

In the Old World.

Violent Opposition to Missionary Work in Japan.

Progressive Programme Proposed by the French Premier.

Radical Land Reform Scheme of a Russian Count.

Acute Stage of the Financial Crisis Probably Passed—Eight Sailors Sworn from a Yardarm and Drowned—The Czar Said to be Afflicted With Cancer.

A Japanese Volcano Makes Trouble.

SHANGHAI, May 21.—A volcano named Sandaishan has become active and that widespread disaster has been caused by its eruptions.

Going to Cool Off.

BERLIN, May 21.—The Kaiser will start June 29 for a short sea voyage on board the imperial yacht Hohenzollern, to the north of Scotland, returning on July 21.

Rumored Illness of the Czar.

BERLIN, May 21.—A Polish paper, Dziennik Bonanski, says it learns from St. Petersburg that a rumor is current there that the Czar is ill. The rumor has it that his Majesty is suffering from carcinoma—that is a cancer, in the stricter sense of the word.

Murderously Jealous.

PARIS, May 21.—A wine merchant named Coups, living in the Rue de la Glacière, became suddenly insane yesterday and shot his wife, son and eldest daughter dead and seriously wounded his youngest daughter. He then attempted suicide. Jealousy of his wife was the cause of his insanity.

The Company Chasing the Paris.

QUESTIONS, May 21.—The Canard steamship company which sailed from Liverpool yesterday, was delayed here in consequence of derangement of a steam-pipe. She steamed away at 2:45 p.m. at high speed so as to overtake the American liner Paris which sailed from Southampton yesterday.

Conservatives Oppose Capri.

BERLIN, May 20.—A notable feature of the situation is the Conservative agitation against Chancellor Von Capri. While supporting the Army Bill, the Conservatives support any candidate who gives his assent to protectionism, bimetalism and anti-Semitism. Conservative candidates proclaim that the Chancellor's commercial policy is ruining the empire, and they demand that he be replaced.

Gilbert Must Serve His Term.

LONDON, May 20.—Home Secretary Asquith has refused to grant the petition for the release of James Gilbert alias Cunningham, a convict in Portland prison, who was sentenced May 18, 1885, to penal servitude for life for having been connected with the dynamite explosions at the Houses of Parliament and the Tower of London on Jan. 24, 1885. The plea for Gilbert's release was based on the allegation that he has heart disease.

Land Reform in Russia—Wheat Crop.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 21.—The Russian Imperial Council has under consideration a proposal by Count Vorontzoff Dashkoff to make the Russian peasantry direct owners of the land which they now till for the commune.

The reports regarding the crop of winter wheat in European Russia showed that in 184 districts it is excellent, in 303 districts good and in 10 districts bad. Summer wheat in the provinces is generally promising.

Opposition to Missionary Work in Japan.

On the last inst., a fire which raged for five hours destroyed 122 buildings and three temples at Togomura, Japan.

The opposition to missionary work appears to be taking on a violent aspect in Japan. Near Osaka the children at a Catholic mission orphanage, accompanied by three teachers, were returning to the orphanage on the afternoon of April 23, when a party of nine Japanese men charged the procession.

One of the ruffians seized one of the sisters by the throat and after nearly strangling her, threw her down and kicked her savagely about the body, and when she attempted to rise again caught her, afterwards wrenching off her head and tearing it to pieces. Fortunately the police arrived in time to prevent further mischief, and five of the ringleaders were arrested.

The children were badly bruised. A case was that of a native Christian teacher, in the employ of the American mission at Jintzen who was laid hold of by roughs and given a severe beating.

The Financial Thermometer.

LONDON, May 21.—Discount was rather easy during the week at 4½ for three months and 5½ for short bills. The opinion is general that the acute stage of the financial crisis has passed. Small amounts of gold are arriving from France and Holland and supplies from the United States are no longer snapped up for Austria. The steady drain from Vienna greatly increased the gravity of the crisis in Great Britain. The Stock Exchange has undergone a tremendous clearing out, all sorts of weak accounts being eliminated, and no fears are entertained regarding the outcome of the next settlement. Nevertheless, many minor troubles depending upon the Australian difficulties are expected. American railway securities have continued to recover.

At Paris business on the Bourse improved during the week, and prices closed generally higher.

At Berlin a feeling of depression prevailed on the Bourse throughout the week.

Premier Dupuy's Programme.

PARIS, May 21.—Premier Dupuy, at a banquet in Toulouse this evening made a strong speech concerning the Government's programme and the political situation in France. He said that the Cabinet's legislative programme included the passing of laws to deal with the new relations of labor and capital, fiscal reforms, a readjustment of taxation on the principle

that those best able to pay should pay most towards the support of the State, and a measure to regulate civil and religious societies. M. Dupuy admitted that the growth of Republican sentiment in France had been accelerated by the counsel given by the Pope to French Catholics. The advice tendered by Rome with the lofty purpose of promoting peace, he said, had a persuasive power which none could fail to recognize.

In the streets of Toulouse M. Dupuy was received with exceptional enthusiasm.

A Cool Reception.

BERLIN, May 22.—Duke Ernest Günther, of Schleswig-Holstein, brother of the Emperor, has passed the past week in this city. He dined with the Emperor, and made a round of farewell calls in anticipation of his retirement to Schloss-Pinkeneau.

The Emperor, who has been utterly disgusted with the gambling scandals surrounding his brother-in-law, refused to receive him, and did not see him during his sojourn in Berlin. The Emperor's intention is to make the young man suffer for some time in disgrace.

Big Home Rule Demonstration.

LONDON, May 22.—The demonstration of the Irish National League of Great Britain in Hyde Park yesterday was a most enthusiastic affair. About 250,000 people were present, and delegates attended from all parts of the league in the kingdom.

Speeches were delivered by T. H. O'Connor, M. P., and other Irish leaders, by J. Arch, M. P., the leader in the movement for the emancipation of the English agricultural laborers; by D. Naoroji, N. P., formerly of India and other well known men, and resolutions were adopted approving Mr. Gladstone's home rule plan, and accepting it as a settlement of the Irish question.

James Mullin, aged 25, fell into the Gattineau River at Chelsea on Saturday and was drowned.

The Welland Canal will be closed on Sundays from 6 a.m. until 9 p.m., the same as last season.

President Cleveland has appointed Michael J. Hendricks, New Hampshire, consul at Belleville.

The disease from which many pigs have died in Sidney is declared to be contagious epizootic catarrh, caused by exposure to the unusually very severe weather of the season.

At Montreal the water in the river is higher than it has been since 1876, and considerable damage has been done. Part of the cargo of the Draconis is spoiled by the water.

James F. Walker, traffic auditor of the G. T. R., died at his residence, Montreal, Sunday afternoon, aged 51. He was only ill for a few days. He was a prominent Mason and very popular.

Rev. Dr. Thomas, of Toronto, in his sermon in Jarvis Street Baptist Church Sunday night, made a lengthened and eloquent reference to the late Rev. Mr. Ware, drowned at Lindsay on Friday.

Two boys strolling on the beach at Swansea Saturday found the body of an old man partly lying in the water.

The body was recognized as that of Mr. Stevens, whose son is foreman in the Ganacque bolt works. Mr. Stevens was last seen alive on Thursday.

Bishop Racine (Roman Catholic), of Sherbrooke, Que., has donated \$250 to the Protestant hospital of that town.

The deposits in the postoffice savings banks of Canada during April were \$630,725, and the withdrawals \$707,411.

The Quebec Telegraph is authority for the statement that Sir Adolphe Caron will not return to Canada as a Cabinet Minister, and will be asked to exchange places with Mr. Chapleau.

A movement has been started in Ottawa to raise subscriptions from the women in Canada to purchase a sleigh with complete appointments as a wedding present to the Princess Victoria Mary of Teck.

Mr. Wm. H. Cahill, the assistant secretary of the Toronto Reform Association, has been chosen to represent the League of the Cross of Toronto at the World's Fair convention of the Catholic temperance societies to meet at Chicago June 8.

Robert Pearson, a farmer, who lives in Prince Edward, near Concession, has been convicted, on complaint of Deputy Post-office Inspector Macarow, of using cancelled 3-cent postage stamp for forwarding a letter. He paid \$10 fine and \$3 costs.

AT THE BOTTOM.

Disaster to a Steamer Bound for Montreal—Blowing Up the Wrecked Cynthia.

HALIFAX, N. S., May 21.—The steel steamship Craigside, of London, 3,000 tons burden, from Matanzas bound from Montreal, was wrecked about nine miles south-west of Whitehead Friday night and immediately filled and foundered in deep water. The crew landed at Raspberry, near Light station, in their boats in safety.

MONTREAL, May 20.—The steam schooner Florence, of Quebec, Capt. Brown in charge, has commenced the work of blowing up the Donaldson Line steamer Cynthia, which was run down and sunk by the Allan liner Polynesia, three years ago. The divers report traces of several dead bodies in the forecastle of the ship.

Succeeds Hon. E. Blake.

TORONTO, May 21.—Mr. Amelius Irving, Q. C., was elected treasurer of the Ontario Benchers' Law Society, in succession to Hon. E. Blake, M. P., whose Parliamentary career in England prohibits him from longer holding the position.

The Nicaragua Revolution.

PANAMA, May 21.—The Government of Nicaragua notified the Pacific Mail Steamship Company that their vessels must not stop at San Juan while that port is in the hands of the revolutionists, but may land passengers, mail and cargo at Corinto.

No movements of importance are being attempted by the revolutionists, as they are waiting for more arms and ammunition.

The great trouble with the man who learns to play poker is that when he gets the game learned he hasn't anything to play it with.

SAGINAW SCORCHED!

The Best Part of the City Reduced to Ashes.

