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A few more days as warm as to-day was, and sleighing will be ruined.

LOCAL MEMORANDA.

The Daily Note Book For Whig Readers to Post Themselves By.

City council, 8 p.m.

License commissioners meet at 8 p.m.

Grand Irish concert, city hall, 8 p.m.

This day in history. Str. Utopia lost, 1901.

Academy of Music, Quebec, burned, 1900.

Whig's circulation records and mail lists open to all.

Hockey match, Kingston skating rink, Goo-Goos vs. Aerials, 8 p.m.

Over $200,000,000 is spent in the United States yearly in advertising.

Gen. Lockhart, commander-general of imperial forces in India died 1900.

Victoria theatre, "The Rose of Kerry," special Irish songs and dances.

Whig advertisements are gallant soldiers fighting for your financial welfare.

In kindly remembrance of Alexander Cameron, a truly honest man, who died one year ago.

If you have a good business advertise and keep it. If you have not the business advertise in the Whig and get it.

Two years ago, this day, Windsor hotel, New York, burned with heavy loss of life, also academy of music, Quebec, burned.

Inspiration.—Enthusiasm is the glow of the soul, the lever by which men are raised above the average level and enterprise.

For yearly advertising the big weekly returns more per dollar invested than any other publication. Each copy is read by the entire family.

The latest. "Fathers of families, I say unto you, if you have a son who hath a genius for lying, reprove him not, he hath a glorious future as a mining expert."

The Use of China.

The Chinese invented China, but all Chinaware is not Chinese by a great deal. We have excellent value in Chinaware, and a magnificent line of new DINNER SETS that will startle you.

ROBERTSON BROS.

VICTORIA THEATRE
D. P. Branigan, Manager.
ALL THIS WEEK.
MARKS BROTHERS.
To-night The Beautiful Irish Drama,
"The Rose of Kerry."
Tuesday, "Paradise Regained."
Prices, 10c., 15c. and 25c. Plan at Mitchell's drug store.

LOST.
ON PRINCESS STREET, ON SATURday morning, a piece of CROCHET LACE with braid and spool attached. Will finder please leave at Whig Office.

HOSTILE TO ITO CABINET.

Japanese House of Peers, Nevertheless, Passes Taxation Bill.

Yokohama, March 18.—The Japanese house of peers has passed the taxation bills of the government, but the hostility felt toward the Ito cabinet shows no abatement.

The cabinet crisis at Seoul, capital of Corea, which arose out of the arrest of the acting minister of finance on a charge of having plotted to murder a number of ladies of the imperial household, continues.

Stoco Statements.

Stoco, March 18.—The Rathbun shanty at the ranch has ceased operations for the present. T. Bailey, foreman, is going to load wood at Tweed. W. Cassidy is recovering from severe illness. Thomas Doyle is now on the sick list. He is being attended by Drs. Mather and Dafoe. William Rogers and family have moved to Tweed. The mumps epidemic is scarcely yet abating. Peter Lenrahan is quite recovered from his recent severe attack of illness. D. G. Larkin has been somewhat under the weather lately.

Mr. Blezard To Retire.

Toronto, March 18.—Thomas Blezard, who has represented East Peterboro in the legislature for twenty-two years, will not offer himself for re-election after the present parliament. Mr. Blezard is well liked by the members on both sides of the house. It is said the next liberal candidate will be William Anderson, of Otonabee.

St. Patrick's Day at Winnipeg.

Winnipeg, March 18.—The Irish Protestants of Winnipeg observed St. Patrick's day by attending Holy Trinity church in a body last evening. Rev. Mr. O'Meara gave an eloquent discourse on the character and work of the Irish saint. Special services were also held in all the Roman Catholic churches.

Capt. J. Redmond, Temiscaming, and James McGregor, Villa Marie, arrived in the city yesterday. They are here in connection with the Stearne trial for damages, to be held at the spring assizes here this week.

Mrs. Bernard W. Preene and Misses Hazel and Doris Browne, who have been Mrs. Hubbell's guests since Christmas, left on Friday for their home at Kincardine.

