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Committed Sixty Crimes.

A Record as Remarkable as Deeming's.

The Italian Government Defeated on the Financial Question—Queen Victoria at Home.

Defeat of the Italian Government. ROME, May 5.—The Government was defeated this afternoon in the Chamber of Deputies on the financial question.

Queen Victoria at Home. LONDON, May 5.—The Queen has arrived at Windsor from her journey in the south of France and Germany.

A Youthful Officer. BERLIN, May 6.—This is the tenth anniversary of the birth of Crown Prince Frederick William. The occasion will be marked by the young prince receiving his commission as a lieutenant in the army.

Preparing for the Fray. LONDON, May 6.—Advice from Lagos, West Africa, state that the French expedition in Dahomey is concentrating at Kotonou, near which place the Dahoman warriors recently built entrenchments, and which was threatened with an attack by the natives.

Reinforcements have been arriving at the garrison at Kotonou lately, and the French force there is estimated to be 3,000 strong. The force is greatly strengthened by a gunboat which recently arrived. The French were to commence active operations against King Behanzin on April 30.

La Fieche Wins One Thousand Guineas. LONDON, May 6.—The One Thousand Guineas at Newmarket to-day was won by La Fieche. The snow came second and Adoration third. The race was for 3-year-olds, the owner of the second filly receiving 200 sovereigns out of the stakes, and the third saving his entry.

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Late Canadian News

A Colchester Farmer Crushed to Death by a Stone—First Ship-ment of Cattle from Mon-treal This Season.

Mrs. Isaac Wilde, sen., died at Halifax, N. S., on Wednesday, aged 99 years and 7 months.

Constable Hans Pahl, of the Northwest Mounted Police, was killed on Wednesday at Lethbridge by slipping from his horse.

Hon. Joseph A. Chapleau, Minister of Customs, has become senior partner in the law firm of Birrell, Broseau & Lajol, Montreal.

A. E. D. Mackay's Sons have purchased the property of the late John Mackay, which was lost in a collision on Lake Erie last Sunday.

Nathan White, formerly of Portageville, Ont., was accidentally shot by a companion near Indian Head, Man., on Tuesday.

The Brantford City Council has decided to petition the Dominion Government to grant a subsidy for the extension of the B. W. and L. E. Railway at Simcoe and Port Dover.

Montreal is to have zoological gardens. A company has been formed with a capital of \$200,000, and Somner Park has been purchased for the purpose. The animals will arrive in June.

The hearing of the charge made against Messrs. Mercier and Langlais, appropos of the Langlais stationery contract, was again the matter of court chamber investigation on Wednesday.

James Hannay, editor of the St. John (N. B.) Gazette for the past two years, has just been associated with J. E. B. McCready in the editorial management of the St. John Daily Telegraph.

The National Conduit Manufacturing Company, of Hastings, N. Y., manufacturers of wrought iron, cement-lined tubes for electric subways, have decided to establish a manufacturing in Hamilton.

John McLean, an old resident of the township of Minio, was found dead Thursday morning on the C. P. R. track about two miles from Harriston. He is supposed to have been struck by the night express while on his way home.

A dispatch from Detroit says Albie A. Voss, of Brantford, Ont., left her husband in Canada three years ago. She applied for divorce to-day on the ground of cruelty. Voss, it seems, was at one time worth \$25,000 to \$30,000.

The first shipment this season of live stock to the United States, was made by the Lake Superior consists of 545 cattle for Liverpool and the Warwick takes 458 head to Glasgow. The prospects on the other side are improved and prices are advancing.

Ed. Eide, a son of Jacob Eide, a farmer in Colchester, was killed yesterday afternoon by a large stone, which he was dragging out, falling upon him. When taken from beneath the stone he lived one hour. He was an exemplary young man, 24 years of age, and much respected.

The Brantford license commissioners have just issued a notice to the liquor dealers of the city that they must now close their saloons and hotels at 11 o'clock p.m. The hours in future during which liquor may be sold are from 5 a.m. to 11 p.m. An infraction of the law means a fine of \$20.

Some ten years ago A. Hurd was sent to the Dorchester (N. B.) Penitentiary for five years for stealing a horse. He was released in 1880. Hurd's defense was that he had a bill of sale on the instrument, but he could not produce it at the trial. It is claimed now that the bill of sale has been found, and the Government will be asked to proclaim Hurd's innocence.

