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THROWN OUT OF RIG.

Kingstonians in Accident at Collins Bay.

About nine o'clock Sunday evening, while a party of Kingston young men were driving over the G.T.R. crossing at Collins Bay, the horse made a sudden bolt, and they were thrown out. Frederick Wilson, employed at the locomotive works, received some severe cuts about the face, and Dr. Hanley, who was called, put in six stitches. He remained at Collins Bay over night, but was expected to reach home this evening. Arthur Welch, another member of the party, suffered some severe cuts. He was able to return Sunday night, with the other members of the party.

Yankees Didn't See It.

Peterboro Examiner.

If reciprocity means annexation—if it was heedlessly designed to that end by our Yankee neighbours, how is it that the United States senators should show such deadly hostility to it, and killed it, as far as it was in their power to do so?

J. H. Singleton, Smith's Falls, arrived in the city today to attend the executive committee of the Eastern Dairy-men's Association, and during his stay will be the guest of his son, J. F. Singleton, of the Dairy School.

Representations are to be made to the government by twelve hundred clerks in the third class of the civil service, with a view to improving their condition.

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BROCK STREET.

PROSPECTS ARE GOOD

FOR SUCCESSFUL SEASON WITH THE 14TH REGIMENT.

It Has Been Decided That Regiment Will Take a Trip This Year—New Issue of Uniforms in a Few Days.

There was a meeting of the officers of the 14th Regiment, on Saturday, and the reports are favorable for a most successful season of training for the regiment.

Announcement was made by the commanding officer, that the government had promised to add the room next to the ante-room to the officers' quarters, and to place an arch between the two rooms.

A committee, composed of Major Macnee, Capt. Dowsley and Lieut. d'Esperre, were appointed to arrange design of collar badge for the regiment.

A complete new issue of uniforms would be on hand, in the course of a few days. It is accordingly essential that the companies be filled up to strength without further delay.

It was decided that the regiment should take a trip this year. It was also decided that no man would be taken on the companies after May 1st.

Two applications for commissions were read, and these will be voted on at the next officers' meeting. The regiment has now ten officers over strength, this making the largest number of officers in its history.

Leave of absence has been granted to Lieut.-Col. Cunningham, who is leaving for Alberta, in a few days. He expects to be away until about the end of April. During his absence Major C. A. Low will command the regiment.

STILL ON THE FENCE.

Dr. Edwards Still Mum on Reciprocity Question.

Dr. Edwards, M.P., was in the city on Monday morning, on his way back to Ottawa, after spending the week-end at his home.

A Whig man ran across him on the street. The man was of the opinion that it would be a good opportunity to get the opinion of the county's member on reciprocity, so he put the question to Dr. Edwards. The latter smiled, but had no statement to make. He intimated, however, that he would speak on the question in the house, and stated that he was not the only member who had not given an opinion on the matter, that there were others who were holding back until they spoke in the house.

Most Significant Thing.

That unanimous Saskatchewan legislative resolution supporting the reciprocity agreement is perhaps the most significant thing yet as to the opinion of the west on this question, and it largely offsets the Sifton opposition, and, by the way, Mr. Haultain, the Saskatchewan opposition leader, who joined in this resolution is the man of all men in Canada whom the Laurier government has treated worst, taking as they did the government away from him at the time of the creation of the two new provinces, and giving it to Walter Scott in a most arbitrary and unprecedented manner. And now Mr. Haultain, like the broad-minded man he is, heaps on their head, coils of fire.

Putting on the Screws.

Mantoba Free Press.

The party gag has been most effectually applied by Mr. Borden, however, and Western conservatives, whose private opinions are known to be favorable to the agreement, will submit to the party whip although it may be disastrous to their political ambitions. The liberal party—which recognizes the right of the individual to his own liberty in matters in which his private judgment does not accord with the views of his associates—will thus alone have the credit of affording an example of freedom of discussion and action.

Met With Accident.

