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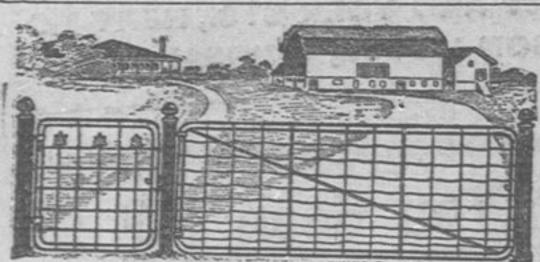
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A LIBERAL SWEEP.

Dr. McIntyre's Great Victory In Strathcona Bye-Election.

Strathcona, April 6 .- The bye-election here resulted in a sweeping endorsation of the Liberal Government. Dr. Mc-Intyre was nearly seven hundred ahead at midnight, and it is not improbable Razors | that Mr. Craig will lose his deposit. Returns by polls give a fair indication of the sentiment of the county: Lloydminster, McIntyre 171, Craig 15; Strathcona, McIntyre 286, Craig 229; Truscotte, McIntyre 42, Craig 2,

Dr. McIntyre is a native of Victoria County, Ontario, and was born there in 1867. He graduated from Toronto University in '98. He is one of the most logical and forcible speakers among

12,000 Damages. Guelph, April 5 .- The Assizes jury yesterday awarded Forbes Moir of West Garafraxa \$2,000 damages against the

C. P. R. for the death of his son. Arrested For Child's Murder. Montreal, April 7 .- Rauel Bradley, a former inmate of the Ahern household, but who was sent away because he failed to pay his board, was arrrested last evening, charged with the murder of little Ida Ahern. Medical evidence showed that a frightful outrage had Hardware, Coal and Iron. | been attempted upon her.

Jeseph Phillips, the Hudson Girls, E. J. Burt, and Others.

DEALING WITH SHARES OF THE TORONTO LIFE CO.

Writ, Granting Interim Injunction to York Loan Liquidators, Is Returnable Monday, 16th April - Southern Light & Power Co. Under the Limelight In the Toronto Police

Court-Barrett's Philosophy. Toronto, April 7 .- Yesterday the National Trust Co. issued a writ against the following shareholders in the Toronto Life Insurance Co.:

Lillie Daw, 75 shares. Agnes Conghlin, 50 shares. Mrs. M. J. Hassard, 100 shares. Lillian Hudson, 181 shares. Georgina Hudson, 141 shares. Annie Lee, 58 shares. Fred Lee, 50 shares. Joan McCann, 530 shares. Joseph Phillips, 125 shares. Annie Robb, 193 shares. Emma Souter, 265 shares. Maggie Ventress, 50 shares. Eme Whatnough, 50 shares.

E. J. Burt, 91 shares.

By the writ the liquidators asked for a declaration that the shares of stock of the Toronto Life, on the names of the defendants are held by the deand that the plaintiffs are the rightful owners. Also for an order that the defendants do transfer and assign the shares to the plaintiffs and for an injunction restraining the defendants from transferring, assigning, permitting assignment, or in any way dealing with the shares until the action is finally disposed of.

Acting for the liquidators, C. D. Scott, solicitor, obtained from Mr. Justice Mabee, at Oegoode Hall, an interim injunction against the defendants, returnable Monday, 16th inst. Satisfied With Present Position.

Mr. White, manager of the National Trust, stated that with regard to the Toronto Life and the Liszt Plano Co., the liquidators had already taken such steps as to protect the interests of the York County Loan shareholders and are satisfied with the present position. Speaking of Crown Attorney Curry's investigation, Mr. White said it had been of the greatest possible advantage to the shareholders of the York County Loan Co. By the dragnet of the criminal courts, the transactions in regard

exposed and light thrown upon the York County Loan situation that could not possibly be got from books of the York County Loan. Another point to be considered was that the prosecution of Phillips which is bringing out the facts is not costing

the York Loan shareholders one dollar. Mr. Barrett's Philosophy. In the investigation in the Police Court yesterday, Joseph Barrett, managing director of the Southern Light & Power Co., said he had made from

\$2.00 to 50 cents on each pole that was bought by the company. "Did Phillips know it?" asked Crown Attorney Curry. "Certainly," answered Mr. Barrett.

