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THE NEWS.

Warm, showery, cooler.
The butchers of Paris now threaten to strike.

Since July 1, 1861, Uncle Sam has paid out \$1,284,716 for pension.
Hon. Mr. Gladstone has gone to Lowestoft to recuperate.

Eaton College celebrated its 413th anniversary yesterday.

A British force of police has been defeated by natives near Sierra Leone.

Prof. William Edward Weber, the well-known electro-scientist of Germany, is dead.

The Kickapoo Indians have again repeated their refusal to take lands in severally.

A Sioux City despatch says terrible rains have almost devastated that portion of Iowa.

A ukase of the Czar places the levy of recruits for 1891 at 262,400, as against 212,000 in 1890.

A negro girl has been sentenced at Rome, Ga., to 99 years' service in the convict camp for arson.

Extra precautions are to be taken at ports of entry in the United States to guard against small-pox.

It is probable that Mr. Chaplin's Cattle bill in the Imperial Parliament will be abandoned for this session.

The Austrian Emperor has telegraphed Queen Victoria thanking her for his reception by the British fleet.

The French Senate has at length accepted the deputies bill, fixing the reduction of corn duties for July 10.

The National Ice Company of New York has filed a certificate of an increase of capital from \$250,000 to \$750,000.

The Typothet of New Haven has decided to oppose the demands of the Typographical Union for the nine-hour day.

The authorities at Washington discredit the reported disappearance of a Russian royal courier between San Francisco and New York.

The plant of the Milwaukee bridge and iron works is to be sold at auction, in accordance with a decision made by Hamilton Townsend, the assignee.

Hergel Bros., distillery at Pekin, Ill., has succumbed to the whisky trust, which it had been fighting. The trust has an option of the plant for \$600,000.

The Supreme Court of Indiana has decided that where the requisite number of patrons petition for the teaching of German in the public schools it must be taught.

A. H. Kroeger, a contractor and builder of Chicago, disappeared from Champaign, Ill., where he has been visiting, last Tuesday evening and has not since been heard from.

The English admirers of M. de Lesseps are organizing to present him with a testimonial of their continued esteem, and of their sympathy with him in his present tribulations.

A Cincinnati paper advances the theory that Wm. Kendall, whose body was found in the Ohio River, and whose home was in Newport, Ky., was killed in a manner similar to that of Dr. Cronin.

William H. Cook, recently Police Clerk of Toledo, pleaded guilty to the embezzlement of \$5,000 of the city funds yesterday, and was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary and to pay a fine of \$10,000.

Rev. Leroy Hooker, the former pastor of the Metropolitan Methodist Church, Toronto, has removed to Detroit and has gone into the insurance business. He is understood to have gone out of the ministry altogether.

Acting Secretary Spaulding has authorized the free entry of a marble bust (with pedestal) of the Hon. Simon B. Chittenden, imported for presentation to the Long Island Historical Society, provided it is found to be a work of art.

Prince Maximilian, of Isenburg, the twenty-year-old son of Prince Ferdinand, head of the house of Isenburg, has been declared by the Munich courts to be a spendthrift and unfit to be trusted with the management of his own affairs.

The Pope has intimated to the superiors of the Franciscan Order in Hungary that the new regulations, enforcing the rule of St. Francis in all its pristine severity, must be obeyed in future, under pain of expulsion from the order.

Baron Job Mantouffil, son and heir of the late well-known field marshal, was convicted in Berlin to-day of selling a forest which was already mortgaged to the Crown, and thereby swindling a Hebrew firm, of Breslau, out of 90,000 marks.

An outsider named Frank Burton disputed the decision of Fred. House, the umpire of a baseball game at Downs, Ke., Monday, and a fight occurred in which Burton was worsted. Afterward Burton sneaked up behind House and struck him on the head with a club, inflicting a probably fatal injury.

It is stated on the best authority that the only financial question to be considered by the United States Cabinet at its regular meeting to-day is whether the coinage of standard silver dollars shall be continued after July 1, and that data on that subject is being prepared at the Treasury Department for the information and guidance of the President and his advisors.

While there is a diversity of opinion as to the advisability of such a course, the prevailing sentiment with leading Treasury officials is that it will be adopted.

OUR SPECIAL CABLES

Mr. Parnell and Mrs. O'Shea Were Quietly Wedded Yesterday.

TWO WITNESSES PRESENT.

How the Bride was Dressed—A Second Ceremony to Take Place—French Explanations Regarding the Right of Search—The Murder in Wales—Rothschilds to the Rescue.

BY CABLE TO THE HERALD.

PARIS, June 25.—In the Chamber of Deputies this afternoon the Brussels convention was again taken up. M. Charms stated that the right of search agreed upon did not apply to force—that it only pertained to the verifying of ships' papers. If these were found correct the duty of foreign officers visiting French vessels ceased.

M. Pion maintained that the French plenipotentiaries at Brussels have virtually accepted the right of search, thus violating the glorious traditions of France. Great Britain got everything she asked for—the partition of Africa, the conversion of the Egyptian debt, and Zanzibar.

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THREE PAIRS.

Efforts Before the Senate Committee to Make Them Single.

FROM OUR OWN REPORTER.

OTTAWA, June 25.—The Senate Divorce Committee read three applications to-day. The first was that of Adam Rose-worth, of Walkertown, who asked for a divorce from his wife because she was now living with another man as his wife.

The committee reported for a divorce. The second application was that of Thomas Bristow, farmer, in the County of Grey. His wife married a man named Robertson under an assumed name, and is now living with said Robertson. Divorce was recommended in this case.

The third was that of Isabel Tapley, of Hamilton, who claimed that her husband left her and had gone to live with another woman. Several witnesses were examined and cross-examined by the husband in person. The committee reserved their decision.

THE NEXT TRIAL OF THE VESUVIUS.

Projectiles Are So Expensive That the Department Reduced the Number.

WASHINGTON, June 25.—As a result of the report of the board which conducted the recent tests of the pneumatic guns of the Vesuvius, the Navy Department has decided to make further tests. The board asked for 108 projectiles. They are expensive and the department has reduced the number to 75. It is believed these will be sufficient to determine the curves and establish the range of the guns.

The Vesuvius will be fitted with a range finder of new design, so that the distance of the target from the guns can be ascertained instantly with a close approximation to accuracy. Sights are to be fitted to the guns, and some alterations suggested by the last trial will be made in the mechanism which admits the compressed air to impel the projectile. When these things have been done, and the projectiles procured, a final and thorough test will be made to ascertain the actual value of pneumatic dynamite gun on ship board. It will not take place for two or three months.

THE STORM IN THE WEST.

Great Damage by the Washout on the Railroads.

SPECIAL TO THE HERALD.

OMAHA, June 25.—The storm yesterday afternoon and last night was general throughout Nebraska and Nevada. The Elkhorn and St. Paul roads were covered with water at several points. No trains have arrived since yesterday. At West Point, Neb., the water covers the tracks three feet. At Lamar, Iowa, the joint track used by the Illinois Central Road is covered and no train can pass. Small washouts are reported on the Burlington and Union Pacific roads, and all trains are late. A special from York, Neb., says: By a washout of a small culvert two miles east of here, a freight train of twenty-one cars and a locomotive were thrown down the bank. At this time a brakeman has been taken out with a broken leg and the engineer and firemen are still under the wreck.

TOOK THE UNION JACK DOWN.

Consul Ewing's Latest Escapee Increases His Unpopularity.

VANCOUVER, B. C., June 25.—Jay Ewing, the American Consul, is becoming more unpopular every day.

The arrival of the first through train to Whistler, Wash., from here was celebrated Monday by an excursion and demonstration by Whistler citizens. In honor of the guests the Union Jack was conspicuously displayed on an arch side by side with the Stars and Stripes.

Ewing, who was one of the excursionists from here, demanded that the Union Jack be taken down, and as a half-drunken mob backed up his demand the Union Jack came down.

THE INSURANCE COMPANIES WORTHLESS.

LANCASTER, Pa., June 24.—The attention of G. B. Luper, Insurance Commissioner, has been called to a circular issued by an alleged association with its office in Philadelphia and bearing the name of the "Mutual Mutual Fire Insurance Association," saying that the following companies were under their supervision, and showing them to have fabulous assets and very few liabilities: Steelton Mutual Fire Insurance Company; Fawcett Mutual Fire Insurance Company; Harrisburg; Dauphin; Merchants' Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Altoona; Capital City Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Harrisburg—all of which are incorporated under the act of May 1, 1876.

Mr. Luper says: "Instead of these companies having \$1,444,497.61 assets and only \$12,608.30 liabilities, as advertised, it is discovered by these examinations that their aggregate assets amount to but \$30,629 and their liabilities to \$42,566.75. The assets are practically worthless."

Big Guns for Coast Defence.

WASHINGTON, June 25.—Acting Secretary Grant has just approved the recommendations made by the Fortification Board at its recent meeting in New York.

The most important recommendation is that the Chief of Ordnance be authorized to construct some of the new 12-inch rifles of 40 calibres length. The extreme length of these heavy guns so far designed in the United States has been about 36 feet, but some of the European gunmakers have constructed guns of this calibre fifty feet long. It is believed that the results so attained will justify the extension of our twelve-inch guns to a length of 40 feet, and the board's recommendation that the experiment be tried has secured the assent of the department.

THE U. S. TREASURY SURPLUS.

WASHINGTON, June 25.—The United States Treasurer's statement issued to-day shows a cash balance of \$44,507,793, of which there is on deposit in national banks, \$22,793,487, and of which there is in fractional silver \$20,147,734, making a total of \$42,941,221, leaving a net balance of \$1,566,571.

A WESTERN FLOOD.

Great Damage Done by a Cloud-Burst in Northwestern Iowa.

TWO KILLED BY LIGHTNING.

The People Flew For Their Lives—Eiders Sent in Advance to Warn Them of the Peril of the Way—Crops Destroyed and People Rendered Homeless—Calls For Assistance.

SPECIAL TO THE HERALD.

CHICAGO, June 25.—At the headquarters of the Chicago and Northwestern Railroad reports were read to-day which show that the damage to tracks and bridges in Northwestern Iowa is almost beyond estimation. General Manager Whitman had a long telegram from one of his division superintendents giving, so far as obtainable, a summary of the damage.

Sioux City, Iowa, June 25.—The storm converted the Sioux Valley into a great lake. The valley is one of the most fertile sections of this part of the country and is thickly settled, numerous towns being scattered throughout its length. The damage done will run into hundreds of thousands of dollars aside from the loss sustained from the sweeping away of houses and barns.

It is said that at Waterman Creek the bridge, 185 feet long, has been swept away. Another bridge, 197 feet long, on the Wenona section, is gone, and at Waterman station a side track a quarter of a mile in length was torn up and carried nearly half a mile from its bed.

The Cushing and Kingley bridge went down last night and it is believed that all the smaller bridges between Battle Creek and the Missouri river have been torn from their fastenings and swept away.

Trains are not running on either the Sioux Falls or Sioux city branches. The main line of the Northwestern has not however, been affected. Consequently business destined to points beyond the devastated territory can be sent via the Missouri Valley.

