

THE CHAMPION

MILTON, JULY 26, 1894.

That excellent local newspaper, the Georgetown Herald, came out last week enlarged and otherwise improved.

The House of Commons prorogued on Monday. It had labored long and hard, but had brought forth little.

Hon. J. M. Gibson's political opponents at Hamilton have filed a petition to unseat him. The petition charges him and his agents with bribery and other corrupt practices.

Drowned White Yachting.

A very distressing drowning fatality occurred yesterday morning in the lake near Mimico, in which Charles H. Usher, a promising young man, twenty years of age, the son of J. C. Usher, the Deputy Provincial Registrar, who lives at 719 Simcoe street, was the victim.

The matches of the N.R.A. closed at Bissley on Saturday. Capt. More, of the 20th Lorne Rifles, distinguished himself by winning the first prize, £10, in the Pirbright, by making a possible at 200 yards lying down.

THE AGREST RIFLE MATCHES.—The programme of the Ontario Rifle Association matches on the Long Branch rifle range, on Tuesday, 21st August, and following days, was issued on Monday. Following are the different events: (1) The Canada Company prize, presented by the Canada Company, of London, Eng., with \$50 added by Col. St. Casimir Gzowski, A.D.C. to the Queen.

The last match for this season of the Canadian Military Rifle League came off on Saturday and the following good scores were made by the team of the 30th Lorne Rifles.

140 Drowned in the Black Sea.

Odesa, July 23.—It is now certain that 140 persons went down with the Italian steamer Columbus, which collided with the Russian steamer Vladimir in the Black Sea a few days ago.

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Public School Leaving and High School Entrance Examinations, 1894.

At Milton, on the 25th, 26th and 28th June, 59 candidates wrote for H. S. entrance certificates, and 47 of these have passed. Twenty wrote on the higher examination ("public school leaving"), which entitles the successful candidate to senior standing in the second year in any school, and 11 passed; another 11 was awarded a H. S. entrance certificate.

Following are names of successful candidates: P. S. LEAVING. Name, Marks, School, Teacher.

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ITEMS.

Feld is 974 at Buenos Ayres. Forest fires surrounded Duluth. The Debt case will be tried September 5.

Cholera is spreading in Eastern Austria. Chonoa, Ill., was nearly destroyed by fire yesterday.

The Chinese plague is travelling toward the coast. St. Petersburg had 685 deaths from cholera last week.

A fatal case of Asiatic cholera is reported at Oxville, Ill. The cholera is spreading to an alarming extent in Italy.

Many deaths from sunstroke are reported from Berlin and Vienna. The strike at Sacramento has been declared unconditionally.

Endor has suspended the payment of interest on the foreign debt. Over 1,000 persons perished by the recent earthquakes in Turkey.

The overthrow of the Government in San Salvador is looked for daily. Mr. Hofmeyr, the delegate, is saying nice things of Canada in England.

President Cleveland will appoint a committee to investigate the strike. Five men and 200 horses lost their lives in a Washington explosion yesterday.

Governor Tillman, of South Carolina, will open the state liquor dispensaries on August 1. Fire on Saturday caused a loss of about \$700,000 in the business portion of Birmingham, Ala.

The Argentine Government proposes to impose a tax of 20 per cent. interest on all Argentine loans. Storms and floods in Western India have caused much damage to crops.

Many lives have been lost. The town of Pontremoli, in Italy, was shaken by an earthquake on Sunday. No damage was done.

Boston will have an elevated railroad. The citizens voted on Tuesday in favor of the Meigs system. A petard was exploded in Rome on Saturday morning near the British embassy, but did no harm.

The total amount of prize money won by the Canadian team at Bissley was five hundred and forty-nine pounds. The Evicted Tenants Bill passed its second reading in the English House of Commons last Monday evening by a vote of 259 to 227.

London has declined to embark in a World's Fair enterprise. The metropolis does not want an experience such as Chicago has had. Mr. Gladstone's return to London is due to the condition of his eyes, which has become worse, and another operation will be necessary.

