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Sampson's Ships Shell San Juan

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Commodore Dewey, at the time the gunboat left Manila, was not receiving anything like as much assistance from the insurgents as he had expected. Indeed, the insurgents were understood to be negotiating with Gov.-Gen. Augusti for the execution of a pacific settlement arranged between them some months ago. The greatest threat to the inhabitants of Manila would arise from the soldiers of the garrison, in the event of a famine setting in as a result of the blockade.

THE MANILA CABLE. London, May 13.—Lloyd's agent at Manila cables from Hong Kong today that the blockade of the capital of the Philippines is strictly maintained, and that the cable is on board an American vessel.

Several local steamers, Lloyd's agent continues, are reported to have been captured, but he says there is no confirmation of the report.

At Cardenas. LOOKING OVER THE SCENE—THE DAMAGE TO THE HARBOR.

Washington, May 13.—The set-back received by the American blockade squadron in the engagement in Cardenas harbor, and the loss of five lives on board the torpedo boat Winslow, had a sobering effect on the element in the navy which is crying out for rapid action and attempts at destroying batteries with unarmored ships. There is a feeling that the blockade is being instituted to ascertain the responsibility for sending such unprotected ships as the Winslow against fortified ports. It is miraculous, in the opinion of the older officers at the department, that damage and loss of life were confined to the Winslow, for the three other boats with her were very little better off in the matter of protection, and scarcely any of them could resist the fire of a small rifle.

PLAYING A DANGEROUS GAME.

Key West, Fla., May 13.—The game of drawing the fire of Havana forts has been kept up with great spirit. It was originally played by the smaller cruisers and gun and torpedo boats, but now even the government tugs attached to the blockade are being drawn in. The Tecumseh, for no apparent reason except for the fun of the thing, went in well within range of Santa Clara battery, and came under a heavy shell out of the water. A 12-inch shell burst within 20 yards of the vessel, and another passed overhead, fortunately without doing damage. It is said that the commodore in command of the blockade has issued peremptory orders that no vessel is to approach within range of the guns at Havana without special instructions.

THE HARBOR BADLY INJURED.

Key West, Fla., May 13.—It is now known that the American boats made havoc with Cardenas harbor and town. The captain of the Hudson said: "I know we destroyed a large part of the town near the harbor, burning one of their gunboats, and, I think, destroyed two other torpedo destroyers. We were shot at, but we did not return fire, and could not tell accurately, but we saw one of their boats on fire and sinking soon after the action began. Then a large building near the wharf—I think the barracks—took fire, and many other buildings were soon burned. The Spanish hid masked batteries on all sides of us, hidden in bushes and behind houses. They set a trap for us. As soon as we got within range of their batteries they would open fire. I think their guns were field pieces. Our large boats could not get into the harbor to help us on account of the shallow water."

New York, May 13.—The following additional features of the Cardenas fight are from the Evening World: Altogether fifteen or twenty shots struck the Winslow. Several hit her. One shot knocked out her funnel, another the ventilator, and a third shattered the conning tower. The Winslow replied bravely with her little one-pounder guns, but the Spanish were shooting with fearful accuracy, and the Winslow, disabled, began to drift helplessly towards the enemy's gunboats, which had her range perfectly. There were four Spanish gunboats, which were not noticed. They had

moored two barges outside in the roadway. The Cardenas batteries had the exact range of the barges, and every time the American vessels fired, the battery fire got dangerously near. The Wilmington was not struck. All the bodies of the dead are badly mutilated. Lieut. Bernadou, it is thought, was struck by a piece of shell, which is still in his flesh. The men on the Hudson speak highly of his pluck.

THE SPANISH VESSEL.

Madrid, May 13.—A dispatch from Havana says: "At eight o'clock yesterday morning three large and three small American ships appeared off Cardenas. A small boat was detached with some marines, who landed near the fort and seized it. They also seized the semaphore station, taking the coast guards prisoners. In the meanwhile the warships began a furious cannonade. Cardenas does not possess defenses of any kind, and only the little gunboats Ligera and Antonio Lopez were in port. They replied to the attack, the Antonio Lopez was disabled, but 300 volunteers defended the fort, preventing a landing and compelling the American ships to retire with considerable loss. A Spanish sergeant and seven soldiers were wounded. Captain-General Blanco has congratulated the authorities of Cardenas."

ONE SPANISH BOAT SUNK—ANOTHER DISABLED.

New York, May 13.—The gunboat Antonio Lopez, formerly an old tug of the Spanish Transatlantic Line, and fired from the United States vessels, the Ligera, another small Spanish gunboat of little fighting capacity, was abandoned after using up its ammunition. The Winslow is a torpedo boat of 142 tons displacement with a tonnage of 150. She is 160 feet long and 16 feet wide, with a mean draft of 5 feet. The Hudson is a revenue cutter of 138 tons.

THE GUSSE'S SUPPLIES DELAYED.

Key West, May 13.—The transport Gussie has returned after successfully landing troops and arms, ammunition and supplies into Cuba. The men and arms were landed not far from Matanzas, and without any serious opposition from the Spaniards. The American flag was hoisted on Cuban soil. The expedition was under Capt. Duran Long ordered Commander Secretary Uncle Sam's infantry. The Gussie took 35 hours to accomplish the trip.

SUSPICIOUS CRAFT.

New York, May 13.—The British steamer Menantic reports that two torpedo boats were passed near Nantuxet ing. The night was too dark to distinguish anything or determine the nationality of the strangers. In the morning the captain saw two destroyers and the recent English type of torpedo destroyers and he is sure there is no vessel of her class in the American navy. The Menantic ran close to the light-ship on Nantuxet and reported the passing of the torpedo boats.

