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LAST EDITION

CABINET POSITIONS

The Parliamentary Secretaries Are Now Named by Premier.

The Earl of Crewe is to Become the Liberal Leader in the House of Lords--Status and Emoluments to Be Advanced.



EARL OF CREWE.

London, April 14.—Premier Asquith has completed the re-organization of the ministry. The additional appointments follow: C. F. H. Hobhouse, at present parliamentary secretary of the India office, becomes financial secretary of the treasury; T. J. McNamara, now parliamentary secretary of the local government board becomes parliamentary secretary of the admiralty; C. F. G. Masterman, liberal member of parliament of Westham, becomes parliamentary secretary of the local government board, and Thomas McKinnon Wood, liberal member of parliament for Glasgow, becomes parliamentary secretary of the board of trade.

An announcement of the raising of the status and emoluments of the board of trade and the local government board is expected shortly. Messrs. Churchill and Burns, thereby, will become secretaries of state instead of presidents of the boards and their salaries which are now £2,000, will be at least doubled. The change was foreshadowed some time ago. The Earl of Crewe, secretary for the colonies, has been appointed government leader in the house of lords in place of the Marquis of Ripon who, however, retains his office of Lord Privy Seal.

The state department at Washington has made representations to Great Britain through Ambassador Reilly with regard to the seizure of two American fishing vessels off Newfoundland. The complaint has been forwarded to Sir Robert Bland, Premier of Newfoundland, but he has not replied to it as yet.

GREAT FLOODS IN CHINA.

Two Thousand Persons Perished at Hankow.

Shanghai, April 14.—Disastrous floods are reported to have occurred at Hankow, in the province of Hu Pei, and it is stated that two thousand persons have been drowned. Seven hundred junks were sunk or wrecked. The floods are due to an unexpected freshet, which caught the people unexpectantly in the middle of the night.

Young Irish Lords.

Cambridge, Mass., April 14.—Two young Irish lords are to come to Harvard for a course of studies. Later they will study at Oxford. They are Lord Bective and Lord William Teylour. They are at present studying under tutor. The young men are sons of the Marquis and Marchioness of Headfort.

Fresh Box Chocolates.

Louise's or Ganong's half-lb., 25c. one-lb., 50c. Edwards & Jenkin, 274 Princess street.

DAILY MEMORANDA.

A Nobby New Easter Hat For every man at Campbell Bros' Fashion Play, Grand Opera House, 815 P. M. 14th Regiment "At Home," Ontario Hall, 8 P. M. Auction Sale, at residence of late Adam Williamson, 115 Gore St., 10 a. m., tomorrow.

"This very important That all men should know The best hats are sold By George, Mills & Co."

Bijou Theatre—Brilliant Vandeville, in Colors. "Minstrel From Mars" Romances. "Love Scenes in Copka's Realm." John Robert Davis Sings "When It's Moonlight On The Prairie."

WHIG TELEPHONES.

243—Business Office. 229—Editorial Rooms. 202—Lobbying Department. Local Forms, all kinds, at Whig. The Daily Whig is always on sale at Gibsons Drug Store, Market Square—Open till late each evening.

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BALD 30 YEARS, GETS HAIR.

Grows Dark Thatch After Long Baldness.

Columbus, N.J., April 14.—Henry Gilbert, seventy-eight years old, is a puzzle to his neighbors and to local physicians. After remaining bald for thirty years, Gilbert has blossomed out, this spring, with a new crop of hair that covers his entire cranium. A peculiar thing about Gilbert's baldness was its perfection, not a single blade of hair having appeared to shelter his pate in the last three decades. Gilbert lost his hair after a fever. What has caused it suddenly to return he is at a great loss to explain, as are the doctors.

Gilbert says he used hair tonic for years, until he had spent a small fortune in a useless search for a cure. He does not believe the hair tonic had the right effect after a lapse of ten years, and he is equally certain that he is not going into his second childhood.

The new hair has just a trace of gray mixed with dark locks, and Gilbert looks a quarter of a century younger than he did a year ago.

MUST OBEY TREATIES.

This is the Position Britain Will Take.

Liverpool, April 14.—If by June next Belgium has not annexed the Congo Independent State, on equitable terms, the British government is determined, with the co-operation of the American government, to take measures which will compel the Congo government to observe its treaty rights which have been openly and persistently violated. This announcement was made, yesterday afternoon, by E. D. Morel, secretary of the Congo Reform Association, at a meeting of that body. Mr. Morel has been in close touch with the British government and her recent conferences on this subject.

Exempt Big Fellows.

Halifax, N.S., April 14.—Negotiations are in progress at Ottawa to permit Norwegian steamers of over 2,000 tons carrying capacity to engage in coasting trade. Representatives of large Cape Breton industries which employ many of these steamers are asking that the government prohibit small Norwegian vessels from coasting in Canadian waters, leaving this class of trade to schooners and small Canadian steamers, but they ask that big steamers of four, five, six, and seven thousand tons capacity be given coasting privileges.