A fine bridge across Maple River, 544 feet long, has been wrecked completely. The Illinois Central is equally as severely damaged as the Northwestern, and hardly any telegrams have been received at the Headquarters of the company in this city. At the general offices of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul, General Manager Erling said that the damage was very great, and that the combination was an irresistible one, and it was not long before people in the valley were fleeing to places of safety, in many cases driving their cattle before them.

The tidal wave did not reach Sioux city until this morning. It did not come in a rush, but gradually overflowed the banks of Floyd river and extended to Leeds, a manufacturing suburb.

Several big factories were submerged, and the little town is now under two feet of water. On the Omaha branch of the Illinois Central Road, the track is washed out in many places, and several bridges are under water. Next in the Illinois Central the Omaha section to have been the first to suffer. Its tracks are washed out at Lemar and as far north as Sheldon.

There will be heavy losses to farmers by the total destruction of great fields of wheat and corn. Although the flood came rather suddenly the people in the valley were not taken by surprise, as riders were immediately started to carry the warning.

Had the wind occurred in the night there would have been great loss of life. The overflowing of the banks of the Sioux and Floyd Rivers was the primary cause of the flood. That was supplemented by a cloudburst at Lemar.

It Reached Tennessee.

SPECIAL TO THE HERALD.

KNOXVILLE, June 25.—A cloudburst occurred in Cherokee county yesterday, doing much damage to crops, etc. Harvey Agnew and Jacob Newton, moonshiners, were struck by lightning and instantly killed.

HYDROPHOBIA LONG DORMANT.

A Boy Dies Twenty-Three Months After Being Bitten.

BEAVER FALLS, Pa., June 25.—Twenty-seven months ago George Wick, then aged eight, was bitten on the thigh by a dog. Yesterday the lad died of hydrophobia.

He was taken sick last Saturday and suffered untold agony for three days. He frothed at the mouth, tore the bedclothes like a wild beast and was thrown into spasms at the sight of water.

When bitten the wound was cauterized, but it took three weeks to heal. The affected thigh turned black and twitched violently when the lad was taken sick, and immediately after death decomposition set in.

ENVELOPED IN A FIRE.

YORKVILLE, La., June 25.—Dr. F. E. Yeakum left for San Francisco this evening, taking with him his son to receive medical treatment for the bite of a mad dog.

Caught Rabies from a Steer.

KNOXVILLE, June 25.—John and Frank Maxwell, of Franklin county, caught rabies from skinning a steer that had died from the bite of a mad dog. The former is dead and the latter is chained in his cellar, a raving maniac.

A Typhoid Epidemic.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., June 25.—Typhoid fever is raging at Valley Falls, six miles north of here; thirty-six persons are down with the disease. The cause has been traced to a contaminated well.

Gentlemen wishing to have their clothes cleaned, dyed or repaired before going to the country can have them done at M. J. Adler's, 47 Beaver Hall Hill. Tel. 4861.

TORONTO TOPICS.

Boy Drowned—Acquitted on a Charge of Manslaughter.

SPECIAL TO THE HERALD.

TORONTO, June 25.—Edwin Leck, a boy of 12, inmate of the Mimico Industrial School for Boys, was drowned in the Etobicoke creek to-day while bathing there.

Christopher McGrain was acquitted of the charge of manslaughter of his mistress, Jane Harding.

DECIDED TO DIE TOGETHER.

So They Took Paris Green, but Only One of Them Succeeded.

MIDDLETON, N. Y., June 25.—Herman Heinleiss, formerly a bartender at the Russell House, and Joe Gibbons, a waitress at the same hotel, drank Paris green in soda-water in Webb's Park last night and then lay down to die. Heinleiss died in a short time. The girl will recover.

While employed at the Russell House Heinleiss was the girl's accepted suitor, but when he removed to Honesdale his co-sessor as bartender became the favorite. Heinleiss recently returned to this city, and when he discovered the state of affairs became jealous and despondent. The girl apparently could not decide which of the two men she preferred, but last night, while with Heinleiss, she decided to die with him.

Short in His Accounts.

SPECIAL TO THE HERALD.

NEW YORK, June 25.—C. A. King, agent of the Hinchcliff Brewing Company, of Patterson, N. J., was arrested to-day on a charge of grand larceny. He is charged with being \$22,000 short in his accounts.

IN THE HOUSE YESTERDAY.

MR. JONES RAISES A QUESTION OF PRIVILEGES.

The Whole Day Occupied in Debating Railway Schemes of the "Wild-Cat" Order.

FROM OUR OWN REPORTER.

OTTAWA, June 25.—Mr. Jones has had another passage-at-arms with his erstwhile Tory friends. He rose to a question of privilege to-day and protested against the article in Le Monde, which censured him for voting Liberal on the non-confidence motion on Monday last.

He resented the impertinence of Le Monde in attributing sinister motives to him for that motion, and he denied that he had made any agreement with Mr. Laurier as to how he should vote.

"Sovereign contempt" was the only sentiment he had for that kind of Tories.

For almost all the afternoon the House in committee debated a resolution introduced by Mr. Dewdney. It was to the effect that it is expedient, in order to enable the Winnipeg and Hudson Bay Railway Co. to construct a railway from the city of Winnipeg to some point on the Saskatchewan River, to enter into a contract with such company for the transport of their supplies, materials and mails for 20 years, and to pay for such services during the said term \$80,000 per annum, such payment to be computed from the date of the completion of the said railway.

Mr. Spohn spoke for nearly two hours against the resolution. He gave profuse quotations from the report of the Alert Expedition, endeavoring to show that Hudson Straits were navigable for only two months of the year. He contended that the proposition was merely a scheme to use public for political purposes, and even were it practicable it would be unjust interference with the trade of the St. Lawrence.

Mr. Armstrong denounced the scheme on the same ground, defining it as a "wild cat scheme."

Messrs. Watson and Ross, of Lisgar, advocated the proposal in convincing speeches, the latter stating that the policy of the Government should be to give all the railway competition possible to the Northwest. He contended that no scheme ever proposed since the building of the C. P. R. was of more vital importance to the people of Manitoba than this.

"Spoon-Feeding" Opposed.

This Saskatchewan Railway was debated and asseamed after recess.

Messrs. Sprule, Macdonnell, Davin, Forbes, Fraser, Semple and Mills, making long speeches. All the Liberals named opposed the resolution on general principles. The argument of the Ontario men opposing the scheme was that their province paid more than half of the Dominion revenue and yet they never received large railway bonuses and were recently refused assistance by the Government in redeeming the debts they had contracted for their local roads. Ontario had enough of this policy of "spoon-feeding" the shreds and patches of the Dominion.

The resolution was finally reported and the House soon after adjourned.

Before the adjournment Sir Richard Cartwright inquired of the Government when they would be prepared to proceed with the budget debate.

Sir Hector Langevin after the usual disquisition by Sir John Thompson, reported that the House would convene tomorrow in the resolution just reported. Then they would pass the necessary bill and then take up the budget debate.

Sir Richard Cartwright—If this bill be discussed to-morrow as it has been discussed to-day I fear we shall not make much progress with the budget debate.

Mr. Foster—Oh, I think it has petered out.

Sir Richard Cartwright—Are you quite sure?

Mr. Foster—No.

Sir Richard said he trusted the Government would fulfil their promise and allow the debate to proceed without delay. It was too important to be shelved for a week.

Mr. Mulock will ask on Tuesday whether the Minister of Justice or Hon. Mr. Abbott, after the death of Sir John Macdonald, advised His Excellency that Sir Charles Tupper be asked to form a ministry.

TARTE -- LANGEVIN.

Further Progress Made in the Enquiry Into the Affair Yesterday.

A WITNESS WHO FORGETS.

What Became of the Books—A Rather Peculiar Way of Doing Business—Extreme Measures Have to be Resorted to—A Scene in the Committee Room—The Investigation Adjourned.

FROM OUR OWN REPORTER.

OTTAWA, June 25.—There was to-day again a large number of spectators and a full attendance of members at the meeting of the Privileges and Elections Committee.

Mr. B. B. Oiler, along with Mr. Henry, watched the case for Sir Hector Langevin.

The further examination of Mr. Parley was proceeded with by Mr. Geoffrion.

In answer to a question whether he had a conversation with P. Larkin in regard to the Esquimaux harbor, witness said that he was unable to remember, having had so many conversations with contractors.

"If Mr. Larkin says so," asked Mr. Geoffrion, "or rather had he written a letter to that effect at that time, would he be saying what was true?"

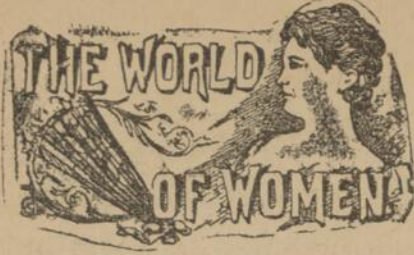
"I have no doubt if Mr. Larkin had so written it would have been true."

"If he says in that letter that you informed him that Sir Hector was determined to have the Esquimaux harbor completed before being lengthened, even if it had to be lengthened immediately afterwards, would that be correct?"

"I believe if Mr. Larkin said so it would have been perfectly true."

"When you say in any of your letters 'I am directed by the minister' you mean that the minister has so directed you?"

"The minister would have either directed me personally or through the secretary of the department, and I am only medium between myself and him."



THE WORLD OF WOMEN

CHARMING house gown of tan-colored crepe with embroidered border in Oriental colors. The coat of three-quarter length, has a pointed girdle lapped in front made of pink bengaline richly wrought to match the border. A deep plastron is of pink chiffon. A pinkish embroidery and fringed with gold falls low on the right of the skirt. The sleeves round open to disclose an embroidered border. —Harper's Bazar.

A very pretty garden party costume, says Harper's Bazar, is of pink floral with intricate pattern of deeper rose touched with black amid ovals of gilt and pink. The pointed bodice with fullness drawn down without darts, has a yoke-like collar of white chiffon wrought with gold and scalloped with black. The sleeves have chiffon on the lower arm, with frouded puff top. The straight skirt has a dounce of embroidered chiffon headed by a ruche of plain chiffon. Pink gros grain ribbon edged with satin follows the edge of the waist and falls low on one side. The hat of coarse straw has flaming vandyke trim, and garniture of pink blossoms. White kid gloves, and parasol of white silk.

Belts are an important item of the fashionable toilet this season. Soft leather, velvet, canvas, passementerie, and gold and silver are employed in the different varieties. There are Russian leather belts clasped with the owners monogram in silver; slender, flexible chain belts of gold, and, perhaps daintier than all the others, narrow black velvet belts accentuating the slenderness of the waist, and clasped with old buckles of paste or silver.

Lined gingham and lawn, waists may be pointed, back and front. A colored lawn has a round skirt finished with a ruffle ten inches deep. The sleeves are full at the shoulders at top of the deep cuffs of embroidery.

All black lawns or batistes for mourning wear are trimmed with cross-grain ribbon at a belt, bustles, collar and cuffs. Black and white designs are trimmed in the same manner and are equally as appropriate.

Everything uncommon is now seized and used for either a decorative or useful object. Old bodices that are beautifully carved are now used for tallstands to put a flower pot on.

