THE CHAMPION

MILTON, JULY 13, 1893.

THE Georgetown Herald complains that there are too many churches in that village, and that a great deal of money is wasted every year in support of church organizations that are multiplied out of all proportion to the spiritual needs of the people. The evil is not confined to Georgetown; but is a general one. The remedy is simple—a union of all christian religious bodies in one grand church; but unfortunately there is little hope that such a union can be consummated for many years to come. The sectarian spirit is too strong, and is likely to remain so.

MILTON is one of the healthiest towns in the Dominion, and one reason for this is no doubt the purity of the water which its citizens get from their reservoir. Mayor Dice, chairman of the Board of Health, a short time ago sent samples of the water to the Provincial Board of Health for analysis. He received the following in reply a few days ago:—

TORONTO, July 3, 1893.

DEAR SIR,—I have the honor herewith to transmit a copy of the analysis of the samples of water forwarded by you. It is in every way a first-class water.

I am, your obedient servant,
PETER H. BRYCE.
Secretary.

ANALYSIS OF MILTON WATER.

No. 1, from Reservoir—in pt. per millio.	
Free Am.	0.08
Alb. Am.	0.10
Chlorine	4 8
O. in 4 hrs.	0.7160
O. in 15 min.	0.2444
No. 2, from tap.	
Free Am.	0.052
Alb. Am.	0.09
Chlorine	4.8
O. in 4 hrs.	0.4016
O. in 15 min.	0.2444

JOHN J. MACKENZIE,
Analyst Prov. Board Health.

The Chicago Horror

Tuesday morning's despatches contained an account of a terrible fatality at the World's fair grounds, Chicago. By the burning of the immense cold storage warehouse a number of firemen lost their lives. They had climbed the cupola in order to combat the flames, and were cut off from all means of escape by a sudden outburst of flame.

CHICAGO, July 12.—This morning the total number of known dead is 13, while those reported by their friends as missing amount to five. The following persons, in addition to the known dead, are still missing: Joseph Campbell, a carpenter; R. A. Drummond, superintendent of the Harrer Electric company; Archie McArthur, ten years old, employed in the building; Bernard Murphy, boilermaker; Robert Plemheuber, of Marquette, Mich. Dr. Robinson, chief of the ambulance service, thinks there are no more bodies under the ruins.

LATER—The list of victims of the World's fair holocaust still increases. At 4 o'clock this afternoon another body was recovered from the ruins of the cold storage building, swelling the death total to fifteen, with a large area of debris still unexplored. The remains this afternoon recovered were those of Ralph A. Drummond, constructing engineer of the Cold Storage Co. This was the only body unearthed to-day, the rumors that have been frequent of ghostly finds being usually based on the discovery of piles of wasted meat that had formerly been stored in the refrigerator. It is known that at least two or three, and possibly half a dozen more bodies, must be yet in the ruins, as the Michigan brewer, the elevator boy and a Columbian guard are still missing. Up to this afternoon $12,825 had been subscribed for the families of the victims, and subscriptions are still rapidly coming in.

Depreciating in Value.

LONDON, July 11th.—The board of agriculture has issued an order, which takes effect forthwith, cancelling the orders of April and June securing segregation slaughter for Canadian cattle under special supervision, says a special cable to the Globe. This withdrawal of special privileges from Canadian stock places them on the same footing as United States and other cattle. Swan & Sons, Edinburgh, in their weekly report say that as the restrictions are to be maintained an endeavor will be made to have Canadian cattle sent to Yorkhill instead of to Shieldhall, the former being much nearer to the city. As showing the effect of the restrictions, the prices realized by Canadian animals are in many cases eighteen shillings per hundred weight less than for home-fed cattle of the same quality. In all circles here connected with the trade there is little hope at present felt that there is any chance of an early change in the position that affairs have now assumed. This week's markets were firm; 958 Canadian animals were offered, and the best made three shillings tenpence to elevenpence, seconds three shillings sixpence to eightpence per eight pounds.

Cholera in Europe.

WASHINGTON, July 10.—Dr. Walter Kempster has submitted to the Marine hospital his voluminous report on the investigation of himself and Surgeon Irwin Fairfax made during the past several months upon the prevalence and extent of the cholera in Europe and the channels through which the disease might reach this country. In Jerusalem and in Constantinople it was found that there was no quarantine, and that emigrants were huddled in unclean and disease-breeding quarters. All the ports of Europe were visited by the commission, and at each place a thorough investigation was made. In the unrestricted intercourse between French ports and London and other English ports Dr. Kempster believes that there is a serious liability of the United States becoming infected from France. The material statements of the report have already been covered in press despatches.

