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Bargains in every dept.

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## AN UNLUCKY PARALLEL

Carman Likens Himself to Pontius Pilate's Innocent Victim.

But the Difference is Pilate Found No Fault in His Prisoner, While Magistrate Wood Found Carman Guilty and Gave His Reasons At Great Amplitude in Support of His Expressed Judgment.

Belleville, Dec. 12.—Though the ballot box trial is over for the present, it still forms a fruitful topic of discussion. It was understood when court adjourned on Friday night that Saturday morning at 10 o'clock the defendant and his lawyer were to meet the magistrate at the court house to have Mr. Carman sign his personal bail bonds. Ten o'clock came and Magistrate Wood was in the court room, and a few spectators, but the defendant and his lawyer were conspicuous by their absence. Mr. Mackenzie of Toronto, attended in the interests of Mr. Carman. After waiting half an hour the magistrate left, indicating that he would be at the Hotel Quatre for some time. It was stated that Mr. Carman was, owing to illness, unable to attend in person. Before the magistrate left the Court House he despatched County Constable Duffin with a message. It is said that the defendant had made up his mind to treat the idea of bail with contempt, and take no notice of the notification of recognition of \$1,000. The magistrate, however, it is said, sent a message to Mr. McCammon, Mr. Carman's lawyer, that if the personal bail bonds were not signed within a reasonable time, Mr. Carman might find himself in the large building at present occupied by Police Magistrate Harryett of Bancroft. Shortly after 7 P. M. Carman, accompanied by Mr. McCammon, appeared in court. The matter was only the work of a few minutes. This now settles the matter for the present, and Mr. Carman is bound over to appear at the next court of competent jurisdiction.

A "Pontius Pilate Fiasco."

The Ontario, T. S. Carman's paper, Saturday night had a defiant editorial on the result of the recent preliminary investigation which reads as follows:

"Well, the alleged libel suit case has terminated just as the defence expected. They felt it would be useless to defend the action when the case was virtually another Pontius Pilate fiasco over again, where the victim is condemned before being tried. The defence did not expect any other result from the mock trial, where one side had a chance to produce evidence.

"From the beginning justifiable objections were shrouded when made by the defence, while on the other hand, the magistrate was a piece of clay in the hands of the prosecution.

"We repeat on our part we felt confident the verdict would be as has been announced, and consequently paid little attention to the trial. Having spent less than two hours in attendance, we have no doubt of the final result, however."

Apology Or Proceedings.

It was stated Saturday afternoon that W. J. McCammon had apologized to Gus Porter for the statements contained in the election dodger headed "Porter's Lie," it having been on Friday sworn by The Ontario's job-room foreman that Mr. McCammon had written part of the whole of the copy for the same. Mr. Porter was asked if he had received such an apology from Mr. McCammon. "I have not," was the reply, "but I am expecting one every minute." "If the apology is not made by Mr. McCammon," he was asked, "will you proceed against him?" "I certainly will," said Mr. Porter. "My good name and the interests of the Conservative party demand it."

## NOMINATIONS SATURDAY.

South Brant—W. S. Brewster, K. C. Conservative.  
North Brant—J. H. Fisher, Conservative.  
North Waterloo—Samuel Landers, Labor.  
South Essex—J. A. Auld, M.P.P., Liberal.

## To Disqualify Mackay.

Owen Sound, Dec. 12.—The North Grey election protest trial will resume this afternoon at 2 o'clock. A dissolution of the House is not anticipated in the meantime, and witnesses have been subpoenaed on both sides, and notified the trial will surely go on. On two personal charges at least very important evidence will be submitted, and the disqualification of the new Minister, Hon. A. G. Mackay, is confidently looked for by Mr. Boyd and his supporters.

## Violence Feared At Dawson.

Dawson City, Y.T., Dec. 12.—Intense excitement prevails here because of the failure of the registration officers to deliver copies of the voters' list to the agent of Dr. Wilfrid Thompson, the independent and anti-Government candidate for the Canadian Parliament, running in opposition to former Governor Congdon, the Government candidate. Political feeling runs so high that violence is feared during the election, particularly in the refusal to deliver the lists, as required by law. Orders have been received from the Canadian Secretary of State, directing Returning Officer Pierre Ledieu to turn the list over to Thompson's representative at once.

## Six Seats Protested.

Winnipeg, Dec. 12.—On Saturday morning Messrs. Andrews & Andrews, barristers of Winnipeg, presented to the prothonotary of the Court of King's Bench at Winnipeg, petitions against the Liberal members elected for the City of Winnipeg and the districts of Selkirk, Provencher, Portage La Prairie and Lisgar, while Messrs. Ferguson & Richardson, barristers, also presented a

petition against the return of the Hon. Clifford Sifton in Brandon. The security prescribed by law, viz., \$1,000 in each case, was daily deposited. In most of the cases acts are charged which will result in personal disqualification if proved.