One Man Burned to Death and Another Missing—275 Buildings Destroyed—Loss Nearly \$1,000,000.

SAGINAW, May 21.—A fire fanned by a strong southwest gale yesterday afternoon destroyed the fairest portion of Saginaw. The little spark was said to have started on its career from the chimney of Briggs & Cooper, on what is known as the middle ground, and lodged in the dismantled mill plant of Sample & Camp, on the docks of which was a number of piles of lumber.

The Bristol street bridge was partly destroyed. Thence the flames leaped to the east side, just below Bristol street and north of the City Hall, where were located a large number of buildings, including those of the residence of J. F. Winkler's ice house.

All the residences on Pilsen street and on both sides of Washington avenue down to Holden street were quickly licked up. Then the sparks were carried across the bayou into the premises of the George F. Cross Lumber Company, the planing mill, number 31 on the west end of a dozen tenement houses meeting like snow. Next came the Allington Curtis Manufacturing Company's extensive plant and Passot's old soap factory, all of which were wiped out. Here the fire struck Jefferson avenue, and in a hour some of the finest residences in the city were in ashes, the sweep being clean north to Emerson street, where the fire continued eastward, south of and along Emerson street toward the city limits. It cut a wide swath on Owen, Howard, Sheridan and Warren avenues and other streets east. St. Vincent's Orphan's Home succumbed early, but the inmates were all removed to places of safety. The patients were all moved from St. Mary's Hospital, which was in extreme danger for a time, but was saved. The fury of the gale carried the sparks long distance, and at 6 o'clock had reached the magnificent planing mill, factory and lumber yard of E. Germain, which was destroyed, as well as a large number of dwellings in that section of the city. It is impossible at this hour to give a correct account of the losses and insurance. The former will reach nearly \$1,500,000, with probably an insurance of nearly \$7,000,000.

Fully 1,000 men employed in factories burned and thrown out of employment and hundreds of families are homeless, as about 300 buildings were burned.

The heaviest losses are as follows: Brown & Ryan, lumber, \$8,000; J. F. Winkler, ice houses and barns, \$15,000; Frank Judice, hotel, \$3,500; Judge Holden, residence and barn, \$12,000; Frank Plumb, residence, \$4,000; Mrs. H. Spindler, two houses, \$7,000; George F. Cross Lumber Company, \$40,000; Allington-Curtis Manufacturing Company, \$150,000; E. Germain, planing mill, factory and lumber, \$350,000; P. H. Ketchum, house and barn, \$50,000; Kirby Blakey, residence and furniture, \$3,500; W. T. Cooper, residence, \$5,000; E. Skinner, residence, \$5,000; Harace Johnson, residence, \$4,500; W. H. Fraser, six dwellings, \$16,000; Simpson & Emery, five dwellings, \$12,000; Charles Holland, residence, \$4,500; P. McArthur, two houses, \$8,000. The foregoing only includes a few of the larger losses.

John Clark, of Owen street, was burned to a crisp. Several other persons are reported missing.

LATE ESTIMATES OF THE LOSS.

SAGINAW, Mich., May 21.—The body of a man supposed to be John Clark, who was killed in the fire, was found this morning at Reel, Turner, aged 89 years. He was feeble, and resided with his daughter, Mrs. Charles Holland. When the house of the latter burned, he wandered away and was burned to a crisp. Clark is still unaccounted for.

A close estimate places the number of buildings destroyed at 275, and the total loss sustained at \$900,000. The total insurance will aggregate about \$900,000.

TERSELY TOLD.

Five of the largest distilleries in Peoria, Ill., have withdrawn from the trust.

Geo. Smith and Daniel Murphy, of Houghton, Mich., were captured in a row-boat Saturday evening and drowned.

The World's Fair, 22nd and 23rd Sept., as the building is not yet ready.

At a recent meeting of the Berlin medical societies Prof. Vichow said the recurrence of cholera anywhere in Germany this year was improbable.

The anniversary of the battle of Bunker Hill was celebrated in Charleston, Mass., yesterday by a pageant which eclipsed all previous demonstrations of this kind.

Fire on board the steamship Roanoke, of the old Dominion Line at New York, Sunday, did \$10,000 damage. Four men on the vessel narrowly escaped suffocation.

At Marietta, O. Geo. Tankford, a saloon keeper and prize fighter, shot and instantly killed his wife and then killed himself. The couple had been married six months and had quarreled constantly.

In a freight wreck on the Pennsylvania railroad near Thorndale, Pa., Saturday night, Engineer C. W. Mann and Fireman John McCann, of Pittsburg, were badly injured, the former dying Sunday afternoon. The fireman is in a serious condition.

Wm. Hickes, a printer, was burned to death at Romeo, Mich., on Friday. He came from Georgetown, Ont., where his mother resides. He had a wife, but her whereabouts is unknown. A subscription was raised by citizens of Romeo, and he was buried there Saturday.

The funeral of the veteran actor, James Murdoch, was held at Cincinnati on Friday. About 200 persons, including the professor, were gradually coming to light. Prof. Koch has long been identified with Bertha Forten, an actress in Director Barnum's company.

Miss Forten, who is expected soon to become Mrs. Koch, came here from a Russian theater, and was engaged for Barnum more for her personal attractions than for her art. She has a fine figure and even with these advantages to rise above trivial roles. When she first appeared in this city she had a rich friend of about her own age, but threw him over soon after meeting Prof. Koch, although he is a grandfather while she is but 32 years old.

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MLLE. NIKITA.

Who Will Sing in 104 Concerts at the World's Fair.

Mlle. Nikita, the American girl who created such a furor in Germany and Russia, will sing at 104 concerts during the World's Fair. Mlle. Nikita is known in private life as Miss Louise Nicholson. The name she bears on the stage is said to have been given her by an Indian chief who, charmed with her voice, carried her off, and kept her until his death, when he bequeathed her to his son, the duty of returning her to her parents. This story, however, Nikita positively denies. She is a Kentucky girl, and went abroad when she was 12 years old to study. She has just passed her 20th year. She has appeared as a prima donna in opera all over Germany and Russia, and has been presented to the Czar and Czarina, and to the kings of Denmark and Greece. Personally Nikita is much more attractive than her picture would indicate. Her expression is one of constantly varying intelligence. She converses charmingly, and is at home in seven modern languages. She is small and slender, and the possessor of a little hand which seems almost too slight for the wealth of brilliant vocal notes which she produces. Her warmest friends number some of the greatest living musicians, among them Rubinstein, under whose baton she sang in St. Petersburg when she was but 17. She carries to Chicago Arditi's manuscript score of a vocal waltz written for her. Her favorite roles are in Romeo and Juliet and in Faust, both of which she has studied closely with Gounod.

FIRES FOREST FIRES

Raging Around Cadillac, Michigan—Sad Loss of Life.

CADILLAC, Mich., May 21.—Terrible forest fires are raging all around here. The sawmill of Edward Mergeride, four miles south of here, was burned yesterday morning.

The lumber camp of Louis Sanders, near Lake City, was burned Friday night and four men were burned to death. Eight others are missing. The horses were all burned and the camp is totally destroyed.

A farmhouse near Turin was destroyed, and the farmer, his wife and two children lost their lives.

THE COLUMBIAN FAIR.

Fifty Thousand People Witnessed the Electrical Illuminations—A "Closed" Sunday.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 21.—For the first time all the electric illuminations of the exposition were seen last night, and the grand spectacle was witnessed by over 50,000 people.

Tens of thousands of men and women wandered aimlessly up and down the grounds, outside the World's Fair grounds to-day peering wistfully through the closed gates of the White City and murmuring regrets at their inability to gain admittance. Some of the louder spoken ones called down maledictions on the powers that sealed the beauties of the fair to them, but on the whole the crowd was an orderly one. Men kept their tempers, evidently buoyed up by the belief that to-day would be the last day of Sunday closing. It was by far the largest throng that turned since the exposition opened.

Havana's Sugar Crop.

HAVANA, May 22.—The result of the sugar season, which practically ended, shows that the yield of the whole island will amount to about 750,000 or 800,000 tons, which is considerably below the average total production.

His Last Sermon.

AMHASA, Tex., May 22.—Rev. James McLeary, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, while delivering his Sunday morning sermon, fell dead in the pulpit. The bursting of a blood vessel in his head was the cause. His daughter was in the congregation.

A New Wrinkle.

BALTIMORE, May 22.—Two men carrying satchels called on Lorony Meyers, a boss plumber, to-day, and offered to sell him some hair dye. Meyers, who is quite old, was alone in his store at the time. Taking seats on either side of the old man the visitors opened their satchels, took out some bottles, and assured Meyers that they could transform the color of his hair from white to black in a minute. One of the men removed the cork from a bottle and compelled Meyers to take a good whiff. Almost instantly he fell into a stupor. The men then rifled the money drawer, helped themselves to various articles, and walked out. The police say this is a new one on them.

A Professor in Love.

BERLIN, May 22.—The reasons of Mrs. Koch for obtaining a divorce from her husband, the famous bacteriologist and professor, are gradually coming to light. Prof. Koch has long been identified with Bertha Forten, an actress in Director Barnum's company.

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Hailstorm and Flood.

Disastrous Deluge of Ice Around Pittsburg, Pa.

One Man Fatally Injured and Much Property Damaged.

The Ottawa and St. Lawrence Rivers Still Rising—Many Buildings Inundated.

PITTSBURG, Pa., May 20.—At 3:50 o'clock this afternoon Pittsburg and vicinity was visited by the most violent hailstorm ever known here. The effect was most disastrous, both to life and property. Heavy black clouds suddenly obscured the light of the sun, while the air became oppressively hot. Following a terrific electric flash came the crash and roar of thunder, shaking the very earth. Before man or beast could seek a cover the deluge of ice came in all its intensity, and for five minutes there was a war of elements most terrifying. Telephones and telegraph wires were prostrated in every direction; electric and cable cars were stopped by broken wires or debris choking the conduits, and for a time traffic was suspended.

