





TORONTO'S LATEST BLAZE.

Damage Done Yesterday is About \$350,000. STORE WILL BE REBUILT.

THE LANGUAGE OF THE OZAR

In Asking the Sultan to Stop the Fight. REPLY OF ABDUL HAMID

JUBILEE POST STAMPS

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It is Estimated That the New Structure Will Cost \$70,000.

Will be Planned After the Style of the Big Simpson Building...

Thousands of people yesterday viewed the wreck caused by the big fire at the John Eaton Company's departmental store...

Canadian Photo Engraving Bureau, 19 Adelaide-street west...

Toronto Bill Posting Company, 13 Temperance-street...

Pr. Wyckoff, Eaton's dentist, lost his operating equipment valued at \$1000.

Damage to the Young-Terrace Arcade, owing to the heat which melted the solder...

There was a rumour on the street yesterday to the effect that the John Eaton Co. had rented the premises next to the T.

THE JOHN EATON COMPANY FIRE.

Looking at the Ruins. Eaton Co., which were rebuilt after the McKendry fire...

Nicholas Hopes 'Four August Sensibility' Will Crown the Heroic Successes of His Soldiers...

London, May 20.—A despatch from Constantinople gives the text of the Emperor's reply to the Sultan...

Your Imperial Majesty will not feel satisfied by the fact that the Emperor's friendly and neighborly feeling exists between us...

It is a course which will be in the interest of the Sultan and of the Emperor...

The Sultan replied, expressing lively and sincere thanks...

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Greece Makes Faith. Berlin, May 20.—A telegram received here from Constantinople...

What Greece Will Say. Athens, May 20.—A conference by telegram yesterday...

Pratt Was Not Killed. London, May 20.—According to a special despatch received from Rome...

A Government for Crete. London, May 20.—A special despatch from Athens...

Lamin Described. Lamin, May 20.—The Greek exception of the telegraph operators...

THE ROYAL GREENS. Regimental orders for the celebration of Her Majesty's Birthday...

Work on the Yellow Fello. Major Taylor of New York, the colored lad who beat Eddie Held...

The Garden City. The steamer Garden City, looking spick and span...

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Wholesale and Manufacturing Branches as usual.

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To the Loyal People of Canada. Out on the Queen's Birthday.

H.R.H. GUINEAS

Queen's Plate Toronto—Society's Parade Day. will go to the colors that win them—that's sport.

W. & D. Dineen

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Since our Eighty-nine Cent Window Sale last week, numerous requests have been made for us to repeat our offer...

Friday and Saturday

BICYCLE HOSE, with or without feet, entirely new goods, regular price \$1.25 and \$1.50...

GREAT SHOW AT THE GRAND

Manager Sheppard secured a titling good attraction when he engaged 'The Twelve Temptations'...

55 KING STREET EAST.

WELL THE STOCK AS SECURITY

James Bowden, on the charge of stealing \$200 worth of stock certificates from the Metallic Marble Company...

Table with multiple columns containing financial data, insurance rates, and company information.

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Is not apparent to the casual observer any more than the difference between a good horse and a poor one. Yet we all know there is a difference.

WORLD'S LARGEST CYCLE DEALERS.

The Griffiths Cycle Corp'n Ltd., 235 and 235 1/2 Yonge St., Toronto.

HORSES GET THEIR FINAL PREPS

Wicker Goes the Final Distance and Disappoints Many—Hannock's at the Woodbine.

It was a busy scene down at the Woodbine track yesterday morning, from 6 o'clock until noon, the trainers taking their horses out for the final trials for the opening day to-morrow.

Opening Ceremonies Postponed Until To-day.

PLAYERS VIEW THE GROUNDS

Thirteen Innings Contests in the National and Eastern.

TO-MORROW'S SELLING RACE.

Entries for the selling race to be run to-morrow (Saturday), 7 furlongs: W. E. A. McLaughlin's Brown Girl, br. f., 3; by Bramble, Time 2:12.

THE TORONTO WORLD

ANTELOPE WHEEL

The market's best production, composed throughout of the world-renowned Perry Components which are the best wearing and easiest running bearings on the market.

