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# The Toronto World

TWELFTH YEAR. MONDAY MORNING, MARCH 16, 1891.

## TEN ITALIANS LYNCHED.

*TERRIBLE WORK IN THE CRESCENT CITY OF NEW ORLEANS.*

**Sicilian Assassins of Chief Hennessy Remorselessly Slain—Consequences of the Failure to Convict in the Trial—Wild Scene of Lawlessness—The Action of the Avengers Applauded.**

NEW ORLEANS, March 15.—The jury in the case of nine Italians on trial for the murder of Chief of Police Hennessy rendered a verdict Friday evening acquitting six of the accused and failing to agree as to the other three.

The papers last evening were all emphatic in their denunciation of the verdict in the Hennessy case, and The States did not hesitate to declare that the jury had been bribed and that the authorities must find out who did the bribing.

The trial lasted 25 days, and though the evidence seemed conclusive the jury, currently charged with having been tampered with, failed to convict.

Last night a body of cool-headed men, lawyers, doctors, merchants and political leaders, all persons of influence and social standing, quietly met and decided that some action must be taken and the people's justice, swift and sure, visited upon those whom the jury had neglected to punish. This morning a call for a mass meeting at Clay Square, in Canal-street, appeared in the papers, which editorially deprecated violence. The significant closing sentence of the call was: "Come prepared for action."

About 10 o'clock citizens began gathering at the Clay statue and the crowd soon numbered 3000 men. They were quiet but determined. A large proportion were the leading people of the town. There were three addresses, short and pithy and business-like. Each of the speakers said there had been a great mass meeting months before, which had met quietly and dispersed peacefully, so that the law might take its course. The law had failed. The time to act had come. W. S. Parkerson, the leader, is a prominent lawyer here, the president of the Southern Athletic Club, Walter D. Denegre, another of the speakers, is one of the leaders of the New Orleans bar; John C. Wickliffe, also a prominent attorney, and James D. Houston, one of the foremost men of the state.

After denouncing Detective O'Mally, who is supposed to have tampered with the jury, the speakers announced that they would lead the way to the parish prison, Mr. Wickliffe concluding with these words: "Shall the execrable Mafia be allowed to flourish in this city? Shall the Mafia be allowed to cut down our citizens on public streets by foul means of assassination? Shall the Mafia be allowed to bribe jurors to let murderers go scot free?

**"Get Your Guns!"**

Some one yelled "Shall we get guns?" "Yes, get your guns," said Parkerson. Amid cheers the crowd tramped toward the prison along Canal and Rampart-streets, many arming themselves on the way. The crowd meantime was added to by hundreds of merchants and others. When the jail was reached the wooden door was broken in. Two men in the door prevented anyone entering except those who carried guns, and the intruders rushed into the lobby and demanded of the custodian the keys of the gates, which were quickly given up.

When apprised of the approaching mob the prison officials transferred the Italians to the female department up-stairs. The crowd proceeded thither. As they reached the landing the assassins fled down at the other end and their pursuers followed. In fear and trembling they screamed for mercy. But the avengers were merciless and a deadly rain of bullets poured into the crouching figures. Gerachi, the closest man, was struck in the back of the head and his body pitched forward and lay immovable on the stone pavement. Romero fell to his knees with his face in his hands and in that position was shot to death. Monasterio and James Caruso fell together under the fire of half a dozen guns, the leaden pellets entering their bodies and heads and the blood gushing from the wounds. The bloody executioners did their work well, and beneath the continuing fire Cometex and Trabinia, two of the men who had not been tried, but who were charged jointly with the other accused, fell together. Their bodies were literally riddled with buckshot, and they were stone dead almost before the fusilade was over.

**Slain in Their Cells.**

When the group of assassins was discovered on the gallery, Macheca, Scoffedi and old man Marchesi separated from the other six and ran upstairs. Thither half a dozen men followed them, and as the terror-stricken assassins ran into cells they were slain. Jo Macheca, who was charged with being the arch-conspirator, was a short, fat man and was summarily dealt with. He had his back turned when a shot struck him immediately behind the ear and his death was instantaneous. There was no blood from the wound, and when the body was found the ear was swollen so as to hide the wound, which the coroner had great difficulty in locating.

Scoffedi, one of the most villainous of the assassins, dropped like a log when a bullet hit him in the eye.

Old man Marchesi was the only one who was not killed outright. He was struck on the top of the head while he stood beside Macheca, and though he was mortally wounded he lingered all the evening.

**Shot and Hanged.**

Pollize, the crazy man, was locked up in a cell up-stairs. The doors were flung open and one of the avengers, taking aim, shot him through the body. He was not killed outright, and in order to satisfy the people on the outside, who were crazy to know what was going on within, he was dragged down the stairs and through the doorway by which the crowd had entered. Half carried, half dragged, he was taken to the corner. A rope was provided and tied around his neck, and the people pulled him up to the crossbars. Not satisfied that he was dead, a score of men took aim and poured a volley of shot into his body and for several hours the body was left dangling in the air.

Bagnetto was caught in the first rush upstairs and the first volley of bullets pierced his brain. He was pulled out by a number of stalwart men through the main entrance to the prison and from the limb of a tree his body was suspended, although life was already gone.

**The Bloody Work Finished.**

Just as soon as the bloody work was done Mr. Parkerson addressed the crowd and asked them to disperse. This they consented to do with a ringing shout, but first they made a rush for Parkerson and, lifting him bodily, supported him on their shoulders while they marched up the street. The avengers came back in a body to the Clay statue and then departed. Immense crowds rushed from all directions to the neighborhood of the tragedy, while the streets in front of the newspaper offices were blocked with people anxious to see the latest bulletins. There was intense suppressed excitement, but from one end of the city to the other the action of the citizens was applauded.

O'Mally, the detective, who would have shared the fate of the assassins if he had been caught, has disappeared and is not expected to return, and members of the jury are in hiding.

**The Victims.**

JAMES CARUSO, leaves wife.
FRANK ROMERO, leaves wife and family.
LORETTO COMITEZ, leaves wife and family.
SARETO CONITS.
ANTONIO SCOFFEDI.
ANTONIO BAGNETTO.
ANTONIO MARCHESI died from his injuries during the evening.
ROCCO GERACCI.
PIETRO MONASTERIO.
LOUIS TRAHINA.
CHARLES IRENNI.

**The Lynching Endorsed**

The Cotton Exchange, the Board of Trade, the Sugar Exchange and the Stock Exchange met and adopted resolutions maintaining that deplorable administration of criminal justice in this city and frightful extent to which bribery of jurors has been carried rendered it necessary for the citizens of New Orleans to vindicate outraged justice, and declaring the action of the citizens to have been proper and justifiable.

The Stock Exchange expelled J. M. Seligman, who was foreman of the jury at the trial of the assassins.

**Not the First Time.**

To-day's tragedy recalls a previous crusade here against the Sicilians. In 1858 a Sicilian political club here attempted to interfere with the politics of the day. There were frequent rows and one night during an election the Sicilians attempted to take charge of the polls. A riot followed and 10 or 15 Sicilians were shot or thrown into the river.

The coroner's jury presented a simple finding. They did not say who shot the men.

Matranga, Sunzeri, Natalie, the boy Marchesi, Paterno, John Caruso, Pietzo and Incardono are the eight men who escaped punishment. Caruso hid in the yard, Natalie concealed himself in the wash house and was discovered, but for some unknown reason his life was spared. Sunzeri and Pietzo hid in a dog house, and Incardono in a vault. The jail officials spirited Matranga and Paterno out of harm's way.

The foreman of the Mafia jury, Seligman, was arrested at a small railroad station just outside the city this morning while attempting to leave town.

Officer Herron was accidentally shot during the firing, but not seriously injured.

The jurors who were tampered with will be proceeded against.

**History of Hennessy's Murder.**

New Orleans was startled on the night of Oct. 15 by the report that David C. Hennessy, the popular chief of police, who was only 32 years old and had been on the force since he was 12, had been shot down by Italians in ambush. Just as he turned the corner near where he lived a volley from several guns, which awakened the people for squares around, was heard and Hennessy dropped on a neighboring door step riddled with bullets. The assassination was attributed to an Italian society in New Orleans which ordered assassinations. Hennessy had expressed his determination to annihilate the society and his death was decreed. Although three of his assassins were identified the jury failed to convict.

**The President's Message.**

WASHINGTON, March 15.—Secretary Blaine to-night sent a telegram to Governor Nichols of New Orleans stating that the Italian Minister had represented to the President that among the victims of the massacre were three or more subjects of the King of Italy, and under the United States treaty with Italy Italian subjects domiciled in the United States were promised "the most constant protection and security for their persons and property." The President deeply regrets that the citizens of New Orleans should have so disparaged the purity and adequacy of their own judicial tribunals as to transfer to the passionate judgment of a mob a question that should have been adjudged dispassionately and by settled rules of law. The Government urges the prosecution of all offenders.

**The Italian Prime Minister.**

NEW YORK, March 15.—In reply to a notification of the massacre from the Italian press of New York this despatch was received from the Italian Premier:

ROME, March 15.

Your cablegram received. I have already demanded from the Federal Government energetic and prompt measures. (Sgd.) RUDINI.

**Tardigradiosis.**

Carpe Diem. Do not let the day seek you. Your wife to-day may be your widow to-morrow. It is your duty to protect the widow and orphan whether yours or other peoples—yours preferred, for it is a moral as well as a legal obligation for every man to provide for those dependent upon him. What would you think of a man who turned his wife and children out of doors to beg or starve while he was alive? Not much! And that's exactly what you will do if you make no provision now for the future of your family. It does not matter whether the starving or begging business begins after you are dead or not, you are responsible for their condition, are you not?

Well.

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**Philipsen Condemned to Death.**

COPENHAGEN, March 15.—Philipsen, the soap manufacturer who was arrested early in April, 1890, for participation in insurance frauds, and who confessed on April 13 of the same year that he had strangled a clerk named Meyer, who had been missing since Jan. 7, 1890, and had sent his body to New York in a lime cask, has been condemned to suffer the death penalty for his crime.

**For the Widows and Orphans.**

The Manufacturers' Life Association has forwarded $100 to the Mayor of Spring Hill, to be applied to the fund for the relief of the widows and orphans of those killed in the recent accident.

**Eight Persons Drowned.**

PARIS, March 15.—Advices from Finistere say a fishing smack was wrecked to-day off Verity and 8 persons were drowned.

**Through Wagner Vestibule Buffet Sleeping Car Toronto to New York via West Shore Route.**

The West Shore through sleeping car leaves Union Station, Toronto, at 4.55 p.m. daily except Sunday, arriving in New York at 10.10 a.m. Returning this car leaves New York at 5 p.m. arriving in Toronto at 10.25 a.m. Sundays leaves Toronto at 12.30 p.m. connecting with through car at Hamilton.

**At last! A healthful confection that cleans and preserves the teeth, Adams' Tutti Frutti Gum. Sold by all druggists and confectioners, 5 cents.**

**His Hand Cut Off.**

LINDSAY, March 14.—James Staples, employed in James Hamilton's carriage works here, had his right hand amputated by a saw yesterday.

**Local Jottings.**

William McMullen, on a charge of obtaining money by false pretences, was on Saturday committed for trial.

Herbert Bailey was on Saturday fined $1 and costs for drunkenness and $20 or 30 days for carrying a revolver.

A meeting of a committee of the co-operative movement of East End property-owners will be held to-morrow.

The tutti-frutti drop-a-nickel-in-the-slot box at the Union Station was broken into and depleted of its contents last night.

The case of James McLaughlin, charged with shooting one Millington, has been traversed to the next court of sessions.

In the action of Isaac B. Johnson against J. K. Fisken for damages for alleged illegal seizure, Mr. Justice Street ordered a nonsuit on Saturday afternoon.

Isaac H. Radford, the real estate agent who was arrested on a charge of fraud preferred by Mr. Close, was on Saturday committed for trial, but allowed out on his own bail.

There were three charges against John Fox of passing counterfeit coin on Saturday. To two of them he pleaded guilty and on the third charge he was remanded till Wednesday next.

The anniversary services of the Sunday school of Woodgreen Tabernacle was held yesterday. The preachers were: Morning, Rev. J. E. Starr; afternoon, Rev. Dr. Stafford; evening, Mr. S. H. Blake. The scholars' entertainment will be given to-night.

Surrogate Court proceedings took place on Saturday in these estates: Fireman James Hughes, whose father petitions for administration of $230 gratuity from the Firemen's Benevolent Fund; Thomas Lane, Toronto, $1700; Police-Sergeant Carr, $3675.

At the Auditorium last night a service of sacred song was enjoyed by as many as could crowd into the building. The singing was provided by the members of the Royal Edinburgh Concert Company, who gave a very creditable rendering of a number of Handel's beautiful sacred songs. The sermon was preached by Rev. J. M. Wilkinson.

## REFUSING THE SACRAMENT

*TO ADHERENTS OF PARNELL IF HE PERSISTS IN HIS COURSE.*

**Significant Speech By the Administrator to the Primate—The Usual Sunday Free Fights at Meetings of the Factions—Parnell's Manifesto to Americans—Healy Favors Either Liberals or Tories.**

DUBLIN, March 15.—Rev. Father McOscar, Administrator to the Primate, preaching at Armagh to-day, said that he had advised the Primate to refrain for the present from taking issue with Mr. Parnell, but that if the latter persisted in his present course the sacraments would be refused to his adherents.

At Newry yesterday the police had to disperse a mob of Parnellites who interrupted a McCarthyite meeting. There were 5000 persons present. At a Parnellite meeting at Midleton, County Cork, McCarthyites interrupted a Parnellite meeting, and the police had to be called upon to suppress a free fight. Parnell spoke in Galway in his usual strain.

Speaking at Newry Mr. Healy advised an alliance with any party, Tory or Liberal, to secure their ends.

*PARNELL'S PLEA.*

**The Irish Statesman's Long-Expected Manifesto Issued.**

LONDON, March 16.—Mr. Parnell has made public his long-expected manifesto. The full text of the document follows:

HOUSE OF COMMONS, Friday, March 13.

*To the Irish People of America:*

FELLOW-COUNTRYMEN: In 1880 and subsequent years you assisted me powerfully by your influence upon American public opinion and with your generous financial support to create the great movement of the Land League. Without your aid, so freely given and so constantly maintained, Ireland could not for one moment have made headway against the enormous odds in her struggle for the right of her people to live upon the fruits of their industry and the advisability of establishing a provincial department of mines. The geological and mining section will meet this afternoon at 3 to make arrangements. Mr. David Boyle presented the annual archæological report, outlining the work done during the year.

