



FINALLY SETTLES IRISH LAND QUESTION ON THE LINES OF THE DUBLIN CONFERENCE

Secretary Wyndham's Forthcoming Bill Will Agree in Spirit With the Recommendations—"Most Extraordinary of Peaceful Revolution Ever Affected" is Expected to Result.

London, Feb. 21.—As the result of interviews with the Duke of Abercorn, Lord Dunsinane, John Redmond and others, the Associated Press is able to announce authoritatively that the following is the situation to-day, as regards the plan to finally settle the Irish land question:

Redmond, "an Ireland, such as the world has never seen." In this view such a strong supporter of the government as the Duke of Abercorn concurs. Mr. Redmond adds: "If this agreement of kindly opposing parties..."

will be sincere in their professions of willingness to settle the long-standing grievances by a compromise, the Duke of Abercorn emphatically expressed his belief in their complete sincerity. The duke could not conceive that the government would hand on any business, when the solution of the most serious problem of the empire was within its grasp.

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In future the above cut is going to be our Trade Mark—How do you like it?

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City of Hamilton

BAN PLACED ON ALL SPORTS

Rev. Father Holden Administers a Sharp Rebuke to Catholic Athletic Association.

TAX RATE MAY BE RAISED TO-DAY

Ex-Warden Blakely Will Run Again

Among other things, he said: "You will see boxing, wrestling and other exhibitions advertised, purporting to be held under the auspices of Catholic clubs, but you may be sure that they are not being held with the approval of the clergy, and I trust that you will abstain from such sort of things during the whole Lenten season."

May Delay Tests.

To Have the Rate.

Sidewalks and Roads.

When the County Councilors took over the toll roads, they got more than they bargained for.

Alto unaccountably, Warden Blakely is not disqualified, and will run again.

To Be Banned.

AT THE NATIONAL CAPITAL.

What Postum Did There.

It is a fact that an attorney-at-law and solicitor of patents, who has been practicing before the courts and the Department of the Interior at Washington for more than 25 years.

It has been found that Postum coffee is usually interesting and proves that although the ill results from coffee are slow they are sure.

It has aided my digestion, increased my appetite for healthy food, and my stomach, invigorated my brain, cleared and quieted my nerves, and enabled me to sleep soundly 8 hours out of the 24.

I look on Postum as an absolute cure for the ills that coffee causes.

MISS ALMA BAKER.

POINTS ABOUT PEOPLE.

The Pyrrhus Club of Boston, composed wholly of authors, has just celebrated its 50th anniversary.

George H. Lindsay of Jersey City, N.J., has just celebrated the fifty-fifth anniversary of his marriage.

W. F. Hursey, an expert piano tuner of Janesville, Wis., has been blind from his infancy.

Alexander Wilkie of Upper Craigie, Perth, N.B., is believed to possess the longest beard in the world.

Senator Alger tells the story of W. H. Vanderbilt, who once bought a horse from the time that the Vanderbilt family owned the Vanderbilt Hotel.

Bishop Taggart of the episcopal Africa is often asked when in England, "What is the size of your flock?"

At the durbar state hall Lord Kitchener's knowledge of the figures was the highest.

General Booth, the Salvation Army leader, cracked a few jokes with statements.

President Roosevelt had more fun than a schoolboy at the wedding of Senator Cockfield's daughter.

Henry Wadsworth, assistant clerk of the Senate Commission on claims, is a great expert on Indian sign language.

South Bend, Ind., Feb. 23.—An attempt was made by a mob of 150 men to wreck the power house of the Indiana Railway Company.

Washington, Feb. 22.—The German government, through its representative here, Baron von Sternberg, has made a request of Mr. Bowen for the immediate payment of the \$500,000.

Customs Receipts Are Increasing.

To Dance in Ottawa.

Tenth Student Dies.

R.C. Legislature April 2.

Gold to Burn.