A SPIRIT OF ROMANCE. A Lambert Girl Buys Her Lover on Her Father's Farm.

SARNIA, Ont., May 5.—The remains of George F. Ford, who while acting as watchman on a steamer was crushed to death at South St. Marie, have been interred near Wilkerson, in Simcoe, this morning. The deceased was engaged to be married to a young lady there, Miss Queenie Bishop, daughter of a farmer, and the body was taken to her father's home on arrival from South St. Marie, and buried on her father's farm, being the chief mourner. Mr. Ford was studying for the Baptist ministry, had previously been a teacher, and was working when he met his death, to earn money to aid him in the course.

A GERMAN HOLOCAUST. Several Employees in a Feather Factory Burned to Death.

BERLIN, May 5.—The Strauss feather factory at Cannstatt, Wurttemberg, caught fire yesterday afternoon and the flames spread with such rapidity that several of the employees were burned to death.

Death of a Well-Known Newspaper Man. BUFFALO, N. Y., May 6.—Orsamus G. Warren, senior proprietor of the Buffalo Commercial and a prominent and influential citizen, died this morning of pneumonia after a short illness.

Victims of the Tepeka and Santa Fe Railroad Disaster.

TEPEKA, Kan., May 5.—An official statement of the police here reported up to noon of the killed in the wreck this morning:

Lou Marke, Kansas City.

Luther Cornelius, Kirkville, Mo.

S. E. Berkeley, Westport, Mo.

John C. Green, Macon, Mo.

One man and two children, names not known.

The following is a later list of the killed: Wm. Hyatt, Oklahoma City; O. T. Lank-mash, or Markee, Kansas City; L. Cor-nelius, Kirkville, Mo.; S. E. Verkle, Westport, Mo.; John H. Groves, Macon, Mo.; lady and child, names unknown. It is also rumored that the engineer and fire-man have been killed, but this is denied.

The injured are: J. Tucker, conductor, Dawns Grove; Martin Regan, brakeman, Riverside; Andrew Roman, express mes-senger, Claude Bell, postal clerk; R. E. Dutcher, postal clerk; Mrs. Jane Hiney, Riverside; J. C. Winslow, H. M. Cutler, H. C. Cowling and Mrs. E. T. Allen, Athens, Pa.; Robt. Schultz, Lexington, Chicago; J. F. Muggen, Reading, Pa.; Wm. Adams, O. L. Boggs, J. Gunther, W. B. Barnes, J. H. Snyder, S. A. Lough, J. Mason, F. Graves, W. G. Smith.

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One of Tupper's Tricks.

The Farmer Delegates' Report on Canada Suppressed Because It Exposes the Bafe Effects of the Tariff.

And Pointed Out the Cause of the Exodus—French-Canadian Priests Alarmed at the Situation in Quebec.

LONDON, May 5.—Much interest has been taken by farmers in the reports of the two farmer delegates, Mr. McQueen, of Scot-land, and Mr. Davey, of England, selected by the Dominion Government to visit the Maritime Provinces. It was announced a few days ago, however, that Mr. McQueen's report had been suppressed.

SUPPRESSED BY SIR CHARLES TUPPER at the instance of the government at Ot-tawa. Mr. Davey's will be issued shortly with it, it is believed, some serious altera-tions. Mr. McQueen's report has been sup-pressed because it is pointed out that agri-culture in the Maritime Provinces is suf-fering from the exclusion of its products from the United States market by the Mc-Kinley tariff. He spoke highly of the agricultural and mineral resources of those provinces, but stated that after full inquiry among the farmers themselves he had learned that the

WANT OF A MARKET was a very serious drawback. He was told, and saw for himself, that there is a large emigration of young people to the States. When the farmers' sons and daughters leave, the land in many cases is neglected, the buildings fall out of repair, and the value of the farm is depreciated. Mr. McQueen pointed to the Dominion census returns.

PROOF OF THE EXODUS, and the exodus he ascribed in great part to the want of better trade relations with the United States, the natural market for the surplus produce of the Provinces. He added that the economic question, though a political one in Canada, could not be ignored by persons intending to settle in the Maritime Provinces; in fact, he could not recommend English or Scotch farmers to go there so long as the American market re-mains closed to Canadians.