Got off Easily.

CHICAGO, July 6th.—Rev. John T. James, of Virginia, who smashed the whiskey exhibit of Sir John Powers in the Agricultural buildings on the 4th of July, got off easily in Justice Potter's Court yesterday. The prisoner refused to make any statement and acted so queerly that the justice allowed the charge of malicious mischief to be changed to that of disorderly conduct. He fined the prisoner $25. Mr. James declared he would go to jail and pose as a martyr for the demon drink. Then the justice remitted the fine.

Served Them Right.

BRANTFORD, July 10.—A sensational case took place at the Police Court this morning when two men named Cronk and Donovan were charged with levying $10 blackmail from H. E. North. The evidence showed that Mr. North, with a lady companion was walking on the outskirts of the city on Friday night at 9 o'clock, when the accused accosted them and threatened to disgrace the girl unless they were given $10. North was accompanied by one of them down town to get the money, while the other held the young lady. North gave the pair a fictitious cheque, and subsequently had them arrested. The accused were given two months each in jail. It is claimed that Cronk has been at this sort of thing for months.

Tired of Prohibition.

TOPEKA, July 12.—In a letter this morning to A. J. Richard, of Fort Scott, Attorney-General Little intimates that the State Administration has thrown prohibition overboard and will not use the machinery of state to enforce it. He says several cities, unable to meet the taxes, are asking that saloons be licensed to realize money to meet their indebtedness. Concluding, Attorney-General Listle says: "If this community wants peace and harmony, soberness and virtue they must provide some system other than the present, for not only will saloons run wide open but crime of every conceivable nature will become rampant."

An Extensive Failure.

The New Zealand Loan & Mercantile Agency Co. (limited) failed on Monday in consequence of the reflex action of the crashes that have lately occurred in the Australian financial world. The concern was one of the most important engaged in colonial financial affairs. The manager of the company is Henry M. Paul. The capital of the company is £4,500,000, of which £400,000 had been called up. Three-quarters of the loss will fall on the people in Great Britain. It is feared that the company have been carrying on wide speculations in Australia.

It Produced Drunkenness.

Canadian Churchman.

The Scott Act in Charlottetown has attracted some attention in England as an experiment in restrictive or prohibitory legislation. According to figures furnished by Rev. James Simpson of St. Peter's, Charlottetown, the Scott Act produced drunkenness in a very large ratio; the percentage of monthly convictions have been over 23 per cent., whereas now (without any prohibitory measure whatever, not even license) the percentage has sunk to 18 per cent. This seems to argue the evil of legal restriction—for Charlottetown at least.

Canadian Hay for France.

MONTREAL, July 11.—The bark Marlborough has been chartered out of this port to take a cargo of hay to Havre at 55 shillings. This is the first charter of the kind ever made in Canada, and is made possible by the shortage in the French hay crop. Prices of hay are advancing rapidly in this province, although this is in a great measure due to speculation among exporters.

Is That Direct Descent?

Toronto Globe.

Dr. Washington is a direct descendant of Gen. Geo. Washington, the leader of the North American republic. His great, great grandfather and General Washington's father were brothers.

CANADIAN ITEMS.

Lewis Guay, of Levis, Que., aged 94, danced at his grandson's wedding on Monday.

The Earl of Derby will sail for England from Quebec on Saturday on the Sardinian.

The Earl of Aberdeen is not expected to reach Canada until the middle of September.

Sir John Abbott is spending the summer at St. Anne's, Que. His health has not improved.

The barque Marlborough has been chartered to take a cargo of hay from Montreal to France.

H. H. Laing, of Hamilton, a well-known merchant, died Sunday evening after but 24 hours' illness.

Sir John Thompson and the Hon. C. H. Tupper expect to return to Canada by the first week in August.

Edward Hanlan was born July 12th, 1855, and celebrated his birthday yesterday. Long may he wave.

Robert Patterson was killed by a cave-in of clay upon him on Tuesday at the tile yards in Drayton, Ont.

Hamilton board of health has decided to ask the city council to pass a by-law making it illegal to sell skim milk.