"How much did he get out of it?" "I raised his salary." "Raised the president's salary?"
"Why not? I paid all the men." "What increase did you give him?"

"I gave him \$35 a week, instead of Mr. Barrett added: "I got poles cheaper than any other person. There was no reason why I should not get

advantage of that." "You were employed by the company to get the poles at the cheapest possible price?"

"The company got good value in The way the company was formed

was the subject of investigation. Mr. and Mrs. Barrett were paid \$3,351 in cash for their property in Erindale and in addition were to be given \$295,000 in paid-up capital stock of the company. The whole stock amounted to \$300,000, divided into \$100 shares. A Still-Born Company.

"How much did the Southern Light & Power Co. get from the York Lean Co?" asked Mr. Curry. "About \$217,000 was paid to Mr.

Hicks, the treasurer." "What was he before?" "An employe of the York Loan Co." "What security had the York Loan?" "We gave a mortgage for \$200,000 in

July, 1904. In August this mortgage was retired, and bonds issued for \$300,-000, of which \$200,000 worth was assigned to the York Loan." "What have you got now to show for

this \$217,000?" "Our land, plant, etc." "Yes, a still-born child," remarked

the crown attorney. "I notice a carload of poles arriving every now and then," said Mr. Curry, looking up from the books. "Did you get a rakeoff on all the poles?" "Certainly."

"How much would it amount to alto-"Perhaps \$480."

"It looks more like \$1,000 from the way I find things?"

might amount to that. protested Magistrate Denison. "You were supposed to buy them at the jured. lowest price."

"The company paid what any other company would under the circum-"You had the underground passage,"

remarked Mr. Curry smiling. Mr. Burt Again. E. J. Burt, vice-president of the York Loan Co., was again on the stand. He had with him a cuplicate copy of his bank book. He was told also to get a bank book of his wife's. The \$17,000 he earned from the Toronto Life Co. was not all he earned. He had earned also money from the York County Loan, but never got commissions on sales from outsiders to the

York County Loan. "Do you remember being muicted a damages for scaring someone's "Yes."

"Who paid those damages?" with Phillip's private bank account. "The York County Loan paid them." Write Alike. Georgina Hudson, who was called

next, was asked what she had to de "I made some deposits," she said. "And the others were made by

"Dy my sistan I sunnosa."

asked Mr. Curry handing out a bunch. "I can't always tell my sister's

handwriting from mine," remarked Miss Hudson after looking over them

"We write very much the same."

A Director's Knowledge. William Paine, one of the directors of the York Loan, wid that he was elected in April, 1985, to fill the place left vacant by the resignation of A. T. Hunter. At the same time he was made a director of the Toronto Life Insurance Co. For the former he was paid \$15 a week and the same for the Toron-

Previous to that time he was employed as an insurance agent at \$15 a week for the York Loan. Then he was raised to an inspectorship at \$20 a week. He kept track of the agents in older Ontario. "I occasionally wrote business for terminating stock," he

"The agents of the York Loan were paid \$4 for writing up a share, paying 25 cents a week. Then if they wrote four of those shares they were given \$3 extra."

"Did most of them get the bonus?"

The same agents admitted the witness acted for the Toronto Life, the National Monthly and the Liszt Piano Co. Returns were often made to the York Loan office on York Loan Co.

"What proportion of the people that

went in withdrew their money?" "I can't say. A number of them went Collected Commission Again. "And the agents collected their com-

mission again?"

"Yes." "About this lean to the Southern Power Co. in July. Did you know that company was ewned by Mr. Phillips?"

"Did you know it was the York | home north the better. Loan's money that started the Toronto

"But you knew that the president gave instructions to the employes of the York Loan to take stock in the Toronto Life."

"Yes." "Did you know anything about the setting apart of \$500,000 for the purpose of the Lisat planos?" "No, that was before my time."