Miller's Worm Powders the medicine for children. Sold by E. C. Mitchell.

BURNED SCOUT'S HOUSE

And Evicted the Wife and Her Family.

A BASE ACT OF THE BOERS

WILL SHOOT ANY BRITISH OFFICER CAPTURED.

Heavy Fines Imposed by The Treason Court—What is Being Done in Cape Colony—A Boer Convoy Captured by the British.

Cape Town, March 17.—The invaders in the Graff Reinet districts have burned a farm house belonging to a British scout named Meredith, and evicted his wife and family from the farm. They said that Meredith's was the first house they had orders to burn in the Cape Colony. It is reliably reported that commandant Kritzinger has threatened to shoot any British officers captured by his men.

The treason court, at Dordrecht, has concluded its sittings. The sentences imposed included fines amounting to a total of £500,000, the heaviest yet inflicted.

A colonial division under Col. Crewe, engaged the Boers near Peterustburg, a town no far from the border of Cape Colony and Orange River Colony. The British captured the Boers' convoy.

The burghers, under commandant Kritzinger, with one pom-pom, within fourteen miles of Fort Beaufort, have been cutting the Kingwilliamstown telegraph line. They are being closely pursued by the British, under Col. Gorringe. Some of the Boer invaders have apparently abandoned their intention of coming south and have passed north-east through Adelaide. The commando which recently occupied Maraisburg is reported to have divided into small parties, with the idea of concentrating again; some of them passed through Kamastone on Friday. Col. Donald's column is pursuing them.

Captured A Laager.

London, March 18.—A special despatch from Standerton says the Boers are massing at the stations on the Delagoa line, and the leaders are conferring daily at each station and also at Pietersburg. The leaders are in communication, with a view of a general surrender, with the Boer committee at Amsterdam. It was stated that the manufacturer of ammunition is proceeding vigorously.

Lord Kitchener in a despatch to the war office, dated Pretoria, March 15th, reports as follows: "Yesterday a column under Lieut.-Col. Park, of Devonshire regiment, operating from Lydenburg, surprised and captured a Boer laager at Krugerspost. One Boer was killed, five wounded, thirty-two were taken prisoners, and a quantity of live stock and grain captured. Our casualties were one killed and four wounded."

Whatever the result of the peace negotiations between Gens. Kitchener and Botha, it is tolerably certain that the rumors of the inclusion of Gen. Dewet in any form of amnesty are not based on facts. One of the officials responsible for the direction of the affairs of the army said yesterday: "I cannot see how Lord Kitchener can possibly accept Dewet's surrender. If he ever gets him he will be obliged to try him for his recent murder of prisoners. I have no doubt that the verdict of either a military or a civil court would be death and if such a verdict was carried out there would be a horrible howl on the continent and in America, and indeed one would be sorry to see such a brave leader meet such an end. Therefore, we can only hope Dewet will either be let out of the country or shot in battle."

Nearly three thousand troops sailed from Southampton yesterday for South Africa.

Looted The District.

Linton, Cape Colony, March 15.—The Boers passed through here yesterday morning. They looted the stores, seized forage, and burned what wheat they could not carry off.

KILLED BY A FALL.

In Seeking to Escape From a Murderous Assault.

London, March 18.—Clara Oliveri, the queen of Genoa demimonde was killed last Monday and her slayer may turn up in New York in the course of a day or two. The woman was about twenty-five years of age, was notorious throughout the city for her wealth, and the jewelry she wore, and that notoriety cost her her life. She was attacked in her lodgings and sustained no fewer than eighteen dagger wounds. Nine of which strange to say, would have been mortal, but in order to escape from her assailant she jumped from a high window, and the fall killed her. The murderer got away with $10,000 worth of jewelry. Suspicion has fallen upon the dissolute scion of one of the most respected families, in Genoa, who disappeared at the time. The murderer got away on one of two steamers bound respectively for New York and Buenos Ayres.

For Lynching A Canadian.