Kingston papers says a combine in coal and wood has been formed there, and that coal will be $7 a ton, and wood $6 a cord.

Mrs. Louisa Kister, aged 67, of Montrose, was run over and killed while walking on the M.C.R. track at Niagara Falls, on Monday.

A gang of roughs set upon a Chinese laundryman on St. Catherine street, Montreal, on Tuesday night, and beat him so badly that he is not expected to recover.

It is announced at Ottawa that upon his return to Ottawa Sir John Thompson will appoint Mr. Mackintosh as lieutenant-governor of the Northwest Territories.

Canada has captured 126 of the 135 dairy prizes offered at the World's Fair. Yet a short time ago certain papers protested against Canada exhibiting at the fair at all.

Charles Hind, aged 18 years, and a Swiss named Gottlieb, aged 30 years, got beyond their depth while bathing in the Niagara River near Lasalle, Ont., on Monday, and both were drowned.

The Belleville Intelligencer is printing a list of persons in that neighborhood who are over 80 years of age. Forty-four names were in Saturday's list, those of Irish extraction leading, English next and Scotch third.

The report of the sub-committee appointed to consider the Campbell heresy charges was presented to the Montreal presbytery. The presbytery prepared a formal indictment against Prof. Campbell, and adjourned until August 1.

The village of Fairville, N.B., was again swept by fire on Monday, 35 buildings being destroyed, most of which had just been completed on the district burned over last year. Poor people were the principal losers. About 80 families are homeless. There was very little insurance.

As the Cibola was approaching her dock in Toronto last night with a moonlight excursion a young man, a member of the True Blues, tried to jump on the wharf, but, having miscalculated the distance, fell into the water and was drowned. His name was not known to any of his fellow-excursionists.

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On $37,000 worth of imported soap Canadians last year paid $10,000. On socks and hosiery the imports aggregated $384,000 and the taxes levied amounted to $150,000. Foreign yarn was bought by Canadians to the value of $184,000 and $62,000 was paid the Customs' tax collectors to allow it to land on our shores.

The number of insane in Canada according to the last census was 13,855. In every 10,000 males 29.1 were insane; in every 10,000 females, 26.1. The proportion of males and females insane in England and Wales is 100 to 118; in France, 100 to 110. Of the Canadian insane 9,506 were unmarried; 3,044 were foreign born.

The Despatch, a newspaper published at Hull, Que., is hereafter to be printed on green paper. The proprietor takes the present rather inopportune time to make the following statement: "It is agreed among professional men that of all the endless varieties of colors none exercises a more soothing effect on the eyes than green."

Rev Canon Bull of Niagara Falls, has written the Toronto Army and Navy Veterans' society, inviting the members to be present at the reinterment on July 25 of the remains of the soldiers of the Royal Scots and 89th Regiment, who fell at the battle of Lundy's Lane, on July 25, 1814. The remains were discovered in April last. Several regiments will be selected from among the Army and Navy veterns.

Toronto grocers say that they will never observe another holiday that comes on a Saturday. They will ask the authorities to follow the example set by London and postpone the observance of the holiday till Monday. This is what they do in Britain. Even the Queen's birthday is arranged to be celebrated by each municipality at the time which seems most convenient. Holidays were made for men and not men for holidays.

The Hamilton Spectator refers with positive enthusiasm to the fact that the power which turns every wheel at the World's Fair is generated in furnaces fed by crude oil. It shews that it has some marked advantages over coal as fuel for furnaces. It might have also told its readers that Canadian boiler-owners are excluded from using crude oil because the duty and fees on it were calculated some time ago to amount to about 1,200 per cent.

Rev. Leonard Dawson, Anglican missionary to the Cree Indians in the diocese of Qu'Appelle, N. W. T., is now in Toronto. He says there are about 750 Indians in his district and that they are being half-starved. "I have carefully calculated," says he, "what they receive, and their rations will feed them three days out of the seven. They have to 'rustle' for the rest. The nearest mill and market for their grain is 60 miles away." The change which prevents them from shooting game in the close season will make their condition still more unendurable. It is, Mr. Dawson says, in violation of treaty No. 4, made at Qu'Appelle, and which stipulates that they may forever shoot on any land not fenced in other than their own reserve. He says there is little use attempting to preach the gospel to starving Indians.

ITEMS.

Archbishop Corrigan denies that he refused to obey Mgr. Satolli.

