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Mr. Davin Lets Himself Loose on Tarte and Incidentally Touches Up Mr. McCarthy—The Northwest Has No Grievance Concerning Separate Schools—The Budget Will Be Brought Down on Tuesday.

OTTAWA, March 21.—The budget has been definitely fixed for Tuesday at 3 o'clock, when the House meets after the Easter recess, and the debate will be continued from day to day until concluded. This is really the most important thing settled to day, although there were a couple of fairly interesting discussions and a good deal of routine business was got through with in the way of answering questions, etc.

The Behring Sea Regulations.

Immediately after the House met Sir Richard Cartwright rose and said that he would move the adjournment of the House in order to call attention to what he considered a very important matter. He understood that no arrangement had yet been made for giving legal effect to the regulations fixed by the Behring Sea arbitrators, and called attention to a para graph in American papers to the effect that the United States Government had given instructions for th ir cruisers to "shepherd" the migrating seals and protect them as if the regulations were in force. If it was true, as stated, that instructions had been given to American cruisers, he thought it would be well if the British Government would also send a few cruisers to the North Pacific to see fair play. He wished to know whether any arrangements had been made for referring disputes to a joint court, which he thought would be the fairest tribunal.

Not Yet in Force Concerning British Subjects.

Sir John Thompson said that the regulations have no force or validity against British subjects until a statute had been passed by the Imperial Parliament.

Sir Richard: By the British Parliament alone or by ourselves concurrently?

Sir John Thompson: By the British Parliament alone. That was the British and Canadian Government, and this view has been communicated to the United States Government, which held the view that the regulations were in force from the signing of the agreement. A bill was being prepared for submission to the British Parliament, and a draft had been shown to the Canadian Government and approved. And it may have been introduced in the Imperial House for aught he knew. He did not attach any importance to the statement in the American papers, and did not think the United States Government had given any instructions other than those necessary to carry out their own laws against their own subjects. It was proposed after the regulations were in force to have United States cruisers accompany our sealing fleet to the North Pacific. It may be necessary to ask Her Majesty's Government to send a few vessels along to see that there was not any excessive zeal on the part of the American cruisers. It was understood by the arbitrators that offences committed by British subjects should be tried by British courts. Under the modus vivendi one seized vessel had been taken to Victoria, B.C.

The Modus Vivendi Has Expired.

Mr. Edgar: Is the modus vivendi in force now?

Sir John: No, it has expired. It had been represented to the British Government that it would be unfair to make any enactment applicable to sealers that have already sailed.

Mr. Mills asked whether the correspondence would be brought down. Under the constitution of the United States the treaty came into force without any act of Congress. He supposed that so far as the people of the United States were concerned the treaty was in force, but it would not be in force as far as British subjects were concerned until an act was passed.

Sir John Thompson said there was no objection to bring down the correspondence if the British Government consented. It was doubtful whether the treaty was operative as concerned citizens of the United States until the Senate had assented to it.

The motion to adjourn was then declared lost on division as the House proceeded to regular business.

Mr. Davies introduced his bill to amend the Canada Temperance Act. He explained that his amendment referred only to Prince Edward Island and referred to the duties of magistrates.

Mr. LaRiviere moved for all the papers in the Manitoba school case not already brought down and said he would reserve his remarks until they were brought down.

Tarte On N.W. Separate Schools.

Mr. Tarte moved for papers connected with the Northwest school ordinance not already brought down.

Mr. Tarte prefaced a very long speech by copious quotations from Mr. Casgrain's speech at Montreal and comments of various newspapers. During the last 20 years he had read every newspaper, French and English, that had come in his way, and boasted that he had read more papers than any member of the House, but he had never read any paper more wickedly mendacious than The Toronto Mail. [Laughter.] Ministers of the crown ought to take cognizance of it. [Renewed laughter.]

Mr. Tarte had been speaking about an hour when Mr. Davin (N.W.T.), interjected, "State the issue."

Mr. Tarte did not state the issue, but continued bitter generalities about the Catholics of the Northwest being deprived of their schools.

The Northwest Has No Grievance.

Mr. Davin pointed out that Mr. Tarte had not accepted his challenge to state the issue. He charged Mr. Tarte with attempting to mislead the House by giving the idea that Roman Catholic schools did not exist in the Northwest. They did exist, and not a single Roman Catholic school had been suppressed by the ordinance. He described Mr. Tarte's speech as made up of scraps of other people's opinion, and pointed out that Mr. Tarte had not been able to quote a single Roman Catholic of the Northwest as complaining of any grievances. Residents in the Northwest only learnt of the grievances existing there when they came to Ottawa. If these grievances existed it was an extraordinary thing that nothing should be said about them in the Northwest. As to Tarte's newspaper quotations, he had read newspapers himself and knew what they were worth. [Loud laughter, in which the press gallery joined.] Mr. Davin went on by quoting from official documents to explain the actual situation. All schools were just as they were, except that arrangements had been made to secure a more economical system of inspection. There had been a grievance with reference to the place of examination of sisters teaching in Catholic schools, but this, he believed, had been remedied. No greater enemy of Catholic schools in the Northwest existed than Tarte himself. [Applause.] Every time he made a speech such as he had today he struck a blow at Separate schools as they existed in the Northwest. If the Government had disallowed the ordinance they would have struck a fatal blow at Catholic schools.

Mr. Tarte: Hear, hear. Why?

Mr. Davin: Because the people of the Northwest, Catholic and Protestant alike, have if possible a stronger sentiment of provincial autonomy than the older provinces, because it is nascent and not mature. There is a strong sentiment in favor of provincial rights and privileges all over the Northwest, and if the ordinance had been disallowed many gentlemen who had no prejudice against Catholics would have been agitating all over the country for abolition of Separate schools. I am sure my hon. friend (Mr. Tarte), if he understands the question, and I am sure he must understand it now if he did not before, now that I have explained how the matter stands. [Loud laughter.]

Dual Language.

As to the dual language question, if you are to yield to the French minority, what are you to do with the German minority which overtops the French minority already and will soon be equal to the English population? They are complaining of no grievances, and I am not aware of any French-Canadian in the Northwest who complains of any grievances. I am aware that gentlemen in high authority have objected to the regulations in regard to the Separate schools and that a hallucination prevails with regard to dual language in the brain of the hon. member for L'Islet (Mr. Tarte), as well as as in that of the hon. member for North Simcoe (Mr. McCarthy). [Laughter.] The bee buzzes just as noisesically in the head of one as in other. [Loud laughter.] It being now close on six, Mr. Davin offered to end his speech in order to let Mr. Tarte's motion be passed, but learning that the debate was to be adjourned reserved the right to finish his remarks when the question came up again.

The Budget on Tuesday.

Sir John Thompson said as it was now late in the afternoon, and members desired to take night trains in view of the House rising till Tuesday, it would hardly be proper to begin the budget business this evening, though Mr. Foster had it ready. He would therefore propose to adjourn, on the understanding that the debate on the budget was to begin on Tuesday and continue from day to day.

Mr. Laurier: There can be no objection to that.

The House adjourned till Tuesday.

Notes.

At the meeting of the Debates Committee to-day A. C. Campbell was appointed member of the official staff as successor to the late T. J. Richardson. Mrs. Richardson was granted a gratuity of $1000.

Sir Joseph Hickson, chairman Royal Commission on Liquor Traffic, requested the committee to grant leave of absence to Dr. G. B. Bradley, chief of debates staff, in order that he might complete editorial and summary work connected with preparation of report. Dr. Bradley's services were highly complimented. The committee decided that the House could not dispense with the chief's services even temporarily.

In the Senate this afternoon the debate on the Address was continued by Hon. Mr. Boulton, who was followed by Messrs. Macdonald, B.C., Primrose and Bernier, and the address adopted, and Senate adjourned until Wednesday.

Mr. K. F. Burns has been called to the Senate in place of the late Mr. Boyd. The writ to fill the vacancy in the representation of Gloucester caused by Mr. Burns' resignation will probably be issued in a few days.

Mr. Mulock gives notice that he will ask whether the report of the Major-General commanding the Militia will be published in the ordinary course, and if not why not; also whether the said report as originally presented to the Minister of Militia contains a statement that the militia of Canada in its present state of organization could not resist 1500 regular soldiers, or words to that effect. The Minister of Marine and Fisheries gives notice of the introduction of a bill to amend the Seamen's Act.

Mr. Featherston will ask whether the Government has received any official intimation from the Imperial Government of its intention to remove the embargo now existing against Canadian cattle.

Sir Richard Cartwright wants to know when the office of collector for the port of Montreal becomes vacant whether it is the intention of the Minister to fill the vacancy without further delay, and if not, why not? He will also ask whether the Government or any member thereof has promised any member or members of the House that he or they will be appointed to the collectorship of Montreal, and, if so, at what date the appointment is to be made.

Sir Richard also wants to know what vacancies exist in the Senate, how long they have existed and whether any members of the House of Commons have been promised appointments to the Senate.

MR. WALLACE MISREPRESENTED.

His Remarks Neither Unjust Nor Offensive to Any Religious Organization.

OTTAWA, March 21.—The Hon. Clarke Wallace, Controller of Customs, was seen by your correspondent to-day with reference to a report, which appeared in Ottawa papers of yesterday, purporting to give his remarks at the Orange banquet on Monday night, and in reply to a question as to whether these reports conveyed a fair idea of his speech, Mr. Wallace said: "I have been misrepresented in the newspapers with reference to what I said on Monday evening last, both in the expressions used and the sense meant to be conveyed. I have always spoken of the Roman Catholic Church under that name, and did not apply to it any other epithet. I was not speaking as a member of the Government, nor authorized by the Government, but was simply expressing my opinions as a member of a large organization and at one of its public gatherings, and my opinions were not the expression of a policy which was intended to represent any political party. I was combatting the assertion that any particular church possessed under the constitution any ascendancy in this country, and I instanced the letters of Archbishop Tache as proof that in his opinion there was no such ascendancy in the west. I entirely disclaim any intention to be either unjust or offensive to any organization or religious belief in Canada. I have never been so, and though always holding and always intending to hold my own opinions strongly, as I accord all others a right to do, I have striven and shall always strive to do this with charity to all and hard feeling against none."

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Miss Alexander, Charles Roberts, Pavilion to-morrow.

BRITAIN'S HISTORIC STAIN

WILL NOT BE EFFACED UNTIL HOME RULE IS GRANTED.

So Says Mr. Gladstone in a Letter to the Edinburgh Liberals — The People Awakening to Their Powers to Deal With an Irresponsible Chamber—He Still Holds to His Former Political Opinions.

LONDON, March 21.—Mr. Gladstone in writing to Mr. John Cowan, Chairman of the Midlothian Liberals, from Brighton last Saturday, in reply to an address of the Edinburgh Liberals, after thanking them, says: "I consider my career as beginning with the Reform Act of 1832, which for England meant improvement and extension, and for Scotland political birth. Three score years later they offered us pictures which the historian will recognize. The great legislative and administrative period—perhaps the greatest in our annals—will be the history of emancipation, political, social, moral and intellectual. Almost numberless have been the causes which have been brought to issue in that period and in every instance I rejoice to think that Scotland has done battle for the right.

The People And Their Power.

"Another period opens: a period with possibly yet greater moral dangers, and certainly a great ordeal for those classes which are now becoming largely conscious of their power, but have never hitherto been subjected to its deteriorating influences. These influences have been confined to the classes above them because they were the sole possessors of this power. Now is the time for every true friend of this country to remind the masses that they owe their present political elevation to no principles less broad and noble than these: Love of liberty for all without distinction of class, creed or country, and resolute preference for the interests of the whole people to any interest of narrower scope.

"I am sanguine in the hope that Scotland will in the future cherish a sense of duty no less lofty and enlightened than in the past, and I do not doubt the sufficiency of her influence and power to obtain without serious difficulty everything needful to satisfy her special wants.

Holds To His Opinions.

"For myself I need say little more than I carry with me out of office the political opinions I professed in it. It is indeed a source of satisfaction to me that after 60 years of a highly contentious life, I can be honorably relieved of some of that active participation in political conflict of which I have had so full a share.

The Chamber Responsible, the Chamber Irresponsible.

"But I recognize the great and growing demand of these countries for satisfying their legislative wants. I lament that the discrepancy of sentiment between the two Houses of Parliament has been revived to such an extent as to raise a question between the chamber responsible and the chamber totally irresponsible to the nation and raise it in such a form as will demand at no distant day a conclusive judgment from the constituencies.

"I feel deeply convinced that until the first demands of Ireland are satisfied, as the House of Commons tried to satisfy them, never will legislative wants of any portion of the United Kingdom be adequately met, nor will the empire attain the maximum of its union and power, nor British honor be effectually cleared of the deepest historic stain ever attached to it."

TO SHUT OUT CANADIAN STOCKERS

British Agriculturists Want All Cattle Slaughtered on Landing.

LONDON, March 21.—The Right Hon. Herbert Gardner, President of the British Board of Agriculture, will receive on April 3 a deputation from the Chambers of Agriculture of the United Kingdom and from the Royal Society in reference to the cattle trade of Great Britain.

These deputations will urge a proposal antagonistic to the Dominion of Canada's cattle export trade, and to this end will make strong representations urging that all imported cattle shall be slaughtered at the port of landing.

FREE TRADE WITH BRITAIN

Is an Impossibility, Says Sir Charles Tupper.

LONDON, March 21.—[Telegram special.]—At the United Empire League dinner last evening in honor of Sir Thomas McIlwraith, Hon. Robert Reid and Sir Charles Tupper, the toast of success to the League was proposed by the Canadian High Commissioner. Sir Charles said that free trade with Britain was impossible for new young countries in which indirect taxation was the only means of raising revenue.

Applied For the Chiltern Hundreds.

LONDON, March 21.—Mr. John Wynford Phillipps, Liberal member of Parliament for Mid-Lanarkshire, has applied for the stewardship of the Chiltern Hundreds. He vacates his seat on account of ill-health.

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THE JURY COULD NOT AGREE.

John Conn Held in $8000 Bail to the Next Assizes.

SARNIA, March 21.—After being locked up for four hours the jury in the case of John Conn, who was charged with forgery, failed to agree and the prisoner was held to the next assizes in $8000 bail. Conn was alleged to have forged the name of Anthony Gilroy to some notes on which money was obtained from the Merchants' Bank of St. Thomas.

