

AN EXCHANGE!

Riel's Scouts Chased for Fifteen Miles.

HARMLESS SHOTS FIRED.

Escape of the Rebels into the Woods.

THE BATTLE AT FORT PITT

One Policeman Killed and One Wounded.

FLIGHT OF THE REMAINDER.

Their Arrival at Clarke's Crossing.

SETTLERS SAFE WITH INDIANS.

Mrs. Gowanlock a Prisoner With Mrs. Delaney.

COL. OTTER'S COLUMN FLYING.

Battlefield Expected to be Reached by Sunday.

OTAWA, April 22.—This afternoon Sir John Macdonald said the government had no official information of the massacre at Fort Pitt, but so many reports from different sources had reached them in the massacre that, although as yet only rumors, there was too much reason to suppose they were true.

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WAR SURE!

Russia Closes the Controversy.

ACURT NOTE FROM DECIERS

He Declines to Reopen the Pendish Incident.

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LAW AND LITERATURE.

ANNUAL BANQUET OF THE OSOODE L. AND L. SOCIETY.

A Splendid Gathering of the Lights of the Bar and Parliament.

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LOCAL NEWS PARAPHRASED.

The Toronto chancery sitting commenced at Osoode hall yesterday before Judge Boyd.

Seventeen plans have been received for the new court house. This is the last day for receiving them.

Yesterday Acting Detective Davis arrested Thomas Campbell and Sarah Simpson for larceny at the residence of W. S. Hammerston, 4 Murray street.

Charles H. Carter of No. 43 Davenport road was yesterday arrested on a warrant issued at the instance of Mrs. Carter, charging him with non-support.

Nightwatchman Burrows found a burglar's jimmy near the Arcade last night and took it to police headquarters, where the owner can have it by proving property.

Richard Donald's grocery store, at King and Francis streets, was visited by burglars yesterday morning. They were frightened off by approaching footpads, and nothing was missed.

Building permits have been issued to J. G. Smith for a pair of semi-detached two-story brick houses at the corner of Queen street and J. T. Wilson for a brick addition to No. 166 Queen street west, cost \$200.

A resident of Yorkville asks magistrate Baxter to answer the following: If it costs \$2.00 to run a bicycle on the planis, what would be the probable expense to a man who fills up the whole sidewalk with a family tripe.

Miss Nora Egan and Miss Mary Hehir received the habit at the convent of the Good Shepherd nuns, Parkdale, last week, the former being known in religion as Sister Mary Patrick and the latter as Sister Mary Bernard.

W. Payne who is well and favorably known throughout the city as a popular musician has removed to 256 Queen street west, where he will be glad to see his old friends and patrons. His popularity and ability as a musician speaks enough for him.

Home Navigation.

Harbor Master Baldwin gave The World the following information respecting the opening of navigation at Toronto: The earliest commencement of navigation recorded was Jan. 24, 1833, and the latest April 25, 1836.

The season of navigation is now over two weeks later in commencing than last year, and the prospects are that it will be some little time yet before the waters are open.

The schooner Minnie of St. Catharines is the first arrival, having come in Tuesday, and Capt. Hare, her master, received the mail by express to the first arrival by the harbor master.

Secular Reunion.

A concert and social took place last night at the rooms of the Secular society, under the management of the ladies of the society.

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Infantile Bellum Tremens.

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL. WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22. A cable to Cox & Co. to-day says Hudson Bay shares declined 2 1/2 to 21 1/2. Northwest lead declined 1/2 to 25.

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"No, 'aint always the biggest man, boys. It's the stoutest heart, not the heaviest muscle, that helps to win the day. I've seen it more'n once."

The "boys," companions of his younger years, now gathered round him and pressed him for a story.