Washington, May 13.—Assistant Secretary Allan, of the navy, received information from private sources that a number of the boats are now off the New England coast. The president was informed and Mr. Allan was instructed to place the facts before the war board at once.

54,742 VOLUNTEERS.

Washington, May 13.—Reports received at Adjutant-General Corbin's office show that up to and including Tuesday, 54,742 of the volunteers had been mustered into the United States service.

The Philippines.

THE MATTER OF THEIR FUTURE CONTROL.

Washington, May 13.—It was stated authoritatively today at the state department that there is no question over in the London newspaper publications that three of the ambassadors of the United States against an extension of the war to the Philippines. No representations whatever in that line have been made to the state department.

London, May 13.—Germany has intimated to the United States, it is said, that she expects to have a voice in the disposition of the Philippine Islands.

Washington, May 13.—The United States will establish a temporary government over the Philippine Islands. Orders have been issued for Major-General Wesley Merritt, commanding the department of the east at New York, to proceed to Manila with the least possible delay for the purpose of assuming the office of military governor of the Philippines. Similar orders to proceed to the Philippines were sent to Major-General Otis, commanding the department of Colorado at Denver, who has just returned from duty as president of the court-martial which tried Capt. O. M. Carter, of the engineers' corps. The orders to Gen. Merritt for duty under his command in the Philippine Islands. Gen. Otis will also be in command. Orders were also issued for the organization of an army corps of about 12,000 men for immediate duty in the Philippine Islands. This corps will be made up of regular and volunteer organizations stationed on the Pacific coast and in the far Western States.

That Phantom Fleet.

SIR DONALD CURRIE'S VIEWS.

New York, May 13.—A dispatch to the Herald from Gen. Currie says: "I believe that the Spanish squadron from the Cape Verde Islands will join the one at Cadiz, and all move together about the beginning of June unless the Americans come to Cadiz in the meantime. Spain wants to gain time and have the American troops engaged as far as possible. London says: Sir Donald Currie, chairman of the Castle Line, South Africa, steamers, which call regularly at the Canaries and Cape Verde, was asked whether any of his incoming steamers had reported having sighted the Spanish squadron. He said: "No. For my part, I believe, however, that the Spanish Government has been unable to surmount the coaling ships across the Atlantic. They could not engage the United States fleet upon the Atlantic, and the other side if they had exhausted a good part of their coal, as their hulls would stand so high in the water that their unarmored parts would be dangerously exposed."

Lord Edmund Fitzmaurice said: "I doubt if a Spanish fleet will be sent to the Atlantic at all, and the United States can now, if it chooses, repeat the exploit of Drake, called seizing the Spanish King's beard. The United States are not likely to carry the war into European waters, their object being only to liberate abandoned Cuba."

This is the prevalent opinion in political and diplomatic circles here. In fact it has been suggested that Spain will, before long, find means of proposing indirectly to Washington to surrender Cuba, on condition that she

United States retire from the Philippines. It is also rumored in well-informed circles here that Queen Victoria has personally appealed to the queen regent to sue for peace on the ground that the longer the war continues the more her son's prospects will be jeopardized. There is a general feeling here, and now on the continent also, that a continuance of the war by Spain will be nothing sort of criminal inactivity, but it is clearly understood that the European powers will not intervene unless they are invited by Spain, and on conditions acceptable to the United States.

Little importance is attached to the Globe's Cadiz dispatch dated Friday, stating that a reserve squadron was to sail from thence. Today the Globe, with strongly pro-Spanish leanings, has been laboriously trying to keep up the belief that Spain not only means fight, but will be more than a match for the United States fleet when she starts.

The latest authentic advices from Cadiz declared that the Carlos IV. would not be ready for sea for some weeks. It was further stated that the dispatch was passed by the censor affects its credibility.

The Casualties

AT THE BOMBARDMENT OF SAN JUAN.

New York, May 13.—A special New Thomas, May 13.—A dispatch received here, giving the casualties in the American fleet at the San Juan bombardment, says: Killed: Seaman Frank Widemark, of the New York. Wounded: Samuel Fellman, leg broken; Seaman R. C. Hills, John Mitchell, slightly hurt.

SIX HUNDRED MILES AWAY.

Washington, May 13.—Secretary of the morning received official advices from the Spanish squadron, that the Spanish squadron had been sighted to the westward of the island of Martinique, about 600 miles in a southerly direction from San Juan, Porto Rico, where the American squadron under Admiral Sampson, was in action yesterday. Spanish vessels off Martinique composed the formidable squadron recently collected at the Cape Verde Islands, and which sailed from there in a westerly direction two weeks ago today. Upon receipt of the information Secretary Long ordered Commander Secretary Uncle Sam's infantry. The Gussie took 35 hours to accomplish the trip.

WAR NOTES.

The Spanish torpedo gunboat Temerario has arrived at San Nicholas, it is said she is on her way to Paraguary.

An agent of the United States Government in Toronto buying up potatoes for the use of the United States army. Several large shipments have been already made.

Driving a Dead Horse.

The Opposition Still Harping on
the Manitoba School Question.

Sir Wilfrid Invites Them to
Challenge His Policy.

He Never Appealed to the Pope in
the Matter.

Anti-Popery Speeches by Conservative
Members—Tributes to Dalton
McCarthy—The Alien Labor Law.

Ottawa, May 13.—Mr. Bergeron, the member for Beauharnois, who was defeated in the house yesterday as being more of a politician than a statesman, made a friendly speech in the House of Commons, in which he condemned Sir Wilfrid Laurier for having, as they erroneously assert, appealed to the holy see for a confirmation of the alien labor law.