Continues Monday. The investigation was adjourned until Monday under a protest from J. E. Jones, who claimed that the investigation should proceed with haste as his client was in custody

SCENES IN THE HOUSE.

An Outburst of Personalities By Opto the subsidiary companies had been position Speakers-Forced to Withdraw Their Statements-Supply.

> Ottawa, April 7.-A debate precipitated by the Opposition yesterday ply, continued until 11 o'clock before the House was permitted to take up the business before it. The collapse | ters of this kind were left to the disof the tower in the new wing of the cretion of the responsible Ministers. If Western block afforded the ground the embargo were suddenly removed it the Government, several members pro- of the country. As to the policy of ducing samples of material obtained | admission of Canadian cattle, he from the debris, which they contended | thought the House should be left to indicates had construction and careless | determine these matters without the

Mr Hyman declined to discuss the | had no desire to exercise any influence, merits of the question until Mr. G. S. Curry, Toronto, and Mr. Hutchinson, Montreal, had reported on the cause | scored the Government for not accept-

of the accident. The tone of the debate was given a decided downward tendency by personalities indulged in by Mr. W. H. Bennett and Col. Hughes, both of whom were peremptorily called to order by the Speaker and compelled to withdraw their statements after denials by Mr. James Conmee.

on Monday, but had not much chance Incidentally the Giant's Tomb Island question was again brought to the at- of being reached. The impressic tention of the House by a reference to among the members is that the bill a letter in which Mr. W. H. Bennett, | dead. some years ago applied to Mr. T. M. Daly, Minister of the Interior, for a lease of the island "on easy terms." The House went into supply at 11 p.m.

Ne Winners and No Losers.

London, April 7 .- In the House of tled. Both sides express Lords yesterday, replying to a question with the result obtained, regarding the Moroccan conference, to be in the nature of the under secretary, Lord Edmond The Fejervary Cabine FitzMaurice, said that the signing of overtures of the cor the protocol would occur at an early agreement was sp ditto date, if not to-day. He added that elections will be when the papers were laid on the table proper time ar in the House he thought the members | ernment will would agree that the phrase, frequently used, that there had been "Neither victors nor vanquished," expressed the Armstro-

Railway Fireman Killed,

Woodstock, April 7 .- Nineteen-year- life insurance companie old Alfred Norwood, a Grand Trunk Arectors therein. direman of Sarnia, was instantly killed | Whether or not he own Thursday night in the G. T. R. yards. was advanced to thi He had completed raking out the ashes out opposition. from the ashpan, and was crawling from beneath his engine, not noticing the limited, running at thirty miles an hour, on the adjacent track. The steps of the engine struck and instantly killed him. Norwood had been firing for important part !

Forty-Nine Were Killed.

Nagold, Black Forest, Germany, April 7 .- A revised list of the casualties resulting from the collapse of the Hotel um Hirschen (Stag Hotel) Thursday, "But you were acting as a trustee," shows that forty-nine persons lost their lives and that fifty were severely in-

> Run Over By Train. Tilbury, April 7.-Fred Webster, a young man from Oil Springs, Ont., jumped from a M.C.R. train in front of another train here last night and the bri had his foot cut off at the ankle.

Sir Wyke Balis Dead. London, April 7.-Sir Wyke Balis, president of the Royal Society of British Artists since 1888, died here suddenly during Thursday night of heart nig disease. He was born in 1835.

At Wasnington's Tomb. Washington, D. C., April 6.-Earl Grey, Governor-General of Canada, Lady Grey and the other members of the vice-regal party, yesterday visited the Tomb of Washington at Mount Ver-

Princo Ven Buelow Paints Berlin, April 6.-Chancellor Von Bue low, while attending the debate in th Reichstag yesterday, fainted and w carried to a committee-room by so of the members of the House. chancellor made a speech on the ject of Morocce, and was listenin the answer of Herr Bebel, the Sc I ise leader, when he was taken i

Futile Debate In the British House of Commons.

