. Cheng ran to a drawer and produced his cannon, and was not long in clearing the shop. A crowd collected at the door and Cheng came out and proceeded to make their scatter. He pointed the shooter in every direction, until Policeman Noble, in plain clothes, came along and stopped the fun. Before being locked up the gentleman from China told the sergeant that "Me no intendee to shootee, only wantee to scaree."

A BIG CROWD OF COWARDS

A YOUNG MAN DROWNED IN PRESENCE OF 200 PERSONS

William G. Jones Goes Down to His Death in the Yonge-street Slip—Ladies Faint at the Sight of the Ungallant Conduct of the Onlookers.

William G. Jones, aged 24, a japaner in Macdonald's Tin Factory, quit work at noon on Saturday. Three hours later he was drowned in the Yonge-street slip under the most disgraceful circumstances. The unfortunate young man, as appears from report, was leaning on his cane near the head of Milloy's Wharf, with his back to the slip. The stick broke and he fell into the foul liquid which fills the slip. Not less than 200 persons were quite near at hand while Jones was drowning, but remarkable to relate not one of the number had the presence of mind or courage to save him. The propeller Ocean of St. Catharines and the steamer Hastings were in the slip (which is not over forty feet wide) at the time, and the crews of both boats stood calmly by and saw the man go down to his death.

On Milloy's and Geddes' wharves are a number of life preservers with lines attached, but not one man in the crowd of 200 knew enough to cast one of these to the drowning man. A packing box was thrown into the slip by some idiot, and as Jones came up the second time it is supposed to have struck and partially stunned him. Several ladies who were on the wharves almost fainted at the spectacle of a man drowning in ten feet of water in presence of so many men.

The body was fished out after life was extinct and removed to the City Morgue, thence to the residence of deceased at No. 11 Maitland-street. Jones was the sole support of a widowed mother. Altogether the incident was the most brutal exhibition of cowardice and "rattling" ever seen in Toronto

AT EXHIBITION PARK.

Hasty Dismantling of the Different Buildings—The Zoo.

Dufferin-street and Strachan-avenue presented almost as busy an appearance Saturday as during any day during the great fair. Long lines of wagons were streaming from Exhibition Park from an early hour in the morning laden with exhibits of various kinds, and by sundown the Main Building was almost entirely depleted. The other buildings were also stripped of their contents; the hose cart and fire laddies have disappeared, the police station is "closed for the season," and the fair grounds, as such, are left alone in their glory for a twelvemonth.

The Zoo will, of course, still form a centre of attraction, and is well worth a visit. During fair weeks they had 20,000 visitors. The habits of the animals are well worthy of careful study, and the cages and walks are kept scrupulously clean. In the snake house on Saturday the extraordinary spectacle was seen of one of the reptiles swallowing another almost as large as itself. After this act of cannibalism it coiled itself up for a sleep, which the attendant says will last for several weeks. The zebra is a beautiful animal and without doubt one of the finest of its kind to be found. A colored attendant was busy at work preparing a huge tank for the reception of the mammoth alligator which is expected this week. The World suggested to several of the directors present the advisability of making the entrance to the Zoo free to the public as the Zoological Gardens of New York, Philadelphia and other places. The directors declared their willingness to hand over their interests in the concern to the city for a fair consideration. The Council could then make it free to the citizens, which the present owners cannot afford to do.

LIVE LORDS IN TOWN.

The Earl of Durham and Viscount Anson Jostle Each Other at the Queen's.

On Saturday evening John George Lambton, third Earl of Durham, and Viscount Anson (heir to the Earl of Lichfield) jostled one another at the Queen's and acted much in the same way as do ordinary mortals. Both are young men, the former born in 1855 and the other in 1856. Lord Durham succeeded to the title in 1879, and is the grandson of the famous Governor-General of Canada whose "Report" ended in responsible Government in 1840. Lord Durham was in town on Saturday evening; Lord Anson was still in town yesterday.

The Methodist Council Still at Work.