**His Whiskers Singed.**

HAMILTON, March 15.—There was a fire at J. Winkler's residence, 14 Main-street west, yesterday. When Mr. Winkler opened the door of the kitchen the flames burst out and singed his whiskers and hair and burned his forehead. The loss will be about $200.

**Killed in a Dispute.**

HALIFAX, N.S., March 15.—In a dispute over the elections in the house of Samuel Soles at Chezzatcook yesterday, Soles ordered a man out of the house. He refused and Soles took his gun and threatened to shoot him, when the other struck the gun down with his hand and the weapon was discharged, Soles receiving the contents with fatal effect.

**By a Majority of One Vote.**

HAMILTON, March 15.—There is only one licensed hotel in Binbrook township. It is at Hall's Corners and has lately been bought from James Addison by A. Ward of Oakville. Yesterday the Binbrook people voted on a local option bylaw and it was carried by a majority of one vote.

**Preparing for Ferry Business.**

The Toronto Ferry Company's steamer Luella is expected to be in the bay before the end of the week. She has been fitted up at Oakville and as soon as the ice is out of the bay will make regular trips to the west point of the Island.

**It was Spite Work.**

Some evilly-disposed person crossed over to the Island one night last week and destroyed some 60 shade trees surrounding the Turner Baths. The trees were hacked with an ax and cannot be replaced under $200. The police are looking for the guilty party.

**It is Going Out of the Bay.**

The heavy southwest wind which prevailed yesterday broke up the ice in the bay, and by noon the most of it was driving out of the eastern gap. It is expected that the end of the week will see a clear sheet of water between the city and the Island.

**Excursion to Washington on March 25 Via the Picturesque Erie Railway.**

Don't miss this last chance to visit Washington, Richmond, Old Point Comfort and Petersburg and only cost the small sum of $10 round trip. Suspension Bridge to Washington. Tickets good for ten days. Parties intending to take advantage of this extremely low rate should secure their Pullman berths early. For full particulars apply to S. J. Sharp, 19 Wellington-street east, Toronto.

**Personal.**

Mr. T. H. McMillan, Oshawa, is at the Rossin.

Lt.-Col. Tisdale, M.P., Simcoe, is at the Rossin.

Dr. Roome, M.P., West Middlesex, was in town Saturday.

Mr. G. W. Clarke, C.P.R. solicitor, Montreal, was in town Saturday.

Lt.-Col. Macdonald of the Militia Department, Ottawa, was in town Saturday.

Miss Agnes Huntington, Mrs. F. E. Huntington and the principal members of Miss Huntington's opera company are at the Queen's.

Mr. Fred Worts left town on Saturday to make a tour of the world. A number of friends accompanied him as far as New York.

*THE SEVENTEENTH OF MARCH.*

**There Will be no Parade but an Early Morning March to Church.**

The police are anxious to learn whether the Irish Catholic societies will parade tomorrow in celebration of St. Patrick's Day. Very Rev. Dean McCann, in answer to The World's enquiry last night, stated that there would be no parade, but that a few of the societies would assemble for church service and march to St. Michael's Cathedral to hear 10 o'clock mass, afterwards dispersing.

Yesterday morning the members of the Irish Catholic Benevolent Union and the Emerald Beneficial Association proceeded in a body to the cathedral at 10 o'clock, where Dean McCann celebrated mass in honor of the saint. In concluding the sermon of the day, the Dean referred to the festival of the week and the affectionate place Saint Patrick held in the hearts of the Irish people. In the evening there were grand musical vespers. Rev. Father Walsh delivered an eloquent panegyric of St. Patrick, emphasizing the fruits of his mission and the fidelity of his people to their religion and their country.

**Various Celebrations.**

The Ancient Order of Hibernians have engaged the Auditorium (Shaftesbury Hall) for the evening of the 17th. A concert and oration will be given, the latter by Senator O'Donohoe, whose voice has been heard on every St. Patrick's Day here for the last 50 years.

In the morning the Hibernians will march in a body, accompanied by the I.C.B.U. and the E.B.A., from their hall, Farley-avenue, to St. Michael's Cathedral.

The Young Irishmen's Catholic Benevolent Association will be found at Tempeaance Hall on St. Patrick's night.

In the East End the night will be observed by the St. Paul's Catholic Literary Association, the members of which will give a concert in St. Paul's Hall, Power-street, and in addition there will be a lecture by the Rev. Martin Callaghan of the Sulpicians, Montreal. He will speak on "Irish Music," and give violin illustrations of his subject. The proceeds of the entertainment will be applied in aid of St. Paul's Church.

The students of St. Michael's College will prove their national faith by a musical and dramatic entertainment on the evening of Ireland's anniversary.

**Irish Newspaper Men Dine.**

The annual dinner of the Irish newspaper men of Toronto was held Saturday night at McConkey's. About 30 sat around the board with P. Boyle in the chair and Mayor Clarke as vice-chairman. Among the visitors present were Messrs. McCallum and Cousins, Herald, Montreal; Hastings, Herald, Hamilton; Johnston, Citizen, Ottawa.

The toast list included The Queen, Erin, Canada, Irishmen, Irishwomen, Press Absent. Comrades and Countrymen were happily propposed, heartily drunk and wittily responded to as only true Irishmen can. Songs were sung by Messrs. Cousins, Garvin and McCormack. It was the universal opinion that the dinner was the most successful yet held.

**Changes in Quebec.**

QUEBEC, March 14.—Carroll (Lib.), who was at first announced as having been elected in Kamouraska, is now reported to be defeated by 25 votes owing to the returning officer having neglected to enclose the required certificate in three of the ballot boxes.

Simard (Lib.), who had been reported to be defeated in Charlevoix, is now announced to be elected by 270 majority, and in Maskinonge, Legris (Lib.), who also was announced to be defeated, is now said to be elected, although there are still some doubts.

**Sale of Boyd Bros' Stock.**

The entire stock of Boyd Bros. & Co. has been disposed of to F. E. Boyd & Co., who will be ready for business to-morrow morning. The greatest interest is taken in the sale, a large number of purchase tickets having been disposed of already. The stock is first-class throughout, most of the staples being new. The various departments are all in good shape and merchants purchasing can depend on securing exceptionally good bargains.

**Resigned From the Force.**

Policeman John Hendry, attached to No. 3 Police Station, has resigned from the force to go into business for himself. Mr. Hendry joined the police in 1873, thus having spent 18 years in the ranks. He will draw some $700 out of the Police Benefit Fund, and if he had remained in uniform three years longer he would have been entitled to retire on half-pay.

**The Mining Convention.**

The Canadian Institute Saturday evening adopted the resolution of the geological and mining section, calling a mining convention on March 31 to consider measures for advancing that

## BANISHMENT FOR TREASON.

*BRITISH REGIMENTS MAY COME TO CANADA FOR A WHILE.*

**The Government Not Yet Settled on What They Will Do With Farrer—If He is Prosecuted Members of Parliament Will Be Also—Putting Down Annexation.**

OTTAWA, March 15.—I got a hint to-night that the Government have been considering a good deal as to what they should do with men like Edward Farrer of The Globe. A firm of Toronto solicitors have been at work on his conduct, and some weeks ago they advised the Government that he came well within the law in regard to high treason, especially since it has been learned that the secret pamphlet which he published was written for the express information of Senator Hoar's committee and the administration at Washington. As the law now is there would be no difficulty in establishing a conviction against The Globe's editor for high treason. Whether the Government will go this far has yet to be decided by them. If they do move they will probably move against some others who are members of Parliament and who are tarred with the same stick. Any punishment that may be meted out to them will be of the nature of banishment rather than of confinement.

Another thing which I heard to-day is that the Government are being urged to ask Lord Salisbury to station in Canada five to ten British regiments, quartering them at Halifax, Quebec, Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg and Vancouver. It is argued that the presence of these regiments in Canada would do more to put down the annexation gang and put a check to their conspiracy than anything else.

## LUNATICS BURN TO DEATH

**Destruction of a Tennessee Insane Asylum—Six of the Inmates Perish—Disastrous Fire in Syracuse.**

NASHVILLE, Tenn., March 15.—The beautiful Central Insane Asylum, seven miles from this city, is almost a mass of ruins this morning, and beneath it are the charred bodies of half a dozen of the unfortunate inmates; in the outhouses near by are huddled the poor demented creatures who found an asylum in the grand structure now in ashes; and on the lawn the long, parched heads of branch and foliage, stand, the spectral trunks, with gaunt, outstretched arms marking the spot where stood the massive building, one of the most beautiful and attractive spots in Middle Tennessee.

The fire broke out at 10.15, but before aid arrived from the city at 2.15 the west wing has been destroyed with the inmate.

J. S. JOHNS of Rutherford County.
P. BURTDEXTER of Wilson.
BLUE PRESTON of Cannon.
JOHN KELLY of Wayne.
W. H. BEASTEY of Hickman.
B. F. HOLLOWEL of Davidson.

At 3.15 the flames were subdued, the lunatics who had been huddled for several hours in the yard in front of the burning wing were returned to the east wing. About 25 had escaped, the majority of whom were harmless. The dangerous lunatics were kept locked all the time in the east wing and were not subjected to expose or danger during the progress of the flames.

**The Saline City Fire-Swept.**

SYRACUSE, March 15.—The most disastrous fire that Syracuse has ever known took place yesterday. It originated in Heir & Lighton's cigar manufactory at 253 West Fayette-street, in the Hogan block. It soon spread to the stores of M. P. Walsh, hardware, and Cahill Bros.' bakery in the same block. It was but a short space of time after the breaking out of the flames in the cigar store before the old Central Office of United States Hotel at the corner of East Fayette and Franklin-streets was being licked up. The Hogan block was six stories high, with mansard front. The United States Hotel was but two stories in height and built of brick. It was one of the landmarks of the city. From the Hogan block the flames leaped across the street, catching the Osgood V. Tracy block. Simultaneously it caught in the blocks on the east, the Newell block coming next, the Tracy and the Fay building adjoining the Newell block then took fire.

The Ayres block and the Seneca hotel, together with numerous business houses, were also destroyed.

At 7.30 another fire broke out which burned fiercely until 2.30 p.m., the buildings destroyed being The Journal office, the Cook block, the Montgomery flats, one of the handsomest blocks in the city, six stories in height, with mansard roof. By 9 o'clock it seemed as though the whole city would burn up. The wind blew like a hurricane, carrying flames and sparks far and wide.

By the first fire 10 blocks were leveled at West Fayette and Franklin-streets; by the second, three blocks, one of which covered half the square—the Yates block—and one residence. Over ten families were burned out in flats above stores. Four residences were destroyed in first fire. The loss will reach $2,000,000; insurance about half that sum.

Another fire broke out this (Sunday) morning in the St. James' Episcopal Church, which was totally destroyed, together with the McLennan flats adjoining, occupied by the Standard Watch Company. It is estimated the loss by fire in Syracuse in the last 24 hours will aggregate over $1,200,000.

## DR. WINDTHORST DEAD.

**His Last Words, Uttered in Delirium—a A Speech on the Jesuit Question.**

BERLIN, March 15.—Dr. Ludwig Windthorst, the Parliamentary leader of the Catholic party in Prussia, who has been dangerously ill for some days, died at 8.15 o'clock yesterday. Dr. Windthorst at midnight was merely able to whisper to replies to inquiries as to his condition. Suddenly, however, his voice returned, and evidently imagining that he was in the Reichstag, delivered an impassioned address in favor of the abolition of the law expelling the Jesuits from Germany. The veteran leader's voice echoed clearly heard through three rooms. He never spoke after having concluded his remarks on that bill.

Dr. Ludwig Winthorst was born January 17, 1812, at Kaldenhof, in the Province of Ausnabrueck, Hanover. His parents were of the agricultural class and were devout Catholics. In 1849 he became a member of the Second Chamber of the Hungarian Diet, and was a leader therein. Late in 1865 he became Chief Syndic of the Crown in Celle. When Hanover was forced to yield to the inevitable and to become in 1866 a part of Prussia it was Windthorst who conducted the negotiations with Prince Bismarck concerning the compensation to be made to the King of the little State for quietly giving up his throne.

In 1867 he became a member of the Prussian House of Deputies and the North German Reichstag, but the most signal incident of those years of his participation in 1869 in the lay-congress at Berlin, the purpose of which was to oppose the doctrine of papal infallibility.

**Other Obituary Notes.**

Rev. Charles Neel, B.A., died the other day at Caistorville at the ripe age of 88 years.

The death is announced in San Francisco of Capt. William Clinton of Windsor, who went south for the benefit of his health.

A Minor Griswolds, widely known as the "Fat Contributor," editor of Texas Siftings, died suddenly of apoplexy at Sheboygan Falls, Wis., yesterday.

Mr. J. H. McMullen, P.G.C.T. of the Independent Order of Good Templars, and a prominent member of the A.O.U.W. and Select Knights of Canada, also treasurer of the Quarterly Board of Carlton-street Methodist Church, and Bible class teacher in its Sunday school, died at his residence, 449 Yonge-street, on Saturday, aged 53 years. Death resulted from inflammation of the bowels. Mr. McMullen was head bookkeeper for R. Walker & Sons. The funeral will take place to-day at 3 o'clock.

Dr. B. H. Broberg, who for a number of years practised the massage treatment in this city, died on Saturday afternoon at Brooklyn, N.Y. The doctor had been failing for some months, and his trouble developing into tumor of the brain, he never rallied, but passed quietly away on Saturday. A general favorite with all with whom he came in contact, his death will cause a great regret among his many friends in Toronto.

*MR. BLAKE'S LETTER.*

**The Situation as Changed by it on Both Sides of the Line.**

HOW IT PROMOTES LIMITED RECIPROCITY.

[*By E. W. Thomson.*]

I.

The World editor invites me to set forth over my own name, and on professional terms, whatever I may choose to say touching the Hon. Edward Blake's famous paper to the members of the West Durham Reform Convention. I mention The World's invitation that all The World's readers may understand that the editor is responsible for the apparent opinion that a signed article from me may be better read and therefore more useful to his journal than an unsigned one. My duty in the case is not to advance the well-understood views of The World, nor to make any account of the interests of either political party, but to earn my fee honestly by stating what I conceive to be right, without fear or favor.

The present communication will be devoted not so much to remarks upon the contents of Mr. Blake's document as to consideration of the changed situation which its publication has produced. The change effected, or to be effected thereby, is not, I think, a change in Canadian party politics only, but a change in the international politics of the Dominion and the United States. To show that the cause of limited reciprocity has probably been far advanced by Mr. Blake is the purpose of the present writing. If I can make this out it will generally be acknowledged that Mr. Blake has once again deserved well of his countrymen.