## THE CHADWICK BUBBLE.

Mythical Millions Resolve Into Air With the Statement of Attorney Stearns—Rev. Dr. Eaton Explains.

Cleveland, Dec. 12.—The last vestige of the Chadwick bubble and its mythical millions was resolved into air yesterday. Attorney A. A. Stearns, representing Herbert D. Newton of Boston, made an authoritative statement that the securities notes and papers of the Chadwick, included paper of the face value of \$13,750,000 bearing the signature "Andrew Carnegie," which is regarded as worthless. This is the key to the situation, for on the securities supposed to be in this sealed package are loans of an unknown amount—certainly more than \$1,000,000—were negotiated.

With this revelation it is found that the signature of Andrew Carnegie has apparently been forged on the securities and other papers to the total amount of \$13,750,000. The securities held by Reynolds, together with those that were held by the Citizens National Bank of Oberlin and have already been made public, aggregate this amount.

The Reynolds securities have been for the last three years the principal basis on which Mrs. Chadwick conducted her financial system. And these same securities are the rock which has wrecked the Oberlin Bank and caused the ruin of hundreds of families and losses to business men almost without number. For it is the almost universal opinion of reputable lawyers who have examined these papers that they are not worth one cent.

Ira Reynolds, after his long course of faithful guardianship for the woman he trusted, now considers himself a dupe. It is stated as a fact, hitherto known, that Reynolds lent Mrs. Chadwick practically all the money he possessed.

What Rev. Dr. Eaton Says.

Boston, Dec. 12.—Herbert D. Newton gave the reporters a full account of his dealings with Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick. He said Mrs. Chadwick came to Boston last April. She was sent here by the Rev. Charles A. Eaton, pastor of the Euclid Avenue Baptist Church of Cleveland. Dr. Eaton had been in distress and had acted as a pastor to help her out. From Dr. Eaton of Cleveland, she carried his instructions to John E. Eaton to give her assistance if after examining her securities, her statements could be verified.

Dr. Eaton's Statement.

Cleveland, Dec. 12.—Rev. Dr. Charles A. Eaton said last night that he could best explain his connection with the Chadwick case by quoting from an interview with Banker Newton of Boston.

Banker Newton told how he became financially involved, referring to the Eatons as follows: "I believe that both Eatons acted in perfect good faith in the introduction and that their confidence were abused by the confidence of many other persons."

The introduction of Mrs. Chadwick to Mr. Newton referred to resulted from a letter from Dr. Eaton to his brother, John E. Eaton, who purchased the woman to the Massachusetts banker.

According to the most accurate estimate of the estate of Mrs. Chadwick that is possible before the receiver has investigated her assets and reported in his findings to the court, her creditors as a whole will receive about 13 cents on the dollar.

Sale Blowers Are Active.

St. Thomas, Dec. 12.—The Post-office at Union, a small place about five miles from this city, was broken into some time Saturday night or early yesterday morning. The safe was blown up and pilfered of its contents. Fifty dollars in bills were secured and some small change. Some bonds and other valuable papers were also taken.

Woodbridge, Dec. 12.—Early Saturday morning safeblowers examined nitroglycerine on the big safe in Wallace Bros.' general store at Woodbridge. The noise aroused neighbors and frightened away the marauders, who left their tools behind them. There was \$700 in the safe. County constables are investigating.

Tried to Kill.

Montreal, Dec. 12.—Mr. McLean Walbank, general manager of the Montreal Light, Heat and Power Company, was attacked yesterday at his own door by C. B. Patterson, a draftsman in the employ of Hutchison & Ward, who drew a revolver and tried to shoot Patterson, who was supposed to be insane, was disarmed and sent to jail.

Sarah Pearson Arrested.

Montreal, Dec. 12.—Mrs. Sarah Ann Pearson, living in the outskirts of Montreal, who arrived in this city from Ireland last August, was arrested Saturday, charged with having poisoned her mother-in-law, Mrs. Alice Pearson, in the Emerald Isle. The case is a complicated one, but the officers of the law pretend to have a good case.

Loose 24 Diamond Rings.

Winnipeg, Dec. 12.—The jewelry store of Thomas T. Thurman, on Portage avenue, was entered Saturday night and rings to the value of between \$2,500 and \$3,000 were taken from a window. The total number of rings taken was twenty-four. There is no clue to robbers.

Fund For the Unemployed.

London, Dec. 12.—Lord Mayor Pount has issued an appeal for funds for the relief of the unemployed of London. King Edward has contributed \$1,250, Queen Alexandra \$1,000, the Prince of Wales \$500, the Princess of Wales \$250, Lord Treagh \$25,000, the Rothschilds \$15,000, the Duke of Westminster \$10,000, and the Peabody trustees \$25,000.

