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THE LATEST TIDINGS

PRESENTED IN THE BRIEFEST POSSIBLE FORM.

The Whig's Daily Condensation of the News of the World From Telegraph Service and Newspaper Exchanges.

Frank Noyes, Washington, was again elected president of the Associated Press.

The German government has no intention of sending an additional warship to Mexican waters.

Ald. M. Fisot, Quebec, has been appointed superintendent of parcel post for the city and district of Quebec.

The Berlin, Ont., library board will have to be satisfied with \$10,000 instead of \$25,000 from Andrew Carnegie.

A. B. McCoig, M.P. for West Kent, succeeded in getting corn-binders placed on the twelve and a half per cent. tariff list.

The proposed imperial navy defence conference, in which all the whole overseas dominions were to take part, has been indefinitely postponed.

A branch of the Imperial Home Reunion League was formed in London, a credit fund of \$10,000 being established at the bank by a hundred citizens.

As a mark of esteem, a deputation representing the government members of the legislature, waited on Sir J. Whitney and presented him with a purse of \$2,000.

Mayor Carter, of Guelph, was petitioned by several hundred citizens of both political parties to be a candidate against the government in the coming provincial election.

The Rome Observatore Romano prints the pope's motu proprio instituting a college for training priests who are intended to be of spiritual assistance to emigrants.

Premier Borden introduced a motion for morning sittings of the commons, but withdrew it on Sir Wilfred Laurier's protest of need of most careful consideration of C.N.R. legislation.

Ambitions
By Walt Mason in Collier's Weekly.

Ah, once in youth, in days of youth I longed to be a pirate; the corsair's fame for deeds of shame—all boys did once desire it. At night when gleamed the stars I dreamed of sailing Spanish vessels, of clanging swords and dripping boards, and bloody scraps and wrestles. Then "One-Eyed Lief," the pirate chief, my hero was and model; in dreams I'd hold his stolen gold till I could scarcely waddle. But father took his shepherd's crook and lanned me like tarantula, till I forgot that sort of rot for milder aspiration.

And still I dreamed, and now adorned by all, both great and small in wealth grown rich and richer—My dreaming eyes saw crowds arise and bless me from the bleachers, when I struck out some pinch hit

and beat those Mudville creatures. I seemed to stand, sublime and grand, the idol of all fandom; men thought me swell, and treasure well the words I spoke at random. Ah, boyhood schemes, and empty dreams of glory, fame, and riches! My mother came, and tanned my frame with sundry birchen switches, and brought me back to duty's track, and made me hoe the onions, dig garden saxes and mow the grass until my hands had bunions.

In later days I used to raise my eyes to summits splendid. "I'll hold," I'd swear, "the White House chair, before my life is ended." The years rolled on, dreams are gone, with all their gorgeous sallies, and in my town I'm holding down a job, inspecting allies. Thus goes the world, a man is buried from heights to depths abyssal; the dream of hope is golden dope, but waking up is dismal. So many dreams, so many schemes, upon the hard-rock shiver! We think we'll eat some sirloin meat, and have to dine on liver. We think we'll dine on duck and wine, with garlands hanging o'er us, but when some dub calls us to grub, stewed prunes are set before us. And yet, my friends, though drawing ends in dark-blue taste to-morrow both airy schemes! Without your dreams, this life would be all sorrow.

"Marsellaise" for the Kaiser
The long-expected visit of the Kaiser to the French president was marred by a piece of tactlessness on the part of the president's valet. On the first evening it appears that the Kaiser's brushes had fallen through some misunderstanding to arrive in time. Brushes which had been presented to the president himself by the Service league of France were sent to his majesty. To the horror of everyone within forty yards of the room, no sooner had the Kaiser lifted them out of the box than the epic notes of the "Marsellaise" thundered forth from the backs of the brushes. The valet who had taken them in had forgotten to turn on the silent! The Kaiser, it is said, immediately dropped the brushes and went pale blue, his moustache wagging furiously. It was only after a long explanation in several languages that he was induced to believe that the incident was not a specially-designed and manoeuvred personal affront. He consented to remain the president's guest, but even now the entente is felt to have been sensibly weakened.—London Opinion.