All that I ask on which to found the argument is a concession that Mr. Blake's demonstration that unrestricted reciprocity requires assimilation of tariffs, that assimilation of tariffs involves customs union, and that customs union implies political union, is at least perfect enough to have wiped unrestricted reciprocity out of Canadian practical politics. The concession will not appear a large one to demand when you consider that no publicist nor journalist has yet been hardy enough to measure his power of ratiocination against the task of upsetting Mr. Blake's argument. Some of his critics have groaned over him, others have maligned him, the most considerable appears to have taken refuge behind the broad embankment of anonymity in order to safely taunt our great native Canadian with cowardice and treachery. But not a man-jack of them all has grappled with his argument. We may, therefore, fairly assume it to be invincible. As for his futile maligners! when one thinks of them one may well apply to him the lines of James Russell Lowell to George William Curtis:

"You have heard harsher voices and more loud,
As all must, not sworn liegemen of the crowd,
And far apart your silent mind could keep
As when, in heavens with winter midnight deep,
The perfect moon hangs thoughtful, nor can know
What hounds her lucent calm drives mad below."

Assuming now the concession that Mr. Blake's argument on the point mentioned is too forceful to be overcome, it follows that no Canadian politicians can hereafter, as many heretofore have honestly done, contend that in advocating unrestricted reciprocity he advocates anything short of political union, more or less deferred, with the neighboring Republic. It is now inconceivable that a bold, straightforward agitation for annexation might gain much more support than is generally supposed likely, but it may be safely asserted that no party in a mask which has once been lifted off in the view of the whole public and so proved a mask can succeed in winning favor from the electors. The change in Canadian politics effected by Mr. Blake's invincible demonstrations is therefore this—that if any politicians were to go on advocating unrestricted reciprocity they would be treated as annexationists too blind to perceive that their disguise has been removed. Admitting this, it follows that the parliamentarians involved must either avow themselves favorable to annexation, which no one ever imagines they will do, or else stow away unrestricted reciprocity with the old canvas.

Let us now look at the effect which this obvious change in the Canadian situation should produce, and is therefore likely to produce, upon the mind of Mr. Blaine and other United States politicians who are worthy to be entitled statesmen and are also friends to Mr. Blaine's policy of contracting treaties of reciprocity with neighboring countries. That policy of Mr. Blaine appears to be popular with the American people, whether Republican or Democratic in their party politics. It is popular because it is a reasonable policy, not only as furthering United States trade, but as promoting tentatively, and in accordance with the sentiments as well as the interests of all American nations, the reign of peace and good-will among the different peoples of this hemisphere.

So long as Mr. Blaine and the other reciprocity statesmen had any reason to believe that Canada would vote for unrestricted reciprocity, and therefore for the political consequences implied therein, he and they would naturally profess, and even fell, a disinclination to consider limited reciprocity. In using the term limited reciprocity I do not signify reciprocity in natural products only. Against that Mr. Blaine has not only declared, but will of course stand, as an arrangement by which his country could obtain too little for giving Canada a good deal. But between that narrow reciprocity and unrestricted reciprocity there is a wide field wherein Canada, with benefit to herself, could give her neighbors a just price for advantages received. It is surely probable that Sir John Macdonald would readily agree to even a wider list of manufactures to be freely exchanged than that list to which the Honorable George Brown, in 1876, was willing to assent. Perhaps it may not be expedient to copy that list, for since it was made some development in our manufacturing industries has been effected, and have thus interests created which are not only entitled to fair consideration but must receive such consideration lest the complicated fabric of Canadian business come to a crash. Nevertheless, a list as long and as inclusive of values could be, it seems likely, arranged, and it would be more to the interests of both countries to agree on such a list than to continue on a condition of something like commercial hostility. American statesmen, if they could still believe that a Canadian party favorable to unrestricted reciprocity would be put in power within five years or any measurable period, might, with some reason, refuse to come to an agreement. But let us not forget that the very key to the present situation is that unrestricted reciprocity has been, by Mr. Blake's demonstration, removed from practical politics here, wherefore American statesmen have to choose between a wide though limited reciprocity that would greatly advance American interests, and no more reciprocity than at present obtains.

That consideration is far from being the sole, or even the main one, which will inevitably present itself in favor of wide reciprocity to American statesmen. In the second place comes the large probability that wide reciprocity would become wider reciprocity with the lapse of time, and no very great time at that. In order to carry on under wide and limited reciprocity the Canadian system of raising revenue would necessarily be somewhat changed, and changed in a direction upon which progress could be made gradually and naturally, according as the wide reciprocity was made wider. Moreover the business modifications produced by wide reciprocity would prepare the business fabric of Canada in a similar gradual and safe fashion for wider reciprocity. Wherefore it seems almost axiomatic that a wide treaty of limited reciprocity is the natural prelude to an ever-widening treaty, and if in the treaty of beginning a clause were inserted providing that a conference for widening but not for narrowing the arrangement should be held every three or five years, the intent of both countries to widen the agreement would be set forth in a manner that would govern thought about international commerce, and give to the whole arrangement a valuable element of permanence.

In the next place, Mr. Blaine and other statesmanlike friends of reciprocity can scarcely fail to perceive that if no treaty for wide reciprocity be soon concluded, the commercial course of Canada is likely to be toward a fusion of business interests with England, either by a differential tariff in favor of English goods, or by, what some of us Reformers would like better or even best of all, an approach toward free trade with such changes of our taxation system as might be involved. Now, the effect of such a change would surely be to originate and strengthen here new interests, which would not be in the least favorable to reciprocity with the States. Hence American statesmen, since unrestricted reciprocity has been killed by Mr. Blake in Canada, have powerful reasons for welcoming Sir John Macdonald's advances and making a fair bargain, such a bargain as Canada can accept with honor and without danger to her business fabric, while still there is time. The fabled Sybil with her Nine Books may here be referred to with impunity.

To return now to the field of purely Canadian politics it is plain that since Mr. Blake has killed unrestricted reciprocity, the agitation for it has effects highly advantageous to a movement for wide reciprocity. Mr. Laurier, Sir Richard and their associates are in no position to deny that three-quarters of a loaf are better than no reciprocity bread. They are in no position to deny that wide reciprocity would be a long improvement on the situation. They could never oppose those "liberal provisions for reciprocal free trade with the States" in favor of which Mr. Blake has declared. They have, in fact, always held the position that one of their main reasons for favoring unrestricted reciprocity was that limited reciprocity could not be obtained. And if they went against a wide limited treaty they would be as deeply condemned as that journal is now which exerts all its efforts every lawful morning to balk the movement for wide limited reciprocity, and obviously strives to depress business and hope here in order to create a condition of public despair which might be favorable to unrestricted reciprocity, if it were not dead beyond revivification.

The way of thinking about reciprocity that Mr. Blake's far-reaching argument must produce, if it has already produced among statesmen on both sides of the line, he has certain correctly set forth, eminently favorable to a wide treaty of commerce and good-will between the two countries. Wherefore I repeat that he has once again deserved well of his fellow-countrymen.

In the future letters of this series, to which The World has invited me, I cannot be expected to deal with matters of consequence so great, immediate and practical as those slightly touched herein. But there is enough in Mr. Blake's seven-leagued-boots thoughts to provide any one of his critics, admiring or adverse, with thinking for many a day, and I hope to get further hearing even in the hubbub which has been aroused by the courageous and trenchant manifesto of our greatest and our best.

E. W. THOMSON.

*ARBITRATION RE NEWFOUNDLAND*

**The Agreement With England Signed by President Carnot.**

PARIS, March 15.—President Carnot signed the agreement by which England and France undertake to submit to arbitration the matters in dispute in relation to Newfoundland.

**The Delegates Arrive.**

NEW YORK, March 15.—James J. O'Kelly, M.P., John O'Connor, M.P., W. H. K. Redmond, M.P., and Henry Harrison, M.P., delegates sent to this country by Mr. Parnell for the purpose of raising funds for the Nationalist movement, arrived here this morning on the Etruria from Queenstown. They were met by a reception committee, Ald. Clendineng, a member of the Quebec Legislature from Montreal, and a Mr. Crowe were among the earliest callers. In behalf of the Irishmen of Montreal they extended to the envoys an invitation to visit that city, which the latter said they would be pleased to do while making their Canadian tour.

**Anxiety For the Queen's Health.**

LONDON, March 15.—Great anxiety is expressed in the Queen's intimate circle of courtiers as to her health. Although not seriously ill, the Queen is visibly ailing, and continues to be much excited and distressed at the ill of Sir William Gordon Cumming baccarat affair. For the last few days she has talked of little or nothing else.

**Wedding Gifts Subject to Duty.**

WASHINGTON, March 15.—A resident of Chicago who was recently married in Canada has been informed by Assistant Secretary Spaulding that the wedding gifts received by his wife will be subject to duty on their importation into this country, as there is no statute exempting such articles from the payment of duty.

*BIRTHS.*

EMERSON—On Tuesday, March, 3, at 316 Wellesley-street, the wife of Harry J. Emerson of a son.

*DEATHS.*

EMERSON—On Saturday morning, March 14, at 316 Wellesley-street, Eliza Horton, the beloved wife of Harry J. Emerson.

Funeral private.

COMPAIN—Suddenly, on the 14th inst., at Villa Colombina, 131 Jameson-avenue, Sebastien Louis Compain, in the 85th year of his age, born at Bruion, France, beloved father of Mrs. Angelo M.

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### Where All Critics Err.

As was generally expected, "Don" in Saturday Night has a vigorous criticism of Mr. Blake and his Durham letter. The article was written before the Ottawa note appeared upon the scene, and, convicting Mr. Blake of being an annexationist, proceeds to punish his supposed unworthiness. The Ottawa note is included in a postcript saying that Mr. Blake is either perpetrating a practical joke on Canadians or else does not know what he does believe.

The trouble with all the published criticisms of that Durham letter is that the critics approached it determined to extract from it something that by the studied design of a trained legal mind was carefully kept out of it, namely, Mr. Blake's own purpose, or policy. The letter did not contain it, nor pretend to do so. Seizing upon such a letter with such a purpose wrong conclusions were almost inevitable. It was an arraignment of all existing things without suggestion of remedy. It condemned the Reform policy and the Conservative policy as each in different ways making for annexation, and it undertook to show how. On this ground critics could fairly grapple with it, but they chose to draw inferences. The World is the only paper that, after Mr. Blake's letter was published, admitted his wisdom in keeping it until the elections were over and at the same time refused to regard it as favorable to annexation. We saw in it a promise of something to follow, and though disagreeing with much that had been said in condemnation of things as they are, and regretting that the ex-Liberal leader should seek to becloud visions of the future, we regarded this as an effort to enhance his purposed suggestion rather than as an espousal of the cause of annexation and disheartened surrender. Whatever his proposal it deserves fair hearing. But he has made none as yet.

Don's criticism is very spirited and in a tone that will quite suit the great bulk of Canadians. For instance, where he conceives Mr. Blake to be solicitous lest the Americans should decline to annex us, he says:

> According to his forecast we must appeal to their "national sentiment" in order to get into the union. Imagine Canadians belly-crawling around Washington and trying to arouse the patriotism of the Yankees in order that we may be able to efface our nationality by sinking it in theirs! By the great gods, we would be nice specimens of what our Creator intended for men if we, by exhibiting our entire abandonment of patriotism, expected to produce in the United States any sentiment except disgust.

Whatever Mr. Blake's unfolded plan may turn out to be his Ottawa note removes the ground upon which the above rests. The article, however, is valuable as a reflection of public opinion on annexation.

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What will become of The Mail? It is annexationist as pronounced as The Globe, but not so well established in the confidence of the Reformers. What it looks for, hopes for, is a split of the Reform party into an out-and-out annexation wing and a loyal wing and that it may become attached to one of these and that The Globe take to the other. As things are, they are frightfully jealous one of the other. Both are extremely down on Toronto as a business centre and they never cease to denounce the people of the cities and towns, and especially those monopolists and manufacturers who are pampered and overfed by the N.P.

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There is one thing quite evident that the Reform party, as now constituted, has no further use for Mr. Blake. Any expressions of good-will toward him that may appear in the Reform press these days have no genuine feeling at the bottom. In their ordinary talk and conversation the Liberals are very plain in their statement that it would have been good for them had they got rid of Mr. Blake long ago. Sir Richard Cartwright will early seize the opportunity, in spite of Mr. Laurier, of declaring that Mr. Blake has left the Liberal party for the Liberal party's good.

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The Irish journalists dined Saturday night and the Green Isle was duly honored in song and toast. In drawing into the brain the raw material of language and tossing from the tongue the manufactured article of eloquence, refined, polished and finished, the Irishman excels and brilliant speeches mark such dinners as this.

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If Mr. Mowat hasn't joined Farrer and Wiman he might have been Sir Oliver next Queen's Birthday. And what would have been sweeter to the Little Man's vanity?

### The Late Congress.

The Marquis of Lorne in a recent criticism of Prof. Goldwin Smith says that gentleman writes and speaks as though political corruption were a crime peculiar to Canada from which political union would grant sweet relief. Mr. O. V. Morgan, M.P., who has traveled extensively in Canada and the United States, tells the English people through the press that Canadian politics are pure compared with those of the Republic. He is right. The cleverest job ever put up, the most pretentious scheme ever operated in Canadian politics would be mere child's playacross the line.

The Fifty-first Congress that has just adjourned is charged with more gross abuse of the Governmental functions than all the true and false accusations made against the Parliaments of Canada since Confederation. Unless it is sadly belied, the Republican party entered the Congress with a majority of eight, which it utilized in ousting seventeen Democrats and giving their seats to Republicans, as one paper says, "as coolly as road agents ever went through a train of cars or pirates scuttled a ship." Thead of Maine was elected Speaker and ruled without pretence of fairness, not as one infallible, but as autocrat who could wittingly do wrong and repress expostulation or punish it. He made arbitrary rules through which his friends could break with impunity and against which opponents could make no progress. It is estimated that the total appropriations of the Fifty-first Congress will amount to $1,000,000,000, the large excess being made up of grants disguised as bounties to sugar production, but actually intended to buy certain sections for the party; but chiefly through throwing open the pension department to all who could establish any sort of connection with the civil war. The ordinary, matter-of-fact election iniquities scarcely receive mention in print, so general are they, but when government itself becomes quite perverted a temporary feeling is aroused.

### The Funeral Will be Private.

Unrestricted Reciprocity has the name to live but is dead. The Liberal leaders cluster about the rigid form, rouge the wan cheeks, shade the glassy eyes and say it but slumbers. Truth to tell, it is dead. Though not consigned to its allotted spot in the crowded cemetery of Grit fads, still the corpse is ready, the grave yawns, Edward Blake has written the epitaph and The Globe editor is studying the burial service.