CAUSE FOR ALARM. MONTREAL, May 5.—There is no doubt that the French-Canadian exodus to the United States is seriously alarming the priests, who are using every means in their power to stop the drain. Albe Dugas, the well-known colonization writer, publishes another appeal on behalf of French-Canadian emigration to the Canadian North-west. "It is useless," he says, "to deprecate ourselves. We may boast as much as we wish of the prosperity in Canada, the truth is that the tide of emigration towards the United States has never been so great as at the present moment." He goes on to re-mark that in their past struggles the French-Canadian people were helped and supported by the clergy, and he promises the same support again for any public man who will undertake the mission of

to the United States, and directing it to-wards the Northwest. Such a combined action would insure success, and whatever public man took up the scheme would deserve the gratitude of the whole Canadian people. The article concludes his article with the remark that Europeans must find it very strange if our Northwest is really what it is claimed to be, that Canadians flock to the United States, and that while agents were sent abroad to secure im-migrants, nothing is done to help a good class of settlers at home. This is a good class of a nature to raise doubts in the minds of foreigners as to the truth of all that is said concerning our Northwest.

CANADIAN PRELATES PRESENT. Important Consecration Ceremony in Albany.

ALBANY, N. Y., May 3.—Thirty bishops and archbishops and 500 clergy assisted to-day in the consecration of Bishop Gabriel, who succeeds the late Right Rev. Bishop Wadhams, of the Ogdensburg diocese. The ceremony took place in the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, which was beauti-fully decorated. Every available inch of room was taken in the vast edifice, and hundreds were unable to gain admittance. The sermon was preached by Bishop McQuade. Bishops and high prelates were present from Kingston, Ot-tawa, Ont.; Montreal, Que.; Three Rivers, Que., and Pembroke, Ont. At the close of the ceremony an elaborate banquet was served in the evening by the Union Hotel. The presents received by the new prelate were costly and beautiful.

BASEBALL. Elmira has signed pitcher Con Murphy. Syracuse expects great work of Rob Barr.

DRAGHTS. Mr. J. Ferrie, champion of Scotland, is said to be desirous of a match with C. F. Barker, the American champion.

THE TURP. At a meeting of the board of appeals of the American Trotting Association this week, in Chicago, the case came up of H. Garbet, Bluevale, T. S. Johnson, Golerich, and gr. G. Gray (pacer). Identifica-tion and disposition of retained winnings in free-for-all and 2-4-6 trot at London, in 1890. Continued until the next meeting of the board in December, 1892.

Thirty Thousand Live Lobsters on Board.

HALIFAX, N. S., May 5.—Another ship-ment of live lobsters to London has been made by Capt. Arthur Gray by the steamer Insulin, which left this afternoon. The steamer was specially fitted with tanks, and 30,000 live lobsters were exported.

Baptist Young People's Convention. Toronto, May 6.—The convention closed to-day. Among the business of the day was the adoption of a resolution against political corruption and against the open-ing of the Chicago World's Fair on Sunday. In any case it was determined to make an effort to close the Canadian exhibit on Sundays.

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MIDDLESEX ASSIZES.

The Strathroy Murder Case in Progress.

True Bills Against Fowles for Perjury and Miller for Misdemeanor.

THURSDAY. Immediately after the true bill for murder had been brought in against Wm. Wilson and John Fitzpatrick to-day they were ar-raigned and pleaded not guilty. They said they were ready for their trial and will be brought up to-morrow morning. In the case of Stickles vs. Township of Dorchester, the judge allowed the plaintiff \$500 paid into court by the defendants, and ordered him to pay the costs of the trial.

BOWEN vs. SCARROW was called next. An old man named Henry John Bowen, who during the winter manufactured washing machines in a small shop at the rear of Detective Allen's office on Dundas street, re-ceived \$1,500 damages alleged to have been done him while in his employ. The plaintiff was working on a building being erected by the defendant in London West August and owing to an alleged defective scaffold, he was precipitated from a second floor, a dis-tance of six or eight feet. He was em-ployed as an over-seer, but was ordered to go on the scaffold to do some of the work. The boards, he says, were unfit for a scaffold, and as a result of this he was laid up for a week, and had to be helped to do a day's work since the accident. His right side, he claimed, was partially paralyzed and his leg was like a wooden one. He did not think he was getting any better. His leg would give out after he had walked a short dis-tance, and he could not do justice to what he would call a day's work. For treat-ment he took eight or ten hot sulphur baths and applied liniments. When ex-amined by E. Meredith, Q.C., the plain-tiff said he had asked Mr. Scarrow to allow him to put up the scaffold, but his request was not granted. He did not say anything about the boards used. For three months after the accident the plaintiff worked for Mr. Bowen, but then he was laid off. At that time he told him that he was going to sue him.

