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CHARLOTTETOWN, PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND, MONDAY, MAY 20, 1901.

PRICE TWO CENTS

OTTAWA DOINGS

Some Offices Abolished— Railway Subsidies

AROUSING OPPOSITION

Foul Play Feared at Camp- bellton—Bad Fires in Cape Breton.

DOINGS OF PARLIAMENT.

OTTAWA, May 18.—(Special.)—A bill has been introduced abolishing the positions of Commissioner and Assistant Commissioner of Island Revenue and creating a Deputy Minister for the Department.

The Manitoba Grain Act was dropped and the House went into committee on Railway Subsidies, some members opposing any subsidies.

FOUND DEAD—FOUL PLAY FEARED.

CAMPBELLTON, N.B., May 18.—(Special.)—The remains of Randolph McBeath, I. C. E. watchman at Morrissey's Rock were found near there, apparently killed by a train.

Investigation has been demanded, as foul play is feared.

BAD FIRES IN CAPE BRETON.

PONT MORIEN, C. B., May 18.—(Special.)—The Newcastle Coal Company offices were destroyed by fire and incendiarism suspected.

Fire at Sydney in the dry goods store of McDonald, Handrahan & Co., damaged the stock to the extent of \$20,000.

Great Victory.

BARNABY RIVER, N. B. Mar.—Few cases of illness and recovery have excited the interest in this community, as has the kidney trouble of Mr. Cornelius Croftie. Mr. Croftie's treatment by the doctors at home and in the hospital, and the fact that they absolutely gave him up as a case beyond all hope, is well known. His subsequent restoration by the use of Dodd's Kidney Pills reads like a miracle.

"For five years I have suffered off and on with kidney trouble. Last fall I had an attack, for which the doctors had little hope of my recovery. I was obliged to go to the hospital for treatment, but it did me no good, so I came home given up by the doctors. A friend suggested Dodd's Kidney Pills. From the first box I improved. Now I am at my work every day."

White Shirt Waists—Ladies' White Lawn Shirt Waists, tucked front and back, deep Swiss insertion front, soft tucked cuffs, self collar, the very latest. Special, \$1.75.—Jas. Paton & Co. 20 tf

Skirts.—We ask a little of your valuable time to see our stock of Dress Skirts. You may find the short time we ask of you to glance over these goods to be the best you have spent in your shopping hours. 50 Lustras and Serges from \$2.50 to \$4.50.—Jas. Paton & Co. 20 tf

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If you want comfortable feet in the hot weather you should get a pair of our Invictus shoes.

Latest styles, best workmanship, high grade leather, laced and buttoned.

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Geo. A. Slater's name stamped on every pair.

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Sole Agents

UNITED STATES

Makes Canal Proposals to Britain

NOT LIKE OLD TREATY

British Government Trying to Settle French Shore Question.

NEW NICARAGUA PROPOSALS.

LONDON, May 18.—(Special.)—Downing Street has received new proposals from America regarding the Nicaragua Canal and these are being printed so they can carefully considered.

It is understood the agreement differs much from the original Hay-Pauncefote treaty.

THE FRENCH SHORE QUESTION.

The Government are making every effort to bring about a satisfactory settlement to the Newfoundland French Shore dispute even at the expense of concessions elsewhere and France is showing a willingness to meet these proposals.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

Chicago May 18.—(Special.)—The following are the closing rates:
May, Wheat, 73½; Corn, 43½; Oats, —
Pork, \$14 72½.
July, Wheat, 72½; Corn, 44½; Oats, —
Pork, \$14 85.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

Closing prices	May 18
Amalgamated Copper	116
American Sugar	149½
American Tobacco	126½
Atchison Common	81½
Brooklyn Transit	77
Burlington	198
Louisville Nashville	104
Manhattan	117½
New York Central	151½
North Pacific Common	154
Rock Island	154
St. Paul	161½
United States Steel Com.	44½
United States Steel Prfd.	94½

Canadian Stock Quotations.

(Furnished by McCuaig, Rykert & Co. Montreal.)

Closing prices	May 18
Canada Pacific	105½
Montreal St. Ry.	285
Toronto St. Ry.	109½
St. John St. Ry.	117½
Halifax St. Ry.	93½
Twin City St. Ry.	26½
Montreal Gas	237½
Royal Electric	245
Dominion Coal Co.	36½
Republic Mining	20
Payne do	32
North Star do	60
Dominion Iron and Steel	30
“ Pref.	86
WarEagle	20

SHELDON'S OPINION.

Leamington, Ont., May 18.—Mr. Sheldon states that for two years he unsuccessfully sought a remedy to cure his son of Catarrh, but permanent results were not attained until Catarrhzone was used. It cured his little baby like magic, and he has been free from Catarrh ever since. Catarrhzone cures all forms of Catarrh, Bronchitis, Throat Irritation, Coughs and Colds. No remedy like it. Quick to relieve, pleasant to use, and guaranteed to cure. Clears the throat and nose at one breath. Try Catarrhzone 25 cents and \$1.00. Druggists or Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

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For Sowing in

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Antlers in great variety.
Sweet Peas, our Red, White and Blue mixed and so choice varieties.
Nasturtium, our special dwarf mixed and choice climbing.
Poppies, "Shirley" in beautiful colors, mixed.
Mignonette our special mixture.
Peas our Early Giant, also 5 late varieties.
Beans, pole or climbing, Sparagus or good long Authors, Mammoth white, Early Golden Cluster Wax.
Beans, Dwarf or Bush, Keyes rust Proof, Golden Wax, Stringless Green Pod, Perfection Wax, Yosemite Mammoth Wax, also Corn, Squashes, Pumpkins.