The debate on this dead horse was renewed Wednesday by Mr. Bergeron, who made a long speech in which he defended the alien labor law, and the minority served as the text upon which Mr. Wallace yesterday founded a no-popery speech. The old game of capitalizing on the religious prejudices of the Roman Catholics in Ontario was resumed in the hope of keeping alive the smoldering embers of racial and religious hatred which happily for Canada, are fast dying out.

TRIBUTE TO MR. MCCARTHY.

Upon the front row desk at which for years the member for North Simcoe had sat two beautiful vases of flowers lay. One was the tribute of the Liberals to the memory of an illustrious fellow-member whom they deeply respected, while the other, with him on some questions, and the other symbolized the regrets of friends on the opposition benches. A large number of members, notwithstanding the fact that this is the busiest period of the session, will attend the funeral of Mr. McCarthy.

THE CORNWALL CANAL.

Hon. Mr. Blair, in reply to Mr. Broder, said the intention of the work at the Cornwall Canal was to have a safe entrance for large vessels upon the opening of the canal for 14 feet navigation.

THE ALIEN LABOR LAW.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier gave the dates of the appointment of alien labor law officers.

Mr. Bennett asked if it were the intention of the government to appoint an agent to enforce the alien labor law on the northern shore of Georgian Bay, where, he was informed, a large number of Americans were being employed.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier replied that the department of justice was doing its best to enforce the law.

Mr. Clarke afterwards read a telegram from President Carré, of the Dominion Trades Congress, complaining that Mr. McCarthy, the alien labor law agent at Toronto, had gone to Muskoka.

Mr. Mulock said that if Mr. McCarthy was absent someone would be appointed to his place.

THE MANITOBA SCHOOLS AGAIN.

Mr. N. Clarke Wallace (Cons.) resounded the Manitoba school question.

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tion. Sir Wilfrid, he said, had won on his school policy—a fact which many Conservatives accepted with composure. But after the settlement came the mysterious missions to Rome—the missions of Mr. Charles Russell, the government's own official agent, all trying to get the pope's acceptance of the settlement.

The government escaped the charge by saying they acted in their individual capacities. The letter of Mr. Russell's trips to Rome, however, whose auspices the pope's acceptance of the settlement, undoubtedly the Dominion of Mr. Russell's trips to Rome, was still \$1,712 unpaid to Mr. Russell's firm.

The solicitor-general said that a single item in these bills was on account of the trips to Rome.

Mr. Wallace did not suppose Mr. Russell would openly go for trips to Rome. He objected to any body's name in Canada asking that a papal legate be sent to this country. The people of this country would resent this interference in Canadian affairs.

MR. WALLACE REBUKED.

Sir Hubert Tupper said he knew Mr. Russell well, and would never suspect him of a dishonest act. He had rendered signal service to the Verdé squadron under Admiral Cervera at Port de Franco.

Rome he did not. If he went to Rome, he would not go to Rome for his services indirectly. It is quite likely that Mr. Russell had a great favor conferred upon him in being appointed legal representative of Canada in London, and felt that he and accordingly he proceeded to Rome.

But while acknowledging Mr. Russell's ability, Sir Hubert could not but express his regret that Mr. Russell, Bismarck & Co., who had legal agents for Canada in England for years should be thrown down.

SIR WILFRID'S REPLY.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier, who was loudly applauded and whose speech evoked great enthusiasm, in replying to his critics made it plain that he had never sent any appeal to the holy see bearing upon the Manitoba school question, and that he had never appealed to any authority on that question other than the Canadian people. He acknowledged that, with several of his co-religionists and fellow-countrymen, he had signed a memorial to Pope Leo which had no remote reference to the school question. It was an appeal which he and his co-religionists had had a right to make to the head of their church against clerical interference with the exercise of the electoral franchise. The memorial was admitted that he had prepared a vindictive party of the course which the Liberal Manitoba school question. This statement he sent to several of his friends and it had found its way into the day. In fact, the document itself did not send it to the pope. He invited his opponents to challenge the policy of the government on the school question by a motion, and an invitation for needless to say, was not accepted.

The speaker said there was a notice of debate in the speeches of Mr. Wallace and Mr. Bergeron. Mr. Bergeron, by his address and comment had prepared a brief for Mr. Wallace, and had given him the opportunity of delivering a no-popery speech in parliament. Mr. Bergeron pretended to deliver the cause of the Roman Catholics in Ontario was resumed in the hope of keeping alive the smoldering embers of racial and religious hatred which happily for Canada, are fast dying out.

DARE THEY ATTACK IT?

In conclusion, Sir Wilfrid said: "Now, I do not intend to say anything more. I see that it is the intention of the honorable gentleman to resume the Manitoba school question. I am quite prepared to meet him on that ground if he chooses, now or at any time, and I would not hesitate to meet him on this question. Far be it from me to pretend that that settlement is perfect, there it stands. I am bound to say that it has been my privilege, since that settlement was made, to ask, and to ask more than once, of the Government, that it be generous to the minority, to concede, to concede what they would have refused to concede, and I am bound to say that this appeal has been well received. That settlement was made, to ask, and to ask more than once, of the Government, that it be generous to the minority, to concede, to concede what they would have refused to concede, and I am bound to say that this appeal has been well received."

FROM MARCH TO MAY.

Proposals to Change the Time When President's Term Begins and Ends.

Washington, May 13.—After an extended and interesting debate the resolution submitting to the legislatures of the various states an amendment to the constitution of the United States, changing the date of the beginning of the term of the president, vice-president and members of congress, from March 4 to May 4, was adopted in the senate. Following is the text of the proposed amendment:

The term of office of the president and vice-president of the 56th congress shall continue until the 4th of May, and of the year 1901, at noon, and the day of May, at noon, shall thereafter be substituted for the 4th of March, for the commencement and termination of the official term of the president, vice-president, senators and representatives in congress.