Dr. Wilson had examined the plaintiff and said he was progressing rapidly and might become entirely well and able to do his work. He was asked to re-mark that the scaffold was not fit for use, and that therefore the defendant was guilty of negligence.

Mr. Justice Street ruled that there was no evidence to prove negligence on the part of the defendant, withdrew the case from the jury and dismissed it with costs. Court then adjourned.

FRIDAY. There was a big case in the court room this morning. Detectives Graham and Templar led in John Fitzpatrick and Wm. Wilson, the two men charged with the murder of an old man named Edward Upton, in the bar-room of the Western Hotel at Strathroy, on Sunday last. The prisoners seemed more fully to realize their position than when they were ar-raigned yesterday afternoon, and their countenances presented a more solemn aspect. This was especially noticeable in the case of John Fitzpatrick, the younger prisoner of the two. Yesterday when being transferred to the jail he re-marked "We'll soon get used to this place." This morning he was disinclined to talk.

There was some difficulty in obtaining a jury for the case, Mr. Meredith challenged twenty for Wilson and a number for Fitzpatrick. The follow-ing gentlemen composed the jury: George Lowthian, George Jones, James Stothers, North, Dorchester; Peter Portmouth, Caradoc; Archibald Campbell, Adelaide; Thomas Riggs, West Williams; Walter Nagle, Caradoc; Alex. Crawford, Parkhill; Thos. Hodgson, city; Thos. Edwards, city; Joseph Hook, city; Archibald Camp-bell, Lobo, and John P. McMillan, Glenora.

Mr. Lount, Q.C., of Toronto, and J. B. McKillop, deputy crown attorney, ap-peared for the Crown, and E. Meredith, Q.C., and Mr. Foinisher, of Strathroy, for the defense.

Mr. Lount, when making his preliminary address to the jury, reviewed the condition of the dead man a few hours prior to his death. He was 79 years old and in excellent health. Where direct evi-dence could not be produced show-ing that the accused had taken the life of a fellow-man circumstantial evi-dence is offered. On the indictment read it was in the province of the jury to find the prisoners guilty of manslaughter if they considered the evidence produced insuffi-cient on which to convict them.

DAVID WOODLOCK, a neighbor of the dead man for years, and saw him in Fitzpatrick's hotel about 3 o'clock in the afternoon. The prisoner Fitzpatrick was the only other per-son present. They stayed there until about 3:30. Upton complained of rheumatism in his leg, and was hanging down. On ex-amination witness found a fracture about 2 1/2 inches long on the right side of the skull. There was very little swelling. The im-mediate conclusion arrived at was that noth-ing could be done for the injured man and that death would result in a few hours. A bruise on the body might not be perceptible for some hours. There might have been injuries inflicted on the body, but he could discover none at the time. It would require a powerful blow to cause

the injury on Upton's head. Neither of the prisoners was present at the time. Mr. Lount produced a piece of heavy rub-ber pipe sometimes used as a weapon of de-fense. Witness thought the injury could be caused by a blow from an instrument similar to it. Witness could observe no signs of liquor on Upton. He thought there was no attempt to conceal the in-juries to the man.

FRANCIS McGARVEY, a grandson of deceased, saw him last alive in Fitzpatrick's hotel on the day of his death. He was then in an unconscious state. Between 2 and 3 o'clock he was in good health, and was at witness' house. Deceased was sober at that time, although he did sometimes get under the influence of liquor. It was between 8 and 9 o'clock in the evening when witness first heard that his grandfather had been injured. He went at once to Fitzpatrick's hotel. On inquiring of John Fitzpatrick re-garding the injuries, he replied that Upton was standing in front of the bar and there were seven or eight men in the bar at the time, but he could not give their names. Wit-ness remained until 4 o'clock in the morn-ing, and deceased died about an hour later. He saw a wound on the back of the head, but could not tell what it was.