HAZARD & MOORE.

THE EXPOSITION CITY OF BUFFALO

A Glow by Day and a Radiance of Colors by Night.

BY THE GUARDIAN'S REPRESENTATIVE.

The Impression Gathered as the Writer Approached the Grounds.—View Taken in the Park Showing the Artificial Lake.—A Cut of the C. P. R. Depot in the "City of Saints."

GUARDIAN readers will be interested, no doubt, in the Pan-American Exposition

held told that he would have to wait! Oh jubilate! How he howled! After laying his dire distress before the porter accompanied by something tangible the supplicant navigated for the hook on which to hang up his hat and coat and nothing more was heard or seen of him until the following day. After arriving in Montreal a number of those on board deserted the train, the writer among the number. After dinner at the Queen—an excellent house—Mount Royal was visited by the aid of the incline railway. By the way there is some friction between this company and the Montreal City Council. The Company declines to reduce its fares as ordered by the Council and refuses to remove its plant or recognize the right of the City to do anything but renew its running arrangements or purchase the plant by expropriation. The writer expected to find the rate reduced from eight cents to seven but was told that the company not feeling bound to carry out its suggestion of reduction to seven, will continue the eight cent rate. In the afternoon Notre Dame and St. James' Church were visited. Montreal is noted for its cabmen and visitors with a limited supply of one of these gentlemen very trying. Leaving Montreal in the evening the next place of interest—not staying at the Falls on the way—will be Buffalo.



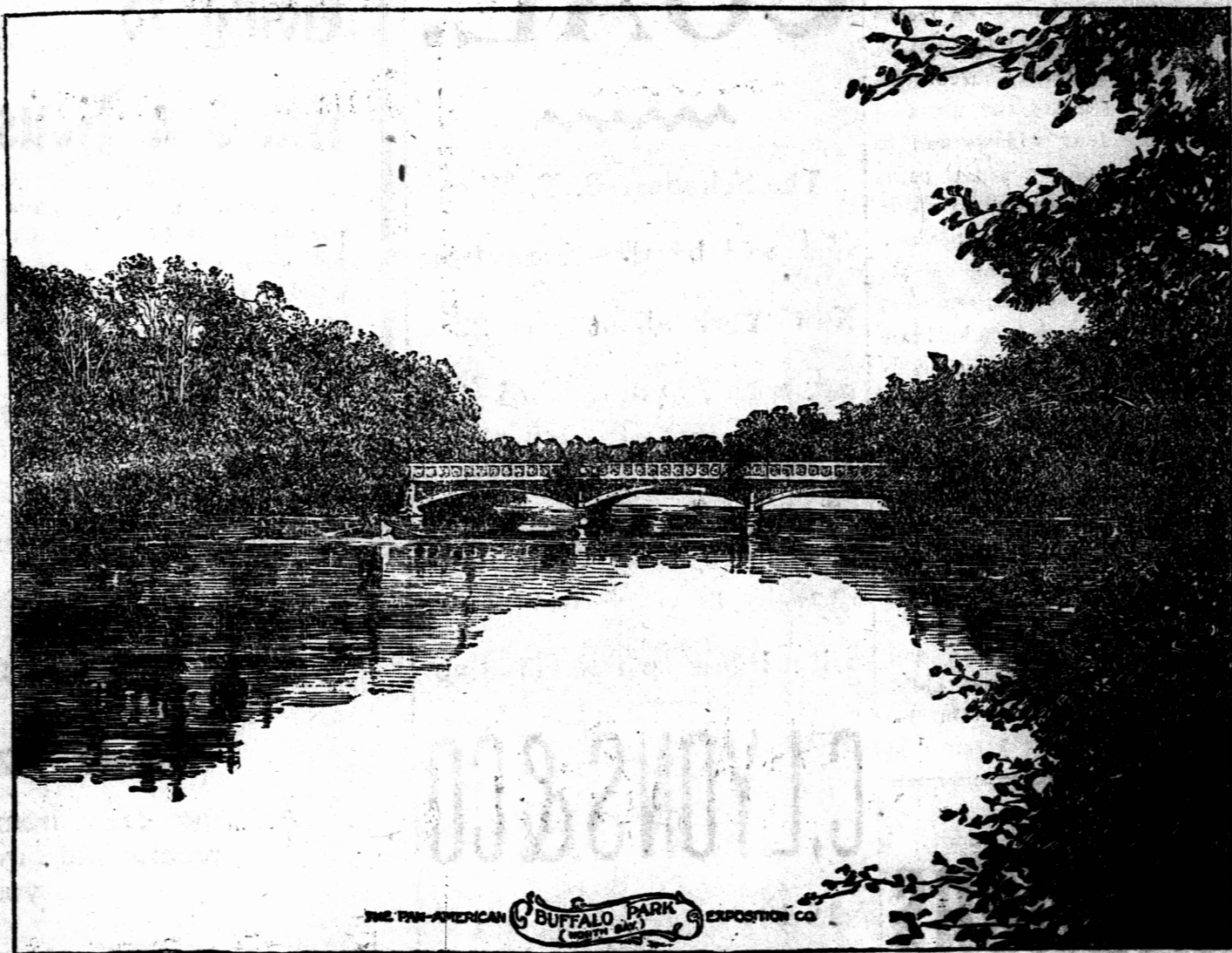
C. P. R. Depot, Montreal.