Adams' Horehound and Licorice Tutti Frutti cures coughs and colds. It is a delicious remedy.

Steamer Lakeside.

On and after Thursday, March 22, the steamer Lakeside of the Niagara Falls Line will make daily trips between Toronto and St. Catharines, leaving Toronto at 3.30 p.m., connecting with trains at Port Dalhousie for all points. For further particulars enquire at office of W. A. Geddes, Yonge-street Wharf, or at boat. e

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North American Life Assurance Company.

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Coughicura stops bronchitis in Children.

NEWFOUNDLAND STORMSWEPT.

Many Villages Devastated By a Gale—Several Houses Blown Down—Fears For the Sealing Fleet.

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., March 21.—A terrible northeast gale visited the coast on this island last night and caused immense damage in St. John's, many new houses being blown down and several other buildings partly unroofed. The whole coast of Conception Bay was swept by the storm. Many villages were devastated and a large section of the railway line was flooded. The wires are down in all northern localities, and it is impossible to learn the extent of the damage done.

The worst feature of this storm is that the seal fisheries now in progress and 22 steamers with between 6000 and 8000 men were hunting seals right in the centre of the storm area. It is feared that the effect upon them will be very serious.

CANADIAN HOME CIRCLES.

Election of Officers of the Supreme Grand Lodge.

The annual election of officers for the Order of Canadian Home Circles took place yesterday. The result was: Supreme leader, F. N. Raines; vice-leader, J. G. Cumming; secretary, T. Boles, London; treasurer, D. R. Foster, Waterford; chaplain, S. Cunningham, Waterford; marshal, D. McArthur, Ailsa Craig; warden, J. S. Dench, Trenton; guard, A. R. Thompson, Merritton; sentinel, E. Turner, Burford; medical examiner, Dr. Watson, Toronto; solicitor, J. R. Roaf; organizer, P. M. Pattison; trustees, John Small, Toronto; W. McWhinney, Stratford, and W. White, Oshawa; finance committee, John L. Buck, H. Williams, W. N. Hossie, Brantford; H. F. Perry, Toronto; committee on laws, S. A. Nelles, Grimsby; J. G. Howorth, Toronto; Sister Shirley, Napanee.

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The stock is now complete and the firm is ready for a big day to-day and another on Saturday.

TO OPPOSE COL. O'BRIEN, M.P.

W. H. Pratt of Parry Sound Nominated By the Reformers.

HUNTSVILLE, Ont., March 21.—A meeting of the Reformers of the districts of Muskoka and Parry Sound, held here to-day, chose a candidate for the Commons. W. H. Pratt, president of the Conger Lumber Company of Parry Sound, will be the standard-bearer.

Prices talk and quality substantiates that the best place to buy Spring Overcoats is at the Army and Navy stores.

Killed On the C.P.R.

At an early hour yesterday morning the mangled remains of John Hill of Cudmore's road were found on the tracks of the C.P.R. near the Don River. His legs had been severed, and portions of his remains had been carried some distance by the wheels of the locomotive. Hill had been out shopping with his wife during the afternoon. The wife went home early in the evening, Hill intending to follow her after a short time. Appearances indicate that he stayed longer than he had expected, and becoming bloxicated he started for home along the railway about midnight, and by some means was run down by a passing train. A broken whisky bottle was found in his pocket. He had been warned several times by the C.P.R. authorities against walking on their tracks after night. Coroner Johnson held an inquest at the Morgue during the afternoon, the jury returning a verdict of "accidental death."

Don't you buy, but just come and see how cheap you can buy at the great sale of spring Overcoats and Spring suits now in full blast at the Army and Navy stores.

Seven Buildings Burned At Port Rowan

PORT ROWAN, March 21.—At 2 o'clock this morning that portion of the town lying along the front was found to be in flames. Several business places, including Stearn's Hotel and two dwellings, were burned, with most of their contents. Six thousand bushels of wheat in Anderson's storehouse was destroyed. The most of the property was insured.

Hear Harry W. Rich in his new character creations, A.O.F. Concert, Auditorium, Good Friday.

Academy of Music.

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Evicted Tenants' Bill April 9.

LONDON, March 21.—It is announced that Mr. John Morley, Chief Secretary for Ireland, will introduce an evicted tenants' bill in the House of Commons on April 9.

James Fax, always good, has something new for A.O.F. Concert, Auditorium, Good Friday. Hear it.

Prendergast's Application For a Stay.

CHICAGO, March 21.—Application for a stay in the Prendergast execution, which has been fixed for Friday, is pending. The Supreme Court's decision is expected daily.

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KILLED AND CREMATED HER.

THE MOST SHOCKING CRIME IN THE ANNALS OF CANADA.

When Peel County Has a Murder It Is Generally of a Horrible Kind—How Christopher Ward Stabbed His Wife With a Butcher Knife, Carved Her Up and Burned the Fragments in the Kitchen Stove.

In view of the recent trial of Walter MacWherrell at Brampton, the last conviction on circumstantial evidence for murder in Peel county is recalled with much interest.

The crime was a peculiarly horrible one, and was remarkable for the crushing weight of circumstantial evidence that was adduced against the perpetrator.

Christopher Ward was a member of a well-to-do family living in Caledon township. Early in the spring of 1875 he made a pleasure trip to England. On the way back he became acquainted with a pretty young dressmaker on her way to Toronto. Mary, for that was her name, was coming to the home of her uncle, a gardener at Government house.

The acquaintance ripened fast and soon after her arrival in Canada Mary became Mrs. Ward. A house was furnished and the young couple went to live on the husband's farm in Caledon Township. Ellen Morrison, the daughter of a neighbor, assisted in the housework.

Plotting the Murder.

Marriage was somewhat of a failure so far as Mr. and Mrs. Ward were concerned, and quarrels were of frequent occurrence. On April 5, 1876, Mrs. Ward prepared to visit her aunt in Toronto. Her husband interposed no objection and drove her to the railroad station at Caledon and when he got there he told his wife that she had better wait for a week and he would then accompany her. He was strangely persistent and at last his wife yielded and went back to the house. Then he requested her to send the Morrison girl away.

The night was a stormy one and the wind howled dismally about the house. What happened there, according to the theory of Government Detective Murray, who worked up the case, backed by the opinions of many experts, is that Ward, while his wife was sleeping, secured a butcher knife and stabbed her to death. Then with the skill of a practised butcher he carved the bleeding form into numberless pieces. The bones were disjointed much in the same manner as the head of the house carves a Christmas turkey.

Burned the Body.

Then, with the mutilated fragments of what had been his wife, the fiend calmly proceeded with his horrible work. From the cellar he brought up several jars of tallow and started a roaring fire in the stove. The heat of the fire was so intense that the bottom of the stove was burned out and the blazing tallow spread over the pine floor. Soon the whole house was in flames.

With the cunning of a madman, Ward seized a burning ember and secured his breast and neck. Then, when nothing could save his home, he rushed to his father's house and spread the alarm. When asked about his wife he said that he was awakened by the heat of the fire. He called for his wife, but received no reply. Then he ran out of the house, not without being badly burnt.

A Tell-Tale Clue.

The neighbors suspected that something was wrong and at once telegraphed the authorities at Toronto. Detective John Murray was detailed on the case and he arrived at the house while the timbers were yet on fire. He saw Ward in bed at his mother's house and questioned him closely. The detective noticed that, while the man was rather severely burned about the neck, his hair was not even singed and he bore no marks of having fought a battle with fire.

After the fire had burned itself out the timbers were pulled away. A piece of the seventh vertebræ and the fragment of an ankle bone were all that was left of Mrs. Ward. In the ruins of the house was found a piece of bedticking and some feathers saturated with blood, that apparently had not been touched by the fire. A butcher knife, the point bent as if it had been used much, was found under the spot where the bed had stood. So fierce had the fire been that the stove had been burned.

Human Blood Extracted From the Iron.

Detective Murray then commenced to fix together a chain of expert testimony on which Ward was finally convicted of murder. Prof. Croft analyzed the iron of the butcher knife and the feathers. His evidence was that human blood was present in large quantities. From the position in which the knife was found it was surmised that Mrs. Ward had been killed while in bed.

Before Judge Moss the case was tried at Brampton in the spring of 1876.

John Hillyard Cameron defended Ward. The late Judge Kenneth MacKenzie and D'Arcy Boulton acted for the crown and were ably assisted by the researches of Detective Murray. The defence pleaded insanity and called not less than a dozen doctors, including Dr. Workman, who said that Ward was of unsound mind. The crown, however, had a preponderance of the medical testimony, and among others Dr. Dixon of Rockwood Asylum testified that the prisoner was perfectly sane and responsible for his acts.

The trial dragged along tediously and Ward was found guilty and sentenced to die on the gallows on the first Friday in June. Many petitions were sent to the Government asking for clemency and the sentence was commuted to imprisonment for life.

He Died a Maniac.

Six months after his sentence he showed pronounced signs of insanity and was sent to the Criminal Asylum at Rockwood. Five years later he died in the asylum.

The doctors had had many a wordy war over the question of Ward's sanity, and to settle it Dr. Macdonald of New York, an expert in brain diseases, and another expert from Ann Arbor College made an examination of his brain and decided that it was diseased.

It is an interesting fact that a son of John Hillyard Cameron, the defender of Ward, assisted Mr. B. B. Osler in preparing the case for the crown against MacWherrell and Walker.

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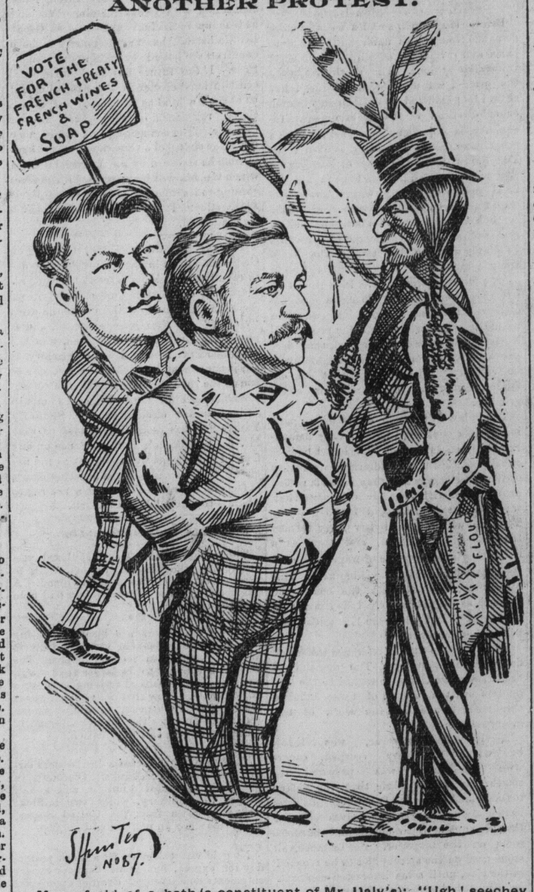
ANOTHER PROTEST.



Man-afraid-of-a-bath (a constituent of Mr. Daly's): "Ugh! seechey treaty. Wine all right. Soap no good. Too much soap now. You jump on treaty with two big moccasin feet or no get Sioux boys' vote. Waugh!"

DEFAULTER BAIN IS BACK.

DETECTIVE ROGERS RETURNS WITH HIS PRISONER.

He Had No Money Left and Returned Without Waiting the Formality of Extradition—Was En Route to the West Indies When Captured—Much Sympathy for the Accused.

Government Detective Rogers arrived home last evening from San Juan, Porto Rico, with J. C. Bain, the G.T.R. clerk who recently absconded with $1400 and $500 worth of tickets belonging to the railway company, and $800 which he obtained from Broker Webster of King and Yonge-streets.

When arrested Bain was en route to Kingston, Jamaica, where he intended to secure employment. He was traveling under the name of James C. Baker, and claimed to be traveling for the Grand Trunk Railway Company opening up business, it being the intention of his road, he claimed, to extend their business to the Spanish provinces. As a result he was cordially received and feted en route. When arrested he had $300, but managed to convey this to his wife, who returned to the city some weeks ago.

Detective Rogers left for Porto Rico on Feb. 22. He proceeded to Tampa, Florida, where he took a Plant Line steamer to Havana and was fortunate in arriving within four hours of the departure of a Spanish steamer for Porto Rico. These steamers only sail twice a month, on the 10th and 30th. After securing his passport, without which no person is allowed to leave the Island of Cuba, he boarded the mail steamer Montevideo and arrived in Porto Rico four days later. The only English-speaking person on board was Chief Engineer Duncan McKinley, and this stalwart Scot made things pleasant for the officer. On reaching San Juan on Sunday, March 4, Rogers secured an interpreter, and visited Bain, who was incarcerated in the House of Correction, and who agreed to return without extradition. British Consul Latimer was interviewed, and asked to assist in having Bain delivered up as speedily as possible, as the young man was ill, and the prospects were that if he was kept confined in the filthy place much longer he might die of fever or smallpox. After several communications had passed between the consul and the Governor-General Bain was handed over to the detective. Although the proceedings were irregular, the demand for Bain's extradition not having arrived from Ottawa, the Governor consented that Bain should be allowed to go to the hotel pending the arrival of a ship, Bain having sent a communication, at Rogers' request, to the Government relinquishing any rights he might have under the treaty and desiring to return voluntarily.

British Consul Latimer's assistance to the officer was invaluable. He also showed great kindness to Bain during his incarceration, sending him meals from the hotel, etc. United States Consul Hall and Vice-Consul Hayden also placed their services at the disposal of Mr. Rogers and accorded him princely treatment. Mr. James Bennett, a commercial traveler from New York, likewise made himself useful.

Bain was lodged at Headquarters and will be arraigned this morning, when he will plead guilty.

A POINTER—Never buy a suit or overcoat, or anything in the clothing line, without getting the Army and Navy's prices. This ought to be in every man's note book; it will save many dollars during the year.

Arlington Hotel.

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TEN KILLED, THIRTY INJURED

BY AN EXPLOSION OF SUBMERGED DYNAMITE.

The Wreck of Last November Was Being Examined by Divers When the Explosion Occurred—A Boat Load of Men Were Blown Out of the Water—No Known Cause of the Disaster.