Four cases of cholera are reported from Adrianople, Turkey. The Government has declared five days' quarantine against all European arrivals. A new labor union has been launched in Chicago, which is to gather under one banner all workmen.

The steamer Luocania, which arrived at New York on Saturday from Liverpool, made the trip in five days, eighteen hours and fifty-seven minutes. A French syndicate of capitalists, which proposes to build a railroad in Ecuador from Guayaquil to Quinto, is seeking concessions from the Government.

The leaders of the Irish party calculate that 29 of the Irish seats will be contested at the next election, including the seven seats now occupied by Unionists. The bill designed to prevent the employment of Canadian seamen on United States vessels has been favorably reported by the American sub-committee on immigration.

The foreign consuls at Shanghai have been notified that the Chinese Government is preparing to blockade the Yang-tze-Kiang river at any moment in case of need. Sir William Whitway and Robert Bond, leaders of the late Newfoundland Government, have been disqualified by the Legislature for corrupt practices in the election.

The Japanese troops in Corea have commenced a forward movement against the positions occupied by the Chinese troops in that country, and a battle is daily expected. The wedding of the Czar and the Princess Alix of Hesse has been definitely fixed to take place in September. The queen is supervising the trousseau of the princess.

Paola Lega, who on June 16 attempted to assassinate Signor Crispi, was tried on Tuesday in Rome. He was found guilty, sentenced to twenty years' solitary confinement. A serious split has begun among the rebel leaders in Brazil, and the rifles found in the custom house at Buenos Ayres recently, concealed in plough cases, belonged to the revolution.

War has broken out again among the striking miners at Birmingham, Ala. On Tuesday the miners and two deputy sheriffs were killed, and a fourth badly wounded and a fourth badly hurt. It is generally believed in Shanghai that Japan does not desire a pacific settlement of the Korean dispute, for as soon as one difficulty is overcome, Japan immediately raises another.

Claude Alexander, of Ballock-Myle, Ayrshire, has succeeded in his action for divorce against his wife, Lady Diana, daughter of the late Earl of Eglinton. A mass meeting of fifteen hundred men was held at Ogden's grove, Chicago, on Friday night, at which Debs was nominated for President of the United States.

A fierce battle took place recently at Kassala, Egypt, between a force of natives and Italian soldiers. The Italian troops were victorious, and Kassala was captured. Abbas II, the Khedive of Egypt, is engaged to Ermine, the youngest daughter of Sultan Abdul Aziz, who was murdered in the fatal explosion of sixteen, and the Khedive twenty years of age.

All the representatives of foreign Governments in Hawaii have recognized the republic with the exception of the English Minister, who simply stated that he would inform his Government of the change. Michael Welch, thirty-five years of age, suffering solitary confinement in the Suffolk County, Mass., House of Correction, has fallen heir to seventy-five thousand dollars by the death of his father, Thomas Welch, of Quebec.

Emigration from Germany is rapidly falling off. The number of passengers for the United States during the month of June were less than last the same month during the same month in 1903. There are prospects of a greater falling off. English statistics show that the number of passengers for the United States during the month of June were less than last the same month during the same month in 1903.

The New York law books for the current year that the smallest lawyer in the city in Jerry Council, who pays a tax of one cent a year on his list.

The French Chamber of Deputies on Saturday adopted the second reading of the Anti-Anarchist bill, providing that Anarchist trials are to take place before a correctional tribunal composed of judges, instead of being tried by juries.

In the first day's racing of the Royal Cork Yacht Club in Queenstown harbor on Tuesday, the Vigilant defeated the Erin by a four-minute and thirty-two seconds, without deducting the latter's time allowance of one minute and ten seconds.

A former employe of the Serbian Consulate at Sofia, the name of Arman, has been arrested on the charge of having murdered Bulgarian Minister Ralcheff, about a year ago. The arrest was made near Tulcea. Arman confessed the crime.