MIDDLESEX.

W. A. Brodie, Glenworth, started to make a speech on the 2nd inst. The late William court of revision will meet at Nairn on Thursday, May 23.

B. McCallum and family have moved into Avon, and rented part of Mrs. J. Joliffe's house.

James Wilson, of Tilsonburg, formerly of Avon, visited old friends in the village on Sunday.

The first Wednesday in June at noon, and the day of May, at noon, shall thereafter be substituted for the 4th of March, for the commencement and termination of the official term of the president, vice-president, senators and representatives in congress.

Rev. Henry Gracey, of St. Andrew's Church, Belmont, was elected moderator of the synod of Toronto and Kingston.

At the inquest on the death of the late Wm. McNulty, of Longwood, the jury brought in a verdict of accidental shooting.

Mr. J. J. Edge, south of Mt. Brydges, dropped dead very suddenly at the residence of Mr. Robert Carruthers on Monday afternoon, aged 79 years.

Miss Heale, the Melbourne school teacher, had to give up her school on account of throat trouble, and Mr. McLeod will teach the remainder of the year.

Mr. Arthur Wellesley Vining, of Thornhill, received the degree of B. A. at McMaster University in Toronto on Wednesday, and Mr. Llewellyn Brown, B.A., of Belmont, secured the degree of V.C.B.

Reeve Summers has issued a challenge to Reeve Wilson, of South Dorchester, and Reeve Stratton, of Bayham, for a tug-of-war, to be contested at Aylmer on May 24, five men on a side, the reeves not necessarily on a team.

The Boyle farm, in McGilivray, sold the other day under an indenture of mortgage, was purchased by William Bawden, of Exeter, for \$1,225. The farm contains 60 acres with frame buildings purchased by Farmer Bawden.

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TORONTO MAN DIVORCED.

Ottawa, May 13.—A report of the divorce committee recommending that a bill of divorce be granted James Pearson, of Toronto, from his wife, was adopted by the senate.

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London Looking Up.

Defeated the Leaders in a Lively Game.

Hamilton's Nine Shut Out at Saginaw.

And the St. Thomas Team Defeated at Port Huron.

Montreal and Springfield Both Shut Out Yesterday.

Turf, Tennis and Sporting News in General.

BASEBALL. LONDON WINS!

Bay City, Mich., May 13.—Bay City lost yesterday's game through costly errors, although a heroic attempt was made to win in the ninth. Clarke was taken out of the box after the fifth, and Damuth substituted, the change proving a good one, but came too late. Meara, Howell and Ward, of the Londoners, made some fine running catches. Score:

| RAY CITY. | A. | B. | R. | H. | P. | O. | A. | E. |
|----------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Lowney, s. | 6 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 1 |
| McKevitt, c. | 1 | 3 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Reynolds, p. | 6 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Conklin, c. | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Housholder, c. | 3 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Warner, s. | 4 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Sullivan, c. | 6 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Clarke, p. | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Damuth, p. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals. | 38 | 13 | 13 | 27 | 9 | 6 | | |

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| Howell, c. | 4 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Keenan, p. | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Ward, c. | 5 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Meara, c. | 4 | 2 | 2 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Accorsini, c. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Conklin, c. | 4 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| Crowe, p. | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals. | 38 | 13 | 13 | 27 | 9 | 6 | | |

ST. THOMAS LOSES.
Port Huron, Mich., May 13.—Port Huron defeated St. Thomas yesterday by superior all-round work. The local team had been strengthened by the arrival of Dalrymple, formerly with the Milwaukee Western League team, and great improvement in the playing was manifest. Excepting in the seventh inning Habel had the Saints completely at his mercy. In the other eight innings only five men reached first, and only one got to second. But-hoff suffered by wildness, and in the

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| National League, we expected liberal patronage. So far we have been disappointed. We have therefore decided to transfer our team unless the sport-loving public expresses a change of heart. This is final. | |
| Eastern League—Thursday. | |
| At Buffalo— | |
| Buffalo..... R. H. E. | 1 5 3 |
| Montreal..... 0 6 4 | |
| Batteries—Mitchell and Diggins; Saunders and Butler. | |
| At Springfield— | |
| Providence..... 1 2 0 | |
| Springfield..... 0 9 4 | |
| Batteries—Egan and Crisham; Brady and Duncan. | |
| At Rochester and Wilkesbarre. | |
| National League—Thursday. | |
| At New York— | |
| Brooklyn..... R. H. E. | 3 9 1 |
| New York..... 6 10 1 | |
| Batteries—Dunn and Ryan; Seymour and Grady. | |
| At Cleveland— | |
| Cleveland..... 12 15 3 | |
| Chicago..... 4 12 5 | |
| Batteries—Wilson and O'Connor; Woods, Thornton and Chance. | |
| At Cincinnati— | |
| Cincinnati..... 8 5 1 | |
| St. Louis..... 5 10 5 | |
| Batteries—Brettenstein and Peltz; Smith and Clements. | |
| At Cincinnati—Second game— | |
| Cincinnati..... 2 4 0 | |
| St. Louis..... 4 10 5 | |
| Batteries—Hawley and Vaughn; Daniels and Sargent. | |