MADRID, March 21.—A despatch from Santander this evening says that 10 men were killed and 30 injured by an explosion of dynamite in the harbor to-day. The dynamite was in one of the many cases of explosives which went down last November with the wreck of the steamer Cabo Machichaco. Ever since the steamer was blown to pieces divers have worked intermittently upon the wreck and have raised a considerable quantity of the miscellaneous cargo which she brought to Santander.

Recently the divers reported that they were getting near the dynamite, but it was supposed that the explosive had lost its power after so many weeks in the water. Three divers were down to-day, when the explosion caught. Ten men were out in a boat over the spot where the divers were at work. Some 50 men were at work at the dock.

The cause of the explosion of dynamite is not known exactly. The report shook the Mendez Nunez-street, which skirts the quay along its whole length. The small boat just off the dock was splintered and seven men were killed. Three divers also were killed and 30 men along the quay were injured seriously.

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Perhaps no part of the costume of men commands the eye so quickly as the scarf. Property of a color different from the clothing, the contrast at once attracts attention. Quinn's mill is now in full blast grinding out goods which for exclusiveness of style and pattern are ahead of anything in this fair Dominion. His new "Buckingham" is the most graceful and pleasing neck gem that has been shown for many a day. Get one for Easter.

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See Sir James Roife's Nerve Life.

DEATHS.

SNIDER—On Monday, March 19th, at her late residence, in Clifton, Cincinnati, Ohio, Susan M., the beloved wife of T. A. Snider.

Funeral at 11 o'clock Friday morning, 23rd March, from the residence of J. E. Snider, 48 Carlton-street, to Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

SMITH—At 110 Queen-street west, on March 20th, William Smith, son of James Smith, in his 46th year.

Funeral from above address Thursday, March 22nd, at 3 p.m.

HOBBS—Tuesday, March 20, at Heath-street, Deer Park, James Hobbs in his 76th year.

Funeral Friday, the 23rd inst., at 3 p.m.

CLARK—On Wednesday, March 21, 1894, at her late residence, 667 Spadina-avenue, Grace Helen, beloved wife of J. M. Clark.

Funeral on Thursday, 22nd, at 3.30 p.m. to Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

RAWCLIFFE—March 21, 1894, at the residence of Mrs. Humphries, 269 Berkeley-street, Mrs. Rose Ann Rawcliffe, aged 65 years.

Funeral from the house, 3 p.m., March 22.

Monumental.

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W. C. BEDDOME IN CUSTODY.

A WELL-KNOWN CITIZEN CHARGED WITH LARCENY.

The Warrant Sworn Out by Mr. Arthur Harvey, President of the Toronto Land & Loan Co., of Which the Accused Was Secretary—Accused of Having Appropriated $800.

Mr. W. C. Beddome, secretary of the Toronto Land & Loan Co., secretary-treasurer of the Albany Club and secretary of the Collegiate Institute Board, was arrested at his residence, 46 Macdonell-avenue, at 10.15 last night on a warrant charging him with the larceny of $800 from the Toronto Land & Loan Company. The information was lodged by the president, Mr. Arthur Harvey, who declined last evening to give the facts to the press.

The arrest was made by Inspector Armstrong and Detective Verney.

Mr. Beddome, who feels his position very keenly, made no remark on being shown the warrant, but subsequently said that he had been at work all day and had no intimation that proceedings were to be taken. For the past two days, he said, his brother from London had been in the city endeavoring to obtain a settlement of the matter, and this harsh measure was the last thing he expected. An arrangement, he thought, would probably be made this morning.

The prisoner was lodged in No. 6 station. A camp bed was provided by his son, and everything possible was done by his family to enable him to spend a comfortable night.

Mr. Beddome has a host of friends in the city who will be surprised at the announcement of his arrest.

Mr. Stair Dick Lander, house secretary of the Albany Club, when told of the arrest last night by The World, said he did not think it possible that Mr. Beddome had knowingly misappropriated funds, and was confident the affair would take on a different complexion when Mr. Beddome had an opportunity of explaining matters this morning.

Other friends of Mr. Beddome expressed similar views.

SUPPOSED TO BE IN CANADA.

Smith's Employers Intimate That His Business Methods Were Peculiar.

GOSHEN, Ind., March 21.—Mr. W. C. Smith, who resigned the superintendency of the Ariel Bicycle Works the other day, has left the city and it is supposed is in Toronto, Canada. A cursory investigation by the directors shows, it is said, that many shipments of machines have been made by Mr. Smith's direction which have not appeared

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It's Time to Call a Halt.

Before the council accedes to any more demands from trades unionism it ought to pause and review the consequences of what it has already done. The World has taken the ground all along that no inequality should be permitted to exist in any branch or sub-division of the Government. Inequality is objectionable, whether from a religious or from a mercenary point of view. The bylaw fixing the pay of laborers on city work at 15 cents an hour is an artificial means of forcing wages above the level that prevails in the commercial world. A bylaw like this does not affect the profits of the contractor, because he simply adds to his tender the extra amount that the bylaw compels him to charge for any given work. It is the taxpayers who have to pay the extra cost occasioned by the bylaw. The question naturally arises, why should the people collectively pay more for their work than they pay when such work is done for themselves individually? The system cannot be defended either on commercial or moral grounds.

The bylaw as to union wages being paid in all civic contracts has already demonstrated itself as farcical. The street paviors one day discussed this admirable evolution of the labor genius and they found it rested pretty much with themselves to say what wages they should demand for their work. To come within the bylaw they formed themselves into a union, and then as a union they made a scale of wages 50 or 75 per cent. higher than prevailing rates. This bylaw, too, does not affect the contractor as much as the ratepayer. It is the citizen whose taxes last year were 17½ mills that has to pay the piper.

Then we have the interference the other day with the inspectors. The demand of the Bricklayers Union in regard to the reduction in the wages of these officials threatened to undo all the work of the salary reducers.

A loophole, however, was found by which the city escaped, otherwise the union was prepared to smash the whole fabric that the salary reducers had erected. Other demands have been made by the representatives of labor that are equally objectionable and burdensome on the taxpayer. For instance, all stone used on the streets had to be crushed in the city, until some interested contractor got this legislation changed, allowing the stones to be crushed outside the city provided the work was done by married men, citizens of Toronto. That is, a contractor will be allowed to break his stones at a quarry 20 miles from here provided he take Toronto married men out to the quarry to do the work.

Where is all of this going to end? As Ald. Sheppard said the other day, we might as well allow the labor people to run the city altogether. The restrictions that are being placed on the labor market in Toronto are causing a great deal of injury to the city. Montreal, with its cheap labor, is stealing away our manufactories. Toronto's boot and shoe factories are going to the Province of Quebec as fast as they can decently pull up their stakes and leave the city.

The World is antagonistic in no way to trades unionism. On the contrary, we believe workmen are fully justified in banding together in every lawful way and asserting their rights as forcibly as they can. But they are not justified in using the city of Toronto as a weapon to fight their battles. They are not justified in forcing the citizens of Toronto to pay inflated wages in the construction of their public works. They are not justified in making the city of Toronto stand at the outposts and fight the battles of trades unionism.

The whole of this trouble is to be traced to a violation of the principle of equal rights in our municipal government. We have loaded up our bylaws with class legislation. We are straying away from a principle that is at the bottom of all good government. We exempt some citizens from paying any income tax at all. We allow the churches to escape all taxation and tax the poor man on his humble cottage. There is only one solution of the difficulty, and that is to preserve an absolute equality among all classes of citizens. Let there be no class legislation, no exemptions, but equal rights down to the very letter.

The Cattle Trade.

Mr. Mulock, while making complaint of the ocean steamship owners, can also defend the farmers of this province, who breed nearly all the bullocks sent to Great Britain from Montreal, against the middlemen, who are even more rapacious than the vesselmen. The drovers who act for the exporters tell the farmers that, owing to the English Government having scheduled Canadian cattle, or in other words because the cattle have to be killed at the port of arrival, they can only give so-and-so, and they greatly exaggerate the loss to the shipper. No doubt if the cattle were allowed to go inland there would be some slight difference in favor of the Canadian exporter, but it is not the question of what the middlemen make it out to be in their effort to grind down "the poor farmer." The World has been told by those concerned in the trade that the middlemen prefer things as they are. They make more money, they admit, by pleading the schedule as an excuse for low prices than they lose by it at the English end of the journey. Mr. Mulock had better investigate this evil while he is about it.

No Need of a Plebiscit.

Mr. Cockburn, M.P., assumes the proper attitude in refusing to present a petition to the House of Commons asking for a plebiscit to determine whether Canadians are in favor of annexation with the United States, Independence or their present condition. After several years of dust-throwing by Liberal leaders and dissatisfied politicians of other schools the air has become clear and we find ourselves treading on solid ground. Canada knows exactly where she stands to-day. She has a distinct and definite idea of her future. No such doubt exists as to justify a vote on the question. Canada is a nation, with national aspirations. Canada has to all intents and purposes an automatic government of its own. Canada enjoys an existence quite independent of the United States, and she intends to develop this northern half of the continent by herself and in her own way. It has been insinuated that we sacrifice national prestige by hanging on to the apron strings of the Mother Country. That idea is a mere figure of speech, we must not be led astray by a mere rhetorical phrase. Canada sacrifices no self-respect through her connection with Great Britain. We have as true an individual existence as Great Britain herself, but at the same time both countries are bound by reciprocal obligations. If the future has any fundamental constitutional change in store for us it will be of such a kind as will bring us into a closer relationship with the Mother Country. The connecting link which now takes the shape of a Governor-General may in time be replaced by an Imperial diet in which Canada will have representation according to its influence in the great Imperial aggregation. It is time the dust raisers were silenced.

There is something peculiarly grating on Grit sensibilities in any avoidable reference to royalty. Mr. Mills taxes the boasted resources of a well-stored memory to trip up Sir John Thompson on the use of the word "viceroy" in the Queen's Speech, and is proved by the astute statesman from the Maritime Provinces to have no memory at all, inasmuch as Mr. Mills had himself, as one of the then cabinet, placed the objectionable word in Lord Dufferin's mouth under similar circumstances. Similarly Vanity Fair has recently reminded us that Mr. Edward Blake's first utterance on any floor of Parliament was to object to the use of the Queen's name in the enacting clause of Ontario statutes. Verily as a red rag to a bull is the Union Jack to a Grit.

FINANCE AND TRADE.

The feature on the Montreal Board yesterday was the advance in Gas owing to the declaration of the usual dividend. The number of Toronto orders to buy had been received there.

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Local grain dealers are busy estimating the amount of wheat in store in Ontario and the quantity in farmers' hands. The amount is thought to be larger than usual, but there is no means of arriving even at a fair estimate. Now that deliveries of wheat are stopped by farmers, it would be an opportune time for the Ontario Bureau of Statistics to give this information.

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There is a slight increase in the note circulation of Canadian banks. Discounts to the public increased a million and a half dollars in February, while two millions were withdrawn from the United States. Call loans show an increase of $750,000.

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No gold was taken at New York yesterday for export, but some bankers expect shipments on Saturday. Bearing upon this, and causing considerable discussion as to the outcome, are the advices from Europe which state that a new Russian 4 per cent. loan was about to be offered in the continental markets. The owners of the Great Russian Railway Company have accepted the offer of the Government to convert their shares into bonds, and the operation will be in reality a foreign loan of 113,000,000 roubles. The Rothschilds syndicate is offering in Germany, Belgium, Holland and Switzerland subscription for 40,000,000 Austrian gold rentes, issued in connection with the specie resumption plan.

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Now that the new duty is an accomplished fact in France, says a Paris correspondent, the question arises, are we to expect a decline in values owing to the heavy importations and the heavy stocks which are said to be held abroad? As regards the importations, these do not seem to be in excess of our requirements to the end of the season. In fact, there is even doubt of their being sufficiently heavy to meet those requirements. There is no reason why they should depress the market, for those importers who took the opportunity with a view of benefiting themselves by importing their wheat before the passing of the new duty will surely not now quietly submit to lower prices and sell at a loss.

Poisoning From Canned Goods.

Editor World: I consider the suggestion of S.M.P. in your columns of this morning very proper and timely, i.e., that all Canadian canners of goods of any kind be compelled by law to date in some manner time of canning. It might be necessary to make it a matter for a special office and staff run in some such manner as the excise business is conducted, in order to avoid or prevent the possibility of re-labelling old stock as the season's passed, but could some feasible scheme be worked up and all canners be made to live up to it it would certainly be a great improvement. It might be the means of making some of the factories regulate their output more in keeping with their sales, but at same time I believe it would in a short time increase the demand for canned goods very largely, as the public knowing what they were getting would buy more freely. Looking at the question from another point, since there are food inspectors covering nearly all other articles of food, why should the public be subjected to the risk of poisoning in family lots by a five cent can of overdue peas often forced upon them by the modern drygoods merchant?

DAILY READER.

Mr. Cockburn Cannot Present Disloyal Petitions.

Editor World: I have been requested by the secretaries of the Plumbers', Steam and Gas Fitters' Association, of the Journeymen Tailors' Union No. 132, of the Varnishers' and Polishers' Union No. 19 to present to the House of Commons their petitions to submit to popular vote the following questions: The maintenance of our present colonial status, imperial federation, Canadian independence, political union with the United States. To prevent misunderstanding I beg to say that I regard the presentation of such petitions as inconsistent with the oath of allegiance taken by every member of Parliament, and that I must refuse to present them.

GEORGE R. R. COCKBURN.

House of Commons, March 20, 1894.

Who said hard times? Dollars are doughnuts at the Army and Navy stores. Their bargain battery is being worked with terrific force on the citadel of high prices just now.

Mr. Noxon and Binder Twine.

Editor World: You report Mr. Noxon as saying "mixed sisal twine went 450 feet to the pound, pure manilla 640." Either you or Mr. Noxon make an error. The proportions are 540 to 600. There are other inaccuracies credited to Mr. Noxon in the report, of which more anon. C. G. F.

You won't want a magnifying glass to see why it always pays (when buying your Spring Overcoat or Spring Suit) to go to the Army and Navy stores.

California and Mexico.

The Wabash Railway has now on sale winter tourist tickets at the lowest rates ever made to Old Mexico and California. These tourist rates are available for the great winter fair at San Francisco. The banner route is the great Trunk Line that passes through six states of the Union and has the most superb and magnificent trains in America.

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Prices on Spring Overcoats and Suits have struck bottom at the Army and Navy stores. All prices, from $2.99 to $12.50. See them.