As an evidence of Emperor William's desire not to wound the feelings of the people of France, the great parade of the Berlin army, which had been fixed for September 3, the eve of Sedan day, has been ordered to take place on August 18th.

The Prince of Wales' yacht Britannia was defeated by the American yacht Vigilant in a fifty-mile cruise of Kings-town, Dublin, on Friday, July 14, by three miles and thirty-nine seconds, not reckoning time allowances, which will reduce it by one minute and ten seconds.

A despatch from Chemulpo, Corea, says that the Korean Government, instigated by the Chinese residents, has issued a proclamation of reform already made to Japan. The guards at the Imperial palace at Seoul are reported to be assuming the most hostile attitude towards the Japanese troops at the capital.

The steamer Miranda, carrying the Cook expedition to Greenland, returned to St. John's, Nfld., on Tuesday morning, having encountered an iceberg during a fog in the Straits of Belle Isle, which stove in three plates on her starboard bow. It is expected the damage to the ship will be repaired in ten days, when another attempt will be made to carry out the objects of the expedition.

Advices received in London from Norway leave little doubt in the minds of experienced skippers that the Wellman Arctic expedition, fitted out by the Chicago Herald, under James W. Scott, publisher of the Herald, does not share this opinion. He thinks that owing to the absence of packed ice, the Ragnvald-Jarl has gone further north than was expected, and that the progress of the expedition cannot be received before next month.

CANADIAN ITEMS.

Montreal had a \$10,000 blaze yesterday. Three Forks and Watson, two British Columbia settlements have been destroyed by forest fires.

J. H. Booth, of Ottawa, was sand-bagged yesterday morning in his store, and \$1,600 taken from his pocket. Near Pembroke a boy was killed and two other children were badly injured by a fall from a precipice.

The English bondholders of the Manitoba and North-western railway have no power to foreclose the mortgage. Toronto Liberals have protested Dr. Ryerson's election as a member of the Legislative Assembly, alleging bribery and corruption.

It is pretty well understood in Montreal that Robert S. White, editor of the Gazette and M.P. for Cardwell, will be appointed collector of customs at that port within a week.—Empire. Jas. A. J. Gonin, postmaster, was knocked down in Ottawa on Sunday evening by a horse-drawn wagon, who robbed him of his gold watch and chain, valued at two hundred dollars.

A labourer named James Bertram, who has been out of work for several months, committed suicide on Monday in Hamilton, Ont., by stabbing himself with a dagger made from an old file. Collingwood Schriber, Deputy Minister of Railways and Canals, denies the report that the masonry in front of the Canadian canal at Sault Ste. Marie is defective. The canal will be opened next month.

R. W. Bro. W. R. White, of Pembroke, was last week elected grand master of the Masonic Grand Lodge of Ontario, and R. W. Bro. W. Gibson, M. P., of Beamsville, deputy grand master. The next meeting will be held at Toronto. There was a disastrous fire on Arcade and Emile streets, Montreal, on Tuesday evening, by which twenty-eight families were rendered homeless, and one man was seriously burned about the face. The total damage to the buildings is estimated at fifty thousand dollars, and to the tenants at thirty-five thousand dollars.

The Montreal Knights of Labour have passed a resolution instructing their delegates to the District Assembly and Trades and Labor Council to use their influence to bring about united action to secure the defeat of the representatives of the district of Montreal, who are all with those who are termed "opprobriations," in connection with the Curran bridge scandal.

William Kelly, the man who drove his bus through Toronto's Sunday laws, has been fined \$25 and the shocked morality of the Queen City is at least appeased. The boss of the morally bankrupt department—a necessary official in such a wicked place—look Kelly's bus in charge on Sunday while he was on the way to church with his family, and a \$10,000 suit for damages is threatened against him for not knowing anything about the inwardness of Toronto's bus business recalls the illustration as to great straining and camel swallowing.