But the burial must not occur—the name of Unrestricted Reciprocity must not be numbered with the inglorious dead until a new figure adorns the party shrine, and then, when the attention of the Fad Worshippers is fascinated by the new and gorgeous appearance, there will be a hasty interment. Sir Richart Cartwright, who has long officiated as sexton and conducted many such burials, has the whole thing in charge. By the bye, it is said that the sexton has staked out another large plot and made an arrangement with Doctor Farrer whereby he may bury the whole Reform party ere resigning his overworked spade. But that is another matter. The funeral of U.R. will be strictly private. Already The Globe has denied Mr. Wiman's relationship to the deceased, refused him the right to witness the last sad ceremony and weep away his fatherly grief by the open grave. It declares that Mr. Wiman did not found the unrestricted reciprocity movement and has nothing to do with the Liberal party, being an "outsider who bloweth where he listeth." The Liberal organ gives its Tory friends permission to "carry him off the stage and lock him up until the next battle begins."

Which illustrates once again that politics are very, very cruel.

### Spew Them Out.

A very prominent man in this country who is not in politics made the remark the other day: "There is only one thing that alarms me for the future of Canada, and it is that the people do not spew out such men as Cartwright, Wiman, Farrer and The Globe and Mail." If these men and papers are allowed to go on unchecked the people will lose their sense of what they owe to their country.

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The Liberal party has never had a da'ys luck from the time they deposed Alexander Mackenzie after defeat in 1878.

### Is It the Fact?

Sifted down to the point the argument of the Annexationists is that Canada is no good in herself, that Canadians are incompetent to develop their resources and that the only market left to them for anything they may have to sell is in the United States.

### Mr. Wiman's Skirts Clear—The Slander Against Mr. Thomson.

*Editor World:* Mr. Wiman has sent me this statement: "Your denial of any complicity in respect of the disclosure of private letters during the recent elections is amply sufficient."

As I had been fully vindicated before, as I do not now believe Mr. Wiman was in any degree responsible for the sedulous circulation of the slander by word of mouth here, and as he must have foreseen that his private communication of it to me would enable me to strike the lie dead publicly, I have no need to press him for further satisfaction.

Mr. Wiman has given me no further information in the affair, either directly or indirectly. It is not difficult to surmise why. He is, as all who have the pleasure of his acquaintance know, very generous and considerate, wherefore it may be taken for granted that he does not wish to "give away" those who, I presume, endeavored to obtain from him some assertion that would palliate their malicious falsehood against me. They did not, I am now confident, get any such statement from him, but they went ahead, apparently determined to damage my professional reputation if possible, and audaciously taking the chance that neither Mr. Wiman nor anyone else would enable me to paralyze their slander publicly. They may thank his concealment of their instigations for cheap escape from their nasty conduct.

Yours, etc.,
E. W. THOMSON.

March 14, 1891.

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"My Lyrical Life": Poems, old and new. By Gerald Massey, London, Eng., Kegan Paul, Trenon & Co.

A second edition, containing the first series, with additions, has just been issued, and will be a welcome addition to the libraries of the many admirers of the writings of Mr. Massey. For several decades the homely, hearty patriotic songs of the aged poet have been sung in all lands where English verse is appreciated. Gerald Massey is a real poet. His verse has the sterling endorsation of such competent critics as Walter Savage London, Matthew Arnold, John Ruskin, Sir Henry Taylor, Thomas Carlyle. What better commendation could they have? "My Lyrical Life" is deserving of a large sale. In some of the poems there is a marked resemblance to Keats, and in others there are thoughts and expressions which remind us of Shakespeare's sonnets. Gerald Massey has been designated as "the poet of private life," but he rises to the occasion of national events and love of home and country is infused into nearly every song. The gems of the books are: "The Mother's Broken Idol" and "The Tale of Eternity." His love poetry is pure and sweet, and full of devotion are his hymns. In all Mr. Massey's writings there is an optimistic tone. In his explanatory notes he says: "False faiths are fading, but it is in the light of a truer knowledge. The half gods are going in order that the whole gods may come. There is finer fish in the unfathomed sea of the future than any we have yet landed. . . We are beginning to see the worst evils now afflicting the human race are man-made, and do not come into the world by decree of fate or fiat of God, and that which is man-made is also remediable by man. Not by man alone! For woman is about to take her place by his side as true help-mate and ally in carrying on the work of the world, so that we may look upon the Fall of Man as being gradually superseded by the Ascent of Woman." Whether readers of "My Lyrical Life" agree with the religious and philosophical views of Gerald Massey or not their hearts cannot fail to be touched by his pathos and the broad humanitarian spirit of which his songs are brimful.

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### The Storm Delayed the Trains.

The incoming trains on the northern division of the Grand Trunk were greatly delayed Saturday. The express from North Bay, due at 4.35 a.m., did not get in until 1.30 on Sunday morning, and the express timed to arrive at 1.42 p.m Saturday reached Toronto at 2.10 a.m. on Sunday.

Mr. Thomas Ballard, Syracuse, N.Y., writes 'I have been afflicted for nearly a year with that most-to-be-dreaded disease, Dyspepsia, and at times worn out with pain and want of sleep, and after trying almost everything recommended, I tried one box of Parmelee's Valuable Pills. I am now nearly well, and believe they will cure me. I would not be without them for any money."

### LOOKING FOR PROMOTION.

**The New Police Station in Ossington-avenue.**

The police are waiting anxiously for the completion of the new police station in Ossington-avenue, which, when finished, as it almost is now, will be the finest building of the kind in Canada. It was built on plans founded on the investigations in the States made a year ago by Chief Grasett and Judge Macdougall. The cells are steel lined and lighted by casemated windows. What is troubling the police is what promotions will be made in connection with the new station. It is understood that a new sub-inspector, two sergeants and two patrol sergeants will be required. Of the sergeants Sergeant Gregory stands first in the order of seniority, and Patrol Sergeants White and Cross hold a similar position in their special rank. It is possible that the two new patrol sergeants will be chosen from First-class Constables Dixon, Veitch, William Archibald and Bowers, who are the seniors of the rank and file. The new station will control a new division, the limits of which have not yet been assigned. However, it will be so struck off as to relieve No. 3 and No. 6 and will have on its roll 90 men.

### Goldwin Smith.

*Editor World:* Nearly a quarter of a century ago Goldwin Smith announced the funeral of the colonial members of the British Empire. He appointed himself as undertaker for Canada and made strenuous exertions to have the corpse ready for burial in the cemetery of the United States. To fulfil this desire he has never failed to stab Canada when opportunity offered.

Allied now with the Wiman-Farrer conspirators, he boils over with rage at the finding of the traitor's letters which unmasked the conspiracy. Under the semblance of a meagre hypocrisy of virtue, he denounces Sir John and Sir Charles Tupper for using the letters, as if they and not the conspirators were the guilty parties.

The professor, though lacking in judgment, knows well that Her Majesty's Canadian Ministers are specially sworn to unearth treason without standing on etiquet as to where the evidence comes from. If they neglected any such opportunity they would be perjured men, liable to indictment and punishment.

True British subjects know no divided allegiance; their first duty, be they typewriters, clerks or anything else, is to their Sovereign and to their employer afterwards.

If the professor claims exemption from this universal law of the Empire he and the Wiman-Farrer junto are the only men in Canada who feel that their conduct necessitates such exemption. Canadians are not children, so it will be a difficult matter for Mr. Smith, with his guilty surroundings, to persuade us that it is worse to expose a conspiracy than it is to concoct it. Respect for his ancient learning will never make us admirers of his modern treason.

Mr. Smith in his writings has tried to throw a funeral gloom over the country, tells it that its pulse is weak, that it looks pale and that as a nation it should lie down and die, when the body will be given a grand funeral into the United States. His wish must be father to the thought.

He purposely ignores the class of data set forth by George Hague, the able manager of the Merchants' Bank, showing that since 1812 our population has increased twelve-fold, while that of the States has increased only eight-fold. He can rest assured that neither he nor the junto which he as a factor defends will ever be called upon to devise measures to guide the future greatness of Canada. Should Canada occasionally have any of the little ailments incidental to youth it will be the physician and not the undertaker who will be called in to prescribe.

*Toronto*, March 14. LOYAL CANADIAN.

### Canadians in the United States—What Would They Do if a War Took Place?

*Editor World:* It is often mentioned by American sympathizers that there are a million Canadians in the United States and in case of war they would take part against the loyalists of Canada. That is a lie of the blackest kind. Canadians do not forget Canada although they are away from her, but with tens of thousands of Englishmen, Scotchmen and Protestant Irish would either return and fight with their British countrymen or stand neutral. I have just got a letter from one of these Canadians, a true loyalist and friend of the present Ottawa Government, who is a graduate of the Toronto University. He says that an American—very respectable and influential—told him a few days ago that if such men as Farrer, Cartwright, Wiman and Laurier were to intrigue against the American States as they were doing against Canada the Americans would give them a certain number of days to quit, or make short work of them. They would not allow anyone to conspire within their borders against a country which gave them shelter. This same gentleman said Canadians must not judge of all Americans (the natives) by the bluster often seen in their bellicose papers. We must not put down Americans as bad as such papers often describe them. There are tens of thousands of them who would act fairly to us, notwithstanding the intrigues of such men as Wiman, Hitt and Blaine.

The Republicans now in power are not any purer than the traitorous Canadian annexationists say Sir John and Ottawa men are, nor less extravagant. All is not honey and milk over there, nor is everything pure. Lately great opposition is given to an act of the New York Legislature which has sanctioned "Corrupt dancing houses where drinking and prostitution are also practised." What are we to gain by annexation in virtue, purity, economy or any good thing?

CHARLES DURAND.

*Toronto*, March 16, 1891.

### The Steamship Servia.

*Editor World:* In your foreign cable despatches in to-day's issue one of the paragraphs read, "The disabled steamship Servia missing." The Servia is one of the Cunard Line of steamers, and sails to-day for Liverpool. She has been at her dock in New York since last Monday morning, having arrived from Liverpool on that day.

There is evidently a mistake in the steamer's name. I might also state that the Cunard Line have been in the transatlantic trade for the past fifty years and have never lost the life of one passenger.

Trusting you will give the above a prominent place in your widely circulated paper, as at present it places the Cunard Line in a very unenviable position.

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### A New School for the West End.

The Sites and Buildings Committee of the Public School Board has passed this resolution:

That tenders be asked for Bathurst-street school and site and the proceeds devoted to the purchase of a new site and the erection of a new school building in the vicinity, and that possession be retained of the old building until the new one is procured and ready for occupation.

The committee also considered Mr. Roden's notice of motion respecting the rebuilding of Parliament and Winchester-street schools, and it was their opinion that it would not be advisable to deal with the matter this year.

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Messrs. Stott & Jury, chemists, Bowmanville, write: "We would direct attention to Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery, which is giving perfect satisfaction to our numerous customers. All the preparations manufactured by this well-known house are among the most reliable in the market.

### Canadian Art.

Crowds visited the exhibition of paintings by the Royal Canadian Academicians on Saturday. These works of art may be seen every day this week, and on Tuesday and Friday nights promenade concerts will be given. The exhibit this year is a splendid one and should gladden the hearts of those who have watched the growth of art in Canada.

Holloway's Corn Cure destroys all kinds of corns and warts, root and branch. Who then would endure them with such a cheap and effectual remedy within reach?

### THE SLUGGARD'S DREAM.

'Tis the voice of the sluggard,
I heard him complain,
You have waked me too soon,
I must slumber again.—WATTS.

The sluggard has wakened and this is his dream:

The tongue of the sluggard speaks not to complain,
His sanctum invaded, still he slumbers again;
Although on his parchment blasphemers blaspheme,
He sleeps but to slumber, and slumbers to dream!

And lo, and behold! he saw before him a great people, which were like unto the sands of the seashore for multitude, and they ran to and fro on the earth with a great run, and they did struggle against each other for gold, and for silver and for power, each man over and against his neighbor. And it came to pass that the whole people were very great in their own eyes, and puffed up, lifting up their voices with one accord, and forever crying aloud, "*We* are the chosen of the Lord! *We* are the people! And as the sluggard looked, he beheld a great wall that did hedge them in on every side, and over and against the whole world; and he beheld that in some parts it was thirty, and in some parts forty, and yea even in some parts it was sixty cubits high. And all the people within the wall did glorify themselves, and said one unto another: "This is the great wall which we have builded, this is the bulwark which we have raised against all the weak and downtrodden nations of the earth."

And yet, as the sluggard gazed with his eyes towards the north star, he beheld a great country over and against the great wall which this people had builded. And they did speak one unto another, and say: "Behold this great country, and behold this people; they be even like unto our great enemy beyond the great waters where the sun doth rise, and behold also that they are growing very great even like unto ourselves. For behold in that country, there are mountains of iron and mountains of nickel; there be mines of silver and mines of gold, and the oak and the maple and the fragrant pine are full of sap and flourishing by their great rivers. Their mighty waters also moveth with fish of every kind and of every name; they have the seal also, and row hath it not come to pass that on all these is to be returned. These cases were ready for trial last fall but were postponed through the illness of Engineer Sproatt. Some $300,000 is involved in these actions.

Chief Justice Galt held chambers on Saturday. He gave judgment in the cases of Raham v. The News and Raham v. The Monetary Times, dismissing the appeals from the orders of the master in chambers, and allowing the bonds filed by the plaintiff as security for costs in the action. It will be remembered that the surety to the bonds was a married woman, wife of the plaintiff. The actions are for libel.

R. Maclennan has issued a writ of summons against the C.P.R., claiming $14,000 balance of account due him.

Mary Townsend and George F. Townsend, her husband, are suing T. H. Pratt and Emma Pratt for damages for slander. The parties reside at Hamilton and the trouble arises out of a quarrel between the two women, each accusing the other, it is alleged, of leading an immoral life. It is also alleged that the female defendant spread reports to the effect that the female plaintiff kept a house of ill-fame, and that by reason of such slander she was turned out of her house by her landlord and also suffered other damage. The solicitor for the plaintiffs asked the master for an order for the examination of the female defendant for discovery before delivery of statement of claim. Judgment was reserved.

### Serious Accident to a Workman.

Robert Robertson, 164 Duchess-street, a carpenter, while working on a building on the northwest corner of College-street and Spadina-avenue, Saturday afternoon, fell off the scaffolding, a distance of 10 feet to the ground. His head struck a pile of loose lumber and he was picked up insensible. Dr. Overton Macdonald of 329 College-street was called in, and at once ordered his removal to the Homœopathic Hospital, where it was found that the injured man was suffering from a severe concussion of the brain and spinal fracture. Robertson's chances for recovery are very slight.