Delaine and foulard are both exceedingly fashionable materials, and being soft in texture, require somewhat different treatment to the ordinary woolen fabrics.

Yellow leather faced boots are the latest dictum in foot-gear. They are not pretty, but Paris announces that they are chic and accordingly stylish.

Nice gingham are now lined with satin and not the slight pretense is made of fashioning them so that they will wash.

Princess and Dancer.

It is most satisfactory to learn (says the London Queen) that an Italian lady of high degree has at last taken the cause of dumb animals energetically in hand. Anybody who has traveled in Italy must have observed the flimsy cruelty with which the lower classes treat their beasts of burden, and, for the PRINCESS MELE, matter of that, poor beasts.

The Neapolitans are among the worst offenders, and a Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals was most needed there. At the instance of Princess Mele Baroni, laws have been enacted making gross cruelty criminal, but the evil is of such long standing that these laws remain a dead letter, unless officers are specially appointed to enforce them. The Princess has now, with the aid of some English residents and visitors, established a staff of inspectors, whose duty it is to prevent cruelty to animals and bring offenders to justice. Twelve officers are employed in Naples, and one in the Torre Annunziata, who deal with upward of 42,000 cases of ill-treatment during the past year.

A Cap for Children's Ears.

Adelaide Claxton, an English lady, has patented an ear cap, for correcting the lop-overs of young children. Thousands of infants are put to sleep on their ears, and the result is permanent disfigurement. The cap is made of thin bands of parchment, fleece lined, and by it the projecting ears are held down, the hair is kept from tangling during the night, even on a most restless sleeper, and the strings being tied under the chin, causes the child to unconsciously acquire the healthy habit of breathing through the nose in sleep, instead of through the open mouth, and consequently snoring. It is perfectly comfortable to the child, and elastic is inserted at certain places to insure its fitting any shaped head.

Mr. French Sheldon's Progress.

American Mrs. French Sheldon, who is traveling through Africa for pleasure, has found it an expensive affair. She engaged fifty porters, and they declared that they must have seventy armed protectors. At last she started with a hundred persons. But she is getting along nicely, and is now about 500 miles in the interior. She called on the Sultan of Zanzibar, and he showed her his harem.

One Little Lovelock.

The proper way to arrange dark hair—that is, smooth hair—is to wave it from the nape of the neck upward, and then twist it in the centre of the back in a small coil, fastened close to the head. The bang, instead of being curled, is waved and drawn backward, one little lovelock, just in the centre, being brought down low on the forehead.

Origin of the Tea Plant.

The origin of the tea plant is an interesting little story, which might be told at an afternoon tea without being regarded as a chestnut. A Buddhist pilgrim had made a vow not to go to sleep on a certain journey, but one night when he was weary he fell into a slumber.

A Great Expense Lessened.

Many a parent knows how expensive it is feeding infants with high priced food. Dyer's improved food for infants is highly nutritious, made from pure pearl barley, and costs 25 cents a package. Druggists keep it. W. A. Dyer & Co., Montreal.

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For men's clothing, heavy cloth, etc., dilute a small quantity in an equal amount of water, and following the law of the goods sponge the stains with a piece of similar cloth. The grease that gathers upon the collars of coat will immediately disappear, and the undiluted fluid will vanquish the more obstinate spots. When clean, dry with another cloth, and press the under side with a warm iron. This fluid is also useful when painted walls and woodwork require scouring, a cupful to a pail of warm water being the proper proportion.

When washing black dress goods, soap must never under any circumstances be applied directly to the material. In order to obtain the necessary suds, it must be slaked and entirely dissolved in a basinful of boiling water, and then thrown into the wash-tub. Black Lawn.—Wash very quickly in hot suds, for this material must not lie wet; rinse in deeply blue water, and hang in the shade; iron upon the wrong side while still damp. If stiffening is desired, dry thoroughly, and before ironing dip the goods into very thin and very blue starch; hang once more in the open air, and iron when nearly dry.

Black crepe requires careful treatment. Remove the dust by gently slapping it between the hands. Steam small pieces by holding them over the spout of the boiling tea-kettle, and larger ones over a dish-pan of boiling water. Lay the moist pieces of crepe between two layers of sheet wadding, and press beneath a heavy weight—the slab of a marble-topped table or the pastry board weighted with books or flat-irons. It is well to place a width of soft cheese-cloth between the crepe and the wadding to prevent the cotton fluff from adhering to it.

Black Velvet.—Brush carefully, and steam to raise the nap. Two persons, their hands protected from the steam, are required to do the work. While one holds the heated iron with its smooth surface upturned, the other, throwing a very wet towel over it, presses the wrong side of the velvet down upon the iron, so that the rising steam forces the pile into place, and continues this as long as possible. Lastly the wrong side of the velvet is drawn quickly across the surface of the iron itself.

Black Silk.—Purchase a few ounces of soap bark at the drug-store according to the amount of silk to be cleaned. Steep two ounces of the bark in a quart of warm water for a few hours. Rip and brush the silk, and remove all threads left by the former stitches. Spread the pieces upon the lap-board or a clean table, and after straining the infusion, sponge on both sides with a scrap of the silk. A lather will form, and this is then to be wiped away with another piece of the silk. Do not wring the moisture from the silk; spread the different pieces upon a sheet laid over the carpet, and pin them at the corners. When dry, the silk will look like new.

Black Cashmere.—Wash in hot suds, and rinse twice in lukewarm water well blined. If a clear day, hang in the open air, and iron upon the wrong side when nearly dry. Long, steady strokes of the iron and even pressure throughout will restore the original silky sheen of the material.

Black Alpaca.—Process as with cashmere, and add a little gum-arabic to the last rinsing water.

Black Lace.—Spread out the lace upon a towel stretched over the lap-board, and using an old black kid glove or a soft piece of silk for the purpose, sponge thoroughly with a solution of borax—a teaspoonful to a pint of warm water. To retain the shape, direct the strokes from the selvage outward. Cover with a piece of old silk, and iron dry.—Harper's Bazar.

Bonnets and Stockings for Babies.

The little bonnet shown in the first figure is pretty and stylish for babies under three years. Round bonnets are now worn more than those with high crowns. The bonnet must be of white. It is a pleasure for me to be able to tell you that black is no longer stylish for little folks, and neither are the extremely long dresses. The pattern of this little bonnet costs only ten cents. A bonnet quite as pretty and far more durable than those shown in the stores may be made at home at less expense. For children over three years of age, hats made of wash goods are worn more than bonnets. There is a great fancy now for hats with white lawn crowns, and colored brims of pique or cambric. The second figure shows how they are made. The pattern comes in sizes for children between the ages of two and eight years, and costs fifteen cents.

I wonder if mothers know that very good summer stockings for the baby may be made from the best parts of woollen underwear. The underwear should be colored black with logwood and copperas. The druggist of whom you buy the logwood will give you proportions. The goods must be dipped in logwood dye first, then in the solution of copperas, then washed in suds. It makes a color that will not rub.—The Housekeeper.

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BUDGET IDIOSYNCRASIES.

Having noted what may fairly be called the favorable points of the Finance Minister's budget speech, we propose dealing with some of its features which are open to criticism. These are numerous enough. As we have already said the speech is largely devoid of the hitherto gush and optimistic bounce which have characterized some of Mr. Foster's previous efforts in dealing with the commerce and finances of the country. Still there is an amount of self-satisfaction expressed over the business outlook which is in marked contrast with the cautious utterances and warnings of bank managers and business men, who have a more correct appreciation of the situation than Mr. Foster can possibly have, simply because they are compelled to look at things from many points of view, while the Finance Minister confines his observations mainly to revenue receipts and the volume of trade. Because the tariff gives him the power to extract from the pockets of the people two or three million dollars more than are required by the ordinary business of the country, he arrives at the conclusion, without having any knowledge of the tribulations of the banks and business men or the anxious efforts of the people to make ends meet, that everything is satisfactory, if not lovely. It is true, as the Finance Minister points out, that the crops are an important factor affecting the commercial situation, but the indifferent crops of the past few years are by no means wholly responsible for the existing depression. Overproduction of manufactured goods under the artificial stimulus of the national policy, the absolute loss of millions of dollars sunk in unproductive industries, and the enormous taxation of the people involved in the maintenance of our protection system, are not only aggravations of whatever depression may be due to bad crops, but are in themselves quite sufficient to seriously and adversely affect the prosperity of the people and the country, even if the crop yield had been as abundant as it proved to be deficient. Good crops will undoubtedly favorably affect the business situation, but they will not by any means offset the adverse influences growing out of artificial conditions of trade, the locked-up capital and enormous taxation due to the National Policy. The Finance Minister should be able to appreciate the force of these circumstances in their bearing upon the trade and industry of the country. Perhaps he does; but if so he deliberately ignores them and is therefore guilty of treason to the best interests of the Dominion.

In announcing the remission of the sugar duties and the adoption of measures of economy to partially offset the lost revenue, Minister Foster indulged in a characteristic piece of bounce. He said: "I venture to say that never in the history of Canada, before Confederation or since, has any Government come down to the House with such a large reduction of the taxes and burdens of the people as this. * * * I promise them and the House that if this Government continues to supervise expenditures, as we intend to do, despite what honorable gentlemen opposite may say, we shall practice this economy in no niggardly spirit, but while giving cheap and free sugar to the people, shall fully provide for the public works and services and necessities of the country." Whatever the Finance Minister himself may have thought of this rhodomontade, it must have been intensely amusing to those who know that neither the reduction of taxation nor the policy of economy is adopted from choice but from necessity. The remission of the sugar duties is undeniably dictated by the sugar legislation of the McKinley bill, and the adoption of measures of economy is compelled by the fact that the country cannot and will not stand any more taxation. Minister Foster is quite at liberty to make a virtue out of necessity, but he cannot humbug the country by doing so. Further, if this reduction of taxation is cause for congratulation, and it measures of economy are derogatory

ing of approbation, what shall we say of the wickedness and fatuousness of the policy of increased taxation, augmentation of the public burdens, and reckless piling up of the expenditure which the Government have persisted in during the past twelve years? Mr. Foster's glorification of his new departure as sweeping a condemnation of the policy of the past twelve years as any opponent of the Government could well desire. So is his disquisition on reciprocity with the United States a condemnation of the national policy. If the policy of protection is based on sound principles, if it is proving a benefit to Canada, if trade restriction by means of high tariff duties is the proper policy for this country to maintain, what in the name of common sense does Mr. Foster mean by swaggering about reciprocity negotiations with the United States and prating about enlargement of trade with Great Britain and the West Indies. The people of this country are not such numskulls that they cannot see through the inconsistency and absurdity of the Finance Minister's pretensions.

A CURIOUS BIT OF HISTORY.