Asthma and Kidney Trouble Both Cured

Mrs. Jos. Wright of London Was So Ill That Her Husband Gave Up in Despair and Neighbors Came in to See Her Die.

Her Druggist, Knowing How Greatly Others Had Been Benefited, Strongly Advised the Perils Remedy, Powley's Liquefied Ozone.

Almost Immediately She Began to Get Better and After Having Taken Four Bottles Was Entirely Cured—Is Now a Different Woman.

London, Jan. 23, 1903.

Dear Sir,

My dear Sir,

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THE AGE OF OYSTERS.

A wholesale oyster dealer was stringing up a new invoice of oysters yesterday.

There are some old fellows in that lot, he said as he showed to one of his customers some abnormally large ones.

One of them was a real beauty, he said, and I was quite sure that it was a young fellow.

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Merit Tells!

And that's the reason why so many brands of Scotch Whisky die a natural death.

They Have No Merit!

For over 50 years DEWAR'S Scotch has been before the public and to-day is more popular than ever. Verb. sap.

WANTED CIGARS.

But They Were Required to Match Her Wall Paper.

"'Twas just a few days before his birthday. She walked into the smoker's emporium with nervous diffidence.

"You mean a box, I suppose?"

"Yes, if that is how you sell them."

"Do you wish anything special?"

"No, nothing special; but they're for smoking, you know."

The salesman smiled.

"Do you desire a strong or mild cigar?"

"Very strong; I want them to last."

The box I bought a year ago commenced to fall apart after my husband had them about nine months. I think with yours too weak!"

The young man took a few boxes from the case and opened them for the woman's inspection.

"Are these the only shades you have? I would like something lighter, with more to smoke."

The salesman picked out box after box until the counter looked like an inverted pyramid.

"These won't fade, will they?"

"No, ma'am; they are made of the purest Havana tobacco."

"I don't think I could have my husband's monogram engraved on each cigar?"

"Wouldn't that draw?"

"I mean it wouldn't pull well."

"I don't want them to pull anything, want them for my husband to smoke."

The man behind the counter grew impatient.

"Haven't you a box with a pretty picture on it? Let me see that one."

"I have a box with a picture of a Japanese fan."

"But, madam, your husband isn't going to smoke the box."

"I am aware of that; but it looks horrible to have some Spanish general's picture on a cigar."

"I have a box with a picture of a physiognomy lying on the library table. I like this picture."

"No, no, we're not permitted to do that. It's against the law."

"Henry Clay?"

"No, ma'am; it's such a commonplace name. Haven't you any called 'Vivian de Haven' or 'Reginald Vere de Vere'?"

"No, madam; we do not sell rank cigars in this place. There are no such brands. Do you wish the box with the picture of a highlander?"

"I hardly know which cigars to take. These have such a strong scent."

"Well, I'll tell you what I'll do; if you'll just give me a sample of each, I'll let you know."

But just then the man slammed the boxes back into their places, told the lady to get a few cigars for her husband to smoke.

The woman went out to get a policeman, but evidently got lost.

A DIRTY BIRD IN AUSTRALIA.

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BUSINESS CHANCES.

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THE WORLD OUTSIDE. The World can be had at the following news stands: Windsor Hotel, Montreal...

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PROFESSION AND PRACTICE

A speech made by the Hon. G. W. Ross at Aurora has thrown the Toronto Globe into raptures of delight...

To assist in the accumulation of wealth is the object of the government, but rather to promote the feeling of contentment and happiness...

So much for Mr. Ross' professions. Let us now turn to the Globe to see how the high, clear, ringing note of statesmanship is sustained in the practices of Mr. Ross and his colleagues...

So the rich man triumphed at the expense of the poor and the "accumulation of wealth" was accomplished at the expense of the contentment and happiness...

Here is one of the great assets of the Province. If it were decided to grant them to a private company...

DIFFERENT VIEWS OF RESPON. The attention of Farmer-General Dryden is respectfully called to the following letter:

Uxbridge, Feb. 14, 1903. My Dear Mr. Gleeson,—I have your letter in reference to telephone matter...