Frederick Pollitt, Division street, met with a painful accident while at work in one of Knapp's best houses. He was about to step down off a beam when he knocked his knee against a post and as a result the member was dislocated. He will be confined to the house for a few days.

Still They Come.

Another shipment of hats were passed through customs on Saturday for George Mills & Co. They came from Tress, of London—one of the best-known hat concerns in England.

There are at the present time quite a number of scarlet fever cases in the city but all of them are of a very mild nature.

No Cut in Pay.

Detroit, March 20.—Officials, denial is given by President Livingstone, of the Lake Carriers' association to the report that a curtailment in the wages of lake seamen is contemplated this season on the boats allied with the association. Advances to all classes of marine employees were made last year, and these will be maintained.

Russian Cabinet Resigned.

St. Petersburg, March 20.—Premier Stolypin and his cabinet resigned this afternoon.

CATHOLIC, NOT NATIONALIST.

Statement in a Sermon by Bishop Fallon of London.

London, Ont., March 20.—"I am an Irish Catholic, not Irish nationalist," declared Bishop Fallon at St. Peter's cathedral, Sunday night. "I detest nationalism that makes a man a serf, but I love the man who will cleave to the faith through prosperity and adversity. The faith is the shield of Ireland's greatness. It is the richness of her poverty, it is the pride of her humility, the sweetness of her tears, the consolation of her sorrow, and the balm of her ever bleeding wounds."

TO WED KAISER'S DAUGHTER.

Archduke Franz Ferdinand Said to be Fortunate Man.

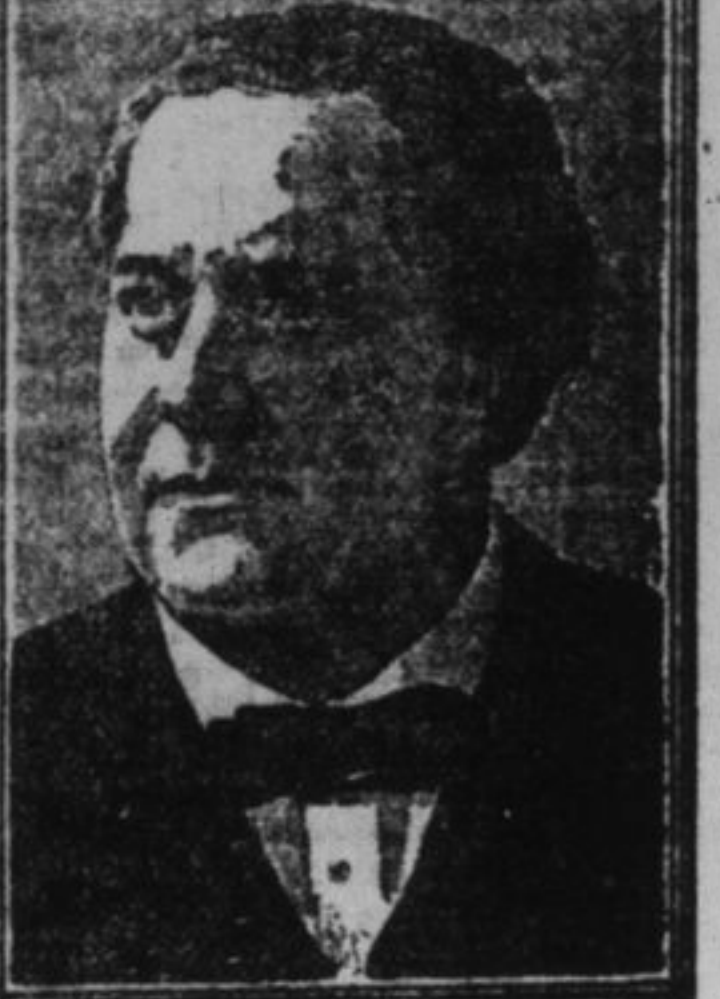
Vienna, March 20.—The Neue Presse says it is reported that the Archduke Franz Ferdinand is to marry the daughter of Kaiser Wilhelm of Germany. In discussing the rumor the paper states that there are numerous precedents for the marriage of a member of the house of Hapsburg to a Protestant.

