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What is Happening Along the Water Front.

Craig's wharf: Steamer Ocean, from Montreal.

At Garden Island: Steamer Tecumseh, from Toledo with timber.

Booth's wharf: Schooner "Trade-wind" from Charlottetown, with coal.

Richardson's elevator: Sloop "Monitor" cleared with wheat for Gannock.

The steamer "Toronto" arrives here next Wednesday on her first trip of the season.

The sloop "Peruvian," from Deseronto, is unloading millwood at Bathman's Grove Inn wharf.

M.T. company elevator: SS. Rosemount and consorts cleared for Fort William, by Bronson cleared for Montreal with three laden barges.

The new steamer "Montreal" was delayed at Beauharnois all yesterday, on account of bad weather, but was to continue her trip to the metropolis this morning.

A Presentation.

Last evening the staff of Wood's Fair assembled at the residence of D. Shaw, local manager, Queen street, and after enjoying themselves, Mr. Shaw, on behalf of the staff, made an address to Sergt. Sleeth, of the 14th P.W.O. rifles, and Miss O'Rielly presented him with a beautiful gold pocket watch with initials engraved on one side and "O'Rielly's" links on the other. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Shaw. Sergt. Sleeth is very popular with the employees and the gift was on account of his leaving on Friday with the coronation contingent.

The Tories Backed Down.

After the tory meeting last night a number of the leaders adjourned to an hotel. There they met a number of Reformers, and an argument led to bets being made. The bets bluffed their opponents out of business altogether. Bets of \$10 to \$5 and \$10 to \$1 were offered on Mr. Pease having 200 majority. Two or three such bets were covered, and then the tories backed down, and refused to bet another cent.

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His Advantages.



"The Infin Barber Man," said Uncle Jerry, "has great advantages over the rest of us. In the street car for instance, he can scrooch down to half-fare size when the conductor is collecting the money."



"And can then stretch out so as to connect with the strap on the way home."

ROBBING A ROYAL PALACE.

How Theft From King George Was Detected.

The burglary at King George's palace at Tatoi, twenty miles from Athens, by five of the gendarmes on guard there, was discovered in a curious manner.

The gendarmes arranged with one another on Wednesday evening to force open the king's study and carry off a quantity of valuable ornaments. This was successfully done.

The plunder was divided into five parts, and yesterday one of the gendarmes went to sell his part, offering for sale at a silversmith's a silver jug, silver inkstand, paper-weights, etc., which he produced wrapped up in a table-cover marked with the royal cypher.

The silversmith, suspecting that the valuables had been dishonestly acquired, requested the gendarme to call again in the afternoon, and he would give him a definite answer. The unsuspecting robber did so, and was handed over to a policeman, who at once identified the articles as belonging to the king.

Then for the first time the burglary became known. The gendarme gave the names of his comrades, and all were arrested to-day with their booty.

A Javanese Fruit.

"The most delicious of all fruits of Java," writes a correspondent of the Pittsburg Dispatch, "is the mangosteen. For years an enormous reward has awaited the man who would bring a basket to the queen of Holland, but unfortunately the fruit is too perishable and to taste it you must go to the country where it grows. Encased in a hard purple shell, lined with an exquisite pink gauze, are a number of snow white sections something like those of an orange, only each one growing smaller as they round the core. Each section contains one seed encased in a substance like the pulp of the grape. To describe the flavor would be impossible, but if you can imagine a perfect blending of the flavor of the grape, orange, pineapple, and banana, you may have a notion of the delicious flavor of the mangosteen."

The Old Familiar Charge.

Edmund Burke, an ancient mariner on the sea of booze, was a familiar figure in the police court this morning. The usual charge was read against him. As he leaned over the rail, with his crutches held high in one hand for good effect, he acknowledged the soft impeachment, and asked to be given an opportunity to leave town. As he had only twenty cents to pay the way, the magistrate remanded him until to-morrow.

Gives Canadians Preference.

A. H. Clergue, Saul Ste. Marie, has written to John Maitre, Consul, denying the tory charge that he had discharged Canadians to fill their places with foreigners. The Canadians, he says, have always been given the preference, from the beginning to the present moment.

The Ping-Pong Scare!

The latest craze in neckties in New York and Chicago for ladies or gentlemen, 50c., at Jenkins.

WHIG'S FASHION LETTER THE LATEST IDEAS FRESH FROM NEW YORK.

Creations That Will Delight the Ladies—Something New and Chic For Summer Wear.

New York, May 29.—Although the season is now well advanced, fashion's variety seems not to have been perceptibly diminished, and there are many things in the line of gowns and their details that are yet new.