Mr. Goschen, Chancellor of the Exchequer, recently introduced a bill in the British House of Commons which recalls an interesting piece of history. It is called the Russian-Dutch Loan Bill, and asks for authority to pay off the small remnant of the Russian loan of 1811 raised in Holland, for which Great Britain is responsible. The loan amounted to 51,000,000 florins, and was made in Amsterdam under the auspices of Messrs. Hope and Company. Great Britain undertook to pay the interest at five per cent. on 25,000,000 florins to make a return to Russia for the expense of delivering Holland and Belgium from Napoleon. It might be supposed, says a London paper, that the great Napoleon had cost the British people directly quite enough in the matter of war expenditure, but that apparently was not the view taken in 1815, and so they have been paying interest and sinking fund on the loan ever since. By the end of 1886 the loan was reduced to 7,250,000 florins, and at the end of last year it was exactly a million less, being equal to 6,250,000. Russia wishes to pay off the loan, and the present bill is to authorize the borrowing from the National Debt Commissioners of the sum necessary to redeem the British portion simultaneously. The money borrowed is to be repaid to the commissioners within fifteen years, and the Consolidated Fund is to provide for the interest and repayment. Those were the days when Russia and Great Britain were on more friendly terms than they have been for some time; and those were the days when English blood and treasure were freely expended to prevent continental Europe being conquered and governed by a despot.

FOSTER AS A PROHIBITIONIST.

As was anticipated the Government managed on Wednesday night to shirk a straight vote on the question of prohibition pure and simple. After Mr. Taylor's amendment for a plebiscite had been snowed under by a vote of 185 to 7, Minister Foster, the erstwhile \$10-a-night apostle of prohibition, moved an amendment to refer the question of the liquor traffic and prohibition to a royal commission for investigation. This of course is a clever method of shelving the question for the present, just as the labor question was shelved by the appointment of a royal commission some years ago, the only people who received any benefit from that move being the well-paid commissioners. The Government party, with three exceptions—Jameson, Lepine and Dickey—voted for Minister Foster's shelving amendment—the vote standing 107 to 88, a Government majority of 19. The temperance people of Canada will perhaps begin to see the folly of allowing themselves to be any longer fooled by professional prohibitionists of the Foster stamp. Perhaps they can understand now from what party they are most likely to secure advanced and practical temperance legislation.

THE GAZETTE. The quality of Mr. Foster's budget speech may be judged from the effect it had on the representative papers of the Liberals in Montreal. Neither the morning nor the evening organ were able on one day's notice to find ground for abusing it.

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THE GAZETTE. To see what the statutory declaration of the reporter who wrote the Chapleau interview has to do with the case. We do not hold ourselves responsible for the intellectual opaqueness which prevails in the editorial sanctum of that paper.

QUEBEC CATTLE IN CHICAGO.

Senator Cochrane, of Hillhurst farm, has won a deservedly high reputation as a successful raiser of improved breeds of cattle, as the prize lists at many exhibitions in various parts of Canada have fully demonstrated. He not only succeeds in raising fine cattle, but he makes the business pay. About a week ago he shipped a consignment of polled Angus cattle to Chicago for sale. The result of the venture is indicated by the following private despatch received here yesterday: "Chicago, June 25.—Sale fairly satisfactory; highest priced animal \$500." The result probably would have been more satisfactory had it not been that a large sale of Western ranch cattle took place there a few days previously. Senator Cochrane is to be congratulated on the enterprise he exhibits and the success which usually attends his ventures in raising and selling high-class stock.

GREAT BRITAIN'S COLONIAL TRADE.

While Imperial Federationists are insisting that Great Britain shall emancipate her wise free trade policy and throw increased burdens upon her artisans and industries, by tariff discrimination in favor of colonial trade, it may be instructive as well as interesting to note what Great Britain's trade statistics have to say on the point. In 1890 the colonial trade of Great Britain amounted in value to the extent of \$189,000,000. Undoubtedly this is a valuable trade. But the trade of England with the countries not her colonies was in value \$558,000,000. Does anybody suppose that Great Britain will jeopardize \$2,700,000,000 of trade for the purpose of fostering that of \$945,000,000 at the expense of her own people and industries? Such action on the part of Great Britain is in the highest degree improbable so long as she is governed by statesmen. It is quite probable that under special circumstances colonial trade with Great Britain could be developed to some extent. The most natural and proper development, however, would be that which would be promoted by the colonies adopting free trade or reducing their tariffs to as low a basis as possible. As for the promotion of colonial trade by means of tariff discrimination, The London Economist recently published an article to show that, under the best conditions, England could not send to Australia last year more than \$5,000,000 in addition to the \$30,000,000 she sent there. The same proportion would probably hold good with regard to Canada and the other colonies; and it would not pay the mother country to put a discriminating tax on the food and clothing of her artisans and the raw materials of her manufacturing industries in order to promote moderate development of trade as that, coupled with the risk of losing a portion of her \$2,700,000,000 of commerce with foreign countries. In fact Great Britain will not do anything of the kind. Imperial Federationists who think she will are pursuing a phantom. She has flourished greatly, enriched herself enormously, and increased her power tremendously under her free trade system. What better can she do?

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The political parade is productive of much enthusiasm, but the weekly pay is more profitable.

The mercury in the thermometer at noon to-day was looking around to see if there was any room at the top.

The man who lectures on the benefits of physical exercise takes the elevator when he might climb one flight of stairs.

Whether March is really concealed in Jersey or not, there are few hides the mosquito or that sandy State cannot penetrate.

Judge—I understand that you prefer charges against this man. Grocer—No, sir, I prefer cash, and that's what I had him brought here for.

It is all very well to offer your sympathy to a man who is followed by your advice and failed, but it is hard sometimes to get him to accept it.

A Canadian Favorite.

The season of green fruits and summer drinks is the time when the worst forms of cholera morbus, diarrhoea, and bowel complaints prevail. As a safeguard Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry should be kept in the house. For 35 years it has been the most reliable remedy.

Like Paralysis.

"For years I suffered with my back, which sometimes became as if paralyzed. I suffered awful agony for months but could not sleep, but now, thanks to your Burdock Blood Bitters, I am strong again; have no pain, and can work well, eat well and sleep well."—Mrs. Hamilton, 23 Charlotte-st., Toronto.

W. C. Potter.

of Waterford, N. Y., was confined to his house for nearly a year from liver complaint, being unable to attend to business. His physicians gave him no relief. Wm. B. Balm of Wild Cherry cured him.

CURRENT CHRONICLES.

A writer in the Nineteenth Century says that "the true American can't understand the delight of repose; to him inactivity is irritating." That writer evidently never saw a New England farmer laboring on a snakefence whittling a shingle.

Some papers see signs of blue ruin for the United States in the depletion of its surplus. That's where they make a mistake. A surplus derived from taxation is no sign of general prosperity. Give me power to tax the people at will and I could produce a surplus so large it would make a man hump-backed to carry it around.

The Ottawa Journal, nominally independent, but which really gives the Conservatives strong support, nominates Mr. W. R. Meredith, leader of the Opposition in the Ontario Legislature, for leader of the Conservative party in the Dominion. Mr. Meredith has certainly shown himself to be a fair minded, clever statesman, and his selection would seem to be a credit upon the party.

The Tribune overlooks one important fact. It is not credit the Tory party is after—it's cash.

I take no stock in the assaults being made on Mr. E. W. Thompson, at one time chief editorial writer on The Toronto Globe, who has now taken up his abode in Boston. If he is doing better for himself, that is what he is after, so let him go. Those who are slinging mud at him would do the same thing if the opportunity offered.

Of course when Mr. Thompson left The Globe he wrote a good deal about "loyalty" and "treason" and all that sort of thing. But people of sense know how to "size up" writing of that kind. He is working for his bacon and potatoes, and let us hope he will get them.

The fashionable churches are being closed up for the summer. The presumptuous, of course, that his Satanic Majesty takes a vacation in the heated term, and so there is no need to fluninate against him. But in no theological work that I have ever read is there any record of his taking a day off.

APROPRIATE. The New York Sun is discussing the question "Is There a Personal Devil?" A good many people in the States might be inclined to say that the editor of The Sun comes near enough to it for all practical purposes.

The Farmers' Alliance have got out a song-book containing 85 ditties, set to popular airs, which they sell at their meetings. This is taking a leaf out of the book of the Salvation Army, who first adopted it from the circus, and it is all "faking."

Talking of circuses, I notice a Chicago paper says that the first manager who will return to the old-style one-ring affair will coin money. They are coming to it, and that will give the clowns a chance. Dan Rice, the veteran, has re-entered the ring, and perhaps we shall soon have comedians as of yore, instead of buffoons, as at present, wearing the cap and bells. The big tents knocked out the "talking clown," the witty, intelligent men, whose remarks had some point to them, and they were replaced by painted acrobats.

Talking further of circuses, there will be but two in Canada this season, and possibly neither one will reach Montreal. One is Frank Robbins', the other John Robinson's.

The paragraph of The St. Catharine's Standard refers to the fact of professional humorists being rather solemn in their every-day intercourse with other people. Yes; it is natural enough. If a bright thought strikes them, why should they waste it on a knot of casual acquaintance? It is better to keep it to put in print.

Probably most men have made a joke at some time or another, and when they see one in print they may fall into the belief that to make such is as easy as falling out of a balloon. Let him be bound to furnish half a dozen each day and they'll throw up their contract before a week has passed. Then take the case of a man who does it day after day, year in and year out, and is it any wonder if he feels solemn in his off-hours?

Between ourselves, is there any legitimate argument in twitting Hon. Mr. Abbott with having been an annexationist in 1839, long before I or the most of the present generation were born? There are enough live issues to discuss. If all of us were held to the end of our days as responsible for the follies, extravagances and vagaries of youth, we should be kept apologising till Gabriel sounds the reveille.

But to speak that way is in no sense to endorse the Dominion Government, or the acts of Mr. Abbott as the head of such. I'll take a whack at anything that is of contemporaneous interest, but I do not see how the country can not serve a people or make them happier by firing rocks at a grave-stone.

On the other hand, I do not like the appeals for sympathy that some Conservative organs make on the strength of the letter written by Lady Macdonald to the party leaders. It was a letter such as might be expected from a lady in deep affliction addressing those who had been her husband's steadfast friends, and the writing of it does credit alike to her head and her heart. But it should not be paraded, and in saying this those who are sincere in their sympathy with the bereaved ones will be at one, whether they favor or oppose the policy of the deceased statesman.

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DOGS! DOGS!
PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that, according to Law, every owner or keeper of a Dog in this city is held, under severe penalty, to have it registered, numbered and licensed at the Office of the Chief of Police, and to attach, by a metallic fastening, a circular metallic plate with number and license, etc., inscribed thereon, to be had at the said Office of the Chief of Police.
All Dogs found running at large after the first of July next, not licensed or colored as aforesaid, shall be killed or destroyed.
Licensed dogs found in the streets unaccompanied by their owner, may be taken up and impounded.
By order,
CHS. GLACKMEYER, City Clerk.
City Clerk's Office,
City Hall,
Montreal, June 23rd, 1891.

MILK! MILK!
PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that, according to Law, no person is allowed to sell milk in the city unless such person shall have obtained a license from the Chief of Police to that effect, and paid the sum of ONE DOLLAR therefor, which said license must be renewed every year.
Persons selling adulterated, unwholesome or diluted Milk are liable to a fine of Twenty Dollars or an imprisonment of thirty days for each offence.
By order,
CHS. GLACKMEYER, City Clerk.
City Clerk's Office,
City Hall,
Montreal, June 23rd, 1891.