TOM L. JOHNSON DYING.

Former Mayor Can Only Last a Few Days.

Cleveland, O., March 20.—No hope is given for the recovery of Tom L. Johnson. His family are gathered at his bedside and his death is expected hourly. Mr. Johnson cannot survive more than a few days. Many of his friends have already said their last good-byes.

"How are all the boys? Tell them to be of strong heart and to be game. I am game," was the message Mr. Johnson sent to his thousands of friends yesterday through a few close personal friends who were admitted to his bedside.



A LIVELY TIME.

Conservatives are Forcing an Issue in Ottawa.

Ottawa, March 20.—The prospects for a most exciting time in the commons have increased with the opening of a new week. It is quite evident that the conservatives are determined to force the government to appeal to the country on the reciprocity issue if possible. On the other hand the government is prepared to fight it out but supplies must be voted at once. It is thought that some kind of compromise may be effected on this basis, that the opposition consent to vote supplies for six weeks from the first of April which will give time to see how the congress will act. If the congress refuses the treaty then, of course, the tactics of both the Canadian parties may alter considerably.

Quebec Farmers Favor Reciprocity.

Ottawa, March 20.—At the close of a meeting at Rigaud, on Sunday, two thousand farmers adopted unanimously and amid great enthusiasm, a resolution favoring the government's policy on reciprocity, and urging the government to carry the same through parliament this session.

Mr. Brodeur, Dr. Belland, M.P., Mr. Boyer, member for Val-des-Ruisselles, Mr. Beaupre, M.P., and Senator Boyer spoke on the naval and reciprocity questions.

Escaped Lunatic Found.

Montreal, March 20.—Auguste Panetton, the lunatic, who escaped from the St. Benoit Joseph asylum immediately after the murder of one of the guardians last Tuesday, was brought back to the institution from L'Assomption. Detective Normandeau of the Canadian Detective Agency, after a long search, came across Panetton in the kitchen of a farm house on the road between Joliet and L'Assomption.

Electricity on Farms.

Welland, March 20.—A statement has been made in some papers that the first electricity on farms has just been installed, while some farms in this county have had electricity in their barns and houses and have been using it otherwise for two years. Stamford township has six miles of street and house lights in a stretch.

Proof of Blindness.

"You say he plays the violin?"
"Yes."
"Does he play it well?"
"He must do so, because he's on speaking terms with all his neighbors."
—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Negroes Coming In.

Winnipeg, Man., March 20.—With all immigration entry obstacles removed by the government, three hundred negroes from the south will arrive here, to-day, en route to a new negro colony near Emerson.

Scrutinized Notified.

Scrutinizers for and against the school law are asked to be on hand promptly at 9 o'clock to-morrow morning.

We once heard of a prominent citizen in a small town who actually didn't want to be postmaster. Any girl who is able to weep at will firmly believe that she was cut out for an emotional actress.

The average man is as fast with his sympathy as he is slow with his purse.

Take things as they come—but leave a little for the rest of us.

And many a man's popularity begins and ends with himself.

SQUANDERED LEGACY

OF A SOUND POLICY BY THE LIBERALS.

Hon. A. G. MacKay Declares That They Have Adopted Shifty Tactics—Proud of Liberals' Stand for Reciprocity.

Toronto, March 20.—An eloquent passage that went right home to the reason of his auditors, Hon. A. G. MacKay, in Brockton hall, before the West Toronto liberals, denounced the shifty tactics of the conservative party which, he said, had squandered the legacy of sound policy left by their greatest leader. "I am absolutely in favor of reciprocity with the United States if I can get it," Sir John Macdonald had declared without equivocation. "And now that reciprocity on a fair and common-sense basis is practicable," commented the leader of the opposition in the Ontario legislature, "they turn round and shout 'annexation.' The conservative party are leaving their great leader behind. They say, 'We revere your memory, your streets over your grave every year, but when it comes to honoring him in the best way possible, by keeping his faith with the country, when reciprocity with the United States is about to be carried through—as it will be—for the benefit of the country, they turn round and question the loyalty of the great party led by Sir Wilfrid Laurier, which is but putting into practice one of the ideals of Sir John Macdonald. For want of a better policy the conservatives have adopted one of absolute negation."