Mobile, Ala., March 18.—Ora Rolls and deputy sheriffs Ashcroft and Seymour, three of the eleven men on preliminary trial at Scranton, Miss., for the lynching of John Knox, the Canadian, who killed his stepson, were committed to the circuit court, which meets in April, Ashcroft and Seymour without bond, and Rolls on bonds of $10,000, which his friends gave. The judge refused to approve of Roll's bonds and he was sent to the Waynesboro, Miss., jail. The others were dismissed.

Miller's Kidney and Bladder Pills are expressly for weak kidneys, bladder, pain in the back, etc. Sold by E. C. Mitchell.

Children attending the separate school, Portsmouth, must present certificates of vaccination by the 25th inst. in order to attend classes.

ERASMUS CAPTURED.

He and Family are Now in Hands of British.

GENERAL ABEL ERASMUS.

London, March 18.—Gen. Kitchener telegraphed the war office yesterday that Park's column has brought in the notorious general, Abel Erasmus, with his family.

PITH OF THE NEWS.

The Very Latest News Culled From All Over the World.

The late Dr. J. D. Macdonald, of Hamilton, left an estate of $72,000.

On Saturday and Sunday ten new plague cases were reported at Cape Town, including three Europeans.

Mrs. Gautlier and five children were burned to death at Little Cascapedia, Que., as the result of a coal oil stove explosion.

The German navy, like the British, has condemned the Belleville boilers for use on warships, and has decided to abandon them.

A movement is taking definite form to establish near Atlanta a colony to be composed of, and governed exclusively by, the negro race.

The wound on emperor William's face is healing favorably. The scar will be merely a narrow line and will not disfigure His majesty's face.

The Quebec senior hockey team has received and accepted a challenge from Halifax to play two matches on the 18th and 19th inst. Nine men left on the 17th inst. for the city by the sea.

The royal mail steamer Lake Champlain, which arrived at Halifax from Liverpool, brought twenty-eight returning Canadian soldiers and 1,000 steerage passengers.

The expenses in connection with queen Victoria's funeral amounted to $135,000, of which sum $11,400 was expended for the housing and entertainment of foreign guests.

A St. Magloire, Que., farmer stated that during the recent storm upwards of a hundred deer, whose escape was made almost impossible by the depth of the snow, were shot and stabbed in the south parishes.

A marriage has been arranged, and will shortly take place, between Miss Marie Louise Westcott Papineau, Wimbledon, Surrey, and Capt. J. C. Sheffield, Carradoyne, Ireland, third son of Sir Robert Sheffield.

Capt. S. S. Brown, of Pittsburg, Pa., has increased his offer for the trotter, Garry Herrman, to $25,000, but it has been refused. Charles Head Smith, Garry Herrman's owner, has offered $6,000 to J. J. McCafferty for The Puritan, but McCafferty wants $10,000.

The outrage on emperor William has had a distressing sequel at Scneidemuhl, when Heinrich Weiland, eighty-one years old, grandfather of the emperor's assailant, shot himself. He had declared that he could not survive the disgrace of his grandson's act.

LIBRARY FOR WINDSOR.

Carnegie Offers $20,000 on Certain Conditions.

Windsor, Ont., March 18.—Windsor is the latest Canadian city upon which Andrew Carnegie has offered to lavish his bounty. Saturday the secretary of the Windsor library board received a communication from Mr. Carnegie to the effect that he will donate $20,000 for the erection of a suitable building to be used as a free public library. The gift is contingent upon the city government agreeing to furnish the site and to appropriate not less than $2,500 annually for its maintenance.

Newspaper Man Acquitted.

Hamilton, March 18.—F. A. Passmore, sporting editor of the Herald, has been acquitted by police magistrate Jeffs on the charge of having obstructed Sergt.-Maj. Prentice, of the police force, in the performance of his duties, by refusing him admission to a boxing tournament, of which Passmore was manager. Magistrate Jeffs decided on the evidence that the obstruction on the part of the defendant had not been wilful, Passmore's objection to the sergeant-major's presence at the show being based on personal grounds.