ONLY A SCHEME TO DAZZLE.

PRIVATE BILLS COMMITTEE AND THE CANAL SCHEME.

Mr. Gibson Has Doubts Whether the Legislature Can Pass Such a Bill As the One Proposed—Is It a Plan of Adventurers to Get a Charter to See Whether Something Can Be Done With It?

The bill to incorporate the Toronto Aqueduct Co. came up before the Private Bills Committee yesterday morning. Messrs. Ryan, Hughes Ballantyne, E. A. Macdonald and other promoters were present, and Mayor Kennedy, Ald. Shaw, ex-Ald. Leslie, Ald. Lamb, Hewitt and Atkinson and Solicitor Caswell represented the city.

Hon. Mr. Gibson began the proceedings by remarking: I have very serious doubts as to whether this Legislature ought to entertain a bill to construct a canal between Georgian Bay and Lake Ontario. It seems to me that this is a matter for the Dominion Parliament to treat.

Mr. E. F. Clarke: I do not think there is any serious intention to build such a canal.

Hon. Mr. Gibson: Sec. 24 reads like it anyway.

Mr. Ballantyne: That seems to be the only section in the way, and we are willing to abandon it. The clauses of the bill are largely taken from the Ship Railway Act.

Mr. Davis: The interests of York County ought to be represented here.

Hon. Mr. Gibson: Has the City of Toronto any definite position to take with reference to this bill?

Mr. Caswell: The Executive Committee will state their views after the promoters are heard.

One of the Promoter's Views.

Mr. J. A. Proctor said that in an act passed in 1874 this Legislature recognized its right to deal with such matters and aid the Lake Ontario and Georgian Bay Canal, giving greater powers than were now asked for. Power to obtain bonuses was then granted. In 1856 it was, and after Confederation this Legislature admitted that this was a great undertaking in which the whole Dominion was deeply interested.

Hon. Mr. Gibson: Sections of the bill deal with the carrying trade and breaking bulk, and that certainly sounds like trade and commerce in the broadest sense of the term.

Mr. Proctor: I cannot understand the objection to a canal to serve the same purpose as a railway.

Hon. Mr. Gibson: Is this a ship canal or an aqueduct?

Mr. Proctor: It is both. The Legislature ought not to stand in the way. Every great public undertaking is opposed. We only ask for power to make fair and reasonable arrangements with municipalities. The county of York and all the municipalities along the route are anxious to see this bill passed.

Mr. Clarke: The city should be protected against all danger of having the streets torn up, poles erected and wires strung without its consent.

Mr. Proctor: We will agree to that.

Hon. Mr. Gibson: Mr. Clarke, are you in favor of the bill?

Only Held Up to Dazzle the People.

Mr. Clarke: I have not the slightest objection to the canal, but I desire that this company shall not be in a position to compel the city to make a contract with them, or to tear up the streets without the council's consent. Powers with regard to light, heating, etc., should be very carefully guarded. But I see no obligation to build a canal. This canal scheme has only been held up to dazzle the people. I think that an aqueduct for power purposes is all they are after, and to generate electricity for light, heating, etc. And to this I have not the slightest objection, if the citizens of Toronto are properly protected. The rights given some years ago to the city in connection with the waterworks ought not to be endangered.

Mr. Proctor: On behalf of the promoters I may say we do not care whether arrangements with the company are submitted to the people or merely to the City Council.

Mr. Clarke: If these gentlemen can demonstrate that by the expenditure of $5,000,000 or $10,000,000 they can supply light, heat and power at one fourth of the cost now paid, the Legislature and the city should not hesitate to grant them at least powers equal to those possessed by present companies.

Is It Bona-Fide?

Hon. Mr. Gibson: One of the main things to be satisfied about is whether this is a bona-fide scheme or a plan of adventurers to get a charter to see whether something can be done with it. There are good names on the bill, of course, but all the same I do not feel very seriously impressed with anything like an intention on the part of the promoters to do aught except use the charter to make a profit, though perhaps that is the way most charters are used. Still I do not want the Legislature to be made a fool of and pass an act simply because it is asked to do so.

Mr. Clarke: I have never seen a scheme pressed with so much energy and persistency and there must be something behind it. I do not consider that the Legislature would do anything wrong in giving a charter with the limitations I have mentioned. And if they can induce people to invest no harm will be done.

Mr. Sol White: I am not here to oppose the bill, but the first thing to be settled is—have we jurisdiction?

Mr. Gibson: I wish to hear from the Mayor or some representative the exact attitude of the council to this bill.

Mr. White: Power is asked to make the terminus within 20 miles of the city, which consequently might not be effected at all.

The Bill Too Indefinite.

Mr. Caswell: If evidence of a genuine intention to build a canal is produced before the committee the city of Toronto would help instead of opposing. But throughout the bill speaks of a canal or a power aqueduct, or either of them. It is very indefinite and does not even provide for a canal from Georgian Bay to Lake Ontario being constructed. But the company can stop at any intermediate point. They can go 10 or 20 miles from the city, construct a power aqueduct, do nothing more; and yet keep the charter in existence.

Mr. Proctor: The company will then forfeit its charter.

Mr. Caswell: I do not think the provision is strong enough. The old Ontario ship canal in 1856 laid out a line and prepared a map. Everyone could see where it would go. If a line was located and power to take water from 2000 yards on either side of the canal, that would be all right. We have power to take its water supply from the territory within 30 miles north of the city. But we cannot pre-empt all the territory north of us within that distance, and we do not think that these people can do so.

Mr. Gibson: We ought to have a plan.

Mr. Ballantyne: Here is a plan. It is the old survey by Mr. Tully. [Some laughter.]

Mr. Clarke: Do you adopt that plan?

Mr. Ballantyne: Not necessarily; but it shows the levels of the country.

Mr. Gibson: Are you willing to take a definite route?

Mr. Ballantyne: We have adopted route No. 4. But we do not know that we will adopt it all through.

Mr. Clarke: The promoters have made no survey.

Mr. Ballantyne: We thought it unnecessary.

Mr. Caswell: What could be done 30 years ago may not be feasible to-day. [Laughter among the promoters.] Take a line and power from definite distances and to this we cannot object, but to pre-empting all the water north of Lake Ontario we do object.

Mr. Gibson: How do you propose to be satisfied about their bona fides?

Mr. Caswell: We will take the judgment of the committee on this point. This scheme has changed its face so many times in so many months that there ought to be evidence of genuine intention to construct the canal.

Have the City's Rights Protected.

Ald. Shaw, as chairman of the Executive Committee, explained the city's position. They opposed neither the canal nor the aqueduct scheme, so long as the city's rights were protected. He and many others considered the canal all moonshine, and the persistency mentioned was, in his opinion, due to the fact that there was nothing behind the project. Would the promoters make the power aqueduct conditional on the construction of the canal?

Mr. Ryan: We will agree to that.

Ald. Shaw: But E. A. Macdonald shakes his head. The company should be able to do nothing in the city without our consent.

Mr. Stephenson, as a representative of York County, supported the bill and objected to the city standing in the way with exceptions as to bona fides.

Hon. Mr. Gibson: How far are the promoters able or willing to go in the way of satisfying the committee that they mean business?

Mr. Gilmour: That is hardly fair. The men behind it ought to be sufficient.

Mr. Gibson: I want something said as to when operations are to be begun.

Mr. Stephenson: That is provided for.

Mr. W. D. Gregory, as representing the Ontario Ship Railway Company, opposed the bill. Incorporated in 1892, that company had five years within which to begin work. And this new company had its bonds already on the London market.

Absolutely False, Says Mr. Ryan.

A voice: That shows they mean business.

Mr. Ryan: That statement is absolutely untrue. It has neither been done nor contemplated. The story is absolutely false. My friend has been misinformed.

Mr. Gregory: I assert that their bonds are now on the London market, as a matter of fact. But I am not at liberty to mention names.

Mr. Hughes: We will meet the council and have a conference.

Aldermen: No! No!

Mayor Kennedy went at some length into the history of the scheme, going back over 30 years. He regretted extremely that the bill did not compel the company to build a canal.

Mr. Gibson: But would not power be important?

Mayor Kennedy: It might or might not be. We will not step over the boundaries of ordinary privileges for a mere aqueduct. We are not here to oppose, but to see that the interests of the citizens are protected.

Further consideration of the bill was deferred until next Thursday.

A $40,000 BALM FOR LOVE.

Quick Time Made By a Jury in a Breach of Promise Trial.

NEW YORK, March 21.—It took a jury only a quarter of an hour yesterday to give a verdict of $40,000, doubling the damages which Esther Jacobs once recovered in her suit for breach of promise against Henry B. Sire, on the third trial. The defendant was absent, but the case, which has been pending four years, was ordered to proceed. The jury gave its verdict just 14 minutes after the close of the judge's charge, summing up the testimony mainly given by the plaintiff.

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KEYSTONE, S.D., March 21.—The richest gold ore ever found in the Black Hills was struck yesterday on the 400-foot level of the Keystone mine at this place. Some of the ore is fully one-half gold. This mine is comparatively a new one, having been opened only a year ago.

Children Don't Cry

for it, but it is never used by a judge of Tobacco without the remark being made that Students' Mixture Tobacco is the best smoking in the market. Try it for yourself.

Another Bomb In New York.

NEW YORK, March 21.—An iron bomb, four inches long, was found at 10 o'clock last night in a car of an elevated train at Fifty-Third-street and Eighth-avenue by one of the train men. The bomb was turned over to the bureau of combustibles for examination.

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Personal.

Mr. John Lineham, M.L.A., of Calgary, arrived in this city yesterday. The worthy member has been spending a few weeks in this his native province and will shortly leave, much richer than when he came, for he takes home with him as wife Miss Minnie Martin, one of the belles of Collingwood. The happy couple were made one yesterday and are staying for a few days at the Walker House.

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POOL ROOM CASES.

The Charges Against Mr. Orpen Taken Up in the Sessions.

Yesterday afternoon in the sessions the case against A. M. Orpen, charged with keeping a betting house, was taken up, Messrs. Murdoch and Saunders appearing for the defence. Mr. Murdoch asked for a postponement of the trial, but as Judge McDougall did not consider that there were sufficient reasons for postponing it the application was refused.

Most of the afternoon was taken up in reading the old evidence, after which documents were put in evidence by the defence showing that Mr. Orpen was regularly commissioned to take bets on the races and that he only took such bets on commission. There was very little new evidence when the court adjourned at 8 o'clock last night.

This morning at 11.30 Mr. Murdoch will address the jury on behalf of Mr. Orpen.

Killed at the Pump House.

Daniel Livingstone of the firm of Livingstone & Wright, contractors, was accidentally killed at the pumping station of the City Waterworks yesterday. Mr. Livingstone was in charge of men who were repairing the brick work around the engines at the pumping house. While the men were lifting a heavy plate he stepped on the brick arch over a flue to give them a hand. The arch gave way and Livingstone fell into the flue, and the heavy plate slid out of their hands and settled across the breast of the prostrate man.

He was speedily rescued, but only lived a few minutes.

Deceased came to Canada from Glasgow in 1848 and resided at 321 Sherbourne-street. He was a member of Granite Lodge, A.O.U.W., and also a member of Old St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church.

A widow and three sons survive him.

Sunday Observance.

[Hamilton Herald.]

The members of the Presbytery of Hamilton have been discussing the question of Sunday observance, and simultaneously with this news comes word from Ottawa that John Charlton, M.P., has introduced the annual measure for the better observance of the Lord's Day. Mr. Charlton is not noted for his liberality of views, but he would hardly be likely to go as far as some of the local clergymen, who expressed the opinion that Sunday marriages should be stopped as well as Sunday funerals and society sermons. This is drawing a rather tight line on the Sunday question, but to be consistent the clergymen should go further still.

What is the moral difference between solemnizing a marriage on Sunday, reading the burial service for the dead, preaching a society sermon and preaching an ordinary sermon? Surely if one is wrong all are wrong, but the inconsistency of those who seek to handicap Sunday with blue laws never seems to occur to them. What is the moral difference between the milkman who sells his milk on Sunday, the preacher who sells his sermon to his congregation, or the gifted soprano who sells the sweet notes she pours out so melodiously from her place in the choir?

If we are to have absurd restrictions cast about Sunday so that people may be prevented from enjoying their one day of rest in the week in a rational manner, by all means let us carry them out to their logical conclusion. Pass laws preventing trains and steamboats from running, preachers from preaching, singers from singing, men, women and children from eating, drinking, laughing, talking, walking or breathing. Stop the sun shining, stop the bird songs, stop the flow of brooks, drape the heavens and the earth with black and turn back the hand on the clock of the centuries to the rude days of human ignorance and human bigotry.

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Board of Trade Notes.

At the meeting of the Council of the Board of Trade yesterday there was a good deal of discussion on legislative matters. Mr. Waters' bill regarding personalty taxation was indorsed.

The resolution approved of by the Manufacturers' Committee protesting against the passage of the Factory Bill was concurred in.

The report of Mr. D. E. Thomson re insolvency, to the effect that the Toronto Committee co-operate with Montreal Committee for the assignment of book debts of insolvents, was approved.

Mr. Wilkie reported that the committee re Chamber of Arbitration, had called upon the Legislature and had been graciously received by Sir Oliver Mowat.

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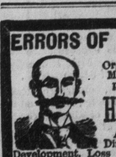

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IS GOLDEN GATE A RINGER?

A Mysterious Horse Backed From 20 to 1 Down to 7 to 1 Wins at St. Louis, But the Judges Will Investigate.

ST. LOUIS, March 21.—Well-played second choices landed four of to-day's races, the other two went to a favorite and an outsider.

In the third race a horse called Golden Gate, backed from 20 to 1 to 7 to 1 won. The owners of placed horses lodged a complaint with the judges, protesting that Golden Gate was a ringer. An investigation was ordered and all bets on the race stand until their decision is made known. Results:

First race, 4 1-2 furlongs—Allopathy, 104 (7-5), J. Smith, 1; Bayard, 115 (12-1), W. Hewston, 2; Fanny D., 102 (6-1), Singleton, 3. Time 59 secs.

Second race, 5-8 mile, selling—Roy, 115 (2-1), Arnold, 1; Manola, 94 (8-5), E. Berger, 2; Republic, 115 (7-1), Mooney, 3. Time 1.05 3-4.