A PACKED JURY. President Roosevelt has degraded the honorable title of "impartial jurist of repute" by appointing three of the most pronounced and hostile political partisans to hear the arguments of counsel...

RAILWAY PASSES FOR LEGIS. Several of the American States have laws forbidding members of the legislature to use passes.

and has formed personal friendships with the men with a purpose and a far more potent spell, when the moment of decision arrives, than he who has merely accepted a pass.

All this may be true, but it is no reason why the pass system should not be attacked. There are many evils which the law cannot touch, nevertheless, legislation goes on, and the judge, the sheriff and the policeman do not abandon their duties.

A MISUSED LAW. Centre Bruce furnishes additional evidence that the Ontario Controverted Elections Act is used, not for justice or the prevention or punishment of corruption, but for purely partisan purposes.

The Ontario Controverted Act is now nothing but a weapon used by political parties for political warfare. It is a party to a pending litigation. As a member of that government, he is one of the executive of the sovereignty which has taken military and political possession of the disputed territory...

LIBERALS AND THE SENATE. Huron Expositor (Liberal). Would it not be better for the Liberals to fulfil the promises they made to the people when in opposition, and abolish the whole outfit...

BRITAIN RESENTS IT. Members of the British government are probably as well known for their honesty and integrity as the gentlemen who are serving in the administration of Hon. G. W. Ross.

Some British Ministers are identical with companies. They feel that identification with a company does not lessen their honor as members of the cabinet. In that view they have a diarrhoea of damnable epithets.

British sentiment is affronted by the most innocent form of Ministerial identification with corporate interests. The British parliament is aghast at company-ministers, as they have them in England.

Excursion Tickets. To Florida, Hot Springs, Asheville, Old Point Comfort, etc.

Trants-Canada Railway. Shortest—Ocean to Ocean. A Canadian Line.

And then he was given to understand that speech could not be purchased at any price. Andrew Pattullo, M. L. A., is an eminent Oxford Old Boy, and he is right in his opinion.

The Hamilton Times has no use for Mr. William Munns, and only regrets that his own strong right arm did not proper the missile that brought the temperance candidate into collision with a dead skunk.

Perhaps Mr. Munns' assailants intended in the language of Mr. Ross to promote that feeling of contentment and happiness which is the highest aim of citizenship and the true purpose of human life.

MEMORIAL TABLET UNVEILED. Service in Memory of James and Philip Brown in St. Philip's. A service in memory of James and Philip Brown was held in St. Philip's Church last night.

Such is a simple precedent of the judgment which it is the object of the United States government to secure by the appointment of this prejudicial senator as an "impartial jurist of repute."

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Sunday Free Breakfast. Sunday morning's free breakfast at the Young-Strat Mission was attended by 185 men. The guests were served by saved drunkards and recent converts of the Mission.

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A word or two in support of free speech and in denunciation of the mobbing of Candidate Munns would have helped to sustain Mr. Ross' "high, clear-ringing note of statesmanship."

Mr. James Conmee certainly ought to be in the Ontario Ministry. The Premier's declaration that the members of his cabinet are wholly free from entangling alliances with corporations requires only to be supported by the addition of the Ministry of the author of the Conmee law.

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50c Silk Neckwear 17c

A final clean up of oddments from recent special sales. Stylish shapes and choice color effects are included. Early shoppers will be first choosers: Men's Fine Silk and Satin Neckwear, four-in-hand, knot and large-folding end styles, satin lined, best finish, neat and fancy figures and stripes, dark shades, odd lots left over from special lines, in the regular way these would sell for 25c and 50c each, Tuesday..... 17c