Pleased With Selection
The military events at the Toronto horse show next week at the Toronto armories promises to be one of the features.

The military men are enthusiastic over the appointment of Lieut.-Col. Henri Panet, Kingston, as one of the judges in their events.

A school teacher exclaimed, indignantly, one afternoon:

STOCK MARKETS

F. B. McCurdy & Co., 86 and 88 Brock St.—H. W. Nellis, Manager. 2:45 p.m., April 23rd.

Montreal

Cannons	42 1/2
Cement bid.	153
R. & O.	28 1/2
Toronto Railway	101
Brazilian	79
Textile	135
Shawinigan	75
Dominion Steel	65 1/2
Nova Scotia Steel	27 1/2
Bell Telephone	145

New York

Coppers	73 1/2
Smelters	69 1/2
C.P.R.	195
Reading	162 1/2
Union Pacific	37 1/2
United States Steel	37 1/2
Erie	26 1/2
Atchison	95
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	108 1/2
Loch Valley	89 1/2
American Can	134 1/2
Southern Pacific	90

Cotton

May	1274
July	1256
Dec.	1165

Grain

Wheat—	92 1/2
May	87 1/2
July	87 1/2

QUEEN'S EXAMS. RESULTS

The Whig will this year, as usual, publish complete results of Queen's college examinations.

Orders for papers left at this office will be given the same careful attention as in the past. Price per copy, including postage, 3c.

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Where the Premier Had to Stop

Manchester Guardian.

G. W. E. Russell has a story of a member of parliament whom he calls Mr. Thomas Titmouse, approaching the Chief Whip of his party to a knighthood. He was told he had not earned it. Next year he repeated the request and explained he had a few years before met and proposed to a delightful woman with a large fortune, and to strengthen his suit told her his public services entitled him to feel confident of the reward of knighthood. Attracted by the prospect of becoming "My Lady," she consented.

But now the wife has begun to inquire when the knighthood was coming. In short, the member's domestic happiness was at stake.

The Whip conveyed this artless tale to the prime minister, whose reply Mr. Russell quotes as follows: "Under the circumstances which you so feelingly describe I will recommend Mr. Titmouse for a knighthood, as it seems to be the only way of making Mrs. Titmouse a lady. I only regret that there is no honor in the gift of the crown which could possibly make Mr. Titmouse a gentleman."

Budget from Salem

Salem, April 21.—The milk drawers for the season are David May for Weller's Bay factory and Arlan Blakey for the Hyland factory.

Mrs. C. Dolan and H. H. Dolan have returned after spending a few days in Trenton. Mrs. V. Brown is on an extended visit to her sister in Rochester, N. Y. Mr. and Mrs. J. Gibson and Mr. and Mrs. Norris attended the Osterhout-Adair wedding on Wednesday.

C. G. Williams is improving after his severe illness. Messrs. W. S. Wannamaker, H. Spencer and D. H. Whitney have been conveying their lumber from French's saw-mill, Melville. Mr. Campbell, of Wellington, purchased a fine colt from D. Howerman's, and Mr. Pine, of Burr's, each secured one from Charles Kemp. Mrs. G. Darling spent Easter in Toronto, and Mrs. F. Hendry spent the holidays with her sister in Ottawa. C. C. Wannamaker has returned after spending a few days in Toronto. Cattle buyers from Buffalo have been in this vicinity for a few days and have shipped a large number of cattle and expect to remain here and ship each week throughout the summer. T. Price lost a valuable horse this week.