De Rodays Still Suffers.

Paris, March 18.—The condition of M. Ferdand de Rodays, injured in the thigh, Saturday, in a duel with count Boni de Castellane, continues slightly feverish, but there is no special anxiety concerning him.

Cashier Johnson Caught.

Columbus, Ohio, March 18.—Charles Johnson, cashier of the First National bank of Niles, Mich., was arrested yesterday on a charge of wrecking that institution, and is held pending instructions from judge Thompson, of the United States district court at Cincinnati.

300 Pairs At 75c.

Women's Oxford shoes, sizes 2½, 3, 3½, 4, former price $1.50; we are offering them for 75c. See them on our tables. A. Abernethy.

Miller's Grip Powders Cure. Sold by E. C. Mitchell.

POISONED FOR MONEY.

A Sensational Arrest Made In Vienna.

A JEW WAS THE VICTIM.

AN ACCOUNT OF THE COMPLEX STORY.

Vogel, the Supposed Murderer, Says the Jew Signed him Over all his Property Before he Died —Witnesses Were Present—The Jew Left $200,000.

Vienna, March 18.—A sensational arrest was made here, when Herr Vogel, the proprietor of the largest exchange office on the Graben, was taken into custody on a charge of having poisoned in April, 1900, a rich Russian named Taubin, who was supposed to have verbally bequeathed his property to Vogel, who has since enjoyed it.

The circumstances of the case are as follows: Taubin, who was a Jew, miser and drunkard, lived in a squalid manner. One night a policeman took him home drunk and bleeding. A doctor, who was summoned, told Taubin's old charwoman to bring his friends, as he was dying. She brought Vogel, whom she knew was an acquaintance of Taubin. Vogel took a lawyer and clerk with him to the miser's house. Upon arriving at the bedside, the dying man, it is stated, recovered sufficiently to say that all his possessions should go to Vogel, after which he died almost immediately. The bequest thus ostensibly made in the presence of witnesses was legally regular, and Vogel inherited property to the value of $200,000.

Taubin's body was cremated. His Russian relatives subsequently represented to the police that Vogel poisoned him, and they also declared that Vogel is a ventriloquist, and himself spoke the words bequeathing the property to himself when Taubin was already dead.

HE WAS THE MAN

Who Jumped Over The Chaudiere Falls at Ottawa.

Ottawa, March 18.—Mrs. B. Miall, wife of the deputy commissioner of inland revenue, died this morning at Aylmer, Que. She had been in failing health for some time.

John Ryan, Almonte, the man who jumped over the Chaudiere Falls bridge a few weeks ago, was insured for $2,000. His family have sent his photograph to Ottawa to be shown to eye-witnesses of the suicide and it has been recognized as that of the man who jumped to his death.

Capt. Bernier, Quebec, to start for the north pole, has asked the mayor of Ottawa to start a public subscription so that he may get funds for the trip. It will cost, he says, $130,000, a large portion of which he expects the dominion government will provide.

Ralph Smith, M.P., president of the trades and labor congress of Canada, replying to a public protest against Carnegie's offer of $100,000 for a public library being accepted by the city, says: "My advice to the workingmen would be to take advantage of the gift of Mr. Carnegie, so generously offered, to bring about a better system: to do all they can to intelligently appreciate the privileges granted for two reasons, first, to encourage others to do likewise; secondly, to use it for the cultivating and uplifting of the masses. I trust the corporation of the city of Ottawa will be sufficiently enterprising to entitle it to the generous offer of Mr. Carnegie. As president of the trades and labor congress of Canada, I have no hesitation in saying that this munificent gift would be a great advantage to the workingmen of the capital, or any other centre where such gifts are made and properly utilized." The city council will deal with the offer at to-night's meeting.

The Ottawa hockey club, champions of C. A. H. A., have decided to send the team to New York on Thursday next. P. M. Butler, secretary has received a communication from Mr. Phillips, manager of the St. Nicholas rink asking for a date. The club has, therefore decided to leave for the American metropolis on Thursday afternoon, and a match will be played with the New York A. C. team on Saturday night and probably with an all New York team, Monday.