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SATISFACTION

Is what you are looking for in a wheel, one that you can put every confidence in.

A WHEEL that will be as reliable as we are sure of to-morrow. All this is secured by buying an

THE SLATER SHOE

BE LIGHT-FOOTED ON THE QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY

Don't mar your enjoyment with tight, ill-fitting shoes. Be footwise. Let your two feet decide the question.

There's comfort, economy and good style in the Slater Shoes. They hold their shape—you grow fonder of them—and when they wear out, you go at once and buy their nearest relative—another pair of Slater Shoes.

All the New Shapes, Shades and Styles on View now, at THE SLATER SHOE STORE, 89 KING STREET WEST.

MOIT TO THE AMATEURS.

The L. A. W. Racing Board Chairman's Kindly Advice to Bicycle Racers—Tom

New York, May 20.—Contained in the current issue of the weekly bulletin sent out by the L. A. W. Racing Board is a copy of a letter mailed by a prominent bicycle manufacturing company to its agents calling upon them to secure the services of the best amateur riders in their respective districts.

By vote of the board the following has been added to the racing rules: "Race promoters must not offer riders a reward or prize, either in excess of the amount of the prize fund, or in excess of the amount of the prize fund, or in excess of the amount of the prize fund."

DIAMOND DUST.

The Argyle play the Victoria team at the latter grounds, Victoria, B.C., on Saturday afternoon.

THE FAIR GROUNDS RACES.

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Fire and Water

PLAYED HAVOC IN THE

COMET CYCLE CO. BUILDING

LAST NIGHT, SO NOW LOOK OUT FOR

SNAPS IN BICYCLES

Comet Cycle Company,

17, 19, 21 Temperance St.,

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IF:

We ask you \$100 for our \$65

HERE are wheels sold

in Toronto at \$100 with cheaper fittings and work in them than in our High-Grade Crawford Speed King and Queen, but the public cannot judge of quality from appearance.

Let us show you the difference.

Instead of high list and poor quality, we give low list and best values.

E. C. HILL & CO.,

101 YONGE ST.

They're Ready

Now Our '97 Complete line of

Monarch Bicycles

The Epitome of Our Years of Experience.

Come and See Them

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MONARCH CYCLE MFG. CO.

Chicago, New York, London.

SPORTING NOTES.

At the office of the Veriscope Company, in New York, it is stated that the electrical difficulty had been overcome and that the pictures illustrating the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight would be shown next Saturday night.

A PAST SIX FURLONGS.

Cincinnati, May 20.—The fastest six furlong race of the meeting was held at Newport today by W. C. T. who covered the distance in 1:38 1/2.

CRICKET SLITS.

Mr. A. H. Collins XI is nearly completed to play in Chicago on July 3, and the following have been accepted for the tour.

THE QUEEN CITY Y.C. FIXTURES.

The Queen City Y.C. will open the season with a handicap cruising race for all classes at Fort Credit, starting at 2:30 p.m. on Saturday.

OPENED BRADY'S PLACE.

New York, May 20.—The Palace Athletic Club was re-opened last night, under the management of W. A. Brady.

SCHOOL BEAT THE COLLEGE.

SPECIAL.

Coat and Waistcoat made from Fine Imported Worsteds and Cheviots

\$16.00.

A superb line of Imported Trouserings

\$5.00 per pair.

McLEOD & GRAHAM,

TAILORS,

109 King West.





COUNTY AND SUBURBAN NEWS.

A Budget of Interesting News Gathered by World Correspondents Over a Wide District.

Toronto Junction, May 20.—(Special.)—Police Magistrate Ellis left today on his annual trip to the West. His ticket is good to Portland, Oregon, and return.

Andrew Aikens of Hazel Vinery, near Coombsville, was thrown out of his rig by a horse on his way to the mill on Dundas-street. His injuries were slight.

Miss Armstrong has resumed her duties as teacher in the Amherst-street school. The steam roller used by the City Council for use in High Park-avenue, is doing the work and the road is now well levelled as far as Amherst-street.

Tiffin Harris met with a severe accident yesterday by running over an inch and a half into his foot. Drs. Leitch and Cleland were in attendance and the injury will cause him to be laid up for some time. Five derelict cars, laden with bottles, were found at 6:30 this evening.