Men's Trousers, Boys' Suits

The Trousers, for material, making, trimmings and appearance, stand unrivalled at their regular prices. The two-piece suits are popular boyish styles in goods that will stand any amount of rough usage. On sale Tuesday: \$1.50 Men's Trousers for 99c Men's Trousers, heavy domestic tweeds, in dark neat striped patterns, side and hip pockets, good strong trimmings, well made, sizes 32 to 42, regular prices \$1.25 and \$1.50, Tuesday..... 99c \$3.00 Boys' Suits for \$1.50 Boys' 2-piece Suits short pants, made of all-wool brown and grey checked domestic tweeds, coats single-breasted, neatly pleated front and back, some apr. Italian cloth linings, pants lined, sizes 22, 23, 24 and 25, reg. selling price \$2.50, \$2.75 and \$3, Tuesday..... 1.50

Furniture Sale News

Only a very limited time now within which to buy Furniture at February discounts. Look over your rooms and decide what pieces you are going to replace or what new pieces you require. Then visit our immense showrooms for economic suggestions. Don't delay; values are ripe. These examples of that fact for Tuesday: 8 only Brass and Iron Beds, massive designs, with 1 1/4 inch bent tubing, and brass filling, sizes 4 ft. 6 inches wide, by 6 ft. 3 inches long, white and colored enamel finish, regular prices \$30 to \$34.50, Tuesday at..... 23.50 10 only Bedroom Suits, choice quartercut golden oak, finely hand carved and polished, bureau with swell shaped tops and drawer fronts, 24x30-inch British bevel mirror, large washstand in match, bedstead 4 feet 6 inches wide, regular prices \$27 to \$38.50, Tuesday at..... 27.90 20 Extension Tables, golden oak finish, with 42x42-inch tops, 5 heavy back and reeded legs, extending to 8 ft. long, regular prices \$12 to \$15, Tuesday at..... 8.90 18 Hall Racks, gold quartercut oak, heavily hand carved and polished, 36 inches wide, 81 inches high, with a large British bevel plate mirror, box seat and best brass trimmings, regular price \$12.50, Tuesday at..... 8.90 150 Rocking Chairs, (assorted patterns), hardwood, golden oak finish with brass arm, high back, neatly carved, solid shaped wood seats, with brass arm, regular prices \$1.35 to \$1.65, Tuesday at..... .90 12 only Couches, assorted styles, plain and tufted tops, with spring seats and edges, upholstered in rich figured velours, with regular price \$9.90 to \$10.50, Tuesday at..... 7.00

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SHOT DOWN IN STREET.

Killing in a North Carolina City Resulted From Scandal. Raleigh, N.C., Feb. 22.—Ludlow Skinner, a cotton broker, was shot in the street at 4:20 o'clock this afternoon by Ernest Haywood, a prominent lawyer.

ONCE IN TWENTY YEARS. Paris, Feb. 14.—Marguerite Boyau, the French woman of Thénelles, near St. Quentin, who fell into a catastrophic trance in June, 1883, is still unaccountable and alive.

ADDITION TO NORMAL SCHOOL. Tenders will be called for in about a week for the enlargement of the Normal School, which is inadequate for the purpose.

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BIBLE AND SCIENCE AGREE

Prof. Coleman Believes That Theory of Evolution is a Comforting One to Hold.

GOD'S FATHERHOOD NOT DESTROYED

Derwin's Origin of Species by Natural Selection an Epoch-Making Book. A live interest is taken in the evolution theory, as was evidenced by the large attendance at the Unitarian Church last night, when Prof. A. Coleman lectured on "Evolution and Religion."

AGREES WITH SCIENCE. On the whole, the account in the first chapter of Genesis was quite right from a scientific viewpoint. In this book the creation was divided into days, and some effort had been made to make these days agree with the geological evidence.

CREATION GOES ON EVERY DAY. The lecture on the origin of life, which was the subject of the evening's discourse, was given by Prof. A. Coleman. He pointed out that the theory of evolution is not a theory of the growth of trees from a seed, but a theory of the growth of the human race from a lower form of life.

SEVENTY-THREE SIGNED PLEDGE. Mrs. Owen Hitchcock, the well-known temperance worker of this city, gave an address at Massey Hall Sunday afternoon on "A Fight for the Home."