St. Catherine Street East.
IN THE
Matter of Expropriation
FOR THE
Widening of St. Catherine-street between
Parthenais and Fullum-streets, in
the St. Mary's Ward.
PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned Commissioners, appointed to expropriate the properties required for the above improvement, intend to lay the assessments to defray the four-fifths of the total cost of the same on the following properties, namely:—
1st. All the lots of land on both sides of St. Catherine-street, from the Canadian Pacific Railway track to DeLormier avenue, to a depth of two hundred feet, on the south-east side of said St. Catherine-street and to a depth of three hundred and eighty feet, on the north-west side of said St. Catherine-street.
2nd. All the lots of land having a frontage on St. Catherine-street from DeLormier avenue to St. Hubert-street, to a depth not exceeding one hundred—100—feet.
And all parties interested are hereby notified that the said Commissioners will meet in their room, City Hall, on THURSDAY, the second day of July next at three-thirty o'clock in the afternoon, and will there and then hear any complaints that may be made against the projected limits of assessments.
J. O. JOSEPH,
ALFRED C. TRUTEAU,
LEANDRE GAUTHIER,
Commissioners
Commissioners' Room,
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(To be inserted in The Herald and Gazette on the 15th and 20th June instant.)

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Saturday, 4th July
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Special trains leave Bonaventure and Windsor-street Stations at 10 o'clock p.m., returning after the races. Season or omnibus tickets not accepted on Race Trains. Parlor car accommodations on all trains 25c each way. (Parlor cars reserved for Members and "all Privilege" badge holders.)

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Montreal Board of Trade.
Tenders for the erection of the new building for the Montreal Board of Trade will be received by the Building Committee up to Monday 25th July inclusive. Tenders to be upon forms to be supplied by the Secretary to whom they should be addressed.
The specifications, conditions and drawings can be seen at the Board's office.
Each tender must be for the whole building complete.
The Building Committee reserves to itself the right to reject any or all tenders.
By order, GEO. HADRIILL, Secretary.
Office of Board of Trade,
10 St. John-street,
Montreal, June 25, 1891.

THE BEL-AIR MEET.

Program for the Three Days
Racing of the Bel-Air
Jockey Club.

SHAMROCKS VS. CAPITALS.
To-morrow's Match Between These Two
Teams—The Junior Lacrosse Matches—
Toronto Varsity Ball Team to Play in
Montreal on July 1—Yesterday's Base-
ball Games—Horse Racing.

The summer meeting of the Bel-Air
Jockey Club opens to-morrow afternoon
and gives promise of being the best ever
held in Canada. The entries are already
shown are large and are a sufficient guar-
antee of good racing. The program is
as follows:

FIRST DAY.
2.30 p.m.—Opening Stakes, purse \$275—of
which \$50 to second, and \$25 to third. For
all ages. Winners this year five lbs. extra
maiden allowed five lbs. Entrance \$10, half
forfeit. Six trials.

3.15 p.m.—Queen's Plate, 50 guineas. The
girl who rode the Queen, for horses
trained and trained in the Province of
Quebec, and that have not previously won
public money, will have the right to ride
the plate to the first horse; second horse to
ride \$50 from the club. One and one-quarter
miles.

4.00 p.m.—Purse \$300—of which \$50 to
second, and \$25 to third. For three
year olds and upwards. Entrance \$10, half
forfeit. One and one-quarter miles.

4.45 p.m.—Merchants' Purse \$50—of which
\$5 to second, and \$2 to third. For three
year olds and upwards. Entrance \$10, half
forfeit. One and one-quarter miles.

5.30 p.m.—"Walker's Club" Sweepstakes
Steeplechase—A sweepstakes of \$20 each,
with \$40 added, of which \$10 to second and
\$5 to third; \$10 to accompany entry, and
\$10 additional for horses not declared out by
20th June. Weights announced 24th June. Two
and one-half miles. Messrs Hiram Walker
& Sons, Limited, distillers, Walkerville,
Ont., have subscribed one-half of the
added money. This stake closed on the 15th
April, with 14 entries.

SECOND DAY.
2.30 p.m.—Purse \$275—of which \$50 to second
and \$25 to third. Some conditions as Open-
ing Stakes, except that the winner of any
race on first day carries an additional \$10.
Entrance \$10, half forfeit. Six trials.

3.15 p.m.—Canadian Derby (Domestic
Stakes). For three-year-olds, trained in the
Dominion of Canada, a sweepstakes of \$35
each, with \$70 added, of which \$10 to second
and \$5 to third; \$10 to accompany entry, and
\$10 additional for horses not declared out by
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4.00 p.m.—Purse \$300—of which \$50 to
second, and \$25 to third. For three
year olds and upwards. Entrance \$10, half
forfeit. One and one-quarter miles.

4.45 p.m.—Handicap Steeplechase, purse \$300
—of which \$50 to second, and \$25 to third.
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Opening Day at Kansas City.
SPECIAL TO THE HERALD.
KANSAS CITY, June 25.—First race, 8
miles—Marie B. 1, Van S. 2, Bob Paxton
3. Time, 1:03.3.

Second race, 1 mile—Castilian 1, Dew-
berry 2, Pastime 3. Time, 1:38.

Third race, 1 mile—Dan Meeker 1, Dew-
berry 2, Pastime 3. Time, 1:38.

Fourth race, 1 mile—Althea 1, Day 2,
Westcott 3. Time, 1:59.

Fifth race, 1 mile, heats—First heat,
Captain 1, School Girl 2, Hiram 3; second
heat, Captain 1, School Girl 2, Hiram 3; time
5:11. Second heat, Hiram 1, Captain 2,
School Girl 3. Time, 5:11.

Sixth race, 1 mile—American Boy 1,
Lucifer 2, John 3. Time, 5:53.

Racing at Chicago.
SPECIAL TO THE HERALD.
CHICAGO, June 25.—First race, 9 miles—
Racine 1, Chime 2, Brazos 3. Time, 1:41.

Second race, 1 mile—Longshot 1, Guido 2, Eli 3. Time, 1:55.

vid DeWitthers, Alex J. Cassal and Jas.
Galwan, all of New York.

**Racing Will Be Resumed at Monmouth
Park at Once.**
SPECIAL TO THE HERALD.
LONG BRANCH, N.Y., June 25.—There is
much rejoicing here to-night over the re-
port that the Supreme Court has handed
down a decision favorable to Monmouth
Park, and that racing will be resumed.
Many horses have been shipped to the
track, and a large force of men are at
work here.

Pool-Selling Question.
NEW YORK, June 25.—The pool-room
keepers have reason to feel very jubilant.
Yesterday the Court of Appeals handed
down a decision sustaining the decision
of the Supreme Court General Term, to
the effect that it was perfectly legal for a
commission to be taken in the city for the
purpose of placing a bet on a properly
legalized race track. When the law
was made a law in 1887 the en-
actment permitted betting on legalized
race tracks between May 15 and Oct.

15. The law was framed to crush the
city pool rooms, but the pool men got
together and retained Messrs. Howe
& Hummel, who picked a flaw in the
law and gave it as their opinion that it
would be perfectly legal under the act to
commission a common carrier at the race
track.

In the case of Thomas Wynn this ques-
tion was decided, and the general term of
the Supreme Court sustained the law.
The case was argued by Messrs. Howe
& Hummel. District Attorney
Nichols, who was the defendant in the
decision of the Supreme Court, appealed
from that decision, and raised the objection
that the Pool bill was unconstitutional.
The case was argued by Mr. Nichols
before the Court of Appeals last week
with the above result.

**Snapper Garrison Said to Have Carried on
Wrong in a Race.**
The Press says: "Snapper" Garrison
is being pretty fully investigated. The
entire body known to fame and the
quarterstretch as the Board of Control,
sat from 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon
until after sundown listening to evidence
on charges against him. The first was
that he in some inscrutable way was
responsible for the fall of St. Florian
over the rails on Suburban Day.

The Messrs. Morris made the charge,
and, possibly, courtesy to them de-
manded that it should be investi-
gated, but to any one who saw the ac-
cident such a charge is ridiculously
absurd. Garrison, who rode Victory,
was not near St. Florian. Nomad, with
Morphy up, was alongside the one eyed
colt, and the latter was going and
tiring so that Morphy had to call to
Littlefield to keep the colt off him. It
was as plain a case of a colt trying to
escape punishment as anything could
possibly be. But St. Florian was the
champion of the year, and some
excuse had to be offered. It came in the
shape of a whispered rumor that one
day up at Morris Park, when
Garrison was riding Nomad against
St. Florian, the jockey said to
Morphy, "I've got a bet on this colt (Nomad), and we'll make
St. Florian jump the fence." Every body
knew what that meant. To make a
horse or a man "jump the fence" is
simply slang for making them quit or
take water, and it was understood that
Well, Nomad beat St. Florian, and when
he returned the "Snapper" said: "What
did I tell you? Didn't we make him
take a hole in the fence?" Then came
the charge of tampering with the horse,
in which St. Florian literally
jumped the fence, and some sort of con-
nection is endeavored to be shown
between what Garrison said at
Morris Park and what St. Florian
did at Sheepshead Bay. When St. Florian
went over the fence Garrison could not
have reached him with a 20 foot pole.
The whole truth of the matter is that
there is too great an anxiety to find an
excuse for the colt, that was simply be-
cause he asked to do more than he was able
in referring to the case Garrison said
"The charge is a monstrous one. I was
not near St. Florian and never had the
remotest idea of doing wrong to either
the colt or Fred Littlefield. I tell
you that if I ever came down to the
question of winning a race and injur-
ing a jockey or losing it and saving him
I would save him. I have nothing
against the Morris. They always used
me well and I am entirely innocent."
The fact that Judge Morrow said
he did not ride Judge Morrow to win on
Wednesday last. The stewards of the
club saw nothing wrong in Garrison's
riding then, and if there was nothing
wrong then there can be nothing wrong
now. The fact that Judge Morrow won
on Saturday does not argue a pull on
Wednesday, by any means.

The board will probably render a de-
cision to-day.

Racing in England.
LONDON, June 25.—At the Newcast-
le and High Gosforth Park summer meet-
ing to-day, the race for the Northumber-
land Plate was won by Lasselle's Queen's
Birthday, the Marquis of Talon's
"Knight of Ruby" second, and Dya's
"Alice" third.

LACROSSE.
The Shamrock Team Which Goes to Ottawa
To-morrow.

The Shamrocks are in fine condition
for the match with the Capitals in Otta-
wa to-morrow afternoon, and have got
to win this match. The following players
have been notified to hold themselves in
readiness for the trip: McKenna, Brophy,
Duggan, Dwyer, Moore, Murphy, Kelly,
McVey, Neville, Rowan, Caffery, Tick-
er, and O'Brien and Foley. The match
will be played on the College Grounds.
Many of the Shamrock supporters will
take in the trip.