### Young Legal Lights.

There were only ten members of the Osgoode L. and L. Society present at the meeting on Saturday night, and the proposed debate was adjourned. An amusing "hat" debate was substituted, in which Messrs. Hines, Boland, Jones, Kerr, Adams, Code and others took part.

The last meeting of the society will be held on Friday next, and on April 3 an open debate will be held, at which an address will be delivered by Judge Dubuc. Messrs. Caldwell will sing two solos, and Mr. H. Stewart will give one of his delightful recitations.

### Women and Temperance.

There was a good attendance at the Gospel temperance meeting in the Pavilion yesterday afternoon. Mr. Meredith presided. The Whyte Brothers supplemented the singing of Mrs. Bradley's choir. Mr. Joseph Gibson of Ingersoll was the speaker. His subject was the influence of women in the temperance crusade. He pooh-poohed the idea that women would be unsexed by exercising the franchise. Their entrance into the polling booth would exercise an influence for good throughout the country.

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### St. James' Cathedral.

On Thursday evening at 8 o'clock there will be given a special Passion service at this church, at which will be sung "The Last Night at Bethany," a short church oratorio composed by Dr. C. Lee Williams and performed at Gloucester, Eng., Cathedral.

This work on its first production in 1889 produced a profound impression on the vast audience assembled in the cathedral, and both public and press were unanimous in praise of this effort of a modern composer who had so successfully treated such a solemn and impressive subject with so much dignity and due observance of the best traditions of ecclesiastical art. The work will be sung by the full cathedral choir under the direction of Mr. W. Elliott Haslam.

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### Murray's Spring Opening.

The usual spring opening of W. A. Murray & Co.'s millinery, mantle and costume show room takes place to-morrow morning. There is a magnificent assortment of spring and summer novelties in every department.

### Preparing to Practice.

The medical examinations in connection with Victoria University are in progress in the Medical Council Building, Bay-street. They commenced on Friday last and wind up to-morrow, there being some 20 candidates for the degree of M.D. The examiners are Drs. W. Ogden (Dean of Faculty), Atcheson, Powell, Downey, Teskey and Grasett.

Trinity Medical School examinations commence in the same building on Wednesday.

### Misery vs. Comfort.

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### Police Jottings.

Ella Blake, 98½ University-street, was arrested on Saturday night on a charge of keeping a disorderly house, and Annie Hudson and Vivian Robinson were held as inmates.

Edward McDermott, 184 Gladstone-avenue, and Henry Woods, 165 Lisgar-street, were captured on Saturday night by C. P. R. Constable Ross, and taken to Yonge-street Police Station, charged with trespass on the property of the company.

Henry Smith, 119 Bloor-street west, was taken to St. Alban's Ward Police Station on Saturday night on a charge of disturbing public worship in the West End Salvation Army Temple.

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### CONSERVATISM FLOURISHES.

**St. Paul's Ward Liberal-Conservative Association Election of Officers.**

The first annual meeting of St. Paul's Ward Liberal-Conservative Association (since its reorganization a year ago) was held on Friday evening in the association's new quarters, Chosen Friends' Hall, Yonge and Yorkville-avenue. There was a very large attendance, the president, Ald. John Shaw, in the chair. After the routine business, on the motion of Mr. John Hague, Mr. John Farley and others, thanks were voted to the several retiring officers. Suitable speeches in reply were made, especially by Ald. John Shaw, who congratulated the association on its great success during the past year, showing now a membership of over 150, all good workers, and also on being fortunate in having had Mr. Charles F. Prescott as secretary, who although only a young man had shown great abilities in running an election, as shown by the results in the late one, when St. Paul's ward gave W. F. Maclean a majority of 77, the second time in the history of "Yorkville" that a Conservative had a majority in a Dominion election and also the largest majority ever given to either party.

The election of officers for the coming year resulted as follows:

Honorary President—Rt. Hon. Sir John A. Macdonald.
President—Ald. John Shaw, re-elected.
1st Vice-President—C. W. Harding.
2nd Vice-President—Robert Robertson.
3rd Vice-President—Joseph Shore.
Treasurer—Capt. Symons, re-elected.
Secretary—Charles F. Prescott.
Cor. Secretary—George Severn.

In the course of a fortnight the annual dinner of the association will take place.

### The Grand Jury's Presentment.

The grand jury brought in their presentment Saturday morning and were discharged. The city jail was found to be clean and the men were working in the marsh grading it, instead of lying around or doing useless work as formerly, which the grand jury considered an improvement. The food was examined and the jury reports that if the bread is contracted for as first-class what they saw should be placed as third-class. Number of male prisoners was 125; female 58; boys 10, 183. At the General Hospital everything was in the best of order and the system for protection from fire was excellent. The bread here was a little better than that at the jail, but looked as though made from poor flour. The number in the hospital at present is 250. At the Central Prison everything was found in perfect order. There are 392 prisoners. Owing to the men having a certain amount of work allotted to them and pay for overwork, some of the men are able to help their families and single men to save a sum to help them after a better course of life when their sentences expire. At the House of Providence the women were found fully employed and the place was in perfect order. The girls were at school and all looked clean and in the best of health. The number of inmates was: Women, 80; girls, 41, and infants 8. At the lunatic asylum everything was found satisfactory, the number of inmates being 532 males, 340 females. The asylum at Mimico and the Victoria Industrial School were visited and also the House of Providence in Power-street. At the first there were 160 males and 186 females; at the school 150 boys and at the House of Providence 135 men, 211 women, 150 girls and 35 sisters in charge.

### Public Library Board.

At the meeting of the board Dr. Fyne occupied the chair, and there were also present Dr. Cassidy, D. A. O'Sullivan, Joshua Ingham, Edwin Pearson, A. R. Boswell and John Taylor. The Library Committee recommended the purchase of 373 books at an estimated cost of $525. It also submitted a list of 15 borrowers in default for non-payment of fines to the amount of $22.25, 13 for non-return of book, valued at $18.25, and fines due thereon amounting to $58.53, and recommended that seven days' notice be given to each defaulter, and that should a settlement be not made within that time the board's solicitor be instructed to take the necessary legal proceedings to collect the same. The report was adopted. The report of the Finance Committee recommended the payment out of the Library Fund of accounts to the amount of $2157, and from the Building Committee of accounts reaching a total of $817. It also recommended that application be made to the City Council for an interim appropriation of $3000. This report was also adopted. The board decided to increase the grant for the "open night" on Wednesday next to $200.

### Like Magic.

Mr. M. Price, 14 Tabernacle-square, E.C., London, Eng., says: "I strained my wrist two years ago, and the pain, which lasted without intermission, yielded like magic to the application of St. Jacobs Oil."

### A New Legal Partnership.

The two law firms Lount & Marsh and Lindsey & Lindsey have amalgamated under the name of Lount, Marsh, Lindsey & Lindsey. The offices of the new partnership, this members of which are William Lount, Q.C., A. H. Marsh, Q.C., George Lindsey and W. L. M. Lindsey are 25 Toronto-street, just opposite the postoffice. Mr. A. H. Marsh, Q.C., is also a law partner of Sir John A. Macdonald, K.C.B., the law firm of Macdonald & Marsh being the solicitors for the Trust & Loan Company of Canada and the Standard Bank.

### Two Other Fractures Discovered.

The remains of the infant child of the unfortunate girl Sarah Fox were interred last week in St. James' Cemetery, the interment being delayed until this late date by order of the coroner. In addition to the fracture on the top of the skull two other fractures, one on either temple and each sufficient to cause death, were discovered.

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### City Hall Notes.

There were 22 marriages, 44 deaths and 66 births registered with the City Clerk last week.

The temporary agreement between the city and Senator Frank Smith relative to street car matters was signed on Saturday.

There were reported to the Medical Health Department last week 3 cases of diphtheria, 1 of scarlet fever and 6 of typhoid fever.

Henry McCulloch, the first engineer in charge for the city in the matter of the Don improvements, is to be examined by a commission in Chicago in the great case of Manning and Macdonald v. the City.

A building permit was issued on Saturday to W. H. Hutchinson for a three-story brick machine shop on east side of Ontario-street, near King, to cost $2000, and one to R. M. Scott for a brick dwelling in Harrison-street, to cost $4000.

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### To Determine the Cause of Death.

An inquest will be held this afternoon in the morgue on the body of a two months old male child who died under somewhat peculiar circumstances on Saturday morning at Mrs. Berry's, No. 147 River-street. The child had been left with Mrs. Berry two months ago by a girl named Marshall, who since then has disappeared, though the police think they will be able to trace her. The child was found dead in its cot, and Dr. Grundy was called in. He refused to grant a certificate of death because of ignorance of its cause, and notified Coroner Pickering, who thereupon issued his warrant for the inquest.

### Moving.

The store now occupied by McKendry & Co., the drygoods house, proves far too small for their big business, and the firm have leased the premises, No. 202 and 204 Yonge-street (Page's Block.) The buildings are now undergoing great alterations, and in about two weeks the ladies will be able to get greater bargains than ever, meanwhile a big sale is on at 278 Yonge.

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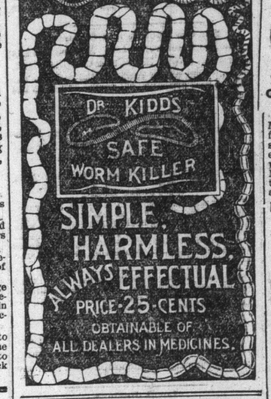

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# LAST HOCKEY OF THE SEASON

*CHAMPION OTTAWAS WIN THE TWO MATCHES IN TORONTO.*

**St. George's Downed by Four Goals to Nil and Osgoode Hall by Six Points to Two—A Special Meeting of the Toronto Homing Club—To Play the American College Cricketers.**

The champion Ottawa hockeyists arrived here early Saturday morning and were in fine fettle for their two matches in the Queen City of the West. St. George's were the first locals tackled. These teams met just a week before at the Capital for the Ontario championship, and then the Dragons were defeated by five goals to nil.

The match was played in Mutual-street in the afternoon before about 1500 persons, who paid 25 cents apiece for the privilege of witnessing the match. The ice was perfect.

The form displayed by the respective sevens showed that the locals were clearly outclassed. Theirs was simply a defence game, and it was rarely indeed that the Ottawa goal was assailed. Capt. P. D. Ross rested for the evening match and Radley took his place. The visitors' team play was grand. Down the ice the forwards skimmed like a flock of snow birds, transferring the puck from one to another with an accuracy that brought rounds of applause from the galleries. Of course St. George's defence is a pretty good one and it was difficult to penetrate. Time and again they cleared cleverly, but it was simply for relief of their fortress by a long shot towards the Ottawa stronghold. Immediately the puck was returned by another long throw into a corner beside St. George's goal. No sooner had a Dragon touched it than an Ottawaite was on him to scoop in front of the sticks. Young and C. Kirby in the first half and H. Kirby and Bradley in the second scored for Ottawa, while St. George's few shots were in vain.

The last goal shot was by far the prettiest of the lot. It came from a hot centre by H. Kirby to Bradley, who was in his proper place in front of goal. C. Kirby, who is of rather diminutive size, was the darling of the crowd. He did some marvelous dodging, shooting and throwing. The teams were:

*Ottawa* (4): Goal, Morel; point Grant; cover, Young; forwards, Kerr, H. Kirby, C. Kirby, Bradley.

*St. George* (0): Goal, Hurst; point, Hargraft, cover, Henderson; forwards, Lucas, Reid, Pemberton, Jackson.

Referee—Stuart Morrison.

**Osgoode Hall Scored Twice.**

Matters looked blue for Ottawa in the early part of the game with Osgoode Hall at the Victoria Rink in the evening. After four minutes' play Senkler put the puck through for the legalites. H. Kirby equalized the score and Buell put Osgoode ahead soon afterwards, and the crowd cheered with delight. C. Kirby scored a couple of times also in the first half, which closed at 3 to 2 in favor of Ottawa. In the second half C. Kirby, Kerr and Ross scored for the visitors and the Toronto men made nary a point. Thus the visitors were victorious by 6 goals to 2. The teams were:

*Ottawa* (6): Goal, Morel; point, Grant; cover, Young; forwards, Ross, H. Kirby, C. Kirby, Kerr.

*Osgoode Hall* (2): Goal, Campbell; point, Anderson; cover, H. Martin; forwards, Buell, Kerr, Senkler, Smellie.

Referee—Suart Morrison.

**Ottawa Presented With the Challenge Cup.**

The Ottawa hockeyists were banqueted at the Victoria Club after their match with Osgoode Hall. President A. M. Cosby of the Ontario Association was in the chair. Besides a number of enthusiastic local hockeyists the members of the Osgoode Hall and St. George's teams were also present. After an excellent supper Mr. Cosby formally presented the challenge cup of the association to Ottawa. The health of the teams was proposed and replied to by the Ottawa president, Mr. Smellie, and Mr. Lucas. Mr. V. Armstrong replied for the Ontario Association. Songs were given by Mr. Grant of Ottawa and Mr. Lucas of St. George's.

## THE TORONTO HOMING CLUB.

**An Enthusiastic Meeting of Pigeon Flyers—Complete Rules Adopted.**

The Toronto Homing Club held a special meeting on Saturday evening at 142 Mutual-street. There was a good attendance.

The report of the committee on revision of rules was read clause by clause and adopted. The rules are very complete, and the club is bound to prosper under its new regulations.

The secretary intimated that he had received a letter from Major-General Cameron, Royal Military College, Kingston, congratulating the club on their decision to train eastward from Toronto, and very kindly offering his services as liberator for the club should Kingston be made one of their tossing stations. After the reading of the letter it was evident from the enthusiasm displayed that Mr. Cameron's offer was considered a most valuable and generous one by the members present. It was resolved that the secretary reply to Mr. Cameron thanking him for his promptness in offering his services and accepting his very kind offer. There were six propositions for membership and when the names of some of the applicants were submitted considerable discussion arose, but it was ultimately unanimously decided that all six be accepted.

The Toronto Homing Pigeon Club has now the largest membership and controls the greatest number of birds of any pigeon club in Canada and the outlook for this season is decidedly bright. The club intend to give several valuable prizes during the year and will do everything in its power to popularize this most interesting sport. The training flies of the club commence the first week in April and continue throughout the season, there being two flies each week. Intending members should make application at once so as to gain the benefits to be derived from these flies. J. Gairdner, 374 Ontario-street, will be glad to furnish particulars. The next meeting of the club will be held on Saturday evening, April 4.