The effect of the hail caused numerous accidents by frightening horses that broke away from their drivers. John Downey, the driver of one team, was dragged several squares and fatally hurt. Michael Dunn, aged 14, was almost electrocuted by stepping on an electric light wire on Second avenue. The funeral of Joseph Craig was proceeding along Stockton avenue, Allegheny, when the storm broke. In an instant there was terrible confusion. Some of the teams ran away, crashing into each other, and trampling the dead.

The hail was so heavy that it was reported that the casket was broken open. Many of the ladies in the party fainting. The funeral was postponed. An almost identical experience befell a funeral cortege as it entered the gates of the Allegheny Cemetery at Monacaeville. Various estimates place the damage above \$500,000.

On Neville Island in the Ohio River the damage to garden and farm products is estimated at over \$100,000. The storm came from the north and passed westward, carrying destruction along its pathway.

Dispatches from many surrounding towns tell of the ruin wrought. At Marietta, O., a number of buildings were destroyed. Great destruction is reported in the Belmont, Eureka and Sistersville oil fields.

OTTAWA, May 21.—The water in the Ottawa River has risen one foot in the past 24 hours. The lumber piles at the Chaudiere are partially submerged. The Ayler road on the Hull side of the river has been partially covered with water near the falls. About 40 houses in the village of Gattineau Point are nearly half under water. The occupants have removed the furniture.

MONTREAL, May 21.—The water in the St. Lawrence is slightly higher to-day and would not work more than ten hours per day. The mill owners held an informal conference afterwards and about decided that they would not agree to a reduction in a day's work, even if it resulted in their having to sit down the mills.

PORTLAND, Ore., May 31.—The Willamette River in this city is now 21 feet above the low water mark. A number of houses along the river front on the east side have been upset and wrecked. The river is almost on a level with the streets and all indications point to a further rise. Dispatches from interior points along the Columbia River and its tributaries are very disheartening.

IN LABOR'S FIELD.

The Chaudiere Mill Hands Want Shorter Hours.

OTTAWA, May 21.—The mill owners of the Chaudiere have received a circular stating that after June 1 the mill men would not work more than ten hours per day. The mill owners held an informal conference afterwards and about decided that they would not agree to a reduction in a day's work, even if it resulted in their having to sit down the mills.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., May 21.—Three hundred trismen employed by the Vandalia, Big Four and Chicago and Eastern roads here yesterday struck for an increase of pay from \$1.20 to \$1.30. The Vandalia has paid off and discharged its men.

LONDON, May 21.—The bitterness of the union dockers at Hull does not abate. Instances of the abuse of non-unionists in the streets are multiplying almost hourly. The dragoons and extra police remain on duty.

A Great Star-Finder.

BOSTON, Mass., May 22.—Prof. Pickering, of Harvard, was interviewed yesterday on the newly-completed Brude photographic telescope which is to be sent to Arica, Peru. He said the telescope, which will make a complete sidereal map every year, is more powerful as a star-finder than any instrument in the world. Prof. Pickering has said the new telescope marks a distinct departure in astronomy and will enable astronomers to make many new discoveries as well as radical changes in present astronomical data.

For the Plebiscite.

BOWMANVILLE, May 22.—At the second annual convention of the Young People's Societies of Christian Endeavor of Durham and Northumberland held here last week a large number of delegates were present. The following resolution on temperance, moved by the Rev. D. S. Houck, of Enfield, and seconded by the Rev. R. D. Fraser, of Bowmanville, was unanimously adopted by a standing vote of the audience: "That, whereas the liquor traffic is the cause of so much evil, and whereas the Provincial Parliament intends giving the people of Ontario a plebiscite on the prohibition of the importation, manufacture and sale of intoxicants; therefore be it resolved that the Counties' Union of Y. P. S. C. E. pledge itself to assist in rolling up as large a majority as possible for prohibition."

Tolu, Tar & Tamarack

Will Cure Coughs, will Cure Croup, will Cure Asthma, will Cure Bronchitis, will cure all affections of the Throat and Lungs. For sale by all druggists. Price 25 cents.

BIG BLAZE AT ST. LOUIS.

One Hundred and Fifty Horses Burned to a Crisp—Loss \$200,000.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 22.—A fire which broke out at midnight destroyed \$200,000 worth of property and caused the loss of a human life. A few minutes before 12 o'clock an alarm was sounded from the corner of Channing avenue and Locust street. The fire, which was of incendiary origin, completely destroyed the three-story brick block on the corner mentioned occupied by the C. M. Crumm Livery Company. One hundred and fifty horses were burned to a crisp, and the entire livery outfit, phaetons, and other vehicles, harness, etc., were destroyed. On the second floor Jas. Quinn, foreman, his wife and eight children were asleep. They had narrow escapes, and Eddie, a 7-year-old boy, was fatally burned.

THE WORLD'S FAIR SUNDAY.

The Presbyterian General Assembly Gratified at Sabbath Closing—A Vigorous Protest.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—In the Presbyterian General Assembly to-day the action on Sabbath observance recommended the adoption of the resolutions setting forth that the assembly expresses its profound gratitude to Almighty God for the success of the effort to secure in our Nation a prohibition of Sunday opening at the Columbian Exposition and its appreciation of the action of Congress in deciding, by so large a majority, to continue the time-honored course of the American people in due reverence to the Lord's Day. It joins the whole church in hearty thanksgiving that we have been spared the humiliation of a Christian nation of the public sanction of the opening of the World's Fair and it hereby voices what it believes to be the well nigh unanimous judgment of the church in representing in declaring that any attempt after this public and official expression of the nation to open the gates of the exposition on Sabbath, would be gross affront to the Christian conscience and a flagrant breach of faith.

BIGGEST MAN ON EARTH.

Weights 907 Pounds, Is Six Feet Five Inches Tall, and Is Still Growing.

FRANKFORT, Ind., May 22.—Citizens of this vicinity yesterday had an opportunity to behold the greatest living man in avoirdupois. John Hanson Craig, with his wife and 3-year-old child, was visiting James Anderson and James McPherson, relatives. Craig's home is in Danville, Hendricks county, but he has been in the show business since his babyhood. In answer to questions he said:

"I now weigh 907 pounds, and am 37 years old. At birth I weighed 11 pounds; at 11 months I weighed 77 pounds; at 2 years, 206 pounds. At that time I took the \$1,000 premium at Barnum's baby show in New York city, in the year 1858. At 5 years I weighed 392 pounds; at 13 years, 405 pounds; at 20, 601 pounds; at 22, 725 pounds; at 27, 758 pounds; at 28, 774 pounds; at 29, 791 pounds; at 30, 806 pounds; at 31, 836, and my present weight is just 907 pounds. I am 6 feet and 5 inches high, measure 3 feet and 4 inches around the hips, 18 inches around the ankle, 29 inches around the knee, 66 inches around the thigh next to body. I require 41 yards for a suit of clothes and 3 pounds of yarn for stockings."

Mrs. Craig is a good-looking blonde, weighs 130 pounds, and formerly accompanied her husband in the role of snake charmer as "Zola Ayres." When asked how long they had been married, she laughingly remarked that they were first married in 1882, but that they were just now enjoying their second honeymoon, as they were divorced in January, and remarried but a couple of weeks ago. Mr. Craig explained the trouble, stating that his wife had expressed a desire to learn fashioning and dressmaking, and that he granted. She applied for a divorce, it was granted, and she went to Terre Haute and learned her trade. She then returned home and they were remarried. Mr. Craig has been all over Europe and in every important city in the world. They went from here to Dayton, where Mrs. Craig was born and raised.

Robbers at Bay.

TACOMA, Wash., May 22.—A break for liberty was made yesterday by the alleged Roslyn robbers, Geo. McCarthy and Rais Lewis, in Ellensburg jail. When the robbers had escaped a battle occurred in the streets between them and citizens, one of the latter being wounded. The robbers then ran into a private house. The marshal followed and captured them.

MUSEMENTS, ETC.

TO DETROIT ON TIME IS THE MOTTO of the People's Popular \$1.75 excursion on Queen's Birthday, via M. C. R. Tickets good for two days.

WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS BATHS will be opened Queen's Birthday. For season tickets inquire C. W. Davis, Technicians House.

ROW BOATS—LARGE ASSORTMENT—Forest City Bathhouse, foot of Dundas street. Telephone No. 724. W. H. LANGRISH & Co.

"CAUTION"—REMEMBER FORESTERS' two days' excursion to Detroit, via Grand Trunk Railway, May 24 and 25. Tickets, \$1.75.

WHITE THE LONDON ENTERTAINMENT Bureau for terms and information whenever you intend getting up an entertainment.

PALACE DANCING ACADEMY—LAST term of season commences Monday, Feb. 20. Classes as follows: Gentlemen, Mondays at 8; ladies and children, Saturdays afternoons at 3 o'clock. Advanced class for ladies and gentlemen, Thursdays at 8 o'clock. Beginners can commence any day the primary classes. DAYTON & McCORMICK, members of N. A. T. of D. Academy, 476 Richmond street. Residence, 341 Oxford street.

MEETINGS.

MEETING—A JOINT MEETING of the Reform Association and Young Liberal Club will be held in the Young Liberal Club rooms Friday, 26th inst., at 8 p.m. A full attendance is requested. CHENEY, president Reform Association; W. WATKINS, president Y. L. C.

LONDON SKATING RINK COMPANY—The annual meeting of the shareholders of the above company will be held at the Queen's Avenue Rink, Tuesday evening, May 22, at 8 p.m., for the election of directors and other business. A. D. HOLMAN, Secretary.