"Wal, 'aint much of a yarn I've got to tell you. 'Twas down amongst them pesky Spaniards, the biggest cowards and bullies on earth, and we were slowly drivin' the French from the country, when we fetched up one night after a hard day's march before the fortress of St. Sebastian. After receiving orders that the assault would be given at daybreak we set to getting our supper and then we set around the camp-fires smoking and spitting yarns; and mighty interestin' they were, for there was not a man among us that had not seen many a hard fought field. All at once I felt some one touch me kinder quiet like on the shoulder and I turned round and saw our little drummer beckonin' to me.

"'I had taken a liking to the little chap for he was such a cute-looking youngster. He had long wavy curls and dark blue eyes and a skin that seemed never to get tanned. Any other would a been proud of him."

"'Well, Jesse, what's up?" said I.

"'If you please, Bob, I want to speak to you."

"When we were seated in my own corner of the tent, leaning his elbow on my knee, and looking up at me from under his dark eyelashes, as pretty as a girl, said:

"'Bob, I want to tell you something 'cause I know you won't laugh at me; you're always so good to me."

"'You know I ran away from home to be a drummer, 'cause I always did love soldiers and music so. Well I dreamt last night I was home again, and mamma took me on her knee as she used to do and little Minnie was sleeping in her cradle beside me, and she talked about beautiful heaven and God, and then she cried and told me to be always brave and good, and I would go there some day; and then I woke and I was crying too. It was so cold and the camp-fires were dying out and my blanket didn't seem big enough."

"'Do you know, Bob, I fancy I am getting home pretty soon, and if anything happens I want you to take this letter back to mamma. Taint very well written, for my hands was cold when I wrote it but she'll be able to read it; and Bob, if I should die, will you cut one of these curls off for little Minnie?"

"'I promised as well as I could, but the blasted lump in my throat kept me from speaking."

"Here the big trooper turned away to hide a falling tear so sacred that it was caught by the recording angel and added to the credit side on the long list of Big Bob's account."

"'Well, he continued, "the little chap I leaned his head on my knee and with his eyes still gleamin' on his cheek he fell asleep as quiet and happy as if on his mother's knee, and he seemed so sweet and innocent like that I just leaned over and—well, no odds, we must keep on. Early in the morning we were called to arms and I got my company ordered to lead the charge, but we advanced with a rush and after fifteen minutes the French made their appearance, our cannon men with their boom shot into the town. I tried to keep at little Joe, but lost sight of him in the hurry of it. Again and again we tried to see what was going on and only to be hurried back to our ranks. For a moment there was a lull on both sides, when all at once a roll of drums sounding the 'all drew

every man's attention. Every man turned his eyes in the direction of the sound, and there in a small brush stood little Joe (how he got there God knows) his hat gone, and his fair hair streaming back in the wind, and with that same smile on his face, I had seen in his sleep, where he stood beating away the "all no British soldier ever failed to answer. He seemed like something from heaven to cheer us on.

"'With a wild yell 'I'll never forget, we dashed forward."

"Now, no force on earth or hell could stop us. Those in front were carried over the parapet by their force, and in an hour the place was ours, and dear old little Joe just inside the breach, not dead yet, for as we gathered round him and gave him a British cheer he waved his little hand and tried to answer.

"I knelt down and raised his head on my arm and tried to stop the blood, but all the poor little lad could say was: "Tell-mamma—I was—brave," then he died. The general himself placed the cross of honor round his neck, and with military honors little Joe was buried.

"'Excuse me, boys," said the big bronzed veteran, as he turned from the silent crowd, "I don't oft tell this yarn, and it kinder cuts me up like."

—French Grape Brandy, distilled Extract of Water Pepper or Smart Weed, Jamaica Ginger and Camphor Water, as combined in Dr. Pierce's Compound Extract of Smart Weed, is the best possible remedy for colic, cholera morbus, diarrhoea, dysentery or bloody flux; also, to break up colds, fevers, and inflammatory attacks. 50 cts. Keep it on hand. Good for man or beast.