Good Friday Recital.

The Vocal Students' Club will give Gounod's "Redemption," in Chalmers church, Friday, April 17th at 3:30 o'clock, admission, fifteen cents.

MR. MACKAY'S TOUR.

Election June 4th or May 28th—New Ontario Meetings.

Toronto, April 14.—G. Mackay states that the provincial election may be held on June 15, if not May 28th. He has arranged a tentative programme for his New Ontario tour and is making all preparations for an early contest.

In the meantime Mr. Mackay will speak at the following afternoon conventions: Wednesday, West Peterboro; Saturday, West Wellington; at Fergus; Monday, South Oxford at Norwich; Tuesday, South Grey and Durham.

CREATED INTEREST.

Did Not Desire to Go For Judicial Career.



EDWARD T. SANFORD.

When President Roosevelt recently offered to confer the Tennessee federal judgeship upon Edward T. Sanford and the latter declined great interest was aroused, not so much because of the declination as by reason of Mr. Sanford's explanation that he did not desire to embark on a judicial career. Mr. Sanford is now the assistant attorney-general of the United States, in which position he has made a creditable record, and his recent announcement has caused much speculation as to his ambitions for the future. Mr. Sanford is a native of Tennessee and is forty-three years of age. He is a graduate of Harvard law school and held high positions in the Tennessee Bar Association. He is now the service of the federal government. Mr. Sanford has also attained no little fame through his writings upon legal and educational subjects.

GIFT TO HALIFAX.

Halifax, N.S., April 14.—Sir Sanford Fleming has presented his property on the north-west arm to the city for a public park. It is one of the most valuable properties on the arm, and of late years has been used as a picnic grounds.

CHURCH PLATE AND GEMS.

Hoard of Pirates Unearthed in Village.

Libson, April 14.—Treasure trove secreted by Portuguese buccaniers in bygone days has been revealed near the seaside village of Paradelha in a remarkable manner.

The village is being slowly washed away by the action of the sea and buildings have been undermined from time to time.

A storm of more than usual severity swept the coast on Thursday, and a portion of the foreshore at Paradelha was washed away.

According to the Secolo, treasure of various kinds was thus exposed to the astonished fishermen, who first believed that it had been sent to them miraculously.

There were many ancient gold and silver doubloons, jeweled crosses, finger rings of quaint antique pattern, earrings, gold and silver medallions, portions of silver censers, and other fragments of church plate.

All the people in the region hurried to the spot, armed with picks and spades, and have since been digging feverishly for treasure. Some of them were rewarded with further discoveries. One man secured gold coins valued at \$900. All the male inhabitants have deserted their work, and none of the fishermen has left port since the first discovery was made.

The Portuguese buccaniers who harried the Spanish Main were in the habit of burying their booty along the coast, and the treasure unearthed at Paradelha undoubtedly form a portion of one of their hoards.

Pineapples, Edwards & Jenkin.

HOW HE WILL WORK

New Punishment For a Bigamist.

Instead of Going to Prison He Will Support the Children of His Illegal Marriage.

New York, April 14.—Although convicted of bigamy, Michael Brierley, a business man of Decatur, Ill., will not have to serve a prison sentence if he carries out an agreement entered into with Judge Foster, in the court of general sessions.

The agreement was made in spite of protests by Brierley's first wife, who through her counsel declared that any such plan was illegal and would be putting a premium on bigamy. By the terms of the agreement Brierley will be obliged to contribute to the support of three children by his first marriage and one by the second marriage. He furnished bonds to secure the carrying out of the agreement on his part.

In suspending sentence Judge Foster said: "I do this as the most practical, quickest and most common sense method of assuring the maintenance for these children. This plan has caused a great deal of comment, as undesired as it was unexpected. But the district attorney and I are of one accord in the matter. You will be paroled in the custody of the maintenance association and can be sent for and will be sent for by the court any time within five years by this court and punished if you do not conduct yourself as a man."

EVIDENCE NOT READY

To As Yet Justify Proceedings Against the U.S. Paper Trust.

Washington, April 14.—The attorney-general has sent to Speaker Cannon a letter in reply to the house resolution asking that steps be investigated by the government to investigate the alleged combination of wood pulp or print paper manufacturers. The attorney-general says an investigation is in progress, but no evidence has been obtained, as yet, to justify legal proceedings. He adds that when the investigation and the report thereon are completed he will submit the latter without delay, if he can do so, without affecting the interests of justice, but that if the investigation should lead to civil or criminal proceedings it may continue expedient, temporarily, to withhold from the public the evidence and information.

THE LEGISLATURE OVER.

The Lieutenant-Governor Protruded It To-Day.