POSTPONED—"DARKEST AFRICA"—Mr. S. F. Arnold's lecture on the above subject is unavoidably postponed until May 31.

DOMESTICS WANTED.

WANTED—A GOOD GENERAL SERVANT—Apply Mrs. E. L. EBY, 433 Ridout street.

WANTED—A GENERAL SERVANT—Apply at 222 Central avenue, corner Richmond street.

WANTED—TWO GOOD GENERAL servants at once. Apply Queen's Hotel, Carling street.

CHAMBERMAID WANTED—APPLY Thompson House, JOHN FRASER, prop.

WANTED—GOOD GENERAL SERVANT—Apply to Mrs. CHAS. GRAHAM, 313 Princess avenue. References required.

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Under the glare of a heating sun and enveloped for the most part by a cloud of dust, the Sons of England marched to service in Christ Church yesterday afternoon.

The procession was led by the reorganized band of the order, directed by Charles Chanter. The various sections played along the route were, considering the disabilities under which a newly-formed body of this kind generally labors, exceedingly well rendered.

All the lodges in the city were numerously represented. Joseph Hook, district deputy, commanded the procession. The band consisted of youths, who marched perfectly; maids of England, a company of bright, intelligent girls, not by any means a discredit to the Empire-mother whose name is traced upon their escutcheon; Lodge Kensington, Wm. Tyler, marshal; British Oak Lodge, T. Hobbs, marshal; British Lion Lodge, Wm. Waap, marshal; Lodge Chelsea, H. Edmunds, marshal; Trafalgar Lodge, James Courte, marshal, and Piccadilly Lodge, Joseph Hook, marshal. The St. George's Society was also well represented. The adult female branch of the organization, the Daughters of England, were seated in the auditorium when the dust-littered procession reached the church. They are as enthusiastically patriotic and as deeply interested in the order's beneficent work as those of the sterner sex.

Rev. Prof. Andrus, of Huron College, was the presiding clergyman. He preached a powerful sermon from the words contained in James ii., 12—"So speak ye, and so do, as those that shall be judged by the law of liberty." The thoughts suggested by the foundation text were luminously developed, and their practical application was quite as effectively indicated.

These competent to speak of the matter say that the turn-out was the largest in the history of the Sons of England's church parades.

CHURCH OPENING AT CHATHAM.

Dedication of a Handsome Presbyterian

CHATHAM, May 21.—Services marking the formal dedication of the magnificent church edifice erected by the congregation of the First Presbyterian Church were held today and were signally appropriate, interesting and successful. At the morning service H. Johnston, B.A., of Lindsay, preached on the "Commission of the Church." The dedicatory prayer was offered by Rev. A. McColl, a former pastor, now superannuated. The congregation sang "Old Hundred," and the choir rendered Jackson's "To Deum." The other exercises were in accord with the occasion. An offertory amounting to over \$800 was gathered.

In the afternoon Rev. J. W. Annis, M.A., the probable next pastor of Queen's Avenue Methodist Church, London, preached on "Faith." In the evening the services were again conducted by the Rev. Mr. Johnston. The church was crowded at each service. The new edifice is centrally located, is of striking and beautiful design, cost \$25,000 and seats 1,200. Rev. T. H. Larkin, B.A., a gifted preacher and popular citizen, is the pastor.

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KINGSTON, Ont., May 21.—While four young men, named Dr. Hector MacDonald, Peter Bureau, Dr. Alexander Macdonald, and Wm. Lyle, of Morrisburg, were sailing on Cataraqui Bay this afternoon, the sailboat upset and all four went into the water. Men on shore saw the accident, went to the rescue and succeeded in landing them all on shore.

Shortly afterward MacDonald and one of his companions went out in another boat to recover the overturned craft, when they were again upset, and before assistance arrived MacDonald went to the bottom and was drowned. MacDonald's companion was nearly unconscious when rescued. The unfortunate young man graduated as an M.D. from the Royal Medical College a couple of months ago, and was preparing to leave the city to practice. MacDonald was about 21 years of age.

Fell Five Stories.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., May 21.—Thos. Kraas, aged 23, employed in the Bissel carpet sweeper factory, fell down five stories in an elevator shaft yesterday morning and died in a few moments.

Talmage Will Stay.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., May 21.—Officers of the Brooklyn Y. M. C. A. met the creditors of the church at the Bible House in this city yesterday afternoon, and came to an agreement which was satisfactory to both, and which also settled in the negative the question of Rev. Dr. Talmage's resignation.

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THE AMERICAN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

A Good Word for Presbyterianism.

(From the Chicago Interior.) Presbyterianism has always been Christianity militant. As Mr. Froude says, Calvinism has always "preferred to be ground to powder, like flint, rather than bend before force or melt under enervating temptation." We may be "God's foolish people," but we are not God's cowardly people. These qualities of intellectual and spiritual sturdiness have made Presbyterianism, in its various forms, one of the greatest history-making powers the world has ever seen.

Mr. John Morley is not a man of very great reverence, nevertheless, he understands as few men do, the causes that have produced the western world. He testifies that "to omit Calvin from the forces of Western evolution is to read history with one eye shut. To say that Hobbes and Cromwell stand for the positive results of the intellectual revolution in Protestant countries, and that Calvin does not, is to ignore what the Calvinistic churches were and what they have done for social and moral causes in the old world and in the new. We cannot but see that, compared with Calvin, Hobbes and Cromwell are hardly more than names writ in water." No less striking than this is the estimate of Dr. Mark Pattison, one of the authors of the famous "Essays and Reviews." "Spartan against Persia was not such odds as Geneva against Paris. Calvinism saved Europe."

The only adequate explanation of the historical achievements of Presbyterianism is its power to attract and nurture characters of sterling worth. Strong and right loving men for the material for heroes and martyrs, everywhere hailed with joy those conceptions of God and man made current by Calvin, because they justified their aspirations for liberty. Had not intellectual and political freedom proceeded from the loins of Calvin, the Puritan would not have set his foot on the neck of kings. But fortunately for the world Calvin was able to supply precisely what the Reformation had wanted up to his time—the means of positively educating the individual soul. And ever since his day, wherever his doctrine and church polity have prevailed, strong men have resorted to them that they might increase their strength. Presbyterianism is muscular Christianity in the best sense of the word. It possesses few charms for aesthetes, epicureans, snobs or dudes. Its meats are too strong for weak or dainty palates. Its work is too serious for the frivolous, too arduous for the feeble, too trying for those of small courage. A church so exacting would naturally attract none but the best timber, and it is not surprising, therefore, to find that the Presbyterian Church has always had distinguished membership. During the last Presidential campaign it was a matter of frequent comment that the great bulk of the candidates were Presbyterians. Surprising as this must have been to many people, it is wholly eclipsed by the array of names on the Assembly's committee of arrangements, which has in charge the preparations for the meeting of the 105th General Assembly at Washington this week. No other church and no other city in the United States could afford so magnificent a body of men. The administrative skill of the committee, Dr. W. A. Bartlett, its displayed in his admirable disposition he has made of the material at his command. The committee has been divided into sub-committees on finance, reception, social entertainment, hospitality, excursions, information, music, meetings and assemblies, pulpits, preparation of the church, transportation, press and printing, ushers and assistants. The elaborateness of the preparation for the convenience and comfort of the Assembly may be judged from this scheme.

Nothing, however, is so remarkable as the personnel of the committee, considered as a whole. It has 344 members, every one of whom is a person of importance. It is of course impossible to print the whole list; the following names must suffice to indicate the dignity and importance of the body selected to serve the General Assembly. The administrations of both Mr. Harrison and Mr. Cleveland are represented by the Honorable A. E. Stevenson, W. Q. Gresham, Hoke Smith, S. B. Elkins, D. S. Lamont, John W. Vanamaker and J. W. Foster. From the supreme bench come Justices Harlan, Brown, Jackson and Shiras, and from the Senate, Senators German, McMillan, Brice, Frye, Gordon and Faulkner. Other notables are Justices Strong and MacArthur, Colonels Geo. E. Lemon and John Hay, Honorable Breckinridge and Shellabarger and Capt. Taylor and Commodore Easby. The list is plentifully sprinkled with titles of honor, and is unquestionable evidence that brains, grace and grit the Presbyterian Church is unsurpassed. The implication of her eminence will be found in the causes outlined above. If, therefore, we give way to boasting, like Paul, it is not without reason.

Died of Grief.

HAMILTON, Ont., May 20.—Mrs. Kelly, of Amherst, mother of the 12-year-old girl Lettie Kelly, who tried to poison her father by giving him a bottle of medicine, died of grief yesterday.

In a Hurricane—Nine Sailors Lost.

QUEENSTOWN, May 21.—The British ship Lord Templeton, commanded by Capt. Lawthorn, which sailed from London for Philadelphia with Bombay as a further destination, on April 12, arrived here yesterday, after the loss of a number of the crew in a hurricane. The voyage appears to have gone well until the 1st of May, when they were in latitude 45 north and longitude 45 west. Then the hurricane broke so severely on the vessel that sixteen men were sent aloft to shorten sail. The truss broke and the yard fell to the deck. Eight of those who had gone aloft were killed by the fall of the yard and seven were injured. Among those who lost their lives were first mate and boatwain. The sea stove in the main hatch and the vessel lost sails and yards in the storm. The ship ran before the wind until the hurricane abated, when the survivors insisted on the captain making the nearest port, and the vessel accordingly came to Queenstown as fast as possible in her crippled condition.

Gallant Rufus Chouteau.

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GRAND TRUNK—Southern Division

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MAIN LINE—Going East.

