

THE HISTORY OF IT

Mr. Laurier and Gen. Gascoigne in the Dark.

NEWSPAPERS GOT IN AHEAD

Regarding the Appointment of a Successor to General Cameron.

Col. Bacon Will Resign the Presidency of the B. E. A.—That Mad Saw Man Likely to Get His \$30,000—A Official Documents—Contract Let to an Ottawa Firm for Clearing Out the Galop Rapids—General News From the Capital.

Ottawa, Nov. 9.—(Special).—The militia officers have been on the quiver for some time past respecting the appointment of a commandant to the Royal Military College in succession to Major-General Cameron. Nothing of an official character has been received...

A BIT OF A RACKET.

There is a lively contest now going on between the Hull Electric Company and the Aymer Road Company over the construction of the electric tracks in the streets of Aymer. The Road Company claim the Electric Railway is situated on the property. This morning the road tracks were...

ALL VERY BUSY.

Although there were five Ministers in the Capital, Messrs. Davies, Blair and Fielding had so much to attend to in the departments that they were no time for a Cabinet Council. It was therefore put off till to-morrow. The only Minister who was in the morning was the Hon. Sir Richard Cartwright who was back.

A LITTLE PREVIOUS.

For a fortnight back communications have been coming into the Interior Department relative to the Hon. Sir John A. Macdonald, Minister of the Interior. They have been coming from persons who are anticipating events a little. The letters have been forwarded to their proper destination.

A STOWAWAY WING.

It is said the Government is considering the advisability of erecting a new wing to the eastern block, to consist chiefly of stores, where the public documents of the country, notes, thousands of which are still unclaimed, could be safely kept.

PERSONAL AND GENERAL.

Flies were at the celebration of the birthday of the Prince of Wales. The Hon. Mr. Mackenzie Bowden was in town. He says the Government are making great efforts to purchase the Indian reserve in the village of Manitowick, and have offered as high as \$40,000 for lots of 60 acres. But the Indians have refused to sell. They reserve that they say money cannot buy their land.

HON. L. H. DAVIES, MINISTER OF MARITIME AND FISHERIES, HAS RETURNED TO THE CITY.

Premier Murray of Nova Scotia came to the city yesterday. The Department of Public Works was notified to-day that Mr. Tarte and his party had left for the city. Hon. W. S. Fielding returned to the city at noon to-day, and will start out for the province in a few days, commencing at Toronto.

NOW EVERYTHING IS LOVELY.

John Bull and Uncle Sam Bury the Hatchet AND IT'S PEACE WITH HONOR

The Troublesome Venezuela Boundary Dispute Settled at Last.

The B. Lion's Tail is Not Twisted, Neither is the G. A. Eagle Subjected to a Clipping of Feathers or a Slighting of a Claw—Lord Salisbury Announced All This at the Lord Mayor's Banquet Last Night—Ambassador Bayard Joined in the Love Feast.

London, Nov. 9.—The Lord Mayor's show, marking the installation into office of the new Lord Mayor, George F. Phillips, started from the Guild Hall at 11 o'clock this morning. The weather was bright and sunny, and the crowds which lined the streets through which the pageant passed were enormous. The procession was more of the nature of a military parade than usual, contingents of regulars, volunteers, cavalry, and artillery being included in the line.

THE BANQUET.

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MONS. LAURIER, the political sculptor; Gen'l'men, we shall certainly have w'at you call ze unveiling ceremony of zis beautiful statue of "White-Winged Peace" some day zis week—sure.

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THE SUSPENDED TELLER

Will Retain His Old Position at the Exterior-Branch of the Dominion Bank—Mr. Gamble Talks.

BRITAIN AND RUSSIA.

Lord Salisbury repudiated the idea that there was necessarily permanent antagonism between Great Britain and Russia. Such an idea was a superstition of antiquated diplomacy. He had been asked if he was in sympathy with the Triple Alliance had always been in sympathy with the British doctrines regarding the Triple Alliance.

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SOMETHING IS WRONG

What Is the Hitch Now in the School Settlement?

MR. GREENWAY GOES HOME

And His Ministers Cannot Say When Any Statement Will Be Made.

MR. TARTER'S HEAVENLY HAS GONE WEST

—Archbishop Langevin's Address Has Created the Greatest Surprise, Because It Showed That the Manitoba Roman Catholics Had Been Completely Ignored in the Negotiations.