"Talk about loyalty!" said Mr. MacKay. "The best way to insure a man's loyalty is to better the conditions under which he has to live. Let him see that he is getting a square deal. The loyalty of no Canadian, liberal or conservative, is in doubt. We are all loyal, and intend to remain so. It is Canada's business to make her own trade relations, but that won't affect her loyalty. By prospering herself she will be helping the prosperity of the empire. If I ship a bullock across to the United States, I don't tie my loyalty to his horns, and ship it over with him."

"I want to tell Sir James Whitney that we put it all over him and his party last week, in the legislature. My firm belief is that, so far as party politics is concerned, his resolution was the best thing that could have happened for the opposition. I have been nine years in the house, and at present I am but one of nineteen, but I tell you I have never felt more proud of the liberal members than I did at the close of the reciprocity debate. No leader was ever backed by such a splendidly staunch, loyal-hearted following."

"We say give us a little freer trade and get better condition of living; give our farmers and manufacturers the benefit of two markets, instead of restricting them to one. Britain is abundantly able to compete with the United States for our produce, and we can supply the needs of both for years to come out of our surplus. Trade is business-bargaining between buyer and seller—and you can't establish it on sentiment. The British manufacturer, who is the keenest business man in the world, will not sell any cheaper to a Canadian because he is a Canadian; he will, and naturally, get the best price he can out of him."

"We are not playing a game here," declared Mr. MacKay. "If the liberal party are working for the great majority, as we sincerely believe, we ought not to be afraid to say so. If capital raises its haughty front and says we ought to consider its interests before those of the masses, then I say, for heaven's sake, let us make the capitalist understand which way we mean. I would rather see the good old liberal party go down in defeat than see it crawling to capital. The liberal standard is swung out clear of the corporations and trusts, and stands for the mass of the people. The fact that a few so-called liberals—manufacturers whose pockets are touched—have left the party they really belonged to, will be a good thing for the party, especially as we consider who has left and why."

Death of John Sharpe.

John Sharpe, of Brant Hill, who for some time past was yardman at the Imperial Hotel, died in the Hotel Dieu, Sunday evening, about 11.30 o'clock. He had been ill for a couple of weeks and last Monday intended to go home, but was taken suddenly ill, and had to be taken to the Hotel Dieu. He was about fifty-six years of age and leaves six children. His wife died some time ago.

Chasing Smugglers at Sea.

A chase after a smuggling craft, believed to be heavily laden with contraband Chinese and opium, is proceeding in Southern California waters. The United States revenue cutter Bear and Orient are patrolling the coast in expectation of encountering the vessel. Every available immigration officer in that part of the state has been detailed to watch some isolated point where the smugglers may try to land. The Bear, it is understood, sighted the smuggler between San Diego and San Pedro. The revenue cutter gave pursuit, but the smuggler craft made out to sea and was lost to sight in the darkness. The smuggler is said to be a very fast vessel and the men aboard her heavily armed.

After Dinner

To assist digestion, relieve distress after eating or drinking too heartily, to prevent constipation, take

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PITH OF THE NEWS.

The Very Latest Culled From All Over the World.

The legislature will end its session this week.

The C.P.R. is negotiating for an entrance to Stratford.

North Toronto electors voted in favor of a sewage plant.

F. Lottinville, Fort William, was killed by the fall of an anchor, caused by the breaking of a chain.

During the month of February the deaths in India from the plague reached the enormous total of 88,498.

Mr. Walter H. Laurie, Montreal, died of heart failure in the Montreal railway express on his way to Sydney, N.S.

Abdul Peled, the Arab, who shot and killed Prof. Decou, the archaeologist, at Telene, on March 11th, has been arrested.