Train	ARRIVE	DEPART
Limited Express (A)	3:35 a.m.	3:45 a.m.
Express	4:15 a.m.	4:25 a.m.
Atlantic Express (A)	12:05 p.m.	12:15 p.m.
Day Express (A)	1:05 p.m.	1:15 p.m.
Day Express (A)	2:05 p.m.	2:15 p.m.
Mixed—No. 50 Freight (C)	3:45 p.m.	3:55 p.m.
Freight Limited (B)	11:55 p.m.	12:05 p.m.

MAIN LINE—Going West.

Train	ARRIVE	DEPART
Chicago Express (A)	3:35 a.m.	3:45 a.m.
West End Mixed	4:15 a.m.	4:25 a.m.
Freight Limited	11:55 a.m.	12:05 p.m.
St. Louis Express (A)	12:05 p.m.	12:15 p.m.
Accommodation	1:05 p.m.	1:15 p.m.
Freight Express (A)	2:05 p.m.	2:15 p.m.
Mail	3:45 p.m.	3:55 p.m.
Accommodation	11:55 p.m.	12:05 p.m.

Parade Branch.

Train	ARRIVE	DEPART
Limited Express (A)	3:35 a.m.	3:45 a.m.
Atlantic Express (A)	12:05 p.m.	12:15 p.m.
Mixed	2:05 p.m.	2:15 p.m.
Accommodation	3:45 p.m.	3:55 p.m.
Freight Limited (B)	11:55 p.m.	12:05 p.m.

London, Huron and Bruce.

Train	ARRIVE	DEPART
Express	12:15 a.m.	12:25 a.m.
Mail	1:15 p.m.	1:25 p.m.
Freight Limited (B)	11:55 p.m.	12:05 p.m.

St. Marys and Stratford Branch.

Train	ARRIVE	DEPART
Mixed—Mail	11:30 a.m.	11:40 a.m.
Express	12:15 p.m.	12:25 p.m.
Freight Limited (B)	11:55 p.m.	12:05 p.m.

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British Gossip by Cable.

The cable correspondents this week devote much attention to the boorish treatment of Mr. Gladstone, while the guest of the Prince of Wales at the Imperial Institute. As will be seen, a new and very reasonable explanation is given of the conduct of the mob. If they had been in their right mind, they might have acted in a more civilized manner. There is little news from the Imperial Parliament, which has adjourned till Monday next. The progress made with the bill for local self-government in Ireland is regarded as most satisfactory by the veteran Premier and his supporters. Probably the next clause upon which there will be a lively debate is clause 9, which proposes to reduce the Irish representation from 103 to 80.

Will Not Come to Chicago.

In spite of the big Chicago Exposition posters which stare at one everywhere on the continent and throughout England, there is no shutting one's eyes to the fact that very few people, and almost none of importance, are going from here to the World's Fair. Leaving out those who have made exhibits and will go on that account, the number dwindles to minute proportions. The steamships are not leaving here full and the evidence speaks for itself. This season will be no better than last, if as good. No important personages have said they will go, and as for the reigning monarchs in Europe not one has any intention of honoring Chicago with his presence. Your correspondent has inquired of every King and Queen in Europe whether or not a visit to America would be a possibility this year. In every case the answer was a decided no. The only personage whose dignity would not permit him to even receive the telegram was Abdul Hamid, Sultan of Turkey, who sent word that he was not customary to receive telegrams from any person whose acquaintance he had not the honor of claiming.

George and May to Wed in July

The wedding day of the Duke of York and Princess May has been unofficially fixed for the first week in July, and the wedding ring is being made out of pure gold dug from the mines of Wales. Presents are pouring in upon the Duke and Princess, and scores of goldsmiths and silversmiths must be at work upon others. The value of the gifts already voted by corporate bodies cannot be less than £20,000. In addition to these, the army and navy have appointed a committee to receive subscriptions, and local committees are being formed all over the country for the same purpose. A half million dollars is considered a reasonable estimate of the aggregate value of the presents which will have been received by the wedding day, exclusive of the gifts sent by foreign potentates and princes. The prospect of the royal wedding has given a prodigious impetus to nearly every class of business, and as the announcement of the betrothal came at the end of a phenomenally good spring trade, many people will make fortunes this year. The struggle at the Imperial Institute to see the betrothed pair was greater than to get near any of the other notables.

The Tory Affront to Gladstone.

Quite another spectacle was the reception to the Prince of Wales and all the royal party at the Imperial Institute last Wednesday. The scramble for places to the distinguished receivers and the fight for refreshments was more suggestive of a hand-to-hand battle than of an evening reception. Even the staidest and most conservative denounced it as altogether disgraceful.

To add to the discourtesy, when poor old Gladstone came, feebly hanging on the arm of Lord Spencer, this well-dressed mob crowded about him, hooted and hissed in his face, jeered at him and treated him as rowdies treat their worst enemy.

The fair was ill managed from the first. Thirty thousand invitations were issued, and, as the bait held out was a reception by the Prince of Wales, most of them were accepted, with the result that there was a terrific crush and utter confusion all the night. The wonder is that a serious panic did not occur, for often people were so tightly packed that women fainted and men almost fought for room in which to breathe. It became apparent early in the evening that it would be physically impossible for the Prince to hold a reception, and the idea was therefore abandoned, but no attempt was made to let this alteration in the programme be known, and for hours fashionable dames and their escorts, squabbling for places and precedence, blocked the staircases and corridors through which the royal party might pass, and defied all commands and entreaties to move. A council of war was hurriedly held in the Prince's room, and it was decided that the only way to relieve the tremendous block was for his Royal Highness to make a tour through the corridors to the gardens in the hope, which was partly justified by events, that the people would either follow the royal party and thus bring about the much-desired circulation, or else go home after having cast their eyes upon royalty. But before the start could be made a squad of stalwart policemen was called in and others were placed in reserve.

The procession was a striking spectacle, and men who had paid their guinea to see the Prince of Wales, the Duke of York,

and other princes were in evening dress, but they wore the sashes and stars of their orders. The princesses, among them the betrothed Princess May, were also in evening dress and sparkling with jewels, and immediately behind the English royalties walked three Indian princes in State costumes luxuriously gorgeous.

A bejeweled officer started the attack on Gladstone by shouting, "There goes the traitor!" That was the cue, and whether prearranged or accidental, it was eagerly followed. The cheering which had marked the Prince's progress became varied with groans and hisses, and in another moment Mr. Gladstone was in the midst of a howling mob. The royal party by this time was too far ahead to notice what was going on behind them, and, as a matter of fact, the Prince of Wales did not learn until a half-hour later how vilely his hospitality had been disgraced. Near the end of the gallery a pack of snarling curs surged upon the Prime Minister as though to subject him to personal violence, and in the fearful crush which occurred at this point several of the glass cases were smashed and the contents damaged. The demonstration was marked by that crowning disgrace, however, thanks to the efforts of some gentlemen.

The Prince of Wales has written Mr. Gladstone a letter, which, if it could be published, would make the faces of the demonstrators and their apologists tingle with shame, and would raise the Prince's popularity among the people 50 per cent; but without the royal condemnation the conduct of the well-dressed, bejeweled crowd, than which, as the Daily Chronicle truthfully remarks, "a Whitechapel mob could not have been more ill-bred," has disgraced all moderate men irrespective of politics, and has acted like a tonic upon the Liberals and Radicals all over the country. It has demonstrated anew the truth of Mr. Gladstone's dictum that this Government is fighting the battle of the masses against the classes, and it has brought into bold and noble relief the figure of the grand old statesman, who, with the standard in his firm, if aged, hand, is heading the onslaught on caste and privilege.

Drink at the Bottom of It.

The people are raging against the insult offered to their leader, and there is a great yearning for some opportunity to demonstrate their sympathy and devotion. Mr. Gladstone, however, is at Hawarden, whither he proceeded quietly and unexpectedly on Thursday afternoon for the Whitsun recess. But it is not improbable that he may be the object of a great popular demonstration on his return to London on Monday week. Correspondence in the newspapers yesterday and to-day suggests the theory that drink, as much as political spite, was responsible for Wednesday's demonstration. The theory is not flattering to the Prince of Wales' aristocratic tastes, but it will bear examination; for there was a buffet 900 feet long, at which over 400 girls served food and drink all night long free to all comers, and the refreshment contractor boasts of the prodigious quantity of champagne and other liquors which was actually consumed. Certainly some of the men must have been the worse for drink, otherwise they would scarcely have flirited with the waitresses and strolled about the gardens with their arms around the girls' waists.

The Queen Goes North.

The Queen left Windsor by special train on Friday evening for Scotland. The Princess of Wales arrived in London at 5 o'clock in the morning from her prolonged continental trip. Her Majesty received this week a parcel of Indian Hill oranges from the Claremont, Cal. Fruit Growers' association, and was delighted with their handsome appearance and fine flavor. Most of the fruit arrived in excellent condition, but some of it was damaged in transit.

A Notable Restoration.

The Prince of Wales will reopen next month the north transept of St. Bartholomew's, Smithfield, the famous church which few American travelers fail to visit. The restoration fund of St. Bartholomew's has just been augmented by the sum of £700 from, of all persons in the world, the little old woman who used to act as sexton and show visitors round. She was apparently worth no more than the shoes she stood in, but when she died a few months ago she left property valued at over £3,000, of which American visitors must have contributed a very large proportion, for few Englishmen took any interest in the grand old church. The old sexton had and she came to love it, for she spent the greater part of her long life in and about it, and for some years past she had occupied a room in the old north transept, a part of which, as many Americans will remember, was also used for a blacksmith's forge.

Huxley at It Again.

