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The Daily British Whig, SATURDAY EVENING, AUG. 16. 27 Railroad Time Table and Steamer Announcements on 4th page.

PROGS.—Fresh to brisk easterly to northerly winds, cloudy to rainy, followed by clear weather to-morrow.

SEWMS.—The Rev. Jos. Young will deliver a sermon to-morrow evening to the "Young Men" in the M. E. Church.

THE JUSTICE.—The Police Magistrate having been indisposed since Thursday last, Ald. J. P. Gildersleeve is again filling his place at the Police Court.

ROCHESTER RACES.—"Sleepy Tom" did not surpass or even equal his previous time, at Rochester, his best heat being made in 2:13. "Rarus," in the trial exhibition, made the mile in 2:13.

ARRIVED.—Mrs. Keltie and Miss Barr reached the city to-day en route for the Camp Ground. Their musical admirers will make it a point to hear them on Monday evening at the Concert there.

THE PARK CONCERT.—This will literally be the event of the season at the Camp Ground. The performers are too well known to require commendation.

THE GREAT EXCURSION.—Every preparation has been made for the comfort of excursionists by the "Maud" to the Park on Monday. Tea can be had on board at the usual hour, by those who desire it, for the usual nominal figure—25 cents.

VERY SUDDEN.—The engineer of the Island Belle, plying between Cape Vincent and the Thousand Island Park, lay down after dinner on Tuesday and was found dead. The visitation of Providence in his case was very sudden.

"FRANK PEREW."—The "Frank Perew" came up the river this morning, and at once went to the Kingston Foundry for repairs. The damage to the tug is not so much as was at first anticipated. She will resume her trips in a few days.

POLICE COURT.—Silence reigned within the Court walls this morning. The place had a gloomy appearance. Two men were arrested yesterday, one an excursionist and the other a "bluener," but both were let go before the shades of night were in.

CHEAP, EN.—One of our business firms transmitted a telegram to a gentleman in Winnipeg, and the cost of doing so amounted to the snug little sum of \$17.50. In these hard times a person could not send many such messages without becoming poverty stricken.

AWARD.—The damages that the owners of the "Water Lily" are to receive from the Richelieu Navigation Company, in consequence of the steamer "Magnet" running into and sinking her, have been decided upon. Beside the cost of the repairs, the company will pay \$175 for detention and loss consequent upon the accident.

ISLAND CHIEF.—The new steamer that has recently been put on the route between Wells Island and Alexandria Bay, brought up a party of about twenty, principally ladies, to the city this morning. We are given to understand that they wished to invest a few shillings in Canadian goods. They are from Westminister Park.

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WIND WAFFS, THE BATTERY PAY, A DIVORCE CASE, MURDER AND SUICIDE.

THE ORDER PASSED BY PRIVY COUNCIL. As there is yet some misunderstanding about the pay of men joining the Battery, we give a copy of a report of a Committee of the Honorable the Privy Council, approved by His Excellency the Governor General in Council, on the 11th June, 1879.

On a memorandum, dated June 7th, 1879, from the Hon. the Minister of Militia and Defence, submitting that in order to secure an economy in the public expenditure, and at the same time add to the efficiency of the service, his recommendations, that as more fully explained in the accompanying report from the Adjutant General, concurred in by the General Officer commanding the 2nd Battalion of the 1st Brigade of the 1st Division, that the rate of pay of men hereafter enlisted to serve for three years in 'A' and 'B' Batteries, Schools of Gunnery, be reduced from the present rate of fifty cents to forty-five cents per diem, with the exception of the above mentioned Batteries be paid at the rate of one dollar and twenty-five cents per diem, and that a reward for good conduct, payable on completion of engagement, be granted to gunners and trumpeters of these two Batteries at the rate of two cents per diem for the first year, three cents per diem for the second year, and four cents per diem for the third year of service.

Such good conduct pay to be forfeited for six months after the date of each entry against the individual in the Regimental Defaulter's Book.

The Committee submit the above recommendations for Your Excellency's approval.

(Sd.) W. H. HILMSTROM, C. P. C. Certified true copy. (Sd.) W. POWELL, A. G.

Sunday School Parliament. The steamers plying between this city and Thousand Island Park are crowded in their daily trips. The "Geneva" carries scores and to-day from Kingston, and the "Island Belle" and other boats, are the connecting links between the railway terminus and the camp ground on the American side of the river. Altogether the tide of travel is very great. The Educational Conference has just closed, the lectures, essays and discussions being of a meritorious and exalting character. The Association secured the best talent available, and the exchange of views by men of culture and inordinate mental power has been certainly beneficial to say the least of the results. To-morrow the Sunday School Parliament opens. Heretofore this has been the most interesting feature of the season's attractions at the Park, and the indications are that which will be inaugurated to-morrow will be no exception to the rule. The programme for to-morrow and Monday is thus given:

9:30 a.m.—Love feast and thanksgiving. Services for the mercies of the year.