At the Methodist General Conference Saturday morning the Advisory Committee on Confederation was amended by adding the name of Rev. J. W. Sparling and substituting that of Rev. Wm. Williams for Rev. J. S. Clarke. On motion of Rev. George H. Cornish, it was ordered that all the journals and other documents of the several churches prior to the union of 1883 be collected and sent to the book rooms for safe keeping.

The Committee on the Course of Study recommended that where a candidate for the ministry has either before or during his probation taken the degrees of Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Divinity, he may be received into full connection and ordained, if he has spent two years in circuit work under a superintendent, and also gives satisfactory evidence to his district meeting that during his college course he has spent six additional months in circuit work.

The session was taken up largely in the consideration of minor changes suggested by the Committee on Discipline.

Umbrellas are carried off by mistake even at the Conference. Secretary Ryckman requested the brother who took an umbrella from the vestry to return it at once as the owner expected to have use for it before many days. The announcement was signed "The man who paid for it."

The Conference resumes this morning at 9.30.

Presentation to Mr. John Walker.

On Saturday afternoon a presentation was made to Mr. John Walker, late manager of the Toronto branch of the Quebec Bank, on the occasion of his taking an important position in the head office at Montreal. Among those present were J. Ogilvie, T. O. Anderson, J. L. Scarth, George Gall, Thomas McCracken, A. J. Parker, A. R. Williams, Max Saunders, H. Black, Mr. Todd and others. Mr. Anderson, on behalf of those present, made an address to Mr. Walker, expressing regret that they were to lose the kind offices of so courteous a gentleman, but congratulating him on his improved prospects. The address was accompanied by a handsome clock and a fine set of bronzes. The recipient made a feeling reply.

JOTTINGS ABOUT TOWN.

The exact receipts at the fair this year were $40,914, or $6788 more than for 1885.

Mr. John Shaw, the handsomic alderman for St. Paul's, occupied Mayor Howland's shoes on Saturday.

Vital statistics last week: Births 60, marriages 13, deaths 54. Two of the deaths were from typhoid fever.

In giving list of Art Union prizes Saturday the number of one of the $40 prizes was wrong. The number "7654" should be "1654."

The authorities ought to do something with the contractor of the new Bay-street sewer, who does not sufficiently protect the public from his heaps of brick, earth, and the open trench. Several accidents have occurred.

A disgusting exhibition of immorality was witnessed on Terauley and Agnes streets on Saturday afternoon. Two young men, accompanied by an equal number of girls, who certainly have not seen more than 16 summers, proceeded along the streets mentioned swearing and making use of obscene language. They finally disappeared into the side entrance of a hotel. These exhibitions are very common in the Noble Ward.

Visitors to the Exhibition Must

Buy something. Men who ain't got their wives with them must take them a present home. Beaus who ain't got their belles must do likewise, and there's nothing will please a woman better than a saving of "wrist and elbow grease." So please the dear creatures and buy one of those clothes wringers at 179 Yonge-street. Just a few left and at your "own prices" this week, useful and cheap, at the great housefurnishing depot, Strathern's, 179 Yonge-street. x

BY A LARGE MAJORITY.

The Don Improvement Bylaw Carried by Three to One.

Saturday the freeholders voted authority to the City Council to raise $300,000 by debenture to straighten and improve the River Don. Of 2728 votes cast, 2163 were in favor of the bylaw. This scheme has now been before the public for a number of years, and its supporters are rejoicing over its signal success. Mayor Howland is a warm supporter of the project, and worked hard to have the bylaw passed. The East End wards were solid almost to a man for the bylaw. The vote stood:

Ward.	For.	Against.
St. Andrew's	64	74
St. David's	622	24
St. George's	28	19
St. James'	177	45
St. John's	81	78
St. Lawrence	317	8
St. Patrick's	76	103
St. Stephen's	37	95
St. Thomas'	310	32
St. Matthew's	400	8
St. Mark's	7	36
St. Paul's	44	43
	2163	565

Majority for the By-law, 1598.

THAT MISSING LETTER.

The Epistle From Mr. Smith to Peter Ryan Turns Up All O.K.