The boxing tournament of the Ottawa amateur athletic association commences to-morrow.

The council of the Montreal board of trade has forwarded a communication to Mr. Tarte, minister of public works, urging the government to construct two elevators at Montreal, to be placed under the control of the harbour board.

Lieut.-Col. Steele has issued a statement that he will not recruit an additional 1,000 men for the South African constabulary.

Caused By Ammonia Fumes.

London, March 18.—The S. S. New York, reached her dock last night after a passage in which an explosion of an ammonia tank and broken shaft caused loss of life, and much damage to the vessel. As a result of the explosion, fifteen men were overcome by the fumes, and two deaths followed. Both were buried at sea. The dead are John Kent, a steward, who died of pneumonia, thirty-six hours after the accident, and Carl Evenkist, an American citizen, a steerage passenger steward, is still suffering from inflammation of the lungs and was taken to the hospital.

Queen's Grandson Left $205.

London, March 18.—Prince Christian Victor, the queen's grandson, who died of enteric fever in Pretoria, left a personalty valued at only $205. He had only $2,500 allowance outside of his army pay, but by great prudence kept out of debt.

That fulness after meals promptly relieved by taking one of Miller's Compound Iron Pills after each meal. Sold by E. C. Mitchell.

AN INFANT EXPLORER.

Small Boy of Seven Travels About the City.

London, March 18.—There are the makings of an explorer in Willie Green, the son of a Hampton farrier.

He is a blacked eyed chap of seven-and-a-half, with an extraordinary fondness for absenting himself from the paternal roof and wandering to remote parts of London.

Sometimes he is headed off by the police, but as a rule he returns "on his own," worn out and hungry.

"If he has done it once he has done it two hundred times," said his father yesterday. "He's been taken to nearly every police station in London. When he was two-and-a-half, in petticoats, he disappeared for a day and a night, and I found him in Paddington Station—two miles from home.

"Why he does it I can't say. We're always kind to him. He's quick at his lessons. A better boy at home there couldn't be—when he's there."

"He always goes by himself, and he always travels by train. The week before last he went backwards and forwards to Westbourne park five times. Here is a letter I've just had from the railway companies."

Mr. Green exhibited a letter from the South-Western stating that "your son, William Green, was found in a train at Vauxhall, having travelled from Kingston without a ticket," and demanding a remittance of sixpence.

"On the day of the queen's funeral I had to fetch him from Lambeth workhouse. He had gone to London to see the procession. On Monday last he contrived to get to Hackney, where he spent the night in the police station. In the morning he slipped out, and got back home in the evening."

Asked what he meant to be when he grew up, William replied firmly, "An ingin-driver."

It is a profession that would suit him admirably.

LI HUNG CHANG VERY ILL.

Wonderful Chinaman's Life Hangs by a Thread.

Pekin, March 17.—The health of Li Hung Chang is again a matter of consideration to the ministers of the powers. Mr. Rockhill, the American special commissioner, who visited earl Li yesterday, says he is a physical wreck and apparently in a state of utter collapse, although mentally as brilliant as ever. Mr. Rockhill would not be surprised to hear of his death at any moment.

The removal of Li Hung Chang by death or any other cause at the present moment would be very unfortunate. M. De Giers (Russian minister), said today:

"Li Hung Chang is a great diplomat, and his influence with the Chinese court is absolutely unique. No other man in China approaches him in this respect. This influence is not temporary, but it is particularly effective at important moments in the history of China like the present."

Senor De Cologan (Spanish minister) and doyen of the diplomatic corps, said:

"The Chinese court could not appoint a plenipotentiary of the same calibre and having equal influence with the Chinese and foreigners. Although many of the ministers of the powers object to his political methods and regard him as essentially a trimmer, nevertheless they realize that he is the best possible man to represent China in the present emergency."