To-morrow's Matches.
The St. Gabriel's are in good condition
for their match with the Junior Sham-
rocks to-morrow afternoon and expect to
come out victorious. The match will be
played at the University Park. The Cres-
cent-Junior Montreal match is exciting
great interest and a close contest is ex-
pected. The Cote St. Pauls and Orleans
also play to-morrow, on the grounds of
the latter, and it is a difficult matter to
pick the winner.

St. Lawrence Yacht Club.
To-morrow afternoon the race for the
29, 24, 21 and 18 footers of the St.
Lawrence Yacht Club will take place
over the usual course at Dorval. A large
number of members are expected out at
the Club House.

SWIMMING.
Dalton, the American Swimmer, Defeated
in England.
LONDON, June 25.—A swimming race

between Dalton, the American champion,
and a man named Fisher took place to-
day and resulted in the defeat of Dalton.

The course was between Dover and
Ramsgate. After being two hours in
the water, Dalton was obliged to desist,
as the cold water had chilled him so
that he could hardly move his limbs.
Fisher was declared the winner.

Swimming Gossip.
The attendance at the Swimming Club
is increasing every day.
A new pump has been put up the other
day. This is what the members
have been waiting.

"Bertie Smith" has made his appear-
ance again this year. He is swimming
well. He has been in attendance for
quite a number of years.
Sidney Smith is going in for swimming
this year, too. Smith swam from the
M.S.C. to the Longueuil wharf. He is
going to open the eyes of the boys (at
baseball).

Johnnie and Frank McNamee were
out yesterday. Frank is a regular favorite
amongst the boys. He can dive with
the best man in the club.

HOWING.
Corbett Says He Will Beat Donohue, or Die
in the Attempt.
Corbett, who is to row Donohue at
Hamilton to-morrow, was interviewed
by a Hamilton Spectator correspondent
yesterday. He said: "I expect to win
or I would not be here. I came to find
out if Donohue is a better man than I
am. I bet that I won't lose sight of him
during the race. There has been con-
siderable talk as to my ability as a
sprinter. I think I can row three miles
just as fast. When I was beaten by
Donohue at Pullman in 1894, I was in
as good shape as I am now. My face
looks thin, but I am not trained
too fine. Yes, I know
Rogers. He was in Chicago all
winter. I was not in with
Donohue and myself in a three-oared
race for \$200 each, but he refused. Then
he went back to Boston and said I was
afraid to meet him. Ten Eycke says
that Rogers is a good man. All I want
to do is to have a good swimmer. When
I was beaten by Rogers at Philadelphia,
Donohue and Donohue at Pullman I was
accused of selling out, but the charges
were untrue. I was beaten fairly and
squarely, but was not in good condition."
Corbett brought a cedar canoe from
Chicago. He is going to row Donohue
at Hamilton to-morrow. He is willing to
have either Hanlan and O'Connor or
any other good Toronto man act as
umpire. James Sweeney went to
Toronto this morning to make
the final deposit of \$250 on be-
half of Corbett with Frank Nelson, a
young editor of The Globe. There is not
likely to be many sports here from Chi-
cago. Judging from the talk they will
want odds on Donohue. Corbett was out
for a spin on the bay last night. His
boat is rigged high, on the model
of the Australian scullers. The race
will be rowed at the beach between
3 and 7 o'clock, the time to depend on
the water. The referee has not yet been
elected. Buys will be laid on both bay
and lake sides.

BASEBALL.
The Toronto Varsity Team Will Be Here
on July 1.
The Munges have completed arrange-
ments with the Toronto University team,
champions of Upper Canada, to play two
games in Montreal on Wednesday next
(Dominion Day) at 10.30 a.m. and 3.30
p.m. on the Shamrock grounds. The
collegians are rattling ball players and
the local team are hard at work getting
into condition for the matches. This
ought to be a great attraction for July 1
and ball cranks will hardly be able to
complain.

To-morrow's Match.
The Hawthorne-Crescent match to-
morrow on the Shamrock grounds to-morrow af-
ternoon will, or should, attract a good
crowd. The juniors are putting up a
fair game of ball and are doing their best
to please the lovers of the game. Con-
sequently a little patronage will be in line.

College Crews Combine.
NEW LONDON, Conn., June 25.—Cornell
University of Pennsylvania and Colum-
bia delegates met to-night at the
Crocker House and after electing tem-
porary officers the secretary, commodore
of the Cornell Navy, was instructed to
send letters to all colleges likely to have
crews seeking them to send representa-
tives to a meeting to be held at the
Fifth Avenue Hotel, New York, Oct. 31,
for the purpose of forming an intercolle-
giate association which shall hold reg-
istration on the Hudson River or other
suitably located course.

The Final Deposit.
TORONTO, June 25.—Yesterday J. F.
Corbett, of Chicago, who rows Denny
Donohue, of Hamilton, on Saturday next,
made good his final deposit of \$250. Don-
ohue's money was up earlier in the day,
and \$125 which his party allows Corbett
for expenses. Both sides have now ac-
complished their money up. The race will
be rowed at Hamilton Beach. Corbett will row
at Hamilton Beach. Corbett will row at
140 pounds, Donohue at 30 pounds above
that.

The Great College Boat Race.
NEW LONDON, Conn., June 25.—The
Cornell University crew covered them-
selves with glory this afternoon by win-
ning from the University of Pennsylvania
and Columbia crews in the fast time of
14 minutes and 21 seconds, thereby
chooping 15 seconds off the best pre-
vious time made on the Hudson River
by any of the college crews. The condi-
tions, however, were favorable for fast
time, the water being smooth, a strong
current running, and the wind blowing
so as to be of assistance to the rowers.

The race was probably the most ex-
citing ever rowed here, the Pennsylvania
crew developing unexpected strength
and rowing almost bow to bow with the
crack Cornell crew for two miles. Near-
ing the finish, however, Cornell spurred
in magnificent and drew from the Penn-
sylvania crew from their opponents, easily won by
four open lengths. Columbia was a
bad third, finishing five lengths behind
Pennsylvania. The poor showing of
Columbia was a surprise to many as they
had shown much better form in their
practice. The crews appeared promptly
at the starting point and were given the
water after but little delay. The
Pennsylvania crew got the best of the
start, and their boat showed a few feet
to the front, with Cornell's boat close
behind. The Pennsylvania crew, how-
ever, seemed to lose at every stroke. Cornell's
boat soon got on even terms with
Pennsylvania. The two crews rowed
for fully an eighth of a mile without
either seeming to have any advantage.
At the half-mile flag the Pennsylvania
crew had nearly a half a length the best
of it, with Columbia two lengths behind
and already plainly out of the race. At
the final station, three-quarters of a
mile from the start, Pennsylvania had
increased their lead to nearly a length.
Cornell now began to spur and gradu-
ally crept up to the leaders, until at the
mile flag they were on even terms with
Pennsylvania. At this point the two
leading crews were rowing in splendid
form, their shells cutting through the
water at a fast rate of speed, while
Columbia seemed to be losing at every
stroke. From the one-mile to the two-
mile flag the race between Cornell and
Pennsylvania was pretty and most ex-
citing. This was the decisive point in
the race, and the men in both boats
seemed to realize it. They worked like
beavers to prevent each other from
showing in front for even an instant
and for fully a mile they raced bow to
bow and seemingly stroke for stroke.
At the two mile flag Cornell's
superior training showed itself.
They were given the word and increas-
ing their stroke they drew clear of their
gallant rivals. Pennsylvania made
a short start to regain the lead and
partially succeeded but the Cor-

nell men, responding to a final
call, increased their stroke to 41 and
easily drew away, again crossing the line
a strong winner. The Cornell and Penn-
sylvania crews finished in good condi-
tion but one man in the Columbia boat
seemed to be thoroughly exhausted.
Cornell has now won 13 straight races.
Yale made a fast trial to-day and is a
strong favorite for to-morrow's race.

YACHTING.
Millionaire Hearst's New Steam Yacht
Launched.
PROVIDENCE, June 25.—Millionaire
Hearst's new steam yacht was launched
from the yard of the Herreshoffs at
Bristol at 9:05 this morning, and in three
weeks the craft will be tied up at one of
the Bristol docks to receive her final
touches. The keel was laid early in
April, and while the launching has just
taken place, there has been no time lost.
The yacht has not as yet received any
name. For this reason, no doubt, the
launch of to-day was entirely devoid of
any ceremony. She is a typical Her-
reshoff.

The new craft is 112 feet long, 12 feet
4 inches beam, and has a draught of 5
feet. She has been built with five
water-tight compartments or bulkheads,
so as to make her practically unsink-
able. She has a fine quadruple expan-
sion engine of 800-horse power, fed by a
tubular boiler of the Thornycroft type,
but built by the Herreshoffs. Her pilot
house and companion way are of solid
mahogany, and all her fastenings are
copper and brass. There is to be in-
stalled a complete electric lighting plant
for the incandescentsystem. The Her-
reshoffs have guaranteed Mr. Hearst
that this yacht will spin off twenty-five
miles an hour, and from what was said
at the works to-day there is no ap-
proach to the belief that she will not come up
to that requirement.

THE WHEEL.
Everything Ready for the Wheelmen's
Meet at Hamilton.
HAMILTON, June 25.—Only the finish-
ing touches to the arrangements for the
motorist bicycle demonstration on July 1
remain to be put on, and they will be at-
tended to at the special meeting of the
club this evening. Before the meeting
the club will have a short ride around
the city, their wheels decorated with
Chinese lanterns. A large turnout is con-
fidently expected, as this is the last and
meeting before the meet, and there are
several little items that must be settled
to-night. The road race on the second
day of the meet is attracting more at-
tention from the wheelmen of the country
than any other part of the program.
The Hamilton club will have a special
train run, so as to enable the visitors to
see both the start and finish of the race.
The special will leave Grimsby Park
at 10.15 a.m. and will stop at Wentworth-
street crossing of the G. T. R., from which
place wheels will be taken to the
finish of the race on the corner of
Wentworth and Mainstreets. It is
rumored that Nasmith, who is by
all acknowledged to be the fastest rider
in Canada, has dropped his high
wheel and will in future ride a pneumatic
tyre. Hyslop, one of the Toronto club's
experts after safety championships
honors, was on the track yesterday. His
rider's a pneumatic wheel. Corman,
of Woodstock, the present high wheel
champion of Canada, is expected in a
day or two to be here and train on the
track until July 1. The Montreal riders
have not yet sent in their entries, but
will probably do so before the list closes
on June 27.

Montreal Club Races.
The only race run at the M. A. A. A.
grounds last night was the one-mile
bicycle handicap, with Tatley scratch.
Smith, who was limit man, made a good
showing, coming in first easily. There
were five starters. Smith no doubt was
not known to the handicappers. With
some good training he will make a fast
one, on a safety.

Saturday will see the M. B. C. on a run
to Longue Pointe.
Monday morning will see them doing
the mountain summit and the Athletic
Club House on Tuesday evening.
Wednesday (Dominion Day) an all
day ride will be the fixture, starting from
the "Glyn" at 8 a.m. and Thursday even-
ing will be a city run. G. S. Love and J.
Tatley are entered for the championship
races at Hamilton, July 1. Races have
to give up racing as he is under the doctor's
care and the bicycle boys feel very sorry
he would have made a good showing
at Hamilton. No doubt he will be seen
on the track at the annual race meeting
of the M.B.C., August 29.