The letter written by Mr. George Hill Smith to Mr. Peter Ryan has turned up. It appears to have been mailed without any post stamp and consequently was sent to the dead letter office at Ottawa, from where Mr. Ryan received it. In his reply to Mr. Smith, Mr. Ryan apologizes for formerly addressing Rev. Dr. Kane as "Mr." Kane. He also demands the name of the Kerry priest who Dr. Kane described as exhorting his congregation not to commit any murder for a week; and expressed a keen desire to see the writs issued against the Parnell Armagh property. These have been cabled for, and are expected shortly, as well as the information regarding the priest referred to. Mr. Ryan concludes his letter as follows: "If Parnell does not practice what he preaches we want to know it." Mr. Smith says the writs will speak for themselves. To-night the delegates address a meeting in London, and afterwards proceed direct to the Capital. It is understood that Mayor Howland will preside at their next meeting, to be held in this city on Oct. 2.

ON THE WAY TO BOSTON.

Eight Thousand Odd Fellows Depart From Chicago for the Hub.

More than eight thousand Odd Fellows, many of them accompanied by their wives and friends, left Chicago for Boston over the Grand Trunk Railway Saturday morning to attend the meeting of the Grand Supreme Lodge, which begins this morning. It took more than 170 cars to carry them, and trains started every twenty minutes after 9.30 o'clock. There were representatives on the trains from every lodge in the West and Northwest, many were from as far south as Texas and west as far as San Francisco. Seven carloads were from Denver and seventeen from Minneapolis and St. Paul. It took thirteen trains to carry the party. Twelve of these passed over the Great Western Division yesterday via Niagara Falls and Albany. The other special went through via the main line and Toronto and Montreal. This train reached Toronto at 5.30 last evening and left at 6.30.

University Supplemental Examinations.

The supplemental examinations in arts, law and medicine are now in progress at the University. They commenced last Wednesday and will end next Thursday. In the arts course there are 7 third year candidates, 23 second year and 10 in the first year. Most of these are up for chemistry and French. There are 6 candidates for senior and 13 for junior matriculation, including two ladies. In medicine two are up for matriculation, one from Vienna High School, and the other from Toronto Collegiate Institute; two are up for first year and one for second year. In law there is one candidate taking second year supplemental and one third year. The results will probably be known about Oct. 1.

No Star Chamber Police Business at Hamilton.

Reporters are admitted to the meetings of Police Commissioners at Hamilton, and as a consequence the public becomes acquainted with the "doings" of a commission who is responsible to no one and spend the taxes of the peoble as they please. At Saturday's meeting Mayor McKay and Chief of Police Stewart had a lively row about the respective authority of each. The chief charged the Mayor with signing a petition for the release of a man who had not only assaulted the police but had "set" a bulldog on an officer. The combat promises to deepen and become rather interesting.

The Fruit Market.

At Lumbers' auction sale of fruit on Saturday second class peaches brought $1.60 to $1.80 per basket; 3d, $1.25 to $1.50. Grapes—Niagara, 10c to 10½c per lb.; Rogers, No. 9, 6⅔c to 7⅔c; Rogers, small, 4c to 4½c; Salem, 5c to 7c; Concords, 3½c to 4c. Plums—Large blue, $1.10 to $1.30 per bskt; large green, $1.15 to $1.50; Lombards, 80c to 90c; green gage, $1 to $1.10; small blue, 70c to 80c. Crab apples, 30c to 40c per bskt, per brl, $2.70 to $2.80. Pears—Bartletts, 70c to 80c per bskt, per brl, $5 to $6. Apples—Mixed, $1.25 to $1.30 per brl; Grovenstine, $2 to $2.25; sweets, 75c to $1.

A Great Big Delicacy for Mr. Justice Rose.

Last week A. C. E. Hawthorne of New York, Mac Gardiner of Toronto and Aleck D. Fraser made the best catch of black bass yet reported at Port Cockburn, Muskoka. Three large bass were taken, weighing respectively 5, 6½ and 4½ pounds. The trio caught a large number weighing over 3½ pounds each. All were taken on eight-ounce rods. The largest of the catch was sent to Mr. Justice Rose. The World would imagine that His Lordship has plenty of friends who would not mind dining with him about this time.

A Handsome Cob.