## FOR A CANADIAN LEAGUE.

**A Circuit Will Likely be Formed Before Many Weeks—The Parkdale Beavers.**

The World pointed out some time ago that American professional baseball was a poor speculation for any person in this city. Some enthusiasts endeavored to boom the game here for the past few weeks, but it proved too strong a dose; and now the task of forming an International club in Toronto has been abandoned.

Torontonians are anxious and willing to see Canadian cracks on the diamond and their end will be attained before long. Manager Ward of the Parkdale Beavers, a club that completed an excellent season last year, is already discussing the ways and means for a local club in a Canadian League. Hamilton, Dundas, Galt, Guelph and London are all willing to enter the scheme. So a suitable circuit will no doubt be organized into a league before the month of May comes around.

**The Arctics Organize.**

At a meeting of the Arctic Baseball Club Friday evening the following officers were elected:

Manager—William McAlpim.
Secretary—T. A. Davis.
Treasurer—R. Edmunds.

The meeting was held over Jackman Bros., 174 Queen east, and a great deal of enthusiasm prevailed. A number of members were enrolled and the prospects for the coming season are very encouraging.

## APPOMATTOX AGAIN.

**The Wellington Stable's Chestnut Wins From the 3-Year-Olds at Gloucester.**

GLOUCESTER, March 14.—First race, 6½ furlongs—Amalgam 1, Rhody Pringle 2, P.J.H. 3. Time 1.35¼.

Second race, ¾ mile, 3-year-olds—Appomattox, 110 (Myers) 8 to 5 1, King Solomon 2, India Rubber 3. Time 1.26.

Third race, ⅞ mile—White Nose 1, Long Island 2, Carnegie 3. Time 1.42.

Fourth race, 4½ furlongs—Leo Brigel 1, Bonnie Lass 2, Thorns 3. Time 1.02.

Fifth race, 7½ furlongs—Belisarius 1, King die 2, Kyrie B. 3. Time 1.51.

Sixth race, 6½ furlongs—Hamlet 1, Almenta 2, Red Light 3. Time 1.36.

**Lemon Blossom Downs the Cracks.**

GUTTENBERG, March 14.—First race, ¾ mile—Arizona 1, Charley 2, Gold Vase, filly, 3. Time 1.24½.

Second race, ⅝ mile—Hansa 1, Fabian 2, Patti 3. Time 1.10.

Third race, ⅝ mile—Harrisburg 1, The Doctor 2, March Redon 3. Time 1.23¼.

Fourth race, 5½ furlongs, handicap—Lemon Blossom 1, Glitter II 2, Virgie 3. Time 1.14¼.

Fifth race, 6½ furlongs—Catherine B 1, Shotover 2, Neptunus 3. Time 1.30.

Sixth race, ⅞ mile—Ernest 1, Dalesman 2, Ripton 3. Time 1.30½.

**Malcolm W. Ford Reinstated.**

NEW YORK, March 14.—Malcolm W. Ford, the best all-round athlete in America, when he was allowed the right to defend the title, has again been reinstated as an amateur by the American Athletic Union.

**International Intercollegiate Cricket.**

The circular sent to Mr. J. E. Hall by the secretary of the American Intercollegiate Cricket Association has been laid before the cricket committees at Varsity and Trinity with the result that representatives will be selected from each university to officially consider the proposition. These two clubs are altogether in favor of the proposed international intercollegiate match. Not only will they agree to a match this summer, but they will make every effort to have it an annual affair.

**Ottawa and the C. A. A. O. Regatta.**

On Saturday Mr. P. D. Ross emphasized the former report that Ottawa could not take the C. A. A. O. regatta this summer as the current on the river at the capital is too treacherous and the expense to a distant course would be altogether too heavy. However, Ottawa will send two crews to Toronto, where the regatta will likely be held—a junior and senior four.

## LACROSSE POINTS.

**Proposed Junior League—Several Clubs Heard From—Ottawa and Montreal.**

Lacrosse will boom in Toronto this season from present appearances. The idea of forming a junior league has been well received by all the young players of the city.

A meeting will be held at a place yet to be decided upon on Monday evening next to organize. Each club wishing to join will be entitled to representation by two delegates. So far the Tecumsehs, Young Canadians and Stars of Mimico have been heard from, but it is expected that the Orioles, Beavers, Maitlands and perhaps the St. Lawrence will fall into line. The first meeting, however, will not be restricted to any club entitled to be designated junior, and it is to be hoped, therefore, that all will make it a point to send representatives.

A meeting of the Athletic Lacrosse Club will be held in the Power House; Spadina avenue and King-street, this evening at 8 o'clock. Every member is requested to be on hand, as there is business of importance to be transacted.

Report comes that the Hodgson brothers will be in the field for the Montreal Lacrosse Club this summer. "Then Montreal will be the favorites easily for the C.L.A. championship," said a well-known Easterner Saturday. The outlook in Ottawa in lacrosse is rather discouraging.

**Kilrain After Big Game.**

NEW YORK, March 14.—R. K. Fox of The Police Gazette to-day received a despatch from San Francisco stating that Kilrain would issue a challenge shortly to fight any man in the world for $5000 a side. The California Athletic Club intends to offer a purse for either Joe McAuliffe and Jake Kilrain or Kilrain and Slavin.

## GENERAL SPORTING.

**Sparring at the Olympic—Cricket in Bermuda—The Junction Shoot.**

Detroiters talk of forming a city cricket league, although only possessing three first-class clubs.

Long Shot, Bob Thomas and Evangeline of the Gates' string will be shipped to Gloucester Park to-day.

Several local speculators raked in quite a pot on the success of Appomattox at Gloucester Saturday.

Sarnia curlers went to Detroit four rinks strong on Saturday and won from the Wolverine curlers by 61 shots to 40.

Among the players who have applied for positions on the Buffalo team are Twohey, Tom Power, Briggs and Titcomb.

Jockey Hollis was ruled off at Guttenberg last Thursday. The judges were not satified with his riding of Lithbert in the first race.

President McConnell of Toronto did not keep faith with Messrs. Powers and White. He promised much and did little.—Buffalo Courier.

Lebanon, Pa., made application to President White of the International for a franchise. Batavia is much nearer than the Pennsylvania town, if it came to that.

Cornell has sent a challenge to both Yale and Harvard for a freshman boat race next June. Cornellians believe that neither college will dare accept.

Champion John L. Sullivan sent the following message to La Blanche: "I am sorry and grieved to hear that you have disgraced the profession. You were not ordained to become a good actor."

The result of the recent cricket match between the Philadelphians and the garrison at Prospect ended in the defeat of the former by an inning and 93 runs. The return match was played last Friday and ended in a draw.

The final shoot for the West Toronto Junction Gun Club Cup will take place to-morrow, commencing at 2 p.m. As there are several members close together this shoot promises to be very interesting.

J. D. McPherson, the champion shot-putter, wishes it to be understood that he never had any engagement to appear at the Olympic on Saturday night, and that the proprietor used his name without his consent or authority.

Mike Slattery says he will commence at once to train and reduce his flesh. He weighs 190 pounds. Director Talcott has offered him a suit of clothes if he will run off and on the field next season, which he did not do last season.

Zoe Gayton, the actress, who is walking from San Francisco to New York, reached Syracuse Monday, and appears certain to reach New York in ample time to win the wager depending upon the time of the performance.

Johnston's Olympic Gymnasium was crowded to the doors Saturday night. Martin and Marks made a good set-to. Everybody was satisfied with the entertainment. The fight next Saturday night between Lovett and Fitzgerald, both local men, promises to be a good one.

Senor D. A. C. Vasquez was beaten Thursday night at Havana by Blackburne after a brilliant combination of the latter. The opening was a four knights game, which lasted for 33 moves. This contest concluded the match, the final score being: Blackburne 5, Vasquez 1, drawn 0.

"Who is the champion of champions?" asked a Philadelphia Times reporter of Bob Fitzsimmons when the latter appeared last week with the Reilly & Woods' show. Bob replied: "I have never seen Sullivan spar and cannot speak of him. Frank Slavin is a great man and so is Peter Jackson. If they should come together it would be a hard matter to pick the winner."

Over half a hundred California trotters were disposed of by Auctioneer Easton at New York Thursday, and the total amount realized was $33,855. The steppers came from the farm of "Copper King" Haggin, and a majority of them were the get of Albert W., son of the famous Electioneer, his produce averaging $505 for 28 head. The highest price of the day was reached when a 3-year-old son of Antevolo was led into the ring. Successive bids raised his value to $5600, at which figure he was knocked down to Mr. James McGuire, who was acting in the interests of Fleischmann Brothers.

**In Darkest Gloom.**

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# A GREAT WEEK AT THE THEATRES.

**Miss Huntington at the Grand—Boucicault's "After Dark" at the Toronto—Cyrene at Robinson's Theatre.**

Miss Agnes Huntington will make her first appearance in comic opera at Toronto at the Grand Opera House to-night, appearing in Planquette's latest success, "Paul Jones." Miss Huntington commenced her professional career about four years ago, singing in concert, oratorio and opera. She very soon made a decided hit and was speedily received everywhere with enthusiasm. She has been endowed by nature with a contralto voice of magnificent power, full, round and of great purity and brilliancy of tone, combined with a rare sympathetic quality which appeals to the emotions and arrests the attention of her audience at once. Her dramatic ability is a fit accompaniment to her vocal gift. She possesses a most effective presence and striking beauty, enhanced by a grace and ease of manner and a certain magnetic charm which combined render her most attractive. Her impersonation of masculine parts has been noted for the freedom and ease with which she is capable of investing them. She imparts all requisite dash, abandon and warmth of sentiment to her characterizations, and there is a charming mivette of demeanor which is extremely fascinating. After singing at the principal cities of the United States and Canada, Miss Huntington joined "The Bostonian Opera Company," achieving very pronounced success. She attracted attention from managers, both German and English, and the offers of engagements made to her were numerous. It is needless to add that she is equally at home in Italian, German or French as in English. But at length, after some hesitation, she gave her preference to London and signed a contract with the late Mr. Carl Rosa for grand opera, concert, oratorio and light opera. He persuaded her to take the part of Paul Jones in Planquette's opera, which was modified for her, and, as all play-goers know, she achieved signal success in that character in England as well as in America.

**Opera Bouffe at the Grand.**

De Wolf Hopper, the exuberant and picuresquely grotesque comedian, who won the affections of thousands of theatre-goers throughout the country when he was the chief humorist of the McCaull Opera Company, will make his first appearance in Toronto as a star next Thursday evening, on which occasion the De Wolf Hopper Opera Bouffe Company will appear at the Grand Opera House, producing for the first time here the classic comic opera "The Lady or the Tiger," which had a remarkable run of one hundred and fifty-three nights at Palmer's theatre, New York city. Mr. Hopper is sure to receive one of those hearty receptions which our amusement seekers know how to bestow upon those stage jesters who have given them the greatest pleasure. He comes accompanied by Miss Della Fox, a bright, winsome soubret who has made a pronounced hit by her cute methods, her charming vocalism, and her delightful acting; pretty Anna O'Keefe, formerly of the Casino, New York City, a rising young soprano of shapely figure and pleasing personality; Alfred Klein, a quaint, quiet little comedian; Edmund Stanley, formerly a McCaull tenor; Sylvester Cornish, a well-known contralto; Elvia Crox, a popular singer; Louis Shrader, a phenomenally slim comedian, and Herbert Cripps, the stage manager who long held the same position in the McCaull Opera Company.

"The Ladyor the Tiger," which will be presented on Thursday evening and Saturday matinee, is described as a classic conceit, an adaptation of Frank Stockton's charming sketch. The story is based upon an incident which occurred in ancient Greece, 47 years B.C., and at a period of time when the destinies of her people were controlled by the superstitions of heathen mythology. Byrne & Kerker's melodious comic opera, "Castles in the Air," which was presented 107 nights at the Broadway Theatre, New York City, last season, will be given on Friday and Saturday evenings. "Castles" is quoted as being a light and airy composition, written by Charles A. Byrne, a well-known critic of New York City, and set to music by Gustav Kerker, for many years musical director of the Casino. It is said to contain an abundance of fun, also that the score abounds in sprightly, catchy music. The sale of seats opens to-morrow morning.

**Cyrene at Robinson's This Week.**

This week will undoubtedly be the banner week of the season at Robinson's Museo-Theatre. The bill of fare presented to its patrons seems larger and better than ever before, and it is not likely that the management will be able to secure such big and numerous attractions again for any one single week. Cyrene will appear at every performance in the theatre and do her best to please the audiences. She has received splendid receptions at all her exhibitions in American cities, and it would not be surprising if extra performances would have to be given to satisfy the public. Cyrene will introduce some of her latest dances during this engagement, and wear the most elegant costumes included in her new wardrobe. Besides Cyrene there will appear in the theatre Kendall's Specialty Company, who come here with the best of recommendations, and include the National Trio, the Fitzgibbons family, Kendall and Marion, the Fitzgibbons brothers and other notable artists. Dudley Foster, the midget, will appear in the curio hall. He is 21 years old and weighs only 13 pounds. Tex Bender, the cowboy violinist, appears in both the curio hall and theatre. Zip and Ash will be here again and go through their burlesque boxing match.

**At Jacobs and Sparrow's Opera House.**

"After Dark," which will open at Jacobs & Sparrow's to-night, is an exceedingly good play. It is by Boucicault, written at his best time, and it has the best of his stage knowledge. The plot is one of those substantial ones which will not die as long as melodrama lives. It contains effects that, perhaps occasionally used in other pieces, are neither so effectively introduced in them nor so legitimately worked. "After Dark" has always been considered a great play, and it is considered yet as the best of its kind, and its kind is one out of which many fortunes have lately been made. There are several thrilling situations, giving opportunities for great scenic effects, which the management has taken full advantage of. The audience will witness a number of unexpected surprises.

**Shenandoah Next Week.**

The great military comedy drama Shenandoah by Bronson Howard which had such a long and successful run in New York will be the attraction at the Grand next week. It will be produced with original scenery and original New York cast. Mr. Ted Marks, the well-known business manager, is in the city making preparations for the production.

**Opera at the Academy Next Week.**

Mr. Rudolph Aronson has made light operetta a permanent feature of amusement in the metropolis, and, by gathering together the very first people in that field of art, mounting the pieces artistically and expensively and exercising discretion in the selection of new and popular works that have already won the stamp of success in Europe, that energetic manager has made it next to an impossibility for any competitor to wrest from him the position his company has attained. Comic opera was nomadic until Mr. Aronson made a home for it at the New York Casino and brought to his assistance his corps of talented artists. This beautiful Moorish building has been the scene of numerous successes, but none has ever equalled the wonderful degree of popularity attained by "Poor Jonathan." It will be presented here by Mr. Aronson's company. The presentation will be in exact duplication of the New York Casino production. Every detail has received the most careful attention, and the magnificent scenery, the elegance of the costuming, the perfect ensemble, the rapid, alert action of the performance, the perfection of characterization by the able company, all combine to predict a great success. The engagement commences next Monday evening at the Academy of Music, with special matinees Good Friday and Saturday. The plans opens to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock at the box office.