Gaston Monrovin is wanted by the Winnipeg police for shooting N. Giovanni during a quarrel in a Winnipeg hotel. Giovanni is dead.

Justice Girouard, of the supreme court of Canada, is hardly likely to recover from the shock of the recent accident, when he was thrown from a sleigh.

Judge Barron will open an enquiry, to-morrow morning, at Montreal, into complaints of a number of Grand Trunk strikers who are still out of jobs.

Sir Edward Elgar, the London composer, to have sailed for New York on the steamship Campana, had a chill, Friday night, and was compelled to postpone his departure.

GERMAN SOCIAL LIFE.

Sunday a Real Holiday and Day of Relaxation.

Sir Henry Johnson is contributing a series of interesting articles to the Westminster Gazette on German social life. "The Germans," he says, "contribute to enjoy life and—unlike us—to look very happy, with fewer official holidays than are allotted to us, and this partly because of their jolly Sunday, which is a real holiday and day of relaxation occurring every seven days."

But Sir Henry says there is much to criticize and amend in Germany still. "The abuse of alcohol still strangles the physical and mental efficiency of a large proportion of German men in the upper and lower classes." A hopeful sign is the indignation shown by the bourgeois and professional classes against the senseless eighteenth-century traditions of German studenthood.

Sir Henry finds the salvation of Germany in its high type, mentally and physically, of womanhood. "The German woman, with the spread of education and new ideas of the middle and upper classes, is a fine creature, as willing as before to be wife and mother, though proving herself an attractive and inspiring companion to an educated man." And that man are, after all, what women make; there is a maxim handed down to us by philosophers.

HUMANE SOCIETY CONCERT.

Programme For To-morrow, City Hall, 8 p.m.

Soldiers' chorus.

Tenor solo (with trio), James Banker and Misses Orser, Rosevear and McLeod.

Ladies' quartette, Mrs. Clark, Misses Orser, Macdonnell and McLeod.

Violin solo—Mrs. W. Robertson, accompanied by orchestra, R.C.H.A.

Contra-tenor solo, Miss Florence McLeod.

Chorus, "Last Post," cornet obligato, Sergeant J. Huberland.

Indian Romance, orchestra of R. C. H. A., Bandmaster A. Light conducting.

Bass solo, Archie Becroft.

Violin solo, Mrs. W. Robertson.

Male quartette, Messrs. Banker, McCree, Spalding, Becroft.

Soprano solo, Miss Hazel Massie.

Chorus, "The Country Fair."

Accompanists, Mrs. J. R. C. Dobbs and R. R. F. Harvey.

Tickets and plan of seats at R. Uglow's.

Lincoln and Temperance.

The Christian Herald.

Lincoln was a total abstainer and an active temperance worker. His motto was to try to "pluck a thistle and plant a flower wherever a flower would grow." There could be no more noxious "thistle" than the liquor traffic; and so we find Lincoln, as one who loved his fellow-man, opposing that great evil. He said, in 1853: "The most effectual remedy would be the passage of a law altogether abolishing the liquor traffic. There must be no more attempts to regulate the cancer; it must be eradicated." In 1846 Lincoln spoke on temperance at a log school-house near Springfield, Ill. He wrote and took to the meeting the following pledge, inviting the people to sign it: "Whereas, the use of intoxicating liquors as a beverage is productive of pauperism, degradation and crime; and believing that it is our duty to discourage that which produces more evil than good, we therefore pledge ourselves to abstain from the use of intoxicating liquors as a beverage."

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Dainty designs in these French cottons, finished similar to silk and in colors that wash. 25c Yard

New Cotton Voiles

The new Voiles for this year are a great improvement over those of last year, both in color and texture

New Kimona Crepes

Many new and handsome designs, 31 inches Wide, 25c yard

New DIMITIES, 15c, 20c, 25c
New Costume Linens
New Chiffon Mulls, in White, Black, Pink, Light Blue, Helio, 25c
New Galatea Suitings for children's wear
New Oxford Suitings, fine makes, 15c, 20c, 25c, 30c

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