A consignment of hardware, imported from New York state, has been seized by the customs authorities of Ottawa, who are in possession of information to the effect that these goods were manufactured by prison labor, such goods being prohibited by the local regulations introduced by Sir Leonard Tilley.

—Use the safe, pleasant, and effective worm killer, Mother Graves' Worm Expeller; nothing equals it. Procure a bottle and take it home.

At a meeting of licensed victuallers held in Fergus it was decided to charge as follows from date: Stabling for team, 20 cents; for horse, 10 cents; no free stables or sheds. This tariff will be enforced up to May, 1886, when the Scott act comes into force, after which a change will be made.

—Rheumatism and Catarrh, caused by poor or corrupted blood, are cured by Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

Island revenue officers have recently been hunting Ancestor for illicit stills, but the "all" men struck the rackethead of the officers and lit out after effectually concealing their apparatus.

—West Toronto Junction is within a few minutes walk of the Union station by the trains of either the Ontario and Quebec, and the Grand Trunk or the Northern. Real estate in the neighborhood has steadily risen in value and promises to advance still more rapidly. Some of the best lots in West Toronto are to be had from Geo. Clarke, 236 Yonge street.

The Bank of Montreal has declared a dividend of five per cent, and a bonus of one. The stock is now selling at 202.

—There are so many cough medicines in the market, that it is sometimes difficult to tell which to buy; but if we had a cough, a cold or any ailment of the throat or lungs, we would try Bickel's Anti-Cough Syrup. Those who have used it think it is far ahead of all other preparations recommended for such complaints. The little pills like it as it is so pleasant as syrup.

The commissioner of Agriculture at Washington issued a circular giving official notice of the existence of contagious

pleuro-pneumonia in Callaway county, Missouri.

A Golden Broom.

—Mrs. Wm. Allen of Acorn declares that Haggard's Yellow Oil is the best household remedy in the world for colds, coughs, sore throats, hoarseness, and all other painful complaints. Her opinion is well founded.

James Strouse, a skating rink proprietor at Bowling Green, O., has sloped with Mabel West, daughter of a wealthy New Yorker.

Inflammation of the Eyes Cured.

—Mr. Jacob D. Miller, Newbury, writes: "I was troubled with inflammation of the eyes, so that during nearly the whole of the summer of 1882 I could not work; I took several bottles of Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery, and it gave me great pleasure to inform you that it cured me of my affliction. It is an excellent medicine for cataracts."

The newboys in Hamilton are to be prosecuted for selling Opium on Sunday.

—Loaded with impurities, your blood needs the cleansing and vitalizing energy of Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

These menard, for biting of a comrade's nose, has been sentenced in Quebec to one year's imprisonment with hard labor.

—When the vital current is vitiated from any cause, scrofulous diseases in the shape of pimples, sores and blotches soon begin to disfigure the skin. In such a case the most effective purifier is Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure, which expels impurities from the blood, liver and kidneys. For female complaints it has no equal.

On the arrival in Dublin of the Prince of Wales on Monday night a slight attempt was made by the nihilists to create a disturbance, but the police dispersed them.

A Wife Killed.

—The great sorrow and consternation of an ugly case is a scrofula in the blood. Blood Bitters purify the entire system and cure scrofula, as well as the more common blood troubles.

A Vienna despatch says Winchitz-Gallitz has been burning since Friday. Over 600 families are homeless and 150 houses destroyed.

—F. Burrows of Wilkesport, writes that he was cured of a very dangerous case of inflammation of the lungs, solely by the use of five bottles of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. "I feel great pleasure in recommending it to the public, as he had proved it cured through his friends, and in nearly every instance it was effectual."

The grand jury have indicted Conningham and Burton for treason-felony.

—Mrs. George Simpson, Toronto, says: "I have suffered severely with corns, and was unable to get relief from treatment of any kind until I was recommended to try Holloway's Corn Cure. After applying it for a few days I was enabled to remove the corn, root and branch—no pain whatever, and no inconvenience in using it. I can heartily recommend it to all suffering from corns."

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