**Toronto College of Music.**

The following program was rendered at the College of Music on Saturday last:

Piano—Tarentella.....Mills
Miss Turner.
Piano—Theme and variations.....Kuhlau
Miss French.
Song—Lullaby.....Pease
Miss E. Parkinson.
Piano—Nocturne.....Leybach
Miss Robb.
Piano—1st movt. op. 17.....Haydn
Miss Stevenson.
Piano—Princess Valse.....Goldner
Miss Smith.
Organ—Tempo di menuetto.....Guilmant
Mr. G. Fisher.
Piano—Military March.....Schubert
Miss Jackson, Mr. Snell.
Piano—Sonata in F.....Mozart
Miss Holcomb.
Vocal Quartet—The Sea Hath Its Pearls..Pinsuti
Miss Mortimer, Miss Bonsall, Mr. Bird, Mr. Baguely.
Piano—Love Song.....Henselt
Etude, op. 22, No. 1.....Wollenhaupt
Miss Ryder.
Ballad from Lucretia Borgia.....
Miss McMullin.
Piano—Warum.....Schumann
Piano—Norwegian Wedding March.....Grieg
Miss Gayford.
Piano—Tannhauser.....Raff
Miss E. Sullivan.
Vocal Quartet—Goodnight.....Martha
Miss Bonsall, Miss Mortimer, Mr. Bird, Mr. Baguely.

**Santley-Philharmonic Concerts.**

The approaching visit to Toronto of the world-famous and peerless English baritone Charles Santley invests the coming Philharmonic concerts with sufficient interest and importance to make them the chief musical event of the season.

The acknowledged great exponents of the role of the prophet Elijah have been Standige, who sang it under the composer's direction at the Birmingham Festival in 1849; upon the death of this great German basso the celebrated Wilhelm was identified with it, and upon his decease the mantle of the prophet fell upon and has remained with the illustrious artist whose coming to Toronto on April 6 and 7 is creating so much pleasurable anticipation.

The opportunity now offered the citizens of Toronto of hearing the premier baritone of the world illustrate and reveal the wonderful capabilities of the baritone voice in a manner is not likely to be repeated during the lifetime of the present gifted and distinguished artist, and it is hoped that the public generally, and all lovers of art and music in particular, will take advantage of the present occasion to exhibit that appreciation of it which its importance and merit deserve.

**Hild Park Concerts.**

At the concert in Association Hall, Tuesday evening, March 17, Herr Carl Hild will play two violin solos, Sarasate's Faust Fantasie and Berceuse by Hitzel. Miss Annie Park will give two cornet solos, Facilita and Polka de Concert, and with Miss Jocelyn will take part in a duett for voice and cornet in Miserere from Il Trovatore. Mr. Gillette will sing a couple of ballads. Seats can still be secured at Nordheimer's.

**Amusement Notes.**

For the Santley concerts by the Philharmonic Society there will be special rehearsals this week at Victoria Hall with full orchestra. Monday night, Eve; Tuesday night, Elijah.

There will be lots of fun to-night and for the next two weeks at the Auditorium, where Dr. Goldsmith gives practical illustrations of hypnotism. The "subjects" will be young and old of both sexes.

MacLennan's Royal Edinburgh Concert Company closed its engagement at the Auditorium Saturday night. The attendance was fair and the program excellent. The dancing of Mr. William MacLennan again captivated the audience. The violin solos of Mr. Jules Guitton brought down the house and all the vocalists were well received.

# AT THE CHURCHES.

**Dr. Wild on the Election—Annexationists Denounced—Irish Protestants—The Disciples' New Church.**

One of the usual large audiences assembled in Bond-street Congregational Church last night to hear Rev. Dr. Wild discourse on "Lessons From the Elections." The text was Haggai i.:

5. Now therefore thus saith the Lord of hosts: Consider your ways.

The doctor said the recent election was one of the most important contests Canada ever had. The franchise was never more generally exercised. From one end of the Dominion to the other people were in earnest. The governments and people of Great Britain and the United States were in sympathetic touch with us and wonderfully interested in the battle of the ballot box.

We may learn by the late election that our citizens can be educated to know the full meaning of the ballot box and that bribery and false representation are not necessary in ascertaining the will of the people. For years there have been mutterings about Canada's being annexed to the United States. I am under the impression that this question has been settled for all time to come by the late elections. [Applause.]

Annexation is completely ruled out. The people have defined our future to be either to remain an integral part of Great Britain or independence. [Applause.] No subject has made more noise for less reason or given a more false impression abroad than this question of annexation. If a vote were taken of the five million citizens of Canada not one in a hundred would be found in favor of it. [Applause.] A few citizens in Canada and some in the United States are responsible for introducing this question into the Reform party. They are lacking judgment and are far from my idea of patriots. Where the Reform party had gained one vote they had lost 99. I hope it will be a lesson to them not to interfere in such questions again.

"Common gratitude should influence us to remain true to Great Britain. [Applause.] One thing is certain, I shall never lend my influence to any policy or give my sympathy to any party which seeks to deprive me of my right as a British subject and a Canadian. [Loud applause.] Independence is our lot some day, but I would not lift my little finger to bring it about. If a kind Providence should make it our destiny all right." If independence were consummated he would advocate an alliance with the Mother Land offensive and defensive. There was a time when England would reach her maximum of population; with Canada this was improbable. When England reached that stage he would advocate Canada taking her under her wing as a colony. [Laughter.]

Canada is one of the best countries in the world. [Applause.] I don't say it is perfect. There are not five millions of people in any other part of this world where there is less poverty, more general comfort and fewer persons out of work. [Applause.] If we are in the front then why should we want any change?

The best thing to be concerned about is, are we growing? Canada is young, but she's healthy. She is growing nicely and promises well for the future. She's not in the United States and never will be. [Applause.] She is her own noble, promising self. Since the Declaration of Independence the United States has grown 16-fold, Canada 32-fold. What, then, have we to grumble at? Persons who ought to know better are writing that Canadians are going to the United States by the thousands. According to stories Canada will soon be depopulated. Either these people are liars or Canadians are very prolific.

"We will not part with our rights," remarked the Doctor, amid the acclaims of the audience, "except by force, much less for a paltry 30 pieces of silver. Those persons who advocate annexation are treading on dangerous ground, and unless they stop there will be trouble."

**Their New Church Opened.**

The Disciples' new church, which was described in Saturday's World, was opened yesterday. Appropriate and well-attended services were held at 11, 3 and 7.

At 11 Rev. A. N. Gilbert of Cleveland, O., preached an eloquent sermon from Romans, i., 16: "For I am not ashamed of the Gospel of Christ, etc."

Under the direction of Mr. F. M. Kain $4700 were raised in subscriptions, a sum which was increased in the evening.

At 3 Mr. George Munro, B.A., editor of The Canadian Evangelist, preached on church unity from Ephesians iv., 1-3: "I therefore, the prisoner of the Lord, beseech you that ye walk worthy of the vocation wherewith ye are called, with all lowliness and meekness, with longsuffering, forbearing one another in love; endeavoring to keep the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace."

At 7 the dedicatory services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Gilbert. The Disciples will doubtless meet with renewed success in their beautiful building.

There is a public meeting in the church tonight.

**Irish Protestants at Church.**

In the Elm-street Methodist Church yesterday afternoon Dr. Potts preached the annual sermon to the Irish Protestant Benevolent Society. The invitation extended to sister societies to attend was accepted by the Sons of Ireland Protestant Association, who assembled in Occident Hall and marched to the Yonge-street Arcade, where a procession was formed and about 300 gallant sons of Erin marched up Yonge-street and filed into the church while the organ poured forth the sweet melodies of the "Last Rose of Summer." After a few musical selections by the choir and a pertinent and earnest prayer by Rev. J. E. Starr, Dr. Potts addressed the members for fully three-quarters of an hour and his remarks were received with the greatest appreciation. The Doctor recalled his hearers to the time when they first thought of leaving their native land and of the trials and troubles which many of them have endured since their arrival in this country. They could not fail to recall God's mindfulness of them both individually and as a people. Their appearance at the service was a public recognition on the part of the Irish Protestants of their faith in the God of their fathers. Patriotism and piety are inseparable and Irish patriotism is a matter of notoriety. A mixture of piety and patriotism is an underlying principle of the I.P.B.S. There are two Irelands. The one loves Britain and her Queen, the other shall not be referred to. There are other great nations than Britain, but Britain for us. The speaker was no prophet, and could not divine the destiny of Canada, but he prayed that he might be allowed to live under the British flag and that his children might enjoy the same blessing. At this remark the members could not restrain their feelings, but gave vent to them in prolonged applause.

Rev. John Hunt, an octogenarian, was called upon at the conclusion of he sermon. He had preached a sermon in an old church on George-street as long ago as the year 1830 or 50 years ago, and although his heart beat faster then it did not beat truer. The service was brought to a close by the singing of the National Anthem.

The officers of the I.P.B.S. present were: President E. F. Clarke, 1st Vice-President R. H. Bowes, 2nd Vice-President W. J. McMaster, Treasurer William Wilson, and Secretary John Bell.

The officers of the S.O.E.P.A. who attended were: John Bell, P.G.P.; A. B. Whinton, G.P.; William Colhoun, V.G.P.; John McFaul, G.S.; Follis Johnston, G.T.; and the officers of the various lodges.

**Church Notes.**

Yesterday was Education Sunday in Parkdale Methodist Church. The services were of special interest. At 11 Rev. Chancellor Burwash of Victoria University preached from II. Timothy, ii., 2: "And the things that thou hast heard from me among many witnesses the same commit thou to faithful men who shall be able to teach others also." His theme was the necessity for and character of education among the ministry.

Rev. Dr. Potts, superintendent of education, preached at 7, taking as his text Colossians iii., 3: "In whom are hid all the treasures of wisdom and knowledge," coupled with Isaiah xxxiii., 6: "And wisdom and knowledge shall be the stability of thy times and strength of salvation; the fear of the Lord is his treasure."

**An Assurance for the Ladies.**

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**Election Scrutineers.**

*Editor World:* In your issue of to-day you make some remarks as to the duties of the scrutineers. You say that the protection of the party and the candidate lies in the scrutineers. Now, if that be so, I say the scrutineers are very slabbily treated if the office is of such importance. Why are they not remunerated for their day's work? In St. Matthew's ward not one of them has been acknowledged for their services on election day by the Liberal candidate. Now, to say the least of it, it is mean. I understand they are going to kick, and right they are; and if they do so some unpleasant things may turn up. ONE OF THE UNFORTUNATES.

*Toronto, March 12.*

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A.F. & A.M. No. 22.

An Emergent Meeting of the above lodge will be held in the Masonic Hall, Toronto-street, on Tuesday, March 17, at 1 o'clock p.m. for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late Bro. William Wakefield.

Members of sister lodges are invited to attend. Masonic clothing.

W. A. LYON, W.M. S. HOLLINGWORTH, Secretary.

**I. O. G. T.**

Officers and members of lodges in Toronto District are requested to meet in the school room of the Carlton-street Methodist Church at 2.30 o'clock sharp this (Monday) afternoon to attend the funeral service of the late James H. Macmullen, P.G.C.T.

THOS. LAWLESS, G.S. JOHN E. WILSON, G.C.T

**A. O. U. W.**

The members of Granite Lodge are requested to attend the funeral of our late Bro. J. H. MacMullen THIS AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, from Carlton-street Methodist Church. Sister lodges cordially invited.

GEO. WALTZE, Rec.

**KENT LODGE No. 3**
S. O. E. B. S.

The members of above Lodge are requested to attend the funeral of our late Bro. Wm. Wakefield, on Tuesday, the 17th inst., at 2 p.m., from his late residence, 48 Sussex-avenue. Members of sister lodges are invited to attend.

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**Money Unchanged—Local Grain Market Keeps Firm—Beerbohm's Report—Liverpool Markets—Oil Easier—Produce and Provisions—New York Stock Market.**

SATURDAY EVENING, March 14.

Canadian Pacific was stronger in London to-day, opening at 78 and closing at 78⅝.

The feature of the local stock market to-day was the activity and strength of Northwest Land.

There were 1087 transactions on local Stock Exchange to-day, 710 of which were in Northwest Land.

Receipts wheat at Toledo, 8000 bushels against 7000 yesterday; at Detroit, 87,000 against 15,000; at Duluth, 23,000 against 25,000.

Receipts flour in Milwaukee 7843 bbls. against 6140 yesterday; wheat, 3000 bushels against 15,000; corn, 6000 against 3000; oats, 23,000 against 11,000; rye, 10,000 against 9000; barley, 27,000 against 19,000.

These are the variations in New York Associated banks for the week: Reserve, decrease $1,087,400; loans, decrease $670,400; specie, decrease $912,100; legals, decrease $610,900; deposits, decrease $1,742,400; circulation, increase $4400.

The new commodity rate on barley and malt to Suspension Bridge, Black Rock, Buffalo, Albany, Troy, Schenectady, New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Boston went into effect to-day. It is fixed at 15c per cwt., a decrease of 2½c.

American wheat markets easier, closing ½c to 1¼c below yesterday. May opened in New York at $1.09⅝, advanced to $1.10¼ and closed at $1.09⅞; in Chicago at $1.01⅞, advanced to $1.02⅛ and closed at $1.00⅜; in Milwaukee at 98c, in St. Louis at $1.01⅞ and closed at $1.00⅞; in Toledo at $1.04¾ and closed at $1.04⅜; in Duluth at $1.04 and closed at $1.03; in Detroit at $1.05⅛ and closed at $1.05.

LOCAL STOCK EXCHANGE.