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There will be offered for sale by public auction in the Court Chamber of the Township of York, Confederation Building, Toronto, on Monday, the 23rd day of February, 1903, at 1:30 p.m., a number of building lots, the property of the Township of York.

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Money Market. The Bank of England discount rate is 4 per cent. Money 3/4 to 4 per cent.

Foreign Exchange. Money market... Between Buyers and Sellers

New York Bank Statement. New York, Feb. 21. The statement of the Commercial Union Trust Co.

Toronto Stocks. Feb. 21. Last. Qu. Ask. Bid. Montreal, ex. al. 125 1/2

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FRUITS ON UNPROTECTED WHEAT. In South Russia—General Market Quotations and Comment.

Boundary District Output. Great Britain, B.C. Feb. 21. The output of the mines of the Boundary District...

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York Court and Suburbs

Rev. T. E. Shore Makes a Vigorous Assault on Sunday Labor and the Gambling Dens.

AN ATTACK ON LICENSE INSPECTOR

Charged With Ringing Up a Hotel Before Paying an Official Visit.

Toronto Junction, Feb. 22.—Rev. T. E. Shore preached a vigorous sermon against unnecessary labor on Sunday, the liquor evil and gambling dens, at Annet-street Methodist Church to-night.

Twenty Miles on Snow Shoes. G. S. Abrey, C. E. and E. B. Wright returned from Misamis, New Ontario, where for the past few weeks they have been surveying for the Clergue Syndicate.

North Toronto. The special committee named to consider the proposed electric light plant to the new waterworks street on Saturday and will report to Council at the meeting on Monday.

East Toronto. On Saturday night Richard A. Ford, a G.T.R. brakeman, was instantly killed in the railway yards. He had just come in from his work, and was going along the rails to turn a switch when he was run down by a light engine.

Markham. A great deal of energy has been exhibited by the executive of the Farmers' Association of East York.

Paris, Feb. 22.—In spite of threatening weather Parisians celebrated the usual anniversary of the city's liberation from the Prussians.

Watched by Ontario. Pickering, Feb. 22.—The Pickering News, in commenting on the Bell Telephone case at Whitby, says "It is said that this attack on the monopoly enjoyed by the Bell people is countering a considerable number of them have now offered their independent company every privilege they have asked for and are being watched with the greatest interest, not only by the Ontario Township, but throughout the province."

County Sale Register. Wednesday, Feb. 25, an important auction sale of valuable farm stock, implements, etc., will be held at the residence of Mr. J. M. Mackenzie, 100 Dundas-st. E., Toronto.

Strike in Shoe Factory. Quebec, Feb. 22.—A strike is now existing among the employees of the boot and shoe manufacturer of William Goulet and Gagnon, in the industrial district of the city.

Fire at Quebec. Quebec, Que., Feb. 22.—The well-known haberdashery establishment of J. B. Dufort and St. Anne and Dufort-streets, was damaged to the extent of \$25,000 yesterday by fire, which was caused by a spontaneous combustion in a heap of 1200 lbs. of wool.

Reservoirs Cause Damage. Derby, Conn., Feb. 22.—The breaking of three reservoirs in the town of Shelton this morning caused damage estimated at between \$75,000 and \$100,000 and there were several near escapes from death.

Carl Brown Dead. Carl Brown, the Canadian youth who lost his legs in an attempt to board a freight train at Whitby, died at the General Hospital Saturday afternoon.

RUMORS OF RESIGNATIONS

Aid, Curry Not Going to Retire, But Says This is His Last Year 'in Council.

MR. COATSWORTH MAY STEP OUT.

Uncertainty as to Position of Council Regarding Raising Funds for Library Site.

There was a rumor in civic circles on Saturday that Ald. S. G. Curry was about to resign his seat in the City Council.

Mr. Coatsworth May Retire. Around the City Hall there is a revival of the rumor that City Commissioner Coatsworth will resign his office at an early date.