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fifth inning his support went to pieces, two singles and two bases on balls netting Port Huron five runs after the side should have been out. Quinn, Port Huron's third baseman, played a star game. The score:

| PORT HURON. | A. | B. | R. | H. | P. | O. | A. | E. |
|---------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Quinn, 3b. | 6 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Dalrymple, c. | 6 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Reynolds, p. | 6 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Frisk, 1b. | 4 | 2 | 1 | 10 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Reynolds, 3b. | 4 | 2 | 1 | 10 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Fulmer, rf. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Carnahan, lf. | 4 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| O'Brien, ss. | 5 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Habel, p. | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals. | 40 | 10 | 10 | 27 | 12 | 2 | | |

ST. THOMAS.

| A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E. | |
|-------------------------|-----------------|
| Martin, lf. | 4 1 2 5 2 1 0 |
| Reid, c. | 1 2 5 2 1 0 |
| Humphrey, 3b. | 4 0 1 1 0 0 0 |
| Kelley, rf. | 4 0 1 1 0 0 0 |
| Buse, 1b. | 4 1 2 14 0 1 |
| Rodden, 3b. | 1 1 9 0 0 0 |
| Duffy, 2b. | 4 1 1 0 3 2 |
| Shannon, ss. | 2 2 2 2 1 0 |
| Stutthoff, p. | 4 0 1 0 4 0 |
| Totals. | 37 6 12 27 13 6 |

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|---------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Hagerty, 3b. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 2 | | |
| Phillips, ss. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 2 | | |
| Conklin, c. | 4 | 0 | 2 | 5 | 1 | 0 | | |
| Dean, 2b. | 4 | 0 | 6 | 4 | 1 | 0 | | |
| Sirovsky, 1b. | 4 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | | |
| Downey, lf. | 4 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | | |
| Baker, rf. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | | |
| Conwell, c. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 4 | 0 | | |
| Bradford, p. | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | |
| Totals. | 34 | 0 | 6 | 25 | 18 | 3 | | |

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

| Team | W. | L. | P. | C. |
|------------|----|----|-----|----|
| Bay City | 5 | 2 | 714 | |
| Saginaw | 4 | 3 | 251 | |
| London | 3 | 3 | 599 | |
| Port Huron | 3 | 3 | 599 | |
| Hamilton | 3 | 4 | 428 | |
| St. Thomas | 2 | 5 | 236 | |

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EASTERN LEAGUE—THURSDAY.

| At Buffalo— | R. | H. | E. |
|---------------|----|----|----|
| Buffalo..... | 1 | 5 | 3 |
| Montreal..... | 0 | 6 | 4 |

Batteries—Mitchell and Diggins; Saunders and Butler.

At Springfield—

| Providence..... | R. | H. | E. |
|------------------|----|----|----|
| Providence..... | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Springfield..... | 0 | 9 | 4 |

Batteries—Egan and Crisham; Brady and Duncan.

At Rochester and Wilkesbarre.

National League—Thursday.

| At New York— | R. | H. | E. |
|---------------|----|----|----|
| Brooklyn..... | 3 | 9 | 1 |
| New York..... | 6 | 10 | 1 |

Batteries—Dunn and Ryan; Seymour and Grady.

At Cleveland—

| Cleveland..... | R. | H. | E. |
|----------------|----|----|----|
| Cleveland..... | 12 | 15 | 3 |
| Chicago..... | 4 | 12 | 5 |

At Boston—

| Baltimore..... | R. | H. | E. |
|----------------|----|----|----|
| Baltimore..... | 15 | 13 | 2 |
| Baltimore..... | 9 | 10 | 5 |

Batteries—Nichols and Bergen; Hughes and Clarke.

At Pittsburgh—

| Pittsburgh..... | R. | H. | E. |
|-----------------|----|----|----|
| Pittsburgh..... | 2 | 4 | 1 |
| Louisville..... | 3 | 8 | 2 |

Batteries—Campbell secretary and Schriver; Cunningham and Wilson.

FLYS.

Clarke, the new man secured by Springfield from Montreal, has skipped out without saying a word about his departure. He had not signed a contract.

Buffalo opens the season in Montreal on Saturday. That city has a new grand stand, which will be dedicated on that day.

Director Thomas G. Soile, of the Toronto club, reports that season books are selling rapidly.

At a recent meeting of the Aylmer baseball club, A. Love was appointed manager, Ed. Campbell secretary and treasurer, and A. Harris captain.

The Aylmer baseball club has been organized for the season, with the following officers: Honorary president, Rev. W. G. Fortune; honorary vice-president, Rev. Gerald Wiloughby; president, R. Haynes; secretary, H. A. Gilroy; secretary-treasurer, C. A. Elliott; manager, John Irving.

McGarr, the old Cleveland third baseman, has bought a contract interest in the New Haven baseball club of the Connecticut State League.

Meridian, retired, McGarr will captain the nine and play first base. The present captain, Jim Fitzgerald, the old Albany first baseman, will be released.

London opens the season at home on Monday with Saginaw, and will play a double play—Dalrymple and O'Brien to Behan to Friske, Habel to Behan to Friske. Time—Two hours. Umpire—McNierney. Attendance—300.

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|----------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Miller, 2b. | 5 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Lauder, 1b. | 5 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| McKevitt, c. | 5 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Reid, lf. | 5 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Walker, rf. | 3 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Reed, c. | 3 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Murphy, ss. | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Van Gieson, p. | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals. | 32 | 1 | 8 | 27 | 10 | 5 | | |

HAMILTON.

| A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E. | |
|-------------------------|----------------|
| Hagerty, 3b. | 4 0 1 1 3 2 |
| Phillips, ss. | 4 0 1 1 3 2 |
| Conklin, c. | 4 0 2 5 1 0 |
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AL. Shields has arrived from the south with Frank Jaubert, Jim Megibon, Devault, Bard, Upper Ten and Major Flood.

RACING IN ENGLAND.