Although only awarded a yellow ticket (third) in Class 10 at the Exhibition last week, there was no handsomer, spunkier or prouder turn out than Mr. G. H. Hastings' dark colored cob, Little Willie, who measures a trifle under 15 hands. Willie has breeding, style and substance, being by Terror out of a Black Hawk matron. With a few pounds more of flesh on him, Willie would make a grand leader for a tandem pair.

Murray's Opening.

The ladies of Toronto are on the qui vive for the opening at Murray's to-morrow, when their recent importations of millinery, mantles and costume goods will be displayed in their show rooms. For richness, quality, color, and interest the Industrial was nothing in comparison.

The Third Tea Ship.

Messrs. Mussen & Morrow received this telegram on Friday last: "The ship Zoroza arrived at Port Moody at 8 o'clock Thursday." This is the third ship to arrive bringing teas from Japan for the C. P. R.

Scalping a Railroad Ticket.

Elizabeth Fulljames was charged in the Police Court on Saturday with selling a railway ticket to Barrie. This is an offence against the Dominion statute. She was warned by Magistrate Baxter and discharged.

The Niagara Camp Breaks Up.

The military camp at Niagara pulled up stakes Saturday evening. The battalions from the vicinity of Toronto came over on the boat and later on left by trains for home.

Mr. Graves Writes a Poem.

When I were a lad I worked on a farm,
In Yorkshire, England, I begun to larn.
I milked the ducks, I carried the beer,
And when maister 'ollered, I answered "ere."
I answered "ere" so carefullee,
That now I own land in this countree.

At this point the office boy hit the poet on the head with a club. Dineen—the hatter—can put on cap any gentleman. He has the best stock in town. Fine goods, low prices, corner King and Yonge streets. x

RENEWAL OF THE RIOTS

BELFAST ONCE MORE THE SCENE OF BLOODSHED.

A Man and a Woman Killed—Other People Injured—All Because of the Arrest of Two Drunkards—An Orange and a Socialist Fight at Liverpool.

BELFAST, Sept. 19.—There was desperate rioting on Davis-street to-day. The policemen arrested two drunken men for fighting. A mob immediately gathered around the police and threatened them with violence, and it was with the greatest difficulty that the prisoners were secured. As soon as the barrack doors were closed behind the prisoners a fearful attack was made upon the building by the mob outside. Shutters were torn down and windows were smashed with brick bats and paving stones. There were only four constables within the barracks. They fired eleven rounds, killing one man and wounding several others. A woman was also wounded and subsequently died in the hospital. The mob was scattered by reinforcements of police. Later the mob regathered in small groups, when a number of priests tried to persuade the people to return home. The disturbed district is patrolled by military and police.

Serious Disturbance at Liverpool.

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 19.—Two serious riots occured here to-day. One resulted from an encounter between Orangemen and Nationalists. The other had its origin in inflammatory speeches made at a socialists' meeting in Toxteth Park. The police experienced great difficulty in suppressing the disturbance. Many rioters were arrested.

What's the mat-ter with the steel wire door mat? Oh, it's all right. Why, of course it is, it always was and always is, but if you have any doubts about it, just get one and be most thoroughly convinced of the fact. 136

PERSONAL.

Emperor William has recovered from his recent illness.

Mr. Gladstone arrived in London yesterday. He is in good health.

Mr. Gladstone says his health has been greatly benefitted by his sojourn in Germany.

Gen. Middleton is detained in Toronto by illness, being confined to the house by a severe attack of bronchitis.

Mr. A. Spadone, of New York, President of the Gutta Percha and Rubber Manufacturing Company, is at the Rossin House.

The illness of Cardinal Jacobini, Papal Secretary of State, has assumed a critical stage. The attempt to relieve the patient from the pain in his chest, from which he suffers, was unsuccessful.

The Earl of Dalkeith was accidentally shot while stag hunting in Achnacarry forest. He was running down a steep hill when he slipped and fell. The rifle in his hand exploded and the bullet entered his chest. He died an hour later.

Mr. Gladstone in an interview at Brussels said his health had been greatly benefited by the sojourn in Germany, and regarding Parnell's Land Bill he said he did not think the struggle would seriously begin until the next session of Parliament.

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