Carriage Library Site. Opinion as to whether or not the Council will have to ask the people to vote on a permit to issue debentures to the extent of \$125,000 for sites for the Carriage Library.

Orpen Willing to Sell. A. M. Orpen has formally notified the Mayor of his willingness to sell to the City the property which he recently purchased from the Harris estate.

Will Add Another Storey. A permit has been issued to the T. Eaton Co. to add a fifth story to their new building at the corner of York and Bay-streets, near Albert.

Parisians Celebrate Carnival. Paris, Feb. 22.—In spite of threatening weather Parisians celebrated the usual anniversary of the city's liberation from the Prussians.

Perhaps Some Are Dead. Midway, Pa., Feb. 22.—The Midway Hotel, a large structure of frame construction, burned to a cinder.

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Among those recently cured by Catarrh is Mrs. B. B. Duff, of Toronto, N. S., who says: "I suffered from Catarrh for several years, and it was cured by Catarrh."

Shot at a Meal. Chattanooga, Tenn., Feb. 22.—Sylvester Ward shot and instantly killed Richard Arno last night at Milton, near Murfreesboro, Tenn.

Toledo Hotel Burned. Toledo, Ohio, Feb. 22.—The Hotel DeVeaux was almost completely destroyed by fire this morning.

Fairweather

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Men's Small Furs at Smaller Prices

We needn't argue alms—men's furs are all the rage in special like these—our hint to you is to come in and use them—the prices will do the rest.

18 Electric Seal Adjustable Collar, \$7.50 for \$4.50

9 Persian Lamb Adjustable Collar, \$10.00 for \$8.00

10 Otter Adjustable Collar, \$15.00 for \$13.50

4 Nixia Adjustable Collar, \$6.00 for \$4.00

2 Beaver Adjustable Collar, \$9.00 for \$7.50

20 Mink Wedges, \$18.00 for \$10.00

12 Beaver Wedges, \$6.00 to \$7.50 for \$5.00

9 Persian Lamb Wedges and Sports, \$9.00 for \$6.50 to \$9.50

15 Seal Wedges and Dominion Shape Caps, \$10.00 to \$20.00 for \$5.00 to \$15.00

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Something has apparently gone wrong with the popular superstition that it is lucky to unexpectedly meet a black cat.

She was walking along the street, when the cat sprang at her, and, with one bound, struck her in the face. She was badly frightened and ran to her home, but the cat followed her to the door.

A gentleman friend accompanied her to the drug store. Dr. Glass of Wood-street happened to be at the store and he cauterized the wounds.

It is customary in these cases to make serious consequences a certainty for the cat, and find out afterwards if it was mad.

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TORONTO GIRL LURED AWAY. Alma Baker Induced to Go to Buffalo and Turned Adrift.

Fire in a Church. The Yorkville Methodist Church was slightly damaged by fire about 10.30 yesterday morning.

Dr. F. H. Sykes to Go to Columbia. New York, Feb. 22.—President Butler has nominated, and the trustees of Teachers' College have confirmed, Francis H. Sykes, Ph.D., now connected with the University of Pennsylvania, to be the first director of extension work.

Killed Himself With Winch-ster. Syracuse, N.Y., Feb. 22.—Dependent over his failing health and financial reverses, Ervin F. Fairbank, 70 years, and former president of the village of Baldwinville, ended his life with two balls from a Winchester rifle at his home in Baldwinville to-day.

Mother Poisoned Children. Davy, W. Va., Feb. 22.—The authorities here are searching for Mrs. Walter Dykes, whose two children were found dead this morning from poison. It is rumored that she administered drugs to the children, and that her husband to secure possession of them.

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Just a Few Corrections. Dear Sir:—Kindly allow me space in your valuable paper to correct a few statements published in The Star, credited to Mr. Scott, special agent of the Bell Telephone Company, and builder of the farmers' telephone line between Markham, Whitegate and Brougham.

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