London, May 13.—At the last day's racing of the Newmarket second spring meeting J. Wallace's brown filly, Queen Fairy, won the Bedford 2-year-old plate, 800 sovereigns.

TIPS.

Winners at Louisville, Ky.: Spirituelle, Frank Thompson, Call Brian, Grada, Paul Kaurar and Motilla.

Winners at Morris Park, N. Y.: Mr. Grant, Damien, Kingdom, Octagon, Tender and The Huguenot.

The Windsor meet will open on Aug. 4, to last for fifteen days. In speaking of the Ontario meeting, Mr. James said that a lot of horses had been shipped from Nashville to Detroit, and that a large number of them would go to Toronto for this meeting.

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Wheat, spring, per bu. \$1.05 to \$1.08
Oats, per bu. .35c to .36c
Peas, per bu. .55c to .60c
Corn, per bu. .33c to .34c
Barley, per bu. .33c to .34c
Rye, per bu. .33c to .34c
Buckwheat, per bu. .35c to .36c
Beans, per bu. .40c to .42c

Receipts of wheat were good and prices steady; the feeling was easier. Oats were a shade lower, \$1 to \$1.03 being the range. No other kind of grain offered.
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The Oil Market.

PETROLIA, May 13.—Oil opened and closed at \$1.40.

English Markets.

Following prices for the past four market days—The following table shows the quotations per cental at Liverpool for the three previous market days. In the case of wheat highest prices are given:

| | May 9. | May 10. | May 11. | May 12. |
|--------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| WHEAT— | | | | |
| Red Winter..... | 9 0 2 | 11 4 4 | 11 5 4 | 11 4 4 |
| No. 1 Cal..... | 10 0 2 | 11 5 5 | 11 5 4 | 11 5 5 |
| May..... | 10 0 2 | 11 5 5 | 11 5 4 | 11 5 5 |
| July..... | 10 1 1 | 11 5 5 | 11 5 2 | 11 4 5 |
| Sept..... | 10 1 1 | 11 5 5 | 11 5 2 | 11 4 5 |
| Dec..... | 8 0 5 | 8 3 4 | 8 3 3 | 8 3 3 |
| Feb..... | 9 0 4 | 7 4 5 | 7 4 4 | 7 4 4 |
| ORN— | | | | |
| May..... | 4 3 4 | 4 3 4 | 4 3 4 | 4 0 4 |
| July..... | 3 11 1 | 3 11 1 | 3 11 1 | 3 11 1 |
| Sept..... | 3 11 1 | 3 11 1 | 3 11 1 | 3 11 1 |
| Dec..... | 0 0 0 | 0 0 0 | 0 0 0 | 0 0 0 |
| Feb..... | 2 11 3 | 3 11 3 | 3 10 3 | 3 11 3 |
| YORK— | | | | |
| May..... | 5 9 5 | 5 9 5 | 5 9 5 | 5 9 5 |
| July..... | 53 9 5 | 53 9 5 | 53 9 5 | 53 9 5 |
| Sept..... | 53 9 5 | 53 9 5 | 53 9 5 | 53 9 5 |
| Dec..... | 20 0 0 | 20 0 0 | 20 0 0 | 20 0 0 |
| Feb..... | 6 0 0 | 21 0 1 | 21 0 1 | 21 0 1 |
| Wool..... | 34 6 34 | 0 33 6 | 0 33 6 | 0 33 6 |
| Wool, light..... | 32 6 32 | 0 33 6 | 0 33 6 | 0 33 6 |
| Wool, heavy..... | 34 6 34 | 0 33 6 | 0 33 6 | 0 33 6 |
| Wool, colored..... | 44 0 44 | 0 44 0 | 0 44 0 | 0 44 0 |

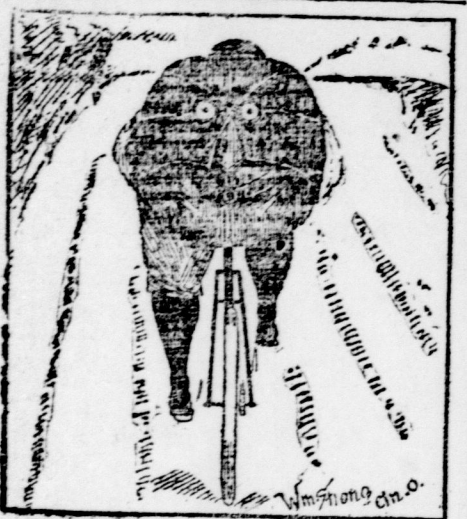
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FINE AND WARNER.

Toronto, Ont., May 12-11 p.m.—The lowest pressure now covers the St. Lawrence valley, and pressure is comparatively high over the western portion of the continent. Showers and thunder storms have been general in the Ottawa and St. Lawrence valleys; elsewhere the weather has been generally fair. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Esquimaux, 40-62; Kamloops, 44-74; Calgary, 40-58; Qu'Appelle, 32-56; Winnipeg, 25-53; Port Arthur, 38-55; Parry Sound, 34-50; Toronto, 42-54; Ottawa, 40-60; Montreal, 50-56; Quebec, 42-52; Halifax, 42-50.

Toronto, May 13-1 a.m.—Probabilities: Lower lakes—Moderate winds; fine, stationary or a little higher temperature.

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News About Town

—Miss Patti Bucke, of this city is spending a few days, the guest of Mrs. D. J. O'Brien, Hamilton.

—Mr. John Callender, of this city, accompanied by his daughter Bessie, has gone to Ottawa for a short visit.

—The Nichol farm, on con. 1, Westminster, comprising 70 acres, has been sold by Auctioneer Jones to R. Purdy for \$12,000.

—The storm on Tuesday afternoon blew over a fine tree near the northeast corner of Victoria Park. It was removed yesterday.