Local stocks were fairly active to-day, particularly Northwest Land. The market was stronger, prices ranging from ¼ to 2 higher. Bids for Montreal were ⅝ higher and those for Ontario ¼. Commerce sold ½ higher. Bids for Imperial and Hamilton showed a gain of 1 and 1½ respectively, and those for Dominion fell off ½. Mont. Tel. sold ½, N.W.L. 2 and Canadian Pacific ⅛ higher. Quotations are:

Montreal, 225 and 224¼; Ontario, 115 and 114¼; Molsons xd., 157½ and 152½; Toronto, 220 and 215; Merchants', 143½ and 142; Commerce, 129 and 128¼; Imperial, 159 and 157; Dominion, 253½ and 250¼; Standard, 146½ bid; Hamilton, 153 and 151½; British America, 101 and 100; Western Assurance, 148 and 145½; Consumers' Gas, 176 and 170; Dominion Telegraph, 88 and 87¾; Montreal Telegraph, 106 and 104; Canadian Northwest Land Company, 76¾ and 75¾; Canadian Pacific Railway Stock, 77 and 76⅝; British Canadian L. & Investment, 113 and 111; B. & Loan Association, 103½ bid; Canada Landed National Investment Company, 124½ asked; Canada Permanent, 199 asked; Canada Permanent 20 per cent, 189 asked; Canadian Savings & Loan, 115 bid; Central Canada Loan, 121½ bid; Dominion Savings & Loan, 90 and 88; Farmers' Loan & Savings, 128¼ and 123¼; Farmers' Loan and Savings 20 per cent., 118 and 113; Freehold Loan & Savings, 136 bid; Freehold Loan & Savings 20 per cent, 135 and 130; Hamilton Provident, 135 and 130; Huron & Erie Loan & Savings 20 per cent., 150 asked; Imperial Loan & Investment, 129 bid; The Land Security Co., 223 bid; London & Canada L. & A., 124¼ bid; London and Ontario, 115 bid; Manitoba Loan, 108½ bid; North of Scotland Can. Mort. Co., 160 and 150; Ontario Industrial Loan, 115 bid; Ontario Loan and Debenture, 130 and 125½; People's Loan, 116 asked; Toronto Land & Investment Co., 120 asked; Union Loan & Savings, 133½ bid; Western Canada L. & S., 179 asked; Western Canada L. & S. 25 per cent, 169 asked.

Transactions—Commerce, 17, 8 at 128, 29 at 128¼; British America, 30, 20 at 100; Western Assurance, 80, 100 at 145¾; Montreal, 25 at 105¾; N.W.L., 50, 100, 150, 50 at 75¾, 50, 50 at 76, 20, 50, 20 at 76¼, 50 at 76⅝, 100, 20, 20 at 78½; C.P.R., 25 at 76¾, 26 at 76¾; Dom. Sav., 20 at 59; Farmers' Loan, 4, 6 at 123; ditto 20 per cent., 2 at 114, 25 at 118.


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MONTREAL, March 14 (close).—Montreal, 226 and 224; Ontario, 117 and 114; People's, 100 and 96; Molsons xd., 157¾ and 152½; Toronto, 222 and 215; Cartier, 98 and 93; Merchants', 144 and 143; Commerce, 129 and 128¾, sales 10 at 128¾; Tel., 105¾ and 103, sales 75 at 105; N.W.L., 76½ and 75¾; Rich., 56¼ and 55½; Pass., 100 and 189, sales 225 at 189; Gas, 212 and 211¼; C.P.R., 77¼ and 77⅛, sales 425 at 76¾, 75 at 76⅞, 150 at 77, 25 at 77⅛, 100 at 77½; New Pass., 181 and 178¾; Com. Cable, 110 and 109½.


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LONDON, March 14, 12.30 p.m.—Consols, 96 15-16 for money, 96 15-16 for account; U.S. 4s, 122¾; U.S. 4½s, 104¼; St. Paul, 56; Erie, 19; Erie 2nds, 101; Pac. Con., 53⅝; Reading, 15⅝; Can. Pac., 78; N.Y.C., 104; Ill. Cen., 95.

THE MONEY MARKET.

Local money market quiet and unchanged, call loans offering freely at 5½ per cent. Money in New York at the close offered at 2½ per cent.

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There is little or no change in the general condition of the local grain market. Business is still quiet, but prices appear to be firm. Wheat firm, but the market is not active; No. 2 spring changed hands on the Midland at 96c and No. 2 fall west at $1.01; No. 2 hard sold at $1.10; No. 3 hard at 98c to $1 and No. 1 frosted at 88c. Barley steady. No. 3 above lying outside selling at 46c. Peas firm, with sellers at 70c and buyers at 68c to 69c. Oats firm, white selling west at 50c. Bran appears to be rather firmer, sales being reported for shipment east at $16.25 to $16.50. Flour in plentiful supply, with millers inviting offers.

On call 2000 bushels fall wheat offered at $1.02; No. 2 spring, C.P.R. east, at $1; No. 2 spring lying north at 96c, with 99c bid; $1 was bid for No. 1 red; No. 2 hard wheat offered at $1.10 (Port Arthur inspection), with $1.07 bid; No. 3 hard to arrive at $1, with 98c bid; No 3 hard, with grinding privileges, at $1.08, with $1.05 bid; No. 1 frosted at 90c, with 88c bid here; No. 2 frosted offered at 83c, to arrive at Carleton Junction; a car of oats offered at 52c on track and mixed to arrive at North Bay at 56c.


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THE STREET MARKET.

Receipts of grain continue light and prices steady. There was no spring, red or white wheat offered; goose firmer, 200 bushels selling at 84 to 84½c. Barley unchanged, 200 bushels selling at 50 to 51½c. Oats firm, 300 bushels selling at 55½ to 56½c. Receipts of hay light and prices firm, timothy selling at $10 to $12 and clover at $8 to $9. Straw nominally $7 to $8. Dressed hogs in moderate supply and firm at $5.75 to $6.


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ST. LAWRENCE MARKET.

Business was more satisfactory to-day than for some time. Receipts liberal and prices unchanged.

Butter—Firm, large dairy rolls 16c to 20c, dairy tub 16c to 20c, pound rolls 28c to 30c, crocks 19c to 20c.

Eggs—Easier and unchanged at 16c to 18c for fresh laid.

Poultry—Quiet, turkeys 12½c to 15c, geese 8c to 10c, chickens 60c to 80c, ducks 40c to $1.

Potatoes—Receipts fair and prices unchanged at $1 to $1.10 for single bags and 80c to 90 for wagon load lots.

Turnips—Quiet at 40c per bag; carrots 60c per bag.

Apples—In good demand at $4.50 to $6, spies selling at outside figure.


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Potatoes firm, car lots selling on track at 85 to 90c. Baled hay unchanged and steady at $8 to $8.50. Straw, $6. Hops steady and in fair demand, 90's 35c to 38c, yearlings 25c. Dried apples moving slowly at 7½c to 8c and evaporated at 13½c to 14c.


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OSWEGO BARLEY MARKET.

OSWEGO, March 14, 1 p.m. — Barley dull and prices nominal. No. 2 Can., 81c; No. 2 extra Can., 85c; No. 1 Can., 90c.


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THE LIVERPOOL MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL, March 14.—Wheat firm, demand poor, holders offer moderately. Corn quiet, demand fair. Spring wheat, nominal. Red winter, nominal; No. 1 Cal. 8s 3d to 8s 3½d. Corn, 5s 7¾d. Peas, 6s 1d. Pork 48s 9d. Lard, 31s. Bacon, heavy, 28s, light, 28s. Cheese, white and colored, 55s.

BEERBOHM'S REPORT.

LONDON, March 14.—Floating cargoes—Wheat and corn nil. Cargoes on passage—Wheat rather easier; corn steady. Liverpool—Spot wheat quiet, firm; corn downward tendency; corn 5s 7¾d, ¼ cheaper. Liverpool futures—Wheat and corn dull; No. 1 Cal., May 8s 3¼d; June 8s 2¼d; July 8s 1¼d; Aug., Sept. 8s 1¾d. Corn — March 5s 5½d; April, June, July, 5s 7½d; May, 5s 7¾d; Aug 5s 8d; Sept. 5s 8½d.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

Fluctuations in the Chicago grain and produce markets, as received by Drummond & Brown, are as follows:

| | Op'n'g | High'st | Low't | Clos'g |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Wheat—May | 1 01⅛ | 1 02 | 1 00⅝ | 1 00⅞ |
| " —July | 93⅝ | 93¾ | 91¼ | 91⅝ |
| Corn—May | 61⅝ | 61¾ | 60 | 60⅛ |
| " —July | 59⅝ | 60 | 59⅝ | 59⅞ |
| Oats—May | 51 | 51⅝ | 50¾ | 50⅝ |
| " —September | 50⅝ | 50⅝ | 50 | 50 |
| " —July | 47 | 47⅛ | 47 | 47⅛ |
| Pork—May | 10 65 | 10 80 | 10 65 | 10 72 |
| " —July | 11 02 | 11 15 | 11 02 | 11 12 |
| Lard—May | 6 15 | 6 22 | 6 15 | 6 20 |
| " —July | 6 40 | 6 45 | 6 40 | 6 42 |
| S. Ribs—May | 5 15 | 5 25 | 5 15 | 5 22 |
| " —July | 5 45 | 5 55 | 5 45 | 5 50 |

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|---|---|---|---|
| Wheat—Puts | 1 00 | Corn—Puts | .60 |
| " —Calls | 1 01⅛ | " —Calls | .62¼ |

Drummond & Brown received the following today over their private wire from W. G. McCormick & Co. of Chicago: The wheat market for the week winds up with the loss of a portion of the late advance. Cables indicate that foreign markets are beginning to feel the bear talk sent from this side, and foreign operators have been fair sellers in American markets for the past two days. Paris and Berlin send lower quotations, but it is difficult to decide whether this is a natural effect or coming from the financial troubles in France. Our home position, in view of the beautiful weather and crowded crop prospects, is not bullish, so far as the new crop is concerned, but if foreign markets are fairly well sustained we still incline to the bull side of the present crop. Receipts at primary points amount to 375,000 to-day and are somewhat startling, indicating as they do a possible increase of from 500,000 to 700,000 bushels in the visible Monday. To-day's market has been fairly active, although trading has not been in large amounts and has been mostly for local account. Both corn and oats have been weaker and the trading featureless. Our western correspondents continue to predict an improvement in receipts and say that there is plenty of corn yet back in the country. Receipts are fairly good and our cash market shows to-day's decided dullness. We cannot advise taking the bull side on corn at present. We feel equally timid about that side in oats. An enormous trade has been transacted in provisions to-day. Longs who had bought in the neighborhood of $10 for May pork were busy taking their profits to-day. The buying was done by local commission houses, and their heaviest orders were said to come from two of our most prominent packers who have heretofore been bears. Receipts of hogs continue large, being estimated at 50,000 for Monday and 220,000 for next week. The close of the market was steady, but we are inclined to think that the heavy realizing of the past two days will give us a little further decline.


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NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

The following shows the opening and closing of the New York Stock Exchange as received by Tilt & Co.: Am. Cotton Oil, 21¼; Atchison, 25⅝ and 25⅜; Chi., Burlington & Q., 78 and 78⅜; Canadian Pacific, 76½ and 76¾; Canada Southern, 59 and 49¾; Cleve., Cin. & Chic., 60½; Del., Lac. & W., 138½ and 134½; Jersey Central, 114 and 113¼; Louisville & Nash., 73¾ and 74⅜; Lake Shore, 109¾ and 110; Mo. Pacific, 66¼ and 66⅝; N.Y. & New Eng., 34¾; Northern Pacific Pref., 71⅞ and 71⅝; Northwestern, 104 and 104½; North Amn. Co., 17⅞ and 17¾; Phila. & Reading, 29⅛ and 30; Rock Island, 66 and 66⅞; Richmond Term'l, 18 and 18⅛; Silver Certificates, 99¼; St. Paul, 56⅝ and 55¾; Sugar, 75¾ and 76⅛; Texas Pacific, 13⅝ and 13¾; Union Pacific, 45 and 45¼; Western Union, 81.

THE OIL MARKET.

OIL CITY, Pa., March 14.—Oil opened 74¼, highest 74⅝, lowest 73⅛, closed 73⅛.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, March 14.—Cotton, spots firm, 1-16 higher; uplands, 9 1-16; gulf, 9⅛; futures fairly active, easy, 9 to 12 points up; sales 84,000 bales; March $8.84, April $8.88, May $8.97, June $9.06, July $9.15, Aug. $9.18. Flour—Irregular, moderately active. Wheat—Receipts, 45,000 bush; exports, 68,284 bush; sales, 2,160,000 bush futures, 34,000 spot; spot quiet, lower; No. 2 red $1.14⅝ elevator, $1.15⅝ afloat; $1.15 to $1.16⅝ f.o.b.; No. 1 Northern $1.22¼. No. 1 hard $1 25¼. Options closed ⅝c to ¾c lower, weak; No. 2 red March, $1.13⅝. May $1.10, June $1.08¼, July $1.05¾, Aug. $1.01⅝. Rye dull, 90c to 95c. Barley quiet, firm. No. 2 Milwaukee 82c to 83c, ungraded western 77½c to 85c. Canada 88c to 99c. Barley malt dull, Canada country made $1.00 to $1.05; city do. $1.05 to $1.10. Corn—Receipts 48,100 bush; exports 20,314 bush; sales, 544,000 bush futures, 42,500 bush spot; spots dull, weak; ungraded mixed 71c to 73½c; options closed weak, ⅝c to 1c lower, March 70c, May 69⅝c, June 69½c, July 69¼c. Oats—Receipts 40,000 bush, sales none, 90,000 bush spot; spot dull, lower; options dull, nominally lower; March 57c, April 57c, May 56⅞c; spot No. 2 57c to 57½; mixed western 55½c to 58½c, white do 57c to 63c.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, March 14.—The leading futures closed: Wheat—March 98⅝c, May $1.02¾, July 97⅞c. Corn—March 59c, May 62½c, July 59⅝c. Oats—May 50⅝c, June 50c, July 47⅝c. Mess pork—March $10.67½, May $10.77½, July $11.15. Lard—March $6.05, May $6.20, July $6.42½. Short ribs—March $5.05, May $5.22½, July $5.35. Cash quotations were: Flour steady, unchanged; No. 2 spring wheat 95⅝c to 96c; No. 3 red $1.00 to $1.03⅝; No. 2 corn, 59c to 59¾c; No. 2 oats, 49¾c to 49⅞c; No. 3 rye, 92c. Mess pork, $10.50 to $10.60; lard, $6.02½ to $6.05; short ribs sides, $5 to $5.10; dry salted shoulders, $4.12 to $4.25; short clear sides, $5.35 to $5.50. Receipts—Flour, 9000 bbls; wheat, 22,000 bush; corn, 215,000 bush; oats, 171,000 bush; rye, 10,000 bush; barley, 36,000 bush. Shipments—Flour, 9000 bbls; wheat, 27,000 bush; corn, 149,000 bush; oats, 97,000 bush; rye, 6000 bush; barley, 8000 bush.

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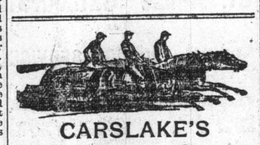

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