which opened in Buffalo during the first week of May and which will be open to visitors until November 1st of the present year.

There are two or three ways of reaching the picturesque city, the ideal city of New York State, and the selection of one or the other only means a very slight dif-

ference. Leaving Charlottetown the writer selected the Canadian Pacific Railway and as anticipated found the service an excellent one. It is apparent that very improvement that experience has indicated would add to the comfort of the patron has been made. The interior of the car in which I am writing this letter, at least the first part, is finished in mahogany and is designed to secure

EXPOSITION BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS. It has been said that nature and skillful workmen have done their best. The American people, especially the residents of the state of New York contend that the Pan-American is the finest, considering scope, that the world has seen. An American gentleman talked with, said it



THE PAN-AMERICAN EXPOSITION, BUFFALO, N. Y.

uniform warmth combined with perfect ventilation and an abundance of cool air, with freedom from dust. I may say there are four or five sections in the coach, each section affords ease and comfort to two passengers, all en route to Montreal and some will go on to visit the Fair. The passage across the straits by the Northumberland was pleasant and thus far the distance covered by rail has passed off pleasantly.

As I write the shades of evening have fallen and some of my fellow passengers are preparing for an entrance into the land of nod. For fear that some may be inquisitive, the writer will dwell for a moment and witness a gentleman "under the weather." The porter lowers the upper berth, from which he takes curtains, mattresses, blankets, pillows and linens. My portly friend, not feeling in the best of humor wishes to monopolize the gentleman "rich in color" and when

is not the biggest exhibition held by the people of the United States, but it will be more a thing of art.

To-night I must content myself with taking a car for the park. As the car approaches the grounds the scene is like some old Spanish or Mexican city with centuries of summer sunshine, shining on its walls, which though they are but lath and plaster, have been touched by the hand of the sculptor and painter, until, they glow and live. Approaching the grounds unless the visitor be a creature of no sense of beauty, he must exclaim in delight when the tops of the buildings bathed in sunlight first come in view. The electric tower, piercing the heavens above other pinnacles, "shows an effect of ivory white into which is worked gold and a delicate blueish green." Perhaps the electric building is the most fascinating of all with its red-tiled roof and clean white walls. With each of the many buildings, colors have been lavishly used

BOOMING S. A. MINES

Peace Prospects Again Looking Bright

MRS. MCKINLEY BETTER

Albany Strike Ended And Both Parties Claiming the Victory.

SOUTH AFRICAN MINING BOOM.

NEW YORK, May 18.—(Special.)—A South African mining boom is now anticipated and already evidences of it are apparent.

The early re-opening of peace negotiations by Botha is expected.

ALBANY STRIKE IS OVER.

ALBANY, May 18.—(Special.)—The great strike is over and the cars again running. The strike cost two lives and a vast amount of money. Both sides made concession and both claim the victory.

MRS. MCKINLEY IMPROVING.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 18.—(Special.)—Mrs. McKinley continues to improve and strong hopes of complete recovery are now entertained.

Applied with the hands of master workmen. And there are no clashing tints, no startling effects.

In the early months of the 1899 the Legislature of the state of New York conceived the idea of passing a special act incorporating the Pan American Exposition Company including a list of nearly four hundred representative citizens of western New York, headed by the Mayor of Buffalo and the mayors of the adjacent cities. The resources for the purpose of the Exposition now amount to \$3,000,000 and the liberal appropriations for exhibits from the various states of the union and from all the principal countries of Central and South America, largely increase that sum. The buildings and the numerous attractions covers an area of 350 acres in the northern part of the city including 133 acres of delightful parks and lakes.

The next letter will deal with the city after which the writer will possibly be in a position to say something about the Exposition and its attractions.

A photograph of the Canadian Pacific Railway station at Montreal is enclosed. I trust the people of Charlottetown will gather some idea from it of what a first-class depot looks like.

A view of a lake in Buffalo's park is also enclosed which will give a little idea of the approaches to the buildings.

HOW TO CURE A CORN.

It is one of the easiest things in the world to cure a corn. Do not use acids or other caustic preparations and don't cut a hole in your boot. It is a simply to apply Putnam's Painless Corn and Wart Extractor and in three days the corn can be removed without pain. Sure, safe, painless. Take only Putnam's Corn Extractor.

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