—About a dozen doctors met Mr. H. C. McBride at the city hall last night and discussed the plans for the new hospital. A few slight changes were suggested in the internal arrangement of the building.

—A kindness is to be held in St. Andrew's rink, on May 23 to 27, in aid of the Balmoral Club. The brilliant affair. Over 200 performers will appear nightly.

—Edward Bradley, charged with undue intercourse with Florence Cummings, of Lambeth, on Oct. 25 last, was placed on trial yesterday before Judge Edward Elliott. He was discharged on the evidence of the girl and her parents.

—The Algoma Pioneer says: Mr. F. Spittal, traveler for Spittal & Sons, London, Ont., had a valuable collection of furs in his trunk when the fire broke out on Wednesday night. The furs were saved to the extent of a heavy sprinkling.

—Messrs. David Walsh and Robert Allen left yesterday for New York City. A number of the Balmoral Club members tendered them a farewell on Wednesday night, presenting Mr. Allen with a pair of cuff buttons and Mr. Walsh with a pocket.

—There is talk of a petition to the police commissioners to look into the subject of the indecent exposure of women and children of London. The object of such poster exposures is, of course, to excite and attract the indecent commissioners would be upheld by all respectable citizens were they in this matter on the side of strictness.

—Rev. Dr. Lucas lectured in the Wellington Street Methodist Church last night on "The use of alcohol as a beverage is contrary to the laws of nature." He stated that the liquor was neither a food nor a stimulant, and that the moderate use of liquor shortens a person's life by weakening the system to such a degree that it was unable to stand an attack of illness. To leave liquor alone was the only safe course. Miss Golding sang a solo, in place of Mr. Wilfred Lucas, who was called to Toronto during the day. Rev. A. L. Russell occupied the chair, and Mr. P. Simpson presided at the organ.

—Mrs. N. Broadbent, of Adelaide Street, while crossing Dufferin Avenue at the corner of Cartwright Street last evening, and endeavoring to avoid the many bicyclists, got in front of a tandem ridden by Mr. Frank Symons and Miss Bessie Symons. Mrs. Broadbent was overthrown, and sustained some severe bruises. The riders were within an ace of precipitating many others. Dufferin Avenue, from the park to Cartwright Street is a particularly fine piece of road, and the evening bicyclists turn out in hundreds for a spin. The pleasure of less scorching of numbers of boys of about 16 years of age, and the danger are driven on the thoroughfare. The police have been asked to keep an eye on the street.

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Bruce Street Residents Ought Not to be Assessed for the New Sewer—Other Matters Before the Board of Works.

The board of works met in regular session last night. Ald. Douglass presided, and the other members present were Ald. Carrothers, Greenlee, Cooper and Dreahey. City Engineer Graydon and Secretary Bell.

The opinion of the city solicitor as to the power of the city to assess and charge properties on Bruce street, between Edward street and the Wharfedale road, was read. Having in regard the judgment of the supreme court in the case of Lewis vs. Alexander, Mr. Meredith held that it would not be safe for the city to assess the properties, as in the judgment the drain was held to be a sewer for all purposes, and as such accepted by the city. The city solicitor's communication also expressed his opinion that the city council had no power to impose a tax on each bicyclist in the city, in accordance with the petition to thus raise money for the construction of cinder paths.

The city engineer reported upon the claim of Mr. W. J. Tanner for damages arising out of an accident which befall him on the King street bridge early in January this year. Mr. Tanner, walking across the bridge, then under construction, and at the east end slipped on the several feet of gravel, and fell, injuring his thigh so that he had been out of work since.

Mr. P. Moffe addressed the committee in Mr. Tanner's behalf, and argued that there were circumstances warranting the payment of damages, even though the claim might not be legal. The committee recommended the payment of \$15.

The moving of Carleton Burdick's house at Queen's Park was discussed, and referred to the engineers, Ald. Douglass and Dreahey. Ald. Cooper's amendment that the cost do not exceed \$100 was lost.

The engineer recommended that the macadamizing of Talbot street from Albert to Carling streets be advertised. An account for \$18 77 for gravel supplied on Central Avenue by the street railway company was laid over, on motion of Ald. Carrothers, because of a contra account, and also on the ground that the gravel was not satisfactory.

The contra account is for removing snow from the city streets at either side of the company's tracks in the spring—work which had to be undertaken by the city, while the company refused to pay them for it.

Ald. Dreahey spoke of the privilege held by the street railway company to supply gravel in different parts of the city, and asked what right had anyone to step in and supply gravel in a ward when the contract for the entire ward had been let to someone else.

It was stated the company supplied gravel for certain streets at about one-half the price the ward contractors could supply it, and that when the contract was let an exclusive right was not given.

James Crawford, a corporation laborer, complained that Foreman Lovelace, in ward 3, was not giving him his share of work. He was told that he should have applied to the city engineer instead of to the aldermen.

Mr. Graydon gave the man an order to start work.

The usual batch of accounts were passed and the committee adjourned.

The Twentieth Century

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Another Great Victorious Battle.

The United States' great victory over Spain is no greater than the great victory of the Williams Piano over Heintzmann & Co., Gerhard-Heintzmann, Mason & Biech, and Bell.

After a thorough investigation of value of the various pianos, Mr. and Mrs. Welford, Queen's Avenue, have selected a beautiful Williams Special, Cabinet Grand, in preference to the five pianos.

We certify that the above statement is correct.

(Signed) LUCY WELFORD, (Signed) J. A. WELFORD, Witness (Signed) W. E. GREEN.

W. E. Green, chief representative for The R. S. Williams & Sons' Company (Limited), piano manufacturers to Her Majesty the Queen, conducted the sale.