Prohibition did not make very substantial progress during the session of Parliament now ended. The great objection to the bill was the introduction of a prohibitory resolution into Parliament. A deputation went to Ottawa to solicit the views of the Government, but they were expressed in such a way as to be difficult of interpretation. Then after a consultation with a committee of members a resolution was framed and introduced into the House. It is declared that "it is expected that as speedily as possible this bill will be introduced into the House to prohibit the importation, manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors in Canada, except for medicinal, manufacturing and sacramental purposes." Several resolutions were not for immediate consideration, but they were passed as possible, but the motion was not voted upon. On May 7th the House was adjourned, and took the place at the House of Commons on Monday.

At many of the public bills and resolutions that were brought before the committee, that were heard during the session, the resolution was embodied in the session report, and it is not so rare as it is supposed to be.

Notice.

The Young Ladies' Guild of Grace Church are prepared to take orders for Children's Clothing and all sorts of Plain Sewing. Orders may be left with Miss Hannant, Miss Stewart or Miss Sam Dixon.

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NOTICE

COURT OF APPEAL TOWN OF MILTON.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Court will be held in the Town of Milton, at the Court House, on Friday, July 27, 1894, at 10 o'clock A.M.

To hear and determine the several complaints against the decisions of the Court of Revision of the Municipality of the Town of Milton for 1893. All persons having business at the said Court are hereby requested to attend at the said time and place.

ROBERT COATES, Town Clerk.

Notice to Creditors

IN THE PROPERTY OF John Donaldson, deceased.

PURSUANT to the statute in that behalf notified, I hereby give notice that the creditors and others having claims against the estate of John Donaldson, late of the Township of Nassagaweya, in the County of Halton, labourer, deceased, who died on or about the nineteenth day of December, 1893, are required on or about the 22nd day of August, 1894, to send by post, prepaid, or deliver to John Wilson Elliott, Esq., of the Town of Milton, solicitor for Robert Hagen, the executor of the last will and testament of the said deceased, their claims and arrears, and to attach to the same a statement of their claims, fully verified, and of the nature of the security (if any) held by them, and that the said executor will on and after the 22nd day of August, 1894, proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he has then notice, and that the said executor will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person whose claim he has not notice at the time of such distribution.

J. V. ELLIOTT, Esq., Solicitor for Robert Hagen, Executor.

AUCTION SALE

Valuable Village Property.

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain indenture of mortgage, which will be produced at the public auction, there will be offered for sale by Public Auction at SULLIVAN'S HOTEL

VILLAGE OF CAMPBELLVILLE, ON Saturday, August 4th, 1894, at 5.40 O'CLOCK P. M.

The following village property, viz: Situate and being in the Village of Campbellville, County of Halton, and containing three-fifths of an acre, more or less, and described as follows:—Being part of the western half of Lot 6, in the 4th Concession, Township of Nassagaweya, and bounded and bounded as follows: Commencing at a point on the southern limit of the road running through said western half of Lot 6, at a distance of 108 feet from where the same intersects the westerly limit of the allowance for road known as the Gravel Road, between the 3rd and 4th Concessions in said Township of Nassagaweya, thence easterly along the said westerly limit of the road to McCann's Mills 27 feet, more or less, to the westerly limit of lands heretofore conveyed to Francis Hunter, Isaac Smith and Alexander McPhee, in trust for the Independent Order of Good Templars No. 504, thence southerly-easterly along the said westerly limit of said lands and parallel with the said Gravel Road 130 feet to a post, thence south-westerly and parallel with the said road to the McCann's Mills 27 feet to a post, thence north-westerly 120 feet, more or less, to the place beginning.

There is said to be on the property a good frame house about 25 feet by 30 feet, with frame kitchen in rear. The sale will be made subject to a reserve bid. TERMS OF SALE.—Ten per cent. of the purchase money to be paid on day of sale and the balance within 15 days thereafter.

For further particulars apply to EPHRAIM CHAPMAN, Auctioneer, Campbellville, or MEARNS, McLEAN & SINGLAIER, 120 Yonge St., Toronto.

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