Prof. Huxley emerged from his shell Thursday and delivered a lecture at Oxford on a subject somewhat new to him. He talked of morality, and struck some hard blows at our good old friend Evolution, whose first champion he always had been. Here is the kernel of his discourse: "Nature," said he, "is not only non-moral but often anti-moral. The survival of the fittest, in the sense in which biologists use the phrase, is often distinctly opposed to ethical aims, since the fittest may be either the degraded organism which crowds out higher species or the best of prey which devours them. Though a moral mood may have arisen out of the process of evolution, so also has moral evil, and there is no reason in the nature of things why one is preferable to the other."

Sunday Observance Zeal.

The growing zeal for the due observance of Sunday on the continent has just taken a curious form in Belgium. To-day the post-office of that country will issue a 10-centime stamp with a small label attached which may be torn off at pleasure, bearing the legend in French and Flemish: "Not to be delivered on Sunday." Collectors may be glad to know that the stamp bears the effigy of the king and that its color is between that of a salmon and that of a ripe gooseberry.

Even in Germany this zeal for Sunday observance is growing, and the Emperor is doing much to keep the shops closed, and to insist upon all classes taking a weekly holiday.

Echoes of the Last Drawing-Room.

Speaking of royalties naturally suggests the drawing-room which was held on Tuesday. It was the smallest one of this season and the last. The Queen did not come up from Windsor, and Princess Christian acted in her place.

Here is a hint as to fashions in jewelry, gathered from the drawing-room. Diamonds, which for the past few years have been going out, are altogether good form again. They were seen on all sides Tuesday, the ornaments larger than ever.

The Rising Sun of Persia is now a formidable design of much beauty, worn in the hair or on the front of the bodice. In several instances the lace was kept in place on the skirt with gems, and many old pearls of rare lace were arranged around the bodice so that the ends fell to the hem

of the skirt from the shoulders, where they were kept in place by brilliants.

The hair is frequently dotted over with small diamond brooches and stars, and the lace lappets, now much worn, are fastened with diamond pins. Necklaces are becoming longer and more important, and are attached to rows of pearls, which are becoming more and more the fashion, especially where interthreaded with pink coral or the favorite turquoise.

Earrings have quite returned to favor, and are much worn by possessors of diamonds. Any other kind is out of date. Bracelets are worn over the long gloves, but mostly of a slender make. All massive jewelry is out of fashion.

German General Elections.

The political fight in Germany grows hotter with the nearing of election time. The Emperor himself is personally electioneering, somewhat after the manner of American Presidential candidates, who make dignified swings around the circle. Thus far the Government has the advantage, for the Radicals have already split into two factions. Bismarck's sly thrusts have helped to confuse the situation, but will have little vote-getting effect. To sum up the situation in a word, the outlook for the ultimate success of Kaiser is distinctly better than it has been since he dissolved the Reichstag.

The Great Arbitration.

The Bering Sea tribunal, which adjourned Wednesday to permit the room it occupies for its sittings to be prepared for the great dinner given Thursday, will reconvene to-morrow. Sir Charles Russell will occupy the whole of the week. He has paid no attention in his argument to one point in the treaty of arbitration, which the American counsel consider greatly in their favor. Even if the tribunal shall declare that the Americans have no property in the seals away from United States territory and no jurisdiction over Bering Sea, the arbitrators are empowered and required to declare whether or not Great Britain shall stop pelagic sealing, because it is wasteful and immoral.

Cholera.

At the last meeting of the Berlin Medical Society, Prof. Virchow made the reassuring announcement that no cholera epidemic is likely to break out anywhere in Germany this year. This is in direct contradiction to what he said to your correspondent a month ago, but, of course, conditions may have changed since then. Nevertheless, a workman died with all the cholera symptoms Tuesday in Holstein, and two other workmen in the same place have been taken to hospitals suffering in a similar way. The report of a case at Hamburg has not been authenticated, and the authorities have orders to prosecute any newspaper announcing the existence of cholera there.

Unsavoury Potentates from India.

Great court is paid to the native Indian princes now in London, but owing to their domestic habits neither the Prince of Wales nor any of the society magnates who entertain that sort of people will invite them to stay at their houses. This has greatly incensed the Indians, and they are being invited to return to India through Russia, where the Czar will be proud to treat them with every hospitality. The truth is that these Indian nabobs are only semi-civilized, and their notions of cleanliness and sanitation are not even that. The Maharajah has brought four regular wives with him from India and fifteen irregular ones, and he has been adding to the number of the latter indiscriminately since he came to London, so that he has established a harem of large dimensions in the heart of sedate Kensington. It appears that all meat and poultry must be killed before his eyes, so the lower regions of the mansion have been turned into a shambles.

Other Cable Gossip.

Strong Man Sampson sailed on the Paris Saturday.

Three of Mr. Winans' deer forests in Scotland have been sublet for \$40,000 a year.

Lewis Morris has been asked to write an ode on the approaching royal marriage. This may be taken as a tip that he may succeed Tennyson in the laureateship.

The Viking ship, which sailed two weeks ago, has been heard from near the Orkney Islands. She has met with bad weather, and it may be weeks before she reaches America.

Olive Schreiner, author of "A Story of an African Farm," has arrived in London from the Cape. She has a new novel ready to submit to publishers, and is going from there to the continent, where she will stop some months.

The billiard match between Frank C. Ives and John Roberts for £500 a side will commence at Humphrey's Hall, Knightsbridge, on Monday, May 29. Play will open at 9 o'clock each night and continue through the week. The first player to complete 6,000 points will win the stake.

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His Repentance.

He arranged business matters so as to go down that afternoon, and arrived at Hallingham between 6 and 7 o'clock. Giving his portmanteau to a porter, he went out to his usual place of resort, the "Apple Tree." It was a place of old-fashioned, plain, roomy house, whose swinging signboard stood out before its door, and whose productive garden of vegetables and fruit stretched out behind it. No fashionable person would look at it, and Oswald Cray had been recommended to it long ago as his place of resort in Hallingham, where his stay seldom lasted more than two days; and he had found himself so comfortable, so quiet, so entirely at home, that he would not have exchanged it for the grandest hotel in Hallingham, had the said hotel graciously intimated that it would receive him for nothing.

The host, whose name was John Hamon, came forward to receive him; a respectable, worthy man, with portly person and red face, who might be seen occasionally in a white apron washing up glasses, and who waited upon his guests himself. He and Oswald were the best of friends.

"Good-evening, sir," my wife said you'd be down to-night or in the morning. We were sure you'd be at the funeral. Asad thing, sir, is it not?"

"It is a very sad thing, John," returned Oswald. "I seem as if I could not believe it. It was only this morning that I received the tidings. What did she die of? The accident to the train?"

"No, sir, she didn't die of that. Leastways that was not the immediate cause of death, though of course it must be said to have led to it. She died from chloroform."

"Died from chloroform? What did you say?" asked Oswald, staring at the man.

"From chloroform," he repeated, "I don't understand."

And he looked as if he did not—as if it were impossible to take in the words or their sense. John Hamon continued:

"It seems, sir, that on Sunday it was discovered that her ladyship had sustained some internal injury—to the right believe, as anatomists—and she had to submit to an operation. Chloroform was given her while it was performed, and she never rallied from it."

"Wasn't her the chloroform?"

"Dr. Davenal," he echoed Mr. Oswald Cray, and his accent of astonishment was so great, so unmistakable, that the landlord looked at him in surprise.

"Yes, sir," Oswald brought his words to a sudden standstill. His face was one picture of doubt and bewilderment.

"It could not have been Dr. Davenal."

"Yes it was, sir. He gave it for the best. As was said afterward, at the inquest they said that he was the only one who was not a patient at a distance, and didn't get back here till—Wednesday morning, I think it was."

"And she never rallied from the chloroform?"

"Never at all, sir. She died under it."

Oswald Cray said no more. He went up to the bedroom that he always used, there to wash off the traveling dust. But instead of proceeding at once to do so, he stood in thought with folded arms and bent brow, John Hamon's information about the chloroform troubling him.

Why should it trouble him? Could not he believe as others did, that it was given in all true hope and confidence according to the best judgment of the surgeon? No, so far as regarded the chief surgeon, Dr. Davenal, he could not believe it, and the reason was this:

On the night of the accident, when Dr. Davenal jumped into the carriage that was about to proceed to the scene, he took his seat by Oswald Cray. They entered into conversation, and the topic of it was, not unnaturally, accidents in general. It led to the subject of chloroform, and Dr. Davenal expressed his opinion upon that new-fashioned aid to science, just as freely as he afterwards expressed it to Mark Gray.

How strange are the incidents, the small events, that shape the course of human destiny! But for that accidental conversation—and may it not be called accidental?—half the trouble that is about to be related never would have taken place. And the cruel shadow that was waiting to spread its wings over the days of more than one wayfarer on the path of life would have found no spot to darken with its evil.

Dr. Davenal spoke his opinion freely to Oswald Cray with regard to chloroform. He did not deny it to be a great boon, sparing pain to many whose sufferings would otherwise be almost intolerable; but he said that there was a few to whom he would as soon give poison as chloroform, for the one would be just as fatal as the other. And he instanced Lady Oswald.

"She is one, if I am any judge, who could not bear it; who would be almost certain not to survive it; and who, were the words he used to Oswald, 'I would as soon give Lady Oswald a dose of poison, as suffer chloroform to be given to her.'"

The words, spoken to Oswald only, and not to the other inmates of the carriage (who were busy talking on their own scores), had not made any particular impression upon him at the time, but they were words that he had now with awakened force.

He asked himself what it could mean. Dr. Davenal distinctly told him, that the inhaling of chloroform must be as poison to Lady Oswald; he was now assured by John Hamon that, not 24 hours subsequent to that conversation, he, Dr. Davenal, had himself administered chloroform to her. And the result was death. Death—as Dr. Davenal had expressed his firm conviction. That it would be.