Orders have been received by the United States troops to depart next month, leaving behind only 150 infantry. The German headquarters staff assert that these instructions are a "great mistake," alleging that it is necessary to retain a large body of foreign troops in the country for at least two years. Most of the ministers, however, take a different view of the matter, believing that the best course is to retain a few of the troops of each nation and to withdraw the rest.

Harley Davidson Defeated.

Preston, Ont., March 18.—James Forrester, Fergus, defeated Harley Davidson, Toronto, in a skating race here on Saturday night for $50 a side and a percentage of the gate receipts. The race was started in mile heats and Forrester won three straight. The second heat was the fastest ever skated on the Preston rink, and beat the Canadian record of 2.53 4-5, made here by Norval Baptie, of North Dakota last winter. The time was 2.51.

Mr. Smith Selected.

Winchester Springs, Ont., March 18.—The liberals of Dundas county met in convention on Saturday for the purpose of selecting a candidate for the provincial elections. W. C. Smith, Rowena, was the unanimous choice.

The Elder Dempster Co., Beaver line, R.M.S. Lake Champlain, arrived at Halifax, midnight, Saturday.

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Baker's Laundry,
'Phone 22. Cor Princess and Sydenham Streets.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.

Toronto, Ont., March 18, 10 a.m.—Becoming a little colder. Tuesday, local falls of snow or sleet.

DAINTY NEW WASH FABRICS.

They come even before the first robin—these fascinating goods—and long before the snow leaves the ground the shrewdest women have made their choice, knowing full well that choosing early gives them a chance not enjoyed by later comers. Put off buying if you will—we'll serve you well whenever you come—but if you come now we can give you a grand selection from exclusive novelties of more than usual attractiveness.

Prominent in excellence are the exquisitely beautiful productions from Alsace—with the choicest fabrics from France, Switzerland, Scotland, England, and the United States following in short order.

This store has the reputation or exclusiveness and novelty in cotton dress fabrics, and this season can abundantly uphold it. We promise you a charming treat in our immense showing.

Up on the third floor our annex building, in light, airy compartments, all our modistes are busily engaged in planning and overseeing the smart costumes that will grace their owners at Easter time. Already the orders received are crowding the work rooms, and we strongly advise anybody that wishes their Spring garb completed during the next few weeks to leave their order at once. We will hate to disappoint you, but our time is being filled up so rapidly that many will be compelled to wait. We are always ready to "talk it over."

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BORN.

PHIPPEN—At Conway, 11th March, wife of E. H. Phippen, of a son.
WOLFE—On March 10th, wife of Arnold Wolfe, Napanee, of a son.

DIED.

HAGGARTY—At Descronto, on March 11th, Mary Haggarty, aged seventy-nine years.
SMITH—In Ernesttown, on March 12th, Howard Arthur, youngest son of E. M. Smith, aged one year.
CLUTE—At South Fredericksburgh, on March 14th, Miss Mary Margaret Clute, aged eighty-two years.
MURDOCH—In Kingston, on March 18th, 1901, Magdelene Johnston Clute, relict of late Nicholas Murdoch, formerly of Newburgh, aged ninety years and eight months.
Funeral private from residence of her daughter, Mrs. H. W. Casey, 309 Brock street.
KNIGHT—In Ottawa, on March 17th, 1901, Isaac Knight, aged eighty-five years.
Funeral on Tuesday, 19th, from the residence of his son-in-law, Mr. Fred Black, 137 Nelson street, at 2:30 o'clock.

The Explosive Deteriorates.

Rome, March 13.—Several million cartridges, charged with ballistite, a new explosive, to which the Italian military authorities have pinned their faith, were recently found in a damaged condition, and the Italian minister of war orders a special enquiry into the affair. It is now announced that the enquiry demonstrated the fact that ballstite deteriorates after a certain period, the length of which has not beat made known. The committee recommended the adoption of a more reliable explosive.

Just one night for old Ireland, city hall, Monday, 8 p.m.

Pure vaseline 5c. a bottle. E. C. Mitchell.

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