Bill Was Talked Out, the Speaker Refusing the Closure to Bring on Division-Mr. Cairns, the Mover, Declared It Was Eminently Desirable to Remove the Embargo on Canadian Cattle-No Disease,

London, April 7.-(C. A. P.)-In the

House of Commons yesterday Mr. Thomas Cairns (Liberal), in moving the second reading of the diseases of animals act amendment bill, sketched the history of the act of 1896 and the continued hostility that had been shown it by reason of the fact that under its provisions foreign, and especially Canadian, cattle could not be landed alive at our home ports. This bill, he said, did not affect Ireland, yet the Nationalists had announced their intention of opposing it. It was eminently desirable to remove the embargo on Canadian cattle. The Canadian Government habitually complained of the restriction, inasmuch as Canada was free from disease. If there was any risk he would be the last to express himself in favor of the measure. During the last ten years 1,250,000 Canadian cattle were landed here, not one suffering from foot-and-mouth disease or anthrax. For every one of Canadian cattle killed for suffering from tuberculosis there were 11 home cattle destroyed. He argued that the sooner we had these healthy animals among our

Quality Had Deterforated. Mr. Price, seconding the motion, said the quality of stock had gone down under the operation of the act of 1896. It was not suggested that any risk of disease should be taken. Canada was

free from the disease. Messrs. Courtenay warned and C. Wason moved and seconded the rejection of the bill, and denied that it would benefit the farmer, the laborer or the consumer. Mr. Wason said he protested against the recent despatch of Hon. Sydney Fisher, which repreernment as unfriendly to the Dombyion. That was an unveracious state-

Sir Gilbert Parker asked that Speaker if such an expression was permitted, and Mr. Wason said he would substitute the expression that the despatch was liable to misconstruction. Mr. Hamar Greenwood supported the bill.

Mr. W. O'Brien said if the bill passed 200,000 holdings in Ireland would be rendered unprofitable. Government Is Neutral. The Premier said that personally he preferred the old system by which matupon which the Opposition attacked might cause nervousness in many parts

interference of the Government. He and would leave this an open question. Walter Long, fer the Opposition, ing responsibility.

Several members continued the discussion on both sides, while many others vainly tried to get the Speaker's eye. Finally the bill was talked out without a division, the Speaker refusing the closure. Mr. Cairns afterwards said the bill

Compromise Ends Controver Vienna, April 7.-After months' of controversy betw throne and the coalition pr Hungarian crisis finally ha

been setcary Gov-

Policyho' P osition Defined. 7.-Senator yesterday seed & mrsw bill de , whatever doubt m signed to re the eligibility of policyh ay exist as f.o olders in stock is to be elect ed regardless of as stock. The bill rd reading with-

Girder Plac Guelph, April 7 .ed at Lark -The big girder for the Grand River) & Goderich Raily gridge on the Guelph say, which played an a two bad accidents, was successfull y placed in position yesterday after One Y

Guelph, Apri ear in Central. 1 7 .- John B. Madill, who was found gu fity of attempting to denection with arrance companies in conthe Hillsburg creamery, my mentenced to a year's

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Wicked By Horse. A April 7 .- Evan Williams, ar-old son of Thos. Williams erstown, while leading a horse , was kicked in the head. The /as fractured so as to expose

Murder Suspect Arrested. anipeg, April 7.-Martin Doyle, is suspected of the murder of Vin-: Weller, near Snowflake last rember, was arrested Thursday tht at Battleford.

Another Investigation. Washington, D. C., April 7 .- The arst bearing of the interstate commerce commission in its coal and oil investigatien will be held in Philadelphia en

Adam Lloyd Not Guilty. Believille, April 7.-After an hour's se consideration the jury returned a veras dict of not guilty in the case against me Adam Lloyd, charged with wife murder,

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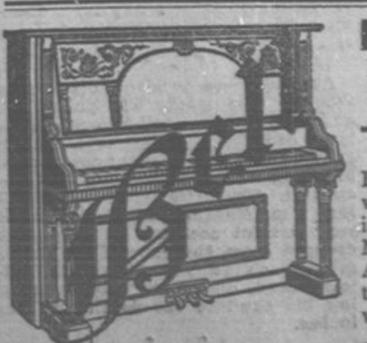
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