Mr. Oswald Cray could only come to the conclusion that there must be some mistake in the statement of the facts made to him. That there was no mistake on his part, as to the opinion expressed to him by the doctor, he knew; he recalled the very words in which it was spoken; spoken deliberately and elaborately. In regard to that, there was no mistake; but he fancied he should find that there was, as to the chloroform having been given by Dr. Davenal, perhaps as to his having been present at the operation.

He quitted the "Apple Tree," and bent his steps toward the "Dreadnought." Parkinson came to him in a burst of grief. Parkinson was it has been said before—genuinely grieved at her lady's death, and her grief showed itself chiefly by breaking into a shower of tears with every fresh person who saw. One of the first questions put to her by Mr. Oswald Cray was as to her not having

ing written to inform him of the death. He wished to know why she had not.

"I don't know why, sir," she sobbed, "except that I have been bewildered ever since it happened. I have been as one out of my mind, sir, with the shock and the grief."

"I'm sure I beg your pardon for the neglect, but it never so much as struck me till yesterday, when the undertaker was here about the funeral. He asked me who was to be invited to it, and then it came into my mind that you ought to have been written to, but I said perhaps Mr. Cray had done it."

"Well, sit down, sir. 'I can understand that you have been very much shocked by it. Are any of Lady Oswald's relatives here?"

"There's that nephew of hers, sir, the parson; the poor gentleman that she'd send a little money to sometimes. He heard of it accidentally, he says, and came off at once with his brother. They got here this morning. Very nice people, both of them, sir, but they seem very poor. They think, no doubt that my lady's money is left to them. I dare say it is. She—"

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Wotton, P. Q.

It takes the professional fisherman to tell catchy yarns.

A hundred-and-ten-ton gun has a range of fourteen miles.

Dr. S. G. Howe, superintendent of the asylum in Boston for the weak-minded, states in his report upon idiocy and insanity to the Massachusetts Legislature, that more than 75 per cent. of such cases as come under his official supervision could have been prevented if the young man could have been informed upon matters of vital importance. Such knowledge is fully and explicitly set forth in Dr. Parker's new medical work, the "Science of Life." This book is indeed a treasure to every young and middle-aged man. The reader's attention is called to an advertisement of this work in another column.

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WESTERN ONTARIO.

Suicide of an Old Resident in Brant County.

Alleged Dynamiters in Woodstock—Supposed Infanticide Near Puslinch Lake—A Dresden Footpad Caught—Chatham Liveryman Robbed.

BRANT.

The hotelkeepers and twelve patrons have enlarged the Brantford treasury by depositing over \$100 at the police court. Sunday liquor selling was the cause.

Thomas Sullivan, the man who a short time ago attempted to cut his wife's throat near Glenora, pleaded guilty of the charge and was sentenced to six months in the Central at Brantford Friday.

Saturday morning at Jerseyville Darius Misner, an old and esteemed citizen of Brant county, ended his life by his own hand. He had been out of his mind for some three weeks. He went to an out-house and hanged himself with a chain. He leaves a wife and a family of one son and four daughters, all of whom are married. They are Herbert Misner, of Onondaga; Mrs. T. S. Simpson, of Brantford; Mrs. S. Drake, of St. George; Mrs. Steenbaugh and one daughter in Winnipeg.

ESSEX.

The Leamington Post was twenty years old last Thursday.

The name of Albert Kile, of Colchester, appears on the list of victims of the Bridgeport, Conn., green goods sharpers. Kile sent \$300.

Ivan Wigle, a young boy living in Leamington, had his hands and face badly burned by an explosion of gunpowder recently.

The reports from South Essex indicate that the fruit crop will be an enormous one. The cool spring weather was favorable to fruit and it kept the trees from budding until danger from frost was past.

HURON.

At the last annual meeting of the Tiverton Horticultural Society, the following officers were appointed for the current year: President, Mr. McLean; vice-president, Neil McKinnon; secretary-treasurer, Geo. Ord; directors, James McKewen, James Wells, Matt. Mitchell, John McFadyen, B. Line, Kenneth Montgomery, Malcolm McDougall, John A. McKenzie, Eskdale, Robt. Ballantyne, John McKellar, H. O. Foster.

KENT.

Wm. Chrysler, liveryman of Chatham, was robbed of over \$85 in the Erie House, Cedar Springs, the other night by a bed-fellow, Wm. McGregor, barber, also of Chatham. Bills aggregating \$85 were found concealed about McGregor's clothes—in his boots, socks and under his shirt. He was committed for trial.

Elgin Myers, continental unionist, will address a meeting at Harrow on May 25.

Albert Mowers has been arrested in Detroit and is now in the Dresden lock-up. On May 2 three young men held up Peter Gillies, of Dresden, and robbed him of \$60. Mowers was one of them and he escaped. The police shadowed his wife, who went to Detroit, and nabbed him as he met her at the station.

LAMBTON.

A collection of \$1,300 was taken up in a recent service at Sarnia, towards the parish priests' residence.

Reports to the Michigan Board of Health show that during the week ending April 29, 641 immigrants were inspected at Port Huron, and 471 pieces of baggage disinfected. Of the immigrants 104 stopped in Michigan.

The repairs on the Sitka, recently ashore above Point Edward, will amount to \$20,000 and working expenses \$5,000.

Another of the early settlers of Watford passed away the other day in the person of James Cowan, aged 88. He had resided in Watford for about 35 years, carrying on the business of a weaver, until he had the incapacitated him for work. Mrs. Cowan died in 1887.

Hamilton Purdy appeared before the mayor of Sarnia charged by John Windred with having set fire to a building occupied by Jas. Bragg. He was remanded until the 25th inst. "Purdy" is supposed to be the author of the many fires in Sarnia, a reward of \$1,000 is offered for the detection of the right person.

OXFORD.

F. Crossley, 54 Vanisstart avenue, Woodstock, was arrested after midnight on Saturday by a terrific report caused by an explosion near by. The residents of the neighborhood were all awakened from their slumbers. It was discovered that someone had placed under the walk, close to the house, a huge cracker filled with powder and other explosives. The cracker was blown into a hundred pieces and part of the sidewalk was torn up. A reward of \$100 for the conviction of the perpetrator is offered.

Mrs. E. D. Martin, of Ingersoll, aged 80, is dead. She was a native of Oxford and a resident of Ingersoll for twenty years.

D. W. Karn, of Woodstock, has taken a life insurance policy for \$26,000.

The Misses Ormiston, of Woodstock, while engaged cleaning house, damaged one of the gas fixtures, and the deadly gas which escaped nearly caused the death of Miss Ellen Ormiston and her aunt, Mrs. White, of London, England.

PERTH.

A. H. Nichol, B.A., M.D., Listowel, leaves this month for Europe to prosecute his medical studies in the hospitals of London, Edinburgh, and on the continent.

Some of the staid old members of Knox Church were somewhat startled by a solemn "Amen" intoned by the choir at the end of the benediction. They shake their heads very doubtfully over such innovations.

"Mrs. Askeading" the kirk on the Lord's day, but its war and war to hae sich havers as this put upon us."—[Listowel Banner.]

St. Marys assessment roll for 1893 shows a population of 3,151, and taxable property of \$1,208,050—a decrease respectively of 211 and \$22,000 since last year.

Messrs. Ballantyne & Son have made the first shipment of cheese from Listowel this season. It consisted of 180 boxes, from the Dominion and Cleland factories, Elma. Ten cents was the figure paid for it.

The Methodist Church at St. Marys is intending to erect a \$6,000 school building this summer.

A Stratford barber, who is a member of the fire brigade, was cutting a lady's hair Friday, when the fire alarm sounded. He dropped his shears and scooted to the post of duty, returning after the fire was quenched to finish the hair cutting.

WELLINGTON.

The population of Fergus is 1,595, an increase of 50 over the assessment of 1892. Value of real estate, \$280,105; personal property, \$35,075; taxable income, \$5,050; total, \$429,230.

A girl 16 years of age named Loker, daughter of a farmer living near Puslinch Lake, recently gave birth to a child. A day or two after it died and there was a mystery surrounding its death. Crown Attorney Patterson found that the skull of

the child had been broken and that there was strong suspicion of its death being caused by violence. The girl refused to give the name of the party responsible for her misfortune. An inquest will be held.

Maxims of Jas. A. Garfield.

Things don't turn up in this world unless somebody turns them up. Luck is an ignis fatuus. You may follow it to ruin, but not to success. A pound of pluck is worth a ton of luck. I would rather be beaten in right than succeed in wrong.

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night has moved with diminishing energy
across Northern Canada to the Gulf of St.
Lawrence.

There is now another important storm in
Nebraska, moving eastward.

In Ontario and the Maritime Provinces
the weather to-day has been fine and warm
and in Quebec showery. In Manitoba and
the Northwest it has been cool and un-
settled.

Minimum and maximum temperatures:
Edmonton, 48°-60°; Calgary, 34°-60°;
Battleford, 30°-62°; Prince Albert, 20°-
58°; Qu'Appelle, 36°-58°; Winnipeg, 36°-
57°; Toronto, 52°-73°; Montreal, 60°-72°;
Quebec, 52°-70°; Halifax, 44°-64°.

20-DAY'S PROBABILITIES.
Toronto, May 22—1 a.m.—Probabili-
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TWO DAYS IN HISTORY.

May 21.

1037—Philip II of Spain, son
of Isabella and Ferdinand, died 1598.
1038—John Eliot, apostle to the
Indians, died in Roxbury,
Mass., born 1584 in Hert-
fordshire.

1724—Robert Harley, earl of
Oxford and prime minister
to Queen Anna, died.
1729—John Law, famous finan-
cier, died in Venice.
1731—Birth of Francis Edgerton, later Duke of
Bridgewater, promoter of canals in Eng-
land.

1738—Elizabeth Gurney (Fry), Quaker preacher
and prison reformer, born near Norwich,
England; died 1845.