Toronto, April 14.—The Ontario legislature was prorogued to-day. The lieutenant-governor, in his speech, expressed the hope that the beneficial legislation will insure to the moral, educational, and the material advancement of the people in every walk of life. He was glad a plan has been found for utilizing the labor of criminals in such a way as to ensure that it will no longer enter into competition with free labor. He was impressed with the law reform proposals and the granting of a year before crystallizing these into law. He praised the redistribution of the constituencies, with a view to equalizing the representation in accordance with the population, should take place after the next decennial census.

He was glad to find that provision has been made for commencing the work of reforestation in various parts of the older settled portions of the province, by means of government and municipal reserves, on what is now considered waste land.

TAFT HAS BIG LEAD.

45 Per Cent. of Delegates Are For Him.

New York, April 14.—Of the 484 delegates so far named for the republican national convention which will nominate presidential candidate, 218 are either instructed for Taft, committed to his support by resolutions of endorsement or preference, or have publicly announced before or after election their purpose to vote for him at Chicago, says the New York Tribune. Sixty-four are for Knox, forty-four for Hughes, forty-four for Cameron, thirty-two for Fairbanks, twenty-five for La Follette and fifty-seven are uncommitted. Contests in which presidential preferences are involved are being made for thirty-two of the 484 seats. Secretary Taft has the support of 45.5 per cent. of the delegates so far elected.

Mrs. Goldwick, of New York, is suing Jules Ferand, a dog fancier, for \$1,000 on the charge of selling her a fake Pomeranian. She alleges that the animal was dead.

Port Arthur, April 14.—Bailiffs Lyon and Ryan, of Central prison, are here gathering up prisoners sentenced to that institution, but they refuse to take the nineteen Doukhobors imprisoned here, saying they have no authority. In the meantime the local jail, built to accommodate thirty, is sheltering seventy-six.

Are Not Wanted.

Toronto, April 14.—Dr. Gilmour, of the Central prison, confirmed the Port Arthur despatch. "We don't want those Douks down here," he said. "We had one chap here a couple of years ago, and we had to pour milk down him to keep him alive. I suppose if he had died I would have been blamed."

Industry For Port Hope.

Port Hope, April 14.—A new factory that will employ seventy-five to one hundred hands, and pay in wages about \$25,000 a year, is seeking location here.

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How well you can satisfy them.

Probabilities

Toronto, Ont., April 14. Ottawa Valley and Upper St. Lawrence, (10 a. m.)—Fine, turning milder, Wednesday, strong south to south west winds, with some showers.

EASTER

GLOVE SPECIALS

The custom of gift giving at Easter has grown to such an extent that we made special efforts to obtain novelties likely to prove acceptable to both donor and recipient. Kid Gloves are always the favorites and of such we are offering a great assortment, from the best makers of the world.

Ladies' Kid Gloves

THE EMPRESS, mannish cut, P. K. sewn in Pearl and White, at \$5.00.
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JOHNSON'S Great Swede Kid Gloves, in Tans, Browns and Black, at \$1.50.
EDINBURGH London Town Made Gloves, for Men, Women and Children.
Dun's Men's Gloves, Tans, \$1 and \$1.25.
Dun's Men's Gloves, Grey Swede, \$1.50.
Dun's Men's Gloves, Washable, \$1.50.

Dent's Ladies' Gloves

In Tans and Browns, at 75c. and \$1.25.
Ladies' Washable Gloves, in Tans, Pearl, White, also Black, at \$1.25.
DENT'S CHILDREN'S GLOVES, in Tans and Browns, at 60c. and 75c.

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BORN.

LEWIS—At Picton, on April 5th, to Rev. and Mrs. J. G. Lewis, a son.
MARTEL—At Napane, on 5th April, to Mr. and Mrs. Ephraim Martel, a son.
GAYLORD—In Richmond, on April 5th, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gaylord, a son.

MARRIED.

THOMPSON—DOWEN—At Napane on April 8th, Fred Thompson Thompson, to Mrs. Nettie May Bowen, both of Napane.

DIED.

SWEET—At Morrisburg, on April 5th, William Sweet, aged fifty-six years.
BABCOCK—At Napane, on April 8th, John Babcock, son of Mr. and Mrs. Boston Babcock, aged thirteen years and three months.
BENNETT—At Napane Road, on April 1st, Tom Fennie Bennett, aged four years and two months, only son of Robert and Eleanor Bennett.
BENNETT—At Morrisburg, on April 1st, Mrs. Harriet Sophronia Bennett, widow of the late Simon Bennett, Toronto, on 1st April, aged fifty-three years.

McBROOM—In Kingston, on April 14th, 1908, Wilbert Francis, son of W. F. and Sarah McBroom, aged six months.
Funeral private, on Wednesday afternoon at 2 P. M., to Cataract Cemetery.

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