This fabric has ever an active province, improvement and, the variety that has been added to batistes and muslins within the last few weeks is really marvellous. The most recent innovation in batiste shows a lace effect, with figures largely in connection with the floral and floral pattern de soie, taffeta and other silks, for vests, revers, berthas, collarettes and other portions of the bodice and sleeves.

In silk muslins there is a new shade of soft ceru, with embroidered dots of all colors scattered over the surface. A gown of this sort is specially attractive over cream or white silk and has a style that is unequalled by any of the brighter colors.

But for simplicity, nothing is so complete as a pure white silk muslin gown laid in transverse tucks and made without a touch of other trimming. The skirt has an inch wide, stitched in slanting effect and arranged to meet evenly at the front. Below the knees there are two graduated flounces of the same material, and gathered through the centre, to simulate the effect of ruffling.

The bodice is laid in narrow tucks, which run round the figure. While not specially becoming to the woman of full figure, this design is more charming for women who are tall and slender.

The neck is daintily finished with a stock of silk muslin, which fastens at the back under a rosette of the same material.

Though expensive when one has to pay to have it done, no trimming is a more general favorite in Gotham than fagoting for gowns and dainty accessories. The seam color is made and talent to do her own sewing, however, will find it inexpensive and very effective. It is similar to the catch-stitch which our grandmothers knew so well, and which is easily accomplished, when one catches the idea. The popularity of fagoting can easily be traced to the prevailing craze for hand work upon gowns.

Narrow bands of taffeta joined by fagoting make attractive collar bands, and many of the most elegant separate skirts of the season are also trimmed in this way. With these skirts handsome bodices made entirely of bands of silk or canvas joined by fagoting, garnished at the waist and neck with a band of crushed panne, or one of silk embroidered in French knots.

A pretty lad of the year has been the bringing out of new colors almost simultaneously with the fruits they imitate. Just when the delicious red strawberry appeared in the markets, there was shown among the new soft silks the lightest shades of scarlet known as pastel fraise. Now, though it is not new, the cherry of the millinery shop boldly rivals the fruit of the garden, and only a connoisseur is able to point out the deception, for there are some who roundly wear cherries as ornaments for the hair, entwined in leaves of green enamel. An expensive fad, but new, and that is the main thing during the monotonous days of summer.

Then there is the cherry trimmed dress. A notable design is of green lawn embellished with cherry colored ribbon, Irish gipsure and a touch of black here and there to give the necessary air of chic to the ensemble. The skirt is plaited and the plaits are held down till near the hem by appliques of lace.

The bodice is covered with the Irish gipsure, which is cut in a shaped tail-piece at the back. At the front there is a vest of the lace over a plaited foundation of lawn and opening over this vest are revers of silk appliqued with medallions of lace set upon small figures of cherry-colored ribbon. A griddle of the same ribbon, narrow at the front and widening for several inches, at the back, encircles the waist.

It is noticeable the furors with which the wearing of pearls is being revived. The jewels are fashionable in every setting, in pins, chains, earrings, and finger rings, while almost as many are noticed in brooches, the clasps of chateleaines and bracelets. They are seen, too, outlining the monogram on some of the handsomest parasols. The finest come from India and surpass all others in lustre. But creamy white pearls are not the only ones which are fashionable, for there are some very pretty ones of pink, bronze and black, placed in effective settings. There are imitations, of course, and very clever ones, and the woman who cannot afford the genuine article does not hesitate to affect the counterfeit. Except to the experienced eye, the observer is seldom any the wiser.

The nearest to the "real thing," as it is expressed in common parlance, are pompadour pearls. These are made from the skins of slightly imperfect pearls, deftly fitted over a tiny piece of mother-of-pearl. They are seldom used in chains, but for earrings and finger rings they are much in favor.

The time for replacing the walking skirt of cloth by the linen design, marked by a new walking skirt which is an agreeable compromise between the demi-trained modes of last season and the abbreviated golf-shape of this. The latest skirt is made with a shaped bounce of linen or crash, or duck, as the fabric may be, and this is trimmed with bands stitched on in fanciful design, or with simply several rows of stitching.

These skirts are particularly smart for morning wear, and are serviceable. The same is true of the basket lines. The latter are new and no doubt will prove great favorites. They are firmly woven in texture, without being thick or heavy, and being cool, are just what one needs for warm weather.