Wolfe Island Wedding

Wolfe Island, April 20.—A pleasant event took place at the Church of the Sacred Heart, Marysville, on Monday morning, at eight o'clock, when Miss Alice Edna O'Brien, daughter of Michael O'Brien, was united in marriage by Rev. Father McNeil, to Robert Watts, son of William Watts, of the village, a prosperous young cheese-maker, who has taken charge of the factory at the foot of the island for the coming season. The bride looked charming in a travelling suit of light blue broadcloth, with white hat and ostrich necklace, and wore a necklace of pearls, a gift of the groom. The bride was assisted at the organ and Lizzie O'Brien, who was attired in a costume of blue, with hat to match. James O'Brien was best man. The groom's gift to the bride was a crescent of pearls, and to the best man a set of gold cuff links. Mrs. R. J. Spoor presided at the organ and played the wedding march, besides several other selections. The young couple received many useful and costly presents from their numerous friends. They left Cape Vincent, where they took up the morning train, and will visit several American cities before they return home. They will take up residence on the island.

Police Report Coming

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Rushing the Work.

The men engaged by the street railway company laying the double track on Princess street, from Barrie to Alfred, are rushing the work. On Thursday afternoon at two o'clock the present track was shifted over to the north side of the street, so as to allow the new track to be placed on the south side. The work of digging the excavation for the new track has been done in quicker time than expected.

Johnny Jones, what are you fumbling with there?

Her sewing basket's neat as wax—there's not an article misplaced; if she should find things jumbled up, she'd surely think she'd been disgraced.

She never leaves a garment hung upon the back of any chair; she always hangs it on its hook, then when she wrinkles it it is there. She's tidy in a thousand ways, and of it is inclined to brag.

But gee, you ought to see the junk she carries in her shopping bag! She knows where every dish should go, and where the towels ought to hang.

And if there's anything misplaced, it gives her nerves an awful pang. Her brooms are found in just one spot, so is her mop and dusting rag. But gee, you ought to see the truck she carries in her shopping bag!

CORNBINDERS LOWERED

Liberal Member McCuaig Was Responsible For It.

Ottawa, April 23.—Corn-binders, altogether different farm implements from grain-binders, go upon the 12 1/2 per cent. list under the new White tariff. The decision was reached by the government yesterday, after much heartburning and prolonged discussion.

This is probably the first time in the fiscal history of any parliamentary-governed country that a private member on the opposition benches determined an item of the tariff. It was Archie B. McCuaig, the young liberal member for West Kent, who secured this altogether unintentional cut in the tariff upon corn-binders.

Her Shopping Bag

Around the house she's neat as wax, and everything is in its place; each chair is standing where it should; dirt there never is a trace.

Her clothes are neatly hung away instead of being strewn around—she says if things are rightly placed they're always easy to be found. She's orderly in everything, and of it is inclined to brag.

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She says she cannot understand why people are so awful slack in slinging everything around, and why such tidiness they lack.

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She's always plumb distracted if she sees a picture hanging askew. And if her spools of thread get mixed it makes her mad and nervous, too.

By day or night she'll place her hand on any article she needs—To have things in the proper place has always been one of her creeds. If someone gets a chair awry, then how she'll jaw and scold and nag. But gee, you ought to see the stuff she carries in her shopping bag!

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Doctors Versus Town Councillors

London Chronicle.

Some time ago a chauffeur in the town of Tours, France, was foolish enough to run over two policemen. Whereupon the mayor of the city issued a decree fixing the speed limit for all motors within the precincts of the city at six and a half miles an hour—a speed which would give the fattest policeman a sporting chance to escape.

The doctors of the city addressed a petition to the mayor requesting that their motors of necessity and mercy should be exempt from the provisions of his decree.

The councillors held an extraordinary meeting, at which, after a heated debate, they rejected the doctor's demand, on this, among other grounds, that "we do not see our way to permitting doctors, in addition to the other means which they possess and which we cannot control, to kill their fellow citizens by running over them."

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