Dated, London, May 11, 1898.

Trunks and Valises, Marriage Licenses

DAINTY DESSERTS. Are Made From Imperial Table Jellies.

For distinct, rich fruit or wine flavor there is no solidified jelly made that is as good. One trial will convince you that they are all that we claim them to be.

FLAVORS: Pineapple, Lemon, Orange, Cherry, Strawberry, Raspberry, Port, Madeira and Sherry Wines.

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Baptist Women's Mission Work.

Annual Meeting of the W. B. H. and F. M. S.—Several Hundred Ladies Take Part.

The 22nd annual meeting of the Woman's Baptist Home and Foreign Missionary Society opened yesterday morning in Bloor Street Baptist Church, Toronto. The day was devoted to foreign missions, and today will be home mission day. Several hundred ladies will be in attendance. The president, Mrs. Brooker, of Woodstock, occupied the chair.

After devotional exercises an address of welcome was read by Mrs. C. A. Eaton. The president then delivered her annual address, reviewing the past and conning the future of the society. The work in the various mission fields and by the society's missionaries was reviewed particularly.

The treasurer's report showed an income, including a balance of \$2,101 from last year, of \$9,230. The disbursements aggregated \$7,525. The gross income showed a decrease of \$673.

An encouraging report of the bureau for the circulating of missionary information and literature was presented by Mrs. King, of Kingston. The reports were adopted unanimously. Miss Armstrong, of Rangoon, Burmah, delivered an address on the work in that country.

Mrs. (Rev.) Thomas S. Johnson, of this city, is among the delegates.

G. T. R.'s New Time Card.

Which Will Go Into Effect on Sunday Next—Wabash Trains Stay as at Present for a Week or Two.

The new G. T. R. time table has been issued, and will go into effect on Sunday morning next, at 7 o'clock. The Wabash trains will not be transferred to the southern division for a week or two later.

A through train, called the New York express, will come from Chicago by way of Detroit and Port Huron, leaving Sarina at 3:15 p.m., and reaching here at 4:40 p.m. It will be sold from Detroit to the Bridge.

Another new train, to be known as the Detroit express, will leave here at 4:40 a.m., and arrive in Detroit at 1:30 p.m., thus making connection with the Lehigh Valley express.

No. 1 Chicago express will arrive at 3:40 a.m., and leave at 3:20, ten minutes later than formerly.

No. 2 Lehigh express will arrive at 11:25 a.m., and leave at 11:30, fifteen minutes later than formerly.

The mail train from the east, which now gets in at 12:40 p.m., will arrive at 11 a.m., and leave at 2:30 p.m., instead of 2:15.

The Wabash express will leave at 3:30 a.m., instead of 3:40 a.m.

No. 4 Lehigh will arrive at 3:40 a.m., and leave at 3:50 a.m., fifteen minutes later than formerly.

No. 6 Atlantic express will arrive at 10:10 a.m., and depart at 10:35 a.m. A train will come from Windsor to connect with this train.

The eastern accommodation will in future leave London at 2:10 p.m., instead of 2:30 p.m.

The afternoon express, No. 15, will leave at 4:45 p.m., instead of 4:20.

The Sarina accommodation will arrive at 2:10 p.m., instead of 2:30 p.m., and leave at 2:20 p.m., instead of 2:30 p.m.

The Huron and Bruce train will arrive at 6:30 p.m., instead of 6:40 p.m.

The St. Mary's train, which formerly left for Stratford at 5:55 p.m., will now leave at 6:20 p.m., and the 11:10 train on this branch has been changed to 11:20.

SPECIAL SALE

LADIES' OXFORDS

—Stock tip, new toe, widths B, C, D and E, all sizes, 2 1/2 to 7, sale price

\$1.15

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For \$18 we will send you out of our store with the most stylish spring suit to be found in the city. You can have your choice of material from a large assortment of magnificent West of England Tweeds and fine imported Worsted Twills. There are four shades of gray, light and dark, and also black—splendid trimmings—sack or morning coat. Did you ever hear of an offer to equal this?

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Dundas and Carling Streets, London

George H. Adams, A Swindler,

Passed a Bogus Check for \$15 on Edwin Bourne, the Butcher—Deserted His Family.

George Henry Adams, about 45 years of age, was arrested by Detectives Nickie and Rider on a warrant issued by Henry Bourne, son, butcher, Hamilton road. On Saturday last, Adams purchased 65 cents' worth of meat from Mr. Bourne, and in payment tendered a Molsons Bank check, signed by Alice Adams, and payable to George "Henry" Adams. The 65 cents was taken, and Adams given the balance, \$14 35 change. On Monday, when the check was presented at the bank, it was ascertained that Alice Adams had no funds there. The police were notified, and located Adams. This morning he pleaded guilty before Magistrate Parke and asked to be sentenced at once. He was remanded for a week.

Mrs. Adams, 25 Miles street, was seen last evening. She said Adams left his home and family on Nov. 3 last. A few days afterwards he went back to negotiate a ten-cent loan from his deserted wife. She refused to have anything to do with him, and to raise funds he went down town and sold the coal stove, which then contained a good fire, for \$4. The first she knew of it was when the men came to take the stove away. Adams was next heard of through his little children, whom he coaxed to cry and beg their mother to take him back again. For the last three months Adams has been boarding at Mrs. Marshall's, 581 Gray street. The latter said this morning that Adams had boarded with her ever since her husband died on Jan. 2. She then lived on Horton street. Adams, she said, sometimes gave her money and sometimes bought a few groceries, in payment for his board. The police know Adams to be a worthless fellow and a professional part-hander. None of the \$15 has been recovered.

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