WINNIPEG, NOV. 9.—(Special).—Archbishop Langevin's address last night has created the greatest surprise. Everybody had an idea that in the so-called school settlement the Catholics were being consulted, but the Archbishop's address shows they are being completely ignored in the negotiations. Apart from this, however, it now seems certain that another hitch has occurred in the settlement. The Archbishop of the Pacific coast, and Premier Greenway has returned to his country home. Mr. Greenway always goes away when a hitch occurs. His Ministers in the city now say they cannot tell just when any official announcement as to the settlement will be made. They had hoped to make an announcement this week, but they are not very sure about it just now. Something seems to have gone wrong.

A TRAVELER'S PRESENTIMENT.

Mr. Lindstrom of Chicago, who is stopping at the Rosin, had a queer experience at Milwaukee the other day. He happened to see a woman who was only one suit in his wardrobe, and that a light-colored one. While transacting some business in a harness shop, he sat down upon some black coloring-matter, and the result was a red stain. The accident occurred on Saturday evening, and respecting to his hotel he sent the unfortunate trousers to a cleaning establishment with orders to return them in proper condition in the morning. Through some blunder, however, he did not again get possession of the garments until Monday afternoon; so he spent two days a prisoner in his room. It is not given to us to know what Mr. Lindstrom said to the laundry people when his pants finally did events.

WHERE ARE THE POLICE?

King-street west, both sides, between Yonge and Simcoe-streets, has become a terror at night to respectable women who happen to have to walk that way, owing to the numerous loafers who haunt the doorways and dark places. This, perhaps, is because the street is the parade ground of the scoundrel women when plying their trade, but that is no reason why respectable persons should be accosted by loafers who make nasty remarks. It would be a good idea if the police authorities would secure the services of some women detectives, who, assisted by officers in plain clothes, would soon clean out this band of loafers and insulters of respectable women.

TOUGH ON THE MAIL.

On Sunday evening the Rev. Dr. Langtry delivered at St. Matthew's Church the lecture given by him at St. Luke's Church a fortnight ago. Before commencing the preacher stated that the lecture had already appeared in the Mail, but he repeated it at the request of the rector, the Rev. J. Scott Howard, who told him that very few of his parishioners read the Mail.

CALLED TO THE SENATE.

Mr. George A. Cox, the millionaire President of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, was seen called to the Senate. There were others who were asked the honor, but they passed them by and extended his right hand to Mr. Cox.

TRAVELERS' THEATRE.

Small boys encroach into the lobby. The manager scolds them and breaks the glass in the door. Small boy in retreat: Say, mister, what's your name? A criminal act in his lonely cell. Murderer, chief, a liar was he? That he'd be convicted, he knew quite well, and said, "I guess it's all up with me."

HE TOOK FROM HIS POCKET A POISON-FILLED PHIAL

His phial had got him a poison-bill. But the lawyer advised him to wait for awhile. For he might get a trial in Guisip.

EVAN LAMB'S "CASTLE" IS SHUT.

Ald. Lamb is such a strict believer in Sunday observance that his "castle" is not open to the public on the Sabbath.

DYSPEPSIA IS COMPLETELY BANISHED FROM THE SYSTEM BY THE USE OF ADAMS' PEPSIN TABLETS.

Allow no imitations to be palmed off on you.

LIGHT SWEET.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Equivalents, 44-46; Edmonton, 4-12; Prince Albert, 10-14; Qu'Appelle, 10-14; Winnipeg, 14-22; Parry Sound, 30-38; Toronto, 40-48; Ottawa, 28-42; Montreal, 30-42; Quebec, 32-38; Halifax, 38-48.

PROBS: WINDS SHIFTING TO EASTERLY AND SOUTHERLY; CLOUDY AND COLD AT NIGHT, WITH LIGHT LOCAL SHOWERS, THEN TURNING MILD.

SALADIN'S CRYSTAL TRAY IS CHEAP.

Steamship Movements. From Montreal to London, Glasgow, Liverpool, etc. From Toronto to London, Glasgow, Liverpool, etc.

DEATHS.

MILLER.—On the 29th Oct., 1896, at Sutton, Surrey, Eng., of cancer, Mrs. R. W. B. Miller of Bellevue House, Sutton, eldest sister of Mr. W. F. Summerhayes, in her 55th year.

TRAY WILSON'S COUGH DROPS.

Wear "The Slater Shoe."

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