Third race, 1 mile—Golden Gate, 105 (8-1), Hoyt, 1; Granite, 105 (2-1), J. Jackson, 2; Mackey, 105 (8-1), A. McDonald, 3. Time 1.50 1-2.

Fourth race, 5 1-2 furlongs—Miss Kitty, 125 (3-1), Curl, 1; John Dunn, 114 (3-1), Kingsburn, 2; Knickerbocker, 135 (2-1), Gorman, 3. Time 1.14.

Fifth race, 3-4 mile—Collector, 105 (2-1), J. Smith, 1; Bonnie B., 105 (15-1), Ross, 2; John Berkeley, 105 (2-1), Pierce, 3. Time 1.20 1-2.

Sixth race, 3-4 mile, selling—Yosemite, 99 (4-1), W. Flynn, 1; Ballardine, 97 (3-1), Moseby, 2; Izell, 104 (10-1), Arnold, 3. Time 1.20 1-4.

The Bookies Had the Worst of It.

NEW ORLEANS, March 21.—The bookies had the worst of to-day's struggle with the talent, three favorites and two second choices doing the trick. Results:

First race, ⅞ mile, selling—Miami, 103 (4-1), Fisher, 1; Bobby Beach, 114 (7-1), Rowe, 2; MerryEyes, 99 (2-1), H. Williams, 3. Time 1.09.

Second race, ⅞ mile, selling—Looking Backward, 108 (7-10), Juison, 1; Maud, 103 (3-2), Cassin, 2; Mildale, 108 (12-1), Fisher, 3. Time 1.08¼.

Third race, ⅞ mile, selling—Beverley, 114 (4-5), Barrett, 1; Tramp, 117 (8-5), McCafferty, 2; Footrunner, 98 (12-1), H. Williams, 3. Time 1.07¼.

Fourth race, ⅞ mile handicap—Beatifice, 102 (3-5), Cassin, 1; Tenny Jr., 110 (12-1), Jusion, 2; Boro, 104 (4-1), Fisher, 3. Time 1.30¼.

Fifth race, ⅞ mile, selling—Carmen, 106 (3-1), Cassin, 1; Belle of Springfield, 103 (8-1), Gardner, 2; Billy Hartigan, 97 (40-1), Sanford, 3. Time 1.39.

The Card for To-day.

NEW ORLEANS, March 21.—First race, ⅞ mile, maidens—Rondeau, Rabbit, Subjunctive 94 each, Detrow, Lewin, D. J. O'C., Palmetto Boy 99 each, Gull 108, Sheridan Clark, Little Dutchman 110 each.

Second race, 1-2 mile, 2-year-olds—Nellie H., Revonah, Annie Cook, Eleanor, Attilla 107 each, Burgundy, Chenos 110 each.

Third race, 5-8 mile, handicap—Loch Leven 101, King Craft 112, Tip 103, Ludlow 110, Eau Claire 106, Queen Bird 112, Gratz Hanley 106, Satinet 108, Cass 110.

Fourth race, 6 1-2 furlongs, handicap—Boro 104, Gendarme 103, Whitenose 94, Hennirea 95, Rouser 99, Forest King 95, Wedgefield 111.

Fifth race, 3-4 mile, maidens—Freddie Mitchell 94, Excelsior, The Blackhawk, Bob Martin, Volunteer, Blacksmith 99 each, Lady Lorraine 105, Duncan Minor, Jim Boyd 113 each.

Western Racing Dates.

The following are the official dates of the various important spring and summer meetings of the Western Running Circuit. St. Paul and St. Louis are the only missing points, but both will probably follow the season at Washington Park and race on or about the same dates. This year there is no conflict in spring and summer dates, except in the case of Hawthorne Park, Chicago, that association by selecting May 19 to June 22 conflicting with both the Louisville and Latonia meetings:

Memphis, April 9 to 25; Nashville, April 27 to May 5; Lexington, May 7 to 14; Louisville, May 15 to 23; Latonia, May 24 to June 22; Washington Park, Chicago, June 23 to July 21.

Memphis then races 15 days, Nashville 8 days, Lexington 7 days, Louisville 8 days, Latonia 26 days and Washington Park, Chicago, 25 days.

Turf Topics.

Cassin, the star lightweight jockey of New Orleans, has been engaged to ride for Thomas Griffin. The latter has a wonderful race horse in George Young, who won the Cumberland prize last year.

J. E. Cushing's great 4-year-old race horse Boundless, by Harry O'Fallon, out of Endless, by Enquirer, has arrived at his future home, Fieldton, near Lexington, a completely broken-down horse.

The Hamilton Jockey Club's sale of book-making privileges for the summer trotting meeting to Messrs. Fitch & Stroud was a good stroke of business. The price paid by the firm is $3250, which will pay all the purses of any one day of the meeting.—Hamilton Times.

For the Brooklyn Handicap Ajax, Col. Ruppert's favorite, in a trial at Gravesend, pulled up a bit lame last Sunday, but happily the lameness did not last long and was probably caused by the horse being pulled up suddenly by his exercise boy. Trainer Hueston soon applied some remedies that acted beneficially. On Tuesday Ajax had a rattling good gallop with Young Arion, and sweated profusely. He afterwards rolled in the sand and did not show a particle of lameness.

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THE COLLEGE CHAMPIONSHIP.

Champion Orton Will Have Some Fast Men to Meet on May 26—He Declines to Meet Conneff and Day.

George W. Orton, America's champion long distance runner and steeplechaser, is in the city for his Easter holidays. He looks in perfect physical condition and capable of standing more training than he ever did. The weather has been gloriously fine in Philadelphia, and he has already jogged on the cinder track with his college companions for three weeks, and thinks he will be in better condition than ever before for the intercollegiate games at Berkeley Oval, New York, on May 26. He will have some hard nuts to crack, but expects to land all the long distance championships for the Quakers.

Orton will start in the 2, 3 and 5-mile events. He has been asked to go into a race there with Tommy Conneff and Willie Day, but will decline, as a victory would gain him nothing and defeat might chance to come his way.

There is some talk over in Philadelphia about Conneff retiring from the cinder path and accepting the position of official handicapper for the A.A.U.

THEIR SEVENTH ANNUAL.

The Tecumseh Lacrossists Elect Their Officers—A Presentation.

The seventh annual meeting of the Tecumseh Lacrosse Club was held in Beacon Hall last evening. There was a large attendance, and the election of officers resulted in a keen contest. A pleasant feature of the evening was the presentation to A. M. Pringle of Tecumseh tame of a handsome silver tea service as a slight token of the high esteem in which he is held by his fellow-players. The election of officers resulted as follows:

Hon. president, John Massey (acclamation); hon. vice, A. M. Pringle (acclamation); president, M. Baker; vice-president, H. Brumell; captain, F. S. Lugsdin; secretary, W. A. Irwin, 134 Mutual-street; treasurer, W. Brent; committee, to be composed of the above officers, also H. B. Clemes, A. E. Graham, F. D. Dewar; delegates to C.L.A. convention, M. Baker, H. B. Clemes, W. A. Irwin.

The boys will appear this season under new colors, but the old name.

The Game In Ottawa.

OTTAWA, March 21.—The Capital Lacrosse Club is in a flourishing condition, and every effort will be made for the retention of the championship trophy won last year. All of the old team will be on deck, and though some new blood may be infused those who have fought good fights in the past will be present with counsel and advice. Crown has recovered from the attack of typhoid which laid him up after the Shamrock match, and Lacey has quite got over the accident which he met in the same game. Devine, it is said, may be married soon. Joe Kent is said to be considering the question of taking up his stick once more.

AWAITING DIAMONDS GREEN.

Coming Stars Prepare For the Fray—Peterboro Organized.

PETERBORO, March 21.—A very enthusiastic meeting of all those interested in baseball was held last night.

The following officers were elected for the coming season: Honorary president, G. W. Hatton; president, R. B. McKee; first vice-president, C. LeBrun; second vice-president, H. R. H. Kenner; manager, J. P. Hurley; captain, A. H. Burnon; secretary, D. McCabe; executive committee, George Horkins, Robert Hay, M. Cathcart, J. Graham.

Delegates to Canadian Amateur Baseball Association which meets on Friday, C. LeBrun and A. H. Burnon.

Baseball Brevities.

The Clippers of Brantford have elected these officers: M. K. Halloran, president; J. Duncan, vice-president; C. Walkinshaw, manager; B. Asselin, treasurer; H. Bond, secretary.

There will be an amateur baseball tournament at Campbellford, Ont., on May 24, that town having offered gold and siver medals as prizes.

The season will be opened at London's newly appointed Tecumseh Park, May 14, when University of Illinois meets the Alerts.

Cobourg sends word that she will not be represented at the Good Friday meeting and perhaps there will be no team in that town this summer.

McGarry, Blaikie and Snyder are some of the local amateurs who practice regularly these days in the commodious annex building on the Exhibition grounds.

The Baseball Council will meet at 11 a.m. on Friday in the Palmer House, and the annual meeting of delegates will start at 2.30 with President Ward in the chair.

A baseball club has been formed by the London Collegiate Institute pupils with the following officers: Hon. president, C. M. Garvey; president, Mr. Corkill; vice-president, Mr. Corbett; secretary-treasurer, Harry Mackenzie; captain, Ernest Graham; managing committee, Messrs. Kirton, Nelson and McCart.

WITH THE TRAP SHOOTERS.

Open Blue Rock Matches at the Woodbine—The Holiday Program.

The H. P. Davies Co. held a series of open blue rock matches at the Woodbine yesterday afternoon, when the following scores were made:

Match 1, 10 birds—Simpson 9, Dowland 8, George 6, Bellamy 6, Wilson 6.

Match 2—Simpson 8, George 7, Bellamy 7, Wilson 6.

Match 3—George 9, Bellamy 8, Simpson 6, Dowland 6.

Match 4—George 9, Simpson 8, Bellamy 8, Wilson 7, Dowland 7.

Match 5—Bellamy 8, George 8, Simpson 7.

Oshawa Marksmen Coming.

G. H. Briggs of the Woodbine will give a shoot at his ground on Good Friday, when a number of prizes will be offered for competition in sparrow and blue rock matches.

President Campbell of the Oshawa Gun Club, having failed to connect with the St. Huberts of Ottawa, has accepted an invitation to shoot against a scratch team, captained by G. H. Briggs. About 10 members are expected, some of whom will arrive this evening. H. A. Mallory, president of the Drayton Gun Club, and several other expert shots have promised to be present. All shooting will be from five traps, rapid firing. Commencing at 10 a.m.

Sutton and Capron To-Night.

Capron, fresh from his Chicago triumph, will meet our own George Sutton at the Pavilion to-night in their championship 14-inch balk line billiard match, 500 points, for a stake of $500. The game will be played on one of May's celebrated 4½ x 9 tables. Score cards will be given to the spectators, and ladies will be admitted free. Jimmy Phelan of Hamilton will act as referee.

Jockey Billy Fitzpatrick is not going to don the pigskin this year unless the scale of weights is changed. He might, however, be seen in the saddle in some of the steeplechase events at Coney Island. Talking of the horses in his care at Saratoga he spoke highly of Joe Ripley's chances for any of the 3-year-old stakes.

FOR THE C. W. A. PRESIDENCY.

Dr. Ferry E. Doolittle of Toronto Will Likely Succeed W. A. Hunter.

Dr. P. E. Doolittle, the veteran wheelman and surgeon of the Toronto Bicycle Club, has consented to become a candidate for the presidency of the Canadian Wheelmen's Association with the prospects that he will be elected.

A. T. Lane of Montreal was spoken of as a likely candidate, but the eastern city will waive its claim to the chief office owing to the fact that it will be voted the meet.

With Toronto and Montreal united it is more than likely that these two points will be settled according to their liking.

Colored Wheelmen to Organize.

CLEVELAND, March 21.—The colored wheelmen of this city, the majority of whom are members of the Eureka Cycling Club, are making an effort to organize a league of colored riders similar to the League of American Wheelmen.

The movement was begun shortly after the L.A.W. drew the color line at its annual meeting at Louisville.

H. C. Smith, a member of the Legislature from this county, who is the editor of a newspaper published to advance African-American interests, has been enlisted in the movement. The committee is in correspondence with William Crittenden of Raleigh, N.C.; Booth Clemens of Wheeling, W. Va., and William Harrison of Washington, D.C., who are agitating the subject in their localities. The local committee expects to be able to call a national convention in June or July.

A New Club Formed In Hamilton.

HAMILTON, March 21.—A new bicycle club has been formed in the city with a membership of 30, composed of members of the various Masonic lodges. The organization will admit its members by ballot, and its objects are chiefly social, the members being mostly riders who use the wheel for health and recreation and don't cherish ambitions to break records or be scorchers. A. T. Neill is president and T. F. Dick secretary.

Bicycle Briefs.

J. G. Gauld, the popular president of the Hamilton club, will be a candidate for the vice-presidency.

At least five teams are known to be forming in the United States at the present time to go on the racing circuit the coming season.

Bald, the Buffalo butcher boy, is looked on by many bicycle racing experts as likely to prove a dark horse who will give the best of them heartaches before the season ends.

A attempt will be made to have the chairman of the C.W.A. racing board located in Toronto. This will meet with strong opposition as R. A. Robertson has made such a capable and energetic chairman that he should be re-elected.—Hamilton Spectator.

The Kingston Bicycle Club has elected the following officers: Hon. president, A. Chadwick; president, A. T. Smith; vice-president, R. J. Williams, jr.; sec.-treas., R. S. Wilson; 1st lieutenant, G. Y. Chown; 2nd lieutenant, F. J. Hoag. It was decided to apply for the Canadian Wheelmen's Association meet, and the following-named delegates were appointed to attend the meeting in Toronto on Friday: A. T. Smith, R. J. Wilson and C. N. Greaza.

The Waterloo Bicycle Club has elected officers as follows: Hon. president, G. W. Woodward; president, J. M. Scully; vice-president, George A. Bruce; 1st lieutenant, H. W. Ross; 2nd lieutenant, A. Snider; captain, A. E. Schmidt; secretary, J. S. Lockie; treasurer, A. J. Roos. Committee of Management—Messrs. Shierholtz, G. Wegenast, H. Glady, H. Snider and L. Hueglin.

KENNEL MEN MEET.