1790—Dr. Thomas Warton, professor of poetry
at Oxford, died.

1796—Roverdy Johnson, lawyer and statesman,
born in Annapolis; died there 1870.

1849—Marie Edgeworth, English novelist, died.
1852—The Brazilian frigate Salimoes foundered
off the mouth of the Rio de la Plata,
and 120 of the crew were drowned.

May 22.

437—Constantine the Great, first nominally
Christian emperor of Rome, died; born 280;
emperor of the west 324 of whole empire
325; called council of Nice 325.

1471—Henry VI, last Lancastrian king of Eng-
land, murdered in the Tower of London.

1611—The first baronets were created in Eng-
land by James I for the purpose of raising
money; they paid £1,000 each for their pat-
ents.

1638—Alexander Pope, poet, born in London
and died 1744.

1807—The trial of Aaron Burr for high treason
began at Richmond.

1820—John Grant, Vice, author and philo-
sophist, born in New York city; died there
1885.

1849—Robert Vernon, who gave a famous gal-
lery of pictures to the British nation, died
in London.

1892—One Downing, who had married and mur-
dered women in various countries, was
hanged in Melbourne.

LONDON AND ENVIRONS.

—He's in trouble, so's his wife.
Because he tried, they say,
To lead a \$9,000 life
On \$200 pay.

—Rev. David Savage, the evangelist, of
Tilsonburg, is seriously ill.

—A general interchange of pulpits in
city churches took place yesterday.

—At the World's Women's Congress at
Chicago on Friday, Miss Lizzie Kirkpatrick,
of this city, took part in a discussion on
"Woman's War of Peace."

—Capt. Foster's steamer will not be able
to run to the Dundas street dock on May 24,
owing to the sandbar in the Forks. He
will use Andrews' dock in London West.

—Daniel Maddison and Joseph Hall were
further remanded for a week by Squire
Jarvis on Saturday afternoon on charges of
stealing peas from Samuel Clark, near
Middlesex.

—Mr. Balmer, the talented leader of the
African Native Choir, sang a solo in the
Dundas Street Center Methodist Church
choir last evening very acceptably. He has
a magnificent baritone voice.

—The alleged breach of the liquor law
pending against Crowell Swartz, the
Masonville hotel-keeper, was investigated
by Squire J. B. Smyth on Saturday and
judgment reserved for a week.

—Manager Break of the street railway
company, has asked the city engineer to
name places where the street cars will stop.
The practice of taking up passengers any-
where causes a great loss of time.

—John Powers, of London township,
summoned on the charge of maintaining a
nuisance on his premises, failed to appear
before Squire J. B. Smyth Saturday morning,
and a warrant was issued for him.

—George McConnell was fined \$1 and
costs by Squire Lacey on Saturday, for
trespassing on Mrs. S. Gregory's premises
in London West. The charge of stealing
75 cents was not proved against him.

—Dr. Smith E. Gustin, of Bay City,
Mich., who, in conjunction with Dr. J. B.
Campbell and H. McCallum, has been
attending his sick brother, Mr. James
Gustin, of the Gustin House, left here
Saturday evening for home.

—The liquidators of the Federal Bank
state that in conformity with the act of
Parliament authorizing its winding up, on
and after June 7 next the notes of the
bank shall be valueless and all claims of
any nature against it will be barred.

—Petroleum Advertiser personals: Mr.
Melville Spencer, ex-mayor of London,
visited Petrolia last Wednesday looking
after business. Mr. J. R. Minchinick
and Mr. Thomas Smallman of London,
were amongst the Imperial magnates who
met in council at their board office here on
Wednesday.

—Rev. W. J. Clarke, in giving notice of
the new Park Avenue Church corner stone
laying ceremony on the Queen's Birthday,
in Victoria Hall last evening, said that he
would not promise cushioned seats for the
spectators. They could, however, take up
comfortable position on the mounds of
stone and brick in the vicinity.

—The Grace Methodist Church has been
undergoing extensive repairs, and has
been frescoed, repainted and rescaled. The
services there yesterday were of a special
nature, city clergymen occupied the
pulpit. Rev. J. R. Gundy preached in the
morning, Rev. Chas. Smith in the after-
noon and Rev. Walter Rigby in the even-
ing. The choir sang several anthems very
nicely.

—James F. Walker, traffic auditor of the
G. T. R., whose death is reported from
Montreal, was well known in this city. He
was a prominent member of the Masonic
craft, being a past grand master of the
Grand Lodge of Quebec. Those who
listened to an address by him on the

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benefits of the craft, delivered at a gather-
ing under the auspices of Tuscan Lodge, of
this city, in the fall of 1891, will not soon
be forgotten.

—A dispatch from Adrian, Mich., says
that Will Reid, a young colored man,
formerly of London, Ont., died there on
Saturday of typhoid pneumonia. His
remains were brought to this city yesterday
for interment. Deceased, who was a bar-
ber, was a son of Mr. John W. Reid, of
429 Hill street, and left home some years
ago. He was an estimable young man.
His two brothers are also working in
Michigan.

—Rev. H. J. Ware, whose death by
drowning occurred near Lindsay on Friday,
was formerly a resident of London, and
during 1880 and 1881 was secretary of the
Y. M. C. A. here. He was about 50
years of age, and leaves a widow, who has
been in the Toronto hospital for the last
four months, and four children—three boys
and one girl—the eldest being 14 years of
age. He was married twice, his second
wife being a Miss Joseph, sister of Mr.
M. Joseph, of Toronto. He was born in
England, and previous to coming to Lind-
say last fall he had charge of churches at
London, Kincairdine, Tilsonburg and Chat-
ham, and for two years he traveled as an
evangelist.

—Miss Nora Clench, the celebrated
young Canadian violinist, will come back
to Canada next fall, and will give 30 or 40
concerts in Ontario and Quebec, and will
possibly visit the Northwest also. Miss
Clench is still in London, England. The
fact of her playing before the Queen has
brought her into prominence in the musical
world, but she is rapidly winning her way
by the force of her own merit. She is now
recognized as one of the first violinists be-
fore the public in England, and her services
are in great demand, not only in London
but in the provinces also. Her period of
study at the Brussels conservatory has, it
is said, softened her style without detract-
ing from its breadth and purity.

The A. O. U. W. at Lambeth.

A number of the members of the local A.
O. U. W. lodges drove out to Lambeth yes-
terday morning and joined their brethren
there in their church parade. There were
upwards of 90 in the procession, and Bro.
the Rev. T. T. George preached an eloquent
sermon in the Methodist Church. He took
his text from Deuteronomy viii., 22, the
edifice being crowded to the doors. After
service a lunch was provided the visitors
in the lodge room.

Soldiers at Church.

Yesterday the weather was all that could
be desired for the military church parade.
The Seventh regiment in full force, with
Lieut.-Col. Payne in command, and made
an excellent appearance as they stepped
briskly along to the music of the brass and
bugle bands. If they make as good a
show at Sarnia on Queen's Birthday, Lon-
don will have no occasion to be ashamed of
her citizen soldiers. No. 1 Company of
Infantry also paraded to the same place of
worship, St. Paul's Cathedral, and their
neat and soldier-like bearing was a pleasure
to see. The Dean of Huron preached an
eloquent and appropriate sermon to the
regiments.

At the Musical Conservatory.

The following programme was given at
the Conservatory of Music last Saturday:
An Matin.....Miss Hetta Doyle.
Song—Ave Verum.....H. Millard.
Miss Hart.
Mazurka, No. 1.....Miss Hetta Doyle.
Violin Duet—Opus 109, No. 1.....Ch. Dancia.
Romance, G. Major and E. Major.....F. L. Moir.
Song—Children Asleep.....Mrs. Gieselman.
(Korvettes, G. Minor and E. Major, Schumann.
Sonata, E. Major, Schumann.
Vagrants in the Police Court.

The half-dozen names that appeared on
the docket at the Police Court this morning
were exclusively those of persons charged
with vagrancy. Chief Williams had made
inquiries into the antecedents of George
Howell and George Fox, the two per-
petrators who pretended to be from Buffalo,
but could gain no satisfactory information.
They will remain in the city for one month
under the supervision of Governor Kelly.
William Boyd, who got drunk on the pro-
ceeds of some pawned clothes which he had
begged, was given a similar sentence.
Nelson Cote, Alfred Leonid and Thomas
Burns, the remaining members of the party
of six vagrants who were remanded from
Saturday, were committed for two months.

Ezra Kendall To-Night.

Ezra Kendall, at the Grand Opera House
to-night, is sure to meet with a hearty re-
ception in his well-known comedy "A Pair
of Kids." The Toronto Empire says:
He would recount all that is good and
clever in Ezra Kendall's "A Pair of Kids."
must recite the major portion of the
"play." Perhaps it can hardly be styled
that "an inflammation of the imagination,"
as the play bill has it, better suits Mr.
Kendall's extravaganza, which is musical and
pantomimic farce.

*** To smile, to laugh,
To laugh, perchance to scream,
And laughing to say we're drunk,
The heartaches and thousand natural fits,
That flesh is heir to.
That expresses the scope of the mission of
"The Pair of Kids."

An audience, bubbling over with laugh-
ter, witnessed its initial performance in the
Toronto Opera House last evening. When
the old jay with hayseed in his hair, whose
presence and bright witticisms carried the
piece to its full fruition of success, came
forward in the first act he could not see an
empty seat in the house. And when the
curtain rang down on the last act the
audience half a mind to stop and get
the company to make a night of it.

The success of the farce was instantaneous and
thorough.

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speaking of, but with its sparkling dialogue,
its musical parades, its pantomime, busi-
ness and its quick action it does not need
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custodian of a legacy, the documents relat-
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stewardship he is put in prison in the last
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