BILLIARDS.
Frank Ives and Eugene Carter Matched for
\$500 a Side.
MILWAUKEE, June 25.—Jacob Schaefer
and John Callahan last evening depos-
ited \$250 as forfeit for a match game be-
tween Frank Ives and Eugene Carter.
The contest will be for \$500 a side, 600
points, 14-inch ball line, to be played in
this city about Oct. 15.

CRICKET.
The International Team Should Have Mon-
real and Ottawa Men.
SPECIAL TO THE HERALD.
OTTAWA, June 25.—The condemnatory
resolution passed last night by the Ottawa
Cricket Club, re the leaving off of the
Ottawa men from the international team,
is generally approved of in sporting
circles.

QUITS.
Montreal Quitting Club.
An interesting match takes place this
afternoon, at four o'clock, between two of
the crack players of the Montreal Quitt-
ing Club, in connection with the com-
petition for the gold medal. On Saturday
afternoon an exciting match will also be
played between the two champion play-
ers of the club, also competing for the
gold medal. No doubt this will attract
a large number to the grounds on Wind-
sor street to witness these matches. En-
trance to the grounds either from Des
Rivers or Windsor-streets.

General Sporting Gossip.
Pools on to-morrow's and Dominion
Day's lacrosse match will be sold at
Logan's to-night.
John F. Corbett of Chicago, who will
row Denny Donohue on Saturday, ar-
rived in Hamilton yesterday afternoon.
Fred Bramson, the English cyclist,
lowered the world's quarter-mile record
to 33.5 seconds at Horn Hill, Eng., recently.

Tom Connors, the Chicago wrestler
defeated Smith, of Aspin, Eng., in
catch-as-catch-can match for \$125 a side
at Manchester, Eng., recently.

Four of the get of Electioneer have en-
tered the 2200 ft. this season. The son
of Green Mountain Maid now stands at
the head of record-producing stallions.
Leo Taylor, of Boston, will attempt a
1,452-mile bicycle trip from Boston to
Montgomery, Ala., starting on Sept. 1.
He expects to reach there in ten days.

The California Club has postponed the
fight between Billy Maher, of Australia,
and Billy Mahan, of California, from
June 23 to June 29 on account of Maher's
illness.

The fight between Billy Maher, of Aus-
tralia, and Billy Mahan, of California,
which was to take place at the Califor-
nia Club, June 23, has been declared
off on account of Maher's illness. Maher
received \$200 forfeit.

Athletic experts are waiting anxiously
for Nicoll and Lang to meet Curtis, the
champion heel-and-toe man of England.
The American will have some difficulty
in beating him, if reports about his style
and speed are accurate.

Orrin Hickok will not come East this
year, he says, but will drive the brown
stallion Stamboul on the California track
to beat his record, 2:11. What will be
done with Adonis, 2:11, it is hard to say.
He is being used on the road at present.

The first in a series of three matches
at 100 live pigeons for trophies, to cost
\$100 each, between L. J. Davenport, of
the Fountain Gun Club, and P. Leibner,
of the Coney Island Rod and Gun
Club, will be shot at Woodlawn Park,
L. I., next Saturday.

Gouverneur, who was second in the
Epsom Derby, was sixth in the Grand
Prix de Paris. Every one of the 12
jockeys who rode in the race was English,
including the rider of Miroir de Portu-
gal, who finished second, and was both
French and English too.

While Healey was taking a Turkish
bath in Baltimore a few days ago, one of
the manipulators rubbed his injured leg
from which he was recovering so hard
and violently that it was again twist-
ed out of shape, and he will probably not be
able to pitch again this season.

In the presence of a few invited friends
C. W. Ewald and Jacob Frisch decided a
foot race of 100 yards on the Communi-
pau shore of New York Bay last Sat-
urday afternoon. Each man tipped the beam
of shape, and he will probably not be
able to pitch again this season.

"Chappy" Moran, the 165 pound pugil-
ist of England, who spent three years in
this country and who was defeated by
"Buster" Keady for the world's champion-
ship, is fast regaining his lost prestige in
England. The other day he won a 20-
round battle at the National Club, Lon-
don. His opponent was Sid Phillips of
Ireland.

That story about Berzen getting \$2000
for riding Loupaka in the Suburban is
not true. I asked Berzen if he had
stowed the money away, and he told me
that he had not received any money from
Mr. McCann, but had not seen the owner
of Loupaka since the race. Berzen is in
England. The other day he won a 20-
round battle at the National Club, Lon-
don. His opponent was Sid Phillips of
Ireland.

Some of the New York writers are so
inflated over the recent successes of the
team that they now claim that the New
Yorkers have a safe lead for the pennant.
Such a prediction is simply nonsense,
and no one realizes it more than the New
York players. There is a long season
ahead yet—Boston Herald.

Threats Made by an English Gentleman to
His Royal Highness.
WASHINGTON, June 25.—The Gazette of
his city publishes the following: "There
is a certain family in the realm," said a
member of the British Legation yester-
day, "the head of which belongs next to
the highest rank of nobility. Two of
this gentleman's brothers are famous in
the service of the Queen for their bril-
liant courage, and they both wear the V.
Ora Cross, which is only given for the
most conspicuous bravery in action. On
the day the head of this house has a pretty
well. He is not very young now, but is
still an extremely beautiful woman.
Some years ago the Prince was very at-
tentive to her. Her husband did not
like it, for it was beginning to be talked
about in society. Some day when an
occasion offered and the Prince was for
the moment alone, this gentleman said:
'Your Royal Highness, I am in the
Kingdom, and I am your high position
more than I do. But permit me to
say to you, sir, that if I had any
cause to believe you were attempting
my dishonor I should pistol you as
quickly as I could the next morning. I
am in the land.' The Prince looked at
him for a moment utterly amazed. Then
he began to say that no such thought
had ever entered his mind. 'I believe
you, sir,' the other man sharply replied,
'for if I did not I would not have re-
spected you. Will your Royal Highness
please charge the subject?' This was a warn-
ing I fancy the prince accepted just as
it was meant he should, for from that day
he ceased his particular attentions to the
lady. The head of this house is well he
did, I fancy.

"This closed the conversation. It is
precisely what it purports to be, the
reely expressed opinion of a high-class
Englishman in relation to matters that
have interested the world of civiliza-
tion."

Dyspepsia.
This disease may be traced to a vari-
ety of causes, such as constipation, liver
troubles, improper food, etc. There is
one cure—Burdock Blood Bitters—
which may be thoroughly relied on to
effect a permanent cure. It has cured
obstinate cases of 25 years' standing.

heavyweights and they will offer a good
stake for a go between two men
who are well known about the coun-
try, as are the two men named. Young
Billy Sullivan, who was declared out on a
soul week, will be given a benefit
next week, at which some Boston
talent will appear.

Sullivan Says It's a Go.
SPECIAL TO THE HERALD.
NEW YORK, June 25.—The following
special was received at The Police
Gazette office yesterday from San Fran-
cisco: John L. Sullivan says he will
fight Frank P. Slavin for \$10,000 a side
and a purse of \$25,000, either in the
Olympic Club, of New Orleans, or the
Granite Club, of Hoboken, N.J., the fight
to be decided any time between Septem-
ber and February, and Richard K. Fox,
at Bridge, or Dick Roche can hold the
stakes.

Will Meet Any of Them.
SPECIAL TO THE HERALD.
NEW YORK, June 25.—Jack Bolan, the
well-known pugilist, who recently
defeated Billy Young, of Baltimore, in
23 rounds, writes to The Police Gazette
that he is stopping at Norfolk, Va., and
is ready to arrange a match with Mike
Cushing, Billy Dacey, or any lightweight
pugilist in America, at 126 to 1

REPORTERS GATHERINGS

KEHOE'S PROPERTY ALL GOES TO THE CROWN.

Death of Sister Durocher—Cannot Keep Prof. Keeley in Jail—A Sub-Constable Stops Another Runaway.

The Museum on University-street is to be opened to the public on Saturday. The architects plans for the new Board of Trade building are now on exhibition.

The Court of Appeals met yesterday for the first time since the death of Sir A. A. Dornan.

City Attorney Roy states that the city will not pay the costs in the St. Canegonde case.

Two young men are to be ordained as ministers at the Douglas Methodist Church on Sunday morning.

The third of the Canadian Pacific Royal Mail steamships, the Empress of India, is due to leave on July 15.

Seventeen Chinese passed through Montreal yesterday on their way from Boston to their native land.

Judge Dugas yesterday ordered E. A. Gerdreau to be taken to the Longue Point Asylum, as he was insane.

The civic delegation to Ottawa on the harbor improvements will leave Bonaventure station at 9 o'clock this morning.

For a fine selection of Scotch tweeds and English worsteds go to Mr. J. A. L. 47 Beaver Hall Hill. Good fit guaranteed.

The Trades and Labor Council have accepted the use of the Exhibition grounds for their annual celebration on September 7.

An action has been taken against Mr. Feodor Bone by Wm. H. Priest, of Notre Dame de Stanbridge, for \$600.270 in a business dispute.

Wm. D. Ross, arrested on suspicion of stealing some prayer books from the Canteen Mission, was discharged in the Police Court yesterday.

An action has been taken against the city by Mr. Wm. White for \$800 damages received by a fall on the slippery road on Bismont-street.

In conversation with one of the assessors yesterday he stated the population of Montreal will be found to be in the neighborhood of 225,000.

Owing to the death of H. E. Montgomerie, Mr. Fred. Perry is left the sole survivor of the active leaders of the Montreal troubles of 1849.

The fiancée of Reynolds, Miss Bean, told one of the court officials that a chance for the escape of Reynolds would be worth \$5000 to her friends.

Victor Chaput, who it is supposed, broke into Arcade Despatie's cigar store a few nights ago, was committed to the Queen's Bench yesterday for trial.

Watches, in gold and silver of the highest grades guaranteed, correct by observatory time, at J. B. Williams's, 1741 Notre Dame-street.

Several of Contractor Cochrane's men quit work yesterday because they thought they were not getting sufficient pay. Many men were ready to take their places.

It seems that when the Reynolds jury left the court first, the French jury in favor of bringing in a verdict of guilty of murder, but were persuaded to go over to the majority.

An alarm was rung at 9.45 last night by Constable Mercier of No. 5 Station for a fire in Martin's photographic studio, 141 St. Peter-street. A habcock extinguished it with slight damage.

Detective McMahon was notified last night that a boat had been stolen. He hired a skiff and rowed across to St. Lambert and secured the missing boat, but did not find the appropriator.

A man named Valliquette, who works in Archambault's grocery store, was bottling cider when on the job he burst, the glass cutting his arm very badly. He was taken to the Notre Dame Hospital.

Hubert Frigon had his arm severely bruised by the steam-hammer at Rodpath's Sugar Refinery yesterday afternoon. The arm was afterwards put in a cast, and was taken to the General Hospital.

The Notre Dame Hospital ambulance was called to No. 10 Bleury-street yesterday afternoon for Mrs. Jean Baptiste Lachapelle. The story told at the hospital is that her husband pushed her through a glass door, inflicting serious injuries.

