

A FORGED \$5000 BOND.

ARREST OF AN OLD MAN 60 YEARS OF AGE.

A superannuated Civil Servant charged with the crime—How the Forged Document Traveled Around.

At 9.30 last night a cab drove up to the side door at police headquarters and Percy Sherwood, chief of the dominion police, Detective Hodgins, Frank Arnold, barrister, and an old gentleman with a flowing white beard stepped out. The old man, who was a prisoner, had to be assisted into the station and he walked over to a chair with the aid of a cane.

The story of a forged £1000 sterling consolidated 5 per cent debenture of the Dominion of Canada of the issue of 1860. The story is a strange one.

On or about Jan. 1 last one of the coupons of the forged bond was presented and paid by Baring Brothers, the financial agents of the dominion government in London.

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Chief Sherwood has moved very cautiously in making his arrest. He has kept as mum as a door-nail about his business, lest some of the friends of the man he wanted would get wind of his mission.

Denver, Col., May 1.—Over 500 men employed on the Union Pacific here struck this morning against the reduction of wages ordered yesterday. The men are determined, but no violence is anticipated.

Providence, R.I., May 1.—The delegates to the national republican convention are unpledged and uncommitted. The personal preferences of the delegates are understood to be: for Arthur, 2 for Edmunds and 2 for Blaine.

THE BRITISH FRANCHISE BILL.

England Strong Enough to let Ireland Have Right and Justice.

LONDON, May 1.—In a debate on the franchise bill in the commons this evening that to increase the electoral privileges in Ireland at this time is dangerous to the welfare of the state.

Finney on Free Trade. WASHINGTON, May 1.—In the house, Finney opposed the Morrill bill. He said the nation which once had been the home of the free trade market.

Foreign Corporations and U. S. Lands. WASHINGTON, May 1.—In correspondence between the department of the interior and Senator Plumb, chairman committee on public lands, in relation to the large quantities of public lands acquired by foreign corporations or syndicates.

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Washington, May 1.—The American medical association begins its thirty-fifth annual session in this city Tuesday, May 6. It is expected that nearly two thousand delegates will be present and arrangements have been made for accommodating and the entertainment of that number.

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A QUEBEC MAN'S EXPERIENCE AT HAMILTON.

Decrease in Customs.

HAMILTON, May 1.—Wm. H. Rowe, belonging to Franklin Centre, Que., was duped and robbed in a hotel here of \$90 in cash, a note for \$100, a silver watch and all his clothing by a man whose acquaintance he made at Harristburg. The man got away.

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A LOYAL LADY'S OFFER.

\$2000 FOR THE RELIEF OF GENERAL GORDON.

The Reason Indian Troops are Not Sent to the Sudan—Latest News From the Scene.

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THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

Appointments and Promotions—A Commanding Figure—Address to Mr. Galley.

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THE EVERLASTING EXPLANADE.

A Discussion on the Proposed Improvement Yesterday Afternoon.

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BOWELL LOSES HIS LEAD.

FITZGERALD AHEAD IN THE PRUDENTIAL CONTEST.

The score at One o'clock This Morning—What Third—Intense Excitement Among the Spectators.

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Old Records of Toronto Discovered.
Burglar at Streetsville.
BLUE VIOLETS.
WHAT SAMUEL THOUGHT.
WILD FLOWERS.
THE PREVAILING COMPLAINT.
WET AND WINDY WEATHER.
METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE.
SAFE OVER THE SEA.

MORMON WOMEN.

The Belief in Which They Accept the Practice of Polygamy. Mrs. Helen Jackson (H. H.) writes in the 'Century' of 'The Women of the West'...

SPORTING NOTES.

There are five lacrosse clubs in Kingston. Herbert A. Slade, the Maori, is about to return to New Zealand. The river at Sumner, near Corn...

friend with the gaze underclothes into a bedroom, and pointing to a chair, silently withdrew. On that chair hung a suit of underwear...

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