York County News. Holyday Division of the Sons of Temperance held a concert at the City Hall, at which Mrs. E. Davis will take the chair.

Black Creek hill is to be taken down seven feet. This will make the grade easy for the cars.

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Richmond Hill.

The annual meeting of the trustees of the Methodist church was held on Wednesday. The financial report was exceedingly satisfactory and after defraying all expenses a balance was left on hand of \$100.

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At Port Credit a pig died of hog cholera. His carcass was thrown down the hill near the railway bridge and left exposed to the sun, to the disgust of the citizens.

William Pears of Toronto Junction, L.C. Inspector for the Billing of West York has just completed his return for the year. The total receipts have been \$200,000, and the expenses, including salary, rent, etc., \$78,767.

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Prudence comes of buying goods of correct quality and character, as well as low in price. We always touch the bottom mark in price, but we are over particular of the kind of goods we offer shoppers.

Toronto's Greatest Shoe Sensation Saturday. We can lay claim to having purchased the largest line of sample shoes ever sold to a Canadian retailer.

THE ROBERT SIMPSON CO., LTD. South-west Corner Yonge and Queen Streets. 170, 172, 174, 176, 178 Yonge Street. 1 and 3 Queen Street West.

MURDER OVER A WOMAN. Alonzo Williams killed his brother Samuel in Broad Park-street yesterday in Buffalo.

MORE BRIGHT SPARKS. From The Kincardine Review. Is the Tory species becoming extinct? Flynn was badly beaten in Quebec.

THE CHARGE IN FUGGERY. Acting Out of Endorsement of Missing Coupons for a Coal Company.

ISLAND NAVIGATION. Whitty Oshawa Bowmanville S. S. Garden City. QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY. ROUND TRIP ONLY 50c.

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INLAND NAVIGATION. PORT DALHOUSIE AND RETURN. ONLY 50c. Empress of India Saturday, May 22d, at 3.20 p.m., home at 9.40.

Queen's Birthday. Empress of India and G.T.R. Return tickets will be sold at single fare on May 22nd and 24th.

Rochester and Return. SPECIAL TRIP. EMPRESS OF INDIA. Saturday, May 22d, at 11 p.m., returning leave Charlottetown at 9 p.m., Sunday.

Queen's Birthday. STEAMER LAKESIDE. 50c.—To St. Catharines—50c. Will leave Toronto on Friday, May 24th.

Steamer Greyhound. Between Lorne Park and Oakville. Excursion parties 2 p.m. daily to call at Greyhound office and get rates before closing.

Steamer Queen City. The undersigned, having chartered the above commodious and popular steamer for the purpose of making excursions to and from Toronto, Hamilton, and Niagara Falls.

HAMILTON STEAMBOAT CO. QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY EXCURSION. BURLINGTON BEACH AND HAMILTON FARE FOR ROUND TRIP IS 50c.

NIAGARA RIVER LINE. Niagara Navigation Co. DOUBLE TRIPS, on and after SATURDAY, May 22d, Steamer "NICOBRA."

NIAGARA RIVER LINE. Queen's Birthday Steamer Chiora. Will leave Yonge-street Wharf (east side) at 7 a.m. and 2 p.m. daily.

PASSENGER TRAFFIC. White Star Line. Royal Mail Steamers New York to Liverpool, calling at Queenstown.

TICKETS TO EUROPE. VIA Montreal and New York. Excursion Tickets MAY 24th.

QUEBEC STEAMSHIP COMPANY. The Best Water Trip on the Continent. The favorite twin-screw steamship Canada is intended to leave Montreal, 5 p.m. Monday, June 1, 21, July 5, 18, August 2, 16, 30, for Quebec, calling at Montreal, Pointe-aux-Lacs, Percé, Summerside and Charlottetown, P.E.I. Through connections to Halifax, N.S., St. John's, Nfld., Portland, Boston and New York.

Tickets to Europe. Montreal and New York Lines. R. M. MELVILLE. Corner Toronto and Adelaide-streets, Toronto. Telephone, 3015.