## ARRIVAL OF EARL GREY

Halifax Extends Welcome to the Successor of Lord Minto.

The Administration of the Oath of Office, the Enthronement and the Presentation of the "Great Seal" of Canada Took Place On Saturday At Halifax With Customary Formalities—Reception and Levee—Start For Ottawa.

Halifax, Dec. 12.—Old Halifax was the scene of a brilliant event Saturday morning when Sir Albert Henry George, Earl Grey, was formally installed as the 9th Governor-General of Canada. The Parliament, on which the vice-regal party arrived, anchored in the stream until 7 o'clock a.m., when she pulled up to the Intermontal Terminal and discharged her mails and passengers.

Gaily Decorated.

About 10 o'clock she again dropped into the stream, when the War Department steamer Alfrida went alongside and the distinguished passengers were transferred to her. Gaily decorated with bunting she steamed to the Gun Wharf, where the Fifth Royal Garrison Regiment, with its band was drawn up. Hundreds of citizens were also present. As His Excellency stepped off the boat the regiment presented arms and the band played a few bars of "God Save the King."

The crowds at this point were not very demonstrative, chiefly because ladies predominated. Then the procession started for the Parliament Buildings. If no sooner got outside the Gun Wharf enclosure than the Governor-General's carriage was greeted with rounds of applause from the thousands which gathered in spite of the intense cold.

The "Great Seal" Presented.

At the Parliament Buildings great preparations had been made for the ceremony. After the reading of the commission by Col. Hanbury Williams, Military Secretary, Her Excellency, Lady Grey, was presented with a mammoth bouquet of roses by Lady Parsons. After the administration of the oath by Acting Chief Justice Sedgewick His Excellency took his place on the throne, the band playing six bars of "God Save the King." "The great seal" was then presented and immediately thereafter the address on behalf of the Provincial Government was presented by Premier Murray, followed by the address on behalf of the city.

Countess Grey in the afternoon was also presented with an address on behalf of the National Council of Women of Canada, which was delivered by Mrs. R. L. Borden. Saturday night the party was entertained at a state dinner at Government House, after they held a levee in the Parliament Buildings. Owing to the intense cold it was not largely attended.

Earl Grey's Sunday.

Halifax, Dec. 12.—The special train with the vice-regal party on board left Halifax at one minute past midnight, and is scheduled to arrive in Montreal in 27 hours, and at Ottawa in 30 hours.

His Excellency attended divine service at St. Luke's Cathedral in the morning, when Bishop Worrell of Nova Scotia preached from the text, "They bowed their heads and worshipped," and the choir sang the procession moved, "God Save the King."

In the evening Earl and Countess Grey were entertained at dinner at Bellevue, the residence of Maj.-Gen. Sir Charles Parsons, at which the military predominated.

A SON WORTH WHILE.

Pays Off a \$500 Debt to Relieve His Father's Mind.

Toronto, Dec. 12.—With his savings of three years, amounting to nearly \$500, Arthur Ormerod, a messenger boy at the C.P.R. telegraph offices, a couple of days ago, walked into the establishment of P. McIntosh, cereal manufacturer, and wiped out a debt of his father's. He did so as a Christmas present for his father, who had worried a great deal over the debt, and he had been saving for three years in order that he might have the thing cleared up.

The debt was one incurred by his father in the flour and feed business. Mr. Ormerod, an ex-teacher, had suspended business some time ago, and instead of assigning had taken a position as driver and had started methodically to pay off the liability.

MESSANGER KILLS HIMSELF.

Claude Hay Was Shot in His Accounts About \$600.

Halifax, N.S., Dec. 12.—Claude H. Hay, messenger in the Bank of British North America, committed suicide Saturday afternoon by shooting himself through the head with a revolver. He was 39 years old and a native of Nottingham, England. The reason ascribed for the act is that he is short in his accounts. Just how much is not known, but the amount is placed at around \$600. The crime was committed in a drug store where he had gone to ask for a drink of water.

Seymour, Admiral of the Fleet.

London, Dec. 12.—King Edward has approved the appointment of Admiral Sir Edward Hobart Seymour, K.C.B., to be admiral of the fleet on the retirement of Admiral Salmon in February. Vice-Admiral Sir Lewis Anthony Beaumont will succeed Admiral Seymour in the Devonport command. Prince Louis of Battenburg will become commander of the second cruiser squadron.

Countess Wants Divorce.

London, Dec. 12.—The Countess of Stair, who resides at Cadogan Terrace, London, has raised an action in the Edinburgh court of sessions for divorce on the ground of desertion of the Earl of Stair.

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