Summer fashions for children are particularly pretty. Everything seems designed with a thought for comfort as well as style, which makes it better for both parent and child. Many of the materials are washable and will last throughout the season with even constant washing. Brown Holland comes under this head, and trimmings with insertions and edging of embroidered muslin, makes an attractive design. All of the silks used in the development of frocks for small girls, and some larger ones, are of the wash variety, and in many instances the trimming is confined to ruffles of the same material, or substituted by a lace which will not perish if given the water cure.

The hat of soft straw, with wide drooping brim, is almost invariable for the small girl. This is trimmed, sometimes with a full wreath of white daisies, or with wild roses; again it is decorated simply with a huge bow of black velvet ribbon fastened at the back and finished with long streamers reaching to the hem of the skirt.

Little girls of very tender years have their frocks made very long waisted, the skirt being hardly more than a ruffle. This may consist of fine embroidery, or if the upper part is in silk, the skirt is of deep Valenciennes lace placed over a frill of the silk.

As was the case last year, the fashionable idea in children's hosiery is the white stockings and this is to be accompanied this season by white shoes.

INCIDENTS OF THE DAY.

Newspapers Picked Up By Reporters On Their Rounds.

The British Columbia government has contributed \$5,000 to the Fernie relief fund.

City engineer Kirkpatrick is a witness in the Gibson vs. city of Brantford case at the Hamilton assizes.

The Toronto Globe says there is no reason why the government should not have a greater majority than when the last assembly was dissolved.

Mrs. Bridget McHenry, London, Ont., died on Wednesday at the great age of 100 years. She retained nearly all her faculties until death.

Charles Mann, Toronto, was drowned in the Humber through the upsetting of a canoe in which he and two companions were coming down the river.

William Carey, born in Belleville twenty-one years ago, died in Buffalo on Wednesday of appendicitis. He attended college in Kingston not long ago.

Dalhousie college, Halifax, N.S., will establish a school of mining in connection with the college.

In the recent arts school examinations held here, candidates were successful in thirteen primary, five advanced, two mechanical and three special subjects.

Olen Cummings, Wellsville, N.Y., a son-in-law of James Bissell, Brockville, died on Wednesday, aged forty-five years. For three years he was the agent of the Wall street Methodist church, Brockville.

Daniel McCaw, of D. McCaw & Son, Welland, Ont., and perhaps the oldest resident of the Niagara district, is dead at the age of ninety-two years. Mr. McCaw was in business for over fifty years.

Fred. Bryan, a lacrosse player and athlete, formerly of Winnipeg, charged with manslaughter for the alleged killing of Harry Morgan in a saloon room at St. Paul, has been declared "not guilty" by the jury.

Mr. Philpotts, manager of the bank of British North America, and Mrs. Philpotts have taken Col. Drury's daughter in law as a partner.

Miss Moylan, will spend the summer with them.

Work in the Fernie, B.C., mines which were the scene of Thursday's disaster is progressing favorably but, black here and there, few bodies have been recovered owing to the fact that the rescue party is doing permanent ventilation work and clearing rock as it advanced.

Julius Seymour, of Newfoundland, in Halifax, N.S., of his wife, home from Ontario, says the statement that his holiday was curtailed on account of his confederation speeches in Toronto, is not correct. He asked for a short extension, but his request was refused.

On Saturday the funny News said: "W. T. R. Preston wrote to Donald Macnish, West Elgin, to hug the machine." The Whig, on Tuesday, carried the item and put in the words "did not write," on Wednesday the News ate its own words, saying: "He did not write to Macnish, but he wired him to 'hug the machine.'"

The idea of an Imperial Zollverein is widely discussed in the London press and there is support for it among union journals. In view of the approaching conference of the colonial premiers sentences like this appear in official papers: "As a nation we are free traders, but as a power we are, and must be, imperialists if we would exist and maintain our present position."

JUDGMENT GIVEN.

And Rice Is To Be Sentenced To Death.

Toronto, May 29.—The court of appeal this morning gave judgment in the long pending appeal of Fred J. L. Rice against his conviction for the murder of constable William Boyd, in Toronto on June 4th, 1901. The court held that the conviction was a proper one and that the verdict of the jury must be given effect to. Rice will be sentenced to death on Monday. Another appeal will be taken.

Rice has relatives who will do every thing possible to delay the carrying out of the sentence.

ARREST DANGEROUS WOMAN.

Has Internal Machine Concealed In Handkerchief.

London, May 29.—A despatch to the Central News, from St. Petersburg, dated Tuesday, May 27th, says: "Secret service officers arrested a summer resident of the czar, yesterday. She was carrying an internal machine concealed in a handkerchief. The identity of the woman has not yet been established."

Pearl Fedoras.