INTERNATIONAL NAVIGATION CO.'S LINE. American Line. NEW YORK SOUTHAMPTON. Selling Wednesday at 10 a.m.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM. QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY. 24th May, 1897. SINGLE FIRST-CLASS FARE. 22nd, 23rd, 24th May, valid to return on 25th May, 1907.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RY. WILL ISSUE ROUND TRIP TICKETS FOR QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY. SINGLE FIRST CLASS FARE. Good going May 25 to 24, inclusive. Returning until May 30, 1907.

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AD DRY GOODS ONLY. Suitings. Costumes. Dress Skirts. JOHN CATTO & SON. King street, opp. Post-Office.





BRING UNCLE SAM TO TIME... value for... bank have... SON... obtain the... maker:... \$1.25... 1.25... 1.50... 1.00... .25... .50... .60... .50... .35... .35... .68... O BANK... MILTON... COURT OF THE... PEABODY... DON VALLEY...

United States Trying to Injure Our Smelters by Increasing the Duty on Raw Galena Ore Above That Placed on Lead Bullion.

The Trail Creek Miner Asks for an Export Duty on Ore Going into the United States—Something About the Cassiar District—Special to Mining Companies.

For the purpose of injuring Canadian smelters and compelling the silver-lead mines of British Columbia to ship their ore to American works, the United States Government has moved above the duty on raw galena ore much above the amount placed upon lead bullion.

Here is a chance for the Dominion Parliament to get in its work on a resolute tariff measure. It is an export duty on ore going into the United States, it would not only hurt the mining industry on the other side of the line, but would cause a number of smelters to be built in British Columbia.

One distant and very little known portion of British Columbia is the Cassiar district, which forms the extreme north-western corner of the province.

Since the year 1873, when the first mines of the district were first developed, the Cassiar district has been the scene of a steady and successful mining industry.

The richest creeks originally discovered have long worked out, mining has been attracted away to Alaska and Yukon, and the district is practically a blank.

Special to Mining Companies. The attention of mining companies who are about putting in machinery is specially called to the facilities of the Dodge and Spurr Pulley Company for the supplying of power-transmitting machinery.

As Work in the Sierran. Roseland Miner. Kaelo, May 20.—Special.—James Anderson, who is in charge of the prospecting party sent into the Duncan River country by the Gold Hill Exploration and Development Company, of which J. D. Edgar, speaker of the House of Commons, is president, and B. M. Arthur, the local managing director, has come down from his party, and is in the city for day or two.

He covered the distance from Vancouver Island to the Rockies and from the C.P.R. to the Boundary Line—A Talk with One of Rhodes' Lieutenants in the West in the Interests of the British South Africa Company.

Capt. J. A. Currie of Campbell, Currie & Co., has just returned from a two-months' sojourn in British Columbia, whether he went to investigate the many mining camps of the province.

At Roseland, the mining camp, he found the country very fertile and the prospect of a rich field for the investor very good.

Each city in British Columbia seems to have its own special field for investment. For instance, Victoria, which is the most of its attention to the mines at Alberni and on Texada Island.

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BRITISH COLUMBIA MINING. Capt. Currie Returns From a Two Months' Trip, COVERING MUCH GROUND.

The Toronto Broker Tells a World Man About His Impressions.

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MINING STOCKS. Montezuma 7 1/2, Regina 10, Ramsdell 15, Silver Bear 10 C.

DEER PARK. Has the LARGEST BODY OF ORE in the Rosland District.

MINING STOCKS. SCRAMBLE, Preferred Stock. 400 Black Sturgeon, Preferred Stock (on Scramble Vein) 170

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MINING STOCKS. The following stocks are offered at the lowest prices: Misisauga, Kelley Creek, Empress, R. E. Lee, B. C. Gold Fields, Gold Cache, Colorado, Hammond Gold Ref.

Old Flag Gold Mining Co. Rosland, B.C. 50,000 pooled promoters' shares for sale, at two cents—splendid showing, \$2,000 worth of work already done and Crown grant applied for.

VICTORY-TRIUMPH. Very Special. A few large blocks. Apply ROBERT DIXON, 309 Carlton St., Toronto.

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