Officers of the Toronto Kennel Club Elected—Their Spring Show.

The annual meeting of the Toronto Kennel Club took place last night in the King-street rooms, President Kirk in the chair. The different reports presented were generally satisfactory and the officers were re-elected, all last season's officials being chosen, with the addition of Messrs. Macdonald and Crawford to the committee.

It was decided to hold the annual spring show in the Granite Rink, Friday and Saturday, April 13 and 14. The judges will be Messrs. J. S. Williams, George Bell and C. A. Stone, Toronto, and Richard Gibson of Delaware.

The list of premiums, including a big lot of specials, will be out next week.

Sporting Miscellany.

There will be an artificial bird shoot on the Victoria Gun Club's grounds on Wells' Hill, Good Friday, commencing at 1 o'clock.

The Huron and Gore Vale intermediate football teams will play a match on the Cricket ground Good Friday morning at 9.30.

J. N. MacMullen of Belfast, Ireland, who played full back on the Northwest Ireland champion Rugby football team of 1889, is in the city.

The annual meeting of the R.C.Y.C. Bowling Club will be held at the club house, Esplanade, this evening at 8 o'clock. Members are particularly requested to be present.

Jake Schaefer and Frank Ives played a series of games recently in the Egyptian Hall, London. The first game was 250 points up, ordinary billiards, and Ives made 250 to Schaefer's 76. In the 14-inch balk-line game, 250 points up, Schaefer won by 26 points. In a straight game in the evening, 250 points up, Ives only made 57, and in the 14-inch balk-line game that followed, 250 points up, Schaefer only made 55.

The annual meeting of the Detroit Skating and Curling Club called out a large attendance of its members, and the announcement was made that the club had liquidated all its liabilities and had several hundred dollars in bank. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Robert Hutton; vice-president, Herbert Bowen; treasurer, William Craig; secretary, E. E. Carter; directors, Peter Young, J. Williamson, jr., Frank Webber, Robert Hutton, Herbert Bowen, E. E. Carter, William Craig.

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BIENNIAL SESSIONS DIVISION.

THE PROPOSAL VOTED DOWN IN THE LEGISLATURE.

The Division a Straight Party Vote—Sir Oliver Mowat Announces That a Bill Will Not Be Introduced For Weekly Payment of Wages—Various Other Subjects Discussed.

In the House yesterday Mr. Paton rose to explain that he had not voted the evening previous owing to the fact that he had paired with the member for Simcoe.

Mr. E. F. Clarke introduced a bill to amend the Assessment Act, reducing the addition made to taxes unpaid on May 1 from 10 to 5 per cent.; read the first time.

Our Ayrshires.

Mr. White enquired: Why was an Ayrshire bull purchased in December, 1893, when but a single Ayrshire cow was supposed to be free from tuberculosis?

Hon. Mr. Dryden replied that 10 Ayrshire cows were to be acquired. This was a popular breed among farmers.

Third Reading.

The bill to authorize the trustees of the congregation of the Holy Blossom to convey certain lands was read the third time and passed.

Weekly Payment of Wages.

Mr. McColl enquired: Is it the intention of the Government to introduce during the present session a bill to provide for the weekly payment of wages?

Sir Oliver Mowat: It is not.

A Peculiar Official.

Mr. White moved for a return of a copy of the report of the junior judge of Essex County which led to the dismissal or resignation of Aurele Pacaud, a bailiff of the 7th Division Court, together with copies of all correspondence, etc.

He said that this man, when acting as an inspector of licenses, was dismissed for malfeasance, but was shortly afterwards appointed bailiff. While so acting several charges were laid against him and the judge, after investigating, had reported him to the Government as guilty of perjury. He was told that the Government asked the man to resign, though he was still acting as bailiff.

Hon. Mr. Gibson replied he believed that Pacaud had sworn incorrectly by mistake—[a laugh]—but his efforts to correct those mistakes were improper, and a successor had in due course been appointed.

Mr. White: But he is still acting.

Mr. Balfour: I beg to say he is not acting.

Mr. White: And I say he is acting.

Motion agreed to.

Tuberculosis.

Dr. Ryerson moved for a return giving the name of each calf offered for sale from the Ontario Experimental Farm and Dairy in 1893, the name of dam, where purchased, to whom each calf was sold, the number of Koch inoculations each calf was subjected to, the temperature after each injection and the dates of these injections.

He explained that this was a matter of the very greatest importance, as it was established that the tuberculosis was communicable from animals to man, and quoted Dr. Bush of New York as stating that inbreeding among cattle caused consumption, and that where a race in that cattle existed this disease was unknown. He mentioned two or three cases, in one of which a mother and child were represented as having contracted consumption from the milk of a tuberculous cow. The child died. The drinking of a glass of such milk would produce millions of germs. The disease was communicated principally through dried sputum in the form of fine dust, as well as in food. One of the Guernseys bought last year, he was informed, was sick on the vessel and when it reached Guelph the veterinary surgeon ordered isolation, but the Minister countermanded these instructions, the result of which was that many cows had died. There had been, if not criminal neglect, gross carelessness, and it was wrong to offer the calves for sale.

Hon. Mr. Dryden ridiculed the statement that inbreeding caused this disease, which had been known for at least a century. He also denied that cattle known to be diseased had been offered for sale. And the story respecting the Guernseys was pure nonsense. The mover had been simply stuffed by someone.

Mr. Preston criticized severely the management of the dairy cattle at the Guelph College, and re-affirmed that diseased milk would communicate tuberculosis to human beings and animals.

Mr. Dryden: Only under certain circumstances.

Dr. Ryerson said he got his information from Johnston E. Story of Guelph Township, farmer, who was farm foreman at the Agricultural College for over six years prior to Nov. 1 last.

Mr. Awrey argued that if carelessness was shown at Guelph much more was exhibited at the Ottawa institution. Story was a dismissed official.

Mr. Glendinning urged the appointment of a non-political head, like Prof. Saunders at Ottawa, to the Guelph College.

The discussion was continued by Messrs. Bishop, Sol White, Willoughby and Tait.

Mr. Meredith recalled the attention of the House, which had been attracted to side issues, to the gravamen of the matter in hand and of the charge laid against Mr. Dryden, which was that that gentleman had been guilty, at a sale held on the Experimental Farm, where all the farmers of this country should look for the best example—[hear, hear]—of having offered calves, the progeny of diseased animals, without so notifying purchasers. And the fault of that gentleman—which would have been half-atoned, if confessed—lay in his having permitted it to go on; although he (Mr. Dryden) admitted they ought not to have been sold. It was not unfair to say, knowing the gravity of the disease and of the situation, that not one affected animal should have been sold without notification to purchasers. He quoted Prof. Bryce's declaration that the annual loss from tuberculosis, however minimized, was enormous; that owing to the existence of this disease there was not only danger to human beings, but the milk from infected animals was most perilous, and that no person was free from this evil. It would be a great mistake to let it go abroad that this was a matter undeserving of the most careful attention of the Government and every member of the House. [Hear, hear.]

Motion agreed to.

It being 6 o'clock, the Speaker left the chair.

After Recess.

A number of private bills were advanced a stage.

Biennial Sessions.

Mr. Guthrie resumed the debate on Mr. Meredith's motion in favor of biennia sessions.

Mr. Whitney having supported and Mr. Garrow opposed the motion,

Sir Oliver Mowat suggested the withdrawal of the amendments reducing the indemnity to $300, moved by Messrs. O'Connor and Clancy, in order that a square vote might be taken on the motion.

Mr. Meredith remarked that it was most desirable to take a vote unembarrassed either by the amendment or the amendment to the amendment. Drawing $600, and not long ago having almost unanimously expressed the opinion that this should be raised to $800, they would go with very bad grace to the country if they bound their successors to accept $300. It would be personally wrong, ungenerous, unjust and unfair. If they wished to be generous they should apply the reduction to themselves during the present session.

Mr. O'Connor concurred.

These explanations were received in silence. The situation was evidently on all hands felt to be embarrassing.

The motion was defeated on the following division: Yeas 26, nays 51.

Messrs. McNaughton, McCallum and Campbell (Durham) voted with the Government on this occasion.

The Libel Law.

Hon. Mr. Harcourt introduced a bill to amend the newspaper libel law.

And the House adjourned at 10.30 o'clock.

The Factors' Bill Will Not Be Allowed to Pass.

A deputation composed of Mr. J. J. Maclaren, Q.C., Mr. L. C. Lashly, manager of the Singer Manufacturing Company, and a number of others interested, waited upon the Government last evening to protest against the legislation intended by the bill to amend the law respecting contracts in relation to goods entrusted to agents, introduced by Mr. Barr (Dufferin).

But without hearing their representations, Sir Oliver told them that the bill would not be allowed to pass, and, greatly pleased, they withdrew. This bill validated sales of goods when the buyer was not notified that the seller had no authority to make the sale.

Public Accounts Committee.

At the meeting of the Public Accounts Committee yesterday morning the examination of Mr. James Noxon was resumed re manufacture of twine at the Central Prison. Nothing particularly new was elicited.

The witness produced samples of the twine manufactured, and stated, inter alia, that a quality somewhat inferior to pure manilla was sufficiently good for all practical purposes.

Notes.

The bills relating to Sunday cars and the Toronto Street Railway will be taken up this morning by the Private Bills Committee.

Grossmith at the Pavilion.

There were few vacant seats at the Pavilion last night when George Grossmith for the second time exemplified the art of entertaining.

For two hours Mr. Grossmith sang and told stories that convulsed the audience. He has a style peculiarly his own, and that it was appreciated was shown by the frequent and hearty applause. Mr. Grossmith's original songs, particularly the "American Girl" and "The Paderewski Craze," were excellent and merited the favor with which they were received. While burlesquing the manner and affectations of the long-haired piano player, who captured America with his music Mr. Grossmith performed the famous "minuet in G" in a manner that would do credit to many an amateur.

Mr. Grossmith will give a special matinee on Saturday at 3 p.m.

Minstrels At the Grand.

The merry lays of minstrelsy will resound at the Grand Opera House on Monday and Tuesday, March 26 and 27. The attraction booked and announced is the Al. G. Field Columbian Minstrels, and the entertainment is said to be the best in its particular line now touring the country. The entertainment concludes with a laughable burlesque entitled "The Darktown Fire Brigade," introducing the entire company.

Vernona Jarbeau.

Jarbeau, the vivacious French comedienne, will return to us at Jacobs & Sparrow's next week. She has lost none of her chic and snap and Gallic fire, which were always her charms. She is the same capital entertainer in her comedy "Starlight," which is a series of amusing complications, strung together to give the star and her excellent company an opportunity to amuse. Miss Jarbeau is on the stage nearly all the time, singing, dancing, working hard and working well, and justly earning the applause she receives.

Something New.

Manager Young promises to his patrons next week the greatest novelty of the season, in the way of a female "Sprinting Contest," and he is now busily engaged making arrangements with Miss Eloise Armond, champion female sprinter of Montreal, Miss Clara Moore, champion of Quebec; Miss Lillie Cleveland, champion of Buffalo, and Miss Lila Harvey, champion of England, to take part in the contest, which will be for a stake of $200. The contest will consist of a dash of 200 yards at each performance during the week. A record will be kept of the number of races won by each contestant, and the stake money will be divided as follows: 40 per cent. to the first, 30 per cent. to the second, 20 per cent. to the third and 10 per cent. to the fourth. The race will take place on the only miniature race course ever constructed, which consists of an endless platform, every revolution of which is scientifically and accurately recorded on an immense dial, enabling the audience to watch the progress of the race from start to finish.

Daniels' Comedians.

The Daniels Comedians give their regular matinee Good Friday afternoon at the Auditorium, but play that evening at Dingman's Hall, corner Broadview-avenue and Queen-street east, as the Auditorium is rented for that night.

Conner's Next Show.

Rice and Barton's farce, "Razzle Dazzle," will be the attraction at the Academy of Music next week. It is an amusing skit. Its plot is founded on the adventures of Peter Poodle and Roger McDoodle, who are anxious to back a theatrical company organized by an actress named Juliet Gore, who has infatuated both with her charms. The efforts of the men to keep the scheme a secret from their wives form the theme of the comedy.

The Local in a Line or Two.

J. A. Grosse.—No.

The police want an owner for two coils of rope, supposed to have been stolen.

John Henry, a confirmed thief, was sent to the Central yesterday for six months for stealing a pair of boots.

Work will be resumed on the new city buildings next Monday. Twenty-five stone cutters will be given work.

W. E. Ramsay will present the great spectacular production of the World's Fair in St. Andrew's Hall Good Friday, matinee and night.

J. C. Stokes, Reeve of King, was chosen by the North York Conservatives yesterday as their candidate for the Local Legislature.

J. H. Watson, who obtained subscriptions on a bogus list from Ald. Hallam and others, was yesterday sentenced to 60 days' imprisonment.

For the larceny of lead pipe from No. 25 Goulding-street, Patrick and Edward Hines were yesterday sent to the Central Prison for 15 months.

Thomas Haisley, who was alleged to have attempted to commit suicide at the House of Providence the other day by taking poison, was remanded at the Police Court yesterday, pending medical examination.

Thomas Cronin, who held up and robbed George Graham, near Lee-avenue, recently, and was shot in the neck by Graham, was yesterday sentenced to two years and six months in Kingston Penitentiary by the Police Magistrate.

A concert will be held to-night at St. Andrew's Hall for the benefit of J. E. Curly, who met with a trolley accident, losing his left hand. He is a well-known violinist and has the sympathy of the profession. A host of talent will appear voluntarily.

Mr. Joseph Hodgson, the celebrated hypnotist, will give another of his interesting entertainments in Temperance Hall, Temperance-street, to-night. For the past two nights Mr. Hodgson has presented many wonderful proofs of his skill in mesmerism. He remains for only to-night and to-morrow night.

No. 30 Downey's-lane has been under police supervision for the past few days, the tenant, Mr. George Quigley, having taken two months' holidays at the Government expense. Yesterday afternoon P.C. Brisbin noticed that the door had been forced, and on entering found Elizabeth Murphy, 77½ Chestnut-street, preparing to carry off the household effects. She was arrested and charged with housebreaking.