10:30 a.m.—Sermon by Rev. J. Hyatt Smith, of Brooklyn, N.Y.

2:30 p.m.—The Model Working Sunday School, with regulation lesson. Daniel McLean, Esq., Toronto, Superintendent.

7 p.m.—Sacred song service. Mr. W. Tandy, Kingston, leader.

7:45 p.m.—Sermon by Rev. D. H. MacVicar, President Presbyterian College, Montreal.

10:30 a.m.—How to teach Sacred Geography. Prof. H. S. Osborn, Miami University, and member of Palestine Exploration Society.

10 a.m.—The Teacher's knowledge of the Bible. Rev. John McKewen, Ingersoll, Ont.

11 a.m.—Difficulties and mistakes in teaching James Hughes, Esq.

3 p.m.—What is a Christian? Lecture and discussion. Rev. J. V. Shurtz.

7 p.m.—Song service and concert.

9:45 p.m.—Lecture by Rev. J. Hyatt Smith, subject not yet determined. It will be live.

Editor's Table. Mr. W. Warrack, of Toronto, has entered upon the publication of "The Trades' Monthly Magazine," which is especially devoted to the interest of book sellers, stationers, and fancy goods dealers. It is a good advertising medium.

The fifth annual calendar of the Ontario Ladies' College, Whitchurch, Ont., is issued. The fullest information is given of the institution, which has given evidence of good management and of being capable of carefully educating the young ladies sent to it.

The "American Literary Bureau" (season of 1879-80) is interesting to those who may desire to obtain information of those who lead in the "world" of literature and sciences. This "Bureau" can furnish lectures, readers, solists, concert and opera companies, at any stated price, and at almost any time for their application may be made.

Crip-tion work is good. The full page cartoon applies to the Chaplain motion of non-conference in the Quebec Legislature. Chaplain appears in a howling alley, and with balls, labelled "votes," has cleared the board of all the pins but two. Therapson Sir John and Hon. Mr. Langvign applied and congratulate the performance. The illustrations of Sir A. T. Gall's mission, the assassination of Lieut. Governor LaSalle, the visit of the Governor and Princess to Toronto, etc., are all very amusing.

"Princess Louise." By the above words "Princess Louise" are rendered in the inscription on the corner-stone of Queen's College, Kingston, which was laid by Her Royal Highness.

In the English-Latin part of Ainsworth's dictionary, for "Princess" we find (1) "Principes," (2) "Principia." The latter, the one in the inscription, has the mark before it, which, according to the explanation of marks used in the work, denotes it to be bad, or used only by writers of an inferior class. In the Latin-English part "Principes" is not found at all. "Principes" is thus translated from Ovid is given in which Jane is termed "Deorum Principes," (the chief of the Goddesses). Therefore, according to Ainsworth, "Principes Louise" is classical Latin, but "Principia Louise" is not.

A HEAVY TOLL.—The steamer "Island Wanderer," of Alexandria Bay, is running now between Gananoque and the Bay, terminal points, and Westminister Park and Thousand Island Park en route, and so far the travel has been encouraging to the Capt. and owner. But the Thousand Island Park Association has not been satisfied, and has informed him that he must pay a toll of \$100 for calling at Wells Island. The Capt. complains that he suffers thus because he has been diverting travel to Alexandria Bay.

THE BUREAU-WIDOWED AFFAIR.—Mr. W. G. Murdoch, barrister, Toronto, yesterday commenced proceedings for the extradition of Coolidge, who is now playing at a theatre in New York. The charges against him are shooting with intent to kill, the complainant being Widgony, on whose instructions Mr. Murdoch acts.

BICYCLE CLUB.—Several members of the Montreal Bicycle Club were in the city yesterday. They intended going by bicycle to Toronto, but the bad state of the roads interfered. They left by train this morning for home per Royal Mail steamer.

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THE REV. NEWMAN HALL. The Rev. Newman Hall, the successor to the well-known Rowland Hill, and an eminent preacher among the Congregationalists in the West, is seventy-five years of age, but has been married for five years, and has a family of five children. He was a student of the University of Cambridge, and has been a member of the House of Commons for many years. He was a member of the House of Commons for many years.

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