Mr. Gladstone says he will again stand for election in Midlothian.

Right Hon. Stuart Knill, lord mayor of London, has been made a baronet.

Chancellor von Caprivi of Germany is confined to his residence by inflamed veins.

The insurrection is said to have broken out again in Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil.

Twenty houses were burned at Princeton, Indiana, yesterday, involving a loss of $300,000.

All Mexico's ministers, except those at Washington and Madrid, have been temporarily recalled.

Vienna advices state that fatal floods have occurred in the Kulstein and Zillerthal districts, in the Tyrol.

A fanatical mob in the province of Shantung, China, severely maltreated an American missionary a few days ago.

Latest advices from the Congo Free State give an account of another decisive victory of state troops over slave-traders.

The Viking ship arrived at Chicago yesterday and was welcomed by the booming of cannon and a great throng of people.

The statue of P. T. Barnum at Seaside park, Bridgeport, Conn., has been smeared with red paint. No clue to the perpetrators.

The official reports as to the sanitation of Hamburg, Germany, show that the health conditions are good, though the heat is intense.

Last week did not witness the closing down of any Montana silver mines of importance, nor were there reports that any were to be closed down.

An explosion of fire damp took place in a mine on the West Virginia Central railroad property, near Cumberland, Md. Two miners were burned to death.

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"RED CAP" and
"COMMON SENSE,"

At CLEMENTS' HARDWARE.

Prices away down fine.

Three cases of smallpox have been found in Chicago.

Two men were killed, two fatally injured and two badly hurt by an explosion of gas in the Pettibone mine at Wyoming, Pa., late yesterday afternoon.

Collector Morgan, of Buffalo, refuses to allow free entry at that port of Clydesdale horses on certificates of the Clydesdale Horse Association of Canada.

A negro uprising is feared at Bardwell, Ky., as the result of the recent lynching of Miller, the negro, who outraged and then murdered the Ray sisters.

An Ocala, Fla., despatch says that a negro named Larkin was lynched yesterday by citizens of Citra and vicinity for assaulting Miss Fannie Alexander on Monday last.

At Charleston, S. C., Isaac Mitchell and his entire family, consisting of five persons, were poisoned. Mitchell and his daughter are dead, and the others critically injured.

The official figures give the total attendance at the World's Fair during May at 1,050,237, and for June 2,675,113. The paid admissions last Sunday numbered 43,523.

Itch on human and all animals cured in 30 minutes by Woolford's Sanitary Lotion. Warranted by J. H. McColl. 1yr.

A hailstorm which struck Fergus Falls and district, Minn., on Saturday was very disastrous. Farm after farm lost everything growing. Fully twenty thousand acres were damaged and $100,000 will not cover the loss.

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Out of the 420 members constituting the Italian senate 120 are charged with complicity in the bank scandals. About 100 members of the chamber of deputies are similarly implicated.

Gold is said to have been discovered in large and very paying quantities in west Australia. If true the fact might work a sudden and marvellous change in the financial situation there and elsewhere.

Rev. Dr. John S. Penman, of Irvington, N.Y., Presbyterian church, has resigned his pastorship because of his inability to longer sustain and subscribe to the "system of doctrine" of his church.

Having been honored to his heart's content in England, the brave soldier Lord Roberts is to receive the homage of Scotland, and Glasgow will present him with "the freedom of the city" on the 27th inst.

Word comes from Malta that the captains of several vessels which took part in the manoeuvres of the Mediterranean squadron off Tripoli are to be court-martialed for not having obeyed Admiral Tryon's signal.

People returning from the World's fair are steadily dispelling the notion that the hotelkeepers of that city are banded together to overcharge visitors. It seems the visitors are getting the best of it. An unfortunate owner of three hotels has put his business into the hands of a receiver, as the concerns did not pay.

In Mecca, where the cholera is carrying off hundreds daily there is no sewerage, the city offal being allowed to run into pits in the street and fester in the tropical sun. The people are too religious—after a fashion—to give any attention to sanitation. The misery of it is that they are a constant menace to the health of the world.

The Socialists of Vienna made a public demonstration on Sunday in favor of universal suffrage. More than 10,000 of them attended the indoor meeting. As many more listened to speeches in the City Hall square. The statement is made and officially that Count Taafe, the Austrian Premier, will propose that workingmen's deputies elect delegates to the Reichsrath.

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