The funeral of the late Harry English took place yesterday from his late residence, 112 Maitland-street, to Mount Pleasant Cemetery. The pallbearers were Mr. James Gray, from the Royal Arcanum; C. Bonnick, from the United Workmen; Ernest Lake, from the Camera Club; W. Robins, from the Bicycle Club; and Charles Wilson and John Carrick, two near friends. Among the floral offerings was a floral harp from the Royal Arcanum, a wreath of lilies and roses from the bicycle club.

Improvement in the American Mail Service.

LONDON, March 21.—Sir John Leng, Liberal member of Parliament for Dundee, has gone to Ireland to confer with certain of the postal authorities there in regard to the proposed improvement in the system of forwarding and receiving the American mails. He will visit Dublin, Belfast, Londonderry and others of the large cities and towns.

Mr. John McCarthy, Toronto, writes: "I can unhesitatingly say that Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery is the best medicine in the world. It cured me of Heartburn that troubled me for over thirty years. During that time I tried a great many different medicines, but this wonderful medicine was the only one that took hold and rooted out the disease."

EASTER MEMORIES.

We Pass Another Half Mile Stone in Our Lives.

"She died just two years ago this coming Easter," sighed the old man, "and perhaps before the next we will meet again." And so it is, Christmas and Easter mark two half-mile stones in our lives and anything occurring at these times is indelibly stamped on our memory. From earliest childhood we can recall our Christmas and Easter times. How we looked in our stockings on Christmas morning and got up bright and early Easter morning to see the sun dance. With what vigorous appetites and strong resolutions we strove to eat the greatest number of eggs! As boys and girls we looked most anxiously for the Easter holidays and fervently wished the examinations were over. Later on we remembered wearing our first "dude" suit on an Easter Sunday and Flo wore her first big leghorn hat. Then Harry was married three years ago this Easter, and it was only a few weeks afterwards when poor Laura died. And so we trace from Christmas to Easter and back again—the two great landmarks in our lives, so far apart in childhood, but gradually getting nearer and nearer until we become so accustomed to the road that it seems that we have only to pass the one-half mile stone to bring the other in sight. Even the merchant looks forward to Christmas and Easter as special times in trade. He knows that at these times people purchase their winter and spring goods and is anxious to supply their wants. Guinane Bros., 214 Yonge-street, have determined to do their share, and no one will go without new spring shoes this Easter time if they can help it.

This week will be remembered by all who enter their store as the Easter of 1894, and their children's children will tell it around their fire-hearth. To give an idea of what they will do: Their men's $3.50 Russia calf Piccadilly bals will be sold for $1.25, which is more than 100 per cent. less than regular prices; their men's $3 shell cordovan bals will be reduced to $1.25. Every workingman in this city with 75 cents to spend can have a $2 pair of boots for Easter and every little boy and girl new shoes and slippers at one-half the original cost. This may seem incredible, but to prove its truth make up your minds to test it to-day and you will be wearing a pair of the neatest and, newest styles of spring shoes to-morrow at a price that will make you remember the Easter of 1894 for the balance of your life.

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Information from 120 King Street West, Main Office for Canada.

ESTATE NOTICES.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS—IN The Estate of Harriet Burgess, late of King's Heath, in the County of Worcester, England, Wife of Charles Burgess of the Same Place, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1887, Chapter 110, Section 36, and amendments thereto, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said Harriet Burgess, deceased, who died on or about the tenth day of July, 1893, are hereby required, on or before the first day of April, 1894, to deliver or send by post, prepaid, to the undersigned, solicitors for Charles Burgess of Stanley Villa, Livingstone-road, King's Heath, in the County of Worcester, England, musician, the executor of the last will and testament of said Harriet Burgess, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars and proof of their claims, a statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them.

And notice is hereby given that after the said first day of April, 1894, the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to those claims of which he shall then have notice, and the said executor will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claim or claims he shall not have notice at the time of such distribution.

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TORONTO.

A petition is being circulated in the East End of the city asking the Police Commissioners to place a policeman on beat in the neighborhood of Gerrard-street east, First, East and Logan-avenues. The residents of this locality are entirely without police protection.

The semi-annual convention of the York County W.C.T.U. was held in the Annette-street Methodist Church, Toronto Junction, on Tuesday. About 80 delegates were present. At the afternoon session the president, Mrs. Gilchrist, occupied the chair. Mrs. Bosfield read an address of welcome, and some time was spent in reviewing the temperance work done by the union. Tea was served in the basement of the church. In the evening Dr. Martin, on behalf of the R.T. of T., read a letter of greeting. Short addresses were delivered by Rev. Charles E. Perry, Rev. James A. Grant, Rev. W. G. Howson, Mrs. Jackson, Mrs. P. Ruthford and F. S. Spence. Mrs. Cody of Newmarket and Mrs. W. L. Scott addressed the children in the afternoon.

A four-oared boat race has been arranged to take place on Good Friday on the Don, the contestants being Messrs. Tracy, John Long, Fred. Mauthie and George Clifford, and Sullivan, Liston, A. Frame and Capt. Hogarth.

The Legislation Committee of the county council, composed of Messrs. Richardson, Evans, Stokes, Pugsley, Davis, Ross and Woodcock, were in the city yesterday and present at the sitting of the Private Bills Committee of the Legislature.

Yesterday morning about 3 o'clock "a brand new coon" struck Brockton. Patrol Sergeant Coombes and P. C. Baird were attracted by the loud barking of dogs, and upon investigation found that the coon had been treed. The batons were brought into use, and the coon came down to his long last rest. The lot of a suburban policeman has its relaxations.

The Alert Baseball Club of Parkdale has decided to remain in the Canadian Amateur Baseball Association. Ben. Woods and J. G. Earls were elected delegates to the association meeting on Good Friday.

Mr. Broomhall of First-avenue will commence his duties as choir master at St. Clement's Church on Easter Sunday.

Master Albert Jordan, who has been organist at St. Clement's Church for the past four years, has been appointed organist at St. Matthew's Anglican Church, First-avenue.

Farmer John Hadwen Vaughan, died this month worth $37,024.48. Of this 414 acres of land in the 4th concession are valued at $24,850, the rest being personalty. The land is given to the sons, Robert M., John and Thomas. The daughters, Elizabeth Laura, Clara Agnes, Mary Olivia and Ada Isabella, receive $3000 each, while each of the two grandchildren gets $1000. The executors are the son Robert and Messrs. John M. Richards and Isaac Murray.

Nathaniel Everton, milkman of Deer Park, was up before William Jackes, J.P., last night, charged by Thomas Kenney with non-payment of wages. The case was dismissed, the plaintiff to pay the costs.

TIRED OF WAITING.

Government Will Take Possession of the Garrison Common Unless the Rifle Ranges Are Completed.

City Clerk Blevins yesterday received a letter from A. Benoit, Secretary of the Department of Militia and Defence, in reference to the completion of the rifle ranges.

Here is an extract from the letter:

I am directed by the Honorable the Minister of Militia and Defence to inform you that, the city of Toronto having failed to carry out the terms of the agreement entered into, should there be any further delay the lease between the department and the city will be cancelled and the department will again take possession of the Garrison Common.

Enclosed in the letter from Mr. Benoit is a copy of a letter from General Herbert to the Minister of Militia pointing out clauses in the agreement which the city has failed to make good.

The rifle range provided between Long Branch and Port Credit has not been fully and properly equipped to the satisfaction of the General commanding the Militia, inasmuch as practice cannot be carried out at 800, 900 or 1000 yards as required.

It is stipulated that the fences to be erected on the Garrison Common shall be temporary and shall be removed within one week from the close of the Exhibition. These fences have been made of a permanent character, and other structures likewise of a permanent character have been erected on the Government land.

Power is given the military authorities by the Government to remove all fences and structures at the cost of the corporation if these are not removed in one week as stipulated.

There is no ground available for a review, having regard to the convenience of spectators.

The ground formerly used for drill by the permanent force and by the Governor-General's Body Gaurd has been considerably reduced.

The city battalions have lost their long distance rifle range on the Garrison Common.

At the last meeting of the Parks and Gardens $2500 was voted for the completion of the rifle ranges.

Holloway's Corn Cure is a specific for the removal of corns and warts. We have never heard of its failing to remove even the worst kind.

The Last of the Milligan Co.

The grocery stocks belonging to the Milligan estate will be sold to-day at Suckling's auction rooms, Wellington-street. They will be put up in seven different parcels. Also 200 cases mixed pickles, packed for the above company and bearing their labels. These will be sold in lots to suit the trade.

SALVATIONISTS WANT CASH.

An Appeal for Funds to Celebrate the Jubilee.

LONDON, March 21.—An appeal has been issued for the purpose of raising a fund of £50,000 in order to celebrate the jubilee of the Salvation Army. In connection with this jubilee Gen. Booth proposes to inaugurate a four-months' Salvation Army campaign in Canada and the United States next autumn, the operations to be conducted by the General in person. The General also proposes an international Salvation Army congress in July and expeditions to Japan, Java and Demerara. Gen. Booth states that he has just received a legacy from a lady of £20,000, with which sum and the proposed £50,000 he intends to pay part of the Army's debt.

The General has practically decided to plant the "Salvation-Over-the-Sea-Colony" in South Africa or in Australia, so it will not be established in Canada.

Cunard Line.

The Cunard Steamship Company has issued its sailing schedule up to the end of July. The Lucania, Campania, Umbria and Etruria will form the weekly service.

Dates, plans and all information can be had from A. F. Webster, northeast corner King and Yonge-streets.

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THE FEELING IN WALL-STREET IS BULLISH.

Local Securities Less Active But Strong—Money is Easy—Advance in Montr'al Gas—Wheat and Provisions Somewhat Firmer in the West.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, March 21.

The declaration of the regular semi-annual dividend on Montreal Gas had the effect of restoring confidence, and it sold several points higher to-day.

Canadian Pacific is ⅜ higher in London, closing at 70 1-8.

Consols are unchanged, closing at 99 9-16 for money and at 99 11-16 for account.

St. Paul continues to rule very strong, and it is stated that earnings for the third week of March will show considerable improvement. It closed ½ higher in London to-day at 65¾.

Toronto 3½ per cents are selling in London at 91, and Montreal 3½'s at 92.

The earnings of the Grand Trunk Railway for the week ended March 17 were $347,813, a decrease of $34,566, as compared with the corresponding week of last year.

The amount of gold in the United States treasury is $106,926,000, a decrease of $364,000.

The exports of gold at New York since the beginning of the year amount to $5,087,000.

At the recent Hudson Bay fur sales there was a marked decline in prices, among others being otter 5 per cent.; fisher, 2 1-2 per cent.; silver fox, 5 per cent.; cross fox, 5 per cent.; red fox, 5 per cent., and most important of all, marten declined 25 per cent.

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Money Markets.

The local money market is unchanged at 4½ to 5 per cent., and the rate for call loans in Montreal is 4½ per cent. At London money is 1½ to 1¾ per cent. on call, and at New York 1 per cent. The discount rate of the Bank of England is 2 per cent. and the open market rates 1⅞ to 1½ per cent.

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	BETWEEN BANKS. Counter.	Buyers.	Sellers.	
New York Funds	¼ to ¼	par	to 1-64	pre
Sterling, 60 days	10¼	9 9-16	to 9 11-16	
do. demand	10½	10⅜	9⅞	to 9 15-16

RATES IN NEW YORK.	Posted.	Actual.
Sterling, 60 days	4.88	4.87½
do. demand	4.89½	4.88¾

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Toronto Stock Market.

There was a fair business transacted on the local board to-day, and the general tone of the market continues strong. Imperial is higher, closing at 187 bid, without sales.

Morning transactions: Commerce, 15 at 140¾; Dominion, 20 at 283; Hamilton, 10 at 168; Western Assurance, 50 at 147⅞; Incandescent, 10 at 117; Cable, 25 at 147 cum dividend, reported; Montreal Street Railway, 10 at 182; Canada Permanent Loan, 25 at 160; Real Estate, 25 at 70.

Afternoon transactions: Toronto, 20 at 250½; Commerce, 30 at 140¾; Standard, 16 at 170¾; Cable, ex-div., 25 at 146¾, 25 at 147; Telephone, 25 at 150; Farmers' Loan, 20 p.c., 1 at 110; London and Ontario, 51 at 112.

STOCKS.	1 P.M. Asked	Bid	4 P.M. Asked	Bid
Montreal	229	228	230	228
Ontario	119	118¼	119	118
Molsons	....	168	....	....
Toronto	....	250¼	251	250¼
Merchants'	....	160½	161	160
Commerce	141	140¾	141	140¼
Imperial	188	186½	188	187
Dominion	284	283	284	283
Standard	173	170½	171½	170½
Hamilton	169	168	169	167
British America	115	112½	115	112½
Western Assurance	148	147	148	147¼
Confederation Life	275	260	....	....
Consumers' Gas	193	191	191½	191
Dominion Telegraph	....	109	....	109
Northwest Land Co.	70	....	70	....
" common	....	10	....	10
Can. Pacific Ry. Stock	69	68¾	69¼	68¾
Toronto Electric Light	190	170	190	170
Incand. Light	119	116½	119	116
General Electric	98	....	98	....
Commercial Cable, xd	145¾	144¾	145¾	144¾
Bell Tel. Co.	150¼	149¾	150	149¾
Richelieu & Ont. Nav.	83	....	84	....
Montreal Street Ry.	183	182	181¾	181
Duluth, common	....	5½	....	5½
" pref.	....	13	....	13
British-Canadian L. & L.	....	100	....	....
B. & Loan Assoc	....	125½	....	....
Can. L. & N. In.	....	138	....	....
Canada Permanent	....	170	....	....
" " 20 p.c.	....	170	....	....
Central Canada Loan	126	125	....	....
Dom. Loan & Invest.	83½	....	....	....
Farmers' L. & S.	....	116½	....	....
" " 20 p.c.	113	....	....	....
Freehold L. & S.	....	125	....	125½
" " 20 p.c.	....	120	....	....
Huron & Erie L. & S.	....	160	....	....
" " 20 p.c.	....	150	....	....
Imperial L. & Invest.	116½	116	....	....
Land Security Co.	165	....	....	....
Lon. & Can. L. & A.	126	124	....	....
London & Ontario	113½	108	112½	112
Manitoba Loan	108½	....	....	....
Ontario Industrial L.	100	....	....	....
Ontario Loan & Deb.	....	129	....	....
People's Loan	100	....	....	....
Real Estate, L. & D.	75	....	....	....
Toronto S. & L.	....	191	....	....
Union Loan & Sav.	130	127	....	....
W. Can. L. & S. 25 p.c.	....	153	....	....