Our readers are reminded that the meeting of the General Committee of the 25th anniversary of the foundation of Montreal, for the organization of sub-committees and officers, will be held on Friday, 26th, at 4 p.m., in the Mayor's room, City Hall, where all citizens will be welcomed.

In the Court of Special Sessions, before Judge Desnoyers yesterday, Joseph Davis pleaded guilty to an indecent assault in the case of No. 6 Police station. Robinson and Conroy also pleaded guilty to indecency on St. Helen's island. His Honor took time to consider the sentences.

A boy named Patrick McKewen was working on a barge opposite the goal yesterday, when he fell into the river. The current being strong, he was quickly swept away and although every effort has been made the body has not yet been recovered.

Looking for a Witness.

The case of F. Colligan, charged with the larceny of a value, was up in the Police Court yesterday. As one of the witnesses did not turn up, he was sentenced to stay in goal until the witness was procured. The Crown is under the impression that the witness has been intimidated.

Robbery from a Residence.

When Edward Jones, an engineer, returned to his home at 149 Water-street last night, he found a pane of glass in the back window broken. On investigating he discovered that a suit of clothes was missing. The police were notified, but as yet have not succeeded in capturing the thieves.

Death of Sister Durocher.

Sister Rose de Marie, of the Hochelaga Convent, (see Parmelee Brien Durocher and a sister of Mr. J. B. Durocher) died at Longueuil Wednesday. She had gone to the latter place for her health, and was 38 years of age. For the past 18 years she had devoted her life to religion. She will be buried Friday at 6.30 a. m., in Longueuil beside the founder of the convent of Hochelaga, who was of the same family. Sister

Rose de Marie was very much esteemed in Montreal society, many members of whom had received their education at her hands.

Can't Keep Keeley in Jail.

Robert Keeley is once more breathing free air. Yesterday afternoon he was taken to the Court House and there met a few of his friends and with them repaired to Mr. Scitte's office, where the bonds were signed that make Keeley a free man until next September.

The bondsmen are Louis McKin, fireworks manufacturer of Longueuil, \$300; Jeremiah Crowley, fish dealer, of this city \$300 and personal bail \$300. Total \$900.

Brand's Derby Sweep Winners Paid Today.

Persons who were winners in Brand's Derby sweep will no doubt be pleased to learn that the money will be paid over today. Mr. Brand was seen last night in regard to the reported settlement of the trouble arising over the seizure of the funds at the instance of Mr. Farrell.

Mr. Brand said it was true that a settlement had been made and that the money would be paid out today. When asked for particulars of the settlement, he said that about the only particulars to be given were that Mr. Farrell had withdrawn the suit, paying all the expenses.

Sub-Constable Robinson Stops a Runaway.

Shortly after 11 o'clock yesterday morning Sub-Constable Robinson of No. 6 Station saw a heavy plane express wagon, with two horses attached, come tearing down St. Margaret-street. It was dangerous undertaking, but he succeeded in bringing the runaway to a standstill otherwise they would have gone crashing into one of the shops on the south side of St. James-street.

He is one of the officers who stopped a runaway, and arrested the driver, from what might have been a serious accident. He gave his hand a painful wrench while stopping yesterday's runaway.

A Maniac Assaults His Keeper.

An inmate at the Protestant Insane Asylum made a desperate attempt to escape on Wednesday evening. Keeper Monteith was making his usual rounds when a furious maniac, with the extraordinary strength peculiar to these unfortunate beings, tore out from his fastenings one of the stout iron bars of his window, and assaulted the keeper. He jumped at and struck the keeper with his heavy weapon, inflicting a wound on the head. The noise of the scuffle attracted the attention of some of those in attendance, who came to Monteith's assistance before the infuriated man could again strike him. Though the wound is comparatively slight, it is a wonder that the affair had not a tragic ending.

Thursday's Recorder's Doings.

Three youths, Wilfred Ange, Owen Leblanc and John Bentley, were caught bathing in the "Lachine Canal" on Wednesday. They were brought before the recorder yesterday and sentenced to stay in the cells until 2 o'clock. His Honor also disposed of 43 other cases. A few named Friedrich had his 10-year-old son and another boy named Lazarus arrested on a charge of vagrancy. Lazarus was sent to the Reformatory School for three years, and as Friedrich pleaded guilty, sentence was suspended. Robert King and William Becking were fighting on Craig-street and were run in by Constables Gendry and Dempsey. They got \$5 or 15 days each. John Cize was fined \$5 or eight days for being absent from work. Four young men, who were loitering on the Wellington bridge at 1 o'clock in the morning were each fined \$3 or one month.

Two Silly Englishmen in Town.

Two Englishmen, who came out of the Lake Ontario, hired a cab and drove to Lucy Johnston's notorious dive on St. Dominique-street. There they got two girls, who drove with them out to the Back River. On the way home one of the men got out of the vehicle and shortly afterwards missed his scarf pin. He accused one of the girls of stealing it, but she stoutly denied the charge. The Englishman, however, waxed furious and drove to No. 4 station, where he wanted them arrested. Sergeant Leggett sent Constables Gaudry and Demsey with the party to the Central Station.

As the charge was pressed the girls were locked up, but Madame Lajeunesse examined them but could not find the missing rings.

Kehe's Property Confiscated.

The law of confiscation was to a certain extent made plain yesterday by the decision of Judge Jette in the case of Dumphy vs. Kehoe and Curran et al. vs. Kehoe and the Attorney-General.

The first action was one taken by the widow of the late Thomas Donnelly, murdered by John Kehoe, who from \$12,000 damages on account of the death of her husband, and the other was by Messrs. Curran & Grenier, claiming \$700 fees for the defence of the murderer.

Both actions were taken against the late Lawrence Kehoe as heir to his son John, civilly dead, through the sentence of death, afterwards committed to imprisonment for life, passed upon him. An opposition was filed by the Attorney-General of the province claiming the right of reversion to the Crown in the case of Kehoe, and the case was dismissed, and the confiscation to the Local Government allowed, subject, however, to the payment of \$1,900 to Mrs. Donnelly, and \$700 to Messrs. Curran & Grenier.

The Fish and Game Club Dinner.

The Fish and Game Protection Club of the Province of Quebec gave a lunch and presentation yesterday afternoon at their club rooms in St. Francois Xavier-street in honor of Mr. A. N. Shewan, of this city.

Mr. George Boulier occupied the chair, with Mr. George Horne, as the oldest member of the club, in the vice-presidency. On the right of the president was Mr. A. N. Shewan, on the left Mr. L. A. Boyer, floor inspector. On Mr. Horne's right sat Mr. G. H. Matthews and on his left Mr. George W. Stephens. The three latter gentlemen are ex-presidents of the club. Speeches were made by several of the members, and the presentation was made on behalf of the president, ex-presidents and officers of the club. It was one of the famous Forest silver-mounted fishing rods, and bore an inscription to the effect that it was presented to Mr. Shewan in acknowledgment of the services he had rendered to the club, and as a token of their friendship and esteem. Hon. Peter Mitchell was present and made a short address.

If there ever was a specific for any one complaint, then Carter's Little Liver Pills are a specific for sick headache, and every woman should know this. Only one pill a dose. Try them.

JOINT COMMITTEES MEET

And Discuss the Plans for the Proposed New Stations.

The joint Fire and Police Committee met yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Col. Stephenson presided and there were also present: Ald. Wm. Kennedy, Patrick Kennedy, A. Dubuc, Jeannotte, Gauthier, J. M. Dufresne, Chief Hughes, of the Police Committee, and Ald. Robert P. Dubuc, Grenier, Wilson, Perreault and Chief Benoit, of the Fire Committee. The mayor was also present.

The meeting was called to open and examine plans for a joint fire and police station on Rachel-street, St. Jean Baptiste Ward, and a fire station on Mullin-street, St. Gabriel Ward. There were five plans submitted to the committee, and some discussion was caused because another one had arrived after the hour appointed in advertisement. It was decided to reject it on this account, and it was not opened.

The following were the firms who submitted plans for the Rachel street building: John James Brown, L. R. Mont, Briant, Roy & Gauthier, J. A. Mercier and J. P. Chasse.

To aid the committee a better view, the plans were taken up against the wall. After looking them over carefully the general opinion was that Mont Briant's plan was the best. Ald. Wilson moved that it be accepted, and that a sub-committee be appointed to examine the plans and report on Tuesday next, the 30th inst., at 10 o'clock, on any proposed alteration or modification in them.

Ald. Dufresne moved an amendment that Roy & Gauthier's plan be accepted, but this motion was lost on a vote which stood four to eight against it. In favor Aldermen Dufresne, P. Kennedy, Robert and Jeannotte.

The main motion was then put and carried unanimously, and the sub-committee was appointed to report as above.

It is composed of the chairman of both committees, Col. Stephenson and Ald. Jeannotte, Chief Hughes and Chief Benoit, Wilson and Grenier. After examining plans, tenders will be called for and opened on July 15.

The plan which was accepted is for a three story stone building and is estimated to cost \$21,000.

\$14,000 for a Lot.

The Fire Committee met at 4.15, immediately after the adjournment of the joint Fire and Police Committee. Col. Stephenson was in the chair and the following other members were present.

Aldermen Robert, P. Dubuc, Grenier, Wilson and Perreault, and Chief Benoit. There were three plans presented for the Mullin-street building, by the following architects: John James Brown, Jos. A. Mercier and J. A. Chasse.

The committee did not seem to care particularly for any of the plans, but Mr. Dufresne's plan was finally accepted on motion of Ald. Dubuc, and a sub-committee appointed consisting of Aldermen Stephenson, Perreault, Wilson and Grenier, who will report at the same time as the joint Fire and Police Committee. This plan will doubtless be considerably modified.

Ald. Jeannotte wanted to know why Mr. Lacroix had received a chimney-sweepers license for a district other than his own. The chairman informed him that they could not do anything in the matter as Mr. Lacroix was under the building inspector's jurisdiction, but it was hoped that before long they would control that department, there being a motion to purchase the same.

It was decided to purchase a lot in the rear of No. 4 Fire Station, Chaboulez-square, belonging to Mr. Mullin, at a cost of \$14,000.

It was resolved to advertise for tenders for winter uniforms for the fire brigade, to be issued on July 15.

OVERBOARD IN MID-OCEAN.

Wm. Fover, a Coal Trimmer Seeks Society Through a Foolish Act.

Considerable excitement was caused among the passengers on the Dominion Line Steamship Dominion, when that steamer was in mid-ocean on her trip to this port. On Sunday, June 14, a coal trimmer named Wm. Fover went down below at 4 o'clock in the afternoon to take his turn at work. Half an hour later he came up on deck and without a word of warning and before anyone could raise an arm to prevent him, sprang over the side from amidship. There was a breeze blowing at the time and the sea was quite choppy. The cry of "man overboard" was raised, and the ship swung from her davits to go to the rescue. By the time the boat was in the water Fover was far astern and became lost to view. A vigorous search was kept up by the crew of the boat and after twenty minutes of anxious searching the man was rescued, very much exhausted as a result of his erratic action. 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