The swell American shapes in the best qualities bound or raw edge, \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50. Jenkins.

TWO PATHETIC DEATHS. HUSBAND AND WIFE BOTH DIE AT SEA.

Were Going to Dublin to Claim a Fortune—Morgan to Defray Full Cost of Lighting St. Paul's Cathedral by Electricity.

London, May 29.—Thanks to Pierpont Morgan's magnificent gift of £10,000, St. Paul's cathedral is now partially illuminated by electricity. The work has occupied three years, and Mr. Morgan yesterday promised to defray the cost of the completion of the installation with his already accounted for sixteen miles of cable containing more than two and a half tons of copper. The electricians expect to finish the contract in another twelve months.

The list of Canadian visitors to London for the coronation now includes Cecil Lusty, of Chatham, Ont., and Hon. Trelle Berthum. The latter is staying at the Westminster Abbey hotel.

On the arrival of the American liner Rhyndal at Queenstown, last night, a very pathetic story was related. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bellow, passengers by the ship, were travelling from Philadelphia to Dublin to take possession of a fortune they had inherited. Thus husband died of syncope, and was buried at sea, and four days later his widow also fell a victim to heart affection and her body was committed to the deep. They left their only child, a boy of five years of age, in charge of the captain, who will hand him over to the Liverpool agents of the company in the meantime.

TUGS AT HIS PIGTAIL.

Chinese Minister Is The Victim Of A Prank.

Milledgeville, Ga., May 29.—Minister Wu Ting-fang visited the state insane asylum yesterday when an inmate suddenly became seized with a mania and caught the minister by the queue hanging down his back. It was jerked and pulled with great force, causing excruciating agony.

The minister struggled wildly, and when he was freed from the crazy man's grasp fled from the building, got into his carriage, demanding that he be driven back to the city at once. He was overtaken by friends and his nerves were quieted.

BATTLE IN SOUTH AFRICA.

Commandant Malon Was Mortally Wounded.

Milledgeville, Transvaal, May 29.—Maj. Collet, with a detachment of mounted troops of this district, encountered a force of Boers on the Repon Road, May 27th. The engagement which followed lasted for a long time. The enemy finally drew off, however, leaving behind them on the field commandant Malon, who was mortally wounded.

An armed train engaged the same party of Boers the evening of May 27th, but no details of the latter engagement are at hand.

Lured To Death By Fatuous Hope.

Fort-de-France, Martinique, May 29.—It is now known that the lives of all in St. Pierre would have been saved had it not been for the action of governor Moutier. He has been given official warning of the coming cataclysm. The warning reached him several days before the disaster of May 8th. He chose to disregard it, and even went so far as to order that the warning should be kept from the public. The warning was given by Professor Landes and the despatch to the Martinique executive is still in existence.

Local Train Going East.

It is understood that the Grand Trunk railway company, according to the request of the Kingston board of trade, will put on a local train between Belleville and Brockville after June 15th, when the summer time table goes into effect. This train will leave Belleville at 7 a.m., and reach Brockville 10 a.m. Returning, it will leave Brockville at 5 p.m. and get to Belleville at 8 p.m. This service will meet with great favor.

Academy Gets \$400,000 Bequest.

Fitchburg, Mass., May 29.—By the terms of the will of Jacob H. Fairbanks, the City of Fitchburg will receive a legacy estimated at from \$200,000 to \$400,000, while the town of Ashburnham is to receive \$100,000 for the erection of a memorial tower. Both Mr. Fairbanks' bequest, but as a power we are, and must be, imperialists if we would exist and maintain our present position."

May Nominate Keane.

London, May 29.—Cabling from Rome, the correspondent of the Daily Mail says that at the consistory to be held June 9th, the pope will nominate archbishop Keene of Dubuque, Iowa, to succeed the late archbishop Corrigan, of New York.

Cleaned Up The Streets.

City scavenger Attwood yesterday completed the big task of cleaning up Princess and King streets, after the holidays. He did so well, and for the clean appearance of the city streets the thanks of the people should be tendered him. He found everything in the street but money.

English Hats.

Are always reliable values, none but the best used, excellent styles, \$1, \$1.50, \$2. Jenkins.

Weather was clear and pleasant throughout Ontario to-day. Both parties, say the telegraph despatches, are working hard in Ottawa, Hamilton, London and Brantford, Ont.

The streets department should attend to the removal of a "leaf cut," which lies in Johnston street, between Barrie and Division streets. Citizens are complaining of it.

There was a false alarm of fire sounded from box 18 last night. Some tory evidently wanted to throw discredit upon the grigs who are not in that kind of business.

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