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Montreal Stock Market.

MONTREAL, March 21, close.—Montreal, 229 and 228½; Ontario, 120 and 118; Toronto, 250 bid; Molsons, 166 bid; People's, 130 and 122½; Merchants', 165 and 160; Commerce, 141½ and 140½; Montreal Telegraph, 150 and 149½; Richelieu, 84 asked; Street Railway, 183 and 181½; Montreal Gas, 184½ and 184¾; Cable, xd., 144¾ and 144¾; Bell Telephone, 151 and 150; Duluth, 7 and 6¾; Duluth pref., 16 and 12; C.P.R., 69 and 68¾.

Morning sales: Cable, ex-div., 175 at 144¾; Street Railway, 300 at 183, 25 at 182½, 25 at 182, 25 at 182¼; Gas, 100 at 185, 850 at 186, 100 at 185, 125 at 184¾, 15 at 184½, 75 at 184¾, 300 at 185; Telephone, 50 at 150½; Montreal, 5 at 229; Merchants', 5 at 160½; Merchants' of Halifax, 25 at 146; Commerce, 18 at 140½.

Afternoon sales: Cable, ex-div., 25 at 144 1-2, 25 at 144¼, 25 at 144 1-2; Telegraph, 30 at 149 1-4; Street Railway, 5 at 182, 25 at 181 1-2, 25 at 181 1-4, 40 at 181; Gas, 180 at 185, 100 at 184 1-2, 35 at 184½, 150 at 184 1-2, 50 at 184⅝; Telephone, 125 at 150 1-2; Montreal, 8 at 228.

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New York Stocks.

The fluctuations in the New York Stock Exchange to-day were as follows:

STOCKS.	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
Am. Sugar Ref. Co.	89⅝	90⅝	88⅛	89⅛
Cotton Oil	29¾	29¾	29¾	29¾
Atchison	15¾	15¾	15⅛	15⅛
Chi., Burlington & Q.	82⅞	81⅛	82⅞	83¾
Chicago Gas Trust	65	65⅛	64⅝	65
Canada Southern	50⅛	50⅝	50⅛	50⅝
Del. & Hudson	138¾	138¾	138¾	138¾
Del., Lac. & W.	166	167	166	167
Erie	17¾	17¾	17⅝	17¾
Lake Shore	128⅛	129	128⅛	128⅞
Louisville & Nashville	49⅞	50⅛	49⅝	49⅝
Manhattan	124⅛	124⅞	124⅛	124⅞
Missouri Pacific	27⅝	27⅝	27⅛	27⅝
Nat. Cordage Co.	20⅞	20⅞	20⅛	20½
N.Y. & New England	10¼	10¼	9⅝	10⅛
N.Y. Central & Hud. xd	101	101¼	100⅛	100⅛
North America	5⅝	5⅝	5⅛	5⅛
Northern Pacific	6¼	6¼	6⅛	6¼
Northern Pacific Pref.	21⅝	22⅝	21⅝	22¼
Northwestern	107⅝	108	107⅛	107¾
General Electric Co.	42¼	43	42⅛	42¾
Rock Island & Pac.	71¼	71¼	70⅝	70⅞
Omaha	38⅞	39¼	38⅞	39
Ontario & Western	16⅝	16⅝	16⅛	16⅛
Phila. & Reading	22⅝	22⅝	21⅞	22
St. Paul	64¼	64⅝	64	64¼
Union Pacific	19¼	19¼	19	19
Western Union, xd.	85⅛	85⅝	85⅛	85⅝
Distillers	26¾	27⅛	26⅝	27¼
Jersey Central	....	....	....	115¼
National Lead	36	36	35⅝	35¾
Pacific Mail	17	17	16	16
Wabash Pref.	15⅜	15⅜	15⅜	15⅜

Sales: W.U. 5300, P.M. 500, N.W. 1600, R.I. 4300, St. Paul 11,400, Erie 500, L.S. 1400, Central 1800, U.P. 500, D.L. 700, N.P. 1100, N.Q. 1900, B.Q. 19,400, Omaha 2000, C.C.C. 600, N.E. 2000, Atchison 2800, Sugar 38,100, C. Gas 7000.

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Tips From Wall-Street.

One foreign house bought to-day about 3000 shares of C., B. & Q., R.T. and M.C.

Earnings of Atchison for second week of March decreased $127,589.

The New York delegation being advised by the President not to go to Washington is taken as assurance that the Bland bill will be vetoed.

Ryan & Co.'s gossip: The sentiment is strong. Distillers Company and Distribution Company held final meeting to-day. London responded to yesterday's advance; the bulls have the market well in hand and may bid prices up to higher level. It is reported that S. V. White is at the head of a big bull pool in C., B. & Q.

Henry A. King & Co.'s special wire from Hubbard, Price & Co., New York: The London market for American securities was described thus—American as strong, but the strength seems to be chiefly confined to an active inquiry for low-priced bonds rather than to any great improvement in stocks, which were only fractionally above parity at 2 o'clock. The belief prevails abroad that President Cleveland will veto the Bland bill, which feeling is not confidently felt by a large number of people on this side of the water. The improvement in Sugar was lost on bearish reports from Washington of changes in sugar schedule adverse to the refiners. Gas declined on reports from Chicago which indicate more serious condition in affairs for company in the hearing upon the petition for quo warranto proceedings than had been anticipated. General Electric advanced on the better business outlook and National Lead, for lack of aggressive support, reacted a fraction. The withdrawal of the covering demand in granger stocks developed an easier feeling in early trading. B.Q. rallied smartly on this influence, while promise of a very favorable showing of earnings by St. Paul for the third week of March served to advance the price of the latter.

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Commercial Miscellany.

Oil higher at 83¾c bid.

Cash wheat at Chicago 56½c.

Puts on May wheat 57⅞c, calls 58⅛c to 58⅜c.

Puts on May corn 37¼c, calls 37¼c to 37⅜c.

At Toledo clover seed closed at $5.60 for March, at $5.45 for April and at $4.80 for Oct.

Car receipts of grain at Chicago Wednesday: Wheat 30, corn 177, oats 175.

Exports at New York to-day: Wheat 185,187 bushels, flour 6703 barrels and 12,937 sacks.

Receipts of wheat at Minneapolis and Duluth Wednesday 306 cars, as against 272 cars the same day of last year.

It is said that Armour was a buyer of wheat to-day. Nearly everyone is long, depending upon the cold wave to help them out.

Provisions are higher to-day, Baldwin bought 1,000,000 ribs at $5.70.

Cattle receipts at Chicago Wednesday 16,000; market 5c to 10c lower.

Estimated receipts of hogs at Chicago Wednesday 23,000, official Tuesday 16,391, left over 1000. Market firm to 5c higher. Heavy shippers $4.25 to $4.70. Estimated for Thursday, 27,000.

A larger run of hogs is expected next week.

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Outside Wheat Markets.

At New York May closed at 61¾c.

At St. Louis May closed at 54⅞c.

At Milwaukee May closed at 57¼c.

At Duluth No. 1 hard closed at 61½c for May.

At Toledo May closed at 58½c.

At Detroit May closed at 58¾c.

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Breadstuffs.

At Toronto the flour market is dull, with straight rollers quoted at equal to $2.55 to $2.65, Toronto freight.

Bran is firm at $14 west and at $15.50 on track here. Small lots sell at $16 and shorts at $17.

Wheat—The market is quiet, with sales of white west at 57c. White sold at 58c to 58½c on Northern and spring at 60c on the Midland. Manitoba wheat is unchanged at 73c west for No 1, and at 75c to 75½c east. Sales of No. 1 hard grinding in transit at 77½c, and of No. 2 at 75½c.

Barley—The market is dull and steady. No. 1 is quoted at 42c. Feed steady at 37c to 38½c, the latter in the east.

Oats—The market is steady, with sales west at 33c to 34c, and cars on track quoted at 37½c.

Peas—There is a moderate demand, with sales at 55c west. On the Midland they are quoted at 57 to 57½c.

Rye—Trade quiet and prices unchanged. Sales on the Midland to-day at 45c.

Buckwheat—The market is dull with prices about 40c.

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Groceries.

Business continues quiet and prices unchanged. Sugars sell at 4⅛ to 4⅝ for granulated and at 3¼ to 4⅛ for yellows, according to quality.

The Canadian Grocer's London, cable says: Sugar, centrifugal, 96 test, 15s; Muscovado, fair refining, 12s 6d; beet, March, 12s 10½d, May, 12s 10½d.

THE FARMERS' MARKETS.

There was a quiet business at the St. Lawrence Market to-day, the rain keeping many farmers at home.

Grain and Seeds.

Receipts of grain light. One load white sold at 61c, and one of goose at 59c. Oats steady, 200 bushels selling at 40c to 42c. Barley is nominal at 43c to 44c and peas at 62c to 64c.

Seeds unchanged, with small lots jobbing out to farmers. Alsike sells at $6 to $8.50, the latter for choice. Red clover dull at $5.75 to $6.25. Timothy from $2.30 to $2.75.

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Hay and Straw.

Receipts of hay 12 loads. It was wet and sold slowly at $9 to $10 for timothy and $7 to $8 for clover. Baled hay $8.75 to $9.50. Straw is quoted at $7.50 to $8.50 for bundled and at $6 for loose. Baled straw $5.50 to $6 by car lot.

Dairy Produce.

Commission prices: Choice tub 20c to 22c, bakers 14c to 16c, pound rolls 21c to 23c, large rolls 16c to 19c, creamery tub 22c to 24c. Eggs, new laid, 13c to 14c per doz. in case lots, limed 6c to 8c. Cheese unchanged at 10½c to 11½c.

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Apples and Vegetables.

Choice apples $3.50 to $4.50 per barrel, cooking $2.50 to $3, dried apples 5½c to 6c per lb. and evaporated 10c to 10½c.

Vegetables, in quantities: Potatoes, car lots 44c to 45c, wagon lots 50c per bag; turnips, 15c to 20c; carrots, 25c to 30c; beets, 50c to 60c; parsnips, 35c to 40c; cabbages, 25c to 50c per dozen; celery, 60c to 75c; onions, $1 to $1.15 per bag; beans, $1.25 to $1.40; hops, 15c to 17c.

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Dressed hogs dull. Selected weights bring $5.70 to $5.75, and heavy $5.50 to $5.75. Butchers' hogs $5.50 to $5.75. Hams, smoked, 11c to 11½c; bacon, long clear 7¾c to 8¾c; breakfast bacon 12c, rolls 8¾c to 9c; Canadian mess pork $14.25 to $15 per bbl., short cut $15.50 to $16; lard, in pails 9½c, in tubs 9½c, and tierces 9c to 9¼c.

Beef, forequarters, 4c to 5½c; hind, 6c to 7½c; mutton, 5½c to 6c; veal, 7c to 8c; lamb, 6c to 7c per lb.

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Chicago Markets.

John J. Dixon & Co. report the following fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade to-day:

	Open'g	High'st	L'st	Close.
Wheat—May	58	58⅛	58	58⅛
" —July	59⅞	60⅛	59¾	59⅞
" —Sept	61¼	61⅝	61¼	61½
Corn—May	37⅝	37⅞	37¼	37¾
" —July	38⅛	38⅜	38	38⅛
Oats—May	30⅜	31⅛	30⅜	30⅞
" —July	27⅛	28⅛	27¾	27¾
Pork—May	10 80	11 00	10 80	10 95
" —July	10 87	11 00	10 87	10 95
Lard—May	6 47	6 55	6 47	6 52
" —July	6 45	6 42	6 42	6 45
Short Ribs—May	5 60	5 72	5 60	5 70
" —July	5 65	5 67	5 65	5 67

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Brokers, Stocks, Grain and Provisions, 213, 214 and 215 Board of Trade, Toronto. Correspondents of and private wires to F. G. Logan & Co., Chicago; Hubbard, Price & Co., New York; L. J. Forget & Co., Montreal. Telephone 2031.

Schwartz, Dupee & Co. wired Dixon: The feature of the market was a predicted cold wave and apprehension of damage to the growing winter wheat. The local crowd took the long side early, but after seeing the market up found no one to sell to and the reaction at the close was the result of their unloading. Should the predicted cold wave pass without damage, we see nothing to prevent the market selling off again. Clearances were 375,000 bushels. Prices at the seaboard were weak and cables easier. There is very little cash demand here and New York reported nothing done there for export. Reports from Minneapolis say that the mills there are unable to do anything in export business and the same with those of Duluth.

Light receipts and a better cash demand made a firmer market for corn. The close, however, was just where it was yesterday. Cables unchanged. Clearances were 434,000 bushels. The speculative trade in corn is very light.

Provisions were a little higher. There was buying of ribs by commission houses, which were thought to be for account of a leading packer, and other packers bought ribs and lard. The local feeling is growing less bearish and the market acts as if it would do better, especially if we get any increase in outside business.

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R. Cochran received the following from Kennett, Hopkins & Co.:

CHICAGO, March 21.—The cold wave promised, with its attendant exaggerations, caused nervous shorts to cover. All sorts of rumors have been put afloat, many of them ridiculously absurd, but a scared short usually takes counsel of his fears, particularly when prices are so low. Wheat is not sufficiently advanced to be injured by cold weather. The advance has checked business in cash stuff here and at the seaboard. Foreign advices show no strength, while stocks of wheat in the United States are moderately smaller than a year ago. The surplus of other exporting countries is materially larger. Those countries are offering their supplies at cut rates, and they certainly will cut into our trade if their prices are not in a measure met by American exporters.

Provisions—The demand for cash product has been good, the exports being heavy recently, and this with lighter hog receipts in the west has made a firm market.

Henry A. King & Co's. special wire from Logan & Co.: From the present low prices there is room for a substantial advance, but without damage we think the market will drag along without any material change until the growing plant is out of danger of damage. Any active shipping demand will help us. This is not in sight at the moment. Northwest advices are that seeding progresses favorably, with prospects of a largely decreased acreage. Foreign advices are dull, but not quotably lower.

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LONDON, March 21.—Beerbohm says: Floating cargoes of wheat slow; maize nil. Cargoes on passage—Wheat and maize, very little demand.

Mark Lane—Wheat trade of a holiday character